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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 21, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

L. WILLIAM SEIDMAN

FROM:

JAMES E. CONNOR JEG

SUBJECT:

Implementation of your decision on Sugar

The President reviewed your memorandum of September 20 on the above subject and signed the letter to Chairman Leonard and the proclamation to implement his recent decision on sugar. The recommended press release was also approved.

The signed documents have been forwarded to Robert Linder for appropriate handling.

cc: Dick Cheney Robert Linder

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

September 21, 1976

MR PRESIDENT:

Implementation of your decision on Sugar

At TAB C is a White House Press Release announcing your decision on sugar. Please indicate your approval below

Approve

Disapprove____

Jim Connor



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 20, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

L. WILLIAM SEIDMAN

SUBJECT:

Implementation of your decision

on sugar

In accordance with your decision to seek an expedited USITC study of sugar imports and to triple the tariff on sugar imports the following documents are attached for your signature: 1) a letter to USITC Chairman Leonard requesting an expedited investigation by the USITC (Tab A) and, 2) a Proclamation tripling the tariff on imported sugar (Tab B).

In accordance with our pattern on previous sugar policy matters, your decision will be announced in a White House press release (Tab C). Copies of your letter to Chairman Leonard and the Proclamation will also be released by the White House Press Office.

I will handle domestic industry prenotification and congressional prenotification in coordination with Max Friedersdorf's office.

Recommendation:

That you sign the letter to Chairman Leonard and the Proclamation which are attached. Both of these documents as well as the Presidential statement have been cleared by the Editorial Office (Smith).

Attachments