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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 18, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CANNON  
FROM: MAX FRIEDERSDORF *M.F.*  
SUBJECT: M.C. J. Kenneth Robinson

On October 14th, Congressman Robinson wrote to the President concerning the United Parcel Service strike, urging the President to invoke the Taft/Hartley Act.

Attached please find a memo from Jim Connor concerning the President's notation on the Congressional Log.

Please advise as to your recommendation.

*cc: Connor/Cheney*

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MAX FRIEDERSDORF  
FROM: JIM CONNOR *jet*  
SUBJECT: Congressional Mail

The President has reviewed your memorandum of October 15 concerning Congressional Mail received on October 14 and made the following notation:

House #2 from J. Kenneth Robinson "Why not T/H?"

Please follow-up with appropriate action.

cc: Dick Cheney

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....

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WASHINGTON

October 15, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF

SUBJECT: Congressional Mail

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For your information, I am attaching the log of Congressional mail received on October 14, 1976.

This mail is being handled routinely by my office.

cc: Richard B. Cheney

Senate

- 1S Wendell Ford Urges increased funding for the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway.
- 2S Clifford Case Strongly urges signing of S. 3894, to authorize EPA to guarantee bonds issued to the Federal Financing Bank to finance the local share of publicly owned sewerage treatment works.
- 3S John Sparkman Writes on behalf of Mrs. Bessie Rivers Grayson who is interested in attending the White House Conference on Library and Information Services.
- 4S Dewey Bartlett Recommends LeCarl (Bill) Wooten and Dr. Nathan Baily for the Postal Study Commission.
- 5S Jake Garn "Your expression of sympathy at Hazel's death has been a source of strength to my family and I. It was so thoughtful of you to take time from what I know was a very busy Convention schedule to call and talk with each of the children. Please accept our sincere thanks for your concern and thoughtfulness."
- 6S James Abourezk "According to press reports, you have said that your decision to raise price supports for one year was not politically motivated. I think that farmers would be feeling more secure if you would put it in writing that you will not revoke this price support increase after the election. I also urge you to consider making the increase effective for a three to five year period, rather than a one-year period. As you know, a longer loan period would provide more stability for our grain producers and enable them to plan their operations more effectively."

House

1. James Johnson                      Urges signing of S. 3521, the Alaska Natural Gas Transportation Act.
  
2. J. Kenneth Robinson              Writes to express the increasing concern of his constituents over the United Parcel Service strike. Points out the nearness of the "mail early for Christmas" program of the Postal Service and the additional backlog this could create. "I have been asked, repeatedly, why you have not invoked applicable provisions of the Taft-Hartley Act, or other authority, to bring about resumption of operations of this interstate carrier, pending the resolution of the present dispute through further intensive negotiation."  
*why not T/H?*
  
3. Tim Lee Carter                      Sends detailed personal letter strongly urging signing of S. 2910, which concerns diabetes, arthritis and digestive diseases. "This is legislation which would greatly help the people of our country. It has been introduced and guided through the House by me. On the diabetes bill alone, there were over 110 co-sponsors."
  
4. Joseph McDade  
    Bud Shuster  
    Hugh Scott                          Send telegram urging an immediate disaster declaration for 18 counties in central and northeastern Pennsylvania damaged by flooding last weekend.
  
5. Joshua Eilberg                      Forwards a letter and book, Remember Hungary 1956, from constituents who are concerned with the statement about no Soviet domination in Eastern Europe.