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MEMORANDUM

TO: Jack Marsh

FROM: J. F. Lehman *JL*

There is still no action on the Malone appointment to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission; soon it will be too late. It is a shame to waste an appointment as important as this one.

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Ford Still Trying to Fill Important Regulatory Jobs

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As Democrats convene in New York to nominate Jimmy Carter, the Ford administration is maneuvering to prevent him — should he win in November — from doling out many

Rudman's nomination was announced by Ford about two weeks before the New Hampshire primary. A second nomination to another agency — that of Barbara A. Simpson, a member of the North Carolina Public Utilities Commission — was

ALL OF THE regulatory agencies have Republican majorities (the law allows no more than a bare majority from a single political party) The vacancies shape up this way:

• CAB: The first vacancy on five-member agency

seven years. Chairman Wiley's term expires June 30, 1977. The chairman serves at the president's pleasure, but Wiley could remain a commissioner if he were replaced as chairman before June 30.

• Federal Maritime Com-

term of Ashton C. Barrett, a Democrat, expires.

• Federal Power Commission: There is one vacancy for a term expiring June 30, 1977, on five-member agency. Chairman Richard L. Dunham, a Ford appointee and, like others on agency,

• ICC: One immediate vacancy exists on the 11-member agency, where full terms are seven years. The vacant seat carries a term expiring Dec. 31, 1982. Next vacancy, that of Republican Robert J. Corber, expires Dec. 31, 1976 while Demco-