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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

September 3, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CAVANAUGH
FROM: MIKE DUVAL
SUBJECT: ABORTION

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Terry O'Donnell makes a good point: we should have a meeting to discuss our abortion position before the President does the Reasoner interview.

Since this may go as early as tomorrow, I suggest we have the meeting today. For your information, Time Magazine is doing a special story on abortion and, largely because of Carter's mishandling of this, it is clearly becoming a campaign issue of increasing importance.

I suggest you call a meeting to nail down our position and invite Cannon, O'Neill (because of the Federal spending question), Terry and myself.

