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MEMORANDUM TO: SHEILA WEIDENFELD

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Would you mind taking a look at this invitation to Mrs. Ford to participate in a seminar being sponsored by Georgetown University on Women In The Home. The date has been changed to September. I have had a number of conversations with Jinx Melia who has said that Redbook Magazine may sponsor them and a number of people including Jill Ruckelshaus are scheduled to speak. Attached is information about the group (would you please return this to me as I do not have a copy).

Although I admit I have not read the attached material super-carefully, in some ways I think a drop-by by Mrs. Ford or limited participation might have a positive effect of focusing her interest in women in the home and diluting some of what has been characterized as her "radical" stand in support of the Equal Rights Amendment. I would be interested in your comments.

Thank you.

