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CEA

February 4, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: DICK CHENEY
FROM: PHIL BUCHEN
SUBJECT: Economic Data Requested by
former President Nixon

Am returning the memo to Don from Jerry Jones and am sending you David Hoopes' memo to me.

I did talk to Alan Greenspan who verifies that economic data going to President Ford is only that which has already been released, even though the President is the only one to see memos such as those attached to the Hoopes memo. However, Alan tells me that he will soon be reconsidering the types and form of data which will regularly go to the President and that substantial changes may be made.

Therefore, I suggest that before we act on any request from Mr. Nixon we await developments. I would not like to see documents prepared for the President's eyes only go also to the former President even though the data reported might be available elsewhere in other forms.

