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2:30 PM - Presidential Meeting Oval office

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OUTSTANDING PRESIDENTIAL ACTIONS

Assignment	Date	Staff Member Responsible
BETTER FINANCING OF SOCIAL SECURITY	3/10/75	Dunham/Cavanaugh/Needham and Quern
REVIEW OF DC COMMITTEES	3/12/75	Cannon/Connor
CATALYTIC CONVERTERS	3/13/75	Duval
FOOD STAMP PROGRAM	3/6/75	Duval
DEREGULATIONS ICC TRUCKING	3/19/75	
BICENTENNIAL VISITOR CENTER - GEORGE ROGERS CLARK PARK - VICENNES, INDIANA	3/22	Hullin/Duval/Ross
RDX PLANT IN INDIANA	3/18/75	Falk
INCOME SUPPLEMENT PROGRAM - Briefing by Secretary Wein- berger. The President asked DC to see how project can fit into proposals, speeches, public hearings around the country & program for submission in 1976 SOTU.	3/25/75	
RR REVITALIZATION The President directed DC to proceed with next step (Energy/Economy Meeting)	3/28/75 f/	Duval completed
REVIEW OF CATEGORICAL GRANTS & FED./STATE RELATIONSHIPS	3/31/75	Cavanaugh Vereren

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NO FAULT INSURANCE and Coleman's upcoming	3/31/75	Parsons /
testimony	for	urned to Parsons fully State by State luation)
WORK IN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS - GET BACK- GROUND TO DUNLOP & CONNOR	4/12/75	Cavanaugh
FOOD STAMPS (Pres. told Cavanaugh to have by 4/30)	4/18/75	Ross/Quern/Duval
OPTION PAPERS FROM DC & OMB on EED. NO FAULT INSURANCE (Rumsfeid fr 8:00 a.m. Meeting) ASAP	4/23	Parsons
(ONGOING) DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM Overall Federal effort in the prevention and treatment of drug abuse	4/24 P approved plan	Parsons T
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TITLE IX Revision of Title IX Regulation & Need to Develop Consolidated Procedural Regulation for Departmental Civil Rights Activities	4/24	Parsonş (Staffed Friday)
NON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (f/President) 1. What benefits are constitutionally possible under existing	4/28	Dunham/Cavanaugh
statutes. 2. What new areas might non-public schools receive benefits.		R. FORD
SCHELLES.		

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VETO MESSAGE ON FARM BILL to Hill on Thursday Briefing THORSDAY morning	4/30/75	Paul Theis & Senior Staff
REGULATORY REVIEW GROUP Proposal	4/30/75	Rod Hills T
RECOMMENDATION on what might be done to amend E.O. that bands use of poison against coyotes	5/1/75	Cannon
CRIME POLICY - Put together comprehensive package of pro- posals consistent w/the poli-	4/25/75	Parsons

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Attached is the revised report. JMC has the original.

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