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2:15 PM - Presidential
LEAA meeting Oval office
30 minutes

Tuesday, May 27

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 27, 1975

MEETING WITH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Tuesday, May 27, 1975

2:15 p.m. (30 min.)

The Cabinet Room

From: Jim Cannon

I. PURPOSE

To discuss the reauthorization of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA).

II. BACKGROUND, PARTICIPATION & PRESS PLAN

- A. Background: The funding authorization for LEAA expires on June 30, 1976. Under the requirements of the new Budget Reform Act of 1974, reauthorization legislation must be submitted to the Congress this year.

The Attorney General has submitted for consideration draft legislation to continue the program through 1981. This proposal, together with other options, are set forth in more detail in a memo from Jim Lynn, which is attached.

- B. Participants: The Attorney General (or Richard Velde, LEAA Administrator), Phil Buchen, Robert Hartmann, Jack Marsh, Jim Lynn, Jim Cannon, Max Friedersdorf, Bob Goldwin, Ken Lazarus and Dick Parsons.

- C. Press Plan: White House photographer.

III. TALKING POINTS

1. The question before us concerns the reauthorization of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration in the Department of Justice.
2. Jim (Cannon), why don't you get us underway?

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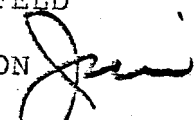
WASHINGTON

May 23, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

DON RUMSFELD

FROM:

JIM CANNON 

SUBJECT:

Crime Message Schedule

Here's the latest schedule on development of the President's Crime Message:

1. Options paper to the President for decision on remaining issues -- Friday, May 23. (One day behind)
2. Meeting with the President to discuss remaining issues -- May 26 or 27.
3. Draft Message distributed to key participants and sent to Presidential party in Europe -- Saturday, May 31.
4. Final Message ready for President's review -- Wednesday, June 4.
5. Message ready for transmittal to the Congress -- June 5.