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Dr. William Hargus
Chairman, National Advisory
Commission on Oceans &
Atmosphere

July 24, 1975

4:00 p.m. Mr. Cannon's Office

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 24, 1975

JMC:

You are meeting with Dr. Hargus at the request of Jack Marsh.

Marsh's office has no background papers on this meeting, but believes Marsh may have covered it with you verbally.

Attached is what info I was able to obtain on the National Advisory Committee on Oceans & Atmosphere.

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Independent

AUTHORITY: P. L. 92-125, of August 16, 1971

METHOD: Appointed by the President

MEMBERS: TWENTY-FIVE, who may not be full-time officers or employees of the U.S. and shall be drawn from State and local government, industry, science, and other appropriate areas.

CHAIRMAN &
VICE CHAIRMAN: Designated by the President

TERM: THREE YEARS - except that in the case of initial members:
NINE shall be appointed for a term of ONE year,
EIGHT shall be appointed for a term of TWO years, and
EIGHT shall be appointed for a term of THREE years.

Vacancies shall be filled for the remainder of the term. A Member may serve after the expiration of his term until his successor has taken office. (HOLDOVERS)

SALARY: Members shall be entitled to receive compensation at rates not to exceed \$100 per diem, including traveltime, while serving away from their homes or regular places of business, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, and they may be allowed travel expenses.



NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON OCEANS AND ATMOSPHERE

Independent

PURPOSE:

Undertake a continuing review of the progress of the marine and atmospheric science and service programs of the U.S. and advise the Secretary of Commerce with respect to the carrying out of the purposes of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

REPORT:

The Advisory Committee shall submit a comprehensive annual report to the President and to the Congress setting forth an overall assessment of the status of the Nation's marine and atmospheric activities and shall submit other reports as may from time to time be requested by the President. Each such report shall be submitted to the Secretary of Commerce who shall, within 90 days after receipt thereof, transmit copies to the President and to the Congress, with his comments and recommendations. The annual report required shall be submitted on or before June 30 of each year, beginning June 30, 1972.

NOTE:

The Secretary of Commerce shall make available to the Advisory Committee such staff, information, personnel and administrative services and assistance as it may reasonably require to carry out its activities.

