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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN...



OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT  
WASHINGTON

August 8, 1974

ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR Robert T. Hartmann

Don Clausen called me this morning to say that Bill Harsha is seriously considering resigning his seat in Congress or not standing for reelection. Clausen believes it would be helpful to Harsha in making his decision, if Harsha could receive a call from the Vice President asking him to continue in office and to run for reelection in November. Apparently, Harsha is distressed by the recent turn of events and wants to retire from politics.

*Cong.*

WILLIAM E. CASSELMAN II  
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NOTE FOR THE RECORD:

THE PRESIDENT SPOKE TO CONGRESSMAN HARSHA at 4:17 P.M. ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 1974.