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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 16, 1974

ADMINISTRATIVELY CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: WILLIAM E. TIMMONS
FROM: JERRY H. JONES
SUBJECT: Recommended Telephone Calls
to Senators Byrd and Cranston

Your recommended telephone calls to Senators Byrd and Cranston to thank them for their leadership on invoking cloture on the Trade bill has been reviewed and the following notation was made:

-- I did on both.

cc: Don Rumsfeld

12/16/74

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN. *dy*

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 13, 1974

I did on both

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALLS

TO: Senator Robert Byrd (D-W. Va.)
Senator Alan Cranston (D-Ca)

RECOMMENDED BY: William E. Timmons **BT**

PURPOSE: To thank them for their leadership on invoking cloture on the Trade bill today.

- BACKGROUND:
1. The Senate by a vote of 71-19 closed debate on the Trade bill and thereby restricted amendments to those that are germane.
 2. Senator Bob Byrd was acting leader in Mansfield's absence and worked hard on this vote.
 3. Senator Alan Cranston was perhaps the most articulate and effective Democrat in lining up votes on the majority side of the aisle.

- TALKING POINTS:
1. Congratulations on the cloture vote today. It was a job well done and I know that its success was due in great measure to your own leadership efforts.
 2. Do you think we can move forward now and pass the bill soon?

NOTE: PRESIDENT MAY WISH TO RAISE ROCKEFELLER SWEARING IN SENATE WITH T.V. WHEN HE TALKS TO BOB BYRD.