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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE VICE PRESIDENT  
JAMES CANNON

FROM: THE PRESIDENT

DATE: March 25, 1975

In November, 1974, Secretary Weinberger presented a detailed briefing on an Income Supplement Program to replace "all welfare." It had merit but I suggested HEW come up with how a general tightening or reform of existing Welfare could be done and the potential benefits, if any.

I finally reviewed the attached, but in interim other problems have overtaken us.

I suggest Domestic Council review and see how this project can fit into our proposed speech, public hearings around country, and program for submission in 1976 State of Union.

Such national hearings might generate the needed public support which I don't think would exist now for ISP.

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GRF:Downton

*No enclosure attached.*

Central Files:

The President asked me to personally deliver the attached memo to Mr. Cannon's office along with the enclosure.

- Dorothy

Vice Pres. / Jim Cannon

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