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THE WHITE HOUSE

April 11, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

DONALD RUMSFELD

VIA:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

JIM CONNOR

THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO YALE LAW SCHOOL New Haven, Connecticut Friday, April 25, 1975

Attached at TAB A is the Proposed Schedule developed as a result of a Pre-Advance conducted on April 11, 1975.

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Attached at TAB B is the Personnel Breakdown.

BACKGROUND

Yale Law School was founded in 1824, and its 150th anniversary is being celebrated with two convocations during the current academic year. The first, held last November, was attended by alumni from all over the country, including Supreme Court Justices White and Stewart, the latter of whom delivered the principal address. The President will be attending the second convocation.

The 7000 alumni of Yale Law School and other guests have been invited to participate in the convocation. Activities begin on Friday, with several afternoon seminars on legal matters. A General Reception at Beinicke Library for approximately 750 attendees will be held concurrently with the Presidential Reception. Since Air Force One cannot land at Tweed-New Haven Airport, travel to Yale will include Air Force One to Bradley International Airport and helicopters to Yale University. Since the length of the motorcade from Bradley to Yale would be in excess of one hour, it is felt that the added cost of the police protection and extra time involved does not warrant the use of a motorcade.

MRS. FORD

Yale University has invited Mrs. Ford to attend the Reception and Dinner with the President. Will Mrs. Ford accompany the President?

YES MC. T. NO

PERSONNEL BREAKDOWN

STAFF

Which of the following staff will accompany the President to Yale?

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NOTE: Since helicopter transportation will be utilized, seats will be at a premium -- an aggregate of 18 seats for the President, his guests and staff.

GUESTS

Phil Buchen has asked that the following Yale Law School graduates be considered to accompany the President. Who should be invited to travel to Yale?

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| Attorney General Levi Secretary Hills | <u> </u> | |
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Max Friedersdorf recommends, and we concur, that the entire Connecticut Congressional delegation be invited to accompany the President on Air Force One and that only Senators Ribicoff and Weicker and Rep. Robert Giamo (D-New Haven) be invited to ride on Army One to Yale.

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