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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON


May 3, 1975

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

DON RUMSFELD
MAX FRIEDERSDORF

FROM:

JERRY JONES 

The attached was returned in the President's outbox with the following notation:

-- Look at #5. A Conservative.

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WASHINGTON

Don R / M of F.

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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN *MB*.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 2, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF *MB*

SUBJECT: Congressional Mail

For your information, I am attaching the log of Congressional mail received on May 1.

This mail is being handled routinely by my office.

cc: Don Rumsfeld

Senate

1. S Barry Goldwater Highly commends the President for his speech delivered in New Orleans.
2. S Alan Cranston Conveys the interest of his constituents in the the President's issuing a call for White House Conference on Library and Information Services as soon as possible; asks that the President make his appointments to the Advisory Committee of the Conference so that work on the planning and conducting of the Conference can begin.
3. S Bill Brock Recommends that Joseph H. Torrence be appointed as Assistant Secretary for Housing Production and Mortgage Credit - FHA Commissioner.
4. S Jesse Helms Thanks the President for the courtesy shown to his constituents at the recent White House briefing on Private Education.
5. S Quentin Burdick Asks that the President send wedding anniversary message to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ollman.
6. S Charles McC. Mathias Supports invitation to the President to speak at the Commencement Exercises at the Walter Johnson High School on June 9.
7. S Paul Laxalt Recommends that Maryan E. Reynolds be appointed to the National Commission on Library and Information Services.
8. S Dewey Bartlett Hopes that the President will accept invitation to be principal speaker at the dedication of the Kaw Dam on May 21-22, 1976.
9. S Henry Bellmon Urges the President to call the White House Conference on Library and Information Services as soon as possible.
10. S Missouri Congressional Delegation. Urge that prompt approval be given to Governor Bond's request that several Missouri counties damaged by the April 23-24 tornado be declared a disaster area.

House

1. Gene Taylor Endorses Governor Bond's request that the President declare the areas of Missouri, which were hit by the tornado on April 24, eligible for disaster assistance.
2. James A. Haley Recommends that Representative Phillip Burton be appointed to the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Puerto Rico.
3. James H. Scheuer Asks that the President call the White House Conference on Library and Information Services as soon as possible.
4. James J. Florio Asks that a Presidential message be sent to Miss Caroline Reutter who is celebrating her 50th year in teaching.
5. William Armstrong 7 Is concerned about the continued employment of Michael Balzano as Director of ACTION; charges have been brought to his attention by people whose judgment he respects, e. g. , philosophically incompatible with the Administration, lacking in administrative ability, improper personnel practices, and that he is literally wrecking the agency.
6. Carl D. Perkins Recommends that L. J. Andolsek be reappointed to the Civil Service Commission.
7. William Ketchum Is deeply concerned about the President's support for the House Armed Service Committee's amendment to H. R. 49, (H. R. 5919). Feels that it is totally unnecessary to restrict the oil and gas proposals from the Naval Petroleum Reserves for exclusive use by the Armed Services, as the Armed Service Committee suggests. Believes that it is imperative in the event of some future embargo, we have an available supply of gas and oil.
8. James Blanchard At the request of the Jewish Community Council of Metropolitan Detroit, forwards several petitions regarding the oppressive treatment of Syrian Jews.

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9. Charles Bennett Encloses correspondence from his constituent concerning the position of the U. S. in the world as it approaches its 200th anniversary celebration.
10. John E. Moss Says that the Consumer Product Safety Act established the Consumer Product Safety Commission as an explicitly independent regulatory agency, and is upset that the Civil Service Commission continues to opine that no policy-making non-executive assignment can be approved without White House clearance of the individual candidate.
11. William Ford On May 15 and 16, the Congressman will be hosting the annual Washington Conference on Municipal Officials from his District; would appreciate it if the President would stop by the Rayburn building and greet the delegates.
12. James Hanley Asks that the President send birthday greetings to Mrs. R. J. Possemato.
13. Floyd Spence Recommends that John R. Brooks, Jr. be appointed to a committee to make recommendations concerning amateur sports in our country.
14. John D. Dingell Warmly appreciates the President's invitation for May 8, but unfortunately will be unable to accept; hopes to be able to join "with you on other occasions."
15. James J. Florio Recommends that Frank Rodio, Jr. be appointed to the White House Conference on the Handicapped.
16. Jerry Litton Recommends that Dr. Benedict K. Zobrist be appointed to the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation.