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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 23, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CONNOR  
FROM: DICK CHENEY

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The attached should go into the President's personal files.

Consider it out box.

Attachment

6/6/75  
Read to V.P.  
"more than anyone"  
"went further  
than he could  
have."

My great admiration for Nelson Rockefeller is very well known. I selected him for Vice President because I respected his judgment, experience and ability. I wanted a "good partner" for a Vice President and he exceeded my expectations. He has done a fine job in every way.

Both of us in these coming months will be submitting ourselves to the will of the delegates to the Republican National Convention in 1976. I am confident both of us can convince the delegates that individually and as a team we should be renominated.

"Mr. President - You haven't answered the question as to whether you're dumping Rockefeller."

The President -- I have answered the question. I will be for the Vice President for renomination.

The delegates will make the decision.