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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 14, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF *M.L.F.*

SUBJECT: Tiger Teague

MR7

Tiger requested personally that you be alerted that Reagan is stirring up the MIA issue again with inflammatory speeches, raising false hopes with MIA families.

Tiger expects the issue to be further exasperated later this month by an MIA convention in Washington.

Teague also was critical of Secretary Schlesinger's handling of the issue and quoted Jim as responding to a recent inquiry, "I don't know enough about the issue to talk about it."

Teague suggested your appointment of a civilian investigatory panel might lay the issue to rest.

Tiger says the MIA group has great confidence in Jack Marsh, but have lost faith in the Department of Defense.