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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 29, 1975

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

MILT FRIEDMAN

FROM:

JIM CONNOR

The attached article from THE WALL STREET JOURNAL of September 26, 1975 was returned in the President's outbox with the following notation:

'Please note story on price of
wheat''

Please follow-up with appropriate action.

cc: Don Rumsfeld

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Matt Friedman

Plead note
story on price of
wheat.

Flour Price Increased By 3 Biggest Firms; Wheat Cost Rise Cited

By a WALL STREET JOURNAL Staff Reporter

MINNEAPOLIS—The three largest U.S. flour producers raised the price of all-purpose flour paid by supermarket chains to about \$18.82 per 100 pounds.

The new price represents an 80-cent increase in the price listed by International Multifoods Corp. and General Mills Inc. and a \$1 increase by Pillsbury Co.

They blamed the increases on higher wheat prices. The flour prices are still fractionally below year-ago levels, they said. There have been three flour-price decreases and two increases in that time.
