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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

ACTION

June 17, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: JAMES E. CONNOR *JEC*

SUBJECT: CABINET AGENDA - JUNE 18, 1976

Three items have been proposed for the agenda for the Cabinet meeting to be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, June 18th.

- 1. A discussion of the political situation - Rog Morton and Jim Baker - 20 minutes.

The discussion would focus on three specific areas: current situation, prospects and strategy, and demands which will be made on members of the Cabinet in the period from now through November.

Approve *JEC* Disapprove _____

- 2. A discussion of your position on busing - The President and the Attorney General - 20 minutes.

Yesterday the Attorney General held a press conference and outlined some of the details of the proposed legislation that he is recommending. It is important that the Cabinet be knowledgeable about your position and that they hear about it from you firsthand so that they can be effective in speaking about it and taking questions once your proposal is transmitted to the Congress next week.

Approve *JEC* Disapprove _____

- 3. The situation in Lebanon - Secretary Kissinger and Gen. Scowcroft - 20 minutes.

The recent events in Lebanon, including the death of the Ambassador and the Economic Counselor, as well as the prospect for significant

action in the next few days suggests that Lebanon will be a major item that would be of interest to the members of the Cabinet, particularly in their roles as advocates for your program.

Approve *KAC*

Disapprove _____