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September 6, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

ELISKA HASEK

FROM:

DICK CHENEY

On Thursday, September 16th, Judge Fred Winner, U. S. District Court, Denver, Colorado, will be swearing-in 1,000 or more new United States American citizens. The President wants a nice letter or message sent to the Citizenship Class that is suitable for the Judge to read at the swearing-in ceremony.

It should go out immediately so that Judge Winner has it well before the 16th. Once it's mailed, you should let Kathie Berger know so that we can call Judge Winner and let him know it's on the way.

The message should be sent to the following address:

Citizenship Class

c/oThe Honorable Fred Winner

United States District Judge

220 United States Courthouse

Denver, Colorado 80202

In addition to that, make certain a very nice letter is written to Mr. Pepi Gramshammer, who is one of those being sworn-in on the 16th, and also a close, personal friend of the President and Mrs. Ford, that's suitable for recognizing his willingness to become a United States citizen. If you will get this letter to me, I'll have the President personally sign the letter. His address is simply Vail, Colorado 81657

✓occ: Jim Connor

Dick Chency Wrogest Domporton On either Sept 14 or 16th (2m mt certain) (Judge Fred Winner, 4.5. Outet Of in Denver will Awter in a 1000 or more new 4.5. cityens moluling Papi Bramshemmer. The Judge will read a statement from me to the new citypo plus a 300 I their friends of he wants to do so. Have some one propose the or statement for this purpose -It would be nice, if appropriate, to justings mention Pepi.