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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President and Prime Minister Trudeau met for 60 minutes this afternoon in the Oval Office following the presentation in the Rose Garden of Canada's Bicentennial gift, the book BETWEEN FRIENDS/ENTRE AMIS, a photographic study of the U. S. /Canadian border. Minister of Finance Donald Macdonald, Special Assistant to the Prime Minister Ivan Head, Canadian Ambassador Jack H. Warren, Secretary of State Kissinger, U. S. Ambassador to Canada Thomas Enders and Brent Scowcroft participated in this afternoon's meeting.

The President and the Prime Minister addressed a number of issues in today's meeting, which they both welcomed as part of their continuing consultations since 1974. They had a general review of bilateral relations and spent some time discussing the summit to be held in Puerto Rico on June 27-28. Both leaders agreed that the summit consultations should contribute importantly to advancing the shared objectives of the industrialized democracies.

The President and the Prime Minister also reviewed a number of international subjects, including matters relating to the Atlantic Alliance, nuclear non-proliferation and North/South relations.

The President will give a dinner for Prime Minister Trudeau this evening on the Sequoia.

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