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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President met in the Cabinet Room from 3:33 p.m. to 5:10 p.m. with AFL-CIO President George Meany. Other participants were:

Lane Kirkland - Secretary/Treasurer - AFL-CIO
Thomas W. Gleason, President of International Longshoremen's
Association

Mel Barisk, Secretary/Treasurer, National Maritime Union Jesse T. Calhoon, President, National Marine Engineers Beneficial Association

Paul Hall, President, Seafarers! Union

Secretary of Labor John T. Dunlop
William Seidman, Assistant to the President for Economic Affairs
Paul McAvoy, Member, Council of Economic Advisers
James Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget
General Brent D. Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant to the President for
National Security Affairs

The meeting explored the matters of grain exports, living costs, and maritime issues. This was a preliminary meeting. No decisions were made. There will be further meetings between Administration officials and Mr. Meany and his associates. The President will participate in the future meetings as appropriate.