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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

James T. Lynn

Subject: Pending legislation that should be enacted this session of Congress

In response to your request this morning I am attaching a list of major Administration legislation pending on the Hill which is necessary or desirable to get enacted this session of Congress and which have a reasonable chance of enactment.

I should add that there is a possibility that the congressionally-passed versions of the legislation may in some cases warrant veto consideration.

Copies of the memorandum and the attached list have been given to Max Friedersdorf and Jack Marsh.

Attachment

Agriculture

U.S. Grain Standards Act amendments

Appalachian Regional Commission

Appalachian Regional Development Act extension

Energy Research and Development Administration

Appropriation authorization

Federal Energy Administration

Natural Gas Emergency Standby Act Omnibus energy legislation

Health, Education, and Welfare

Technical changes in method of determining supplementary medical insurance premium Comprehensive Health Professions Education Act

Labor

Common situs picketing Construction Industry Collective Bargaining Act

Office of Management and Budget

Price Reduction Act (repeal of fair trade laws) Recreate Presidential Science Adviser

Office of Telecommunications Policy

Public Broadcasting Financing Act

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Foreign Assistance Act (development and security assistance)

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Transportation

Airport and Airway Development Act Railroad Revitalization Act Local Rail Service Amendments Northeast corridor rail passenger service Federal-Aid Highway Act

Treasury

New York City Seasonal Financing Act (not yet transmitted) Tax reduction 2

Appropriation Bills

Defense

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Interior and Related

a/Labor-HEW and Related

Public Works and AEC

First Supplemental

Extension of Continuing Resolution to March 31, 1976

a/ It is possible that on Monday, December 1, we should know whether this will be coming to the White House this session or not because a resolution of the busing question is expected then.

THE WHITE HOUSE

INFORMATION

WASHINGTON

September 23, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

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THE PRESIDENT JIM CANNON Legislation Passed by Congress

Following is a brief listing of the major bills passed by Congress and not yet acted upon by you as of 9:00 a.m., Thursday, September 23, 1976:

- A. Bills Passed by Congress But Not Yet Sent to the White House
 - 1. H.R. 10612 Tax Reform Act of 1976

Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House. Due 4:00 p.m. today.

Description: Comprehensive, complex revision of the tax laws.

 <u>H.R. 15193</u> - Appropriations for the District of of Columbia, 1977

> Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House.

3. <u>H.R. 14299</u> - Veterans Disability Compensation and Survivor Benefits Act of 1976

> Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House .

Description: To increase the rates of disability compensation for disabled veterans, and to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for their survivors. 4. <u>H.R. 14298</u> - The Veterans and Survivors Pension Adjustment Act of 1976

Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House.

<u>Description</u>: To increase the rates of disability and death pension and to increase the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for parents.

5. <u>H.R. 13325</u> - An Act to amend the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973

> Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House.

Description: To authorize additional appropriations for the U.S. Railway Association.

6. <u>H.R. 15194</u> - Appropriations for Public Works Employment/Counter-cyclical.

> Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House.

- Description: To make appropriations for the Public Works and Counter-Cyclical bill which you vetoed earlier this year; the veto was overriden.
- 7. <u>H.R. 12987</u> Emergency Jobs Programs Extension Act of 1976

Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House.

Description: To make appropriations for Title VI of CETA.

8. <u>H.R. 11722</u> - To amend Title 18 of the United States Code to prohibit deprivation of employment or other benefit for political contribution.

> Status: Passed by Congress; not yet received by White House.

- B. <u>Major Bills Passed by Congress and Pending With the</u> White House
 - <u>H.R. 8603</u> Postal Reorganization Act Amendments of 1976

Status: With President

Description: To authorize emergency subsidies of \$500 million each for 1976 and 1977 for the Post Office.

Last Day for Action: Friday, September 24, 1976

 H.R. 13655 - Automotive Transport Research and Development Act of 1976

Status: Staffing

<u>Description</u>: To direct the Energy Research and Development Administration to award grants for research and development leading to the development of advanced automobile propulsion systems.

Last Day for Action: Saturday, September 25, 1976

3. <u>S. 327</u> - Act to amend the Land and Water Conservation Act of 1965

Status: Staffing

Description: Increase funding incrementally from current annual level of \$300 million to a top level of \$900 million by 1980, and establishes an Historic Preservation Fund. 40% of the Fund goes towards Federal land acquisition and 60% goes for matching State and local growth for acquisition and development.

Last Day for Action: Tuesday, September 28, 1976

4. S. 3283 - The Reclamation Authorizations Act of 1976

Status: Staffing

Description: Authorizes funds for repairs and construction of six water resource projects.

Last Day for Action: Tuesday, September 28, 1976

5. <u>S. 2184</u> - The Olympic Winter Games Authorization Act of 1976

Status: With OMB

Description: To authorize appropriations for the winter Olympic games in 1980.

Last Day for Action: Wednesday, September 29, 1976

6. <u>H.R. 366</u> - The Public Safety Officers' Benefits Act of 1976

Status: With OMB

<u>Description</u>: To provide benefits to survivors of certain public safety officers who die in the performance of duty.

Last Day for Action: Wednesday, September 29, 1976

7. <u>H.R. 14232</u> - An Act to make appropriations for the Departments of Labor, and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1977.

Status: With OMB

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Description: Appropriates approximately \$4 billion above Administration request and includes amendment restricting use of Federal funds for abortions.

Last Day for Action: Wednesday, September 29, 1976

8. <u>H.R. 8532</u> - The Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976

Status: With OMB

Description: Authorizes state attorney generals to bring antitrust suits (parens patriae) on behalf of citizens, requires notification of mergers, and strengthens government antitrust powers.

Last Day for Action: Thursday, September 30, 1976

9. S. 522 - The Indian Health Care Improvement Act

Status: With OMB

<u>Description</u>: To improve the services and facilities of Federal Indian health programs and to encourage maximum participation of Indians in such programs.

Last Day for Action: Friday, October 1, 1976

10. <u>S. 2371</u> - An Act to provide for regulation of mining activity within, and the repeal of the application of mining laws to areas of the National Park System.

Status: With OMB

Description: Provides for a moratorium on new mining entries in the six remaining National Parks that have mining, and prescribes regulations for mining in the National Park System. We have not opposed the bill except for the inclusion of Glacier National Park in Alaska.

Last Day for Action: Saturday, October 2, 1976

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> FRIDAY AUGUST 1, 1975 8:45 PM

TO: RICHARD CHENEY FROM: JACK MARSH

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY: FINAL

- 1. SENATE NO SIGNIFICANT ACTION, EXCEPT ON DEFENSE CONFERENCE REPORT - PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. LONG "WINDFALL TAX" BILL DEFERRED TO SEPTEMBER.
- 2. HOUSE NO FURTHER ACTION ON TURKEY. FINAL CONSIDERATION OF HR 7014 DINGELL ENERGY BILL DEFERRED TO 3 SEP. COMMITTEE ROSE BEFORE COMPLETING BILL. NO OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTION.

NOTES

- 1. WAYNE HAYS ADVISES HE CAN NOT SUPPORT ADMINISTRATION ON TURKEY IF PRESIDENT CALLS CONGRESS BACK. HE WANTED US TO BE AWARE OF THIS.
- 2. DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP FEARS "POCKET VETO" OF S1849, PETROLEUM ALLOCATION EXTENSION ACT, AND MAY DELAY SEND-ING BILL TO WHITE HOUSE UNTIL LAST NINE (9) DAYS OF RECESS. THIS IS INFORMATION MAX PICKED UP ON HILL, AND WE ARE TRYING TO CHECK OUT.

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