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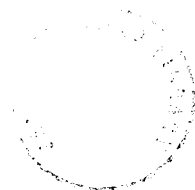
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 3, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: DICK CHENEY

FROM: JACK MARSH *Jack*

Cliff Hansen called me at home on Sunday afternoon in reference to the Administration offering to testify before the Senate Judiciary Committee in reference to the Divestiture Bill. Senator Eastland is trying to keep this bill in Committee, but Senator Eastland told me he was down by one vote in his efforts to do so.

Cliff Hansen called on behalf of Eastland and Hruska for us to get a witness to appear on behalf of the Administration.

You should be aware that Cliff was contacted, I am certain, by Bill Timmons for this purpose. Bill called me last Thursday about us offering a witness on the Divestiture Bill and I told him that the President made a very strong statement on divestiture in Texas. On Friday morning at the senior staff I brought up the question of Administration testimony without making any reference to the background call from Timmons.

Zarb advised me that the Administration had made an attempt to testify on this bill, but an effort was rebuffed. I gather this resistance came from the Subcommittee Chairman handling this, possibly Senator Hart. In all events, Zarb indicated at the senior staff meeting the testimony of the Administration was not sought.

When Cliff Hanse called me I gave him this report from Frank Zarb but told him I would get back into the matter and get back to him. I suggested that Frank Zarb call him; however, I overlooked at the time that Frank had left for an overseas trip and is not available.

I have given a copy of this memo to Russ with the request that he get in touch with John Hill and ask John Hill to call Cliff Hansen on this. However, I think it would be best not to mention the request from Timmons & Co. concerning this matter.

cc: Russ Rourke



November 9, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

FRANK ZARB

FROM:

JACK MARSH

Since the attached incoming correspondence falls in your area of concern, I would appreciate your recommendations.

Also, I would be grateful if you would respond in greater detail directly to Mr. Dargusch.

Would you please have your office forward a copy of your response to my office?

Many thanks.

JOM/dl



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FROM: JACK MARSH
TO: DICK CHENEY FOR
THE PRESIDENT

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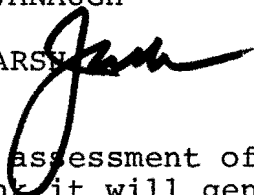
WASHINGTON

December 28, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

DICK CHENEY
JIM CAVANAUGH

FROM:

JACK MARSH 

I have asked Frank Zarb for an assessment of the attached article because I think it will generate a number of questions.



New York Times

Tuesday, December 28, 1976

Energy From Waters

By David E. Lilienthal

There are also scores of dams in the Midwest in which turbines were never installed. Irrigation canals of the Far West and navigation locks on the Ohio



The Upper Yellowstone Falls, by Thomas Moran



FEA

January 6, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CANNON

FROM: JACK MARSH

SUBJECT: Energy Message to Congress

I am not familiar with the traditional or possible requirement of the Energy Message. Assuming it is traditional, or assuming there may be some Congressional requirement for its submission, then these requirements or tradition should be set forth in clear, compelling language in the first paragraph in order to avoid possible allegations as to why the President is making this Report.

I also making the following recommendations:

- Page 1, line 1, is "Arab oil embargo" the way to state this or should it be stated with more protocol?
- In light of the intense national concern being evidenced about tanker oil spills, I think some recognition of this problem by the President is in order even if only several sentences.
- Considering the strong ^{position} ~~expression~~ that the President has taken in the ~~energy~~ ^{energy} program for a program of rationing, should there not be some reiteration of his views on this matter?
- On page 21, I would suggest reversing the sentences in the second paragraph and put the health sentence before the economic sentence so that the former has the highest priority. I also suggest an adjective in front of national and in front of world on line 4, paragraph 2.
- I would also place stronger emphasis on environment and energy and bolster the energy/economic side with compelling statistics.



- On page 22, greater emphasis should be given to the work done by the states in handling strip mining as well as the impact on employment and production.
- I raise cautions about the President advocating a stand that tolerates risks. I believe the way this is stated on page 24 is not in the best context, but the same thought can be achieved using different language.
- The paragraph concerning Congressional jurisdiction is of vital importance. I would urge this be a separate topic and expanded, with the President calling a spade a spade on the problem of jurisdiction and how it has hamstrung legislative action.
- On page 25, are these listed in order of priority? If not, it should be noted that they are of near equal importance.
- On page 31, the President should not complain about split control because it hands the Majority Party a weapon by which they can argue there should never be a President from a Minority Party. Therefore, I opt for page 32, but add the first and second sentences only of paragraph 2, alternative 1.

cc: Glenn Schleede

JOM/dl

