

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 14, 1970

MEMORANDUM FOR

PAT MOYNIHAN

The President has reviewed your memo of April 8 recommending that he talk with the Postmaster General to see if he wouldn't use his influence with the Chamber of Commerce in attempting to get them to moderate their views on the Family Assistance Plan, and also to talk with some members of the Rules Committee with regard to the importance of the plan in an effort to stimulate more immediate action.

After reviewing your recommendation, the President decided against taking any action at this time since it would indicate a high degree of Presidential concern which could be used with great effect by the bill's opponents to generate perhaps sufficient effort to defeat the bill.


KEN COLE