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- THE SECRETARY OF STATE
- THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
- THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
- THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE
- THE COUNSELLOR TO THE PRESIDENT
- THE DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
- THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE
- THE UNITED STATES SPECIAL TRADE REPRESENTATIVE
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The following decisions have been made by the President based on discussions at the July 22, 1981 meeting of the National Security Planning Group:

US-USSR Grain Agreement:

• The current Five Year US-USSR Grain Agreement, scheduled to expire on September 30, 1981, shall be extended for a period of one year.

• While the current terms of the agreement requiring the Soviet Union to purchase 6 million tons of grain and allowing the purchase of up to 8 million tons without US approval shall pertain, the United States Special Trade Representative shall be given some flexibility with respect to these limits.

• The United States will remain open to the possibility of discussions regarding the negotiation of a new five-year agreement and an increase in the current limits in parallel with an evaluation of Soviet actions elsewhere in the world.

• In the event the United States decides to negotiate a new grain agreement with the Soviet Union, there will be no US guarantee against the imposition of embargoes.

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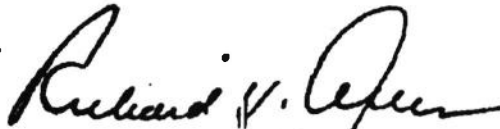
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Sale of Corn to Poland:

• Action shall be initiated for the purpose of extending \$60 million in new credits to Poland for the purchase of 400,000 metric tons of corn.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:



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