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MEMORANDUM FOR

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Cemetery for C. Everett Koop

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8/16/91

cf. to
Paul Richard
for J. P. P. P.

JAD's suggestions

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August 15, 1994

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Washington, D.C. 20301

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OK for Azure-

~~Good has been~~

- Lader would like this
done tonight, if possible.

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5:15

John-

This looks pretty weird.
Lader's office (Missy) says she
thinks this is to get keep on
board for health care bill (!)
& that Maggie & Joel K. have
signed off. ~~It is back in the~~
~~hand.~~

Todd

6:20pm 8/15

Lader wants

to walk in to President
for signature
(per Missy)

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Lader wants original
Back for dispatch

- DATE TODAY

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WASHINGTON

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Per JAD

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Koop Institute
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Dartmouth Medical School
Koop Institute
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Elizabeth DeCamp McInerny Professor
Dartmouth Medical School

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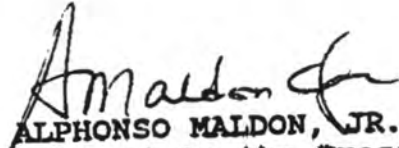
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 3, 1994

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT P. MCALEER
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

SUBJECT: Waiver for Burial at Arlington National Cemetery

This confirms for record purposes only that the President approved a waiver for the burial of Mrs. Warren Burger, wife of the former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, at Arlington. The office of White House Counsel has already passed this information to the U.S. Army Military District of Washington.


ALPHONSO MALDON, JR.
Deputy Assistant to the President and
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 25, 1993

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL B. SHERFIELD
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
SUBJECT: Waiver for Burial in Arlington National Cemetery

This confirms that the President has authorized interment of the late Justice Thurgood Marshall in Arlington National Cemetery.



JOHN A. GAUGHAN
Director
White House Military Office

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bill Clinton", with a long, sweeping underline.