NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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September 1, 1973

National Security Decision Memorandum 232

TO:

THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION

SUBJECT:

Maritime Access to Charleston, South Carolina

The President has approved the recommendation of the Secretary of Transportation reflected in his memorandum of April 19, 1973, that Warsaw Pact vessels and People's Republic of China vessels should be denied access to the port of Charleston, South Carolina.

Henry A. Kissinger

cc: The Secretary of State
The Secretary of Defense
The Attorney General

The Director of Central Intelligence

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