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TO: Governor Atiyeh

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FROM: Gerry Thompson *Gerry*

SUBJECT: Cabinet Meeting, Friday, March 26, 1982

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Leonard Kunzman: Provided an update on the gypsy moth problem. It appears they will not be able to complete their evaluation, therefore the decision will be delayed until sometime between the 7th and 10th of April. The initial FDA salmon recall cost the department \$7,000. FDA on March 22 announced a second recall from two other canneries.

Bill Young: If the federal government could get their construction dollars moving, there are several projects in Oregon that could start during this next summer.

Eldon Hout: LCDC has joined with 1000 Friends to see if there is a goal question at the Rajneesh establishment. Columbia County is still indicating their lack of willingness to participate in the land use planning process. Jim Ross will be meeting with the county commissioners personally.

John Lilly for Dave Talbot: Nothing to report.

Mike Miller: Reported a chemical spill in Clatsop County on state forestry lands. Apparently a helicopter which had been spraying underbrush failed to disconnect from the refueling tank when taking off. Both DEQ and Fish and Wildlife have been reviewing the situation and does not appear to be a major problem. The western spruce budworm spray project was turned down by the Emergency Board. The Forestry Department is asking the private landowners use their own dollars to set aside in a trust with the Forestry Department for future spraying. Most of the private landowners are indicating a willingness to participate. Many of the major industry landowners have not made an indication of their support as yet.

Jack Donaldson: The sport fishermen salmon season will be delayed several weeks. It appears the season will start June 12 with 114,000 fish quota. Once the fish quota is reached, the season will be closed which could be early in August. The shortening of the season is the result of the depressed runs of Coho salmon. This will create problems for the charter fishing boats in the coastal area. The Secretary of Commerce does not feel these restrictions are enough, primarily because of the Indian allocation which is 30,000 fish for both subsistence and ceremonial reasons. The Columbia River Hatchery funding problem

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is becoming more apparent. There is a need of \$3.5 million in federal funds for the fiscal year 1983 and it appears there will be less than \$1 million given. If this should be the case, it will require the closure of six or seven of the eight hatcheries on the Columbia River.