

November 14, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

DICK CHENEY

FROM:

DONALD RUMSFELD

This will confirm our understanding that as of the announcement by the President on November 3, 1975, you will serve in the post of Assistant to the President and fulfill the responsibilities which I have been performing, on an acting basis. I, of course, will be available to assist you, the President and the staff in any way possible, but the principle responsibility will be yours until I am sworn in as Secretary of Defense.

