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MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Fred Panzer

SUBJECT: Your Handling of Middle East Crisis

Gallup has a special release for Monday, June 12, 1967. It covers first reactions to the Middle East Crisis based on polls conducted just prior to the outbreak of fighting as well as on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

These polls give you a great vote of confidence among people with an opinion -- better than 3 to I approval of your handling. This should help to raise your overall job rating later this month.

Here are the figures:

LBJ Handling Middle East Crisis

47% Approve Disapprove 14% No Opinion 49%

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