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Nixon Urges World Business Choice: Trade With U.S. or Cuba—Not Both

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 27 (UPI)—Richard M. Nixon said today that Congress should adopt a resolution telling foreign businesses they will have to choose between doing business with the United States or with Cuba.

The former Vice President proposed the resolution at a Republican-sponsored breakfast attended by 2500 persons.

"If President Johnson does not act, I believe such action by the Congress is absolutely necessary," Nixon said. "This action should be firm but not belligerent."

Nixon noted that a British firm that sold buses to Cuba recently also sells cars to the United States. He said the company should be forced to choose one market or the other.

Nixon said Republicans "can and must" win the presidential election to give the Nation new leadership and "stem the tide" of communism in key areas of the world. He accused President Johnson of failing to take strong action regarding Cuba, Panama and South Viet-Nam.

Nixon came to Minneapolis for a meeting with one of his law firm's clients, Cargill, Inc., a grain trading firm that recently concluded the sale of 700,000 bushels of wheat to the Soviet Union.