What Agnew Paid For House Work

Washington

The government has quietly agreed to accept payment of \$1100 by former Vice President Spiro T. Agnew for nearly \$180,000 in improvements made to his Washington home at government expense, it was learned yesterday.

The agreement was signed April 12 by Agnew and General Services administrator Arthur W. Sampson. A copy of the agreement was made available by Representative John E. Moss (Dem-Calif.), who obtained it through an investigation by the General Accounting Office.

Under the agreement, Ag-

new agreed to pay \$400 for carpeting and \$700 for air - conditioning units installed in the house.

The agreement also called for removal by the government of some items with an estimated "recoverable value" of about \$20,000.

Moss questioned the legality of the agreement and said the government should share in any profit Agnew made on the sale of the house.

Agnew recently sold the house for a reported \$300,000 after having bought it 15 months earlier for \$190,000.

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