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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

November 5, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES G. ROSEBUSH

FROM:

Paul D. Thompson for
ROBERT M. KIMMITT

SUBJECT:

State Visit of the Grand Duke of Luxembourg --
Suggested Participants List for Mrs. Reagan's
Tea -- November 13, 1984

Attached at Tab A is State's suggested participants list for Mrs. Reagan's tea for Princess Josephine-Charlotte on November 13, 1984.

Attachment

Tab A - State's Suggested List

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MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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November 5, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

FROM: TYRUS W. COBB *TWC*SUBJECT: State Visit of the Grand Duke of Luxembourg --
Participants List for Mrs. Reagan's Tea

Attached at Tab I is a memo from you to James Rosebush forwarding State's suggested participants list for Mrs. Reagan's tea for Princess Josephine-Charlotte on November 13, 1984.

Bill Martin concurs.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memo to Rosebush at Tab I.

Approve *A*

Disapprove _____

Attachments

Tab I

Memo to Rosebush

Tab A - Suggested Participants List



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MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. MCFARLANE
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: State Visit of the Grand Duke of Luxembourg --
Proposed Guest List for White House Tea

Attached is a suggested guest list for the tea which Mrs. Reagan will host in honor of the Grand Duchess of Luxembourg on November 13, 1984, on the occasion of the Luxembourg state visit.

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Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachment: As stated.

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SUGGESTED GUEST LIST

TEA HOSTED BY MRS. REAGAN
NOVEMBER 13, 1984, 10:30 a.m.

Department of State Participants

Mrs. George P. Shultz
Mrs. John E. Dolibois (Winifred, wife of the United States
Ambassador to Luxembourg)

Luxembourg Participants

The Grand Duchess
Mrs. Jacques F. Poos (Monique, wife of the Foreign Minister)
Mrs. Paul Peters (Renee, wife of the Luxembourg Ambassador
to the United States)
Mrs. Christian Calmes (Anne Marie), Lady-in-Waiting

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YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESSES, ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, NANCY AND I WELCOME YOU TO THE UNITED STATES.

AMERICA AND LUXEMBOURG ARE BOUND TOGETHER BY THE GOLDEN CORDS OF FRIENDSHIP AND FAMILY. BEGINNING MORE THAN 100 YEARS AGO, THOUSANDS OF LUXEMBOURGERS MADE THE DIFFICULT JOURNEY ACROSS THE ATLANTIC TO THE SHORES OF THE NEW WORLD. MOST TRAVELLED FAR INLAND, AND THEY PLAYED A VITAL ROLE IN SETTLING THE PLAINS AND FORESTS OF MINNESOTA, ILLINOIS, IOWA, AND WISCONSIN. TODAY, IN THE HARDY TOWN OF ROLLINGSTONE, MINNESOTA, PEOPLE STILL CELEBRATE YOUR NATIONAL FESTIVALS AND SPEAK THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR COUNTRY. IT IS LITERALLY TRUE, YOUR HIGHNESS, THAT THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA AND LUXEMBOURG ARE COUSINS.

YET PERHAPS THE STRONGEST TIE BETWEEN US IS THE STURDY BOND OF COMMON IDEALS AND HERITAGE. FOR LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA SHARE THE GLORIOUS BACKGROUND OF WESTERN HISTORY -- ALL THE LESSONS THAT MEN LEARNED DURING THE CENTURIES-LONG PASSAGE TO CIVILIZATION. BOTH OUR NATIONS CHERISH TOLERANCE AND THE RULE OF LAW. BOTH ARE GUIDED BY THE WILL OF THE MAJORITY WHILE RESPECTING THE RIGHTS OF THE MINORITY. ABOVE ALL, BOTH OUR PEOPLES FIRMLY BELIEVE THAT MEN AND WOMEN CAN ONLY ACHIEVE PEACE, PROSPERITY, AND SELF-FULFILLMENT WHEN THEY LIVE IN LIBERTY. IN THE WORDS OF POPE JOHN PAUL II, "FREEDOM IS GIVEN TO MAN BY GOD AS A MEASURE OF HIS DIGNITY."

IN THE PAST, THE PEOPLE OF LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA HAVE STOOD TOGETHER -- AND FOUGHT TOGETHER -- IN THE NAME OF HUMAN LIBERTY.

YOUR HIGHNESS, YOU YOURSELF FOUGHT
SIDE-BY-SIDE WITH AMERICAN SOLDIERS AT
NORMANDY JUST 40 YEARS AGO. THE AMERICAN
THIRD ARMY, UNDER GENERAL GEORGE PATTON,
PLAYED A CENTRAL PART IN THE LIBERATION OF
LUXEMBOURG -- AND IN A GRAVEYARD OUTSIDE
LUXEMBOURG CITY, GENERAL PATTON AND MORE
THAN 5,000 AMERICAN TROOPS ARE LAID TO REST.

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TOGETHER STILL. LUXEMBOURG OFFERS STALWART
SUPPORT TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY
ORGANIZATION OF WHICH WE ARE BOTH MEMBERS.
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FIRMLY UNITED EUROPE. LUXEMBOURG HOSTS THE
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THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, AND THE COURT OF
JUSTICE.

JUST AS WE HAVE SHARED THE GREAT CHALLENGES OF THE PAST, SO LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA SHARE THE BRIGHT HOPES OF THE FUTURE. YOUR HIGHNESS, OUR PEOPLES ARE INDUSTRIOUS AND INNOVATIVE, AND DESPITE THE DIFFICULTIES THAT SO OFTEN GO WITH CHANGING ECONOMIC CIRCUMSTANCES, WE IN AMERICA ARE SEEING A SUSTAINED ECONOMIC EXPANSION, WHILE YOU IN LUXEMBOURG ARE EXPERIENCING THE GROWTH OF NEW INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES. IN FREEDOM, OUR PEOPLES ARE CONQUERING MATERIAL NEED AND MAKING BREAKTHROUGHS THAT WILL HELP MILLIONS TO LEAD LONGER, FULLER, AND HAPPIER LIVES.

YOUR HIGHNESSES, LUXEMBOURG IS A PROUD AND BEAUTIFUL LAND -- A COUNTRY OF LUSH FORESTS AND DRAMATIC VALLEYS, OF ROLLING FARMLAND AND VIGOROUS TOWNS.

IT IS OUR HONOR TO WELCOME LUXEMBOURG'S
BELOVED GRAND DUKE AND DUCHESS TO AMERICA,
AND IT IS OUR HOPE THAT, WHILE YOU ARE HERE,
YOU WILL COME TO SEE SOME OF OUR OWN
NATION'S BEAUTY AND PRIDE. MAY YOUR TIME
WITH US BE JOYFUL AND REWARDING.

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November 12, 1984
3:00 p.m.



PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: GRAND DUKE JEAN OF LUXEMBOURG
ARRIVAL CEREMONY
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1984

Your Royal Highnesses, on behalf of the American people, Nancy and I welcome you to the United States.

America and Luxembourg are bound together by the golden cords of friendship and family. Beginning more than 100 years ago, thousands of Luxembourgers made the difficult journey across the Atlantic to the shores of the New World. Most travelled far inland, and they played a vital role in settling the plains and forests of Minnesota, Illinois, Iowa, and Wisconsin. Today, in the hardy town of Rollingstone, Minnesota, people still celebrate your national festivals and speak the language of your country. It is literally true, Your Highness, that the people of America and Luxembourg are cousins.

Yet perhaps the strongest tie between us is the sturdy bond of common ideals and heritage. For Luxembourg and America share the glorious background of Western history -- all the lessons that men learned during the centuries-long passage to civilization. Both our nations cherish tolerance and the rule of law. Both are guided by the will of the majority while respecting the rights of the minority. Above all, both our peoples firmly believe that men and women can only achieve peace, prosperity, and self-fulfillment when they live in liberty. In the words of Pope John Paul II, "Freedom is given to man by God as a measure of his dignity."

In the past, the people of Luxembourg and America have stood together -- and fought together -- in the name of human liberty. Your Highness, you yourself fought side-by-side with American soldiers at Normandy just 40 years ago. The American Third Army, under General George Patton, played a central part in the liberation of Luxembourg -- and in a graveyard outside Luxembourg City, General Patton and more than 5,000 American troops are laid to rest.

Today, Luxembourg and America stand together still. Luxembourg offers stalwart support to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization of which we are both members. Your nation works tirelessly to keep the Western Alliance strong by keeping it vigorous -- and in particular by promoting a firmly united Europe. Luxembourg hosts the European Investment Bank, the secretariat of the European Parliament, and the Court of Justice.

Just as we have shared the great challenges of the past, so Luxembourg and America share the bright hopes of the future. Your Highness, our peoples are industrious and innovative. And despite the difficulties that so often go with changing economic circumstances, we in America are seeing a sustained economic expansion, while you in Luxembourg are experiencing the growth of new industries and services. In freedom, our peoples are conquering material need and making breakthroughs that will help millions to lead longer, fuller, and happier lives.

Your Highnesses, Luxembourg is a proud and beautiful land -- a country of lush forests and dramatic valleys, of rolling farmland and vigorous towns. It is our honor to welcome

Luxembourg's beloved Grand Duke and Duchess to America, and it is our hope that, while you are here, you will come to see some of our own Nation's beauty and pride. May your time with us be joyful and rewarding.

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STATE DINNER TOAST
GRAND DUKE JEAN OF LUXEMBOURG

YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESSES, EXCELLENCIES,
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

YESTERDAY, THE PEOPLE OF LUXEMBOURG
MARKED A GREAT DAY IN THE LIFE OF THEIR
NATION -- THE 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
ASCENSION TO THE THRONE OF HIS ROYAL
HIGHNESS, GRAND DUKE JEAN. YOUR HIGHNESS,
ON BEHALF OF ALL AMERICANS, PERMIT ME TO
GIVE YOU AND YOUR PEOPLE OUR HEARTFELT
CONGRATULATIONS.

IT IS A DEEP HONOR TO WELCOME YOU TO
THE WHITE HOUSE AS YOU BEGIN YOUR VISIT TO
OUR COUNTRY. PERMIT ME TO ADD THAT WHEN YOU
REACH CALIFORNIA, NANCY AND I WOULD LIKE YOU
TO GIVE THAT GREAT STATE OUR LOVE. YOU SEE,
AS THE RESULT OF A CERTAIN POLITICAL
EXERCISE THAT CONCLUDED A WEEK AGO, IT LOOKS
AS THOUGH WE WON'T BE LIVING BACK THERE
UNTIL 1989.

Comments Entertainment Thank you

LUXEMBOURG POSSESSES A THOUSAND YEARS AND MORE OF NATIONAL HISTORY. IT IS A BEAUTIFUL AND VARIED LAND, RANGING FROM THE FORESTED HILLS OF THE NORTH TO THE FERTILE PLAINS OF THE SOUTH. IT IS A PROSPEROUS COUNTRY, WITH A MIGHTY STEEL INDUSTRY AND DOZENS OF NEW INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES GATHERING STRENGTH. IT IS A NATION OF SELF-CONFIDENCE AND CHARM, WITH A GRACIOUS WAY OF LIFE BASED ON AN ABIDING LOVE OF FAMILY AND FREEDOM. LUXEMBOURG IS A PROUD AND ALLURING COUNTRY.

YET LUXEMBOURG ACQUIRES STILL GREATER STRENGTH AND VITALITY AS AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE FAMILY OF NATIONS. LUXEMBOURG WAS A FOUNDER OF BOTH THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION AND THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY.

IN YOUR FREE AND FAIR WORLD TRADE,
LUXEMBOURG HAS SET AN EXAMPLE FOR ALL
NATIONS TO FOLLOW -- AND SHOWN THE WORLD
THAT PROSPERITY COMES, NOT WITH LESS,
BUT MORE INTERNATIONAL TRADE.

INDIVIDUAL LUXEMBOURGERS HAVE RENDERED
OUTSTANDING DIPLOMATIC SERVICES. ROBERT
SCHUMAN, ONE OF THE LEADING ADVOCATES OF A
UNITED EUROPE, WAS A NATIVE OF YOUR COUNTRY.
JOSEPH (BECK) WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN BRINGING
THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY TO
LUXEMBOURG IN 1951. AND MEN LIKE GASTON
THORN AND PIERRE WERNER HAVE PLAYED
MEMORABLE ROLES IN WORLD DIPLOMACY.

OVER THE YEARS, RELATIONS BETWEEN
LUXEMBOURG AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE BEEN
THOSE OF CLOSE AND ABIDING FRIENDS. WE VIEW
WITH THE DEEPEST RESPECT YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS
TO NATO, INCLUDING THE REGISTRATION OF AWACS
AIRCRAFT AND YOUR SPLENDID EFFORTS DURING
THE REFORGER EXERCISES.

AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONSULTING CLOSELY WITH YOUR GOVERNMENT WHEN LUXEMBOURG ASSUMES THE PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY DURING THE LATTER HALF OF NEXT YEAR.

YOUR HIGHNESS, WE IN THE UNITED STATES ARE CONVINCED THAT THE WESTERN WORLD FACES A FUTURE OF STRENGTH AND PROSPERITY. IN RECENT YEARS, THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE STOOD TOGETHER AGAINST THE BLUFF AND BLUSTER OF OUR ADVERSARIES, AND BECOME MORE FIRMLY UNITED THAN EVER. AND ALTHOUGH ALL OF US HAVE PASSED THROUGH DIFFICULT PERIODS OF ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT, MANY OF OUR BASIC INDUSTRIES ARE BECOMING MORE EFFICIENT AND BREAKTHROUGHS IN HIGH TECHNOLOGY AND OTHER NEW FIELDS ARE LEADING OUR NATIONS INTO A TIME OF SUSTAINED GROWTH. FOR LUXEMBOURG, AMERICA, AND SO MANY OTHER FREE NATIONS, TODAY OUR FUTURE PROMISES NOT STAGNATION AND DECLINE BUT OPPORTUNITY AND HOPE.

TONIGHT AS WE LOOK TO OUR FUTURE, IT IS FITTING TO REMAIN MINDFUL OF OUR PAST.

FORTY YEARS AGO, YOUR HIGHNESS, AMERICANS AND LUXEMBOURGERS FOUGHT SIDE-BY-SIDE TO LIBERATE YOUR NATION. THROUGHOUT AMERICA TODAY THERE ARE THOUSANDS OF MEN WHO CAN STILL RECALL THE TEAR-STREAKED FACES OF YOUR PEOPLE WHEN THEY REALIZED THAT AT LONG LAST THEY WERE FREE.

TO ME, THE MOST MEMORABLE STORY IS ABOUT A STRAPPING YOUNG AMERICAN NAMED GEORGE (MERG-IN-THAWL-ER). FOR SEVERAL WEEKS, GEORGE WAS STATIONED IN THE VILLAGE OF ESCHWEILER. GEORGE HAD A WINNING PERSONALITY, AND BEFORE LONG THE GOOD PEOPLE OF ESCHWEILER TOOK HIM INTO THEIR HOMES AND HEARTS. THEY TOLD HIM WHAT LIFE IN THE VILLAGE HAD BEEN LIKE BEFORE THE WAR AND THEN DURING THE NAZI OCCUPATION.

Knows - PLS. JOIN "DAST" ROYAL
HIGHNESS "GRND DUKE⁶ & "LUGHES" "LUXEMBOURG."

GEORGE IN TURN OPENED HIS HEART /- TOLD THE
PEOPLE THAT HE WAS AN ONLY SON; /TOLD THEM
ALL HIS HOPES FOR WHEN THE WAR WAS OVER,
IN THOSE FEW WEEKS, A DEEP BOND FORMED
BETWEEN THE PEOPLE OF THAT ANCIENT VILLAGE
AND THE AMIABLE YOUNG YANK.

SOME TIME AFTERWARDS, THE PEOPLE OF
ESCHWEILER LEARNED THAT GEORGE HAD TAKEN
PART IN A FIERCE BATTLE ON THE PLAINS
BETWEEN LUXEMBOURG AND BELGIUM. IT WAS
CALLED THE BATTLE OF THE BULGE, AND IT COST
GEORGE (MERG-IN-THAWL-ER) HIS LIFE. TODAY,
40 YEARS LATER, THERE IS STILL A PLAQUE
HONORING GEORGE (MERG-IN-THAWL-ER) IN THE
ESCHWEILER VILLAGE CHURCH. IT READS SIMPLY:
"THIS ONLY SON DIED, THAT OTHERS' SONS MIGHT
LIVE IN LOVE AND PEACE."

YOUR HIGHNESS, TODAY OUR SONS AND
DAUGHTERS KNOW THAT PEACE, AND THE BOND
BETWEEN OUR NATIONS, /IS TRULY A BOND OF
LOVE.

The President has seen _____

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November 12, 1984
3:00 p.m.

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PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: GRAND DUKE OF LUXEMBOURG
STATE DINNER TOAST
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1984

Your Royal Highnesses, excellencies, ladies and gentlemen:

Yesterday, the people of Luxembourg marked a great day in the life of their nation -- the 20th anniversary of the ascension to the throne of His Royal Highness, Grand Duke Jean. Your Highness, on behalf of all Americans, permit me to give you and your people our heartfelt congratulations.

It is a deep honor to welcome you to the White House as you begin your visit to our country. Permit me to add that when you reach California, Nancy and I would like you to give that great State our love. You see, ^{as the result of a certain political exercise that} ~~after the way last week turned out, it~~ ^{concluded a week ago, it} looks as though we won't be living back ^{there} ~~home~~ until 1989.

Luxembourg possesses a thousand years and more of national history. It is a beautiful and varied land, ranging from the forested hills of the north to the fertile plains of the south. It is a prosperous country, with a mighty steel industry and dozens of new industries and services gathering strength. It is a nation of self-confidence and charm, with a gracious way of life based on an abiding love of family and freedom. Luxembourg is a proud and alluring country.

Yet Luxembourg acquires still greater strength and vitality as an active member of the family of nations. Luxembourg was a founder of both the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and the European Community. In your free and fair world trade, Luxembourg has set an example for all nations to follow -- and

shown the world that prosperity comes, not with less, but more international trade.

Individual Luxembourgers have rendered outstanding diplomatic services. Robert Schuman, one of the leading advocates of a united Europe, was a native of your country. Joseph Bech was instrumental in bringing the European Coal and Steel Community to Luxembourg in 1951. And men like Gaston Thorn and Pierre Werner have played memorable roles in world diplomacy.

Over the years, relations between Luxembourg and the United States have been those of close and abiding friends. We view with the deepest respect your contributions to NATO, including the registration of AWACS aircraft and your splendid efforts during the REFORGER exercises. And we look forward to consulting closely with your government when Luxembourg assumes the presidency of the Council of the European Community during the latter half of next year.

Your Highness, we in the United States are convinced that the Western world faces a future of strength and prosperity. In recent years, the Western allies have stood together against the bluff and bluster of our adversaries, and become more firmly united than ever. And although all of us have passed through difficult periods of economic adjustment, many of our basic industries are becoming more efficient, and breakthroughs in high technology and other new fields are leading our nations into a time of sustained growth. For Luxembourg, America, and so many other free nations, today our future promises not stagnation and decline, but opportunity and hope.

Tonight as we look to our future, it is fitting to remain mindful of our past. Forty years ago, Your Highness, Americans and Luxembourgers fought side-by-side to liberate your nation. Throughout America today, there are thousands of men who can still recall the tear-streaked faces of your people when they realized that at long last they were free.

To me, the most memorable story is about a strapping young American named George Mergenthaler [MERGE-in-thawl-er]. For several weeks, George was stationed in the village of Eschweiler. George had a winning personality, and before long the good people of Eschweiler took him into their homes and hearts. They told him what life in the village had been like before the war -- and then during the Nazi occupation. George in turn opened his heart -- told the people that he was an only son; told them all his hopes for when the war was over. In those few weeks, a deep bond formed between the people of that ancient village and the amiable young Yank.

Some time afterwards, the people of Eschweiler learned that George had taken part in a fierce battle on the plains between Luxembourg and Belgium. It was called the Battle of the Bulge, and it cost George Morgenthaler his life. Today, 40 years later, there is still a plaque honoring George Morgenthaler in the Eschweiler village church. It reads simply: "This only son died, that others' sons might live in love and peace."

Your Highness, today our sons and daughters know that peace, and the bond between our nations, is truly a bond of love.

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Ladies and gentlemen: Please join me in a toast to Their
Royal Highnesses, the Grand Duke and Duchess of Luxembourg.

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Your Highness, we in the United States are convinced that the Western world faces a future of strength and prosperity. In recent years, the Western allies have stood together against the bluff and bluster of our adversaries, and become more firmly united than ever. And although all of us have passed through difficult periods of economic adjustment, many of our basic industries are becoming more efficient, and breakthroughs in high technology and other new fields are leading our nations into a time of sustained growth. For Luxembourg, America, and so many other free nations, today our future promises not stagnation and decline, but opportunity and hope.

Tonight as we look to our future, it is fitting to remain mindful of our past. Forty years ago, Your Highness, Americans and Luxembourgers fought side-by-side to liberate your nation. Throughout America today, there are thousands of men who can still recall the tear-streaked faces of your people when they realized that at long last they were free.

To me, the most memorable story is about a strapping young American named George Mergenthaler [MERGE-in-thawl-er]. For several weeks, George was stationed in the village of Eschweiler. George had a winning personality, and before long the good people of Eschweiler took him into their homes and hearts. They told him what life in the village had been like before the war -- and then during the Nazi occupation. George in turn opened his heart -- told the people that he was an only son; told them all his hopes for when the war was over. In those few weeks, a deep bond formed between the people of that ancient village and the amiable young Yank.

Some time afterwards, the people of Eschweiler learned that George had taken part in a fierce battle on the planes between Luxembourg and Belgium. It was called the Battle of the Bulge, and it cost George Morgenthaler his life. Today, 40 years later, there is still a plaque honoring George Morgenthaler in the Eschweiler village church. It reads simply: "This only son died, that others' sons might live in love and peace."

Your Highness, today our sons and daughters know that peace, and the bond between our nations, is truly a bond of love.

Ladies and gentlemen: Please join me in a toast to Their
Royal Highnesses, the Grand Duke and Duchess of Luxembourg.

(ROBINSON)

NOVEMBER 13, 1984

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ENTERTAINMENT THANK YOU
GRAND DUKE JEAN OF LUXEMBOURG

TWYLA THARP, YOU'VE REDEFINED MODERN DANCE, MAKING IT A VITAL PART OF AMERICAN CULTURE. SINCE YOU BEGAN MAKING DANCES 20 YEARS AGO, YOUR TALENTS AS A CHOREOGRAPHER HAVE BEEN SOUGHT BY FILMMAKERS, TELEVISION PRODUCERS, AND SOME OF THE COUNTRY'S LEADING CLASSICAL BALLET COMPANIES, AND YOU HAVE CREATED MORE THAN 70 WORKS FOR YOUR OWN TWYLA THARP COMPANY.

YOUR STYLE IS INVENTIVE, ENERGETIC, AND UNFORGETTABLE. AND I KNOW I SPEAK FOR EVERYONE HERE WHEN I GIVE YOU OUR HEARTFELT THANKS.

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November 12, 1984

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PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: GRAND DUKE JÉAN OF LUXEMBOURG
ENTERTAINMENT THANK YOU
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1984

Twyla Tharp, you've redefined modern dance, making it a vital part of American culture. Since you began making dances 20 years ago, your talents as a choreographer have been sought by some of the country's leading classical ballet companies, and you have created more than 70 works for your own Twyla Tharp Company.

Your style is inventive, energetic, and unforgettable. And I know I speak for everyone here when I give you our heartfelt thanks.

Biff

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MEMORANDUM

TO: ROBERT MCFARLANE/JAMES ROSEBUSH (Coordinate with William Henkel)

FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

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TIME: November 13, 1984

DURATION:

LOCATION:

REMARKS REQUIRED: Yes

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

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MEMORANDUM FOR FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

FROM: JAMES S. ROSEBUSH *JSR*
SUBJECT: STATE VISIT OF GRAND DUKE JEAN
OF LUXEMBURG

In response to your note of February 23, 1984
Mrs. Reagan has selected Tuesday, November 13
as the most appropriate day for the State Visit of
Grand Duke Jean of Luxemburg.

cc: Gahl Hodges
Donnah Harrington

APPROVED FOR
Date 11/13/84
Time. State Visit
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Date 3/8/84 FJR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6 <i>Electon Day</i>	7	8	9	10
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February 23, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR: JAMES ROSEBUSH
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*
SUBJECT: State Visit of Grand Duke Jean of Luxemburg

As you know, a State Visit for Grand Duke Jean has been approved for November 1984. The Luxemburg government has asked that it be sometime between November 12 through 30, 1984. Since Thanksgiving falls on November 22, I would suggest that we keep that entire week free.

Could you please discuss this with Mrs. Reagan and let us know which date she would like this to be scheduled.

Thank you.

EF (ROBINSON)

NOVEMBER 13, 1984

Presidential Remarks:

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GRAND DUKE JEAN OF LUXEMBOURG

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YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESSES, ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, NANCY AND I WELCOME YOU TO THE UNITED STATES.

AMERICA AND LUXEMBOURG ARE BOUND TOGETHER BY THE GOLDEN CORDS OF FRIENDSHIP AND FAMILY. BEGINNING MORE THAN 100 YEARS AGO, THOUSANDS OF LUXEMBOURGERS MADE THE DIFFICULT JOURNEY ACROSS THE ATLANTIC TO THE SHORES OF THE NEW WORLD. MOST TRAVELLED FAR INLAND, AND THEY PLAYED A VITAL ROLE IN SETTLING THE PLAINS AND FORESTS OF MINNESOTA, ILLINOIS, IOWA, AND WISCONSIN. TODAY, IN THE HARDY TOWN OF ROLLINGSTONE, MINNESOTA, PEOPLE STILL CELEBRATE YOUR NATIONAL FESTIVALS AND SPEAK THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR COUNTRY. IT IS LITERALLY TRUE, YOUR HIGHNESS, THAT THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA AND LUXEMBOURG ARE COUSINS.

YET PERHAPS THE STRONGEST TIE BETWEEN US IS THE STURDY BOND OF COMMON IDEALS AND HERITAGE. FOR LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA SHARE THE GLORIOUS BACKGROUND OF WESTERN HISTORY -- ALL THE LESSONS THAT MEN LEARNED DURING THE CENTURIES-LONG PASSAGE TO CIVILIZATION. BOTH OUR NATIONS CHERISH TOLERANCE AND THE RULE OF LAW. BOTH ARE GUIDED BY THE WILL OF THE MAJORITY WHILE RESPECTING THE RIGHTS OF THE MINORITY.

ABOVE ALL, BOTH OUR PEOPLES FIRMLY BELIEVE THAT MEN AND WOMEN CAN ONLY ACHIEVE PEACE, PROSPERITY, AND SELF-FULFILLMENT WHEN THEY LIVE IN LIBERTY. IN THE WORDS OF POPE JOHN PAUL II, "FREEDOM IS GIVEN TO MAN BY GOD AS A MEASURE OF HIS DIGNITY."

IN THE PAST, THE PEOPLE OF LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA HAVE STOOD TOGETHER -- AND FOUGHT TOGETHER -- IN THE NAME OF HUMAN LIBERTY.

YOUR HIGHNESS, YOU YOURSELF FOUGHT
SIDE-BY-SIDE WITH AMERICAN SOLDIERS AT
NORMANDY JUST 40 YEARS AGO. THE AMERICAN
THIRD ARMY, UNDER GENERAL GEORGE PATTON,
PLAYED A CENTRAL PART IN THE LIBERATION OF
LUXEMBOURG -- AND IN A GRAVEYARD OUTSIDE
LUXEMBOURG CITY, GENERAL PATTON AND MORE
THAN 5,000 AMERICAN TROOPS ARE LAID TO REST.

TODAY, LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA STAND
TOGETHER STILL. LUXEMBOURG OFFERS STALWART
SUPPORT TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY
ORGANIZATION OF WHICH WE ARE BOTH MEMBERS.
YOUR NATION WORKS TIRELESSLY TO KEEP THE
WESTERN ALLIANCE STRONG BY KEEPING IT
VIGOROUS -- AND IN PARTICULAR BY PROMOTING A
FIRMLY UNITED EUROPE. LUXEMBOURG HOSTS THE
EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK, THE SECRETARIAT OF
THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, AND THE COURT OF
JUSTICE.

JUST AS WE HAVE SHARED THE GREAT CHALLENGES OF THE PAST, SO LUXEMBOURG AND AMERICA SHARE THE BRIGHT HOPES OF THE FUTURE. YOUR HIGHNESS, OUR PEOPLES ARE INDUSTRIOUS AND INNOVATIVE. AND DESPITE THE DIFFICULTIES THAT SO OFTEN GO WITH CHANGING ECONOMIC CIRCUMSTANCES, WE IN AMERICA ARE SEEING A SUSTAINED ECONOMIC EXPANSION, WHILE YOU IN LUXEMBOURG ARE EXPERIENCING THE GROWTH OF NEW INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES. IN FREEDOM, OUR PEOPLES ARE CONQUERING MATERIAL NEED AND MAKING BREAKTHROUGHS THAT WILL HELP MILLIONS TO LEAD LONGER, FULLER, AND HAPPIER LIVES.

YOUR HIGHNESSES, LUXEMBOURG IS A PROUD AND BEAUTIFUL LAND -- A COUNTRY OF LUSH FORESTS AND DRAMATIC VALLEYS, OF ROLLING FARMLAND AND VIGOROUS TOWNS.

IT IS OUR HONOR TO WELCOME LUXEMBOURG'S
BELOVED GRAND DUKE AND DUCHESS TO AMERICA,
AND IT IS OUR HOPE THAT, WHILE YOU ARE HERE,
YOU WILL COME TO SEE SOME OF OUR OWN
NATION'S BEAUTY AND PRIDE. MAY YOUR TIME
WITH US BE JOYFUL AND REWARDING.

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