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January 13, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. William F. Martin NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Subject:

Alerting NSC on Presidential Correspondence

Enclosed is a copy of a letter to President Reagan from President U. San U of Burma which is transmitted for your information.

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PRESIDENT

SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF BURMA

30 December 1985.

Dear Mr. President,

It is indeed an honour to have received your letter on the day of my arrival at Houston, welcoming me to the United States of America. I also feel privileged to be able to avail myself of the opportunity to undergo treatment for my ailment in one of the most advanced medical centres of the world.

I wish to express to you, Mr. President, my deep appreciation and gratitude for all the generous hospitality and official courtesies extended to me, my family and members of my party since the day we landed in Seattle.

Soon I will be returning home with fond memories of the best of care, attention and sincere affability accorded us by the people of the United States.

Kindly allow me to reciprocate your friendly sentiments in your congratulatory message sent to me on the occasion of my reelection as the President of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma, and accept, Mr. President, the assurances of my highest consideration.

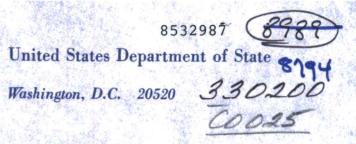
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Yours sincerely,

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The Honourable Ronald Wilson Reagan President of the United States of America Washington, D.C.

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November 6, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Proposed Message from the President to the President of Burma on His Re-election and Pending Visit to the US

U San Yu was re-elected Chairman of Burma's Council of State and <u>ex officio</u> president of the country on November 4. We recommend that the President send a congratulatory message to him on this occasion. The message would also welcome U San Yu to the United States for medical treatment. He leaves for the US on November 9. DAS John Monjo will present the signed original to him upon his arrival in Houston on November 9. We also suggest that the message be transmitted by telegram to the Embassy in Rangoon for delivery at its discretion. A draft presidential message is attached.

Nicholas Platt
 Executive Secretary

Attachment:

Suggested draft message (cable and letter form)

DEPARTMENT OF STATE SUGGESTED DRAFT LETTER

Dear Mr. President:

I want to welcome you to the United States. It is an honor to have you visit our country. I trust that your medical treatment will go well and that you will return to Burma with warm memories of the United States.

I also extend my heartiest congratulations and best wishes on your re-election as Chairman of the Council of State and President of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma. I am confident that in your next term the relations between our two countries will continue to be mutually beneficial and productive.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

His Excellency

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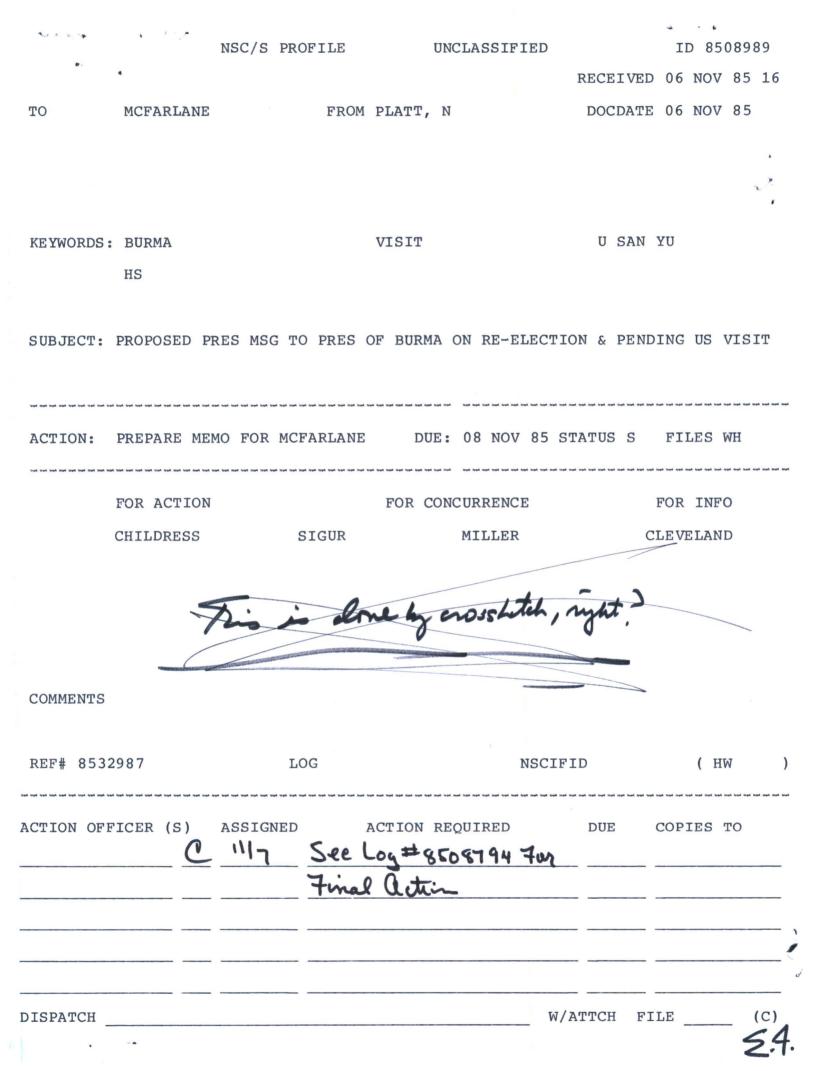
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THE WHITE HOUSE

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November 4, 1985

Dear Mr. President:

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROBERT C. MCFARLANE

SUBJECT: Presidential Letter to U San Yu, President of Burma

Issue

To sign a letter to Burmese President U San Yu.

Facts

President U San Yu, the first Burmese head of state to visit the United States in 19 years, will arrive in the United States on November 9 to undergo medical treatment in Houston.

Discussion

In view of the growing cooperation between our two countries in areas such as narcotics control, a brief letter from you would be appropriate.

Recommendation

OK NO That you sign the letter at Tab A.

Attachment

Tab A Presidential Letter for Signature

Prepared by: Richard Childress

cc: Vice President

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

November 1, 1985

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. MCFARLANE

FROM: RICHARD CHILDRESS / ~

SUBJECT: Presidential Letter to Burmese President U San Yu

President U San Yu is coming to the United States to undergo medical treatment. In view of Burmese cooperation with us in many areas, a brief Presidential letter would be in order.

Gaston sigur concurs.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That you forward the memorandum to the President at Tab I.
Approve _____ Disapprove _____

Attachments

Tab I McFarlane/President Memorandum Tab A Presidential Letter for Signature Tab II State Memorandum dated 10/31/85

cc: G. Sigur

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Washington, D.C. 20520 8794

October 31, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Proposed letter from the President to the President of Burma

Burmese President U San Yu will arrive in the United States on November 9 to undergo medical treatment in Houston. He is the first Burmese head of state to visit the United States in 19 years. In view of the growing cooperation between our two countries in areas such as narcotics control, we recommend the President send a brief letter to U San Yu which could be hand delivered by Deputy Assistant Secretary John Monjo who will greet him on arrival. A draft letter is attached.

Executive Secretary

Attachment

Suggested draft letter



SUGGESTED DRAFT LETTER

Dear Mr. President:

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With kind regards,

Sincerely,

Ronald Reagan

His Excellency U San Yu, President of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma.

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

June 6, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR NICHOLAS PLATT Executive Secretary Department of State

SUBJECT: Ambassador to the United States from the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma (U) (S/S 8617206)

The President has reviewed and concurs in the recommendation of the Department of State that the appointment of U Myo Aung as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma to the United States would be agreeable to the Government of the United States. You are requested to so inform the Government of Burma. (C)

Rodney H. McDaniel Executive Secretary

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN M. POINDEXTER

FROM: RICHARD CHILDRESS

SUBJECT: Appointment of U Myo Aung of Burma as Ambassador to the United States

State, at Tab II, has requested that the President agree to the appointment of the new Burma Ambassador to the United States. A review of his bio indicates that he would make a good Ambassador.

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve the appointment by authorizing Rod McDaniel to sign and forward the Agrement at Tab I to State.

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Tab I McDaniel/Platt Memorandum Tab II State Memorandum dated 6/5/86 with attachments (Bio - SECRET)

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United States Department of State

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June 5, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR VADM JOHN M. POINDEXTER THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: Appointment of U Myo Aung of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma as Ambassador to the United States

The Government of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma has inquired whether our Government agrees to the appointment of U Myo Aung as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Burma to the United States (TAB 2). A biography of U Myo Aung is attached (TAB 1).

The Department believes from the information available that U Myo Aung will make a good Ambassador to the United States and recommends that the President agree to the proposed appointment. If he concurs, the Department will inform the Government of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma.

Micholas Plas

Nicholas Platt Executive Secretary

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- 1. Biography.
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The Embassy of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma presents its compliments to the Department of State and has the honour to inform that the Government of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma has instructed the Embassy to propose His Excellency U MYO AUNG, presently serving as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma to the Kingdom of Nepal, to succeed the present incumbent, His Excellency U MAUNG MAUNG GYI, as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma to the United States of America.

As such, the Embassy will be gratified if the Department of State will be kind enough to consider and give an early reply to the Embassy's proposal for the appointment of His Excellency U MYO AUNG, whose Curriculum Vitae is herewith attached.

The Embassy of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Department of State, the assurances of its highest consideration.



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Dear Ambassador O'Donohue:

Recently Burmese Minister for Home and Religious Affairs, U Min Gang, and others from the Burmese Government visited my office.

As a follow-up to that meeting, I am sending letters to all that attended. Unfortunately, we do not have the addresses of the men present.

May impose on you to see that the enclosed letters are delivered to the Minister and members of his delegation?

I have enclosed copies of the letters for your information.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Furner, Ph.D. Deputy Assistant to the President for Drug Abuse Policy

The Honorable Daniel A. O'Donohue Ambassador American Embassy 581 Merchant Street Rangoon, Burma



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 12, 1986

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Dear Minister Min Gang:

Thank you for the beautiful plaque relayed to me by Mr. Richard Williams. It was most thoughtful of you to honor me in such a manner.

Please accept my apologizes that due to circumstances beyond my control, I was unable to meet with you and other members of your delegation while you were visiting the United States. However, both Mr. Williams and Mr. Colgan expressed their pleasure in the meeting and discussing the efforts of your government in combatting the drug problem.

As a follow-up, I have requested an appointment with Ambassador Maung Maung Gyi to discuss issues of mutual concern. I look forward to our conversation.

When your travels bring you back to the Washington area, please feel free to contact my office that we may continue discussing issues of concern to both countries. In the interim, if I may be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call.

Again, thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Turner, Ph.D. Director, Drug Abuse Policy

The Honorable Min Guang Minister for Home and Religious Affairs The Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma



THE WHITE HOUSE washington May 12, 1986

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Dear U Tun Hlin:

Thank you for meeting with members of my staff on May 6, 1986. I regret that I was unable to attend the meeting and hope that you will accept my apologizes for the last minute cancellation.

Mr. Williams gave me a favorable synopsis of your discussion.

Again, thank you for meeting with my staff and I look forward to many more dialogues with representatives of your government.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Carlton **I**. Turner, Ph.D. Director, Drug Abuse Policy



U Tun Hlin Deputy Director General People's Police Force The Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma



THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

May 12, 1986

Dear Captain Tin Maung Lwin:

Please accept my sincere apologizes for being unable to meet with Minister Min Guang, you and other members of his delegation during your visit to the United States.

I understand, from Mr. Williams and Mr. Colgan, that the meeting was most interesting and informative.

If I may be of assistance to the Minister in the fight against drug abuse and drug trafficking, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Turner, Ph.D. Director, Drug Abuse Policy



Captain Tin Maung Lwin Personal Secretary to the Minister of Home and Religious Affairs The Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma



THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

May 12, 1986

Dear U Hla Min:

I regret I was unable to meet with Minister Ming Gaung, you and other representatives of the Burmese Government during your recent visit to Washington, D.C.

Mr. Williams and Mr. Colgan relayed that the meeting was most informative.

Thank you for taking the time to meet with members of my staff and discuss issues of mutual concern.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Turner, Ph.D. Director, Drug Abuse Policy



U Hla Min Office of the Minister of Home and Religious Affairs The Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma



THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

May 12, 1986

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Dear U Soe Myint:

I regret, due to circumstances beyond my control, I was unable to meet with Minister Min Gaung, yourself and other members of the government of Burma. I am pleased, however, that you were able to meet with Mr. Williams and Mr. Colgan of my staff.

I am always interested in continued discussions with the Burmese Government regarding mutual issues of concern.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Carlton E./Turner, Ph.D. Director, Drug Abuse Policy

U Soe Myint Director Special Intelligence Department People's Police Force The Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma



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THE WHITE HOUSE washington May 12, 1986

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

Thank you for accompanying the Minister of Home and Religious Affairs and his delegation during their meeting with members of my staff. I regret that due to circumstances beyond my control, I was unable to attend the meeting on May 6, 1986.

I am interested in the work of the Burmese Government in their fight against drug abuse and drug trafficking and would like to follow-up on the previous meeting by inviting you back to my office for further discussions.

Again, my apologizes for being unable to meet with you and the Minister.

Sincerely,

Carlton E/ Turner, Ph.D. Director, Drug Abuse Policy Office

The Honorable Maung Maung Gyi Ambassador Embassy of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma 2300 S Street, NW Washington, DC 20008



UNCLASSIFIED 2241 ADD-ON (Classification) 417644 DEPARTMENT OF STATE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT R 3100 TRANSMITTAL FORM Co 025. **S/S** 8608856 Date March 27, 1986 F-G.006-12 For: VADM John M. Poindexter National Security Council The White House Reference: From: President U San Yu of Burma To: President Reagan Subject: Thank you for assistance Date: March 14, 1986 while hospitalized in US WH Referral Dated: NSC ID# (if any) Х The attached item was sent directly to the Department of State Action Taken: A draft reply is attached. A draft reply will be forwarded. A translation is attached. An information copy of a direct reply is attached. x We believe no response is necessary for the reason cited below. The Department of State has no objection to the proposed travel. . Other. 2111121121212 Remarks: The attached correspondence is in response to the President's earlier response to a thank you letter. 51 50:24 Nicholas Platt Executive Secretary NSC # 8602241 UNCLASSIFIED (Classification)



PRESIDENT SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF BURMA

5 March 1986.

Dear Mr. President,

I thank you for your recent letter.

Now that I am back home and feeling well enough to resume my normal duties, I wish to avail myself of this early opportunity to express my deep appreciation to you and through you to the government and people of the United States of America once again for all the assistance and warm hospitality accorded me and my party throughout the period of my hospitalization and convalescence in the United States.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

(San Yu)

The Honourable Ronald W. Reagan, President of the United States of America, Washington, D.C.



EMBASSY OF THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF BURMA CHANCERY 2300 S STREET, N.W. WASHINGTON, D. C. 20008 – 4089

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The Embassy of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma presents its compliments to the Department of State and has the honour to forward herewith and request the latter that the cover containing the letter of thanks from His Excellency U SAN YU, President of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma, addressed to His Excellency The Honourable RONALD W. REAGAN, President of the United States of America, be transmitted to its high destination.

The Embassy of the Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Department of State, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Washington, D.C., 14 March 1986



Department of State Washington, D.C. 20520

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Washington, D.C. 20520 March 19, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Rodney B. McDaniel National Security Council

SUBJECT: Alerting NSC on Presidential Correspondence

Enclosed is the original of a letter to President Reagan from President U San Yu of the Republic of Burma which is transmitted for your information.

This correspondence was received in the Information Management Secretary of the Executive Secretariat on March 18, 1986.

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Director, S/S-I Information Management Section Executive Secretariat 647-3836





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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

August 4, 1986

Dear Ann:

It seems there is someone opposing the bilateral eradication program in Burma. I have been asked to respond by the powers to be. Could you have Rayburn or someone draft me a strong, hard-hitting response for my signature?

Thanks very much.

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Turner

Honorable Ann B. Wrobleski Assistant Secretary International Narcotics Matters Department of State 2201 C Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20520

Enclosures

