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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520 October 13, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MR. ALLEN LENZ

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

SUBJECT:

Alerting NSC on Vice Presidential

Correspondence

Enclosed is a copy of a letter to Vice President Bush from Prmin Tinsulanonda Prem of Thailand which is transmitted for your information.

This document was received in the Executive Secretariat Information Management Section on October 9, 1981 at 5:48 p.m.

Director, S/S-I

Information Management Section Executive Secretariat

ext. 23836

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Blair House

October 8, 1981

Dear Mr. Vice-President,

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In the difficult and uncertain times ahead, please be assured, Mr. Vice-President, of the support and understanding of my country in meeting the common challenge.

With the very best wishes for your continued good health, success and happiness, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

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ROYAL THAI EMBASSY 2300 KALORAMA ROAD, N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C. 20008

The Honorable George Herbert Walker Bush Vice-President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C.



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My delegation and I were highly impressed by your sincerity and forthrightness. Your eloquent words in the luncheon toast give hope and encouragement to my country and people in a time of difficult challenges.

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We feel privileged to have witnessed at first hand the unique qualities of leadership, strength and courage that you have brought to the stewardship of the world's most important office.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT

FROM:

RICHARD V. ALLEN Juk

SUBJECT:

Meeting with Thai Prime Minister Prem on 10153

7 October (14)

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The attached State Department briefing papers (Tab A) are adequate preparation for your meeting with Prime Minister/6006/12

Prem. (J)

I have these points to add: Although Prem is diffident, he is going to try to gain stronger American support for Thai efforts to build a non-Communist Cambodian resistance force. The Thai are in the forefront here but are unwilling to act without stronger U.S. encouragement of their efforts and what they hope will be direct U.S. support for the non-Communist Cambodians. (2)

We have not yet reached a decision on supporting these Cambodians and I believe we have to avoid any commitment to Prem at this stage. (2)

I do believe that we should counsel Prem on the dangers of obliging or pressuring the non-Communist Cambodians to join with the murderous Pol Pot's Khmer Rouge. (C)

Finally, the Thai and other ASEAN members, particularly Malaysia and Indonesia, are finding the Chinese more stubborn and difficult at this stage. The Chinese have stepped up their support for Pol Pot. The Thais are dependent on the Chinese and have made great progress in relationships but remain suspicious of Chinese long-term motives. The Chinese strong support for Pol Pot does nothing to dispel this.

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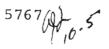
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MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

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CHARLES TYSON

FROM:

SUBJECT:

Vice President's Meeting with Thai Prime

Minister Prem on 7 October (U)

Attached at Tab I are my comments on State Department briefing papers (Tab A) for the Vice President's meeting with Thai Prime Minister Prem. I request that you forward these as soon as possible to the Vice President, as the meeting is on 7 October at 3:00 p.m.

### RECOMMENDATION:

That you forward Tab I to the Vice President.

SIGNED

Attachments:

Tab I RVA memo to V.P.

Tab A State memo to V.P.

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## OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT WASHINGTON, D.C.

October 1, 1981

To - Jim Lilley

From - Mike Fry

Jim,

The Vice President will be meeting with Thai Prime Minister Prem on Wednesday, October 7, from 3:00 -3:30. State has provided the attached papers. May we have NSC clearance on them.

Thanks.

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# THE SECRETARY OF STATE WASHINGTON



September 26, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE VICE PRESIDENT

FROM:

William P. Clark, Acting

SUBJECT:

Visit of Thai Prime Minister PREM Tinsulanonda

### I. SETTING AND OBJECTIVES

The Prem visit is significant as a symbol of strength-ened US-Thai relations. Thailand is now the "front-line state" in a coalition including its ASEAN partners, the US and China, working actively to counter Soviet/Vietnamese expansionism in Indochina. It is a Manila Pact ally, and has let us use important military facilities on Thai soil in support of our global interests. Finally, it is the key country in efforts to alleviate the Indochina refugee problem and to stem the flow of narcotics from the "golden triangle". The narcotics issue is the only item on the debit side of our relations.

Prem likes Americans and regards the US as Thailand's best and most important friend. Close relations with the US are a keystone of Thai foreign policy and Thai leaders are judged in part by the degree of success they have in dealing with the US. Prem is facing a convergence of potentially unsettling political trends; his meetings with the President and with you will be an important boost to his political fortunes. Even with a change of regime, however, US-Thai relations can be expected to remain on an even keel.

The overall purpose of your meeting with Prem is to renew the friendship established when you met him in Manila on June 30, 1981 (President Marcos's inauguration); and to underline the issues Prem will also be discussing with the President and the Secretary. The objectives of these discussions will include:

- 1. Demonstrate the value which the US places on a strengthened US-Thai relationship.
- 2. Assure the Prime Minister and other Thai leaders of the seriousness with which the Administration views the US commitment to Thailand's security.
- 3. Promote improved Thai cooperation to reduce narcotics trafficking.



#### II. ISSUES

1. Demonstrate the importance of a strengthened US-Thai relationship.

Prem's Washington visit in itself demonstrates the importance of the relationship. A sound US-Thai relationship is valuable not only for Thailand, but also for its ASEAN partners who view US support for Thailand as an indication of US resolve to help its friends in Asia. One useful result of our improved relationship has been increasing Thai willingness to make some of its facilities available to us.

### Talking Points

- -- We value greatly our close historic relationship with Thailand. It is of particular importance to maintain this relationship now when Thailand is in the front-line against Vietnamese and Soviet expansionism in Southeast Asia.
- -- We appreciate Thailand's cooperation in making some of its facilities available for our use.
- 2. Assure Prime Minister Prem that we take seriously our commitment to Thailand's security.

Under the 1954 Southeast Asia Collective Defense Treaty (Manila Pact) we are committed to assist, in accordance with our Constitutional processes, in the defense of Thailand. The Thai seek a highly visible American connection including frequent assurances of dependable long-term support. We demonstrated our commitment in 1980 by rushing military equipment to Thailand after a Vietnamese border incursion, and we are now engaged with the Thai military in joint logistics planning designed to make the flow of weapons and equipment more efficent and to improve the Thai ability to respond rapidly to further aggression.

### Talking Points:

Naturally, in the event of a recurrence of Vietnamese aggression we would assist the Thai as called for in the Manila Pact.

- -- We will do our best to provide necessary security assistance to Thailand within the constraints imposed by extreme budgetary pressures.
  - 3. Promote Thai cooperation on narcotics.

This year's bumper opium crop in the "Golden Triangle" makes it especially important that Thailand move against narcotics traffickers operating along the Thai-Burmese border. President Reagan's letter to Prime Minister Prem urged that



action be taken against trafficking groups, especially the Shan United Army (SUA). Prem mentioned the President's letter to you during your June meeting in Manila. He emphasized the difficulties the Thai face in anti-narcotics operations in the rugged Burmese-border area and asked for increased US assistance. In August, Prem wrote the President stating that action had been taken against the SUA and that its leader had been driven out of Thailand. However, our latest information indicates that the SUA and other trafficking groups continue to operate in Thailand. In September we were assured that complete eradication of opium cultivation would be carried out in ten "opium free zones" in the north.

### Talking Points:

- -- We value the longstanding cooperation between our countries on narcotics problems. Thailand with as many as one-half million heroin addicts in its own population has a vital stake in attacking this problem.
- -- We urge that, in view of the bumper opium crop this year, the Thai Government follow through in its efforts to suppress the border trafficking groups which continue to operate in Thailand, and we view progress in Thai opium eradication as essential to continued US narcotics assistance.
- -- Failure to take effective action could seriously damage Thailand's favorable public image in the US and elsewhere.

#### III. CONTINGENCY ISSUES

1. Coordinate our common approach to the Kampuchea question.

The President and Secretary of State will assure Prem of the USG understanding that the Vietnamese occupation of Kampuchea is a direct threat to the long-term national security of Thailand. If Prem raises this subject you should tell him we will work closely with Thailand and ASEAN to oppose Vietnamese expansionism and the Soviet presence in the Southeast Asian region.

## Talking Points:

- -- We fully support ASEAN and Thailand's strategy in the United Nations to seek a settlement which includes withdrawal of Vietnamese forces and Khmer self-determination.
- -- We agree with Thailand that pressure should be maintained on Vietnam to negotiate a political settlement along those lines.
- -- As part of this strategy, we also support the rallying of the Khmer nationalists against the Vietnamese occupation of their country.



#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520



September 26, 1981

#### MEMORANDUM FOR NANCY BEARG DYKE THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Meeting with Thai Prime Minister Prem Tinsulanonda

Attached are background papers for the meeting which Prime Minister Prem has requested with the Vice President and a contingency toast for the Vice President to use should he attend the Prime Minister's reception on Wednesday, October 7.

The Thai Embassy has proposed that the following Thai officials accompany the Prime Minister during his meeting with the Vice President:

Deputy Prime Minister General Prachuap Suntharangkun Foreign Minister Air Chief Marshal Siddhi Savetsila Ambassador Prok Amaranand Secretary General to the Prime Minister Colonel Chamrong Srimuang

Biographic reports on the above Thai officials are attached as is a list of the Thai party.

> L. Paul Bremer, III) Executive Secretary

## Attachments:

- Background Papers
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- Contingency Toast Biographic Information
- List of the Thai Party

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Both Thailand and ASEAN view the Vietnamese occupation of Kampuchea as a direct threat to the long-term security of Thailand. Differing perceptions within ASEAN's five member nations, however, create pressures for separate initiatives on the Kampuchean problem. encourage a common approach, Thailand and ASEAN need continual assurances that our support for their strategy to achieve a withdrawal of Vietnamese forces and Khmer self-determination is strong and durable. ASEAN strategy includes both the maintenance of pressure of all kinds on Vietnam to negotiate a political settlement and the rallying of the Khmer nationalists against the Vietnamese occupation of their country. The recent Singapore meeting of Khmer leaders was a tentative step forward, but much work remains before a coalition can be formed. encouraging the Khmer nationalists, the US has limited itself to a supporting role, preserving the initiative for ASEAN. It is important that the Kampuchean problem not become an "American Problem", a development which would undermine the broad international support which ASEAN/US policies now enjoy.

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# DEPARTMENT OF STATE BRIEFING PAPER

### NARCOTICS IN THAILAND

Opium is grown in Thailand, and with approximately one-half million heroin addicts out of a Thai population of 50 million, drugs are a serious criminal and social problem. Thailand is also a major transit area for heroin and opium grown elsewhere in Southeast Asia. There are currently about forty U.S. citizens in jail in Thailand on narcotics-related offenses; we are negotiating a prisoner-exchange treaty with the Thai Government.

This year's bumper crop in the Golden Triangle has made it especially important that Thailand take timely and effective action against traffickers operating along the Thai-Burmese border. President Reagan's letter to Prime Minister Prem urged that action be taken against such groups, specifically the Shan United Army (SUA). In August Prem responded in a letter to the President stating that action had been taken to drive the SUA and its leader Chang Chi-fu out of Thailand. However, our latest information indicates that the SUA and other trafficking groups continue to operate in Thai territory.

The US has longstanding programs of cooperation and support with Thailand to assist in drug enforcement and demand reduction. We have provided more than \$20 million to Thailand for this during the past decade. US Drug Enforcement officers have maintained an especially close relationship with Thai law enforcement agencies, and we value this relationship highly. Nevertheless, even given relatively weak control from Bangkok and widespread corruption in border areas, the Thai could do more than they are at present, both in interdiction and in destroying opium poppies in areas where long established crop substitution programs give the mountain opium growers an alternate means of support. We are currently providing \$10 million in more recent Development Assistance for an agricultural project which will also offer important crop substitution alternatives.

Thai leaders should be made aware that while we value the close working relationship on narcotics matters between our countries, we believe the time has come that <u>Thailand</u> can take the initiative, especially in the suppression of <u>trafficking groups</u>. This is not only in the interest of the <u>United States</u>, but would improve the international image of <u>Thailand</u> and help to solve Thailand's own serious domestic drug problem.

September 23, 1981

# DEPARTMENT OF STATE BRIEFING PAPER

Contingency Toast for the Vice President Reception By Thai Prime Minister Prem Wednesday, October 7, 1981

Mr. Prime Minister, Excellencies, ladies and gentlemen:

It has been a genuine pleasure for me to welcome you, Mr. Prime Minister, to Washington. I am happy to accept, on behalf of the President, your very kind expressions of friendship and cooperation with my country.

Thailand and the United States share a great deal in common. We are among the oldest independent states on earth, both "lands of the free". Our relations have thus always been remarkably close, both on the personal as well as official planes. Thai and American security against external aggression is closely linked though the Manila Pact and its corollary, the bilateral communique of 1962. We take a very serious view of this obligation, as do you. Your visit has thus, Mr. Prime Minister, been a remarkable success in underlining yet again the strength of our relationship, and the bright future that lies ahead for both our countries.

It is a great honor for me to ask you all, ladies and gentlemen, to join me in a toast to His Majesty King Bhumipol of Thailand, to his excellency Prime Minister Prem, and to the continued close relations between the Kingdom of Thailand and the United States of America.

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October 19, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MR. ALLEN LENZ

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

SUBJECT:

Alerting NSC on Presidential

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Enclosed is a copy of a letter to President Reagan from Prime Minister of Thailand, Prem Tinsulanonda dated October 14, 1981.

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ROYAL THAI EMBASSY WASHINGTON, D. C. 20008

October /4, 1981

Dear Mr. Howland,

I have the honor to convey the following message from His Excellency the Prime Minister of Thailand to the President of the United States of America:-

### Begin

Having just safely returned to Thailand, I hasten to take this opportunity to express to you, Mr. President, my deep appreciation for the most warm and generous way in which I and the members of my party were received in the United States.

The talks we had were extremely enlightening as well as reassuring to me and to my country. The United States and Thailand, I am more certain than ever, will be increasingly close as friends and allies in the years to come. We in Thailand are pleased with such prospects.

I would like also to express once again my heart-felt thanks to you for the great hospitality and generosity extended to me and my party during the entire length of our stay in your beautiful country.

Please accept, Mr. President, my warmest best wishes and personal regards.

Prem Tinsulanonda Prime Minister of Thailand

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I would be most appreciative if you would be so kind as to convey the above message to its high destination.

Yours singerely

Prok Amaranand Ambassador

Mr. Richard Howland Director EA/T Department of State Washington, D.C.



### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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ROYAL THAI EMBASSY WASHINGTON, D. C. 20008

October 14 , 1981

Dear Mr. Howland,

I have the honor to convey the following message from His Excellency the Prime Minister of Thailand to the Vice-President of the United States of America:-

#### Begin

I have the honour to inform you of my safe return to Thailand and to take this opportunity to say how thoroughly pleased and satisfied I am with the results of the visit to your great country.

The consultations we had in Washington were extremely helpful and reassuring. They reaffirmed that the friendship between our two countries is stronger than ever; our relationship, very valuable and mutually beneficial.

I would also like to express once again my deep appreciation to you, Mr. Vice-President, for the generous facilities extended to myself and every member of my party during the entire duration of our stay in the United States.

Prem Tinsulanonda Prime Minister of Thailand

End.

It would be very much appreciated if you could kindly convey the above message to its high destination.

Yours singerely

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