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CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 23, 1988

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE JURGEN RUHFUS

SUBJECT: FORWARDS LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT CHANCELLOR
HELMUT KOHL SENDING REGRETS TO INVITATION
TO MEETING OF INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND AND
THE WORLD BANK IN BERLIN

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT

TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8829537

Date October 12, 1988

FOR: Mr. Paul Schott Stevens
Executive Secretary
National Security Council
The White House

REFERENCE:

To: President Reagan

From: The Honorable Jurgen Ruhfus, The Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany

Date: September 21, 1988

Subject: Letter to the President from Chancellor Kohl sending regrets on September 27th meeting of Allied leaders at the UNGA

WH Referral Dated: October 5, 1988
NSC ID# (if any): 600088

 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 (see remarks).

REMARKS: Chancellor Kohl's letter is a response to the President's letter of invitation of August 31, and thus should conclude the communication between the two on the subject of the UNGA meeting.

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J. Benzel for NIK
Director
Secretariat Staff

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE
REFERRAL

OCTOBER 5, 1988

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 600088
MEDIA: LETTER, DATED SEPTEMBER 21, 1988
TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN
FROM: THE HONORABLE JURGEN RUHFUS
THE AMBASSADOR OF THE FEDERAL
REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
WASHINGTON DC 00000

SUBJECT: FORWARDS LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT CHANCELLOR
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Ab. to UNGA meeting

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SALLY KELLEY
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

600088

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THE AMBASSADOR
OF THE
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to transmit to you the enclosed letter from Federal Chancellor Helmut Kohl. A courtesy translation is attached.

Sincerely yours,



Jürgen Ruhfus

Washington, D.C. September 21, 1988

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

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COURTESY TRANSLATION

"Dear Ron:

Thank you for the invitation to a meeting of Heads of State or Government and Foreign Ministers from ~~NATO~~ and several other countries in New York on September 27.

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Bonn, den 9. September 1988

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Leider bin ich nicht in der Lage, die Einladung anzunehmen. Ich werde am gleichen Tag die diesjährige Jahrestagung des Internationalen Währungsfonds und der Weltbank in Berlin eröffnen. Es ist dies ein internationales Ereignis, dem ich große Bedeutung für die Stadt Berlin beimesse und für das sich die Bundesregierung, mit wirksamer Unterstützung der Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika, in besonderem Maße eingesetzt hat. Anschließend werde ich eine seit langem geplante offizielle Reise nach Asien und Australien antreten.

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H. Schmidt

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