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FM AMEMBASSY BEIJING

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 3968

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FOR HLDRIIDGE FROM FREEMAN  
C.D. 12065: RDS-3 7/24/81 (FREEMAN, CHARLES W.) OR-M  
TAGS: SN, ASEAN, US, MARR, PEPR, CH  
SUBJECT: ARMS FOR CAMBODIA: PRIME MINISTER LEE'S COMMENTS  
REF: STATE 195188

1. ~~2~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. WE HAVE NO INFORMATION IN BEIJING AT THIS TIME TO CONFIRM LEE'S STATEMENT THAT INDONESIA AND MALAYSIA ARE NOW IN FAVOR OF ASEAN ARMING THE THIRD FORCE. THE CHINESE, OF COURSE, HAVE URGED THE US TO PROVIDE ARMS TO THE NON-COMMUNIST KHMER NATIONALISTS, BUT THEY WOULD NO DOUBT WELCOME A DECISION BY ANY OR ALL OF THE ASEAN STATES TO PROVIDE SUCH AID.

3. OVER THE NEXT FEW DAYS WE WILL TRY TO PROBE OUT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON THIS SUBJECT.  
FREEMAN

BEIJING 7691

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O 271007Z JUL 81  
FM AMEMBASSY BEIJING

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4009

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INFO: 12065: XDS-1 - 7/27/81 (FREEMAN, CHARLES W. JR.) DR=M  
TAGS: MILI, PMMC, CH, US  
SUBJ: LIU HUAGING VISIT DEMARCHE  
REF: STATE 107124

1. ~~SECRET~~ - ENTIRE TEXT

2. THE PROPOSED TALKING POINTS COVER WHAT THE CHINESE NEED TO UNDERSTAND VERY WELL. THE ADJUSTMENT IN VISIT DATE STRIKES ME AS A GOOD WAY TO DEMONSTRATE OUR SINCERITY IN ATTEMPTING TO LAY THE PROPER GROUNDWORK FOR A PRODUCTIVE VISIT.

3. THE CHINESE HERE HAVE, OF COURSE, BEEN RAISING TWO POINTS THEY DESCRIBE AS OBSTACLES TO THE LIU VISIT. THE FIRST POINT, THE US RESPONSE TO THEIR EQUIPMENT REQUESTS, IS TAKEN CARE OF BY PROPOSED DEMARCHES HERE AND IN WASHINGTON. THE SECOND POINT IS US POLICY TOWARD TAIWAN, PARTICULARLY ARMS TRANSFERS. WE PROPOSE TO REFRAIN FROM ANY COMMENT ON THIS ISSUE.

4. UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED WE WILL PROCEED WITH PROPOSED DEMARCHE IN THE COURSE OF THE NEXT FEW DAYS, AS SOON AS BACK-TO-BACK APPOINTMENTS WITH MND AND MFA CAN BE OBTAINED.

AMEMB BEIJING 7771

DTG: 271007Z JUL 81 PSN: 043118  
TOR: 208/1158Z

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MEMORANDUM

4540

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

July 28, 1981

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

FROM: JAMES LILLEY *[Signature]*

SUBJECT: Meeting with Arthur Hummel, Ambassador-designate to Peking

You have expressed an interest in meeting our Ambassador-designate to Peking, Arthur Hummel, and attached (Tab A) are biography and talking points, which I sent you earlier. I recommend that you do see him.

Hummel has also requested a meeting with Mr. Meese. I believe it would be useful for Hummel to meet Ed Meese and I recommend that you concur.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you approve meetings between yourself and Ed Meese with Arthur Hummel and authorize me to set up date and time.

Approve   *[checkmark]*   Disapprove                     

*If possible. We're discussing with Meese's Bfui. 8/10/81*

Attachment  
Tab A -

Biography and Talking Points

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- DICK ALLEN
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- JANET COLSON
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*Done*

*June -*

*Can you handle*

*via a*

*"miscellaneous" item?*

*If so, pls return*

*me -*

*Thank*

*J*

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MILITARY ADDRESSEE HANDLE AS SPECAT EXCLUSIVE  
E.O. 12065: XDS-1 7/28/01 (ARMACOST, MICHAEL H.)

TAGS: MILI, PMMC, CH, US

SUBJECT: (S) INVITATION TO LIU HUAGING

REFS: A) STATE 197124, B) BEIJING 7771

1. / - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. DASD RICHARD ARMITAGE HAS APPOINTMENT TO SEE PRC ATTACHES ZHANG WENYI AND FENG LIESUN (DEFENSE ATTACHE XU IS OUT OF TOWN) ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, AT 0930 WASHINGTON TIME. AT THAT TIME, HE WILL ISSUE FORMAL INVITATION TO LIU HUAGING ON BEHALF OF UNDER SECRETARY RICHARD DELAUER FOR A SEPTEMBER 16-30 VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES. -EA/C DIRECTOR ROPE WILL BE PRESENT TO EMPHASIZE JOINT STATE/ DOD INTEREST IN THE SUCCESS OF THIS VISIT. ARMITAGE WILL USE THE TALKING POINTS CONVEYED IN REF. A.

SECSTATE WASHDC 9755

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

3. EMBASSY SHOULD NOW MAKE APPOINTMENTS TO CONVEY THIS SAME MESSAGE IN BEIJING. WE CONTINUE TO BELIEVE THAT

THE INITIAL DEMARCHE SHOULD BE MADE BY CHARGE FREEMAN, ACCOMPANIED BY DATT WEBB, TO VICE FOREIGN MINISTER ZHANG WENJIN, MODIFYING REF. A'S TALKING POINTS FOR ZHANG, AS APPROPRIATE. AFTER THIS CALL, DATT WEBB SHOULD CALL ON PLA FOREIGN AFFAIRS DIRECTOR CHAI CHENGWEN, DRAWING ON TALKING POINTS IN GREATER DETAIL. EMBASSY CALLS SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT BE MADE BEFORE THURSDAY, JULY 30, WASHINGTON TIME.  
HAIG

SECSTATE WASHDC 9755

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TO AMEMBASSY BEIJING IMMEDIATE 4861

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TAGS: MILI, MMPC, CH, US

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REFS: A) STATE 197124, B) BEIJING 7771, C) BEIJING 7400

1. ~~/~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. DASD ARMITAGE MADE PLANNED DEMARCHE TO PRC ATTACHE ZHANG WENYI ON JULY 29 AT 0930 WASHINGTON TIME, USING THE TALKING POINTS IN REF A. TALKING POINTS WERE ALSO PROVIDED AS A NON-PAPER. EA/C DIRECTOR ROPE WAS PRESENT FOR THE DISCUSSION.

3. ZHANG RESPONDED BY THANKING MR. ARMITAGE FOR MAKING US ATTITUDES AND IDEAS CLEAR AND ASSURING THAT HE WOULD REPORT THE CONVERSATION TO THE MINISTRY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE AND TO LIU. HE THEN ADDED WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS HIS UNDERSTANDING OF THE POINTS MADE BY ZHANG WENJIN TO

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

CHARGE ROY (REF C), ON WHICH HE ASSUMED WE HAD BEEN BRIEFED. HE UNDERSTOOD THESE TO BE: --

-- THAT US-PRC RELATIONS, INCLUDING MILITARY RELATIONS, WOULD DEPEND UPON THE US ATTITUDE TOWARD TAIWAN. ZHANG

REITERATED THAT THE CHINESE ARE AGAINST ANY TYPE OF ARMS SALES TO TAIWAN.

-- THAT SINCE BROWN'S VISIT LAST YEAR, THERE HAVE BEEN MANY VISITS. THE CHINESE HAVE PUT FORWARD ABOUT 50 ITEMS ON WHICH US POSITION "REMAINS UNCLARIFIED." THEY HOPE THAT USG IN FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFERS-WILL HAVE CLEAR CUT ANSWERS ON WHAT WILL BE APPROVED. THEY DO NOT CONSIDER USEFUL FURTHER GENERAL DISCUSSIONS LIKE THOSE LIU HAD LAST YEAR. ZHANG CONTINUED THAT THE-CHINESE - UNDERSTAND THAT OUR LICENSING PROCESS IS COMPLEX AND THAT IT TAKES TIME, BUT HE ADDED THAT DISCUSSIONS ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS ARE "VERY TIME CONSUMING" AND, HE IMPLIED, NOT VERY FRUITFUL FROM THE CHINESE POINT OF VIEW.

4. DASD ARMITAGE RESPONDED BY EMPHASIZING THE FOLLOWING POINTS:

-- TO HAVE A PRODUCTIVE AND FRUITFUL VISIT IS NOT JUST A FUNCTION OF OUR SIDE. THE CHINESE SIDE HAS RESPONSIBILITIES IN THIS AREA AS WELL. FOR INSTANCE, IN PAST VISITS WE HAVE SUGGESTED SOME LOWER TECHNOLOGY ALTERNATIVES FOR CHINESE CONSIDERATION. THESE SHOWED A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AND REPRESENTED HIGHER TECHNOLOGY THAN CHINA NOW HAS; YET, TO DATE WE HAVE SEEN NO CHINESE ANSWER ON THESE ALTERNATIVES. WE FIND IT DIFFICULT TO CONDUCT DISCUSSIONS LONG DISTANCE. WE HAVE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE. WE HOPE THE CHINESE SIDE DOES AS WELL, AND THAT THEY WILL BE PREPARED TO CONSIDER SOME OF THE ALTERNATIVES WE HAVE MENTIONED IN THE PAST.

-- WE SHALL AWAIT CHINA'S ANSWER ON THE DATES OF THE VISIT. WE BOTH HAVE MUCH WORK TO DO, SO AN EARLY ANSWER IS DESIRED.

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5. ZHANG RESPONDED THAT HE WOULD CONVEY BEIJING'S RESPONSE AS SOON AS HE RECEIVED IT. SPEAKING FOR HIMSELF, HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT OUR MILITARY RELATIONSHIP WILL DEVELOP IN A MORE CONCRETE WAY. DASD ARMITAGE REMINDED ZHANG THAT HE HAD ASKED XU YIMIN TO BRING SUGGESTIONS OF THIS SORT WHEN HE RETURNED FROM HOME LEAVE.

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6. COMMENT: WE BELIEVE ZHANG'S COMMENTS REGARDING TAIWAN WERE FOR THE RECORD AND WILL NOT PREVENT THE CHINESE FROM ACCEPTING THIS INVITATION. WE ASSUME THIS IS ALSO TRUE WITH REGARD TO ZHANG'S OTHER STATEMENTS BUT WE SHALL HAVE TO WAIT AND SEE.

HAIG

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2. IN A MEETING WITH VICE FOREIGN MINISTER ZHANG WEJIN ON JULY 31, CHARGE SAID HE HOPED VICE PREMIER/FOREIGN MINISTER HUANG HUA WOULD BE ABLE TO ACCEPT THE SECRETARY'S INVITATION FOR A MEETING IN WASHIMRTON ON HIS WAY BACK FROM CANCUN AS THIS WOULD PRESENT THE VICE PREMIER A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO MEET NEW U.S. GOVERNMENT LEADERS, POSSIBLY INCLUDING SECRETARIES HAIG, WEINBERGER, BALDRIDGE AND REGAN, AS WELL AS SECRETARY STOESSEL. THE CHARGE ALSO INDICATED THAT WHILE THE PRISIDENT WOULD NOT BE IN WASHINGTON AT THE TIME, IT WAS QUITE POSSIBLE THAT THE VICE PRESIDENT WOULD BE ABLE TO MEET WITH HUANG HUA. ZHANG REPLIED THAT HE PERSONALLY HOPED HUANG HUA WOULD BE ABLE TO MAKE THE VISIT, BUT ASKED WHETHER A DATE OTHER THAN AUGUST 12 COULD BE ARRANGED. THE CHARGE REPLIED THAT ARRANGEMENTS HAD BEEN TENTATIVELY MADE FOR AUGUST 12, BUT THAT IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE TO SHIFT SOME OR ALL OF THESE IF THAT WAS NECESSARY. ZHANG SAID HE WOULD BE IN TOUCH AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WITH THE VICE PREMIER, WHO COULD DISCUSS THE QUESTION IN CANCUN WITH SECRETARY HAIG. IN VIEW OF THE DEPARTMENT'S BETTER COMMUNICATIONS, HOWEVER, ZHANG ASKED IF WE COULD ALSO CONVEU THE PROPOSALS TO THE FOREIGN MINISTER IN CANCUN.
3. COMMENTS: WE AGREE WITH THE DEPARTMENT THAT THERE IS VERY LIKELY NO POLITICAL OR PROTOCOL REASON FOR HUANG HUA'S INITIAL DECISION TO DECLINE THE INVITATION, AS SUGGESTED IN REFTEL, HUANG PROBABLY FEELS HE WILL BE IN NEED OF A REST FOLLOWING CANCUN AND DOES NOT WANT TO RUSH DOWN TO WASHINGTON FOR AN ALL-DAY ROUND OF HIGH LEVEL MEETINGS, THE PROSPECT OF A FULL DAY'S REST IN NEW YORK AND A PERSONAL APPROACH FROM THE SECRETARY, I BELIEVE,

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2. IN A JULY 31 MEETING WITH VICE FOREIGN MINISTER ZHANG WENJIN, THE CHARGE, ACCOMPANIED BY BGEN WEBB (OATT), PRESENTED THE TALKING POINTS PROVIDED IN REFTEL REGARDING THE VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES OF VICE CHIEF OF STAFF LIU HUAGING. THE CHARGE EMPHASIZED THAT WE WERE ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN A FULL SCALE REVIEW OF THE CHINESE REQUESTS AND NEEDED EXTRA TIME TO ENSURE GENERAL LIU THE PRODUCTIVE MEETINGS WE EXPECTED. FOLLOWING THE PRESENTATION, ZHANG ASKED FOR CLARIFICATION OF THE POINT THAT THE US IN SOME CASES WOULD SUGGEST LOWER TECHNOLOGY ALTERNATIVES TO THE ITEMS REQUESTED BY THE PRC. THE CHARGE REPLIED THAT DRB. PERRY AND DINEEN HAD SUGGESTED SOME LOWER TECHNOLOGY ALTERNATIVES IN CERTAIN CASES, AND THAT SOME ITEMS ON THE CHINESE LIST, SUCH AS THE M-46 TORPEDO, WERE NOT SOLD EVEN TO MOST OF OUR TREATY ALLIES. ZHANG ASKED IF

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

THESE WERE ITEMS IN ADDITION TO THE M-48 TORPEDO WHICH WE WOULD NOT BE CONSIDERING, AND THE CHARGE REPLIED THAT THE M-48 WAS ILLUSTRATIVE OF WEAPONS WHICH WE DO NOT SELL EVEN TO MOST TREATY ALLIES. THE CHARGE REITERATED THAT OUR ATTITUDE WAS POSITIVE AND WE WOULD BE GIVING CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO ALL THE CHINESE REQUESTS. IN AREAS WHERE WE COULD NOT BE RESPONSIVE, WE WOULD SUGGEST ALTERNATIVES. THE CHARGE STRESSED THAT THIS ISSUE INVOLVED AN IMPORTANT NEW ASPECT OF OUR RELATIONS AND WE WANTED IT TO GO WELL.

ZHANG INDICATED THAT THE CHINESE WOULD CONSIDER OUR REQUEST FOR A NEW TIMEFRAME FOR THE VISIT. AFTER THE CONVERSATION HAD TURNED TO OTHER SUBJECTS, ZHANG RETURNED TO THE MATTER OF LIU'S VISIT. WHILE HE VIEWED THE QUESTION IN TERMS OF POLITICAL RELATIONS, CLEARLY REFERRING TO US DECISIONS REGARDING TAIWAN, ZHANG THEN EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT NOTHING WOULD HAPPEN DURING THE VISIT THAT WOULD DAMAGE THE ATMOSPHERE. HE ALSO SAID THAT BEFORE THE VISIT TAKES PLACE, THE PRC WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT THE US RESPONSE WOULD BE TO ITS REQUESTS SO IT COULD BE BETTER PREPARED.

THE CHARGE REPLIED THAT ZHANG'S PREVIOUS QUESTIONS ALONG THESE LINES HAD BEEN CAREFULLY REPORTED. HE EMPHASIZED THAT ODD/OSD/ISA DAB WASHINGTON'S TALKS WITH THE PRC ATTACHE IN WASHINGTON ON THIS SUBJECT AND THE CHARGE'S OWN COMMENTS TO ZHANG HAD UNDERSCORED THE VERY POSITIVE ATTITUDE WITH WHICH THE US APPROACHED THE VISIT. THE CHARGE INDICATED THAT THERE WERE LIMITS IN OUR CONSIDERATION OF AN ABSTRACT LIST OF ITEMS WITHOUT SPECIFICATION AS TO THE NUMBERS DESIRED OR WHETHER PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY OR THE ITEM ITSELF WAS SOUGHT. THE DETAILED PRESENTATION OF OUR POSITION, THE CHARGE SAID, WOULD HAVE TO AWAIT LIU'S ARRIVAL IN WASHINGTON, BUT, HE ADDED, HE COULD ASSURE THE VICE MINISTER THAT GENERAL LIU'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON THIS YEAR WOULD NOT BE A MERE REPETITION OF HIS VISIT LAST YEAR.

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

ON THE AFTERNOON OF THE SAME DAY BRIGADIER GENERAL  
 WERSO, DEFENSE ATTACHE MADE A PARALLEL PRESENTATION  
 TO THE PLA MINISTRY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE (MND). GENERAL  
 WERSO PLACED SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON OUR INABILITY TO  
 GUARANTEE IN ADVANCE OF A SPECIFIC EXPORT LICENSE  
 APPLICATION THAT A REQUEST WOULD BE APPROVED. MND  
 FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICIAL WAS ZHANG NAICHENG,  
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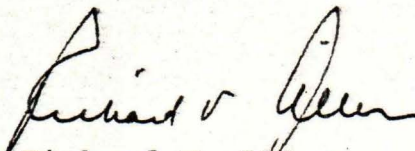
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE ALEXANDER M. HAIG, JR.  
The Secretary of State

SUBJECT: Follow-up Steps on China Policy  
(SS#8120202/XR8117702) (U)

Your memorandum of July 31, "Follow-up Steps on China Policy," has been received and is now being studied by the NSC Staff. (U)

Your analysis, including all factors bearing on the policy recommendation on arms sales, will be most welcome. We are concerned about the reaction of third parties and hope that you would pay particular attention to such countries as the Republic of Korea, Indonesia, Taiwan, Malaysia and Japan in assessing reaction to arms sales. (S)



Richard V. Allen  
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MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

FROM: JIM LILLEY *ml*

SUBJECT: Interim Reponse to Secretary Haig's memorandum to President, "Follow-up Steps on China Policy"

The memorandum at Tab I is a proposed interim response to Secretary Haig.

From our conversation this morning, I gather that you will draft your memorandum to the President, should you decide to forward the Secretary's memo at this time.

RECOMMENDATION: That you sign the memo at Tab I.

Approve ✓ Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_

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*He drafts the memo to (P)*

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE ALEXANDER M. HAIG  
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The Secretary of Commerce

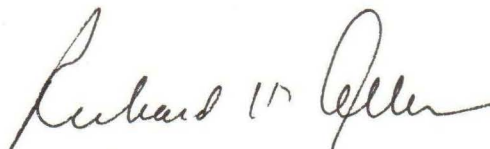
THE HONORABLE WILLIAM J. CASEY  
Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Follow-up Steps on China Policy (S)

The President has approved the follow-up steps on China policy in Secretary Haig's memorandum of 31 July 1981 (Tab A). (S)

The President has commented that in the approach to the sensitive area of arms transfers particular attention should be paid to reaction of allied or friendly nations and that transfers should be handled in a gradual and careful way. (S)

FOR THE PRESIDENT:



Richard V. Allen  
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Tab A Haig memo

cc: The Vice President  
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THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
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July 31, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT  
From: Alexander M. Haig, Jr. *PH*  
Subject: Follow-up Steps on China Policy

Carrying out the June 4 NSC decision which you approved (Tab 1), I informed the Chinese in Beijing of your decision to make good past U.S. Government commitments to liberalize export controls on dual-use technology. I also conveyed your intentions to seek Congressional action to end discrimination in legislation no longer consistent with the present U.S.-China relationship and to suspend China from the list of embargoed destinations for munitions exports.

Two interagency groups are preparing guidelines to effect liberalization of controls on dual-use exports and identifying laws that prohibit cooperation with China because of its former association with the Soviet Bloc. A third group is developing guidelines for responding to Chinese requests to purchase arms from the U.S. It will produce a policy recommendation containing an analysis of all factors involved, including effects on Chinese military capabilities, strategic benefits and risks, and reactions of third parties.

We plan to approach this sensitive area of arms transfers in a gradual and careful way. I have briefed Congress to this effect; similar consultations with allied and friendly Asian nations have allayed concerns which some of them harbor on this score. The Soviets have made known their views, and while we cannot give them a veto over U.S. policy, our case-by-case reviews of specific exports will take the Soviet factor into account.

I believe we can now complete the formalities of placing China in the category of nations eligible to acquire arms in the U.S. This will set the stage for Vice Chief of the PLA General Staff Liu Huaqing's visit, which we now understand will take place in early fall. A simple administrative procedure is required. State will send a routine notice to American defense manufacturers stating that we will now consider all export license applications on a case-by-case basis. We will also

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publish a change in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations in the Federal Register. Before doing so, we will undertake one final round of consultations with allies and friends, so no one will be surprised.

The Department of Defense supports this approach.

This move is a step toward your goal of developing relations with China on the basis of U.S. strategic interests. It is in keeping with other steps you have directed that we take on a number of issues, including Taiwan, which will be raised with you separately.

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MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

FROM: JIM LILLEY *JL*

SUBJECT: Follow-up Steps on China Policy *(S)*

The memorandum at Tab I transmits the President's approval of Secretary Haig's suggested follow-up steps on our China policy to Secretaries Haig, Weinberger and Baldrige and DCI Casey. *(S)*

RECOMMENDATION: That you sign the memo at Tab I.

Approve *RL* Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RICHARD V. ALLEN *Allen*

SUBJECT: Follow-up Steps on China Policy (S)

The attached memorandum, "Follow-up Steps on China Policy," from Secretary Haig (Tab A) represents the consensus of thinking in State, DOD and the NSC Staff. I concur in his proposed moves and his comment that the sensitive area of arms transfers to China be handled in a "gradual and careful way." (S)

I have also asked Secretary Haig to pay particular attention to reactions of allied and friendly nations. We have hard information that their concerns have not been allayed and we must be prepared to consult with our allies and friends, particularly the Republic of Korea, Japan, Taiwan, Indonesia and Malaysia. (S)

RECOMMENDATION

That I inform Secretary Haig that you approve his proceeding along the lines stated in his memorandum. (U)

Approve *RA* Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_

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cc: The Vice President  
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MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

FROM: JAMES LILLEY *W*

SUBJECT: Follow-up Steps on China Policy (S)

Attached (Tab I) per Janet Colson's suggestion, is a memorandum for the President commenting on Secretary Haig's memorandum, "Follow-up Steps on China Policy." (S)

RECOMMENDATION:

That you forward Tab I to the President.

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September 14, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

THROUGH: ROBERT SCHWEITZER *RS*

FROM: SVEN KRAEMER *SK*

SUBJECT: Under Secretary Stoessel's Press Conference  
on Toxins in Southeast Asia (U)

*9/14/81*

As indicated to you on Friday and detailed in my memorandum to you on Saturday afternoon, preparations for Under Secretary Stoessel's CBW news conference this afternoon left much to be desired. And while substantial progress was achieved through intensive interagency discussions on Saturday, it proved impossible at the press conference today to surmount fundamental credibility problems noted earlier.

Mr. Stoessel's opening statements, as well as answers provided on background by a panel of four US Government specialists, were presented in an earnest and detailed way. However, for sources and methods reasons, the panelists could not give their names, could not identify the chain of evidence, the research institute, the researchers, and the doctors involved. They also could not elaborate on why we were not charging the Soviet Union with violations or how these incidents fit into the larger framework of US-Soviet relations and US arms control policy. The media were dismayed.

It is a shame that such important evidence and issues were rushed forward without sufficient prior thought and coordination, and with possibly serious adverse impacts on the Reagan Administration's credibility. We will continue to watch developments carefully.

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August 3, 1981

TO: Richard V. Allen

FROM: John S. Herrington

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WASHINGTON

July 29, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR DEAN FISCHER

FM: Frank A. Ursomarso *Fu*

RE: East Asia Press Summary

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Attached is the East Asia Press Summary prepared by the State Department and sent to posts all over the world.

You will note that Richard Holbrooke, Carter's Assistant Secretary for Asian-Pacific Affairs, and the one who did his best to undermine the Bush trip to Peking in August of 1980, dominates the cable. I have included only his remarks in the nine-page cable, and you will see that they occupy pages 4 through 8.

This is not an atypical occurrence. Practitioners of the Carter policies are still in place.

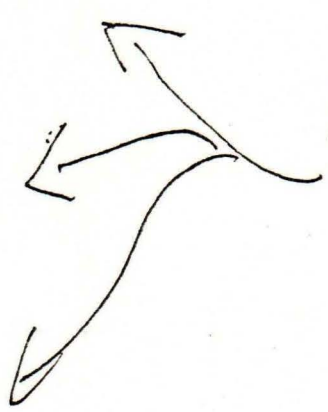
It would be refreshing to have another point of view represented in State cables on a worldwide basis.

bcc: John Herrington ✓

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AP (PHINO)/UPI (WSTAR)/SUN REPORT DOD TUES IDENTIFIED  
REMAINS OF 3 US SERVICEMEN TURNED OVER TO US BY VN JULY 7  
-- NAVY CMDR RW DODGE/NAVY LT SO MUSSELMAN/AF CAPT RE  
VAN DYKE. UPI NOTES PICUTRE OF DODGE WHICH APPEARED IN  
"PARIS MATCH" MAG 4 MONTHS AFTER HE SHOT DOWN WAS USED AS  
SYMBOL BY US GROUPS SEEKING ACCOUNTING OF MISSING IN  
INDOCHINA. ALSO QUOTES PENTAGON EXPERT THAT MUSSELMAN  
WAS KILLED OUTRIGHT WHILE DODGE/VAN DYKE DIED AS POW'S.

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PHILIPPINES

(MANILA) REPORTS CARDINAL SIN DENOUNCED US WEDS FOR  
 ONLY SUPPORTING MARCOS/SAID PHIL HIGH-LEVEL CORRUPTION  
 STRENGTHENING FIL COMMUNISTS. QUOTES SIN:  
 AMERICANS HAVE BEEN MAKING MISTAKES IN POWER POLITICS.  
 LOOK AT WHAT HAPPENED IN VIETNAM, IN IRAN AND OTHER  
 COUNTRIES."

SOUTHEAST ASIA

WATER'S SCALLY (7/21) REPORTS DOD'S DAS FOR EA R  
 ARMITAGE TOLD SENATE HEARING TUES USSR PLAYING  
 INCREASINGLY OMINOUS ROLE IN SEASIA/COULD THREATEN  
 CHINA'S SOUTHERN FLANK. NOTES ARMITAGE TOLD PANEL VN  
 HAS OPENED DOOR TO SOVIET INFLUENCE IN REGION/"THERE  
 WILL BE NO SOVIET RELUCTANCE TO GO IN." QUOTES HIM THAT  
 USSR SEEKS FLANK CHINA/ACHIEVE POSITION ASTRIDE MAJOR  
 SEA LANES LINKING EA -- ESPECIALLY JAPAN -- WITH OIL  
 REGIONS IN SW ASIA/"PARLAY THE ECONOMIC RUIN OF INDO-  
 CHINA INTO ADVANTAGE."

DAILY REPORTS ARMITAGE TOLD PANEL "SOVIETS HAVE COME  
 TO PLAY IN INCREASINGLY OMINOUS ROLE IN THE AFFAIRS  
 OF SOUTHEAST ASIA"/THAT DEVELOPMENT OF SOVIET AIR/  
 NAVAL FACILITIES AT DA NANG/CAM RANH BAY WOULD PRESENT  
 GROWING MENACE TO CHINA'S SOUTHERN FLANK/WARNED VIET  
 FACILITIES MIGHT BE UPGRADED TO COUNTER US' SUBIC BAY/  
 LARK BASES IN PEILS. NOTES ARMITAGE SAID PHIL BASES  
 OF INCREASING IMPORTANCE TO US AS ITS PACIFIC-BASED  
 MIL RESOURCES STRETCHED TO COVER INDIAN OCEAN/SW ASIAN  
 DEF RESPONSIBILITIES.

DAILY REPORTS ARMITAGE ALSO TESTIFIED SOVIET AID  
 SUPPORTS VIET MIL PRESENCE IN CAMBODIA, WHERE FIGHTING  
 COULD SPILL OVER INTO THAILAND. NOTES HE SAID VIETS  
 HAD MUCH COMBAT EXPERIENCE/THAIS WOULD PROBABLY BE  
 UNABLE HOLD OFF MAJOR VIET ATTACK/WOULD NEED OUTSIDE  
 HELP. REPORTS ARMITAGE EXPLAINED DEF OF US INTERESTS  
 FOUNDED ON EA "CONCEPT OF SECURITY RELATIONSHIPS."  
 QUOTES HE INDICATED US INTENDS HELP ITS FRIENDS THERE/  
 PRESERVED ASEAN SHARES BASICALLY SIMILAR VIEWS TOWARDS  
 DANGERS POSED BY VN'S CAMBODIA OCCUPATION/SOVIET  
 ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT WORLD.



NEW ZEALAND

REUTER (GISBORNE) REPORTS ABOUT 14,000 NZLANDERS TOOK PART IN PROTEST MARCHES THROUGHOUT COUNTRY WEDS, AS SPRINGBOKS KICKED OFF CONTROVERSIAL 16-MATCH NZ TOUR WITH WIN. NOTES POLICE ARRESTED 111 PEOPLE NATIONWIDE, 88 OF WHOM WERE CHEANTING/BLOWING WHISTLES OUTSIDE S AFRICAN TOURISTS' HOTEL. SAYS AS GAME BEING PLAYED, POLICE/RUGBY FANS JOINED FORCES TO HOLD BACK ANTI-APRTHEID DEMONSTRATORS WHO TRIED ENTER GROUNDS BY TEARING DOWN FENCE. NOTES POLICE MADE 13 ARRESTS AMONG 300 PROTESTORS/CALLED IN EXTRA MEN TO FORM HUMAN WALL IN FRONT OF BROKEN FENCE. SAYS MATCH, ATTENDED

BY 10,000, WENT AHEAD WITHOUT INTERRUPTION.

MEANWHILE, REUTER NOTES MULDOON, IN WELLINGTON, DESCRIBED DECISION TO MOVE COMMONWEALTH FINMINS' CONF FROM AUCKLAND TO BAHAMAS AS ROUGH JUSTICE, SAYING HE THOUGHT IT "CONSTITUTIONALLY UNSOUND" FOR COMMONWEALTH S AFRICA CMTE TO OVERRIDE EARLIER FINMINS' DECISION NAMING AUCKLAND AS SITE. REUTER POINTS OUT MULDOON IS ALSO FINMIN. ADDS HE LEFT WEDS FOR WASHDC/LONDON.

REUTER QUOTES CHIEF INSPECTOR B DAVIES, MAN IN CHARGE OF POLICING SPRINGBOKS' TOUR, THAT HE SURPRISED AT INTENSITY OF DEMONSTRATION IN GISBORNE, QUIET COASTAL TOWN. ALSO REPORTS THERE NUMBER OF ARRESTS IN WELLINGTON, WHEN ANTI-TOUR PROTESTORS STORMED HQ OF MULDOON'S NATL PARTY. ADDS 8 PROTESTORS CHAINED SELVES INSIDE NATL PARTY OFFICES IN S ISL CITY OF DUNEDIN, WHERE, IN ANOTHER INCIDENT, TAXI DRIVER DROVE HIS VEHICLE INTO GROUP OF PROTESTORS. REPORTS IN AUCKLAND/CHRISTCHURCH POLICE MADE ARRESTS AS PROTESTORS TORE DOWN FENCES AT CITIES' MAJOR RUGBY GROUNDS.

COMMENT AND ANALYSES

10. SOUTHEAST ASIA

FORMER EA ASST SEC HOLBROOKE (LATIMES 7/19) SUGGESTS VN/ITS UNFULFILLED IRREDENTIST AMBITIONS REMAIN GREAT UNRESOLVED ISSUES IN EA TODAY. HOWEVER, POINTS OUT SCENE AT RECENT UN CONF FAR DIFFERENT FROM AGONIZINGLY FAMILIAR 1 OF PAST: VN, NOT US, IN DOCK OF WORLD OPINION/VIET, NOT AMERICAN, TROOPS FIGHTING ON FON SOIL/ ASEAN STATES, MEMBERS OF 1 OR WORLD'S PROMISING ORGS, WERE LEADERS OF UN CONF/PERHAPS MOST IMPORTANT, CHINA --



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NOT EVEN UN MEMBER IN '72/ALWAYS STRONG BACKER OF VN'S WARS AGAINST FRANCE/US -- NOW AMONG HANOI'S MOST VOCAL CRITICS. SAYS IRONIC THAT DEFEAT/WITHDRAWAL OF US IN MID-'70'S WHICH CREATED CONDITIONS FOR US' VASTLY IMPROVED DIPLO/POL POSITION IN EA TODAY. NOTES POST-COLONIAL RHETORIC NO LONGER REQUIRES ASIAN NATIONS CALL FOR US WITHDRAWAL FROM VN (WHETHER THEY MEANT IT OR NOT)/NO LONGER POLITICALLY RISKY TO BE FRIENDLY TO US. MAINTAINS, TO CONTRARY, ALMOST EVERY NATION IN REGION HAS BEEN STEADILY IMPROVING RELS W/US SINCE '77. DECLARES US POSITION IN EA TODAY IN GOOD SHAPE. HOWEVER, SUGGESTS ONLY THING WHICH HASN'T SEEMED CHANGE IS INDO-CHINA'S NIGHTMARISH LEGACY -- ENDLESS WAR ACROSS LANDSCAPE.

HOLBROOKE SAYS WHILE QUESTION OF "WHOSE FAULT" HAS BEEN SUBJECT OF MUCH DEBATE, THERE LESS DOUBT ABOUT CASE OF PRESENT PROBLEMS -- VIETS SHARE RESPONSIBILITY FOR CURRENT TRAGEDY WITH BRUTAL/CRAZED POL POT REGIME THEY IMPOSED. RECALLS POL POT NEARLY SUCCEEDED IN DESTROYING HIS COUNTRY'S CIVILIZATION/ONLY VIET INVASION SAVED WHAT WAS LEFT OF CAMBODIA. SAYS VN AT THAT POINT COULD HAVE CLAIMED WITH ACCURACY IT HAD LIBERATED MOST OF CAMBODIA FROM POL POT. BELIEVES PEOPLE OF CAMBODIA CLEARLY BETTER OFF FOR VN'S IMPOSED LIBERATION.

HOWEVER, HOLBROOKE SAYS VIETS NOT POPULAR IN CAMBODIA TODAY/POINTS OUT CENTURIES OF RACIAL/TERRITORIAL RIVALRIES BETWEEN VIETS/CAMBODIANS NOT FORGOTTEN. THEREFORE, OBSERVES IN ORDER MAINTAIN THEIR POSITION IN CAMBODIA AGAINST KR/OTHER GUERRILLA ELEMENTS OFTEN SUPPORTED BY OUTSIDE ASSISTANCE, VIETS HAVE BEEN REQUIRED KEEP MORE THAN 200,000 TROOPS IN CAMBODIA FOR PAST 30 MONTHS. POINTS OUT PRESSURE HAS BUILT UP ON THAI BORDER/FIGHTING HAS LAPPED OVER INTO THAILAND ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS, CAUSING GRAVE CONCERN TO US/THAILAND'S ASEAN NEIGHBORS.

HOLBROOKE RECALLS WHEN SMALL BATTLE BROKE OUT IN THAILAND IN JUN '80, WITHIN HRS US AIRLIFTED RELATIVELY SMALL BUT SYMBOLICALLY IMPORTANT AMOUNT MIL EQUIPMENT TO THAILAND/SENT WARNING IN PUBLIC/PRIVATE TO VN'S SOVIET BANKROLLERS THAT US WOULD HOLD SOVIETS ACCOUNTABLE FOR VIET ACTIONS IN THAILAND, DESPITE MOSCOW'S DISCLAIMERS OF IGNORANCE OF WHAT VIETS UP TO IN THAILAND. NOTES THERE NO MAJOR INCIDENTS SINCE WARNING GIVEN.

ACCORDING HOLBROOKE, REAGAN ADMIN HAS DECIDED PURSUE POLICY WHICH SO FAR DOESN'T SEEM MUCH DIFFERENT FROM



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HAT IT INHERITED. THINKS MAJOR DIFFERENCES SO FAR  
 REM RHECTORICAL, WITH HAIG ABANDONING APPROACH OF  
 GETTING ASEAN TAKE LEAD IN FAVOR OF US AS LEADER/  
 ORGANIZER OF ANTI-VIET SENTIMENT. BELIEVES THAT HAS  
 OBVIOUS APPEAL, BUT WARNS IF OVERDONE IT COULD LEAD TO  
 DIVISIONS WITHIN ASEAN/BETWEEN CHINA AND ASEAN WHICH  
 WOULD ONLY SERVE MOSCOW'S/HANOI'S INTERESTS. POINTS  
 OUT MALAYSIA/INDONESIA DON'T HAVE SAME LEVEL OF FEELING  
 ABOUT HANOI AS THAILAND/SINGAPORE. ARGUES US  
 SHOULDN'T TAKE SIDES PUBLICLY BETWEEN DIFFERING VIEWS  
 WITHIN ASEAN, BECAUSE WITHOUT ASEAN SOLIDARITY --  
 NEVER EASY THING TO ACHIEVE/MAINTAIN -- THERE NO HOPE OF  
 FINDING SOLUTION.

HOLBROOKE NOTES UNSOLVABLE PROBLEM OF POL POT/HIS GROUP  
 REMAINS -- THEY STILL EXIST WITH 40,000 OR MORE  
 GUERRILLAS/CONSTITUTE LARGEST, BEST ORGANIZED (AS WELL  
 AS MOST RUTHLESS) FORCE OPPOSING VIET CAMBODIAN  
 PRESENCE. HOWEVER, MAINTAINS NO ONE W/SHRED OF  
 CONSCIENCE OR CONCERN FOR AMERICAN VALUES COULD COUNTEN-  
 ANCE US ACTIONS, EITHER PUBLICLY OR PRIVATELY, TO HELP  
 KR; DESPITE KR CLAIMS IT "MADE SOME MISTAKES"/HAS  
 CHANGED, US SUPPORT FOR KR STILL UNACCEPTABLE.

HOLBROOKE FINDS PROGNOSIS FOR KEMER PEOPLE/ENTIRE REGION  
 LEAK/NOT AT ALL LIGHTENED BY UN CONF. NOTES  
 KHANOUK MOST POPULAR MAN AMONG CAMBODIANS/PERSONIFIES  
 NATION TO WORLD; BUT SAYS HE HAS NO STRATEGY/NEITHER  
 VIETS NOR CHINESE TRUSTS HIM/CAMBODIAN INTELLECTUALS  
 DESPISE HIM/THAIS HAVE NEVER FORGIVEN HIM FOR WINNING  
 WORLD COURT CASE OVER DISPUTED TEMPLE ON BORDER. YET,  
 POINTS OUT THERE NO ONE ELSE. CALLS OTHER GROUPS ON  
 ORDER -- SO-CALLED 3RD FORCES OF MEN LIKE SON SANN/  
 OTHERS -- MOTLEY CREW WITH LITTLE HOPE OF EVER GAINING  
 POWER IN CAMBODIA. SAYS THEY REMIND HIM OF OTHER LONG-

MOST 3RD FORCES OVER WHICH FRENCH/AMERICANS SHED MONEY/  
 SOMETIMES BLOOD SINCE '50.

HUT HOLBROOKE SAYS ACCEPTING VIET TAKEOVER OF CAMBODIA  
 OUT OF QUESTION FOR ASEAN/CHINA/JAPAN/WEST; TO DO SO  
 WOULD BE TO ACCEPT FORCIBLE CHANGE IN REGION'S  
 STRATEGIC BALANCE, W/USSR AS MAJOR BENEFICIARY.  
 EXPLAINS IT FOR THAT REASON US VOTED FOR KR IN UN,  
 THOUGH ACT OBVIOUSLY DISTASTEFUL. BUT NOTES EVEN  
 SOVIETS NOW SEEM BE PREPARING FOR DAY WHEN CAMBODIAN-  
 VIET RIVALRIES REACH BREAKING POINT. SAYS THERE  
 INCREASING EVIDENCE SOVIETS BECOMING INCREASINGLY  
 ANNOYED WITH HANOI/BEGINNINGS OF RIVALRY FOR INFLUENCE



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CAMBODIA BETWEEN SOVIET/VIET ADVISORS HAS ALREADY  
 EGUN.

BECAUSE PROSPECTS SEEM BLEAK, WITH NO LIGHT AT END OF  
 TUNNEL, HOLBROOKE SAYS FOR US IT IMPERATIVE TO DETERMINE  
 WHAT ITS REAL NATL INTERESTS ARE/USE ITS LIMITED BUT  
 REAL INFLUENCE TO WORK TOWARDS THEM. SUGGESTS THOSE  
 INTERESTS ARE: MAINTAIN THAILAND'S SECURITY/INTEGRITY/  
 SUPPORT ASEAN UNITY; DEAL WITH HUMAN CONSEQUENCES OF  
 CONTINUING TRAGEDY -- CONTINUE LEAD WORLD REF/RELIEF  
 EFFORTS DESPITE HEAVY COSTS; WORK W/OTHERS IN REGION  
 TO CONTAIN, REDUCE SOVIET MIL/NAVAL PRESENCE IN VN/  
 CAMBODIA; MAKE CLEAR TO HANOI IT MUST EITHER FIND  
 PEACEFUL ROLE IN SEASIA OR ELSE SPEND INDEFINITE  
 MOUNT TIME FACING ALL ITS NEIGHBORS/REST OF WORLD IN  
 HOSTILE, ISOLATED POSTURE; SEARCH, THOUGH TASK WILL  
 BE DIFFICULT/CHANCE OF SUCCESS SMALL, FOR WAY EFFECT  
 OF COMPROMISE IN CAMBODIA.

IN ANSWER TO RHETORICAL QUESTION--WHY BOTHER/WHY NOT  
 LEAVE WHOLE AREA/ITS TRAGIC MEMORIES FOR US TO STEW IN  
 OWN MESS? -- HOLBROOKE SAYS THERE 2 REASONS FOR US  
 EFFORTS: 1ST, GLOBAL STRATEGIC BALANCE REQUIRES FOR US  
 NATL SECURITY THAT THERE BE STABLE EQUILIBRIUM OF POWER  
 AMONG MAJOR POWERS IN PACIFIC/MOSCOW, THROUGH ITS  
 PRESENT SUPPORT OF HANOI, TRYING CHANGE THAT BALANCE  
 TO OWN ADVANTAGE--WHICH WILL CAUSE SERIOUS PROBLEMS  
 FOR US/FRIENDS BOTH LARGE/SMALL; 2ND, US MUST TRY DEAL  
 W/HUMAN CONSEQUENCES OF WAR IN INDOCHINA/SEEK POL  
 SOLUTION, NO MATTER HOW DIFFICULT, BECAUSE, AS WORLD'S  
 GREATEST NATION, US CANNOT WALK AWAY FROM PROBLEM.  
 CONCLUDES, LONG AS KILLING/CHAOS CONTINUES, TO TRY/FAIL  
 -- IF OUR EFFORTS HONORABLE -- FAR BETTER THAN NEVER  
 TO HAVE TRIED AT ALL.

11. CHINA

MONITOR'S OKA (BEIJING) OBSERVES HUA GUOFENG HAS  
 COME UNDER SHARP/RENEWED PUBLIC CRITICISM BY "PD";  
 FOR FIRST TIME, HE HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS ORIGINATOR  
 OF "2 WHATEVERS" POLICY--THAT CHINESE "FIRMLY UPHOLD  
 WHATEVER POLICY DECISIONS CHAIRMAN MAO MADE, AND WE  
 UNSWERVINGLY ADHERE TO WHATEVER INSTRUCTIONS CHAIRMAN  
 MAO GAVE." IN DOING SO, SAYS OKA, PD HAS LIFTED CORNER  
 OF VEIL SURROUNDING ACUTE STRUGGLE THAT WENT ON  
 BETWEEN "2 WHATEVERS" FACTION AND ADHERENCE OF DENG  
 LINE THAT "PRACTICE IS THE SOLE CRITERION OF TRUTH."



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MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

FROM: JAMES LILLEY *[Signature]*

SUBJECT: President Carter's Trip to China

*DBT'd being handled per conversation*

This memorandum reports on President Carter's forthcoming trip to China and the Vice President's comment that someone in the White House should talk to him. I am available to talk to former President Carter should you desire me to do so. (U)

When I was with the Vice President on Friday, July 31, introducing him to the President of Nauru, he took me aside and asked if anyone on the NSC staff was going to brief Carter before he went to China. The Vice President said he heard rumblings that Carter was concerned that no one in the White House was scheduled to talk to him before his forthcoming trip now scheduled for departure approximately 20 August. Tab A is a State Department cable on his trip and states the man to contact is Phil Wise, telephone number 192-824-7141. (U)

I am certainly not asking to conduct this briefing but I thought it was important that I acquaint you with the state of play. (U)

RECOMMENDATION:

That you consider the value of briefing Carter and decide whether State or I should handle it.

I should brief Carter \_\_\_\_\_

State should brief Carter \_\_\_\_\_

\*I note in the State cable that Brzezinski has suggested Holdridge or Armacost do it. This could get us off the hook. (U)

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TAGS:  
SUBJECT: VISIT BY FORMER PRESIDENT CARTER

1. UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PROFESSOR AND FORMER NSC STAFFER MIKE OKSENBERG ON JULY 30 BRIEFED THE CHARGE AND ACTING DCM ON THE FORTHCOMING VISIT TO CHINA OF FORMER PRESIDENT CARTER. ON AUGUST 1, ACTING DCM ATTENDED MEETING WITH OKSENBERG WITH MFA PROTOCOL OFFICIALS.

2. CARTER IS COMING AT THE INVITATION OF THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND, AS IN THE CASE OF FORMER PRESIDENT FORD'S VISIT LAST MARCH, THE PROTOCOL DEPARTMENT WILL BE THE OFFICIAL HOST. THE FORMER PRESIDENT'S PARTY WILL INCLUDE MRS. CARTER, CHIP CARTER, AMY CARTER, JODY POWELL, LLOYD CUTLER, SUZY CLOUD, MADELINE MCBEAN, PHIL WISE, AND OKSENBERG. COUNTRY-WESTERN SINGER AND COMPOSER TOM HALL WILL ALSO ACCOMPANY THE PARTY. IN ADDITION, CHARLES KIRBO AND ONE OTHER CARTER SON MAY JOIN THE PARTY AS WELL AS ON REPORTER. THERE WILL BE 14 SECRET SERVICE AGENTS ASSIGNED.

3. OKSENBERG HAS WORKED OUT A ROUGH ITINERARY WITH MFA, WHICH PRESIDENT CARTER HAS APPROVED IN PRINCIPLE. THE FORMER PRESIDENT WISHES HIS VISIT TO FOCUS ON THE FOLLOWING THEMES: AGRICULTURE AND

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FOLLOWING IS THE ROUGH OUTLINE OF THE SCHEDULE:

AUGUST 24

ARRIVE BEIJING ON PANAM EVENING FLIGHT

AUGUST 25

AM - MEETING WITH CHINESE LEADERS  
LUNCH WITH CHINESE SCHOLARS WHO HAVE STUDIED RECENTLY IN THE US.

PM - VISIT THE FORBIDDEN CITY  
EVENING - WELCOME BANQUET BY THE CHINESE

AUGUST 26

VISIT THE GREAT WALL AND MING TOMBS

PM - MEETING WITH CHINESE LEADERS

EVENING - CULTURAL EVENT

AUGUST 27

BREAKFAST AT THE AMERICAN CLUB

AM - MEETING WITH CHINESE LEADERS

LUNCH AND PM - OPEN

LATE AFTERNOON MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN STAFF AT INDEPENDENCE HALL.

EARLY EVENING - RECEPTION HOSTED BY PRESIDENT CARTER FOR SENIOR CHINESE OFFICIALS INCLUDING THOSE WHO VISITED THE US DURING HIS ADMINISTRATION.

AUGUST 28

EARLY MORNING - PRESS CONFERENCE PRIOR TO DEPARTURE FOR XIAN.

AM AND PM - VISIT SIGHTS IN XI'AN

EVENING - LOCAL WELCOME BANQUET

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AUGUST 29  
VISIT TOMB OF QIN SHIHUANGDI  
VISIT TEXTILE MILL IN XI'AN  
AUGUST 30  
SPEND A FULL DAY IN A COMMUNE NEAR XI'AN  
EVENING - DEPART FOR SHANGHAI  
AUGUST 31

AM - IN SHANGHAI ATTEND A LOCAL CHURCH SERVICE,  
VISIT NEIGHBORHOOD COMMITTEE, AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS.  
LUNCH - HOSTED BY CONGEN ANDERSON WITH AMERICANS  
IN SHANGHAI INCLUDING BUSINESSMEN, SCHOLARS AND  
STUDENTS.

PM - VISIT SHANGHAI SHIPYARD  
EVENING - LOCAL WELCOME BANQUET

SEPTEMBER 1  
EARLY MORNING - DEPART FOR HANGZHOU

SEPTEMBER 2  
AM - RETURN TO SHANGHAI, VISIT NAVAL BASE, LUNCH  
AT BASE.

PM - VISIT JIAO TUNG UNIVERSITY INCLUDING MEETING  
WITH STUDENTS.  
EVENING - CULTURAL EVENT

SEPTEMBER 3  
PM - DEPART SHANGHAI ON JAL 794 FOR OSAKA.  
WE WILL BE CONSULTING FURTHER WITH OKSENBERG AND THE  
CHINESE AS THEY FILL IN DETAILS.

4. ACCORDING TO OKSENBERG, PRESIDENT CARTER HOPES

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THAT SOMEONE FROM THE DEPARTMENT WILL BE ABLE TO BRIEF HIM PRIOR TO HIS DEPARTURE. DR. BRZEZINSKI SUGGESTED TO HIM EITHER JOHN HOLDRIDGE OR MIKE ARMACOST.

5. PHIL WISE IS THE CONTACT MAN IN PLAINS, GEORGIA FOR ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE TRIP. HIS PHONE NUMBER IS 192-824-7141.  
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