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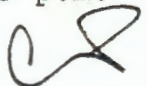
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MEETING WITH FRENCH PRESIDENT FRANCOIS MITTERRAND

DATE: September 29, 1988

LOCATION: Oval Office/Cabinet Room/Rose Garden

TIME: 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

FROM: COLIN L. POWELL 

I. PURPOSE

To demonstrate the close bonds between the U.S. and France, and to consult on how best to advance Western political and security interests.

II. BACKGROUND

Francois Mitterrand's re-election in the spring of 1988 to a second seven year term was a great personal triumph. Two years earlier his Socialist Party had lost control of the National Assembly and the Premiership, and his own standing in the polls seemed to make his re-election chances remote. His victory stemmed, in part, from his success at projecting French leadership. To do this, Mitterrand has stayed away from technical details, and set his sights on outlining the modern themes and concepts that will guide French domestic and foreign policy.

On European security, Mitterrand's view is dominated by three objectives: keeping the United States in Europe, cementing close ties with West Germany to keep it firmly anchored in the West, and limiting Soviet influence in Europe. For Mitterrand the latter two goals are linked to the first. He cannot succeed in his policies toward West Germany or the Soviet Union without the support of the United States.

Mitterrand -- like his predecessors -- will not, however, hew to an American line. The same French assertiveness that led DeGaulle to withdraw France's forces from the NATO military command, today leads Mitterrand to reject Gorbachev's call for a "Common European Home."

Over the last seven years, we have established a close working relationship with France, principally a common approach toward the Soviet Union. But differences between us and the French exist. Mitterrand is cool toward SNF

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cc: Vice President
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modernization -- partly to deflect pressure for modernization away from Chancellor Kohl, partly because of his skepticism about NATO's flexible response strategy. Cooperation in crafting a NATO approach over conventional arms control has also been difficult to achieve.

The Soviets have had a difficult time dealing with Mitterrand. Gorbachev visited Paris in October 1985 in the hope of driving wedges in NATO before the Geneva Summit with you. This tactic backfired as Mitterrand stood resolute, refusing in particular to join Gorbachev in criticizing SDI publicly. Since then, Mitterrand's thinking on Gorbachev has evolved. Although still mistrustful of Soviet intentions, he believes the West should be prepared to engage actively with the Soviet leader. Mitterrand is tentatively scheduled to meet with Gorbachev before the end of the year.

Mitterrand will want to discuss a wide range of foreign policy issues, with special emphasis on East-West relations. You may wish to raise with Mitterrand two points on dealing with the Soviet Union: first, the stable basis of East-West relations that exists today could not have been achieved without allied unity; and second, this unity will be crucial as NATO tackles conventional arms control and SNF modernization.

On regional issues, Mitterrand may brief you on PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat's recent visit to France, and may seek your assessment of developments in the Middle East and Persian Gulf. In discussing Iran-Iraq, Mitterrand may raise the issue of chemical weapons you highlighted in your United Nations speech.

On economic issues, the French have been more critical than others about the signing of the Trade Bill. You may want to reassure Mitterrand that the Trade Bill will not be implemented in a protectionist manner. Mitterrand may also raise the third world debt problem, an area of particular concern to him.

Since Mitterrand will be addressing the UN General Assembly the morning of the 29th, your meeting with him has been scheduled for 3:00 pm. The unusual format of the visit -- adding a private walk with you in the Rose Garden, having a small White House dinner -- accommodates French desires: Mitterrand is keen to demonstrate the bonds of friendship with you, and the depth of the U.S.-French relationship.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See Tab C.

IV. PRESS PLAN

Oval Office: Open Photo, Writing Pool.
Rose Garden: White House and French Official Photographers

V. SEQUENCE

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Pre-brief in Oval Office
3:00 p.m. - 3:05 p.m.	Photo Op/One-on-One in Oval Office
3:05 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Plenary Session in Cabinet Room
3:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	Private Chat and Walk with the President in the Rose Garden
3:45 p.m.	Departure from the White House

Attachments

Tab A	State Scope Paper
Tab B	Talking Points
Tab C	Participants
Tab D	Bio

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THE SECRETARY OF STATE
WASHINGTON

September 21, 1988

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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: George P. Shultz *GPS*
SUBJECT: Your Meeting with French President
Francois Mitterrand, September 29, 1988

I. WHERE DOES OUR RELATIONSHIP STAND?

- o Relations are at a high point; we share basic outlook on East-West issues -- despite differences over some specific arms control questions, we work together at the UN on Iran-Iraq and Afghanistan, in the Persian Gulf region, and in African states such as Chad.
- o Mitterrand believes Gorbachev offers a fresh approach that should be tested in arms control talks, but Mitterrand has no illusions about Soviet goals. He has publicly warned of Soviet attempts to decouple Europe from the U.S. Mitterrand to meet with Gorbachev before the end of the year.
- o Mitterrand personally committed to strengthening Franco-German relations. Kohl's domestic political concerns about SNF modernization in short term add to Mitterrand's own reluctance to go forward with modernization now. Mitterrand emphasizes pushing for Soviet conventional cuts first. France going ahead with modernization of own tactical nuclear weapons.
- o France has taken the lead in preparing for full economic integration of EC by the end of 1992. GOF has offered to consult with us on developments in the single market and concerns we have about protectionism.
- o Mitterrand thought that you had made a commitment in Toronto to veto the trade bill. He and other members of the GOF have strongly criticized what they see as protectionist aspects of the bill.
- o Next year is the bicentennial of the French revolution and the Declaration of the Rights of Man. The GOF has been slow in planning for the commemoration. Many private projects involving U.S. participation are already set.

II. WHAT DO WE WANT?

- o Express desire to continue to work closely on broad range of issues.
- o Encourage French support for progress in conventional arms control.
- o Express understanding of German sensitivities over SNF modernization, but note need to reaffirm NATO endorsement of modernization.
- o Note appreciation for offer to consult on EC single market, and emphasize U.S. interest in open policies after 1992.
- o Note appreciation for French role in Persian Gulf, and contributions to Afghanistan relief effort.
- o If Mitterrand raises, explain Trade Bill does not require significant changes in trade policy we have pursued over last several years.

III. WHAT DO THE FRENCH WANT?

- o General update on U.S.-Soviet relations, in wake of latest Shevardnadze talks.
- o Brief you on FM Dumas' recent meeting with Arafat, and French thinking about the Middle East and the Gulf region.
- o Discuss need to work together on trade issues, and international debt problems. Note need to go slow on agricultural trade reform. Express desire for closer coordination of interest rate policies.

IV. WHAT CAN BE ACHIEVED FROM THIS VISIT?

- o Demonstration of close ties, emphasizing breadth and depth of our relationship.
- o Continued close consultations on East-West and security issues. Commitment from Mitterrand to encourage progress in conventional stability talks.
- o Increased French understanding of U.S. trade policy.

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POINTS TO BE MADE--ONE-ON-ONE WITH FRENCH PRESIDENT FRANCOIS MITTERRAND (meetairRAHN)

- BILATERAL RELATIONS: WE HAVE ACHIEVED MUCH TOGETHER OVER THE PAST SEVEN YEARS. YOUR STRONG COMMITMENT TO WESTERN SECURITY HAS BEEN AN IMPORTANT ELEMENT IN THAT SUCCESS.
- AS FRANCE BEGINS TO COMMEMORATE ITS BICENTENNIAL IN 1989, AMERICANS WILL JOIN IN REAFFIRMING THE IDEALS THAT SPARKED BOTH OUR REVOLUTIONS.
- IS THERE ANYTHING THAT YOU WISH TO RAISE HERE WITH ME NOW BEFORE WE JOIN THE OTHERS?

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- YET, THERE IS ANOTHER PART OF EUROPE WHERE CHANGE BECKONS. WE MAY YET SEE GREATER FREEDOM IN EASTERN EUROPE -- THE AREA WHERE THE COLD WAR, AND THE DIVISION OF EUROPE BEGAN.
- ALTHOUGH THIS WILL BE MY LAST MEETING WITH YOU AS PRESIDENT, LET ME SAY THAT ALL AMERICANS HAVE AN UNSHAKABLE COMMITMENT TO EUROPE. WE CANNOT CONCEIVE OF OUR SECURITY AND OUR WAY OF LIFE WITHOUT EUROPE.

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POINTS TO BE MADE--PRIVATE ROSE GARDEN CHAT AND WALK WITH FRENCH PRESIDENT FRANCOIS MITTERRAND

- WE'VE SEEN A LOT OF CHANGES OVER THE LAST SEVEN YEARS: THE INF AGREEMENT, THE BEGINNING OF THE SOVIET WITHDRAWAL FROM AFGHANISTAN.
- I'VE WATCHED EUROPE SPEAK WITH A UNITED VOICE ON KEY SECURITY ISSUES, AND PLAY AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE PERSIAN GULF.

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR ONE-ON-ONE
MEETING WITH FRENCH PRESIDENT FRANCOIS MITTERRAND

Bilateral Relations

- We have achieved much together over the past seven years. Your strong commitment to Western security has been an important element in that success.
- As France begins to commemorate its bicentennial in 1989, Americans will join in reaffirming the ideals that sparked both our revolutions.
- Is there anything that you wish to raise here with me now before we join the others?

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East-West Relations

- I believe we have put East-West relations on the best footing in the post-war period. Without the strength of our NATO Alliance, this could not have been possible.
- Mr. Gorbachev is pushing an ambitious domestic program in the Soviet Union. The words, "Perestroika" and "Glasnost," fill our newspapers. We do not know if Gorbachev will succeed. Nor do we know what this all means for Western security.
- In looking at Soviet internal changes, we must not lose sight of what really counts: whether there will be any real and lasting change in Soviet defense programs and foreign policies.

NATO

- When we reviewed the state of East-West relations last March at the NATO Summit, we also endorsed arms control priorities and an agenda that would enhance the security of every member of the Alliance.
- We are making progress on a NATO conventional arms control position. When these negotiations begin, they will be long and difficult.
- NATO will also have to tackle the issue of SNF modernization. All members of the Alliance must recognize the need to move quickly on this issue. We must also deny the Soviets their goal of a denuclearized Europe.

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- Another area where we need to maintain Alliance solidarity is CSCE. We hope work on the CSCE Vienna Review Conference can be finished this fall, but if we do not get a good, balanced outcome, especially on human rights, we should be prepared to stay.
- Last year we told the Soviets what it would take before we could consider their proposal for a human rights conference in Moscow. They have not yet met our conditions.

International Economic Issues

- Managing the East-West relationship is only part of our task. If we are to build on the growth and prosperity we have enjoyed, we must be on guard against protectionist pressures.
- I appreciate your efforts to consult on the EC single market. We have always supported European economic integration. But reducing barriers within Europe must not increase barriers with the rest of the world.
- In the GATT negotiations, we share similar views on many of the issues. It's important that we make progress at the Mid-term Review in Montreal on agriculture, the key area that divides us.

Regional Issues

- We appreciate your presence in the Persian Gulf.

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- Your contributions to Afghanistan relief have been admirable.
- On the Middle East, our peace initiative remains on the table, and its principles remain valid: a comprehensive peace based on U.N. Security Council Resolutions 242 and 338, legitimate rights for the Palestinians, and security for all states in the region.

Chemical Weapons (If Raised)

- Chemical warfare is not an East-West issue, but a global one.
- The moral and legal principles that have held these weapons in check are being undermined. On Monday before the United Nations, I spoke of the need to address the danger this poses.
- The use of chemical weapons in the Iran-Iraq conflict, and by Iraq against the Kurds is abhorrent. With Libya on the verge of full scale production, this is an issue that threatens us all.
- We need to convene a conference to strengthen the Geneva protocol. We must also redouble our efforts to obtain a verifiable, truly global ban on these weapons.

International Debt (If Raised)

- I agree that foreign debt burden contributes to low growth in many developing countries. Except in Africa, most debt is owed to commercial banks. Any solution must be based on market principles. We cannot ask our taxpayers to bail out our banks.

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Trade Act (If Raised)

- The Trade Act still allows us to pursue our common goal of increasing access to markets around the world.
- We will make sure that in implementing the Act, we comply with our GATT obligations.

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WITH FRENCH PRESIDENT FRANCOIS MITTERRAND

- We've seen a lot of changes over the last seven years: the INF agreement, the beginning of the Soviet withdrawal from Afghanistan.
- I've watched Europe speak with a united voice on key security issues, and play an important role in the Persian Gulf.
- Yet, there is another part of Europe where change beckons. We may yet see greater freedom in Eastern Europe -- the area where the Cold War, and the division of Europe began.
- Although this will be my last meeting with you as President, let me say that all Americans have an unshakable commitment to Europe. We cannot conceive of our security and our way of life without Europe.

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Participants

Pre-brief - Oval Office (2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.)

The President
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Brady
Kenneth M. Duberstein
Colin L. Powell
M. B. Oglesby
Marlin Fitzwater
Assistant Secretary Rozanne Ridgway
Ambassador Joe M. Rodgers
Nelson C. Ledsky, NSC (Notetaker)

Photo Op and One-on-One - Oval Office (3:00 p.m. - 3:05 p.m.)

U.S.
The President
Nelson C. Ledsky, NSC (Notetaker)
Alec Toumayan (Interpreter)

France
President Mitterrand
Jacques Attali (Notetaker)
Christopher Thierry (Interpreter)

Plenary - Cabinet Room (3:05 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.)

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Secretary Brady
Kenneth M. Duberstein
Colin L. Powell
M. B. Oglesby
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Assistant Secretary Rozanne Ridgway
Ambassador Joe Rodgers
Nelson C. Ledsky, NSC (Notetaker)
Alec Toumayan (Interpreter)
Stephanie Van Reigersberg (Interpreter)

France
President Francois Mitterrand
Foreign Minister Roland Dumas
Ambassador Emmanuel Jacquin de Margerie
Jacques Attali, Special Counselor to the President
Hubert Vedrine, Elysee Policy Advisor
Jean Musitelli, Elysee Foreign Policy Advisor
Bertrand Dufourcq, Political Director, Ministry of Foreign
Affairs
Christopher Thierry (Interpreter)

Private Chat and Walk - Rose Garden (3:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.)

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MEMORANDUM FOR FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

FROM: PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS *PS*

SUBJECT: Prebrief for Mitterrand Visit

President Mitterrand is scheduled for a meeting (3:00 - 3:45 p.m.) and dinner (7:00 p.m.) with President Reagan on Thursday, September 29. NSC requests a 30 minute prebrief be scheduled immediately before the President's meeting.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: COLIN POWELL
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*
SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: The Meeting with President Mitterrand of France previously scheduled at 1:30 pm on September 29, is changed to 3:00 pm on the same date.

DATE:

TIME:

DURATION:

LOCATION:

BACKUP LOCATION:

REMARKS REQUIRED:

MEDIA COVERAGE:

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PARTICIPATION:

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MEMORANDUM FOR FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

FROM:

PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS *PS*

SUBJECT:

Time Change for the Visit on September 29
of French President Mitterrand to 3:00 PM

Due to President Mitterrand's speaking schedule at the U.N. General Assembly, we would appreciate your changing the time for his meeting with the President on September 29, 1988 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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September 29, 1988

MEMORANDUM

TO: COLIN POWELL

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

SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: Time reserved for President Mitterrand of France:
1:30 pm - 45 min - meeting - Oval Office/Cabinet Room
7:00 pm - private dinner with President and Mrs. Mitterrand - Residence

DATE: September 29, 1988

TIME:

DURATION:

LOCATION:

BACKUP LOCATION:

REMARKS REQUIRED: To be covered in briefing paper

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

FIRST LADY PARTICIPATION: Yes - in the dinner

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July 29, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

FROM: PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS *PS*

SUBJECT: Visit of President and Mrs. Mitterrand of France

The President of France, Francois Mitterrand, recently re-elected for a second seven-year term, has decided to come to the United States during the last week of September to speak before the UN General Assembly. The French President, who will be accompanied by his wife, has also expressed a strong interest in coming to Washington from New York to meet with the President after his UN appearance.

The NSC would propose that President and Mrs. Mitterrand be invited to Washington for an official working visit on September 29, and that a program along the following lines be arranged for them:

- a. *-5* 1:30 p.m. arrival at the White House: photo opportunity in the Oval Office
- b. 1:40 p.m. official plenary meeting with the President in the Cabinet Room
- c. 2:15 p.m. private chat and walk with the President in the Rose Garden
- d. 2:30 p.m. departure from White House
- e. 7:00 p.m. small private dinner in the White House for President and Mrs. Mitterrand.

cc: Jack Courtemanche
M. B. Oglesby

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KEYWORDS: FRANCE

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SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT OF PRL'S MITTERRAND / 29 SEP

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MEMORANDUM

TO: COLIN POWELL
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*
SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: The Meeting with President Mitterrand of France previously scheduled at 1:30 pm on September 29, is changed to 3:00 pm on the same date.

DATE:

TIME:

DURATION:

LOCATION:

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REMARKS REQUIRED:

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FROM: RYAN, F

DOC DATE: 26 AUG 88
SOURCE REF:

KEYWORDS: FRANCE

VISIT

PERSONS: MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS

SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT OF PRES MITTERRAND / 29 SEP

ACTION: RECD RYAN MEMO DUE DATE: 12 AUG 88 STATUS: C

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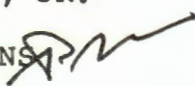
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August 23, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

FROM:

PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS 

SUBJECT:

Time Change for the Visit on September 29
of French President Mitterrand to 3:00 PM

Due to President Mitterrand's speaking schedule at the U.N. General Assembly, we would appreciate your changing the time for his meeting with the President on September 29, 1988 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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August 22, 1988

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MEMORANDUM FOR PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS

FROM: NELSON C. LEDSKY *mlf*

SUBJECT: Time Change for the Visit on September 29
of French President Mitterrand to 3:00 PM

Attached at Tab I is a memorandum from you to Fred Ryan requesting that the meeting between French President Mitterrand and the President on September 29 begin at 3:00 p.m. rather than 1:30 p.m. as originally scheduled. The change is due to Mitterrand's scheduled appearance before the U.N. General Assembly earlier that day.

Marybel Batjer concurs. *MKS for*

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memorandum at Tab I.

Approve *PM*

Disapprove _____

Attachment

Tab I Memo to Ryan

Prepared by:
Barry F. Lowenkron *BL*

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PERSONS: MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS

SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT OF PRES MITTERRAND / 29 SEP

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August 9, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR RHETT B. DAWSON

FROM: For PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS *Paul Schott Stevens*
SUBJECT: Press Announcement of Mitterrand Visit
for Release on August 10, 1988

Attached at Tab A is the announcement of the visit of French President Mitterrand to Washington. We would appreciate your office making that announcement on Wednesday, August 10. The French Government will be making a similar announcement on August 10.

Attachment

Tab A Press Announcement

cc: Roman Popadiuk
Marlin Fitzwater

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

August 10, 1988

President of the French Republic Francois Mitterrand has accepted President Reagan's invitation for an official working visit in Washington, September 29. This visit continues a tradition of close consultation between U.S. and French leaders. The purpose of the visit is to discuss major alliance issues and to exchange views on other areas of common interest.

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August 9, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS

FROM: NELSON C. LEDSKY *NCL*

SUBJECT: Press Announcement of Mitterrand Visit
for Release on August 10, 1988

Attached at Tab I is memorandum from you to Rhett Dawson requesting the announcement of President Mitterrand's visit (Tab A) be made Wednesday, August 10. The French Government will be making a similar announcement on August 10 as well.

Marybel *M.B.* Batjer concurs.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memorandum at Tab I and forward the announcement to Rhett Dawson.

Approve _____

Disapprove _____

Attachments

Tab I Memo to Dawson
Tab A Press Announcement

Prepared by:
Barry F. Lowenkron *BFL*

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PERSONS: MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS

SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT OF PRES MITTERRAND / 29 SEP

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July 29, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

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FROM: PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS *PS*

SUBJECT: Visit of President and Mrs. Mitterrand of France

The President of France, Francois Mitterrand, recently re-elected for a second seven-year term, has decided to come to the United States during the last week of September to speak before the UN General Assembly. The French President, who will be accompanied by his wife, has also expressed a strong interest in coming to Washington from New York to meet with the President after his UN appearance.

The NSC would propose that President and Mrs. Mitterrand be invited to Washington for an official working visit on September 29, and that a program along the following lines be arranged for them:

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cc: Jack Courtemanche
M. B. Oglesby

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 29, 1988

TO: M. B. OGLESBY
FROM: JACK L. COURTEMAMCHE *JLC*
SUBJECT: VISIT OF PRESIDENT AND MRS. MITTERRAND OF FRANCE

We will wait for your confirmation, but the private dinner at 7:00pm on September 29th for President and Mrs. Mitterrand would be fine with the President and Mrs. Reagan.

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July 28, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR PAUL SCHOTT STEVENS

FROM: NELSON C. LEDSKY *NCL*

SUBJECT: Visit of President and Mrs. Mitterrand of France

Marybel asked me to put a short memo together (Tab I) so that we can get a quick formal decision on a program for President Mitterrand.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memo to Fred Ryan at Tab I.

Approve *NCL* Disapprove _____

Attachment

Tab I Memo to Fred Ryan

cc: Marybel Batjer ³⁻³

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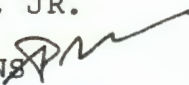
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cc: Jack Courtemanche
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