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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

March 22, 1985

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W/S

Honorable Donald T. Regan
Chief of Staff to the
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Don:

Confirming our telephone conversation of this morning, the German Ambassador requested that President Weizsacker of the Federal Republic of Germany, who will be here on April 2 on a private visit, meet with the President briefly before a ceremony honoring John J. McCloy (who as you know was High Commissioner to Germany shortly after World War II). If it is at all possible, President Weizsacker would like to see the President at about 4:20 p.m. so that they could then go into the McCloy ceremony, which as I understand it is at 4:30 p.m.

Many thanks for anything you can do.

Sincerely,

Jays

John J. McCloy

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DR
This has
been
taken
care of.

TO:

Make clear

FROM: DONALD T. REGAN
CHIEF OF STAFF

*re our previous
conversation on
this*

— Don



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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 06, 1985

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8523514

Date August 19, 1985

For: Mr. Robert C. McFarlane
National Security Council
The White House

Reference:

To: President Reagan From: Chancellor Helmut Kohl
Date: August 5, 1985 Subject: Sympathies for Dallas air crash

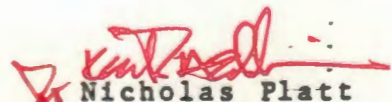
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Department of State

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.
- xx We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below.
- The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel.
- Other.

Remarks: The letter simply sends his sympathies for the recent
airplane crash in Dallas. No thank you or other response
would be appropriate.


Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

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T H E W H I T E H O U S E O F F I C E

REFERRAL

AUGUST 9, 1985

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:

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DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 293143

MEDIA: SEALED, DATED AUGUST 6, 1985

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM:

EMBASSY OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC
OF GERMANY

WASHINGTON DC 20007

SUBJECT: UNOPENED

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AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE

SALLY KELLEY
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

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in 5/5-1
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at 11:07
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
DIVISION OF LANGUAGE SERVICES

(TRANSLATION)

LS NO. 117253
German
JS/AO

Dear Ron,

I was deeply shocked to learn of the air disaster in Dallas, which cost 132 lives.

May I ask you to convey my sincere condolences to the distressed families of the victims. I wish the survivors a speedy recovery.

With my deepest sympathy,

Helmut Kohl

Chancellor of the
Federal Republic of Germany

The President
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

COURTESY TRANSLATION

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Chancellor of the
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EMBASSY
OF THE
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

In the absence of Ambassador van Well I have the honor to transmit to you the following condolences by the Federal Chancellor, Dr. Helmut Kohl, on the terrible air accident in Dallas last Friday:

" Lieber Ron,

Mit tiefer Erschütterung habe ich von dem Flugzeugabsturz bei Dallas erfahren, der 132 Menschenleben kostete.

Ich bitte, den schwer geprüften Hinterbliebenen der Opfer meine herzliche Anteilnahme zu übermitteln. Den Überlebenden wünsche ich baldige Genesung.

In tiefer Anteilnahme

Ihr

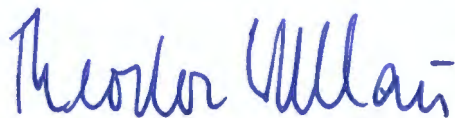
Helmut Kohl

Bundeskanzler der Bundesrepublik Deutschland "

A courtesy translation is attached.

Please accept also my and the Embassy's most heartfelt sympathy.

Respectfully,



Theodor Wallau

Minister

Washington, D.C., August 5, 1985

The President

The White House

Washington, D.C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 08, 1985

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8523904

Date September 4, 1985

For: Mr. Robert C. McFarlane
National Security Council
The White House

Reference:

To: President Reagan From: Johannes Rau and Helmut Kohl

Date: August 8, 1985 Subject: Condolences on bomb
attack in Frankfurt

WH Referral Dated: August 14, 1985 NSC ID# 293265
(if any)

 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.
 We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below.
 The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel.
 X Other.

Remarks: President Reagan's replies to Helmut Kohl and Johannes Rau
were answered under State 271324 and State 271325 {attached}

Nicholas Platt
Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

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SUBJECT: LETTER TO MINISTER RAU FROM PRESIDENT
REAGAN (S/S 8523904)
EMBASSY IS INSTRUCTED TO DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM
PRESIDENT REAGAN TO MINISTER RAU.

DEAR MR. MINISTER:
THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF CONDOLENCE FOLLOWING THE
ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BASE AT
FRANKFURT. I DEEPLY APPRECIATE THE MANY EXPRESSIONS OF
SYMPATHY AND OUTRAGE THAT HAVE BEEN SENT BY OUR FRIENDS
IN WEST GERMANY.

SINCERELY,

RONALD REAGAN

THE HONORABLE
JOHANNES RAU,
MINISTER PRESIDENT OF NORTHRHINE-WESTFALIA,
4000 DUESSELDORF,
HAROLDSTRASSE 2,
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

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E. O. 12356: N/A

TAGS: GE

SUBJECT: LETTER TO HELMUT KOHL FROM PRESIDENT
REAGAN (S/S 8523904)

EMBASSY IS INSTRUCTED TO DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM
PRESIDENT REAGAN TO CHANCELLOR KOHL.

DEAR HELMUT:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY FOR THE
VICTIMS OF THE BOMB ATTACK LAST MONTH ON THE UNITED
STATES AIR FORCE BASE IN FRANKFURT. I DEEPLY
APPRECIATE THE EFFORTS OF THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO FIND
AND PUNISH THE PERPETRATORS OF THIS OUTRAGEOUS CRIME.

SINCERELY,

RONALD REAGAN

HIS EXCELLENCY

DR. HELMUT KOHL,

CHANCELLOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY,

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
DIVISION OF LANGUAGE SERVICES

(TRANSLATION)

LS NO.117286-A

German

JS/AO

His Excellency
Mr. Ronald W. Reagan
President of the
United States of America
Washington, D.C.

Dear Ronald,

The news of the cowardly bomb attack on the United States Air Force Base in Frankfurt has filled me with sadness, sympathy and outrage.

My sincere condolences go to the families of the victims. I wish the wounded a speedy and complete recovery.

The people of our country have reacted with heartfelt sympathy and deep sorrow to this despicable act. They know that the American Forces in the Federal Republic of Germany are guarantors of their security as well.

Now more than ever we feel united with you and with the entire American Nation in the desire to put a stop to terrorism. We shall do everything possible to investigate this crime and to apprehend the culprits.

Yours sincerely,

Helmut Kohl

" Sehr geehrter Herr Präsident,

der Anschlag auf das Leben amerikanischer Bürger heute morgen auf dem Flughafen in Frankfurt erfüllt die Bürger unseres Landes und die Mitglieder meiner Partei mit Abscheu und Empörung. Unsere Demokratie, unser Staat und unsere Bürger verdanken der Freundschaft des amerikanischen Volkes viel. Daran erinnern wir uns in dieser Stunde, und darum trifft dieser Anschlag auch jeden deutschen Demokraten.

Wir trauern um die Toten und wünschen den Verletzten gute Besserung.

Ihr

Johannes Rau

Ministerpräsident
des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen

Stellvertretender Vorsitzender der
Sozialdemokratischen Partei Deutschlands "

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Dear Mr. President:

The terrorist attack on the life of American citizens this morning at Frankfurt/Main Airport has provoked disgust and outrage among the people of my country and the members of my party. Our democracy, our country and our citizens owe much to the friendship of the American people. This we remember in particular at this moment. Therefore, this assault hurts every German democrat.

We mourn the dead and wish those who are wounded a speedy recovery.

Johannes Rau

Prime Minister of North Rhine-Westphalia

Deputy Chairman of the

Social Democratic Party of Germany

Seiner Exzellenz
dem Präsidenten der
Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika
Herrn
Ronald W. Reagan
Washington, D.C.

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Lieber Ronald,

die Nachricht vom feigen Bombenanschlag auf die amerikanische
Luftwaffenbasis in Frankfurt erfüllt mich mit Trauer,
Anteilnahme und Entsetzen.

Mein tiefes Mitgefühl gilt den Angehörigen der Opfer.
Den Verletzten wünsche ich eine baldige und vollständige
Genesung.

Die Bürger unseres Landes haben mit grosser Anteilnahme
und tiefer Trauer auf die verabscheuungswürdige Tat
reagiert. Sie wissen, daß die amerikanischen Truppen in
der Bundesrepublik Deutschland auch ihre Sicherheit
gewährleisten.

Gerade jetzt fühlen wir uns mit Ihnen und dem ganzen
amerikanischen Volk einig in dem Willen, dem Terror Einhalt
zu gebieten. Wir werden alles daran setzen, die Tat rasch
aufzuklären und der Täter habhaft zu werden.

Ihr

Helmut Kohl

8523904

T H E W H I T E H O U S E O F F I C E

REFERRAL

AUGUST 14, 1985

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:

DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 293265

MEDIA: SEALED, DATED AUGUST 8, 1985

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM:

EMBASSY OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC
OF GERMANY

WASHINGTON DC 20007

SUBJECT: UNOPENED

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SALLY KELLEY
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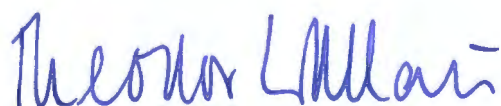
In the absence of Ambassador van Well
I have the honor to transmit to you the following
messages from

- the Federal Chancellor Helmut Kohl
- Ministerpresident of Northrhine-Westphalia and
Deputy Chairman of the SPD, Johannes Rau

on the bomb attack in Frankfurt.

Courtesy translations are attached.

Respectfully yours,



Theodor Wallau

Minister

Washington, D.C., August 8, 1985

The President

The White House

Washington, D.C.

Courtesy Translation

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Stellvertretender Vorsitzender der
Sozialdemokratischen Partei Deutschlands "

THE WHITE HOUSE
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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 02, 1985

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE WILLIAM S. COHEN ^{OFFICE OF} THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

SUBJECT: PFHALF OF JOHN HATCH REQUESTS SUPPORT FOR A
MAINE AIR NATIONAL GUARD TRAINING MISSION
TO THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)	ACTION		DISPOSITION	
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SAFLLI/COL BOTTORFF/jw/Apr 24.

26 APR 1985

Honorable William S. Cohen
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Cohen:

This is in further reply to your recent letter to Mr. Max Friedersdorf, Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs, in behalf of Mr. John Hatch concerning the use of a Maine Air National Guard training mission to the Federal Republic of Germany.

The basic procedures and policy concerning the use of Department of Defense (DOD) airlift by non-DOD agencies were outlined in Lieutenant Colonel Weaver's response to your office on February 13, 1985 (copy attached). These procedures provide a method for the use of DOD airlift on a reimbursable basis. Since the Federal Republic of Germany is involved, we suggest your office approach the State Department for a national interest determination.

If the State Department validates the airlift and certifies that commercial transportation is not available or capable of satisfying the movement requirement, they will forward the request to the DOD for approval. Subject to the above validation and approval, we would be pleased to support the airlift of the Zeiss Stereoplanograph from the United States to Berlin, Germany, on a reimbursable basis.

Your continuing support of this project is appreciated.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

J. L. NAMETH
Colonel, USAF

Attachment

OSDWH 10842
AF/LETT

13 FEB 1985

Honorable William S. Cohen
United States Senator
P. O. Box 1384
Bangor, ME 04401

Dear Senator Cohen:

This is in reply to your inquiry in behalf of Mr. John Hatch regarding airlift of a Zeiss Stereoplanograph from the United States to Berlin, Germany.

The Department of Defense (DOD) receives numerous requests for airlift, many of which are for worthwhile and important purposes. However, public law prohibits the use of DOD aircraft for purposes other than in direct support of the defense mission. Exceptions are possible only for urgent lifesaving situations, when authorized by statute, or when certified by the head of an executive department or agency as in the national interest and commercial transportation is not available or capable of satisfying the movement requirement. In the latter case, reimbursement is required.

We understand the problem that costly transportation presents to shipments of this nature. Unfortunately, since this request does not meet any of the criteria above, there is nothing we can do in the way of using government aircraft to provide assistance.

Your interest in this matter is appreciated and we regret circumstances preclude a favorable response.

Sincerely,

JOHN J. WEAVER, Lt Col, USAF
W. H. HETT
Congressional Inquiry Division
Office of Legislative Liaison

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April 9, 1985

Dear Senator Cohen:

Thank you for your March 28 letter on behalf of Mr. John Hatch, who has requested the President's support of a Maine Air National Guard training mission to Germany.

Please know that your constituent's inquiry has been brought to the attention of the appropriate Administration officials for further review.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.
Assistant to the President

The Honorable William S. Cohen
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

March 28, 1985

Mr. Max Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President
for Legislative Affairs
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Max:

I am writing on behalf of John Hatch of Hampden, Maine.

Mr. Hatch is very interested in obtaining President Reagan's support of a Maine Air National Guard training mission to the Federal Republic of Germany. While the mission is one that is routinely scheduled, it would enable the safe return of a German manufactured Zeiss Stereoplanograph that was seized by U.S. forces during its invasion of Berlin in World War II. I understand that the machine was used to create topographical maps from aerial photographs. I further understand that this machine is one of six seized by U.S. forces during World War II. It has been stored at Unity College, Unity, Maine since the end of the war.

The Deputy Director of the Berlin Tourist office has inspected the Zeiss Stereoplanograph. He would be grateful for its return, and delighted to display it in the newly rebuilt Museum of Transportation and Technology in Berlin.

Mr. Hatch fully believes that the transfer would be greatly applauded by all West Germans as a substantial showing of goodwill on the part of the state of Maine and the United States. By supporting the transfer, President Reagan would garner the respect and admiration of many people both in the Federal Republic of Germany and the U.S. There is little doubt that this would further enhance the friendship between the two nations.

I would greatly appreciate your giving Mr. Hatch's request every consideration. If you have any questions or desire additional information, please feel free to contact me or Dale Gerry of my staff.

With warm regards, I am

Sincerely,



William S. Cohen
United States Senator

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MEMORANDUM FOR DONALD T. REGAN

FROM: ROBERT C. MCFARLANE *RCM*

SUBJECT: Appointment Request

The German Embassy has conveyed to my staff a request from Juergen Warnke, Minister for Economic Cooperation, to meet with you on April 1-2. Warnke will be in town following the biennial German-American Conference which takes place this time in Dallas. Warnke apparently knows you from the World Bank and IMF funding meetings.

From an NSC point of view, I see no special need for you to meet with Warnke. We have long sought to avoid what I would call multiple points of entry into the Administration and the White House. Instead, we encourage foreign visitors to meet with their USG counterparts. We have found that this helps lessen the chance for disparate comments on substantive questions.

For these reasons, I only rarely meet with foreign visitors. Of course, from time to time I do make exceptions after checking with George, or having my staff check with State or the appropriate agency. I believe you saw the benefit of encouraging foreigners to meet with their counterparts when at Treasury and I ask that you join with me in continuing this approach here at the White House.

Unless otherwise advised, my staff will inform the German Embassy that you cannot meet with Warnke.

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March 8, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. McFARLANE

FROM: PETER R. SOMMER *Peter*

SUBJECT: Appointment Request for Don Regan

SIGNED

The German Embassy has asked that you and Don Regan meet with Juergen Warnke, Minister for Economic Cooperation, who will be in Washington on April 1-2 following the biennial German-American Conference in Dallas.

For your part, I have told the German Embassy that your schedule is tight and asked them to facilitate our review by consolidating its request. Defense Minister Woerner, Economic Minister Bangemann, as well as Horst Teltschik will also be in town and before making a recommendation to you about Warnke, I need to know if others will also be seeking appointments.

With regard to Don Regan, I do not think that German ministers, or for that matter other ministers from foreign governments, should have independent lines to the White House Chief of Staff.

RECOMMENDATION

Based on consultations with Bob Kimmitt, I recommend that you send the Tab I memo to Don Regan.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

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Tab I Memo to Don Regan

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