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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

March 14, 1984

TO:

RICHARD DARMAN

FROM:

PAM TURNER

SUBJECT:

Attendance at Meeting with the President

The following Senators attended a meeting with the President on Wednesday, March 14, 1984 at 1:45 in the Cabinet Room (budget/deficit):

Howard Baker
Bob Dole
Pete Domenici
Jake Garn
Mark Hatfield
Paul Laxalt
Ted Stevens
John Tower

Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger Secretary of the Treasury Donald Regan

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH SEVERAL REPUBLICAN SENATORS

DATE: Wednesday, March 14, 1984

LOCATION: The Cabinet Room

TIME: 1:45 p.m.

FROM: M.B. Oglesby, Jr

I. PURPOSE

To discuss the budget and our ongoing effort to achieve Republican unity in a deficit reduction package.

II. BACKGROUND

You have met twice (March 8 and 9) with this key group of Republican Senators in an effort to devise a deficit reduction package. Thus far, there appears to be general agreement on the idea of a package embodying a "three legged stool" approach focusing on revenue, non-defense spending, and defense. While there appears to be general agreement on the revenue package and non-defense spending cuts, the defense numbers remain a sticking point.

During your second meeting with this group last Friday, Senate Majority Leader Howard Baker asked for one more opportunity to meet with you today. In the meantime, Baker will have met with the other Senators in another attempt to come to some agreement on the defense numbers.

It is important that we reach some agreement with Republicans in the Congress. We anticipate that the Democrats will present their own package some time this week--perhaps Wednesday. We need to demonstrate a unified Republican approach to deficit reduction before the Democrats act.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List attached

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Senators to arrive through the Northwest Gate, and be escorted from the West Lobby to the Cabinet Room for a meeting with the President.

Attachments: Participants List

Talking Points

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury Donald Regan
Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger
OMB Director David Stockman

Senator Howard Baker (R-Tennessee)
Senator John Tower (R-Texas)
Senator Ted Stevens (R-Alaska)
Senator Paul Laxalt (R-Nevada)
Senator Pete Domenici (R-New Mexico)
Senator Mark Hatfield (R-Oregon)
Senator Bob Dole (R-Kansas)
Senator Jake Garn (R-Utah)

Staff

James A. Baker Richard Darman Bud McFarlane M.B. Oglesby Pamela Turner Jack Svahn Al Keel

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH SEVERAL REPUBLICAN SENATORS

- -- I hope everyone has had a productive few days here in terms of reaching some agreement on our deficit reduction package.

 I believe we made some real headway last week, and it is crucial that we work together and achieve a unified Republican approach to this problem.
- -- I know that the defense area has been a difficult issue for all of us, and I hope we can resolve that issue today. As I mentioned before, it is important that we have some agreement which will hold together all the way through the appropriation process, and that will require a strong effort from all of us.
- -- Howard, I will ask you to start off here and let us know how things have progressed over the past few days. (Senator Baker to open general discussion.)