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6. memo	Charles Hill to Clark re: Counter-terrorism, 3p PART - - #109	8/31/83	P1/F1
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POINDEXTER 03 AUG 83

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8/16/00*

KEYWORDS: FRANCE CHAD WALTERS, VERNON
LIBYA SECURITY ASSISTANCE
HS

SUBJECT: LTR TO MITTERRAND RE LIBYAN INVASION OF CHAD

ACTION: PRES SGD LTR DUE: STATUS C FILES PA

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Aug 3, 1983

TO: NSC/S

FROM: Dee Wilson

This letter was autopenned
"Ronald" today and hand-carried
by State to Amb. Vernon Walters,
who left for Paris this afternoon.

Bliss is sending to [unclear]

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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8/16/68

Dick Darnen,

The Judge has
approved this letter.

Dick Walters will leave
for Paris at 3:30
today. Request you
process it. Recommend
it be signed "Ronald".

John

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Aug 3, 1983

12:30

Florence:

Jim Bishop of State has requested this be signed "Ron", since that is the way he signed the last message (Sunday).

Dee Wilson (3393)

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DATE 04 AUG 83

MEMORANDUM FOR: STATE SECRETARIAT

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION:

TO: MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS

SOURCE: PRESIDENT

DATE: 03 AUG 83

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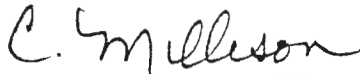
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REQUIRED ACTION: FOR INFORMATION

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FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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FROM: Jock Covey S/S 632-8448
(Officer name) (Office symbol) (Extension) (Room number)

MESSAGE DESCRIPTION IMMEDIATE CABLE TO PARIS RE PRESIDENT MESSAGE
TO BE DELIVERED BY AMBASSADOR WALTERS

TO: (Agency)	DELIVER TO:	Extension	Room No.
NSC	BOB KIMMITT	395-3044	
NSC	FRED WETTERING <i>+ NSC/S</i>	395-3393	

FOR: CLEARANCE INFORMATION PER REQUEST COMMENT

REMARKS: CLEARANCE NEEDED IMMEDIATELY

S/S Officer: *J. Covey*

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FROM HILL, C
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DOC DATE 31 AUG 83

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MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS

SUBJECT RESPONSE TO CLARK 9 AUG MEMO / COUNTER - TERRORISM

ACTION: PREPARE MEMO FOR CLARK DUE: 06 SEP 83 STATUS S FILES

FOR ACTION

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 4, 1983

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE GEORGE P. SHULTZ
The Secretary of State

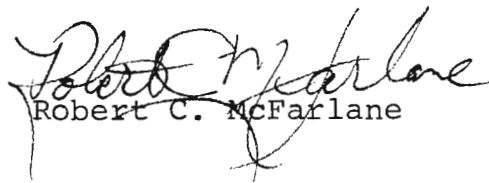
SUBJECT: Counter-Terrorism ~~(S)~~

The recent events in Lebanon and the threat posed to U.S. nationals, before our rescue operation on Grenada, demonstrate the need for U.S. assistance in training foreign counter-terrorist forces. We need to move now to ensure that the anti-terrorism training program proposed by State is acted upon by the Congress as soon as possible. ~~(S)~~

Would you, therefore in coordination with DOD and OMB, work to develop support in the Congress for this authority and the requisite funding to implement the program. ~~(S)~~

We should also move to develop the improved program for the protection of foreign officials in the U.S. along the lines of the State proposal. We are prepared to support a concerted legislative effort in this regard to ensure passage of these two key pieces of legislation. ~~(S)~~

FOR THE PRESIDENT:


Robert C. McFarlane

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

November 1, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. MCFARLANE

FROM: OLIVER L. NORTH

SUBJECT: Counter-Terrorism

Judge Clark's memorandum at Tab A tasks State, Defense, Justice, and the DCI, to review our counter-terrorism program and provide recommendations on how to implement the President's July 28 statement on the subject (Tab B). The State response at Tab C indicates actions underway. It cites three specific legislative actions for:

- anti-terrorism training,
- protection of foreign officials, and
- implementing legislation for our conventions on aircraft sabotage and the taking of hostages.

On November 1, the Chairman of the Interagency Group on Terrorism (IG/T) informed us that funding for anti-terrorism training (\$5M) has been included in the HFAC and SFRC FY-84 Foreign Operations Subcommittee mark-up. It is not, however, in the House Appropriations Committee mark. The HAC has objected to any "new programs." On the protection of foreign officials legislation, the Senate has included \$6M in funding in their mark-up and it goes to conference with the House this week. The implementing legislation for the Montreal (aircraft highjacking) and Hostage Conventions is being handled by a State/OMB/Justice task force and stands a good chance for approval in the near term.

The most pressing item at this time is to obtain funding for anti-terrorism training. It is this kind of program which will be most helpful in training foreign police and security forces which ultimately are responsible for protecting American citizens overseas. Given the events in Lebanon and the threat to U.S. nationals that existed on Grenada, this legislation should receive a sympathetic hearing on the Hill at this time.

Your memorandum at Tab I to Secretary Shultz asks that he energize his legislative apparatus in support of the anti-terrorism training program. Though the State memo at Tab C suggests that the White House contact certain senators and congressmen, we should not proceed in that direction until after State has acted. (FYI: The cables attached to the State memo at Tab C have already been transmitted. Responses from the Swiss, the FRG, Turkey, and the U.K. have been received.)

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Chris Lehman
Chris Lehman concurs.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memorandum to Secretary Shultz at Tab I.

Approve ✓

Disapprove _____

Attachment

Tab I - McFarlane Memo to Shultz

Tab A - Clark Memo of August 9, 1983

Tab B - Presidential Statement of July 28, 1983

Tab C - Hill Memo to Clark of August 31, 1983

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 9, 1983

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE GEORGE P. SHULTZ
The Secretary of State

THE HONORABLE CASPAR W. WEINBERGER
The Secretary of Defense

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM FRENCH SMITH
The Attorney General

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM J. CASEY
The Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Counter-Terrorism (U)

On July 28, 1983, the President issued a public statement condemning the terrorist attack in Lisbon. In his statement (Tab A), the President calls for more effective measures to eliminate the threat of terrorism. (U)

In order to implement the President's commitment, we should have a coherent strategy for diplomatic approaches on the issue--and simultaneously demonstrate the resolve of the USG to address the problem of terrorism. To this end, and in accord with the provisions of NSDD-30, we should urgently undertake the following actions:

- The Secretary of State, in concert with the Secretary of Defense, the Attorney General, and the Director of OMB, will develop a legislative strategy aimed at early enactment of the following legal instruments: (C)
- Implementation of the provisions of the Montreal Convention on acts against civil aviation.
- Implementation of the provisions of the International Convention on the Taking of Hostages.
- Authorization and appropriations requisite to training foreign law enforcement counter-terrorism units as provided for in amendments to the Foreign Assistance Act.
- Legal authority and resources to assist state and local jurisdictions in providing protection for foreign officials in the United States.
- Authority for the payment of rewards for information on international terrorists.

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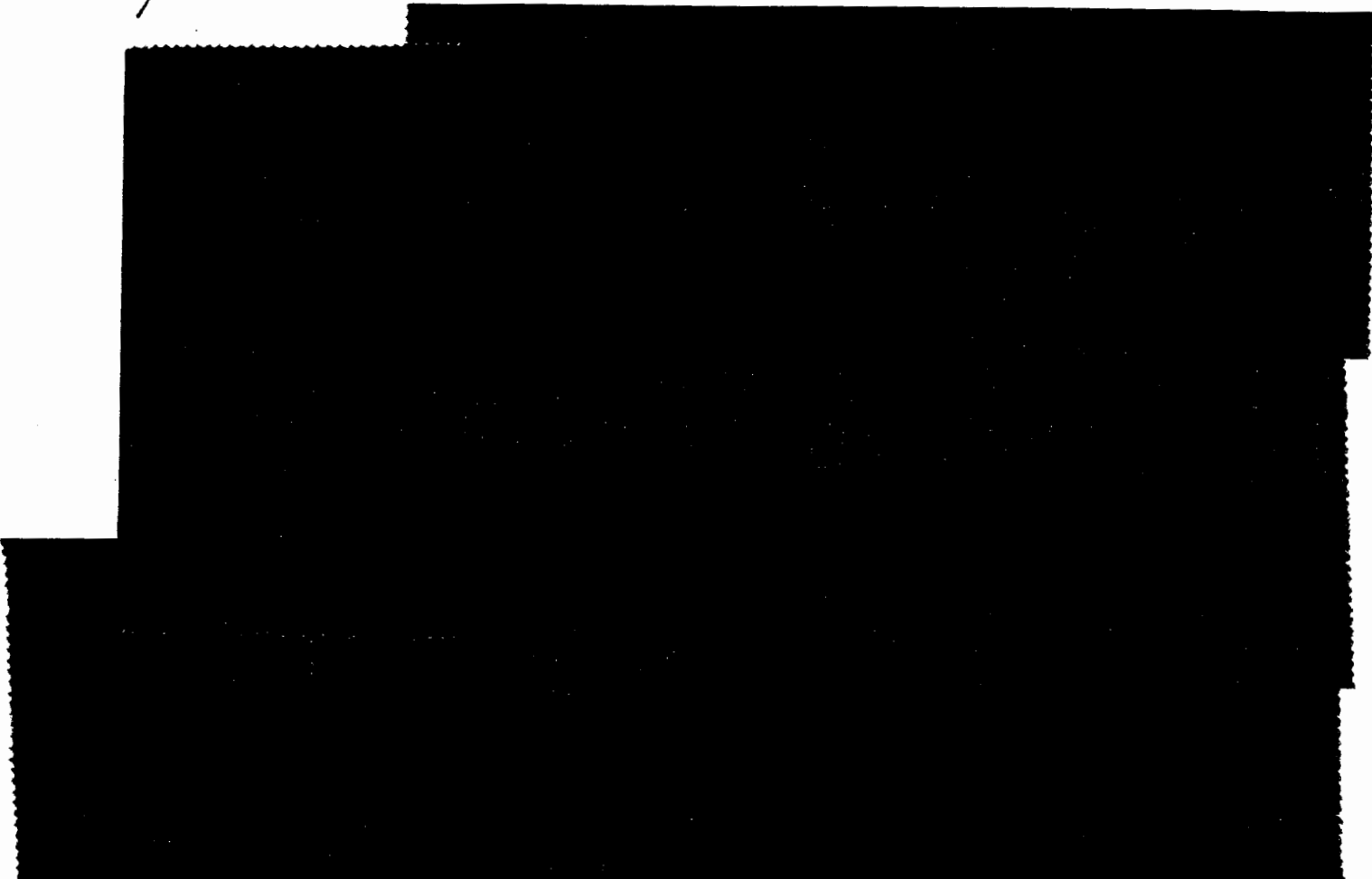
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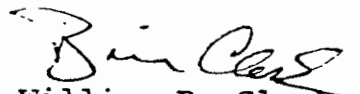
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FOR THE PRESIDENT:


William P. Clark

cc: The Vice President
David Stockman, Director, OMB
GEN John W. Vessey, Chairman, JCS

Attachments

Tab A - Presidential Statement of July 28, 1983
Tab B - Status of Legislation Affecting Terrorism

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

July 28, 1983

STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

Yesterday's attack in Lisbon on the residence of the Turkish ambassador to Portugal was only the latest in a series of brutal and increasingly indiscriminate terrorist attacks against Turkish diplomats and other innocent civilians. In yesterday's attack, for which the Revolutionary Armenian Army claims responsibility, the wife of a senior Turkish diplomat was killed and a young child was seriously wounded. Only two weeks earlier, a Turkish diplomat was murdered outside his home in Brussels, and one day later seven other individuals were killed as they waited to board a Turkish airliner in Paris. No real or imagined grievance could possibly justify these modern day horrors.

On behalf of the people and government of the United States, I extend the deepest sympathy to the Turkish government and to the families of the victims of this attack. But more than sympathy is required. This senseless violence must cease. To that end, I will be speaking to other heads of state in the days ahead regarding urgent and more effective cooperative measures to eliminate from the civilized community such barbaric and inhuman acts.

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Washington, D.C. 20520

August 31, 1983

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

WHITE HOUSE
SITUATION ROOM
SUBJECT: Counter-Terrorism

(U) In your memorandum of August 9 you requested that the Secretary of State and others review certain issues on counter-terrorism and provide you with recommendations to carry out the President's statement regarding "urgent and more effective measures" to deal with international terrorism. This memorandum responds to the first three points in your memorandum and has been discussed among the agencies concerned in a meeting of the Interdepartmental Group on Terrorism on August 25. The fourth point will be dealt with by the Director of Central Intelligence in a separate memorandum.

I. Legislation

A. Legislation Pending in the Congress

1. (U) Anti-terrorism training. In 1982 the Congress did not act on an amendment for the Foreign Assistance Program which would permit this training program. Without an authorization, the Appropriation Committees did not include funds in the FY 1983 Continuing Resolution. The training program is again this year hostage to the lack of authorization but it has been favorably reported by both authorizing Committees. While we will have an uphill battle, we should continue to push for an authorization bill this year. If it becomes clear that there will be no FAA authorization bill this year, we will seek to have the program (and the necessary amendment to the FAA which presently precludes training assistance to foreign police) included in the Continuing Resolution. What is required, however, is a clear indication that approval of this program is a priority of the President. The Department of State will continue actively to pursue Congressional approval and is soliciting appropriate supporting approaches from other IG/T agencies concerned. It is recommended that the White House:

(a) Contact Senators Percy and Pell and Congressmen Zablocki and Broomfield to urge passage of an authorization bill.

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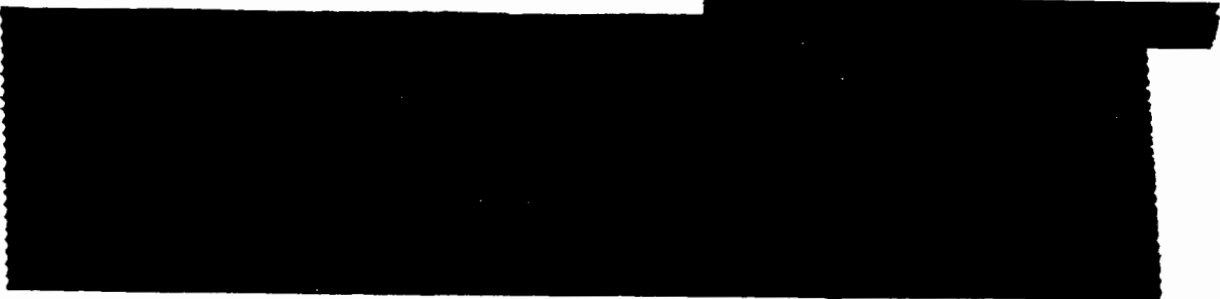
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(b) Depending on our success in the above endeavor, make approaches at the then-governing stage in the appropriations process, i.e. subcommittee (McHugh, D. N.Y.), full committee (Conte) or Conference (Kasten). We will send a follow-up memorandum along these lines as the process unfolds.

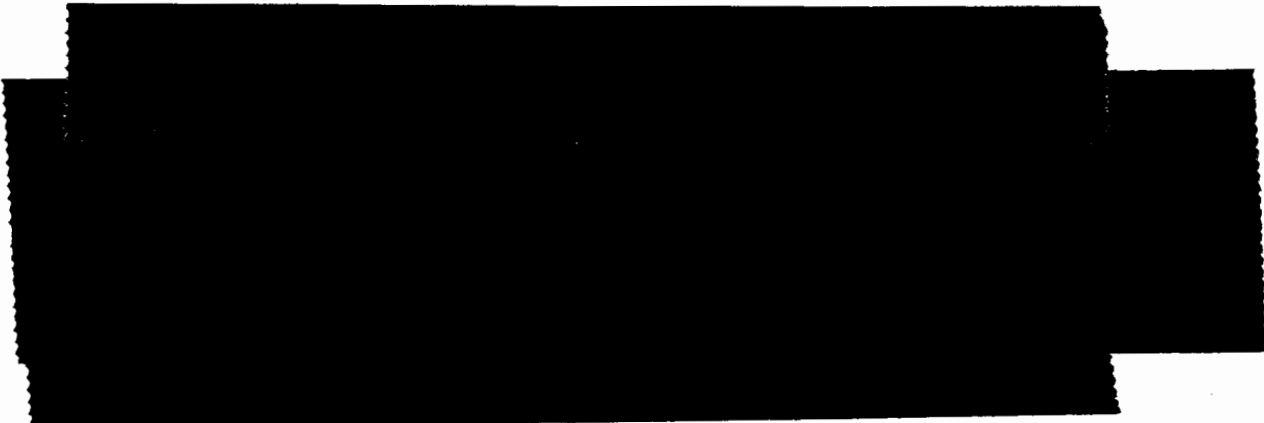
2. (U) Protection of Foreign Officials. The Department has already talked with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and is confident that the kind of tight restrictions on the use of funds as desired by the House and Senate Appropriations Committees can be written into the authorizing legislation. The House has already passed the Department's authorization. We will discuss with the House Foreign Affairs Committee and seek its acceptance of these restrictions. Congressman Smith of the House Appropriations Subcommittee has indicated that with tight restrictions he would consider an appropriation. Although we believe that his objection (and to a lesser extent that of Senator Laxalt in the Senate) is more fundamental than that, we would then recommend that we seek to include language on this item in a possible FY 1984 Continuing Resolution on the understanding that it would be a net addition of \$6 million to the Department's budget. Failing this it should be included in a supplemental budget request for fiscal year 1984.

3. (U) Legislation Pending Approval in the Executive Branch. There is no substantive objection within the Executive Branch to the three pieces of legislation: implementing provisions for the conventions on aircraft sabotage and the taking of hostages, and authority for the payment of rewards for information on terrorism outside the United States. The sole question is one of tactics: whether these three items should be included in an omnibus bill or each submitted separately. Given past experience on the Montreal Convention on aircraft sabotage which has languished for ten years in omnibus legislation and the Hostage Convention similarly for two years, the Department of State urges that we proceed on separate legislation for each item. The Acting Secretary of State recommended this course of action to the Attorney General in a letter of August 26. Although we could not expect Congressional action this year, we would be in a much better posture in discussing with other governments cooperation on terrorism.

II. ~~(S)~~ Approaches to Other Governments



~~(U)~~ The Department is also considering including in the Secretary's speech to the United Nations in September a call for strengthened international cooperation on terrorism.



Covey

Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachment:

Tab - Telegram containing proposed Presidential message to selected European heads of state or government.

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PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE ON TERRORISM

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1. ~~IC~~ - ENTIRE TEXT}

2. TO FOLLOW UP ON THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT OF JULY 28
IN WHICH HE EXPRESSED HIS INTENTION TO SEEK GREATER
COOPERATION WITH OTHER COUNTRIES IN COMBATTING TERRORISM,
PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT
REAGAN TO HEAD OF STATE/GOVERNMENT. {ANKARA TAKE THIS
PARA AS INFO. SEE PARA 4 FOR ACTION.} COUNTRY SPECIFIC
PORTIONS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE MESSAGE FOLLOW IN PARAS
6-9.

BEGIN TEXT

DEAR

I KNOW YOU SHARE WITH ME ABHORRENCE FOR THE RECENT
TERRORIST ACTS DIRECTED AT TURKISH DIPLOMATS AND
FACILITIES, WHICH HAVE ALSO TAKEN THE LIVES OF INNOCENT
BYSTANDERS.

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BY C/S NARA, DATE 5/7/03

I HAVE DIRECTED MY CABINET TO REVIEW CURRENT ANTI-TERRORISM MEASURES AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGY INCLUDING EARLY ENACTMENT OF ADDITIONAL LEGAL MEASURES, TO INCREASE OUR EFFECTIVENESS AGAINST TERRORISM.

I WOULD WELCOME A DIALOGUE WITH YOU ON WAYS EACH OF US CAN IMPROVE THE ABILITIES OF OUR COUNTRIES TO DEAL WITH THIS INCREASINGLY SERIOUS PROBLEM.

I WOULD PARTICULARLY WELCOME YOUR IDEAS ON HOW WE CAN URGENTLY STRENGTHEN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION TO ELIMINATE THE TERRORIST SCOURGE FROM THE CIVILIZED COMMUNITY.

SINCERELY,
RONALD REAGAN

END TEXT

3. WE WILL NOT BE RELEASING TEXT OF PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE AND WOULD PREFER THAT HOST GOVERNMENTS NOT RELEASE IT.

4. FOR ANKARA: PLEASE INFORM GOT AT APPROPRIATELY HIGH LEVEL OF THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

5. FOR PARIS: SEPTEL CONTAINS SIMILAR TEXT AS PART OF CONDOLENCE MESSAGE FOLLOWING BERLIN BOMBING.

6. FOR LISBON: THE ATTACK ON THE TURKISH EMBASSY IN YOUR CAPITAL, WHICH RESULTED IN TRAGIC LOSS OF LIFE INCLUDING THE DEATH OF A COURAGEOUS PORTUGUESE POLICE OFFICER, AND THIS YEAR'S BRUTAL ASSASSINATION AT THE SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE CAN ONLY HAVE SERVED TO DEEPEN OUR MUTUAL CONCERN.

7. FOR BRUSSELS: I KNOW YOU SHARE WITH ME ABHORRENCE FOR THE RECENT TERRORIST ACTS DIRECTED AT TURKISH DIPLOMATS AND FACILITIES, WHICH HAVE ALSO TAKEN THE LIVES OF INNOCENT BYSTANDERS. I AM AWARE, TOO, THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF BELGIUM HAS CONDEMNED INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM IN THE WAKE OF THE RECENT TRAGEDY INVOLVING THE TURKISH DIPLOMAT IN BRUSSELS.

8. FOR THE HAGUE: I KNOW YOU SHARE WITH ME ABHORRENCE FOR THE RECENT TERRORIST ACTS DIRECTED AT TURKISH DIPLOMATS AND FACILITIES, WHICH HAVE ALSO TAKEN THE LIVES OF INNOCENT BYSTANDERS. SEVERAL OF THESE

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INCIDENTS HAVE OCCURRED ON DUTCH SOIL IN THE LAST FEW YEARS.

9. FOR ROME: PLEASE MAKE CLEAR TO NEW PRIME MINISTER CRAXI THAT THIS FIRST SUBSTANTIVE MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN IS SIMILAR TO ONES BEING SENT TO A NUMBER OF OTHER HEADS OF GOVERNMENT.

10. FYI. THE NSC HAS ASKED THAT SEVERAL ACTIONS BE UNDERTAKEN TO FOLLOW UP THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT OF JULY 28. THIS MESSAGE IS THE FIRST SUCH ACTION. THE DEPARTMENT IS WORKING ON A PLAN FOR DIPLOMATIC APPROACHES TO EXPAND DIALOGUE ON COOPERATIVE MEASURES TO COUNTER TERRORISM, AND WOULD WELCOME POSTS' COMMENTS AS WELL AS ANY HOST GOVERNMENT COMMENTS THAT MAY RESULT FROM THIS DEMARCHE. END FYI 44

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PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE ON TERRORISM

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2. PER REFTEL. THE FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN FOR MITTERAND:

QUOTE

DEAR FRANCOIS

PERSONALLY, AND ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WANT YOU TO KNOW HOW MUCH I ABHOR THE COWARDLY TERRORIST ATTACK ON THE FRENCH CONSULATE GENERAL IN WEST BERLIN. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT STRONGLY CONDEMNS THIS LATEST INCIDENT IN A SERIES OF RECENT ATTACKS AGAINST DIPLOMATIC ESTABLISHMENTS AND OTHER FACILITIES. MY GOVERNMENT IS PREPARED TO WORK WITH FRENCH AUTHORITIES TO

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PROTECT FRENCH INSTALLATIONS HERE IN THE UNITED STATES.

I AM GREATLY CONCERNED BY THESE OUTRAGEOUS ATTACKS WHICH HAVE TAKEN THE LIVES OF SO MANY INNOCENT BYSTANDERS. I HAVE DIRECTED THAT THE MEMBERS OF MY CABINET REVIEW CURRENT ANTI-TERRORISM MEASURES AND DEVELOP A STRATEGY TO INCREASE AN EFFECTIVENESS IN COUNTERING THE TERRORIST THREAT. I WOULD WELCOME SUGGESTIONS FROM YOU ON WAYS TO STRENGTHEN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION TO ELIMINATE THE TERRORIST SCOURGE FROM THE CIVILIZED COMMUNITY. I AM CONTACTING A NUMBER OF OUR OTHER COLLEAGUES TO URGE A DIALOGUE ON WAYS EACH OF US CAN IMPROVE THE ABILITIES OF OUR GOVERNMENTS TO DEAL BOTH DOMESTICALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY WITH THIS INCREASINGLY SERIOUS PROBLEM.

SINCERELY,
RONALD REAGAN

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FROM Room John Poindexter
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TO (AGENCY)	DELIVER TO:	DEPT/ROOM NO.	EXTENSION
<u>B</u>	<u>Clay McManaway</u>	<u>5/5</u>	
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REMARKS: Request this cable be transmitted this evening to our Embassy. Thank You.

URGENT

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

TO BE SENT BY CABLE ONLY
NO ORIGINAL

March 10, 1983

Dear Francois,

Thank you for your letter of February 8, concerning the report, "Technology, Growth and Employment" which we agreed to prepare last year at Versailles. It is clear that this complex document is the result of an intense and fruitful effort. I very much appreciate your initiative in suggesting the report and for your strong support which enabled our representatives to complete it within very difficult time constraints.

I share your view that the report eventually should be published, and have asked my personal representative to discuss with yours the timing and procedure for publication at their March meeting.

It is my understanding that the other study agreed to at Versailles, on the role of intervention in foreign exchange markets, has also been completed. I propose that it, too, should be published before Williamsburg and have asked my personal representative to pursue this as well at their next meeting.

I am confident that our discussion at Williamsburg will profit from these reports, and hopeful that some of the ideas they contain can help us in our search for economic recovery and sustainable growth. Their publication will also facilitate public understanding of what we have accomplished at these meetings in the past.

Sincerely,

Ron

His Excellency Francois Mitterrand
President of the French Republic
Paris

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*Judge,
The VP intends to send this
out. J*

JR



THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

October 4, 1983

His Excellency
Francois Mitterrand
President of the French Republic
Paris

Dear Mr. President:

I have been distressed by the press coverage in France and elsewhere growing out of a meeting I had on September 28 with some American journalists.

I am told that my comments were totally distorted in the French press, thus causing you understandable concern.

First, I am very sorry if these comments were troubling. Secondly, and most importantly, I was not sending out new signals or telegraphing new policy initiatives. Without going into too great detail, what I said was as follows:

- First, we would never presume to negotiate for France or the U.K.
- Second, French and U.K. missiles should not be counted in INF, and the fact that their missiles shouldn't be counted should not give the Soviets an excuse not to negotiate in good faith in Geneva.
- Third, and this is the point that triggered the storm, in order to achieve our goal of major reductions that might lead to total elimination of all nuclear weapons, some day, some way, all missiles by all parties will have to be accounted for.

I made clear that this was not for INF and left the whole question of timing vague -- it now turns out too vague.

I value our personal relationship and as an American I treasure our historical friendship. Thus, when I heard that my comments had caused a stir, I felt deeply concerned.

I have had a chance to talk personally to Margaret Thatcher and have gained her full understanding on the matter. I hope that this short note will be sufficient to allay any concerns that you may have had.

My respect to you as always.

Sincerely,

George Bush

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SUBJECT PRES MITTERRAND LTR RE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

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S/S 8333748

Date FEB 21 1984

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

Reference:

To: the President From: French President Francois Mitterand

Date: 11/2/83 Subject: Non-proliferation of nuclear
weapons


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_____ 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.
- 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: We are awaiting responses to two additional letters
which the President sent to Heads of State before next appropriate
steps are determined.


Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

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MEMORANDUM FOR STATE SECRETARIAT

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TO PRESIDENT

SOURCE MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS

DATE 24 OCT 83

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SUBJ PRES MITTERRAND LTR RE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

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DUE DATE 08 NOV 83

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Melanie Rhodes
FOR ROBERT M KIMMITT
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

*Ambassade de France
aux Etats-Unis*

L'Ambassadeur

Washington, November 2, 1983

Dear Mr. McFarlane:

You will find herein a letter addressed by Mr. François Mitterrand, the President of the French Republic, to President Reagan, and which I was asked to forward to him.

I would be most grateful to you for remitting this document to its high addressee.

With my warmest regards, I am

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bernard Vernier-Palliez'. The signature is stylized with several vertical strokes and a diagonal line at the end.

Bernard Vernier-Palliez

The Honorable
Robert C. McFarlane
Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs
The White House
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TO. PRESIDENT

FROM MITTERRAND, FRANCOIS DOCDATE 13 FEB 84

VERNIER PALLIEZ, B 24 FEB 84

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SUBJECT. MITTERRAND LTR TO PRES IN FRENCH

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SUBJECT MITTERRAND LTR TO PRES IN FRENCH / INVITATION TO PRES TO ATTEND JUN 6
CEREMONIES COMMEMORATING 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF D-DAY

ACTION: RECOMMENDATION & TRANSLATION DUE: 18 APR 84 STATUS S FILES

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- ① Please coordinate with Bill Martin-de
- ② Has State cleared? Who?

Bob L Yes. Basically their draft.
(Bob Gelband - WE)

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 20, 1984

Dear Francois:

I very much appreciate the kind thoughts you expressed upon completion of your visit to the United States. Your trip was a great success. It captured the imagination of the American people and demonstrated the strength of Franco-U.S. friendship and the unity of the Alliance. Personally, I believe our talks cemented the mutual understanding you and I have developed over the past three years. This will serve us well as, together, we continue to work for peace, security and prosperity.

I look forward to our next meeting, and I accept with great pleasure your invitation to participate in the fortieth anniversary celebration of the Allied landings in Normandy on June 6. I welcome the opportunity to join with you in commemorating this day which means so much to the people of both our nations and to freedom-loving people everywhere.

Sincerely,

Ronald

His Excellency
Francois Mitterrand
President of the Republic of France
Paris

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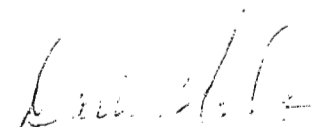
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FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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April 19, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROBERT C. MCFARLANE *Rob for SYSTEM*
SUBJECT: Response to Mitterrand Letter

SEND

Attached at Tab A is a letter from you to French President Francois Mitterrand responding to his invitation to you to participate in the D-Day ceremonies. Your response indicates acceptance of his offer and also highlights his very successful visit to Washington in March.

RECOMMENDATION

OK No

That you review and sign the letter to President Mitterrand at Tab A.

Attachment

Tab A - Letter to President Mitterrand

cc Vice President

MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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April 17, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. McFARLANE

FROM:

TYRUS W. COBB *TWC*

SUBJECT:

Response to Mitterrand Letter

SIGNED

Attached at Tab I is a memorandum from you to the President forwarding a response to an invitation from Mitterrand inviting President Reagan to participate in D-Day activities.

Bill Martin *JA* concurs. Speechwriters have cleared.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memo at Tab I, forwarding the letter to the President for signature.

Approve *J*

Disapprove _____

Attachments

Tab I - Memo to the President

Tab A - Letter to President Mitterrand



8406358
United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 12, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: President Reagan's Acceptance of President Mitterrand's
Invitation to Celebrations at Normandy, June 6, 1984

Attached is a draft reply to President Mitterrand's
invitation to President Reagan to attend the June 6 ceremonies
in France commemorating the fortieth anniversary of D-Day.

Buckley
for Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Draft Reply.
2. Incoming correspondence.

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DRAFT REPLY

Dear Mr. President:

It is with much pleasure that I accept your invitation of February 13 to participate in the fortieth anniversary celebrations of the allied landings in Normandy on June 6.

I am honored to join you in commemorating this day which means so much to the people of both our nations.

~~I look forward to seeing you in Washington later this month.~~

Sincerely,

Ronald Reagan

His Excellency
Francois Mitterrand,
President of the French Republic,
Paris.

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Dear Francois:

I very much appreciated the kind thoughts you sent me upon the completion of your state visit to the United States. Your visit was clearly a great success. It captured the attention of the American people and demonstrated the strength of Franco-US friendship and the unity of the Alliance. Personally, I believe our talks here in Washington cemented the mutual appreciation and understanding which you and I have developed over the past three years. This can only auger well as we both continue to work for international peace and security.

I look forward to our next meeting. In this regard, I accept with great pleasure your invitation to participate in the fortieth anniversary celebration of the Allied landings in Normandy on June 6. Again, we will have an opportunity to join together in commemorating this day which means so much to the people of both our nations.

Sincerely,

Ronald Reagan

His Excellency
Francois Mitterrand,
President of the
Republic of France.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Dear Francois:

I very much appreciated the kind thoughts you *expressed* sent me upon the completion of your state visit to the United States. Your *trip* visit was clearly a great success. It captured the attention of the American people and demonstrated the strength of Franco-U.S. friendship and the unity of the Alliance. Personally, I believe our talks here in Washington cemented the mutual appreciation and understanding which you and I have developed over the past three years. This *will serve us* can only auger well as we both continue to work for international peace, and security *and prosperity.*

I look forward to our next meeting, *and* in this regard, I accept with great pleasure your invitation to participate in the fortieth anniversary celebration of the Allied landings in Normandy on June 6. *Look forward to the* Again, we will have an opportunity to join *you* together in commemorating this day which means so much to the people of both our nations, *and to freedom-loving people everywhere.*

Sincerely,

His Excellency
Francois Mitterrand,
President of the
Republic of France.

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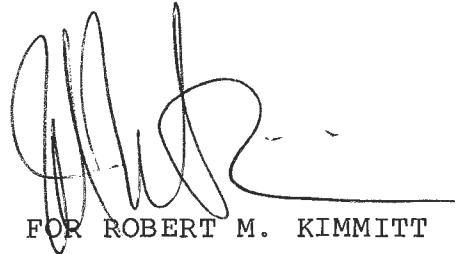
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FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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*Ambassade de France
aux Etats-Unis*

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L'Ambassadeur

February 24, 1984

Dear Mr. Mc Farlane,

You will find herein an invitation addressed by Mr. Mitterrand, President of the French Republic, to President Ronald Reagan, and which I was asked to forward to him.

I would be most grateful to you for remitting this invitation to its high addressee.

With many thanks and my best regards, I am

Sincerely,



Bernard VERNIER-PALLIEZ

The Honorable
Robert C. Mc FARLANE
Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs
The White House
WASHINGTON D.C. 20500

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

April 12, 1984

SPEECHWRITERS (Ben Elliott)

Attached a cy of proposed
letter to Pres Mitterrand,
for review.



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Date 3/30/84

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

Reference:

To: President Reagan From: President Mitterrand

Date: February 23, 1984 Subject: Space Cooperation

Mitterrand letter about cooperation in space

WH Referral Dated: March 8, 1984 NSC ID# 8401939
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 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.

Remarks:

President Mitterrand's letter was in response to a
letter sent by President Reagan on space cooperation. For
this reason, we believe that no reply is necessary.

Charles Hill
Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

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DATE: 15 MAR 84

COMMENTS.

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FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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*Ambassade de France
aux Etats-Unis*

March 7, 1984

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L'Ambassadeur

Dear Mr. Mc Farlane :

You will find herein a letter addressed by Mr. François Mitterrand, the President of the French Republic, to President Ronald Reagan, and which I was asked to forward to him.

I would be most grateful to you for remitting this document to its high addressee.

With many thanks and my best regards, I am

Sincerely,



Bernard Vernier-Palliez

The Honorable
Robert C. Mc Farlane
Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs
The White House
Washington D.C. 20500

LE PRÉSIDENT DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE

Paris,
Le 23 février 1984

Monsieur le Président,

chez Ron

C'est avec grand intérêt que j'ai pris connaissance de votre message du 25 janvier dernier m'annonçant l'intention des Etats-Unis de développer un programme de station spatiale habitée.

Vous appelez à une coopération entre les Etats-Unis et la France sur ce projet ambitieux. Nous sommes prêts à étudier avec intérêt les voies d'une telle coopération, et nos représentants au sein de l'Agence Spatiale Européenne recevront mandat de travailler en ce sens.

Le Centre National d'Etudes Spatiales est également prêt à étudier toute forme de coopération bilatérale avec la NASA. Selon nous, une telle coopération s'inscrira dans la préparation d'une action dans laquelle les Pays Européens peuvent souhaiter s'engager ensemble.

Les perspectives ainsi ouvertes pourront être utilement appréciées lors du prochain voyage en France de Monsieur James M. BEGGS, administrateur de la NASA.

Je vous prie d'agréer, Monsieur le Président, l'assurance de ma très haute considération.

*er de mon père
Amvreni*
Francis Mitterand

François MITTERRAND

Son Excellence

Monsieur Ronald REAGAN
Président des Etats-Unis d'Amérique