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July 1, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT MCFARLANE
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: TWA Hijacking - Release of the Hostages

The following is a summary of significant ongoing efforts relating to future movement of the released hostages, the hijacked aircraft, and our efforts to secure the release of the seven kidnapped Americans remaining in Lebanon.

Tentative Travel Plans of Released Hostages

Most of the released hostages plan to depart Wiesbaden Tuesday July 2 aboard a TWA special flight scheduled to land at Andrews at 1500 EDT. Family members and seven State Department representatives (including Oakley) are expected to accompany them. TWA is arranging onward flights for the ex-hostages.

TWA Plan to Retrieve Hijacked Aircraft from Beirut

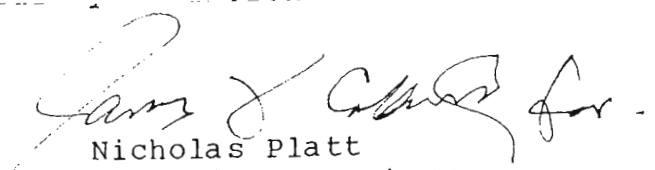
We have been in contact with TWA President Ed Meyer and Vice President John Ash regarding TWA plans to retrieve the hijacked Boeing 727 airliner from the runway in Beirut. On our advice, TWA cancelled plans to fly a four-man American flight crew to Beirut International Airport on July 1 and is considering alternate means of getting the aircraft back. Embassy Beirut reports the plane is understood to be fueled and ready to fly but states that under no circumstances should a TWA crew come to Beirut. TWA understands Middle East Airlines has no "727 qualified" pilots. TWA has been in touch with Syrian Airlines and is considering Olympic Airways as a fallback possibility.

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Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary