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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 8, 1985

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MEMORANDUM TO PATRICK J. BUCHANAN

FROM: PAMELA G. BAILEY *PGB*

SUBJECT: Nicaragua and Budget

Attached are various proposals for RR events on both Nicaragua (Tab A) and the budget (Tab B) votes. Not yet available but key to both efforts is Congressional Affairs input on strategy and RR's role on these issues.

If we can get sign-off on RR's events and include Congressional Affairs plans, we can then put together one comprehensive, detailed plan reflecting all that is being done to win both issues.

Sunday, April 14

ACTION

- o \* RR proposed visit to Jim Wright's district, Fort Worth, or other southwest border site. Enroute to D.C. from California, object would be to focus attention (especially southwest congressional delegation) on wave of humanity spreading north from Central America.

Monday, April 15

- o \* Morning RR meets with prominent bi-partisan supporters. Kicks-off 2 weeks of intensive lobbying for Nicaragua peace plan.
  - oo RR would meet in Oval Office with Kissinger and other prominent supporters such as Brezinski and Mayor Koch. Group would proceed either to Rose Garden for photo or to East Room where larger group would be assembled for briefing and RR remarks.
  
- o 7:30 p.m. RR speaks to Nicaraguan Refugee Fund dinner. Live coverage of remarks targetted for CNN or CBN. Follow-up coverage on a.m. news shows.

Tuesday, April 16

ACTION

- o 1:30 p.m. RR drops by Conference on Religious Freedom. (Room 450) \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 17

- o \* RR meets with various prominent Europeans who support RR in Central America. (Sign-off dependent on composition of group). Group would leave White House for Capital Hill and series of meetings there. \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday, April 18

- o \* Noon Media Relations day-long briefing for targetted regional press on budget and Nicaragua. RR speaks at lunch in State Dining Room. \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday, April 21

- o \* RR t.v. speech on week's upcoming budget and/or Nicaragua votes. \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 23

(Senate Vote on Nicaragua)

- o 8:00 p.m. RR News Conference. Opening statement focuses on upcoming Nicaragua vote in House and recent victory in Senate. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 24 - Friday, April 26

- o \* RR East Room briefing for House members on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 24 - Friday, April 26

- o \* RR would meet with former Central American Presidents and Foreign Ministers. \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday, April 27

- o \* 12 Noon RR Radio Talk on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_

To Be Scheduled \*

Presidential breakfasts, lunches and meetings with key congressional leaders.

Monday, April 15

ACTION

o \*

RR meets with Cabinet. Update on Nicaragua and budget prospects.

\_\_\_\_\_

RR asks Cabinet to make selling the budget their domestic priority over next 2 ½ weeks. RR statement released regarding Income Tax Day and need to reduce government spending, passage of budget essential, last best chance.

Tuesday, April 16

o \*

RR speaks at OPL East Room briefing for key interest groups on the budget.

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Thursday, April 18

o \*

Media Relations day-long briefing on the budget and Nicaragua. RR speaks at State Dining Room lunch. Q&As.

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Saturday, April 20

- o \* RR radio talk on budget and upcoming debate. \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday, April 21

- o \* RR t.v. speech on upcoming budget and Nicaragua votes: "Economic Security and National Security." \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 23

- o \* RR address on the budget to National Association of Realtors. \_\_\_\_\_
- o RR News Conference.

Monday, April 29

- o \* RR address to U.S. Chamber of Commerce annual meeting. Forum would provide opportunity for major RR speech on the the budget immediately prior to vote. \_\_\_\_\_

To Be Scheduled

RR individual meetings with key Senate and House Members.

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

Date: 4/9/85

TO: MICHAEL K. DEEVER

FROM: PAT BUCHANAN

- Action
- Comment
- ~~Let's Discuss~~
- FYI

Proposed Resistance Aid/Budget  
communications plan.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 8, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: PAT BUCHANAN

SUBJECT: BUDGET/NICARAGUAN AID COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

Herewith is a Communications Plan for intensive Presidential involvement in both the Nicaraguan Aid and Budget debates. As we get two votes on Nicaragua, by April 30, and only the Senate vote on Budget, the early part of the program -- plus a Legislative Strategy recommended by Max's Shop -- focuses more heavily on Contra Aid, although there is a goodly amount of emphasis here on Budget as well.

Mike Deaver has generally approved all of the recommendations -- with the exception of the Presidential Sunday Night Speech, April 21, on Nicaragua. His feeling is that the President ought not be emphasizing on national television an issue as negative and controversial as Contras. The Communications Group generally feels that an RR television speech is indispensable to victory, at least in the House.

(The Sunday before the Senate vote was selected to give the Nation the sense that the President triumphed again, when the Senate votes, and to thus build momentum for the House. However, if the President decides to go with the speech, the timing is certainly flexible.)

NOTE: There is some redundancy on the Budget Calendar. This simply means that an event can be dedicated to both causes. Will be home this evening if you want to discuss.

cc: Robert C. McFarlane

TAB

(A)

Week of April 15

ACTION

5 meetings (15 minutes each- one on one) Re: Nicaragua  
Oval Office

- o Jim Wright
- o Lee Hamilton
- o Jamie Whitten
- o Dante Fascell
- o Sil Conte

Monday, April 15

- o \* Morning RR meets with prominent bi-partisan supporters. Kicks-off 2 weeks of intensive lobbying for Nicaragua peace plan.

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- oo RR would meet in Oval Office with Kissinger and other prominent supporters such as Brezinski and Mayor Koch. Group would proceed either to Rose Garden for photo or to East Room where larger group would be assembled for briefing and RR remarks.

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- o 7:30 p.m. RR speaks to Nicaraguan Refugee Fund dinner. Live coverage of remarks targetted for CNN or CBN. Follow-up coverage on a.m. news shows.

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Tuesday, April 16

ACTION

- o 9:30-10:30 am GOP Leadership regarding Nicaragua and budget. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 1:30 pm RR drops by Conference on Religious Freedom. (Room 450) \_\_\_\_\_
- o 6:00-6:30 pm Cocktails with 2-3 Senate Members. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 17

- o 9:30-10:30 am Full Senate Appropriations Committee.  
Re: Nicaragua  
Cabinet Room \_\_\_\_\_
- o 45 minutes Meeting with House Intelligence Committee group that traveled to Central America April 12-16. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 30 minutes Senate phone calls.  
Re: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_
- o \* RR meets with various prominent Europeans who support RR in Central America. (Sign-off dependent on composition of group). Group would leave White House for Capital Hill and series of meetings there. \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday, April 18

- o 8:30-9:30 am Breakfast with Senate Jurisdiction  
Bipartisan leadership, Appropriations,  
Foreign Relations, Intelligence, Armed  
Services, Dole, Thurmond, Simpson, Byrd,  
Inouye.  
Family Dining Room  
Re: Nicaragua  
(ALTERNATE DATE: APRIL 19) \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o \* Noon Media Relations day-long briefing for  
targetted regional press on budget and  
Nicaragua. RR speaks at lunch in State  
Dining Room. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 1 hour Telephone calls or meetings.  
Re: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 6:00-6:30 pm Cocktails with 2-3 Senators.  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday, April 21

- o \* RR t.v. speech on week's upcoming budget and/or  
Nicaragua votes. \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, April 22

- o 1 ½ hours Calls or meetings with Senate members.  
Re: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 23

(Senate Vote on Nicaragua)

- o 8:30-9:30 am Breakfast with House Appropriations Committee. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua  
Family Dining Room
- o 1 hour Calls or meetings with Senate members. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua
- o 8:00 pm RR News Conference. Opening statement \_\_\_\_\_  
focuses on upcoming Nicaragua vote in House  
and recent victory in Senate.

Wednesday, April 24 - Friday, April 26

- o \* RR East Room briefing for House members \_\_\_\_\_  
on Nicaragua.

Wednesday, April 24

- o 8:30-9:30 am Breakfast with House Foreign Affairs Committee. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua  
Family Dining Room
- o 12:00-1:15 pm Lunch with House Intelligence Committee. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua  
Cabinet Room

Thursday, April 25

- o 1½ hours Senate phone calls and meetings. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua and Budget
  
- o 8:30-9:30 am Breakfast with House Armed Services Committee. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua  
Family Dining Room

Friday, April 26

- o 1 hour House meetings on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 24 - Friday, April 26

- o \* RR would meet with former Central American Presidents and Foreign Ministers. \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday, April 27

- o \* 12 Noon RR Radio Talk on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, April 29

o 1 hour House meetings.  
Re: Nicaragua

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Tuesday, April 30

Time for phone calls.



TAB

B

Monday, April 15

ACTION

o \*

RR meets with Cabinet. Update on Nicaragua and budget prospects.

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RR asks Cabinet to make selling the budget their domestic priority over next 2 ½ weeks. RR statement released regarding Income Tax Day and need to reduce government spending, passage of budget essential, last best chance.

Tuesday, April 16

o \*

RR speaks at OPL East Room briefing for key interest groups on the budget.

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Thursday, April 18

o \*

Media Relations day-long briefing on the budget and Nicaragua. RR speaks at State Dining Room lunch. Q&As.

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Thursday, April 25

- o 1½ hours Senate phone calls and meetings regarding Nicaragua and budget. \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, April 29

- o \* RR address to U.S. Chamber of Commerce annual meeting. Forum would provide opportunity for major RR speech on the budget immediately prior to vote. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 30 minutes Senate meetings regarding budget. \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 30

Time for phone calls.

Saturday, April 20

- o \* RR radio talk on budget and upcoming debate.
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Sunday, April 21

- o \* RR t.v. speech on upcoming budget and Nicaragua votes: "Economic Security and National Security."
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Monday, April 22

- o 6:00-7:00 pm All Senate Republicans. Budget kick-off reception. Rose Garden (back up -- Indian Treaty Room).
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Tuesday, April 23

- o \* RR address on the budget to National Association of Realtors.
  - o RR News Conference.
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Underlined events relate to Nicaragua or budget.  
\*\* Events are proposals. Not yet scheduled.

Week of April 15

ACTION

\*\* 5 meetings (15 minutes each - one on one) Re: Nicaragua Oval Office

- o Jim Wright
- o Lee Hamilton
- o Jamie Whitten
- o Dante Fascell
- o Sil Conte

Monday, April 15

- o 10:00 am RR attends Ringling Bros. Circus. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* Morning RR meets with prominent bi-partisan supporters. Kicks-off 2 weeks of intensive lobbying for Nicaragua peace plan. \_\_\_\_\_
  - oo RR would meet in Oval Office with Kissinger and other prominent supporters such as Brezinski and Mayor Koch. Group would proceed either to Rose Garden for photo or to East Room where larger group would be assembled for briefing and RR remarks. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 12 noon Issues Briefing Lunch. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 2:00 pm Cabinet Affairs Briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* RR meets with Cabinet. Update on Nicaragua and budget prospects. \_\_\_\_\_
  - RR asks Cabinet to make selling the budget their domestic priority over next 2½ weeks. RR statement released regarding Income Tax Day and need to reduce government spending, passage of budget essential, last best chance.

ACTION

- o 4:00 pm Congressional meeting on Farm Issues. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 4:45 pm Law Day Signing Ceremony. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 4:55 p.m. Photo with Norman Wymbs. \_\_\_\_\_
- o Approx 6:30pm Drop-by reception for Milton Pitts. \_\_\_\_\_
- o Approx 7:00pm Drop-by CFTR Reception. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 7:30 pm RR speaks to Nicaraguan Refugee Fund dinner.  
Live coverage of remarks targetted for CNN or  
CBN. Follow-up coverage on a.m. news shows. \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 16

- o\*\* 9:30-10:30am GOP Leadership regarding Nicaragua and budget.  
(Currently scheduled as a bipartisan meeting.) \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* 60 minutes Two meetings on Budget;  
Cabinet Room; 10-16 Senators each. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 11:00 a.m. NSC briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* RR speaks at OPL East Room briefing for key  
interest groups on the budget. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 1:30 pm RR drops by Conference on Religious Freedom.  
(Room 450) \_\_\_\_\_
- o T 2:00 pm Cabinet time. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 4:15 pm Congressional Medal to Danny Thomas. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 4:30 pm Dental appointment. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* 6:00-6:30pm Cocktails with approx.5 Senators.  
Re: Nicaragua Blue or Red Room \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 17

ACTION

- o 9:30 am Briefing for Bendjedid. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 9:30-10:30 am Full Senate Appropriations Committee. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua  
Cabinet Room
  
- o\*\* 30 minutes Meeting on budget with 10-16 Senators. \_\_\_\_\_  
Cabinet Room.
  
- o 10:30 am Bendjedid meeting. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 1:30 pm Meeting with RR Pres. Foundation Board. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 2:00 pm Video-taping session. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 7:15 pm State Dinner. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 45 minutes Meeting with House Intelligence Committee \_\_\_\_\_  
group that traveled to Central America  
April 12-16.
  
- o\*\* 30 minutes Senate phone calls. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua
  
- o\*\* RR meets with various prominent Europeans who \_\_\_\_\_  
support RR in Central America. (Sign-off  
dependent on composition of group). Group  
would leave White House for Capitol Hill and  
series of meetings there.

Thursday, April 18

ACTION

- o\*\* 8:30-9:30 am Breakfast with Senate jurisdictional committee chairmen and rank members and Bipartisan leadership, Appropriations, Foreign Relations, Intelligence, Armed Services; Dole, Thurmond, Simpson, Byrd, Inouye.  
Family Dining Room  
Re: Nicaragua  
(ALTERNATE DATE: APRIL 19) \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 30 minutes Meeting with 10-16 Senators regarding Budget. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o T 11:00 am Cabinet time. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 12 noon Lunch with VP. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 12 noon Media Relations day-long briefing for targetted regional press on budget and Nicaragua. RR speaks at lunch in State Dining Room. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 1:30 pm Teacher of the Year Ceremony. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 3:00 pm Official photo. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 30 minutes Telephone calls or meetings. Senate emphasis.  
RE: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 4:00 pm Personnel time. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 4:30 pm Administrative time. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 5:00 pm Haircut \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 6:00-6:30 pm Cocktails with approx.5 Senators.  
RE: Nicaragua  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_



ACTION

Friday, April 19

- o 11:30 am Jewish Heritage Week Ceremony. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 1:15 pm "Victims of Crime Week" ceremony. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 1:30 pm Meeting with Secretary Shultz. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 2:00 pm Cabinet Affairs Briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* 30 minutes Senate phone calls or meetings.  
RE: Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday, April 20

- o 12:06 pm Radio Talk on Volunteerism. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* RR radio talk on budget and upcoming debate. \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday, April 21

- o\*\* RR t.v. speech on upcoming budget and/or  
Nicaragua votes: "Economic Security  
and National Security." \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, April 22

ACTION

- o\*\* 1½ hours      Calls or meetings with Senate members.  
Re: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o    11:00 am      Meeting with PEPAB. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o    12 noon      Volunteer Awards Lunch. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- HOLD AFTERNOON
  
- o    5:00 pm      Drop-by RCLC Reception. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 6:00-7:00 pm    All Senate Republicans. Budget kick-off  
(30 minutes      reception. Rose Garden (back up --  
for RR)            Indian Treaty Room). \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 23

- o\*\*                    RR address on the budget to National  
Association of Realtors. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 1 hour            Calls or meetings with Senate members.  
Re: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 8:30-9:30 am    Breakfast with House Appropriations Committee.  
Re: Nicaragua \_\_\_\_\_  
Family Dining Room
  
- o    9:40 am           Meeting with Jacques Delors. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o    11:00 am          Peace Corps Africa Send-off. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o    11:55 am          Photo with Sherry Beadle. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o    12:00 noon       Arts & Humanities Lunch. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- HOLD AFTERNOON AND EVENING.
  
- o    8:00 pm           RR News Conference. Opening statement  
focuses on upcoming Nicaragua vote in House  
and recent victory in Senate. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, April 24 - Friday, April 26

ACTION

o\*\* RR would meet with former Central American Presidents and Foreign Ministers.

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Wednesday, April 24 - Friday, April 26

o\*\* RR East Room briefing for House members on Nicaragua.

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Wednesday, April 24

o\*\* 8:30-9:30 am Breakfast with Hispanic Caucus.  
Re: Nicaragua and drug border problems.  
Family Dining Room

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o 10:05 am Drop-by First Ladies Summit Meeting.

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o 11:00 am Cabinet Affairs Briefing.

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o\*\* 12:00-1:15 pm Lunch with House Intelligence Committee.  
Re: Nicaragua  
Cabinet Room

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o 1:30 pm Meeting with Secretary Shultz.

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o 2:00 pm Interview with Pat Robertson.

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o 6:30 pm Senator Laxalt's "Lamb Fry."

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Thursday, April 25

ACTION

- o\*\* 1½ hours      Phone calls and meetings. Senate on budget and House on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 8:30-9:30 am      Breakfast with House Armed Services Committee. \_\_\_\_\_  
Re: Nicaragua  
Family Dining Room
  
- o      12:15 pm      Economic Summit Briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o      1:45 pm      Photo with National Troopers Coalition. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o      2:00 pm      Interview briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o      2:30 pm      Interview with Economic Summit Countries' print journalists. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o      4:00 pm      Personnel time. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o      4:30 pm      Administrative time. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o      5:00 pm      Video-taping session. \_\_\_\_\_

Friday, April 26

ACTION

- o\*\* 8:30-9:30am Breakfast with House Foreign Affairs Committee on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* 1 hour House meetings or phone calls on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 10:45 pm Senior Citizens Volunteer Ceremony. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 11:00 am Briefing for Chun visit. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 11:30 am Meeting with Chun. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 12:15 pm Lunch with Chun. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 1:30 pm Departure statements. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 1:45 pm Meeting with Secretary Shultz. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 2:15 pm Interview briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
- o 2:45 pm Interview with News Service print reporters. \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday, April 27

- o 12 noon Radio Talk on Drug Abuse Conference. \_\_\_\_\_
- o\*\* 12 noon RR Radio Talk on Nicaragua. \_\_\_\_\_
- o Evening WH Correspondents Dinner. \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, April 29

ACTION

- o\*\* RR address to U.S. Chamber of Commerce annual meeting. Forum would provide opportunity for major RR speech on the budget immediately prior to vote. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o\*\* 90 minutes Phone calls or meetings. House on Nicaragua and Senate on budget. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 12:15 pm Economic Summit Briefing Luncheon. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 2:00 pm Interview Briefing. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 2:30 pm Interview with t.v. reporters from Economic Summit Countries. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 4:00 pm Congressional Photo Time. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 5:00 pm Haircut \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday, April 30

- \*\* 45 minutes Phone calls on Nicaragua. House focus. \_\_\_\_\_
  
- o 9:30 pm Depart for European Trip. \_\_\_\_\_

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 9, 1985

*sent to  
Reagan  
FR*

MEMORANDUM FOR ✓MICHAEL DEEVER  
FREDERICK RYAN

FROM: NANCY RISQUE *Nancy Risque*  
FOR MAX FRIEDERSDORF AND M. B. OGLESBY

SUBJECT: REVISED Outline of Presidential Time for  
Nicaragua and Budget

Week of April 15

- ° Five meetings; 15 minutes each; Oval office; RE Nicaragua; Jim Wright, Lee Hamilton, Jamie Whitten, Dante Fascell, Sil Conte.

April 16

- ° GOP Leadership meeting; 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.; Cabinet Room; RE Nicaragua and Budget.
- ° Two meetings; 30 minutes each; Cabinet Room; RE Budget; 10-16 senators each.
- ° Cocktails; 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.; Blue or Red Room; RE Nicaragua; approximately 5 senators.

April 17

- ° Meeting with full Senate Appropriations Committee; 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.; Cabinet Room; RE Nicaragua.
- ° Meeting with 10-16 senators; 30 minutes; Cabinet Room; RE Budget.
- ° Meeting with House Intelligence Committee members who traveled to Central America April 12-16; 45 minutes; Cabinet Room; RE Nicaragua.
- ° Senate phone calls; 30 minutes; RE Nicaragua.

April 18

- ° Breakfast meeting with Senate bipartisan leadership and jurisdictional committee chairmen and ranking members; 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.; Family Dining Room; RE Nicaragua; Appropriations, Foreign Relations, Intelligence, Armed Services; Dole, Thurmond, Simpson, Byrd, Inouye. (alternate Date: April 19).

- Meeting with 10-16 senators; 30 minutes; Cabinet Room; RE Budget.
- Phone calls or meetings; 30 minutes; RE Nicaragua; Senate emphasis.
- Cocktails; 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.; Blue or Red Room; RE Nicaragua; Approximately 5 senators.

April 19

- Phone calls or meetings; 30 minutes; RE Nicaragua; Senate emphasis.

April 22

- Phone calls or meetings; 90 minutes; RE Nicaragua; Senate focus.
- Budget kickoff reception; 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. (30 minutes of Presidential participation); Rose Garden or Indian Treaty Room; RE Budget; all Republican senators.

April 23

- Breakfast meeting with House Appropriations Committee members; 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.; State Room or Family Dining Room; RE Nicaragua.
- Phone calls or meetings; 60 minutes; RE Nicaragua; Senate focus.

April 24

- Breakfast meeting with Hispanic Caucus; 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.; Family Dining Room; RE Drug Border problems and Nicaragua. (This meeting is now scheduled for May 23. It would be helpful to have it before House vote on Nicaragua.)
- Luncheon meeting with House Intelligence Committee; 12:00 - 1:15 p.m.; Cabinet Room; RE Nicaragua.

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April 25

- ° Breakfast meeting with House Armed Services Committee; 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.; State Room or Family Dining Room; RE Nicaragua.
- ° Phone calls and meetings; 90 minutes; RE Senate on Budget and House on Nicaragua.

April 26

- ° Breakfast meeting with House Foreign Affairs Committee; 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.; Family Dining Room; RE Nicaragua.
- ° Phone calls or meetings; 60 minutes; RE Nicaragua; House focus.

April 29

- ° Phone calls or meetings; 90 minutes; RE House on Nicaragua and Senate on Budget.

April 30

- ° Phone calls; 45 minutes; RE Nicaragua; House focus.

cc: Pat Buchanan

4/9/85