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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

SUBJECT: Summary of Judge Clark's Meeting with Prime Minister Manuel Ulloa of Peru

PARTICIPANTS: William P. Clark, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Roger W. Fontaine, Senior Staff Member National Security Council

> Manuel Ulloa, Prime Minister of Peru Roberto Danino, Secretary-General of the Ministry of the Economy, Peru Alfonso Rivero, Minister-Counselor, Embassy of Peru

DATE, TIME AND PLACE: Monday, June 28, 1982, 11:45-12:00 Judge Clark's office, The White House

Judge Clark welcomed Prime Minister Ulloa to the White House and conveyed the President's regards.

Prime Minister Ulloa remarked that with the events in the South Atlantic, the way might be cleared for fresh approaches and thus create the possibility of a dialogue. The Prime Minister remarked he had only talked to Secretary Haig by phone, but he had met with Secretary-designate Shultz on several occasions.

Prime Minister Ulloa then conveyed the feelings and mood of the region as he expressed these to Deputy Secretary Stoessel at State. He stated the problem of Argentina is a problem for us all. He is not optimistic about Argentina being able to pull together an effective government and that this would have a negative impact financially, inter alia, on the world system. If Argentina slides into anarchy, this will have a negative effect on all of us trying to make democracy more permanent.

Judge Clark stated our support for democratic and constitutional government and that we are helping as much as we can. He expressed the hope that our interruption of relations--in the broad sense of that term--will be short lived. But it depends on what government emerges. The Judge then asked the Prime Minister, what should we be doing that we are not doing?

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Prime Minister Ulloa said that it was a delicate matter. There is a limit as to what the U.S. can do. Brazil and Peru can speak more directly and openly about political matters.

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As for change in the OAS and the inter-American system, that should be played very cooly. The issue should remain dormant for a while. There is no unanimity of views, in any case.

The U.S. might place more emphasis on multilateral institutions. Issues like graduation that affect Mexico and Argentina are best handled by the World Bank, the IDB, and the IMF.

In general, nerves are irritated. Some realize there is no preferred relationship and that the U.S. has a global strategy. Argentina's defeat also caused Latin resentment against the U.S. and the British.

But there are fundamental ties, and setbacks are inevitable. The U.S. should try to soothe feelings and still not be patronizing. In the meantime, Brazil can exert a quiet influence.

At the same time, the left will fish in Argentina's muddied waters, but we should remain cautious and careful.

Finally, we should maintain our bilateral relations with individual countries in Latin America.

Returning to the Argentinian problem, the Prime Minister added that they have brought much of this upon themselves, but we cannot let Argentina go. Argentina remains a western nation--more so than most.

Judge Clark thanked the Prime Minister for his views and expressed strong support for U.S. Ambassador Frank Ortiz.

Prime Minister Ulloa said the U.S. Ambassador was doing well and had come out of his first months in Lima relatively unscathed.

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: ROGER W. FONTAINE

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Conversation

At Tab I for your approval is the Memorandum of Conversation of your meeting with Prime Minister Manuel Ulloa of Peru.

Recommendation

That you approve the Memorandum of Conversation at Tab I.
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Attachment Tab I Memorandum of Conversation

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: NORMAN A. BAILEY

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Conversation Between You, Etienne Davignon, and Wilhelm Haferkamp, July 15, 1982

Attached at Tab I is a memorandum of conversation between you, Etienne Davignon, and Wilhelm Haferkamp, of the European Community, on July 15, 1982.

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cc: Henry Nau Roger Robinson Richard Pipes James Rentschler

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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

SUBJECT:

Summary of Judge Clark's Meeting with Etienne Davignon and Wilhelm Haferkamp, European Community Commissioners

PARTICIPANTS:

William P. Clark, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Norman Bailey, Senior Director of National Security Planning Henry Nau, Director of International Economic Affairs Etienne Davignon, Commissioner, European Community Wilhelm Haferkamp, Commissioner, European Community

DATE, TIME AND PLACE: July 15, 1982 4:40 - 5:10 p.m., Situation Room

Mr. Haferkamp: Due to an accumulation of factors, there is a perception of a concerted American offensive against Europe. Let's break down the package and deal with its elements separately. The export credit issue is settled. Let's see what we can do on steel. Matters we thought were settled are coming up again, such as the citrus question, on which you have brought a case in the GATT, despite prior agreements. You are attacking the basis of our arrangements with EFTA and with the Lome countries. This must be studied in depth. On this basis the Caribbean Basin Initiative would not be allowed. The steel issue will be the most difficult to resolve, then the pipeline issue. If AEG goes under or there are massive layoffs, the reaction will be very bad. (C)

Judge Clark: You are misreading President Reagan. Some of the problems you have created for yourselves. Did you not discuss the sanctions after December 29? Especially the Germans and the French are misreading the President. The President is guided by principle. His stand is based on human rights, although not unmindful of economic and legal implications. Schmidt and others are most concerned about domestic issues and not principle. (Remainder of remarks off-the-record.) (2)

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<u>Mr. Haferkamp</u>: As of 30 June, new export rates apply and the Soviet Union has been upgraded (in the OECD classifications). Why don't you set up a grain cartel? There are only five important countries. (\mathscr{C})

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Mr. Davignon: I understand your frustration that we don't understand the motives of the President. We never had a discussion about what it is we are pressuring the Soviets to do. What are we going to achieve? On gas, the security argument simply does not stand up. Just as the Soviet situation is getting awful, you provide relief. (It was later clarified that he meant political relief.) How much delay can you force? There is no possibility now that the deal won't be made. What do we do now to confront the sanctions? We have an extraordinarily complex legal situation. Do we analyze this or not? U.S. suppliers will be perceived as unreliable. We will get the gas by 1985 whether the pipeline is finished or not. Note that you are supplying phosphates in return for urea. We do not want a confrontation. Is the U.S. Government going to take the steel company position or take its own decision? What do we do with the twenty turbines we already have? Thatcher will send the turbines. Some told us we shouldn't have come because the Americans don't want to listen. Others said the time is not ripe. The Russians tell us they will do it (build the pipeline) (2) no matter what.

Mr. Haferkamp: All of this is adding additional uncertainties for the business community. (W)

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SO FRENCH WERE NOT ALONE.

3. ATTALI STRESSED THAT IN HIS VIEW DATES FOR SUMMIT SHOULD BE DISCUSSED AMONG THE SHERPAS. SINCE ATTALI IS STILL CHAIRMAN OF THE SHERPA GROUP UNTIL JANUARY 1, HE IS INVITING THE SHERPAS TO A MEETING HERE OVER THE FIRST WEEKEND IN DECEMBER. THE PROBLEM OF DATES, AND ALL OTHER PROBLEMS RELATING TO THE SUMMIT, CAN BE DISCUSSED AT THAT TIME.

4. ATTALI WAS RESENTFUL THAT A COMMUNICATION HAD BEEN SENT DIRECTLY TO A FRENCH OFFICIAL (DUFOUR) BY PRESI-DENTIAL ASSISTANT MICHAEL DEAVER, INVITING HIM TO A MEETING IN WILLIAMSBURG. ATTALI SAID HE WAS PREPARED TO PUT ALL THE EXPERIENCE AND ASSISTANCE OF THE GOF AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE AMERICANS ORGANIZING THE WILLIAMSBURG SUMMIT, BUT HE, ATTALI, WAS THE ONLY FRENCH SHERPA AND ALL COMMUNICATIONS RELATING TO THE SUMMIT MEETING HAD TO BE ADDRESSED TO HIM. ATTAET ALSO BELIEVES THAT IT IS HIS PREROGATIVE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE SHERPAS UNTIL JANUARY 1 TO CONVENE MEETINGS ON SUMMIT SUBJECTS.

5. WE RECOMMEND THAT A SINGLE POINT OF CONTROL FOR ALL ASPECTS OF THE WILLIAMSBURG SUMMIT BE ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE USG AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE FRENCH ON THIS SUBJECT SHOULD BE TRANSMITTED THROUGH THIS EMBASSY IN ORDER TO ENSURE PROPER HANDLING. GALBRAITH

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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

SUBJECT:

Meeting with President Mitterrand of France

PARTICIPANTS:

William P. Clark, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Amb. Evan Galbraith, United States Ambassador to France, notetaker

President Francois Mitterrand of France Jacque Attali, Personal Advisor to Mitterrand Mr. Thierry, Interpreter

DATE, TIME AND PLACE: October 27, 1982 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Elysee Palace, Paris, France

The following sequence developed as reported by Amb. Galbraith:

There was a cordial exchange of greetings, Mr. Clark referring , to President Mitterrand's request for meeting in Washington on March 12 and President Reagan's pleasure at the forthright nature of President Mitterrand's remarks at that meeting. Mr. Clark thanked President Mitterrand for accepting President's request that President Mitterrand receive Mr. Clark on such short notice to discuss issues of serious consequence. Mr. Clark noted that since that time, however, problems have occurred and we want to be certain the facts relating to these problems are correct. If correct, it may become necessary to review some of our policies as they relate to France. Mr. Clark said that he did not expect complete answers this evening to all matters and encouraged President Mitterrand to make any additional comment later by direct communication and consultation with President Reagan. (S)

Of the matters discussed on March 12, Mr. Clark stated President Reagan believes several have been positive, others negative. Mr. Clark stated with President's permission, we would consider positive matters first.

a. U.S. interest rates were cause of concern to France at the time of the March meeting but President Mitterrand had said he would not criticize the U.S. for these rates, particularly at Versailles, and we are appreciative of that. Since that time, rates have dropped from the 16 percent range to 10 percent and Mr. Mitterrand acknowledged that this drop has been beneficial. (S)

b. Mr. Clark pointed out our inflation rate has dropped substantially from the March level to a September level of only two tenths of one percent. (S)

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c. The U.S. still has an unemployment problem and ten percent bothers us. (C)

At the March 12 meeting President Reagan was pleased that President Mitterrand supported and continues to support the U.S. effort to rearm and generally stands by our policy with respect to defense and deterrence, having noted that after ten years of neglect, the Reagan policy was welcome and was in the best interest of the West. Mr. Clark also said President Reagan was pleased Mr. Mitterrand was reiterating his opposition to the various peace and nuclear freeze movements in Europe. (S)

On the positive side the U.S., assisted by France, has done a great deal in the Middle East toward achieving peace in Beirut and withdrawal of the PLO, the Syrians and the Israeli forces. Mr. Clark thanked the President for the quick reaction of the French to participation with us in the multinational force. Mr. Clark then added that we are encouraged by the reaction of the Arab delegation in Washington to President Reagan's peace initiative in the Middle East and expressed the hope that for the first time in thirty-five years there is a chance of actually establishing true peace. (S)

President Mitterrand said that before Mr. Clark moved away from the positive side of the balance sheet, he would like to express a few thoughts:

He cannot imagine that the negative aspects are really a. important because in the basic things, we see things very closely. France appreciates very much the drop in the interest rates and congratulates the U.S. in its victory over inflation. France is moving in the same direction, going from the 14 percent it inherited from Giscard d'Estaing to 10 percent at the end of 1982. Mitterrand expects an inflation rate of eight percent in Four to five percent is as low as they can go because if 1983. they tried to go any more and imitated the United States, he would be pumping the bicycle too fast and wind up with a heart attack and confined to bed. * (The point being that too big a squeeze against inflation would create intolerable political consequences in France.) Mitterrand said that the U.S. is lucky in that its unions are more responsible. He went on to say that the military relations were in good harmony. France supports the US position in Geneva but if the talks fail he would actively support the deployment of the Pershing and he talks to the other members of the NATO Alliance along this line. He said that the French military budget is not being reduced for all practical purposes and that the amount of three billion . francs which might be regarded as a reduction is de minimus. He underlined there would be no reduction of the troops in Germany and that they were expanding their expenditures on airborne forces (helicopters) and nuclear forces, citing the 6th SSBN which was sped up by him and the 7th which he has now

*Neither Mitterrand nor the Government refer to the fact that their present and prospective inflation rates are based on a price and wage freeze and that such rates do not mean the same thing as inflation rates freely arrived at.

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ordered. This will give France the capability of having 4 SSBNs permanently underway. The defense budget is almost 4 percent of gross national product which is an increasing amount because the gross national product is increasing. France is not integrated into NATO but it is faithful to its alliance and will work closely with its other allies. As for the question as to how to deal with the Soviet Union he would leave that to Mr. Clark to discuss. (S)

Before allowing Mr. Clark to turn to the negative side of the ledger, Mr. Mitterrand said that he had discussed these military matters with Chancellor Kohl whose views coincided with those of Mr. Weinberger. Mr. Clark stated President Reagan was impressed with recent information that France and FRG were consulting in greater depth on national defense. (S)

Mr. Clark then addressed Latin America and Mitterrand reacted dramatically, saying that he had more or less forgotten about this region because they had greater concerns elsewhere, and implied that the United States was obsessed with the region. He backed off however and seemed impressed when Mr. Clark told him that Cuba had received one billion dollars worth of Soviet military equipment since January, comprising about four hundred thousand tons, the largest shipments ever. Mr. Clark went on to show the subversive activity of Cuba not only in Nicaragua but *i* in El Salvador, Costa Rica, and Honduras. (He offered to continue briefing designated members of the French government on these points.) Mr. Clark added that the financial problems of Mexico have also added to our concern there. (S)

Mr. Clark thanked President Mitterrand for maintaining their March promise of no further arms to Nicaragua. Mitterrand replied that his arms contract with Nicaragua was not substantial and he remained faithful to his commitment not to add new contracts. Mr. Clark noted that while President Mitterrand had stated at the March meeting he would not ask Mr. Castro to Paris, we understand he may be coming. President Mitterrand said there is no immediate plan for him to come to France. However, there is a rumor that Fidel Castro will go to Sweden and if that is the case he may pass through France but he will consider our concern in the matter. Mitterrand stated he thinks our policy towards Cuba is wrong but as time goes on it may be proven right due to the fact that Nicaragua is having more and more difficulty with its revolution. Mr. Clark added this is evidenced by increasing internal suppression of the Church and press and external subversion in Honduras, El Salvador, Costa Rica and Panama. (President Mitterrand was slightly sarcastic at this point, stating we will only be deemed right when a tragic development takes place in Central America.) Going back to his relations with Nicaragua he said their original contract was merely symbolic, but he realized the symbol had become dangerous as far as France was concerned because of the intense interest

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and concern the US had over Nicaragua. He mentioned that Unge was not a communist and was a friend of his and that Unge was forced into joining with revolutionary forces. (At this point Mitterrand confessed that France had a certain sympathy for revolutionary groups.) He then stated that as far as Cuba is concerned, the French relations don't amount to much. They are only verbal. He would be happy to speak of this question as to the proper politics in Latin America at a later date. His only opinion was that it might be a good idea to speak to Castro if he comes, mentioning that American Presidents meet with Soviets -such as Nixon and Ford, with Brezhnev. He thought it a good idea to speak to one's adversary. Smiling, Mitterrand said he has had difficulties reaching the ears and hearts of the Americans with respect to his views on Central America. Mitterrand also commented that he did not think the Sandinistas were doing well because they were too divided but that he, Mitterrand, was not an expert on this subject despite his having spent fifteen minutes explaining the best policy in Central America. The impression left was that their interest in Central America and Cuba is waning. (S)

Mr. Clark then moved to Africa setting out President Reagan's early interest in the independence of Namibia and his own involvement in Southern Africa while Deputy Secretary of State. Mr. Clark pointed out frankly that we felt the U.S. is in the best position to influence South Africa respecting both human rights (we agree not to berate them publicly in consideration for improvement) and Namibian independence. We feel progress has been made and that Angola appears ready to accept the concept of Cubans leaving, and the prospect for an independent Namibia is good. The U.S. has taken a very active role not for glory but out of global responsibility. However, we feel success impeded by some very unfortunate public statements made by the French at highest levels that the United States is an impediment to the development of Namibian independence causing confusion and anger on the part of a number of officials in the U.S. Government. (At this point Mitterrand appeared dumbfounded. He professed to not knowing what we were talking about even though he himself made such remarks while in Africa this month. The Ambassador referred to a statement made in Dar es Salaam, and Mr. Clark pointed out how US newspapers such as the New York Times and the Washington Post report such statements within minutes of their having been rendered - even from the depths of African jungles. Mr. Clark said that if we fail in this effort to create a free Namibia only the USSR will gain. He further stated that if the process fails by reason of hardening by the front line states following Cheysson's statements, we will say so publicly. At this point Mitterrand intervened to say that the policy of the United States and France coincided and that we both wanted free elections in Namibia, a new independent country and removal (Originally Mitterrand put the removal of the of the Cubans. Cubans first but he changed his phraseology to put free elections first and the removal of the Cubans last as part of their three basic points. Mitterrand referred to the fact that he had recently

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been in the Congo where he had seen Cubans and he thought the presence of Cubans there and elsewhere in Africa was deplorable. Mr. Clark also reminded him that there were, at the end of last year, an estimated six thousand East Germans in Angola. President Mitterrand said they too must leave. He stated he felt a breakthrough was imminent and they would continue on the Angolan-Cuban aspect. (S)

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Mr. Clark moved north to Libya, stating that while Mr. Qadhafi is not a direct threat to U.S., he continues to support subversive activity in twenty different countries. Mr. Clark said that while he realized embargoes are not always the answer, the fact is that Libya is now near the bottom of the list of petroleum suppliers as the direct result of our embargoes. Mr. Mitterrand replied that his first dealings with Libya when he took office were in connection with Chad where he said France had played an important role in getting Libya out of Chad. He then said guite frankly that his policy towards Libya was ambiguous and it is not clear what France will do in connection with future relations. He made reference to a possible visit of Qadhafi to France but he repeated he did not know what their future policies would be. Mr. Clark reminded President Mitterrand that France continues to give aid, including a MAG contingent that services Libyan MIGs. (S)

Turning to the MT-20, Mr. Clark recalled how pleased President Reagan was on March 12 when President Mitterrand volunteered not to supply the Soviet Union with the MT-20, and we are deeply disappointed that this is going to be done. We feel that the MT-20 will give the Soviet Union a substantial advantage in impeding our intelligence gathering effort and move the Soviets ahead at least five years in this respect. (S)

Mitterrand said that he too had been worried by this contract which he found facing him when he took office but that his experts differed from those of the United States and since the 12th of March the United States had taken steps which unilaterally interfered with French trade and Mitterrand said that he felt justified by this act in changing his mind. He emphasized that it was the only aspect discussed in which he had changed his mind. However, he stated his military people would work with ours to determine if modifications could be made to meet the objections of our military and intelligence people. (S)

Mr. Clark then stated clearly and emphatically that we were concerned by a series of recent public statements made by high French government officials, including President Mitterrand attacking the United States and its policies, and we wanted to know the reasons for this. He cited specifically the statements of Prime Minister Mauroy in the United Nations, Mr. Cheysson and President Mitterrand in Kinshasha and stated that we found it offensive to be criticized unreasonably in public by our friends

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and contrary to the way in which we did things. In the UN we historically have sat idly by while small nations, many of whom were proxies of the Soviet Union, attacked the United States, but now Ambassador Kirkpatrick speaks back and we have found that the unreasonable attacks on us have diminished. Mr. Clark stated that if such statements continue from the French government, we have no alternative but to respond to them publicly. Mitterrand intervened that Madam Kirkpatrick was well known in France and has made comments which have bothered the French. (There was some discussion on this point in which Mr. Clark said he was unaware of any such statement by Ambassador Kirkpatrick but would check. President Mitterrand would not be more precise on this point and in the end smilingly dismissed it as a peripheral item.) Mr. Mitterrand referred to Jean Kirkpatrick as having langue pendu tant. Mr. Clark responded that Jean is our greatest Francophile. (S) anger 2 - a

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President Mitterrand said that sometimes language has to be revised although in the case of the gas pipeline, while our sanctions on the pipeline do not constitute imperialism, they do constitute hegemonyand an unauthorized invasion of sovereignty (up to now, no reference had been made to the Polish-Soviet sanctions or "pipeline").(S)

Mitterrand ended this point by saying we should all, including the French, make an effort to dampen down rhetoric and he would discuss it among the others. (C)

In reference to Mr. Mitterrand's remarks on "the pipeline" Mr. Clark stated that while he had not intended to get into the area for the reason that it was being managed by "the seven," he would accept the opportunity to describe the events leading up to the imposition of the sanctions to indicate the President's feeling and as a reflection of the President's principles and personality. In summary, during the Christmas holidays in December 1981, the President asked the Vice President and Secretary Haig, on an interagency approach, to come up with a recommendation which would give high visability against Soviet intervention in Poland, all in the name of human rights. It was determined on December 29, 1981 that an embargo against transfer of oil and gas equipment and technology would be highly visible and damaging to the Soviet Union. At that point, Mr. Clark referred to later discussions between Secretary Haig and Gromyko suggesting that by summer some movement or relief would take place in Poland, such as the release of Walesa or easing of martial law, allowing the President to review the embargo and sanctions decision. This movement, of course, did not take place and President Reagan reacted against the lack of movement in Poland or at Versailles. (At this point Mitterrand intervened fairly vigorously saying nothing can happen in Poland. The very nature of the communist movement will not allow anything to happen. If necessary, they will act brutally but it is impossible for them to allow the society to become liberal. It can only get worse.) Mr. Clark referred then to

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the expectations of a strike on November 10 in Poland and how we expected to see the non-communist unions reassert themselves in Europe. President Reagan took his sanctions against Poland knowing that it was going to be costly in the United States, both economically and politically. (Mr. Clark said \$500 million this year) but he said the President felt strongly about it and that he would stick with sanctions unless and until another group of actions equivalent to the President's present policy is agreed to by the Alliance. (S)

President Mitterrand ended the meeting with a statement of goodwill. He complimented Mr. Clark for his being a good advisor and effective advocate, joking he wished he were on his own staff. He said that he would think on these matters and he appreciated the frank and serious discussion which had taken place. (S)

"From Ambassador Galbraith, Paris 079 To the White House for Jacquelyne Hill, Personal Secretary to the Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Please add the following paragraph below to draft I dictated yesterday. (C)

All in all Mitterrand put on quite a performance. Several times he played innocent, for example, when he poo-pooed our differences in Latin America; regarding Cheysson's public remarks on Cuban troop removal; and guoting an inoffensive passage from his eulogy on Mendes France as opposed to the offensive passage. He sprinkled in some intended humor, smiling often. He rattled off explanations and numbers with ease. He was conciliatory and generous in his attitude to Mr. Clark whose presentation obviously impressed Mitterrand. (Comment: Attali called Ambassador the next day "to clarify an important point," namely that Mitterrand's and other official comments on the dollar are not meant to be critical of President Reagan or the USG; it is the international monetary order which is at fault. (SIC))" (S)

At Mr. Clark's suggestion, we have avoided press on this visit successfully. Two calls were received by Embassy asking who was going into the Elysee. Our press man responded he did not know - truthfully. (C)

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

January 20, 1983

INFORMATION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: GASTON J. SIGUR

SUBJECT: MEMCON Between You, Secretary Shultz and Foreign Minister Abe, January 19, 1983 - 6:30-7:20 p.m., At Secretary Shultz's Residence

I attach for your information the MEMCON that you had on January 19, 1983 with Japanese Foreign Minister Abe and Secretary Shultz.

Attachment: Tab A MEMCON

cc: C. Tyson

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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

Occasion: Secretary Shultz's cocktail reception for Foreign Minister Abe of Japan Place: Secretary Shultz's private residence in Washington, D.C. Time: 6:30-7:20 p.m., Wednesday, January 19, 1983 Attended by: Minister Abe Presidential Advisor William P. Clark Ambassador Hodson Secretary Shultz Two interpreters from the Japanese Embassy and

U.S. State Department

1. Shultz-Abe Consultations

Secretary Shultz informed Mr. Clark that the Japanese Foreign Minister and he agreed earlier to have meetings four times a year to discuss issues involving the two nations, and that one of the four meetings would be set up specifically for the purpose of getting the two together independently from any other meetings at which both may happen to be present at the same time. Secretary Shultz said that although he had not reported to the President regarding this arrangement, he was certain that the President would approve. Secretary Shultz queried Mr. Abe if he would attend the ASEAN expanded foreign ministers meeting late June. Mr. Abe said he was planning to, and agreed that that would be an appropriate occasion for the two to meet.

2. Assessing the Prime Minister's Visit

Mr. Clark said that the people of the United States felt the Prime Minister's visit to have been very worthwhile. The President, himself, felt that the two leaders became good friends. The breakfast meeting enhanced the fruitful relations already in evidence yesterday, and it also gave additional opportunity for discussions of considerable substance. The Prime Minister's reference to the peace in his departure statement was truly moving. Secretary Shultz observed that because of the visit, a full partnership emerged on the basis of which the U.S. and Japan can work together to solve the problems besetting the world today.

3. President's Japan Visit

Mr. Abe asked if President Reagan would accept the Japanese invitation for his visit this year. Mr. Clark responded that the President would be unable to accept the invitation during the first half of 1983 because of the intense political agenda including the preparations

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4. "Wisemen's Group"

Secretary Shultz briefed Mr. Clark regarding the joint U.S.-Japan effort currently underway to form a private advisory group similar to the Wisemen's Group, but with a broader perspective than just economical. The group would be small, and would have less emphasis in writing the final report, than keeping abreast of the current bilateral issues and periodically presenting thoughts and observations. Efforts were underway to conclude the work in time for the Secretary's Tokyo visit. Mr. Clark thought that the idea was appropriate.

5. CBI - Jamaica

Mr. Clark said that during the breakfast meeting the President thanked the Prime Minister on the Japanese aid to Jamaica, a model democracy in the Caribbean. Mr. Abe volunteered that Japan could contribute to CBI, and would be willing to continue to cooperate with the U.S. in that region. Secretary Shultz expressed his delight in this, and added that the special import measure that the Administration is asking the U.S. Congress to approve would benefit the Basin nations significantly, even though the trade flow occupies a small portion of the total U.S. import trade.

6. Aid to China

Minister Abe wished to know if the U.S. would extend to PRC economic aid at the time of the Shultz visit. Secretary Shultz informed the Japanese Foreign Minister that in view of the Chinese emphasis on modernization, some assistance as well as expanded trade would be helpful. The textile import issue is currently disputed between the two countries. In addition, efforts are underway to set out procedures for high technology export to China. The Secretary's own opinion, not supported by any of the China hands, but is based upon his experience in business development, was to organize efforts to transfer more readily available technology, rather than the high technology, because China is a **rel**atively backward country. Asked what his opinion was on this matter, Mr. Abe replied that he also thought the high technology alone would be insufficient. Citing Japan's experience in aiding PRC efforts at Paoshan Steel Works that once failed, he said that Japan regards assistance to China in more basic technology to be more efficient. Steel production and TV station construction were given as examples of such less sophisticated technology.



the conclusions would be drawn sometime before June.



8. Japanese Economic Mission to Moscow

Minister Abe said that a 200-man Japanese economic mission was scheduled to visit Moscow in February. The Japanese economic and business leaders wished to have government cooperation in this endeavor, but the foreign ministry declined to help, pointing out the pending Northern territories issue, and other problems. Siberian development whets the appetite of some Japanese businessmen suffering from domestic business downturn. The Ministry is also worried that President Andropov, himself, might extend hospitality to the group. Secretary Shultz told the Foreign Minister that the American Embassy in Moscow guided the U.S. business group that visited Moscow and furnished them with prompt oppositions against improper Soviet offers.

9. Why Abe Accepted the FM Post

Drawn out by warm words of praise Mr. Clark used to describe the Prime Minister's departure statement, and also by highly reassuring words the Secretary used to describe the "emergence of full partnership" between the U.S. and Japan (of point 2, above), Minister Abe said that Mr. Nakasone was a courageous leader. The Prime Minister had thought of declining to accept the Foreign Minister's position, but Nakasone asked him to help him implement such policies as: improving relations with Korea, permitting the arms technology exports to the U.S., further strengthening defense, and expanding access to the Japanese market. Given such close concurrence of opinions, Abe could not decline the offer of the FM post, even though he had competed with Nakasone for the premiership. He said that thus far things have developed smoothly, but the rough times are in the offing. Nonetheless, he was deeply satisfied that the U.S.-Japan relations were improved as a result of this visit.



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Attached is draft memcon of WC's mtg with Kreisky prepared by Sol Polansky.

WC approves the memcon as written and would like to have finalized and appropriate distribution made.

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

February 23, 1983

CONFIDENTIAL ATTACHMENT

MEMORANDUM FOR L. PAUL BREMER, III Executive Secretary Department of State

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Conversation between Bruno Kreisky and William P. Clark; February 10, 1983; Vienna, Austria

Attached for your information and appropriate distribution is a copy of the memorandum of conversation between William P. Clark and Chancellor Bruno Kreisky which took place in Vienna, Austria, February 10, 1983.

Michael O. Wheeler Staff Secretary

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CLARIFICATION FROM TIME TO TIME APOUT AUSTRIAN POLICIES, KEFISKY SUGGESTED THAT JUDGE CLARE SHOULD SIMPLY GET IN TOUCH DIRECTLY WITH HIM BY PHONE.

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JUDGE CLARK EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE CHANCELLOR'S REMARKS. FE RECIPROCATED THE CHANCELLOR'S SUGGESTION CONCERMING DIRECT COMMUNICATIONS WHEN TIME WAS OF THE ESSENCE.

CHANCELLOR KREISKY SAID HE COULD MEET PEOPLE WE COULD NOT. THIS DID NOT MEAN HE SHARED THE VIEWS OF SUCH PEOPLE, BUT IT DID PROVIDE KREISKY THE OPPORTUNITY TO TELL THEM THE TRUTE. THIS WAS SO, FOR EXAMPLE, WITH RESPECT TO THE PALESTINIANS.

HREISHY SAID HE WISHED TO EXPRESS SOME VIEWS ON AN IM-PORTANT SUBJECT. HE SUPPORTED PRESIDENT REAGAN'S SEPTEMBER 1 MIDDLE EAST PROPOSALS. HE FEARED, HOWEVER, ARAFAT WOULD HAVE TERRIBLE DIFFICULTIES IN FACING HIS OPPOSITION WITHIN THE PLO. IT WAS IN OUR INTEREST THAT ARAFAT EAVE THE FEELING HE HAD A FUTURE, AND BE ABLE TO CONTROL PALESTINIAN POPULATION. OTHERWISE, KREISKY FEAREL THE GROWTH OF TERRORISM.

THE CHANCELLOR SAID THAT, IN HIS EARLY CONTACTS WITH ARAFAT, HE HAD LAID DOWN A PRE-CONDITION WITH THE PLO LEADER CONCERNING ANY FUTURE RELATIONS WITH HIM: DON'T TOUCH A SINGLE RUSSIAN JEW LEAVING THE USSR IF ARAFAT WANTED EREISKY'S CONTINUING SUPPORT. FREISEY WAS HAPPY TO SAY THAT HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF SOVIET JEWS FAD TRANSITED AUSTRIA WITHOUT LOSING A SINGLE ONE.

THE CHANCELLOR HAD ALSO DISCUSSED WITH ARAFAT THE POSSI-BILITY OF TERRORISM IN EUROPE. THIS POSSIBILITY HAD TO BE RECOGNIZED. IF ARAFAT WERE TO LOSE CONTROL OF THE MAJORITY OF PALESTINIANS, WHICH COULD HAPPEN, WE WOULD HAVE TERRORISM IN EUROPE. FREISKY HELD THE VIEW THAT THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS FASTERN EUROPE ALLIES WERE PREPARING TERRORISM, AND THAT THEY HAD CONTACT WITH CARLOS IN THIS CONNECTION. KREISYY WISHED TO SHARE WITH JUDGE CLARK SOME CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION: AUSTRIAN SECURITY ORGANIZATIONS AND THEIR PLO COUNTERPARTS HAD

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COOPERATED IN THE PAST TO STOP THE FLOW OF ARMS TO OR TERDUGE AUSTRIA. THEY WERE ALSO CONTROLLING THE MOVEMENT OF "OUTSIDERS". BUT IF ALL PALESTINIANS BECAME "OUTSIDERS", WE WOULD HAVE A DIFFICULT SITUATION.

- KREISTY SAID ONE HAD TO UNDERSTAND THE PLO'S POLITICAL SITUATION. HE THOUGHT THE PLO WOULD RECOGNIZE ISRAEL AFTER THE PUBLICATION OF THE KAHAN REPORT. HOWEVER,
 THE PLO HAD TO GET SOMETHING IN RETURN. IT COULD NOT GET RECOGNITION FROM ISRAEL, BUT IT WOULD BE ADEQUATE COM-PENSATION FOR THE PLO IF IT COULD GET RECOGNITION FROM THE U.S. AMERICAN PUBLIC OPINION WAS IMPORTANT. A LARGE PART OF THE PLO WAS READY TO TAKE THE STEP OF RECOGNIZING ISRATL. ARAFAT WAS STILL THE BEST OF ALL PALESTINIAN
 LEADERS EVEN THOUGF HE WAS NOT A STRONG MAN. HE DID, HOWEVER, HAVE A STRONG REPUTATION IN THE REFUGEE CAMPS.
- THE CHANCELLOR NOTED HE HAD TOLD USIA DIRECTOR WICK IN PPBRUARY 1982 THERE WOULD BE A WAR WITHIN TWO YEARS IN THE MIDDLE EAST IF BEGIN REMAINED IN POWER. IN THE CHANCELLOR'S VIEW, ISRAEL WOULD BE CAUTIOUS WITH RESPECT TO SYRIA BECAUSE OF SOVIET MILITARY SUPPORT FOR DAMASCUS. THE CHANCELLOR FELT BEGIN'S WAY OF THINKING WAS FAR DIFFERENT FROM OURS.

JUDGE CLARK SAID PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS A PATIENT MAN, BUT HE HAD HIS LIMITS. THE MEETINGS AMBASSADOR HABIB WAS CURRENTLY CONDUCTING WERE CRITICAL. WE WERE NOW AT A CROSSBOADS. WE HAD NOT EXPECTED SO QUICKLY THE PUBLI-CATION OF THE KAHAN REPORT. IT WAS GOOD TO SEE THE

- REPORT, WHICH DEMONSTRATED DEMOCRACY WAS WORKING IN ISPAEL. WE WERE CAREFULLY WATCHING BEGIN'S AND SHARON'S ACTIONS. WE WOULD NOT, HOWEVER, SAY ANYTFING PUBLICLY ABOUT THE REPORT SINCE WE DID NOT WISH TO INFLUENCE EVENTS OR DEVELOPMENTS IN ISRAEL. HOWEVER, PRESIDENT - REAGAN WAS ADAMANT THAT ALL FOREIGN FORCES HAD TO LEAVE
- LEBANON. ONCE THIS OCCURRED, IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO MOVE TO THE BROADER PEACE PROCESS.
- JUDGE CLARK SAID IT WAS OUR OPINION BEGIN WAS NOT AS ASSERTIVE AS IN THE PAST, WHICH MAY BE DUE TO HIS WIFE'S DFATE. SHARON WAS INTRANSIGENT. IT WAS OUR IMPRESSION
- EFGIN DID NOT HAVE CONTROL OF SHARON, WHOSE POLITICAL LIFF WAS ON THE FLOCK. HE WAS UNPREDICTABLE AND MIGHT DO SOMETHING UNILATERALLY. THE PRESIDENT AGREED WITH
- IFE CFANCELLOP'S REMARK DURING THEIR MEETING THAT TIME WAS NOT ON OUR SIDE.
- JUDGE CLARK SAID A GOOD SIGN WAS THE RECENT MEETING BETWEEN ARAFAT AND KING HUSSEIN AND THE POSSIBILITY OF SOME FLEXIBILITY BY THE PLO. THE PRESIDENT HAD MADE
 CLEAR THAT WHAT WAS REQUIRED CROM THE PLO WAS A STATEMENT PECOGNIZING THE RIGHT OF EXISTENCE OF ALL STATES IN
- TFF AREA. WE WERE HOPEFUL.

JUDGF CLARA THEN NOTED A NEW FACTOR WHICH CAUSED CONCERN: THE PRESENCE IN SYRIA OF NEW SOVIET SA5 MISSILES. THESE COULD BEACH GREAT DISTANCES. THEY COVERED THE ENTIRE ISPAELL ATE SPACE. THE MISSILE SITES WERE BEING MANNED

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JUDGE CLARF SAID AMBASSADOR HABIF WOULD BE RETURNING EARLY NEXT WEEK TO THE U.S. AT THAT POINT THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE REVIEWING HIS OPTIONS AND WOULD MAKE APPROPRIATE DECISIONS. WE VERE AWARE AND APPRECIATIVE OF THE CHANCELLOR'S SUPPORT FOR THE PRESIDENT'S OVERALL PEACE INTELATIVE.

THE CHANCELLOR WISHED TO PROPOSE A NEW IDEA: EYPLORATORY TALES TO FIND OUT WHAT THE FEZ PLAN MEANT. THE ARAF LEAGUE, WHICH WAS A GOOD INSTITUTION AND WHICH COULD CAMOUPLAGE PARTICIPATION BY PALESTINIANS, COULD BE IN-VITED. THE LEAGUE WAS NOT LIKELY TO SEND PEOPLE WHO WERE TOO RADICAL. THE EXPLORATORY TALKS COULD BE BETWEEN REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ARABS, THE U.S. AND THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY. ISPAEL WOULD BE INVITED, BUT WOULD OF COURSE REFUSE AT THE BEGINNING. THE KIND OF FYPLORATORY TALES HE HAD IN MIND WERE SIMILAR TO THE ONES HELD ON THE AUSTRIAN STATE TREATY. THE EXPLORATORY TALES FOULD EMABLE MODERATE ARAB STATES TO SHOW MOVEMENT. MOLEDATE AS AB STATES WERE TERRORIZED BY IRAN AND CONCERNED BY MEAT COULD HAPPEN IN THE MIDDLE EAST AFTER A SUCCESS-FUL VAE AGAINST IRAO. HE WONDERED WHY ISRAEL SUPPORTED IRAN.

JUDGE CLARY INTERJECTED THAT WE FAD COMMUNICATED OUR CONCERN TO ISBAEL.

THE CFANCELLOR THOUGHT THERE WAS LITTLE DANGER OF WAR IN EUROPH, BECAUSE RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE WERE IN GOVERNMENT. FOWEVER, THE MIDDLE EAST WAS THE ONLY AREA WHERE

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IRRESPONSIBLE PEOPLE WERE IN POWER, I.F. IN DAMASCUS AND TEL AVIV. THE SITUATION WAS AT LEAST AS DANGEROUS 'AS THE CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS EXCEPT THAT WE COULD NOT CONTROL THE APEA.

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February 23, 1983

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL O. WHEELER

FROM: DONALD R. FORTIER

SUBJECT: Memcon of Clark/Kreisky Meeting February 10, 1983; Vienna, Austria

Judge Clark has approved for distribution the attached draft memcon (Vienna 1832) of his meeting with Chancellor Kreisky in Vienna, Austria, February 10, 1983. At Tab I is a memo to State forwarding the memcon for their information.

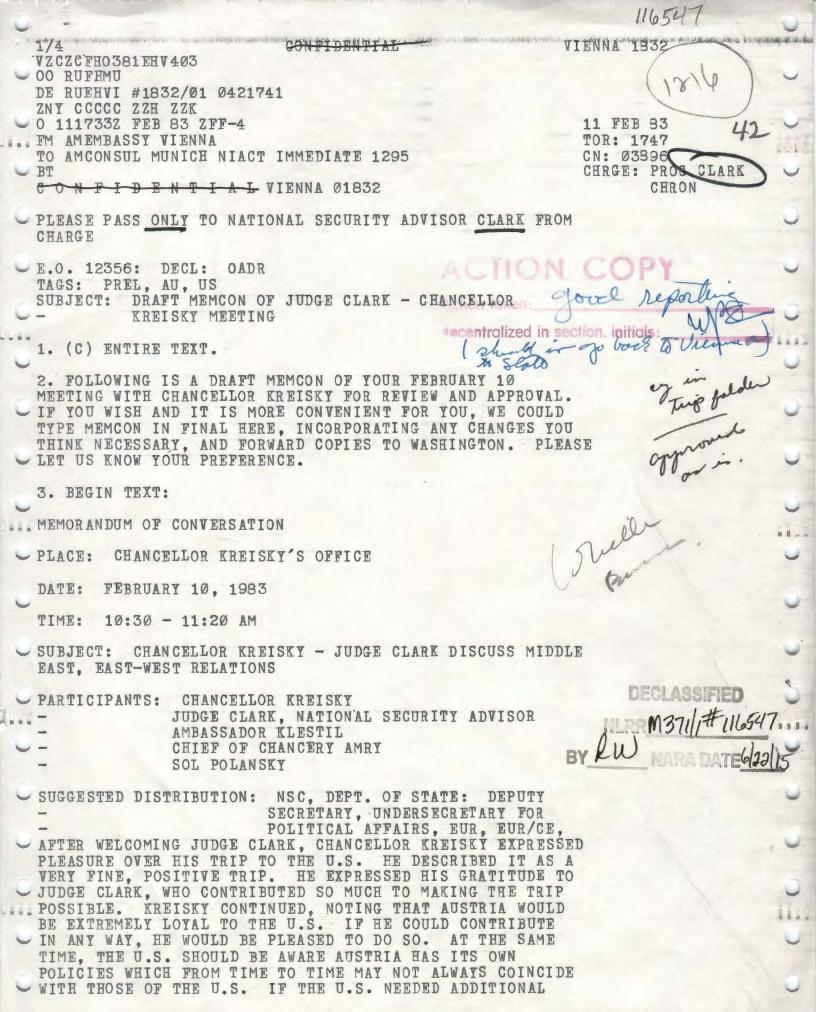
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Tab I Memo to State Tab A Vienna 1832

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CLARIFICATION FROM TIME TO TIME ABOUT AUSTRIAN POLICIES, KREISKY SUGGESTED THAT JUDGE CLARK SHOULD SIMPLY GET IN TOUCH DIRECTLY WITH HIM BY PHONE.

JUDGE CLARK EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE CHANCELLOR'S REMARKS. HE RECIPROCATED THE CHANCELLOR'S SUGGESTION CONCERNING DIRECT COMMUNICATIONS WHEN TIME WAS OF THE ESSENCE.

 CHANCELLOR KREISKY SAID HE COULD MEET PEOPLE WE COULD NOT. THIS DID NOT MEAN HE SHARED THE VIEWS OF SUCH PEOPLE, BUT IT DID PROVIDE KREISKY THE OPPORTUNITY TO
 TELL THEM THE TRUTH. THIS WAS SO, FOR EXAMPLE, WITH RESPECT TO THE PALESTINIANS.

 KREISKY SAID HE WISHED TO EXPRESS SOME VIEWS ON AN IM-PORTANT SUBJECT. HE SUPPORTED PRESIDENT REAGAN'S SEPTEMBER 1 MIDDLE EAST PROPOSALS. HE FEARED, HOWEVER,
 ARAFAT WOULD HAVE TERRIBLE DIFFICULTIES IN FACING HIS OPPOSITION WITHIN THE PLO. IT WAS IN OUR INTEREST THAT ARAFAT HAVE THE FEELING HE HAD A FUTURE, AND BE ABLE TO
 CONTROL PALESTINIAN POPULATION. OTHERWISE, KREISKY FEARED THE GROWTH OF TERRORISM.

 THE CHANCELLOR SAID THAT, IN HIS EARLY CONTACTS WITH ARAFAT, HE HAD LAID DOWN A PRE-CONDITION WITH THE PLO LEADER CONCERNING ANY FUTURE RELATIONS WITH HIM:
 DON'T TOUCH A SINGLE RUSSIAN JEW LEAVING THE USSR IF ARAFAT WANTED KREISKY'S CONTINUING SUPPORT. KREISKY WAS HAPPY TO SAY THAT HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF SOVIET
 JEWS HAD TRANSITED AUSTRIA WITHOUT LOSING A SINGLE OVE.

THE CHANCELLOR HAD ALSO DISCUSSED WITH ARAFAT THE POSSI-BILITY OF TERRORISM IN EUROPE. THIS POSSIBILITY HAD TO BE RECOGNIZED. IF ARAFAT WERE TO LOSE CONTROL OF THE MAJORITY OF PALESTINIANS, WHICH COULD HAPPEN, WE WOULD HAVE TERRORISM IN EUROPE. KREISKY HELD THE VIEW THAT THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS EASTERN EUROPE ALLIES WERE PREPARING TERRORISM, AND THAT THEY HAD CONTACT WITH CARLOS IN THIS CONNECTION. KREISKY WISHED TO SHARE WITH JUDGE CLARK SOME CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION: AUSTRIAN SECURITY ORGANIZATIONS AND THEIR PLO COUNTERPARTS HAD

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COOPERATED IN THE PAST TO STOP THE FLOW OF ARMS TO OR THROUGH AUSTRIA. THEY WERE ALSO CONTROLLING THE MOVEMENT OF "OUTSIDERS". BUT IF ALL PALESTINIANS BECAME "OUTSIDERS", WE WOULD HAVE A DIFFICULT SITUATION.

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KREISKY SAID ONE HAD TO UNDERSTAND THE PLO'S POLITICAL SITUATION. HE THOUGHT THE PLO WOULD RECOGNIZE ISRAEL AFTER THE PUBLICATION OF THE KAHAN REPORT. HOWEVER, THE PLO HAD TO GET SOMETHING IN RETURN. IT COULD NOT GET RECOGNITION FROM ISRAEL, BUT IT WOULD BE ADEQUATE COM-PENSATION FOR THE PLO IF IT COULD GET RECOGNITION FROM THE U.S. AMERICAN PUBLIC OPINION WAS IMPORTANT. A LARGE PART OF THE PLO WAS READY TO TAKE THE STEP OF RECOGNIZING ISRAEL. ARAFAT WAS STILL THE BEST OF ALL PALESTINIAN LEADERS EVEN THOUGH HE WAS NOT A STRONG MAN. HE DID, HOWEVER, HAVE A STRONG REPUTATION IN THE REFUGEE CAMPS.

THE CHANCELLOR NOTED HE HAD TOLD USIA DIRECTOR WICK IN FEBRUARY 1982 THERE WOULD BE A WAR WITHIN TWO YEARS IN THE MIDDLE EAST IF BEGIN REMAINED IN POWER. IN THE CHANCELLOR'S VIEW, ISRAEL WOULD BE CAUTIOUS WITH RESPECT TO SYRIA BECAUSE OF SOVIET MILITARY SUPPORT FOR DAMASCUS. THE CHANCELLOR FELT BEGIN'S WAY OF THINKING WAS FAR DIFFERENT FROM OURS.

JUDGE CLARK SAID PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS A PATIENT MAN, BUT HE HAD HIS LIMITS. THE MEETINGS AMBASSADOR HABIB WAS CURRENTLY CONDUCTING WERE CRITICAL. WE WERE NOW AT A CROSSROADS. WE HAD NOT EXPECTED SO QUICKLY THE PUBLI-CATION OF THE KAHAN REPORT. IT WAS GOOD TO SEE THE REPORT, WHICH DEMONSTRATED DEMOCRACY WAS WORKING IN ISRAEL. WE WERE CAREFULLY WATCHING BEGIN'S AND SHARON'S ACTIONS. WE WOULD NOT, HOWEVER, SAY ANYTHING PUBLICLY ABOUT THE REPORT SINCE WE DID NOT WISH TO INFLUENCE EVENTS OR DEVELOPMENTS IN ISRAEL. HOWEVER, PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS ADAMANT THAT ALL FOREIGN FORCES HAD TO LEAVE LEBANON. ONCE THIS OCCURRED, IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO MOVE TO THE BROADER PEACE PROCESS.

JUDGE CLARK SAID IT WAS OUR OPINION BEGIN WAS NOT AS
 ASSERTIVE AS IN THE PAST, WHICH MAY BE DUE TO HIS WIFE'S DEATH. SHARON WAS INTRANSIGENT. IT WAS OUR IMPRESSION
 BEGIN DID NOT HAVE CONTROL OF SHARON, WHOSE POLITICAL LIFE WAS ON THE BLOCK. HE WAS UNPREDICTABLE AND MIGHT DO SOMETHING UNILATERALLY. THE PRESIDENT AGREED WITH THE CHANCELLOR'S REMARK DURING THEIR MEETING THAT TIME WAS NOT ON OUR SIDE.

 JUDGE CLARK SAID A GOOD SIGN WAS THE RECENT MEETING BETWEEN ARAFAT AND KING HUSSEIN AND THE POSSIBILITY OF SOME FLEXIBILITY BY THE PLO. THE PRESIDENT HAD MADE
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JUDGE CLARK THEN NOTED A NEW FACTOR WHICH CAUSED CONCERN: THE PRESENCE IN SYRIA OF NEW SOVIET SA5 MISSILES. THESE COULD REACH GREAT DISTANCES. THEY COVERED THE ENTIRE ISRAELI AIR SPACE. THE MISSILE SITES WERE BEING MANNED

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BY SOVIET TROOPS AND TECHNICIANS. THEY WERE A HEAVY PRESENCE, AND COULD PROVOKE A LARGER PROBLEM.

 JUDGE CLARK SAID AMBASSADOR HABIB WOULD BE RETURNING EARLY NEXT WEEK TO THE U.S. AT THAT POINT THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE REVIEWING HIS OPTIONS AND WOULD MAKE APPROPRIATE
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THE CHANCELLOR WISHED TO PROPOSE A NEW IDEA: EXPLORATORY TALKS TO FIND OUT WHAT THE FEZ PLAN MEANT. THE ARAB LEAGUE, WHICH WAS A GOOD INSTITUTION AND WHICH COULD CAMOUFLAGE PARTICIPATION BY PALESTINIANS, COULD BE IN-VITED. THE LEAGUE WAS NOT LIKELY TO SEND PEOPLE WHO WERE

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JUDGE CLARK INTERJECTED THAT WE HAD COMMUNICATED OUR CONCERN TO ISRAEL.

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February 28, 1983

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM:

Telephone Call to Treasury Secretary Regan SUBJECT: Following Your Meeting with First Vice President Schwalb and Finance Minister Rodriguez of Peru on Saturday, February 26, 1983

ROGER W. FONTAINE

At Tab A are the minutes of your meeting with Peruvian First Vice President Fernando Schwalb and Minister of Economy, Finance and Commerce Carlos Rodriguez Pastor on Saturday, February 26 in the Situation Room.

As you know, the Peruvians are counting on Treasury coming through with that stabilization fund loan. That decision will be made within a week, according to staff level sources at Treasury and, moreover, I have been told such a loan may well not be given.

In light of this, I suggest you call Secretary Regan, letting him know of your concern and interest in the matter.

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That you read and approve the attached minutes of your meeting.

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Tab A Minutes of Meeting

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MINUTES: Meeting of Judge Clark with Peruvian First Vice President Schwalb and Finance Minister Rodriguez

DATE, TIME AND PLACE: Saturday, February 26, 1983 - 11:30 a.m. White House Situation Room

PARTICIPANTS: Judge William P. Clark First Vice President Fernando Schwalb and Minister of Economy, Finance and Commerce, Carlos Rodriguez Pastor of Peru, and Alfonso Rivero, Acting Ambassador from Peru to the U.S.

First Vice President Schwalb, who was appointed president of the Council of Ministers in Peru two months ago, introduced Peru's new finance minister, Rodriguez Pastor, who proceeded to outline Peru's current economic position.

Peru's economic recession, which began in 1981, was caused in large part by low prices for the country's exports, principally minerals. 1982 was no better, and the nervous international financial markets have meant credits are now difficult to obtain. The finance minister reported, however, that Peru has been helped by getting an early agreement with the IMF and by sticking to the guidelines. But Peru still needs credit, and this has become harder to obtain after the Falklands War, with bankers very cautious in lending toward the whole region--a caution reinforced by Mexico, Brazil and Argentina's financial problems. By the end of 1982 only short-term credit was available and Peru, according to the finance minister, has not gotten its share.

Rodriguez Pastor then outlined the new cabinet's economic policies. First, there is greater reliance on Peruvian resources, e.g., through raising real interest rates. Second, they have been successful in obtaining a structural loan from the World Bank, and they hope to get funds from the Ex-Im Bank and the Treasury Department. They need, however, \$1 billion from private banks. Treasury's support is critical, and Peru hopes to obtain \$400 million from the Exchange Stabilization Fund. This would symbolize U.S. support at a time when Peru is negotiating with the commercial banks.

Judge Clark replied that Peru was in better shape than many countries in the region. Moreover, our economic recovery will have a positive effect on Peru as well. He characterized U.S.-Peruvian relations as excellent and complimented the Vice President on his speech to the Peruvian Congress the past week. Judge Clark then asked if there is anything we can do DECLASSIFIED

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to help the Vice President in setting up his Washington speeches.

The finance minister once again raised the question of Treasury's stabilization fund. Judge Clark assured the Peruvians that he would be in touch with Secretary Regan. Judge Clark complimented the Peruvian government for meeting its obligations--a determination reminiscent of Brazil's President Figueiredo.

Rodriguez Pastor reiterated President Belaunde's determination to meet obligations. "The best card we have," he remarked, "is our record." The Vice President added that President Belaunde was ready to risk his own popularity to make sure the austerity program worked.

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM:

GASTON J. SIGUR

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Conversation with Frederick Chien

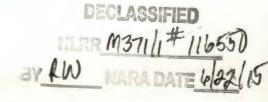
David Dean, of the American Institute in Taiwan, has prepared a Memorandum of Conversation on your meeting on May 19 with Dr. Frederick Chien (Tab A). Dave's memo covers the salient points made by Fred in his comments to you.

Attached also is Fred's memorandum dealing with projects on economic development for Central America (Tab B). I asked the CIA to provide us with what projects Taiwan has been supporting in Central America over the past several years. That information is forwarded to you at Tab C.

Taiwan is suggesting an expansion of their present activities in and with Central America, with American funds. Also, Taiwan proposes the fact that U.S. money is behind these projects should be discreetly made known to the government authorities concerned. The possible adverse political ramifications of these kinds of joint projects between the U.S. and Taiwan must be carefully considered by us. I mean specifically the reaction of the PRC if these activities become a matter of public knowledge. However, whether we decide for or against cooperation with Taiwan, as Chien's proposals outline, we should express our appreciation to them for their willingness to be of assistance in an area of critical importance to us.

Attachments: Tab A Memorandum of Conversation Tab B Chien's Memorandum Tab C CIA Paper

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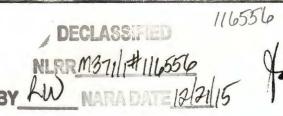


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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

PARTICIPANTS: William Clark Gaston Sigur Fredrick Chien C. J. Chen David Dean

PLACE AND DATE: AIT/W, 2:15 p.m., May 19, 1983

Dr. Chien expressed his pleasure at meeting Judge Clark. He extended President Chiang Ching-kuo's greetings and warm regards to President Reagan. Dr. Chien said that in the four-and-a-half months since he had arrived in Washington, he had noticed a gradual improvement in his side's relations with the U.S. He felt this was due to both sides' emphasis on practical matters, cooperation rather than confrontation, and sincere attitudes.

Dr. Chien said arms sales were needed not only as a deterent, but also because of a possible Soviet threat due to the increased Soviet naval presence in East Asia. Taiwan hopes that sensitive arms sales can be worked out quietly without public attention. Dr. Chien added that arms sales were also important for the confidence of Taiwan's public. He said that last year investment and confidence had been affected by the world recession and the August 17 communique. This year he said confidence (and investment) was better because the U.S. had revealed the planned amounts of military sales (to Congress).

Dr. Chien said Taipei's stock market dropped 25% when Mitterand's recent visit to Peking was accompanied by a rumor that France was going to sell the PRC mirage 2000's.

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Dr. Chien then referred to Central America. He said Taipei always has had the friendliest attitude towards the U.S. and will do whatever it can to help. He added that because they didn't have bilateral diplomatic ties, this factor causes some constraints on their actions. Dr. Chien referred to President Reagan's Caribbean initiative and said that Taiwan has friendly relations in Central America and the Caribbean and have had technical assistance programs there. He handed over a paper on economic and other projects to help in Central America.

Enclosure:

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Dr. Chien's paper on projects on economic development for Central America

AIT/W:David Dean:mlb



MEMORANDUM

Subject: Projects on Economic Development for Central America

- 1. My country may, in collaboration with the United States, assist countries in Central America in their economic developments for the betterment of the standard of living and quality of life of their peoples.
- 2. Such joint projects could be undertaken in the form of the provision of personnel and technique by my country, with funds provided by the United States.
- 3. The scope of such projects could cover the following:
 - a. to expand technical cooperation projects already existing between my country and countries in Central America;
 - b. to assist in the planning, designing and providing equipment and techniques for the development of agricultural products and light industries;
 - c. to assist in the planning and implementation of land reform programs;
 - d. to establish a vocational training center in Taiwan for technicians from Central America;
 - e. to assist in training psywar specialists and officers from Central America.
- 4. In order to avoid the possible exploitation of anti-American sentiments in Central America by the Communists, and to maximize the results of such joint projects, it is suggested that they be announced as undertaken by my Government, and that the government authorities concerned be discreetly advised that the projects are, in fact, funded by the United States.
- 5. My country will formulate a detailed program on the projects for further consultation with the United States, provided the latter agrees in principle to the suggestions as outlined above.

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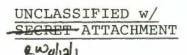
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FROM: GASTON J. SIGUR

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Conversation with Japanese Ambassador Yoshio Okawara on May 19, 1983

Attached at Tab A is a memorandum of your conversation with Japanese Ambassador Okawara.

Attachment: Tab A Memorandum of Conversation



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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

PARTICIPANTS:

U.S. William P. Clark, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Gaston J. Sigur, Director for East Asian Affairs, National Security Council

Japan Yoshio Okawara, Japanese Ambassador to the U.S. Makoto Watanabe, Minister (Political), Japanese Embassy

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 19, 1983 3:00-3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Situation Room

SUBJECT: Nakasone Visit

On Thursday, May 19, Judge Clark met with Japanese Ambassador Okawara at the Ambassador's request. First of all, he wanted to express the thanks of Prime Minister Nakasone for the May 7 personal message of the President. This was in response to one previously received from Nakasone. Then, he had one major request to make which concerned the meetings on May 27 between the President and Prime Minister Nakasone. He asked that the subject of defense be avoided because of the sensitiveness of this subject in Japan as a result of Nakasone's hard line on the matter. He used the coming June election to bolster his case.

It is thought some Japanese officials close to the Prime Minister are concerned that he may push too hard on the defense issue if the President raises the matter. (However, it seems it would appear very strange indeed if the President does not refer to it. He can state that he is gratified at the steps the Prime Minister has taken to bolster Japan's defense efforts and, at the same time, he understands the public image problem he faces. But it is necessary that our people, both Americans and Japanese, realize that the maintenance of peace is only possible if we have the military power and will to stand up to the Soviet Union.)

After Judge Clark left, Okawara expressed concern over the stance our USTR delegation took recently in Tokyo over the issue of beef and citrus quotas. He is worried about the hardening attitude within the

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Japanese Ministry of Agriculture brought about by what he termed the "inflexible stance" of the U.S. side. He seems to think that we should seem more willing to give, even though we don't actually do so on any major point.

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One last item, Okawara said also that Nakasone may bring up at Williamsburg, or here on May 27 with the President, a proposal for a war on cancer by those countries participating in the Summit.





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