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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Sept 25

0945

~~Bill / Dona,~~

*Mary W. action
And Mat Coch. Info*

Kathleen Murphy of Soviet desk at State (632-2137) called to relay the names, etc. of the two interpreters for the Schevarnadze meeting with the President on Friday.

EUGENIA ARENSBURGER (a woman)

*11/4/45
m
8*

DOB:



12/15

SSN:

DIMITRY ZARECHNAK

10 am

DOB:



SSN:

I told Kathleen I presumed these two would come to the NW Gate and then to the West Lobby, but I told her I'd ask you to call her to confirm this. Thanks.

Sally

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Sept 25

1100

~~Bill / Dona~~

Mary W. Acheson
Ann M. Mellock - Info

Eugenia Arensburger herself called, with 4 questions/requests:

- the time of the luncheon on Friday
- which door should she use
- she'd really appreciate a set of talkers for the meeting/luncheon
- will the President make a toast? If so, she would definitely appreciate the text in advance

She is the interpreter covering the President's luncheon w/Shevardnadze (and, in addition, she'll be the only U.S. interpreter at Sec. Shultz's BBQ Friday eve.)

Please call her as soon as possible, through Kathleen Murphy, 632-2137 or at her home this afternoon, 384-4327

Sally

MSG FROM: NSJSM --CPUA TO: NSCEC --CPUA
13:42:17 To: NSCEC --CPUA

09/26/85

NOTE FROM: Johnathan Miller
SUBJECT: Proposed Participants List

Prebrief (Oval Office) 09:00:
10 in attendance
President
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Weinberger
Don Regan
Bud McFarlane
Amb. Nitze
Amb. Ridgway
Amb. Hartman
Amb. Matlock

Meeting (Oval Office Capacity 14 max.) 10:00 a.m.
18 total requests -11 U.S./7 USSR

President
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
~~Secretary Weinberger (has asked, but not told answer)~~
Don Regan
Bud McFarlane
Amb. Hartman
Amb. Ridgway (Sec. Shultz insists)
Amb. Matlock
Amb. Nitze (Secretary insists)
Dimitri Zarechnak (interpreter)

Foreign Minister Shevardnadze
Deputy Foreign Minister Korniyenko
Ambassador Dobrynin
Ambassador and Asst. to the For. Min. A.S. Chernyshov
Minister Counselor Sokolov
Sergei P. Tarasanko, Counselor to the For. Minister
P.R. Palazhchenko (interpreter)

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Sept.
18th
Tab A -

Luncheon (State Dining Room; Seating Capacity 24 at table) 12:15 p.m.
24 total requests 15 U.S./ 9 Soviets

President

Vice President

Secretary Shultz

Secretary Weinberger

Secretary Baker

Don Regan

Bud McFarlane

Amb. Ridgway

Amb. Hartman

Amb. Nitze

Amb. Rowny

Jack Matlock

Bob Linhard

Charles Wick (has asked; technically we have a seat available if
no more Soviets come)

Eugenia Arensburger (interpreter)

Foreign Minister Shevardnaze

Deputy For. Min. Korniyenko

Ambassador Dobrynin

Ambassador and Asst. to For. Min. A.S. Cheryshov

Sergei P. Tararasanko, Counselor to the Foreign Minister

Viktor B. Lomeiko, Head of Public Affairs at For. Min.

Minister-Counselor Oleg Sokolov

Minister Counselor Viktor Isakov

Mr. P.R. Palaazhchenko (interpreter)

~~Thanks~~

(NSC/BE)
September 26, 1985
2:30 p.m. SS

Jon
Miller

PRESIDENTIAL RADIO TALK: REPORT ON TALKS WITH SHEVARDNADZE
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1985

Steve

My fellow Americans, during the past week, we've been working hard to advance the Middle East peace process and to try to improve U.S.-Soviet relations.

(1820
hr
9/26)

In regard to the Middle East, I met with our good friend President Mubarak of Egypt, and I'll be holding discussions this coming week with another long-time friend of the U.S. in that area -- King Hussein of Jordan. I hope to talk to you more about the Middle East next week, but today, let me speak to you about our efforts to build a more constructive and stable long-term relationship with the Soviet Union.

Both Secretary Shultz and I met with the new Soviet Foreign Minister, Eduard Shevardnadze, this past week. These meetings with the Soviet Foreign Minister covered a broad, global agenda, including the four major areas of the U.S.-Soviet dialogue: human rights, regional and bilateral issues, and security and arms control matters. They enabled us to discuss at the most senior levels the key issues facing these two great powers, and to hear out each other's concerns. For our part, the U.S. side had an opportunity to put forward some new ideas.

I told Foreign Minister Shevardnadze that I am hopeful about my upcoming meeting with General Secretary Gorbachev, and I put forward some of my plans and expectations for that meeting. The Soviet Foreign Minister indicated that Mr. Gorbachev also is looking forward to these discussions. Furthermore, we agreed to

set up a series of senior level discussions between our experts in preparation for the Geneva meeting.

I intend to keep you informed about ^{our} expectations ~~[for each of these four areas of the U.S.-Soviet relationship]~~ as these ^{for the November meeting} preparations proceed. I will be doing all I can, ^{for our part,} to achieve some real improvements in this relationship.

Let's be clear, however, that success will not come from one meeting; it must come from a genuine, long-term effort by the leadership of the Soviet Union, ^{as well as ourselves.} The differences between us are fundamental and profound, in political systems, values, and ideology, as well as in ^{the way we conduct} our relations with other countries, ~~[and the way we conduct ourselves in the world.]~~ The U.S. must and will be forthright and firm in explaining and defending our interests and those of our allies.

You the people, have a very important role to play in this process. You have the patience and the understanding to sort out what is concrete diplomatic progress from what is mere propaganda designed to influence public opinion in the democracies. We are counting on your judgement. All too often in the past, political and public opinion -- and sometimes government policy as well -- have taken on extreme views of the U.S.-Soviet relationship. We have witnessed both extremes, sometimes a near euphoria over a supposed coming-together of our two societies; at other times a feeling of depression that the U.S. and USSR may somehow be at the brink of conflict."

^{We must all keep the longer term in mind.}
~~[What we're seeking is a long-term and lasting improvement in the U.S.-Soviet relationship.]~~ By holding to the firm and steady

course we set out on 5 years ago, we have shown that there is no longer any reason for such abrupt swings in assessing this relationship. Our differences, ^{with the Soviet Union} are, indeed, profound, and it is inevitable that our two countries will ^{have} ~~oppose~~ ^{ing} ~~each other~~ ^{views on many important issues.} But we are not at the brink of conflict; we have intensified our bilateral dialogue and taken measures -- such as the recent upgrading of the crisis "Hotline" -- to ensure fast and reliable communications between our leaders at all times.

Above all, I emphasized to the Foreign Minister, and will do so with Mr. Gorbachev as well, that I view it as the overriding responsibility of the leaders of our two countries to work for peaceful relations between us. Based on my discussion with the Foreign Minister, I believe that the Soviet leadership too recognized ⁵ the importance of this fundamental objective.

Thus, what we are engaged in is neither "cold war" nor "detente," but a careful, long-term diplomatic process in which we seek to solve problems where they are solvable, to bridge differences where they can be bridged, and to recognize those areas where there are no realistic solutions. And, where solutions are lacking, we must manage our differences in a way that protects Western freedoms and preserves the peace.

With your continued understanding and support, the United States stands ready to accomplish this. Much more must be done, of course, but based on this week's meetings, I am pleased to say that at least the process is underway. And ~~we~~ ^W ourselves will ^{continue} ~~to~~ take some further bilateral steps to move things along and to show our readiness to do our part.

With equal determination on the Soviet part, much can be accomplished. We will judge the results ~~[over the long term]~~ as Soviet actions unfold in each of the four key areas of our relations. And I will be reporting to you further ~~[on each area]~~ as preparations for my November meeting proceed.

Until next week, thanks for listening and God bless you.

DEPARTMENT

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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MESSAGE NO. 001495 CLASSIFICATION CONFIDENTIAL No. Pages 2

FROM: BRUNSON MCKINLEY S/S 7224
(Officer name) (Office symbol) (Extension) (Room number)

MESSAGE DESCRIPTION

PLATT/MCFARLANE - Soviet Request for Additional Participants
in White House Meeting with Shevardnadze

<u>TO (Agency)</u>	<u>DELIVER TO:</u>	<u>Extension</u>	<u>Room No.</u>
NSC	<u>MR. ROBERT PEARSON</u>		
NSC	<u>EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT</u>		
	<u>MARTIN</u>		

FOR CLEARANCE INFORMATION PER REQUEST COMMENT

REMARKS:

Advance copy -- the original will be coming over via courier. 9/26

S/S Officer: BMcKinley
File K
J. Andrew



9/26

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: SOVIET REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PARTICIPANTS
IN WHITE HOUSE MEETING WITH SHEVARDNADZE

The Soviet Embassy has requested that Sergei Tarasenko, Special Advisor to Foreign Minister Shevardnadze, be included in both the meeting with the President and the luncheon. In addition, the Soviets would like to add Vladimir Lomeyko, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Spokesman, to the luncheon guest list. We are attaching, for your reference, an updated list of Soviet proposed participation. The Soviet Embassy has indicated that they may have additional names to propose for the luncheon later today.

BMCK

Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

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Department of State Guidelines, July 21, 1997
By MD NARA, Date 8/19/07

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DECL: OADR

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List of Soviet Participants in the Meeting of E. A.
Shevardnadze with President Reagan

Meeting with Reagan of September 27 in Washington

Korniyenko, G.M.	(First Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs)
Dobrynin, A.F.	(Ambassador to the United States)
Chernyshov, A.S.	(Ambassador and Assistant to the Foreign Minister)
Tarasenko, S.	(Special Advisor to the Foreign Minister)
Sokolov, O.M.	(Minister-Counselor of the Soviet Embassy).
Palazhchenko, P.R.	(Interpreter)

Lunch hosted by the President of September 27 in the White House

The same composition as in the conversation with the President,
plus

✓ Isakov, V.F.	(Minister-Counselor of the Soviet Embassy)
✓ Lomeyko, V.	(Spokesman for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENTS

To: Officer-in-charge
Appointments Center
Room 060, OEOB

Please admit the following appointments on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1985

for THE PRESIDENT of _____
(NAME OF PERSON TO BE VISITED) (AGENCY)

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LUNCHEON - 12:00 - 1:30 PM (State Dining Room)

UNITED STATES

Vice President Bush
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Weinberger
Secretary Baker
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Ambassador Rozanne Ridgway
Ambassador Arthur Hartman
Ambassador Paul H. Nitze
Ambassador Edward Rowny-632-3612
Ambassador Jack F. Matlock
Colonel Robert E. Linhard
Charles Z. Wick
Eugenia Arensburger, Interpreter

SOVIET UNION

Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze
Deputy Foreign Minister Korniyenko
Ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin
Ambassador and Asst. to FM Albert S. Chernyshov
Counselor to the FM Sergei P. Tarasenko
Head of Public Affairs at FM Viktor B. Lomeiko
Minister Counselor Oleg Sokolov
Minister Counselor Viktor Isakov
Mr. Pavel R. Palazhchenko, Interpreter

MEETING LOCATION

Building WEST WING Requested by JACK F. MATLOCK
Room No. STATE DINING ROOM Room No. 368 Telephone 5112
Time of Meeting 12:00 - 1:30PM Date of request 9/26/85

Additions and/or changes made by telephone should be limited to five (5) names or less.

APPOINTMENTS CENTER: SIG/OEOB - 395-6046 or WHITE HOUSE - 456-6742

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

VIA LDX

September 26, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR DONALD GREGG

Assistant to the Vice President
for National Security Affairs
Office of the Vice PresidentNICHOLAS PLATT
Executive Secretary
Department of StateCOLONEL DAVID R. BROWN
Executive Secretary
Department of DefenseSUBJECT: Soviet Foreign Minister Shevardnadze's visit --
Participants List, September 27, 1985Following is the list of participants for Soviet Foreign Minister
Shevardnadze's visit on September 27.Pre-Brief -- 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. (Oval Office)The President
The Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Weinberger
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Ambassador Nitze
Ambassador Ridgway
Ambassador Hartman
Ambassador MatlockMeeting -- 10:05 - 12:00 Noon (Oval Office)The President
Vice President Bush
Secretary Shultz
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Ambassador Hartman
Ambassador Matlock
Dimitri Zarechnak, InterpreterMiller

Lunch 12:15 - 1:30 p.m. - (State Dining Room)

The President
The Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Weinberger
Secretary Baker
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Ambassador Ridgway
Ambassador Hartman
Ambassador Nitze
Ambassador Rowny
Ambassador Matlock
Colonel Robert E. Linhard
Charles Z. Wick
Eugenia Arensburger, Interpreter



William F. Martin
Executive Secretary

WASHFAX RECEIPT

THE WHITE HOUSE

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MESSAGE NO. 741 CLASSIFICATION UNCLAS FOUO PAGES 2

FROM WILLIAM MARTIN 456-2224
(NAME) (EXTENSION) (ROOM NUMBER)

MESSAGE DESCRIPTION Soviet Foreign Minister Shevardnadze's
visit - Participant's Ltst. LOG #: 7647

TO (AGENCY) DELIVER TO: DEPT/ROOM NO. EXTENSION

B/STATE NICHOLAS PLATT Exec Sec _____

D/DOD Col. DAVID R. BROWN Exec Sec _____

REMARKS _____

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

September 27, 1985

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM F. MARTIN

FROM:

JACK F. MATLOCK *JFM*

SUBJECT:

Participants List for Visit of Soviet Foreign
Minister Shevardnadze

Attached at Tab I is a memo from you to counterparts forwarding the participants list for the Shevardnadze meetings on Friday, September 27, 1985.

Jonathan Miller concurs.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memo at Tab I.

Approve *JFM*

Disapprove _____

Attachments:

Tab I Memo to Agencies

Mary

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

ACTION

September 26, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. MCFARLANE

THROUGH: W. ROBERT PEARSON

FROM: JOHNATHAN S. MILLER *JSM*

SUBJECT: Participants in Shevardnadze Meeting

Given the limited seating capacity of both the Oval Office and the State Dining Room, it has become necessary to have you review and decide who shall attend the meetings.

Please review Tab A which has the additional requests and a decision space for each addition. The list is based on the original September 18 memo from Jack Matlock and changes by you to that list (to drop Holmes and substitute Linhard and Rowny at the lunch).

It should be noted that any numbers above 14 for the 10:00 a.m. meeting will force that meeting to the Cabinet Room. In addition, Jack Matlock feels that too many US participants will affect the Soviets' perception of the President's personal control of the meeting and issues for the US side.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you indicate changes as appropriate on the list at Tab A.

Approve _____ As Amended _____

Attachment

Tab A - List of Attendees and Proposed Additions



Prebrief (Oval Office) 9:00 a.m.:
(Total of 10 with addition)

President
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Weinberger
Donald R. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Amb Paul H. Nitze
Amb Roz Ridgway
Amb Arthur Hartman
Amb Jack F. Matlock

Meeting (Oval Office) 10:00 a.m.:
(Total of 17 with additions - 10 U.S./7 USSR)

President
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Amb. Roz Ridgway (Sec Shultz insists - addition) Yes _____ No _____
Amb Jack F. Matlock
Amb Paul H. Nitze (Sec Shultz insists - addition) Yes _____ No _____
Dimitri Zarechnak (interpreter)

Foreign Minister Shevardnadze
Deputy Foreign Minister Korniyenko
Ambassador Dobrynin
Ambassador and Assistant to the Foreign Minister A. S. Chernyshov
Minister Counselor Sokolov
Sergei P. Tarasanko, Counselor to the Foreign Minister
P. R. Palazhchenko (interpreter)

N.B.: The American side must not exceed eight in order for the meeting to remain in the Oval Office. Do you wish to move to the Cabinet Room?

Yes _____ No _____

Luncheon (State Dining Room) 12:15 p.m.:
(Total 24 with additions - 15 U.S./9 USSR)

President
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Secretary Weinberger
Secretary Baker
Donald T. Regan

Luncheon List (Continued)

Robert C. McFarlane

Amb Roz Ridgway

Amb Arthur Hartman

Amb Paul H. Nitze

Amb Edward Rowny

Amb Jack F. Matlock

Colonel Robert E. Linhard

Charles Z. Wick (addition) Yes _____ No _____

Eugenia Arensburger (interpreter)

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Minister-Counselor Viktor Isakov

Mr. P. R. Palazhchenko (interpreter)

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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Amb Roz Ridgway
Amb Arthur Hartman
Amb Jack F. Matlock

Meeting (Oval Office) 10:00 a.m.:
(Total of 17 with additions - 10 U.S./7 USSR)

President 9/5
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane
Hartman
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Amb Jack F. Matlock
~~Amb Paul H. Nitze (Sec Shultz insists - addition) Yes _____ No _____~~
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~~Sergei P. Tarasenko, Counselor to the Foreign Minister.~~
P. R. Palazhchenko (interpreter)

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Yes _____ No _____

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Colonel Robert E. Linhard

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

ACTION

September 26, 1985

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Approve *my* As Amended _____

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Secretary Weinberger
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Amb Paul H. Nitze
Amb Roz Ridgway
Amb Arthur Hartman
Amb Jack F. Matlock

Meeting (Oval Office) 10:00 a.m.:
(Total of ~~17~~ with additions - ~~10~~ U.S./7 USSR)
16 *9*

*Somebody's
addition is
bad.*

President
Vice President
Secretary Shultz
Donald T. Regan
Robert C. McFarlane

also

~~Amb. Roz Ridgway (Sec Shultz insists addition) Yes ___ No~~
~~Amb Jack F. Matlock~~
~~Amb Paul H. Nitze (Sec Shultz insists addition) Yes ___ No~~
Dimitri Zarechnak (interpreter)

(Circled area around the Yes/No checkboxes)

~~Foreign Minister Shevardnadze
Deputy Foreign Minister Korniyenko
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Ambassador and Assistant to the Foreign Minister A. S. Chernyshov
Minister Counselor Sokolov
Sergei P. Tarasanko, Counselor to the Foreign Minister
P. R. Palazhchenko (interpreter)~~

N.B.: The American side must not exceed ~~eight~~ *seven* in order for the meeting to remain in the Oval Office. Do you wish to move to the Cabinet Room?

Yes ___ No *17*

Luncheon (State Dining Room) 12:15 p.m.:
(Total 24 with additions - 15 U.S./9 USSR)

President
Vice President
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Luncheon List (Continued)

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Amb Roz Ridgway

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Amb Edward Rowny

Amb Jack F. Matlock

Colonel Robert E. Linhard

Charles Z. Wick (addition) ~~Yes~~ ~~No~~

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Mr. P. R. Palazhchenko (interpreter)

WHITE-HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM URGENT

DATE: 9/26/85 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: NOON TOMORROW

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: FAREWELL CEREMONY FOR GENERAL VESSEY
(Sept. 26 - 6:30 pm draft)

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REMARKS:

Please submit your comments, edits or suggestions directly to Ben Elliott with an info copy to my office by noon tomorrow. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

David L. Chew
 Staff Secretary
 Ext. 2702

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September 26, 1985
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PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: FAREWELL CEREMONY FOR GENERAL VESSEY
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1985

Jack, I hope you weren't embarrassed by that uniform with the World War I helmet.

The way I look at it: You're almost old enough now to run for President.

I really do approach this get-together today with very mixed feelings; I want to pay tribute to Jack Vessey but it's also hard to lose a friend: I've found you need all the friends you can get in Washington. Of course, there is some consolation in knowing that Jack is going back to Minnesota; I discovered last year I needed friends there even more than I did in Washington.

But, as I say, Jack, don't let the uniform upset you. Because, you know, we enlisted in the reserves about the same time and believe me you should have seen my uniform: I was in the horse cavalry.

Which brings up an important point. You know, ladies and gentlemen, I recently disclosed that the real reason I ran for President was to bring back the horse cavalry. And when I took office some people told me I was now the most powerful man in the world. So now that you're retiring, Jack, maybe you can tell me why everytime I brought up the horse cavalry in the Oval Office you and Cap would just smile and nod and say, "yes Mr. President." And nothing would happen.

Ladies and gentlemen, we are here today to honor and thank Jack Vessey for his years of service and devotion to America. As

you've heard, Jack Vessey's military career has taken him right to the top: Four Star General, Vice Chief of Staff of the United States Army and ultimately Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff -- and all of this after receiving a battlefield commission. I know Jack was proud of every rank and command he held; in each, he performed with skill, competence, and devotion to duty.

And yet for Jack Vessey I suspect the title of which he was proudest was the first one he ever held during his 46 -- count 'em 46 -- years of military service. The one he earned the day he joined the Minnesota National Guard; the title that said: "Jack Vessey G.I."

General Vessey will be remembered for many things. As a battlefield hero -- you've heard today about North Africa, Monte Cassino, Anzio and that grim night with the 2nd battalion in Vietnam. He will be remembered as a man of patriotism and deep religious belief, an officer who brought character and credit to every billet he ever held. As a military leader who always spoke his mind to civilian authority -- respectfully but candidly. As the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff who presided over the restoration of America's military strength and power at a moment critical to the fate of freedom and his country's security. In all these things, he bore the marks of greatness.

But there is one accomplishment that is not there in Jack Vessey's 101 file. Yet it's an accomplishment that made the difference in the lives of so many G.I.'s over so many years in so many places around the globe. Jack Vessey always remembered

the soldiers in the ranks; he understood those soldiers are the backbone of any Army. He noticed them, spoke to them, looked out for them. Jack Vessey never forgot what it was like to be an enlisted man, to be just a G.I.

Mark J. Neal of Las Cruces, New Mexico remembers. In January of 1975, he was a private at Ft. Carson, a member of the drill team there. He said recently that after one drill team event, he was in his residence "doing dishes" -- before the volunteer Army, way back when Jack and I enlisted, it seems to me they had another name for "doing dishes" -- anyway, Mark Neal was told the commanding General wanted to see him.

He was scared, of course, but he found his meeting and friendly chat with the General something he would always remember. After that, Mark Neal followed General Vessey's career. Hearing about his retirement, he wrote to him recently, "This short meeting made a lasting impression on me. It was amazing to me that you even knew I was on the premises...even more amazing that you would want to meet me...that moment of thoughtfulness for a lowly enlisted man back at Fort Carson proved the truth of your reputation as a real soldier's General."

There were many Mark Neals in Jack Vessey's career; and Jack Vessey made their lives a little easier, a little less lonely; and he made them a little prouder to wear their country's uniform and defend freedom.

Jack, in the five years or so I've been doing events like this I've learned something about people like you; a career like yours combining as it does heroism, patriotism, competence,

wisdom, and kindness doesn't need elaboration from commanders in chief or presidents; it speaks enough all by itself; today I'll let history be your valedictorian, not me.

But what I can do today is thank you. On behalf of your friends here today who have had the honor of working with you; and on behalf of some others who couldn't be here -- all your fellow Americans. If they had the chance to be here, they would express their gratitude to you for making their lives and the lives of their children safer and more secure. And then there is that other group I'm standing in for today. I know all of them would want to be remembered to you. I'm talking, of course, about those young people who wore the uniform for Jack Vessey, had the privilege of having their own G.I. General. So, from all of us, Jack, your friends, your fellow Americans, but especially the soldiers who stood a little taller because of you: Thanks. Thanks from a grateful Nation. And may God bless you and give you and Avis many more rich, fruitful and happy years together.

WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM **URGENT**

DATE: 9/26/85 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: NOON TOMORROW

SUBJECT: PROPOSED EXECUTIVE ORDER ENTITLED "CONTINUANCE OF CERTAIN FEDERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEES"

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REMARKS:

Please submit to my office your comments or suggestions on the attached by noon TOMORROW. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

David L. Chew
Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

September 26, 1985

Advance Copy

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: JOSEPH R. WRIGHT, JR.
ACTING DIRECTOR *J. R. Wright*

SUBJECT: PROPOSED EXECUTIVE ORDER ENTITLED
"CONTINUANCE OF CERTAIN FEDERAL ADVISORY
COMMITTEES"

SUMMARY. This memorandum forwards for your consideration a proposed Executive order, submitted by the Administrator of General Services, that would extend the existence of eleven federal advisory committees which otherwise would expire on September 30, 1985. The proposed order also would revoke the Executive Orders which created 15 other advisory committees whose work has been completed.

BACKGROUND. The proposed Executive order would continue in existence various federal advisory committees which, pursuant to various Executive Orders, are due to expire on September 30, 1985. Pursuant to Section 14 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I), these committees must be renewed by the President before that date in order to continue functioning.

The proposed order also would revoke Executive Orders that established various advisory committees which, according to the sponsoring agencies, have terminated, been abolished by statute or finished their work.

None of the affected agencies objects to the proposed Executive order.

RECOMMENDATION. I recommend that you sign the proposed Executive order.

Enclosure

EXECUTIVE ORDER

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CONTINUANCE OF CERTAIN FEDERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEES

By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and statutes of the United States of America, and in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App. I), it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. Each advisory committee listed below is continued until September 30, 1987:

(a) Advisory Committee on Small and Minority Business Ownership; Executive Order No. 12190 (Small Business Administration).

(b) Committee for the Preservation of the White House; Executive Order No. 11145, as amended (Department of the Interior).

(c) Federal Advisory Council on Occupational Safety and Health; Executive Order No. 12196 (Department of Labor).

(d) President's Commission on White House Fellowships; Executive Order No. 11183, as amended (Office of Personnel Management).

(e) President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities; Executive Order No. 12367 (National Endowment for the Arts).

(f) President's Committee on the International Labor Organization; Executive Order No. 12216 (Department of Labor).

(g) President's Committee on Mental Retardation; Executive Order No. 11776 (Department of Health and Human Services).

(h) President's Committee on the National Medal of Science; Executive Order No. 11287, as amended (National Science Foundation).

(i) President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports; Executive Order No. 12345, as amended (Department of Health and

Human Services).

(j) President's Economic Policy Advisory Board; Executive Order No. 12296 (Office of Policy Development).

(k) President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee; Executive Order No. 12382, as amended (Department of Defense).

(l) President's Export Council; Executive Order No. 12131 (Department of Commerce).

Sec. 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other Executive Order, the functions of the President under the Federal Advisory Committee Act which are applicable to the committees listed in Section 1 of this Order, except that of reporting annually to the Congress, shall be performed by the head of the department or agency designated after each committee, in accordance with guidelines and procedures established by the Administrator of General Services.

Sec. 3. The following Executive Orders, that established committees which have terminated or been abolished by statute or whose work is completed, are revoked:

(a) Executive Order No. 12502, establishing the Chemical Warfare Review Commission.

(b) Executive Order No. 12369, establishing the President's Private Sector Survey on Cost Control in the Federal Government.

(c) Executive Order No. 12395, establishing the International Private Enterprise Task Force.

(d) Executive Order No. 12433, establishing the National Bipartisan Commission on Central America.

(e) Executive Order No. 12335, establishing the National Commission on Social Security Reform.

(f) Executive Order No. 12332, establishing the National Productivity Advisory Committee.

(g) Executive Order No. 12412, establishing the Peace Corps Advisory Council.

(h) Executive Order No. 12426, establishing the President's Committee on Women's Business Ownership.

(i) Executive Order No. 12499, establishing the President's Blue Ribbon Task Group on Nuclear Weapons Program Management.

(j) Executive Order No. 12428, establishing the President's Commission on Industrial Competitiveness.

(k) Executive Order No. 12400, establishing the President's Commission on Strategic Forces.

(l) Executive Order No. 12439, establishing the President's Task Force on Food Assistance.

(m) Executive Order No. 12421, establishing the Presidential Commission on the Conduct of United States-Japan Relations.

(n) Executive Order No. 12401, establishing the Presidential Commission on Indian Reservation Economies.

(o) Executive Order No. 12468, establishing the Presidential Advisory Council on the Peace Corps.

Sec. 4. Executive Order No. 12399 and Executive Order No. 12489 are superseded.

Sec. 5. This Order shall be effective September 30, 1985.

THE WHITE HOUSE,