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- 1) Subject: Meeting with the Cabinet regarding
Sugar Import Quotas and Trade
policy with developing countries (LDC)
- 2) Meeting with the Republican members of
the House Budget Committee regarding
the First Concurrent Budget Resolution
for FY 1983.
- 3) Photo session with PAUL TRACY,
editor of the Manchester Union
Leader newspaper
- 4) Meeting and reception for Major
Republican donors prior
to the Senate-House Dinner
- 5) Schedule for Republican
House / Senate Dinner
at the Washington Hilton
Hotel.

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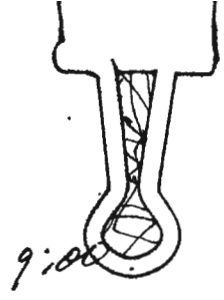
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE
Tuesday, May 4, 1982



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(Sprinkel)
(Carlucci)

CABINET MEETING PARTICIPANTS

Tuesday, May 4, 1982 11:00 a.m.

✓ Don Hodel for Sec. Watt
✓ Dove Swoop for Sec. Schweiker
The Cabinet 11 All Members *

Smith
(Hodel)
Block
Baldige
Dorovan
(Swoop)
Pierce
Lewis
Edwards
Bell
Stockman
Brock

- * ✓ Frank C. Carlucci, Deputy Secretary of Defense, for Secretary Weinberger
- * ✓ Dr. Beryl Sprinkel, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs, for Secretary Regan
- ✓ The Vice Pres. did NOT attend
- * ✓ Ambassador Kirkpatrick will not attend
- ✓ Ed Meese did NOT attend
- ✓ Bill Casey did NOT attend
- ✓ James A. Baker
- ~~Michael K. Deaver~~
- ✓ Richard G. Darman
- ✓ Kenneth Duberstein
- ✓ Craig L. Fuller
- ✓ Edwin L. Harper
- ✓ Ed Rollins
- ~~Rich Williamson~~
- ✓ Murray Weidenbaum
- ✓ Michael Baroody for Dave Gergen
- ✓ Kenneth Cribb
- ✓ Edwin Gray
- ✓ Robert McFarlane for William Clark
- ✓ Larry Speakes
- ✓ Jim Cicconi
- ✓ Fred Bush for The Vice President
- ✓ Karen Hart

For Presentations:

- Item #1 ✓ Richard Smith, Administrator for Foreign Agriculture Service, USDA
- Item #2 ✓ Robert D. Hormats, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic and Business Affairs

Guests in attendance:


- ✓ Joe L. Barton, White House Fellow, DOE
- ✓ Thomas C. Shull, White House Fellow, WH

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 3, 1982

MEETING WITH SECRETARY REGAN

DATE: MAY 4, 1982
TIME: 1:00 P.M. (30 MINUTES)
LOCATION: OVAL OFFICE
FROM: CRAIG L. FULLER 

I. PURPOSE/BACKGROUND

The is another in a series of economic briefings by Secretary Regan. He will highlight recent economic developments. There is no material available in advance of the meeting.

II. PARTICIPANTS

Secretary Regan
~~Ed Meese~~
David Stockman
James Baker
~~Michael Deaver~~
Richard Darman
Craig Fuller
David Gergen
Ed Harper
Murray Weidenbaum

III. PRESS PLAN

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 3, 1982

MEETING WITH SENATOR JAKE GARN (R-UTAH), MRS. GARN,
AND HER PARENTS, DR. AND MRS. JOSEPH BREWERTON

DATE: Tuesday, May 4, 1982

LOCATION: The Oval Office

TIME: 4:20 p.m. (5 minutes)

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To respond to Senator Garn's (R-Utah) request for an opportunity to bring his wife, Kathleen, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Brewerton, in to meet the President.

II. BACKGROUND

Senator Jake Garn requested an opportunity to bring his wife, Kathleen, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brewerton of Salt Lake City, Utah, in to meet you. They are currently visiting Senator and Mrs. Garn.

Senator Garn is Secretary of the Republican Conference, and is Chairman of the Senate Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee. In addition, he serves on the Appropriations Committee and the Select Committee on Intelligence.

Senator and Mrs. Garn have a family of six children, and they are expecting the arrival of their second child in mid-June. They were invited to participate in the official delegation to Seoul, Korea, which former President Ford will head May 20-24, to observe the Centennial of U.S./Korea Relations. Because this trip was so close to the expected arrival of their baby, they declined the invitation.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Senator Jake Garn
Kathleen Garn
Dr. Joseph O. Brewerton
Mary E. Brewerton

Staff

Kenneth M. Duberstein

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON


May 3, 1982

PHOTOGRAPH WITH MR. AND MRS. PAUL TRACY

DATE: Tuesday, May 4, 1982

LOCATION: Oval Office

TIME: 4:20 pm (5 minutes)

FROM: Larry Speakes 

I. PURPOSE

To be photographed with Paul and Phyllis Tracy. Mr. Tracy is Editor-in-Chief of the Manchester Union Leader in Manchester, New Hampshire.

II. BACKGROUND

Paul Tracy has been Editor-in-Chief of the Manchester Union Leader for six years, during which time he has written many favorable editorials in support of the President's policies. Prior to that he was Managing Editor; he has been with the paper since 1946. He will be bringing with him a short note for the President from Mrs. William Loeb.

Jerry Carmen requested that this courtesy meeting take place.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Paul Tracy
Phyllis Tracy

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

After brief introductions, the photo will be taken.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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May 3, 1982

MR. PRESIDENT:

The papers referred to in Ambassador Brock's Memo concerning an LDC trade initiative have been held and are available upon request. (We will have a copy available for you to refer to in the meeting.) The essence of the message contained in the approximately 20-page document is contained within his one-and-one-half page memo to you.



Richard G. Darman

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

BRIEFING PAPER FOR THE PRESIDENT

MEETING WITH THE CABINET
DATE: MAY 3, 1982
TIME: 11:00 A.M. (60 MINUTES)
LOCATION: CABINET ROOM

FROM: CRAIG L. FULLER

I. PURPOSE

The Cabinet meeting has been scheduled to allow Secretary Block to discuss Sugar Import Quotas and Ambassador Brock to discuss a trade initiative with the developing countries that is being considered as part of the preparations for the Versailles Economic Summit.

II. BACKGROUND

Papers for both issues have been attached. The Sugar Import paper you saw previously when the issue was scheduled but not discussed when we ran out of time. No changes have been made.

The paper submitted by Bill Brock summarizes the points he wishes to raise on his trip abroad. The paper was not circulated to Cabinet members or staff until late since the issue was reviewed only late today (Monday) at the Trade Policy Council. Bill seeks your approval in his request to discuss the details of the initiative outlined during his trip later this week.

III. PARTICIPANTS

A list will be attached to the agenda. This is a full cabinet meeting.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE

Secretary Block will lead-off with a discussion of the Sugar Quota issue. Bill Brock will follow.

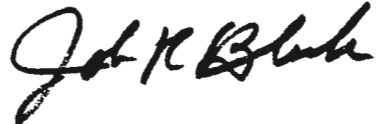
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 22, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: JOHN R. BLOCK, CHAIRMAN PRO TEMPORE
CABINET COUNCIL ON FOOD AND AGRICULTURE



SUBJECT: Sugar Import Quota

ISSUE: Should the President establish an import quota for sugar to protect the domestic price support program for sugar beets and sugar cane?

If so, in allocating shares of the quota, should the President modify an explicit preference given to Caribbean countries in the Caribbean Basin proposal submitted to Congress?

BACKGROUND:

The 1981 Farm Bill requires the Secretary to support the price of domestic sugar at specified levels, rising from 16.75 cents per pound up to 18 cents for the 1985 crop.

Because the United States must import very large amounts of sugar to meet domestic demand and because the price of imported sugar (9-10 cents per pound) is substantially below the price support level for domestic sugar, a system of border protection is needed to maintain domestic sugar prices at the levels specified in the Farm Bill. The system of border protection currently in place consists of import duties and fees. Due to falling world prices and the legal limitations on the amount of duties and fees, this system of border protection has not been able to protect the domestic sugar prices at the required levels. If the domestic sugar price is not supported adequately, sugar supplies will be sold to or left with the government, leading to additional budget outlays of up to \$1.5 billion in FY 1983.

Given current conditions in the world sugar market, the only effective means of supporting domestic sugar prices is a quota on sugar imports. Imposition of a quota designed to achieve the specified price support level is inconsistent with this Administration's free trade policy and will complicate U.S. efforts to challenge restrictive trade practices of Japan and the European Community. While acknowledging these trade policy problems, the Cabinet Council nevertheless unanimously recommends imposing a restrictive quota on sugar imports through the end of the current fiscal year.

Although legislative action to resolve the underlying sugar problem appears impossible at the present, the Council recommends that USDA continue to study changes to the sugar program that will eliminate the need for either import quotas, import fees, or government outlays. The Council also recommends that the Secretary set the quota level so as to maintain as much as possible the level of government revenues from import fees.

The Cabinet Council, however, is divided on the issue of how to allocate shares of the quota among the exporting countries. USDA, supported by OMB, Treasury, Commerce, USTR, and CEA, proposes distributing quota shares to exporting countries according to the country's average percentage share of the U.S. market during the period 1975-1981. This would mean that Caribbean Basin countries together would receive a 37.8 percent share of the U.S. market, which would be the most favorable nonpreferential formula for allocating quota shares to Caribbean countries. The State Department and NSC, on the other hand, favor a preferential allocation scheme that would give the Caribbean countries a quota equal to their actual average import level for the past three years. This would give them a 51.6 percent share of the U.S. market and correspondingly reduce the shares of the other countries (see attachment).

The Caribbean Basin legislation which was submitted to Congress in March would allow all Caribbean suppliers, except the Dominican Republic, Panama, and Guatemala, to export sugar on a duty-free basis up to the Generalized System of Preference competitive need limit (approximately 180,000 tons). The legislation would impose upon sugar exports from the Dominican Republic, Panama, and Guatemala an absolute annual quota equivalent to approximately 110 percent of the average annual shipments from these countries over the last three years. The legislation also permits the President to reduce the amount of duty-free sugar imports from Caribbean countries if necessary to protect the domestic sugar price support program.

OPTION:

Provide an explicit preference to Caribbean countries in the allocation of quota shares.

Advantages:

- o Would cushion the decline of sugar export earnings of Caribbean countries at a time when these countries are experiencing a negative balance of payments.
- o Would emphasize the Administration's commitment to its Caribbean Basin Initiative and would be consistent with the preference for Caribbean countries provided by the free-trade provisions of the Caribbean Basin legislation.

Disadvantages:

- o Would generate serious bilateral trade problems with other exporting countries such as Australia and the Philippines; would violate our international obligation not to impose quotas in a discriminatory manner under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) and the International Sugar Agreement; and would complicate our ability to secure a GATT waiver for the one-way free trade zone proposed in the Caribbean Basin Initiative.
- o Could induce further investment in sugar production in the Caribbean Basin at a time when the region should be diversifying its economy.
- o Could jeopardize passage and implementation of the Caribbean Basin package, by creating the impression on Capitol Hill that the Administration is administratively establishing a discriminatory system of trade concessions before the legislation is considered.

DECISION:

1. Establish a sugar import quota to protect domestic sugar prices.

APPROVE

DISAPPROVE

2. Provide an explicit preference to Caribbean countries in the allocation of quota shares (as proposed by State and NSC).

APPROVE

DISAPPROVE

SUGAR QUOTAS

| <u>Country</u> | <u>State Proposal 1/</u> | | <u>USDA Proposal 2/</u> | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|-------------------------|---|
| | <u>Percentage</u> | <u>Tonnage</u> (^{'000 tons}) | <u>Percentage</u> | <u>Tonnage*</u> (^{'000 tons}) |
| 1. Guatemala | 6.2 | 174.8 | 4.8 | 134.4 |
| 2. Belize | 1.9 | 52.0 | 1.1 | 30.8 |
| 3. El Salvador | 2.6 | 71.7 | 2.6 | 72.8 |
| 4. Honduras | 2.8 | 77.7 | 1.0 | 28.0 |
| 5. Nicaragua | 2.7 | 76.6 | 2.1 | 58.8 |
| 6. Costa Rica | 2.4 | 66.3 | 1.5 | 42.0 |
| 7. Panama | 4.6 | 129.7 | 2.9 | 81.2 |
| 8. Jamaica | 1.3 | 36.2 | 1.1 | 30.8 |
| 9. Haiti | 0.2 | 6.4 | 0.1 | 2.8 |
| 10. Dominican Rep. | 22.9 | 640.7 | 17.6 | 492.8 |
| 11. Leeward-Windward Is. | .5 | 15.4 | 0.4 | 11.2 |
| 12. Barbados | 1.3 | 36.1 | 0.7 | 19.6 |
| 13. Trinidad-Tobago | .2 | 7.2 | 0.7 | 19.6 |
| 14. Guyana | 2.0 | 55.3 | 1.2 | 33.6 |
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| SUBTOTAL | | | | |
| Caribbean Basin | 51.6 | 1446.1 | 37.8 | 1058.4 |
| (Pro-Rata Share)* | | | | |
| Canada (.9) | 0.4 | 12.2 | 1.1 | 30.8 |
| Mexico (.75) | 0.4 | 10.1 | 0.3 | 8.4 |
| 17. Colombia (4.5) | 2.1 | 60.9 | 2.4 | 67.2 |
| 18. Ecuador (2.1) | 1.0 | 28.4 | 1.1 | 30.8 |
| 19. Peru (2.6) | 1.2 | 35.2 | 4.1 | 114.8 |
| 20. Bolivia (1.3) | 0.6 | 17.6 | 0.8 | 22.4 |
| 21. Brazil (33.9) | 16.4 | 459.0 | 14.5 | 406.0 |
| 22. Paraguay (.3) | 0.1 | 4.1 | 0.1 | 2.8 |
| 23. Argentina (8.6) | 4.1 | 116.4 | 4.3 | 120.4 |
| 24. France -- | -- | -- | 0.2 | 5.6 |
| 25. India -- | -- | -- | 0.8 | 22.4 |
| 26. Thailand (3.3) | 1.6 | 44.7 | 1.4 | 39.2 |
| 27. Philippines (10.7) | 5.2 | 144.9 | 13.5 | 378.0 |
| 28. Taiwan (.3) | 0.1 | 4.1 | 1.2 | 33.6 |
| 29. Australia (12.9) | 6.2 | 175.0 | 8.3 | 232.4 |
| 30. Other Pacific | | | | |
| NEC (2.6) | 1.3 | 35.2 | 0.7 | 19.6 |
| 31. Ivory Coast (.3) | 0.1 | 4.1 | -- | -- |
| 32. Mauritius (1.8) | 0.9 | 24.4 | 1.1 | 30.8 |
| 33. Mozambique (2.7) | 1.3 | 36.6 | 1.3 | 36.4 |
| 34. Malagasy Rep. (.45) | 0.2 | 6.2 | 0.3 | 8.4 |
| 35. Rep. S.Africa (2.9) | 1.4 | 39.3 | 2.3 | 64.4 |
| 36. Swaziland (3.8) | 1.8 | 51.4 | 1.6 | 44.8 |
| 37. Zimbabwe (1.2) | 0.6 | 16.2 | 0.1 | 2.8 |
| 38. Malawi (1.6) | 0.8 | 21.7 | 0.7 | 19.6 |
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| UBTOTAL (100)** | 48.4** | 1353.9** | 62.2 | 1741.6 |
| TOTAL | 100.0 | 2800.0 | 100.0 | 2800.0 |

' Based on providing the Caribbean Basin countries a quota equivalent to their average performance 1979-81. Other countries divide the residual with quota shares based on their relative performance 1979-81.

2/ Based on relative performance of countries 1975-81 excluding the high and low year for each country.

* Relative performance share for the years 1979-81, eliminating the Caribbean Basin countries.


** May not add exactly due to rounding.

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THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE
WASHINGTON
20506

May 3, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: WILLIAM E. BROCK 
SUBJECT: LDC TRADE INITIATIVE

During the next several years, the United States seeks to achieve a number of objectives with regard to trade policy vis-a-vis developing countries. Briefly, they are:

- to carry out your commitment at Cancun to work with developing countries to make trade an effective force for economic development in the Third World.
- to improve U.S. market access in rapidly expanding LDC markets.
- to strengthen the GATT as an institution for dealing with issues in DC-LDC trade.
- to divert attempts to move trade issues increasingly under the authority of political bodies such as the U.N. General Assembly.
- to obtain a renewal of the U.S. Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) in a manner that provides additional graduation for the advanced beneficiaries and greater relative benefits for the less advanced beneficiaries.

Today at the TPC we discussed a proposal which will allow us to respond to each of these objectives. We have developed the idea of using the occasion of the GATT Ministerial in November to launch a major round of trade negotiations between developed and developing countries. The purpose of the North-South Round would be to provide all developing countries with improved access to developed country markets at the same time that developing countries open their markets further to foreign goods and services.

The proposal represents a major North-South initiative. I would like to use the occasion of next week's OECD Ministerial to "float" the idea. If it is well received, and I think it will be, you may want to consider the possibility of announcing it formally at the time of the Versailles Summit.

A more complete description of the proposal is contained in the attached documents.


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THE WHITE HOUSE

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May 3, 1982

MEETING WITH SECRETARY REGAN

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III. PRESS PLAN

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 3, 1982

MEETING WITH REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF
THE HOUSE BUDGET COMMITTEE

DATE: May 4, 1982
LOCATION: Cabinet Room
TIME: 2:00 P.M. (45 minutes)
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ken D.*

I. PURPOSE

To discuss the First Concurrent Budget Resolution for Fiscal Year 1983.

II. BACKGROUND

When a Budget compromise involving the President, Senate Majority Leader Baker and House Speaker O'Neill was not achieved, Speaker O'Neill directed the House Budget Committee to begin work immediately on a Budget Resolution for Fiscal Year 1983. Additional impetus to early Congressional action has been added by Senate Budget Committee Chairman Domenici's effort to report a Budget Resolution no later than Friday, May 7. Under existing statutory guidelines, May 15 is the target for completion of Congressional action on the First Budget Resolution.

The House Budget Committee consists of twenty Democrats and twelve Republicans. Irrespective of the degree to which certain Committee Democrats might support an Administration-backed Budget initiative, Republican solidarity is essential both (1) to any House Floor strategy on the Budget and (2) to clear articulation of the individual elements and underlying philosophy of the Administration position.

OMB Director Stockman is scheduled to testify before the House Budget Committee on Wednesday, May 5; and Committee markup of a Budget Resolution is scheduled to begin the following day. It is therefore particularly important and timely for the President to give House Budget Committee Republicans guidance and to encourage their cooperation and support on the Budget issue.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List Attached.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Presidential remarks followed by open discussion with Congressional participants.

Attachments: Participants List
Talking Points

PARTICIPANTS

The President

The Vice President

Treasury Secretary Regan

OMB Director Stockman

CEA Chairman Weidenbaum

Congressional Participants

| | |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Robert H. Michel (R-Illinois) | House Republican Leader |
| Trent Lott (R-Mississippi) | House Republican Whip |
| Delbert L. Latta (R-Ohio) | Ranking Republican Member, Budget Committee |
| Ralph S. Regula (R-Ohio) | |
| Bud Shuster (R-Pennsylvania) | |
| Bill Frenzel (R-Minnesota) | |
| Jack F. Kemp (R-New York) | |
| James G. Martin (R-North Carolina) | |
| Paul S. Trible, Jr. (R-Virginia) | |
| Ed Bethune (R-Arkansas) | |
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SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH
REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE BUDGET COMMITTEE

- Thank the Congressmen for coming to the White House to discuss the Budget issue. Mention that you met yesterday (Monday, May 3rd) with the Congressional Republican Leadership and Republican Members of the Senate Budget Committee. Indicate that these meetings are a part of your effort to continue working with the Congress to achieve an acceptable solution to the Budget question.

- Express your disappointment at the lack of agreement on a Budget compromise and mention that it was clear that the Democratic Leadership was not interested in reaching an agreement. But express optimism that the Administration will be able to work with the Congress to fashion an acceptable budget.

- Stress the importance of House Republicans maintaining a united effort in the face of partisan actions by Congressional Democrats if we expect to be successful in the Budget process and in the fall elections.

- The House Budget Committee is scheduled to begin their markup of the First Concurrent Budget Resolution on Thursday, May 6. Mention that your meeting today is particularly timely in view of their scheduled markup and that you wanted this opportunity to let the Members know your thinking on this issue and to solicit their views as to the outcome of the Budget Committee deliberations.

- Outline the Administration's position on the major items in the Budget Resolution and open the meeting for general discussion.

- Following the discussion, again point out how important it is for Republicans to work together on these critical economic issues and remind them that you are anxious to maintain an on-going bipartisan dialogue to achieve an agreeable settlement on these Budget questions. Encourage the Members to keep in touch and to share their observations with you and your staff.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON


May 3, 1982

PHOTOGRAPH WITH MR. AND MRS. PAUL TRACY

DATE: Tuesday, May 4, 1982

LOCATION: Oval Office

TIME: 4:20 pm (5 minutes)

FROM: Larry Speakes 

I. PURPOSE

To be photographed with Paul and Phyllis Tracy. Mr. Tracy is Editor-in-Chief of the Manchester Union Leader in Manchester, New Hampshire.

II. BACKGROUND

Paul Tracy has been Editor-in-Chief of the Manchester Union Leader for six years, during which time he has written many favorable editorials in support of the President's policies. Prior to that he was Managing Editor; he has been with the paper since 1946. He will be bringing with him a short note for the President from Mrs. William Loeb.

Jerry Carmen requested that this courtesy meeting take place.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Paul Tracy
Phyllis Tracy

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

After brief introductions, the photo will be taken.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 3, 1982

MEETING WITH SENATOR JAKE GARN (R-UTAH), MRS. GARN,
AND HER PARENTS, DR. AND MRS. JOSEPH BREWERTON

DATE: Tuesday, May 4, 1982

LOCATION: The Oval Office

TIME: 4:20 p.m. (5 minutes)

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To respond to Senator Garn's (R-Utah) request for an opportunity to bring his wife, Kathleen, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Brewerton, in to meet the President.

II. BACKGROUND

Senator Jake Garn requested an opportunity to bring his wife, Kathleen, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brewerton of Salt Lake City, Utah, in to meet you. They are currently visiting Senator and Mrs. Garn.

Senator Garn is Secretary of the Republican Conference, and is Chairman of the Senate Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee. In addition, he serves on the Appropriations Committee and the Select Committee on Intelligence.

Senator and Mrs. Garn have a family of six children, and they are expecting the arrival of their second child in mid-June. They were invited to participate in the official delegation to Seoul, Korea, which former President Ford will head May 20-24, to observe the Centennial of U.S./Korea Relations. Because this trip was so close to the expected arrival of their baby, they declined the invitation.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Senator Jake Garn
Kathleen Garn
Dr. Joseph O. Brewerton
Mary E. Brewerton

Staff

Kenneth M. Duberstein

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Senator Garn and his family will arrive through the Northwest Gate, enter the West Lobby, and be escorted to the Oval Office for a five-minute photo session with the President.

Attachment: Talking Points

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH
SENATOR JAKE GARN AND HIS FAMILY

- Welcome Senator and Mrs. Garn and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brewerton.

- Mention that you hope Dr. and Mrs. Brewerton have been enjoying their visit to Washington.

- Mention that you are sorry Senator and Mrs. Garn will be unable to participate in the delegation to Seoul, Korea later this month, but you can understand their desire to stay close to home.

- Thank Senator Garn for bringing his wife and her parents in to meet you.