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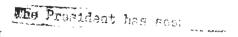
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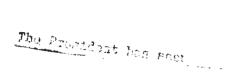
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3:00 pm (15 min)	Meeting with Gov. Bill Clements, Texas (Williamson) (TAB E)	Oval Office
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WASHINGTON

September 28, 1982

MEETING WITH ALBERT A. SPIEGEL

DATE:

Tuesday, October 5, 1982

LOCATION:

Oval Office

TIME:

10:00 a.m. (15 minutes)

FROM:

William F. Sittmann

I. PURPOSE

To discuss current Jewish events and the present situation in the Middle East.

II. BACKGROUND

Al Spiegel currently serves as Chairman of the National Republican Jewish Coalition, an informal group of 40 Jewish supporters. He is an attorney from Los Angeles who has advised the President on concerns of the Jewish community since the late 60's.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Al Spiegel James Baker Michael Deaver

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PRESS PLAN

None

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WASHINGTON

October 1, 1982

MEETING WITH INVEST IN AMERICA

DATE October 5, 1982 LOCATION Oval Office

TIME 4:45 p.m. - 4:55 p.m.

FROM: Elizabeth H. Dole

PURPOSE

Presentation of the American Eagle Award to the President by the Invest in America National Council.

II. BACKGROUND

Invest in America is an educational foundation whose object is to encourage understanding of the free market process among teachers and students. Their 29 year program of institutes given by businessmen and academics has reached over 8,000 teachers at all levels of school.

In 1969 the President recognized the contribution of the group to this valuable work by proclaiming a California Invest in America week.

The annual award is made to leaders for their achievements in furthering competitive enterprise and freedom. Previous recipients include Vice President George Bush, President Ford and Hon. Alexander Haig.

III. PARTICIPANTS

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Dr. Michael Novak - Previous recipient who is to present award.

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IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer.

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

4:15 p.m. Guests enter.

4:17 p.m. Brief words of presentation by Louis Milione.

4:20 p.m. President receives award from Michael Novak MicionE. and poses for photographs.

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4:22 p.m. President makes brief words of acceptance.

4:25 p.m. Guests leave.

^{*} See attached list.

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS IN INVEST IN AMERICA AWARD CEREMONY

LARRY, Richard M. President, Sarah Scaise Foundation Inc.

SCALLON, Al N. Director of Corporate Support Programs, IBM

MORRIS, Richard I. President, Grace Foundation Inc.

NOVAK, Dr. Michael Author and Lecturer

REDMOND, John C. Partner, Superior Alloy Metal Products Co.

MILIONE, Louis G. President, Invest in America

McKENNA, Alexander G. Chairman, Phillip M. McKenna Foundation Inc.

KAISER, Hubert Director, Kaiser Porcelain

JOHNSON, Wilson S. President, National Federation of Independent Businesses Inc.

WILSON, Robert L. Vice President of Public Affairs, Pfizer Inc.

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ADMINISTRATION

Red Cavaney, Deputy Assistant to the President, OPL

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IV. PRESS PLAN

None

WASHINGTON

October 4, 1982

MEETING WITH SENATE MAJORITY LEADER HOWARD BAKER AND HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER BOB MICHEL

DATE: Tuesday, October 5, 1982

LOCATION: The Oval Office

TIME: 1:00 p.m. (20 minutes)

FROM: KENNETH M. DUBERSTEIN & A.

I. PURPOSE

To review legislative accomplishments of the 97th Congress and discuss the critical importance of electing more Republicans to the new Congress beginning in January.

II. BACKGROUND

The House and Senate recessed late Friday night (2:30 a.m., Saturday) after completing action on several major bills. They will return November 29, the Monday after Thanksgiving, for a lame-duck session to consider Appropriations bills and, perhaps, other items.

Among the many items approved on Friday by the Congress for your signature were the Job Training Bill, the Export Trading Companies legislation and the Banking Deregulation measure—each a major Administration priority. In addition, the Congress sent you the Continuing Resolution (signed on Saturday) and the HUD Appropriations bill (signed on Thursday). The HUD bill is the only one of 13 regular appropriations bills to reach your desk. Also, the liberal House Democratic leadership scuttled the balanced budget constitutional amendment on the day they left town, although the measure received the vote of a majority of the House, 236-187.

Howard and Bob are quite proud of their legislative achievements during the past 20 months, despite the "bottling up" tactics of the House Democratic Leadership. On the campaign trail they will be echoing your message: proud of what we've done, important to stay the course, the program will work, there aren't any alternatives, need to maintain a strong working coalition in the House and retain control of the Senate.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See Attachment A

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer only

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Senator Baker and Congressman Michel enter the Northwest Gate to the West Lobby and are escorted into the Oval Office.

Attachment A: Participants
Attachment B: Talking Points

PARTICIPANTS

The President

Senator Howard Baker Congressman Bob Michel

Staff

Ed Meese Jim Baker Mike Deaver Ken Duberstein

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH SENATE MAJORITY LEADER HOWARD BAKER AND HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER BOB MICHEL

- --- Know you were up late Friday night passing job training bill, export trading companies legislation, the banking deregulation measure, and a host of other bills.
- --- Want to say thanks for your extraordinary efforts during the 97th Congress---great team, splendid leadership. We've pulled together to get the job done.
- --- I'm proud of a solid record of accomplishments, made possible by our Republican majority in the Senate and Bob's working coalition in the House.
- --- We set the agenda 21 months ago---our economic recovery program---we've cut government spending, reduced the size of government, cut taxes, and made significant strides toward regulatory relief.
- All done in spite of stalling, bottling up, obstructionist strategy of the House Democratic leadership. Democratic leadership in the House has sat on most of the appropriations bills; they've bottled up regulatory reform legislation, our anti-crime package, our enterprise zone proposal and so many other vital pieces of legislation. Tip's solution is to return to the failed policies of the past.

- --- Can't let that happen. We must stay the course. We can't turn back. I can't do it alone. Need to retain our majority in the Senate and a strong working coalition in the House. Nation's problems will not be solved by stalemate.
- --- Hope you'll echo this message to the press and on the campaign trail.

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WASHINGTON

October 4, 1982

MEETING WITH PATRIARCH DIODOROS

DATE: October 5, 1982

LOCATION: Oval Office

TIME: 1:30 - 1:40 p.m.

FROM: ELIZABETH H. DOLE



I. PURPOSE

To receive the Patriarch, who will present you with the Great Cross of the Holy Sepulchre, the highest award of the Jerusalem Patriarchate.

II. BACKGROUND

Patriarch Diodoros, elected in February, 1981, to head the Jerusalem Patriarchate (one of the five ancient Christian Patriarchates) arrived in the United States on September 16th for a six-week pastoral visit, his first to this country. He is the spiritual leader of 160,000 Greek Orthodox Christians in Israel, Jordan and other regions of the Middle East. Under his jurisdiction are all the sacred shrines of the Holy Land. A native of Greece, he is 59 years old.

The Patriarch will be accompanied by Archbishop Iakovos, Patriarch of the Greek Orthodox Church of North and South America, who is Diodoros' host and with whom you met in the Oval Office last November 3rd. Others in the party will be Metropolitan Constantinos and Father Alex Karloutsos (who also participated in the November 3rd meeting).

The Great Cross of the Holy Sepulchre is being presented to you as a Chief of State who "maintains the highest order of commitment to freedom and dignity throughout the world." The Patriarch will also present personal gifts for yourself and Mrs. Reagan.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See attached list

IV. PRESS PLAN

Photo/Press Pool

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- 1:30 You greet your guests as they enter the Oval Office and escort them to the area in front of the fireplace. Patriarch Diodoros will stand to your left, Archbishop Iakovos, to your right. The others will flank them.
- 1:35 The Press Pool will enter for the presentation.

After the Pool exits, you will take your seats in front of the fireplace, with the Patriarch seated in the chair to your left.

The personal gifts will be presented to you, and you converse as per the talking points.

1:40 - You thank the Patriarch, and the others, and they depart the Oval Office.

Attachments: Talking Points, Participants

TALKING POINTS

NOTE: Patriarch Diodorus is addressed as "Your Beatitude."

- -- I want to thank you, Your Beatitude, for the honor you have bestowed upon me by this award. Given the current situation in the Middle East, it is particularly meaningful for me.
- -- I know that you have been in the United States for almost three weeks now. How has your visit been going?
- -- As you continue your visit, please convey to all the hierarchy you meet, and the Greek-American community, my warmest personal regards.
- -- Thank you, again, for presenting me with this award and for the personal gifts. Mrs. Reagan and I are most appreciative.

PARTICIPANTS

Patriarch Diodoros Archbishop Iakovos Archbishop Iakovos (Your Eminence)
Metropolitan Constantinos (Your Eminence)
Reverend Alex Karloutsos (Father)

(Your Beatitude)

ADMINISTRATION

Jack Burgess, Special Assistant to the President, OPL



WASHINGTON

October 4, 1982

BRIEFING PAPER FOR THE PRESIDENT

MEETING WITH THE CABINET COUNCIL ON FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

DATE: OCTOBER 5, 1982

TIME: 2:00 P.M. (75 MINUTES)

LOCATION: CABINET ROOM

FROM: CRAIG L. FULLER ()

I. PURPOSE/BACKGROUND

Three discussion items are set for the agenda:

- 1. Agriculture Sector Update--Jack Block will outline the current conditions in the agricultural community. The situation is not a positive one and Secretary Block wants to provide you with an update.
- 2. Wheat Flour Export Subsidy--USDA has been working with an interagency group on this matter and will have a discussion paper for the meeting. USDA is seeking authorization to develop an agreement allowing the U.S. to sell wheat flour to Egypt as an important part of our strategy to cope with the EC's subsidy of agriculture exports.
- 3. Cabinet Council on Food and Agriculture's Mid-term planning Report--The Cabinet Council members will be prepared to discuss priorities within their jurisdiction during the next year.

II. PARTICIPANTS

A list will be attached to the agenda.

III. PRESS PLAN (closed)

IV. SEQUENCE

Secretary Block will lead the discussion.

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WASHINGTON October 4, 1982

MEETING WITH GOVERNOR BILL CLEMENTS (R-TEXAS)

DATE:

OCTOBER 5, 1982

LOCATION: OVAL OFFICE

TIME:

3:00 - 3:15 p.m.

FROM:

RICHARD S. WILLIAMSON

PURPOSE I.

To discuss agricultural issues of political importance in the State of Texas

II. BACKGROUND

Governor Clements' campaign for reelection has become increasingly competitive. Some polls now show him even with his Democratic opponent, Attorney General Mark White. Governor Clements believes the farm issue could provide a crucial distinction.

Prior to the Governor meeting with you, the Governor and twelve Texas agricultural leaders are scheduled to meet with Secretary Block.

Governor Clements will raise the following issues:

- The overall farm economy low farm income, depressed prices, low rate of return on investment.
- Implementation of the 1983 farm programs in Texas levels of set-aside by crop, timing of announcements, the need to reduce supplies in order to raise prices.

3. Export efforts

Debt and capital problems - concern over growing debts caused by three years of losses, the impact of interest rates on agriculture.

You are not expected to make any decisions or commitments in this meeting.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Governor Clements Rich Williamson

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Rich Williamson will escort the Governor to the Oval Office, followed by an informal discussion.

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WASHINGTON

October 1, 1982

MEETING WITH INVEST IN AMERICA

DATE October 5, 1982

LOCATION Oval Office

TIME 4:45 p.m. - 4:55 p.m.

FROM: Elizabeth H. Dole

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- -- It is an honor to me to join the distinguished list of recipients of this award.
- -- Invest in America's 'teaching the teachers' project is one of the success stories of our time. You are doing an excellent job spreading understanding of the virtues of the Free Market in our schools.
- -- 200 years ago the Founding Fathers chose the
 Bald Eagle as our national symbol. Its representation
 in this fine porcelain sculpture should act as an
 inspiration to us all as we enjoy the free society
 we have inherited from those who built our country.

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ADMINISTRATION

Red Cavaney, Deputy Assistant to the President, OPL

(Rohrabacher/AB) October 4, 1982 5:20 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: 207TH BIRTHDAY OF THE U.S. MARINES TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1982

It is my honor as Commander in Chief to extend congratulations to the United States Marines on their 207th Anniversary. As Marines you are upholding an honored tradition stretching back through our history to 1775. Your motto:

Semper fidelis -- always faithful -- says it all. Whenever and wherever our country has needed you, you were there -- from riggings of ships during the American revolution, to the brutal island battlefields of the Second World War.

As we celebrate your birthday, your fellow Marines stand watch in Beirut. Their mission, in the finest tradition of the Corps, is that of peace keepers. Today we understand that peace through strength is more than a slogan; in a world such as ours, it is a moral necessity. And in the tough job of preserving the peace and defending our Nation's independence and freedom, the United States Marines have always been there, ready to do their duty.

I am grateful for this opportunity to thank all of you for upholding this noble mission. Whether on the land, sea, or air you are making your family, friends, and country safer by what you do. This is a precious gift and we are grateful for it. So to the United States Marines: happy birthday, congratulations, and carry on.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Reception Honoring the
International Chapter of the
Young Presidents' Organization
October 5, 1982

FROM:

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- 4:45 p.m. Guests begin to arrive the SouthWest Gate,
 Diplomatic Reception Room, and are led by Social
 Aides up the Grand Staircase and into the State
 Dining Room for refreshments.
- 5:20 p.m. Social Aides begin to prepare guests for the receiving line, which will feed from the west wall of the State Dining Room, in front of the PRESIDENT at the south wall, then around to the east wall.
- 5:30 p.m. THE PRESIDENT arrives the State Floor, proceeds into the Red Room, and continues into the State Dining Room from the south door of the Red Room.

As soon as THE PRESIDENT is in place at the center of the south wall, the receiving line will begin.

At the termination of the receiving line, THE PRESIDENT makes brief remarks as guests gather around him. Following THE PRESIDENT'S remarks, Mr. Leonard Lauder will present THE PRESIDENT with a gift of Steuben glassware.

Following the remarks and the presentation, THE PRESIDENT will mingle with the guests.

- 5:50 p.m. THE PRESIDENT departs the State Floor for the Residence via the Cross Hall and elevator.
- 6:15 p.m. All guests depart.

(Parvin/AB) October 4, 1982 4:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RECEPTION FOR INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER OF THE YOUNG PRESIDENTS' ORGANIZATION TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1982

Thank you and welcome to the White House. I understand that to be a member of this organization you have to become president of a substantial concern before the age of 40. I think I missed out by about 30 years. I know for certain your enterprises are in better financial shape than mine . . . Say, do you suppose I could arrange a merger with Bendix?

I've always thought that there were three kinds of people in this world: those who make things happen, those who watch things happen, and those who ask "what happened?". All of you obviously are in the first category. But I would like to tell you a little of what's happened in Washington, especially in regard to the economy.

From our very first day in office, we've been working to clean up an economic mess that had been years in the making. The inflation rate was in double digits by January 1981 when we checked in here. Interest rates had climbed from less than 7 percent in 1976 to 21.5 percent. Productivity was dropping. The savings rate was dropping. Taxes, unfortunately, did not drop. They were smothering the incentives of individuals and businesses -- and I know incentive is word you well understand. Taxes actually doubled in the 5 years before we arrived.

Our first priority was to break the back of inflation because it touches on nearly every other economic problem we

faced. Well, we've done it. We have cut inflation by more than half; since January it has averaged 5.1 percent. The prime interest rate isn't 21.5 percent anymore. It's down to 13 or 13.5 percent. We've cut taxes and people are saving more.

Earlier I mentioned determination. Right now we are paying the price for those in Washington who did not have determination. Instead of facing problems, they spent and spent, taxed and taxed, and borrowed and borrowed. The result? Nearly 11 million of our people are out of work. I can't tell you how painful it is to me that each day millions of Americans who want to work cannot find it.

We all wish that there were some quick and easy cure for this terrible economic illness that was so long in the making. One thing is certain -- we can't afford to go back to the bankrupt policies that got us into this tragedy in the first place. All that would lead to is more unemployment, more taxes, more inflation and more, more, more economic problems. Those who want to return to the policies of the past are lost in the wilderness. They are so disoriented they don't know what to do except repeat their previous mistakes. They would take our economy deeper into the woods if we followed them. Well, I don't believe the American people want to return to the scene of the disaster.

That is one reason they want the balanced budget amendment. Yet the will of the people has been thwarted by a liberal

minority in the Congress who know such an amendment would mean an end to their big-spending, business-as-usual ways.

As I said in Virginia the other day, to those who are faint-hearted and unsure, I have this message: If you're afraid of the future, then get out of the way, stand aside. The people of this country are ready to move again. They are ready to move with a force and vigor you Young Presidents can appreciate. Thank you.