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FOR PRESIDENT'S
SCHEDULED
APPOINTMENTS FOR

JUN 10 83

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1) Subject: List of invitees for meeting of
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2) Recommended telephone call to DICK
BERGHOLZ, political journalist
for The Los Angeles Times.
Luncheon

3) Meeting with President's Roundtable
to discuss capital formation.

4) Videotaping session for:
A) Kennedy Center Superstar Variety Show
to benefit "Give an Officer a Life
Jacket"

B) Annual Broadcasters Promotion
Convention. National Association

C) Annual Convention of the Confectioners

D) Annual Convention of the Young Republicans

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4) Subject: (Continued)
E) Denver Children's Diabetes Foundation
"Carousel Days".

5) Audio taping session for American
Red Cross luncheon honoring
RABBI Magnin.

6) Recommended telephone call to
Kenneth BIALKIN, President of the
Anti-Defamation League of B'NAI
B'RITH.

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THE SCHEDULE OF
PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN

The President has seen _____

Friday, June 10, 1983



10:00 am (15 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese)	Oval Office
10:15 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Clark)	Oval Office
10:30 am (30 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:00 am (60 min)	<u>NSC Meeting</u> (Clark)	Cabinet Room (distributed separately)
12:00 m (5 min)	Phone call to Breakfast honoring <u>Dick Bergholz of L.A. Times</u> (Gergen/Speakes) (TAB A)	Oval Office
12:05 pm (55 min)	Lunch with Bipartisan Roundtable <u>re: Capital Formation</u> (Harper) (TAB B)	Cabinet Room
1:00 pm (30 min)	<u>Taping Session</u> (Bakshian/Goode) 1) Give an Officer a Life Jacket 2) Annual Broadcasters Promotion Convention 3) National Confectioners Association 100th Anniversary 4) Young Republicans National Convention (TAB C) 5) Children's Diabetes Foundation of Denver 6) L.A. Red Cross Tribute to Rabbi Magnin	Diplomatic Reception Room
Afternoon	N <u>To Camp David</u>	South Grounds
3:00 pm (5 min)	Phone call to Anti-Defamation <u>League of B'nai B'rith</u> (Whittlesey/Fischer) (TAB D) (draft remarks attached)	Camp David

UNP 6/09/83
4:00 pm

REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENTS

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

Please admit the following appointments on Friday, June 10, 1983, 19

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

Admiral Daniel P. Murphy

STATE:

Lawrence Eagleberger

Bud Uthe - Dep Dir, Office of
Strategic Affairs & Nuclear Technology
DOD:

Secretary Caspar Weinberger

Dr. Richard L. Wagner-Asst. SecDef for
Atomic Energy (He will be conducting
2nd briefing).

JCS:

General John W. Vessey

CIA:

Director William Casey

ENERGY:

Secretary Donald Paul Hodel

Mr. Herman Roser - Asst Sec for Defense Pgms

USUN:

Amb. Jeanne Kirkpatrick - Not Attending now.

TRANSPORTATION:

Mr. James H. Burnley- General Counsel

JUSTICE:

Attorney General William French Smith

OMB: Mr. Fred Khedouri

MEETING LOCATION

Building WHITE HOUSE

Room No. Situation Room

Time of Meeting 11:00am

Requested by CLEVELAND/MOORE

Room No. 372 Telephone 3044

Date of request 6/10/83

Additions and/or changes made by telephone should be limited to three (3) names or less.

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

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO: Dick Bergholz, senior political writer for
The Los Angeles Times. Number: (213) 388-1289

DATE: Friday, June 10, 1983, at 12 noon EDT

RECOMMENDED BY: Larry Speakes and Michael Deaver

PURPOSE: To wish Dick Bergholz well on his retirement

BACKGROUND: Dick Bergholz, who covered both gubernatorial
campaigns for the President, is retiring on
Friday. He will be honored at the Friday Group
Breakfast meeting at the Sheraton Town-House
hotel. Among those expected to attend the
breakfast are: Governor Deukmejian, Senator
Pete Wilson, Lyn Nofziger; also some Democrats.

TOPICS OF
DISCUSSION: Talking Points are attached

DATE OF
SUBMISSION: June 9, 1983

ACTION _____

TALKING POINTS ON DICK BERGHOLZ PHONE CALL

Friday, June 10, 1983

- Hello, it's a pleasure to join the Friday Group for your breakfast meeting -- even if I have to do it by telephone.
- Somehow, it gives me a good feeling to know you are all there behind closed doors -- and I am 3,000 miles away here in the Oval Office. I know that for the next hour or so you won't be writing bad things about California politicians. Even those like me who have a temporary assignment away from our home state.
- I know, too, that you're not just gathered there to eat bacon and eggs. Today is a special occasion.
- It's a special pleasure for me to join you in a salute to the "Old Man" of California political writers, Dick Bergholz. Boy ... it feels good to call someone else an old man.
- I called Lyn Nofziger the other day to tap his file of Bergholz stories. Lyn tells me he doesn't have any, since most of the time he and Dick weren't talking.
- Lyn says contrary to popular belief Dick is basically a happy man -- it's just that he's happiest when he's unhappy.
- Dick covered me from the beginning. No, not in the Garden of Eden ... just when I ran for Governor back in the good old days. I say Dick covered me. He dogged me every step of the way.
- I'll never forget the time he accused me of having a face lift. Well, I patiently explained that if I had, there are always tell-tale scars behind the ears. The next thing I know, Bergholz wants to look behind my ears. Now, that's real investigative reporting.

- Normally, retirements are sad occasions. But, not so with Bergholz. I can say right now there's rejoicing in Sacramento. In fact, I'm reliably told they're kicking up their heels in the hallways of the Capitol.
- Seriously, though, let me say that Dick Bergholz is a reporter of the old school. Tough. Yes, tough as nails. Persistent. Hardnosed. Aggressive. But above all professional. Strictly professional in every sense of the word. He's always been there first -- with the low down on the highers-up.
- He's kept a generation of California office-holders on their toes. And that's the way it should be. This free press of ours -- while from time to time it turns up the flame of public opinion on us politicians -- it's clearly the cornerstone of our system.
- Dick, let me join your many, many friends gathered here today and throughout California, in wishing you every happiness as you turn from the typewriter and telephone to the golf links and tennis courts.
- God bless you.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 1, 1983

MEETING WITH PRESIDENT'S ROUNDTABLE:
CAPITAL FORMATION

June 10, 1983

Cabinet Room

12:00 to 1:00

FROM: EDWIN L. HARPER 

I. PURPOSE

To meet with a group of private sector leaders to discuss the issues involved in capital formation.

II. BACKGROUND

This meeting is the first of a series of luncheons addressing a wide spectrum of important issues. This particular meeting will address capital formation, an issue whose importance will become even greater over the near future because of the attention being devoted to an "industrial policy" for the U.S. Discussion should revolve around both the level of capital formation and how capital is allocated. The participants will probably present ideas relating to both savings and investment.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Please see attachment.

IV. PRESS PLAN

Photo opportunity.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

After you make some brief opening remarks (to be provided by Speechwriting), each participant will briefly outline his views for 2-3 minutes. Following the individual remarks, there will be a general discussion for 15-20 minutes (suggested talking points for the general discussion are attached).

Attachments: List of participants
Suggested talking points

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

Dr. Michael J. Boskin

Professor of Economics, Stanford University.

Mr. Ernest S. Christian

Partner, Patton, Boggs & Blow.

Mr. Albert H. Cox

President, Merrill Lynch Economics, Inc.

Mr. David T. Kearns

President, Xerox Corporation.

Mr. Marshall R. Loeb

Managing Editor, Money Magazine.

Dr. Maurice Mann

Vice Chairman, Warburg Paribas Becker, Inc.

Mr. Burt McMurtry

Partner, Technology Ventures Investors.

Mr. L. William Seidman

Dean, College of Business Administration, Arizona State University.

Mr. A. Gary Shilling

President, A. Gary Shilling & Company.

Dr. Norman Ture

Chairman, Institute for Research on the Economics of Taxation.

Mr. John Whitehead

Partner, Goldman, Sachs & Co.

Dr. George Hatsopoulos

Chairman, Thermo Electron Corp.

ADMINISTRATION ATTENDEES:

Secretary Donald Regan

Edwin Meese III

James Baker III

Edwin L. Harper

Craig Fuller

Richard Darman

Martin Feldstein

David Stockman

Roger Porter

Charles Wick

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(Elliott/AB)
June 8, 1983
2:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: LUNCHEON WITH PRESIDENT'S ROUNDTABLE ON
CAPITAL FORMATION
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

- Well, I'm delighted to welcome you to the White House. And may I say I'm honored to be with some of the best and brightest minds in the country in the area of capital formation.
- You know the challenge we face. Our highest priority is to get America back on the cutting edge of growth. I think incentives for greater savings and investment are the key to restoring strong growth and our industrial competitiveness.
- Our Administration has tried to substantially improve the rate of capital formation in the country. Taken together, our personal tax rate reductions, the new incentives for IRAs and Keogh accounts, the accelerated cost recovery system, and the enhancement of the investment tax credit add up, I believe, to a powerful collection of new incentives.
- Regulations have been cut back; inflation and interest rates have been knocked down from their painfully high levels. And now I think we're beginning to see the payoff with a stronger stock market and record levels of new business incorporations.
- Unfortunately, the prospect of large federal budget deficits over the next several years is hurting capital

formation. We are trying hard to get those outyear deficits down.

-- This session today is the first of many we will have on a wide range of important issues. I hope they provide some fresh views on dealing better with these challenges. I would welcome any ideas you might have on capital formation.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1983

VIDEO TAPING SESSION

DATE: June 10, 1983

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception Area

TIME: 1:00 PM

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To video tape a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

This tape will be played at the Kennedy Center June 20th for the Superstar Variety show to benefit "Give an Officer a Life Jacket". One hundred percent of the proceeds will go to buy bullet proof vests.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Standard video tape set-up.

Attachment: submitted by the speechwriters office.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1983

TAPING SESSION

DATE: June 10, 1983

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception Area

TIME: 1:00 PM

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To video tape a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

This tape will be played at the opening of the Annual Broadcasters Promotion Convention in New Orleans, June 23-26.

Membership includes advertising, promotion, and publicity directors of radio and television as well as members of ad agencies and tv program production companies and other station and network executives.

This year's meeting will be held jointly with the Broadcast Designers Association and an attendance of 2,000 is expected.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Standard video taping set-up in the Diplomatic Reception area.

Attachment: submitted by the speechwriters office.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1983

VIDEO TAPE SESSION

DATE: June 10, 1983

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception area

TIME: 1:00 PM

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To video tape a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

This taped message will be played at the annual convention of Confectioners at the Fairmont Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana June 20.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Standard video tape set-up.

Attachments: submitted by the speechwriters office.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1983

VIDEO TAPING SESSION

DATE: June 10, 1983

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception area

TIME: 1:00 PM

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To video tape a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

To be played at the annual convention of Young Republicans June 15-19 in New Orleans.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Standard video tape set-up.

Attachments: submitted by the speechwriters office.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1983

VIDEO TAPING SESSION

DATE: June 10, 1983

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception area

TIME: 1:00 PM

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To video tape a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

This tape is for Carousel Days, the annual public awareness event of the Children's Diabetes Foundation in Denver.

During this 10 day event from June 9 - 19, all of Denver and Colorado media, department stores, corporations, civic volunteers, food companies, join with local and national entertainers in an all out fight against diabetes.

This tape will be aired on local television in the Rocky Mountain area.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President.

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Standard video tape set-up.

Attachments: submitted by the speechwriters office.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1983

AUDIO TAPING SESSION

DATE: June 10, 1983

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception area

TIME: 1:00 PM

FROM: Mark Goode

I. PURPOSE

To audio tape a message from the President.

II. BACKGROUND

This tape will be played at a luncheon meeting on June 22 of the Los Angeles Chapter of the American Red Cross honoring Rabbi Magnin who is a long time friend of the President's.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Standard audio taping set-up.

Attachment: submitted by the speechwriters office.

(Maseng/AB)
June 8, 1983
3:00 p.m.

OK
RJR

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: GIVE AN OFFICER A LIFE JACKET
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

Thank you for this opportunity to speak with you tonight. I consider it a privilege and a duty to make this appeal on behalf of the gallant men and women risking their lives every day as members of the District of Columbia Police Force. Since I moved to this city I have come to know and work with many of them, and I respect them a great deal. As a matter of fact, I owe them my life.

That day in late March, 1981, when a confused young man fired at me outside the Washington Hilton Hotel, he also wounded three others. One was my good friend and press secretary Jim Brady, who is the honorary chairman tonight. Another was Thomas Delahanty, a D.C. policeman assigned to the protection detail that day. None of us was wearing a protective vest, and now we realize we all should have been. By the grace of God we all survived.

Thank goodness Tom is alright today, but I don't think it is fair to ask him and his brave colleagues to serve as our front line defense against crime when often they are neither armed nor protected as well as the criminals they are trying to control. Like most cities in America today, the District of Columbia is struggling to meet public needs on a limited budget. The city cannot afford to provide every officer with a life jacket, but law-abiding citizens cannot afford any less. That's why it is so heartening to see this all-star benefit Bill DeVries organized

with your support. District residents, as well as people in nearby Maryland and Virginia, have sent in their dimes and dollars. Local businesses, radio and television stations, civic and political leaders, members of our Super Bowl championship football team, some of the stars of Hill Street Blues and others have rallied behind the cause.

This is a classic and inspiring example of the American volunteer spirit at its best, our public and private sectors working together for the benefit of all our people. That kind of cooperation improves the quality of all our lives.

On behalf of American families everywhere, I would like to thank our police men and women for their individual courage in performance of their often thankless job. Someone once said that a hero isn't braver than anyone else. He's just braver 5 minutes longer. We must do everything in our power to bolster every bit of courage for good that we can. But right now, the bad guys have protective jackets and the good guys don't. Let us find a way to provide our police with the protective jackets they need to do their job.

Together we are working toward the day when men and women on the side of law and order are filled with confidence, and only the criminals are afraid. This benefit tonight brings us an important step closer. In the meantime, I would like to leave you with the words of Sergeant Esterhaus, "Let's be careful out there."

Thank you for your support, your time and contributions and God bless you.

(Parvin/AB)
June 7, 1983
2:00 p.m.

OK
PZ

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: ANNUAL BROADCASTERS PROMOTION CONVENTION
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

Hello to all of you attending the joint session of the Broadcasters Promotion Association and the Broadcast Designers Association. I'm delighted to greet you as you start your 28th annual seminar.

And I'd like to welcome to the United States your many members from Canada, England, Australia and elsewhere around the globe. I hope our foreign visitors will have a chance to see a little of the U.S. and enjoy our hospitality.

Although from what I hear, this convention is one of the hardest working in the broadcast industry . . . you don't have time to frolic around like your bosses at the NAB Convention. Now don't tell them I said that.

But the knowledge gained from these sessions enables you to meet the growing demands of your profession. These are challenging times. You are fortunate to have opportunities like this annual seminar to prepare for them.

I was going to close by saying, "Enjoy yourselves," but in New Orleans that goes without saying. So just let me wish you a productive and pleasant convention.

(Maseng/AB)
June 8, 1983
3:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: NATIONAL CONFECTIONERS
ASSOCIATION CONVENTION
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

It is a pleasure to be able to speak with you today as you celebrate the 100th anniversary of the National Confectioners' Association. I only wish I could be there with you in person. As the man who brought jelly beans to the Oval Office, I know I would find a meeting of candy makers an unmitigated delight. But more seriously, I know you and your industry contribute significantly to our economy and the American way of life -- providing employment for nearly 70,000 people and stimulating more than 200,000 other jobs in related endeavors. You also contribute more than \$10 billion to our Gross National Product. It is because you are such hardworking and successful business men and women, entrepreneurs and capitalists, that I want to speak to you today.

Your association exemplifies what free enterprise in this country is all about. Many of the surnames represented in your group are well-known to the American public -- and they are all synonymous with great tasting confections. There are few industries in our country that can still claim such family traditions and commitment. To those second and third generation confectioners in the Conrad Hilton today I extend my sincere congratulations on your accomplishments.

This Administration came to office vowing to renew America. As you know, by that time our economy was rapidly sliding into recession. Inflation, which had been in double digits for

2 years, had just reached a peak of 12½ percent. Interest rates had hit 21½ percent -- the highest rates since the Civil War. Many small business men and women couldn't afford to borrow to fill their inventories. They were being strangled in a jungle of regulations and red tape and incentives were being snuffed out by suffocating levels of taxation.

In the last 2½ years, I think the record shows that we have begun to turn things around. Inflation has plummeted. Over the past year, CPI inflation has dipped to 3.9 percent and to only a 0.8 percent annual rate over the last 6 months. Interest rates are less than half what they were -- now down to about 10½ percent -- and we can get them lower still. Our painful rate of unemployment has also begun to inch downward, and the leading economic indicators have been signalling growth and renewed prosperity for the last 10 months. We have begun what I believe will be a healthy and sustained recovery.

There is still much to be done, and we will need your continued help to ensure our country stays on the road to economic health. We must convince the Congress to get Government spending under control. We are all concerned about deficits, but some people in Washington don't seem to understand where deficits come from. You know from running your businesses that what you spend must not exceed what you take in. I need your help in explaining that to the Congress. And while you're at it, I wish you'd also make clear that you think the Government is already taking in plenty. The best way to lick big deficits is discipline in the spending category -- not higher taxes.

We also came to office vowing to rebuild America's defenses and, although we've made progress in that area as well, it hasn't been enough yet to make up for a decade of decline. This is one of our toughest battles, but the recent bipartisan support of the MX missile was an important step in the right direction.

The next few months will be critical for many of our programs, and I hope I can count on your support. The American people have waited too long and gone through too much for their leaders to weaken now. We must continue our struggle to return responsible economic policy, common sense and basic values to American government. If we do, we will free our people to create a new era of growth that will bring greater opportunity and prosperity to all our people. With your continued help and support, I know we can do it.

Thank you very much, and congratulations on your 100th anniversary.

(Dolan/AB)
June 8, 1983
3:00 p.m.

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PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: YOUNG REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

I'm delighted to have this chance to speak with all of you at this year's Young Republican Convention. And I want to thank you for the hard work you've all been doing for the cause and party we all believe in.

Down through the years, the YR's have been the inspiration for many of us older members of the party. You don't remember it, of course, but back in the early sixties the Young Republicans were among the first to help along the conservative tide that today is so strong in America. In 1963, the YR's endorsed Barry Goldwater's candidacy before any of the senior party organizations and gave his candidacy and his cause a tremendous boost. I worked with Young Republicans on that campaign and on many other campaigns to follow; believe me, I know what a tremendous factor your organization can be in helping Republican candidates.

So, on behalf of all the senior party, I want to thank you for your commitment, your hard work and your love of country. But if you'll forgive me, I can't let this opportunity go by without also asking you again for your help. Last year's election results emphasized the importance of getting committed Republican voters to the polls on election day. And that means two things: organizational effort and strong motivation.

We need your enthusiasm for the hard work in the precincts; we also need your enthusiasm in getting our message to the

American people and motivating them enough to come out and vote our way. We have to remind them that this Administration has averted economic catastrophe and put us on the road to recovery while restoring America's credibility with her allies and her adversaries. I think most Americans feel we are on the way back, that America is once again on the road to the greatness she was destined for.

And so, I hope you'll help me remind the American people how far we've come in the past few years. The proudest boast of us older Americans would be to leave a country that is strong and free and prosperous, a symbol to the rest of the world of all that is good about the human spirit. But to do that we need the help of dedicated young people like the YR's. I know you'll help as generously and as energetically as you always have.

My best wishes for a great convention there in New Orleans.

(Rohrabacher/AB)

June 8, 1983

3:00 p.m.

OK
ER

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN'S DIABETES
FOUNDATION OF DENVER
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

Congratulations to the people of Denver and around Colorado who have joined together to stamp out one of the Nation's largest killer diseases: diabetes.

In the spirit of neighbor helping neighbor, they've organized Carousel Days to support the Children's Diabetes Foundation. The organizers hope to raise funds as well as public awareness about juvenile diabetes.

The Carousel, with a child reaching for the brass ring, is a fitting symbol for this worthy project. Perhaps one day, with each of us doing our part, the brass ring, a cure for this terrible disease, will be within our grasp.

(Dolan/AB)
June 8, 1983
5:00 p.m.

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PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: RED CROSS LUNCHEON HONORING RABBI MAGNIN
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

Edgar, what a pleasure it is to join with my fellow Red Cross volunteers in honoring you today. I'm proud to say we've been friends for many years. During that time I've come to admire your special brand of humor and integrity and -- as I'm sure your co-workers in the Red Cross will attest -- that simplicity of style and fierce independence that has made you so effective in your secular as well as your religious work. You've always had a special place in your heart, Edgar, for the Red Cross and the tremendous work that it accomplishes. You've served on the Board of Directors for the Los Angeles chapter for so many years and your personal work and contributions are too numerous to mention. I want you to know tonight that it works both ways -- the Red Cross has a special place in its heart for you, too.

Many of us know you as a spiritual leader but your work in cultural education and community organizations like the Red Cross have also made you a leader in our community. And to all these endeavors you have brought energy and spirit and that special faith that has sustained you through the years.

Nancy and I, however, also know that a great deal of the credit goes to your lovely wife, Evelyn, and to Evelyn tonight we send our greetings -- we know you must be very proud.

We offer our best wishes to both of you and congratulations on your 67th wedding anniversary, which you have just recently

celebrated. Edgar, on behalf of Red Cross volunteers everywhere,
and for all those whose lives you have helped and inspired, thank
you for helping us serve.

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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

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OFFICE

TO: Kenneth Bialkin, President, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith
Telephone Number:

DATE: Friday, June 10, 1983

TIME: 3:00 p.m.

RECOMMENDED BY: Faith Ryan Whittlesey

PURPOSE: To provide the President with an excellent forum to address the Jewish community on his commitment to the security of the State of Israel, as well as provide the President with the occasion to discuss his defense programs, Central American policies, as well as his domestic agenda.

BACKGROUND: The Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith is a well established and highly regarded organization, both within and without the Jewish community. The 70th anniversary is expected to draw 1,000 attendees. The audience should be a fairly sophisticated audience.

At 3:00 p.m., Ambassador Samuel Lewis, U.S. Ambassador to Israel, is scheduled to address the convention. The President's call would come just as Ambassador Lewis is beginning to speak.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

1. I am sorry that I could not personally be with you during your 70th annual convention. I know that Ambassador Sam Lewis is there and will be talking with you in greater detail on the U.S. policies in the Middle East.
2. I want to take this opportunity to state that I am personally committed to the security of the State of Israel.
3. I am very pleased with the recent efforts of George Shultz in working out the Israeli-Lebanon withdrawal agreement.
4. The bold initiative undertaken by Israel and Lebanon in this agreement is another step in achieving peace between Israel and her Arab neighbors.
5. Only through peace will Israel be able to achieve real security.

6. We are going to continue our efforts of working towards the goal of the withdrawal of all foreign forces, Syrian, PLO, as well as Israeli. As you are aware, we are undertaking serious diplomatic efforts towards that goal.
7. I am very concerned over the Soviet build-up in Syria and I pledge that I committed to maintaining Israel's qualitative edge in the military balance of power. In addition to the Israel-Lebanon withdrawal agreement, we are continuing our efforts to expanding the peace process by encouraging other Arab nations to recognize and negotiate with Israel. We are hopeful that there will be progress in that area.
8. The same forces, the Soviet Union, Libya, and the PLO, which are destabilizing the Middle East, are also destabilizing Central America, and I hope that you will all support this nation's efforts to combat the destabilization of Central America
9. ADL, on its 70th anniversary deserves the recognition as the champion of human rights. For the past seven decades, you have worked so that each member of our society has an even chance to succeed. The ADL has been an energetic ally of those who wish to eliminate inequality from our society. The quest for racial equality has been one main area in this battle. The Anti-Defamation League has stood by the principle that people should be judged on the basis of their individual worth, rather than on the basis on the basis of their ethnic or racial group to which they belong. As you embark on your next seventy years and beyond, you not only have the thanks of the American people for a job well done, but our best wishes for the future as well. May we continue to be allies in the human rights struggles that lie ahead.

DATE OF
SUBMISSION:

June 2, 1983

ACTION:

(Elliott/AB)
June 8, 1983
5:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL PHONE CALL: B'NAI B'RITH ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1983

Well hello and good afternoon to you all. I'm sorry I could not personally be with you during your 70th annual convention. But let me assure you, my message will be the same.

ADL has justly earned the recognition as a champion of human rights. For seven decades, you have worked to ensure that all members of our society, no matter what their race, religion or background, have an equal opportunity to succeed. And I know you believe that all people, no matter where they live, have the right to freedom of religion. This is not a right that is any government's to give or to take away. It is our right from birth because we are all children of God.

We believe it is our duty to defend freedom -- not just here at home, but everywhere people are persecuted for their beliefs. I was very disturbed that a Soviet spokesman said earlier this week the majority of Jews who want to be reunited with their families in Israel have left the Soviet Union. This official said that the portion of the 1.8 million Russian Jews who still want to leave have, and I quote, "fallen victim to Zionist propaganda, which brainwashes them."

As you know, the National Conference on Soviet Jewry estimates that, by late 1979, at least 300,000 Jews had asked relatives abroad to send invitations needed for emigration. This was before the Soviets began blocking these invitations. But in 1975, the Soviet Government signed the final act of the Helsinki

Agreement. The Soviets pledged to deal in a positive and humanitarian spirit with the applications of persons who wish to be reunited with their families.

So let us stand together, speak the truth and tell the Soviets: stop persecuting innocent people; let Israel's children go -- or face the world's condemnation for making a mockery of an historic agreement signed by 35 nations.

I'm delighted that Sam Lewis, our Ambassador to Israel, is with you today. He will be talking with you in greater detail about U.S. policies in the Middle East.

We're very pleased with the recent efforts of Secretary Shultz in working out the Israeli-Lebanon withdrawal agreement. This bold initiative by Israel and Lebanon is one more step toward a more stable Middle East. Our ultimate goal remains peace between Israel and all her Arab neighbors. Only through peace can Israel achieve real security. But Israel cannot make peace alone. Other Arab states must formally recognize that Israel does exist and that she has a right to exist.

We will continue our diplomatic efforts to seek the withdrawal from Lebanon of all foreign forces -- Syrian and PLO as well as Israeli.

But we are very concerned about the Soviet build-up in Syria. I want you to know, we are committed to maintaining Israel's qualitative edge in the military balance of power. I have personally followed Israel's heroic struggle for survival ever since the founding of the state of Israel, 35 years ago. As long as I am President, the United States will be a rock of

support. We will not waver in our commitment to protect Israel's security.

It's no coincidence that the same forces which are destabilizing the Middle East -- the Soviet Union, Libya and the PLO -- are also working hand in glove with Cuba, to destabilize Central America. I urge you to support this Nation's efforts to help our friends in Central America. The question is not, who has the most perfect democracy; the question is, who is trying to build democracy, and who is determined to destroy it. Many nations, including the United States, which once condoned slavery, have evolved into better democracies over time. But nations which fall into the clutches of totalitarianism do not become free and democratic again. And freedom cannot be lost in one nation without being diminished everywhere.

Again, as you embark on your next 70 years, you have the thanks of all Americans for a job well done, and our best wishes for the future. May we continue to be allies; may God bless you, and may He be with us in all our human rights struggles ahead.

Thank you very much.