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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: 1-29-90

TO: ALAN BROMLEY

FROM: **STEPHEN I. DANZANSKY**
Deputy Assistant to the President
and Director of Cabinet Affairs

Per our discussion, enclosed please find a memorandum on hotel availability for the global conference for your files.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 29, 1990

MEMORANDUM TO STEVE DANZANSKY
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
AND DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF CABINET AFFAIRS

FROM: DOUG ADAIR

SUBJECT: WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT

The good news is that the Cherry Blossom Festival is April 1 - 8, so we are safe on that front. As Washington conventions go, I am told by the Convention and Visitors Bureau that April 17 - 20 looks pretty good. The competition is as follows:

April 14 - 20--International Law Group, the Mayflower
April 16 - 18--Pension Fund Managers, the Hyatt Capitol Hill
April 16 - 18--Southland Corporation, the Sheraton
April 16 - 19--A Physicians Group, the Ramada Renaissance
April 16 - 20--DAR, the Capitol Hilton
April 17 - 20--A Medical Group, the Hyatt Crystal City
April 17 - 22--AmVets, the Ritz Carleton

The next step is to deal directly with a hotel to block the rooms. A deposit of roughly $2000.00 will probably be required to hold 175 rooms. I did a preliminary check with the J.W. Marriott and the Willard, and they both had 175 rooms available.

February 2, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR DRs. BROMLEY, DELAND, AND BOSKIN

FROM: ROBERT W. CORELL

SUBJECT: DRAFT INVITATION LETTER FOR THE PRESIDENT TO SEND TO HEADS OF STATE FOR THE APRIL 1990 SEMINAR ON SCIENCE AND ECONOMICS RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE

ACTION REQUESTED: REVIEW AND COMMENTS BY NOON TODAY

Enclosed is a re-drafting and up-dating of a draft letter sent to the President and Governor Sununu last fall for the April 1990 Seminar on Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change. It is hoped that you can agree on the draft by noon, so that Dr. Bromley can forward this draft as a recommended letter to the President before the close of business today (February 2). Please note the suggested reply date of February 20; does that seem reasonable to you, given that the letter probably will not go out until early next week ? Please review and send your comments to me by Fax (357-9629) and I will integrate them and provide Dr. Bromely with a final draft to send to the White House.

Thank you.

Bob

CC: Dr. Nancy Maynard

DRAFT LETTER TO BE SENT BY THE PRESIDENT
TO HEADS OF STATE OF NATIONS
PARTICIPATING IN THE APRIL 1990 ~~CONFERENCE~~ SEMINAR ON SCIENCE AND
ECONOMIC RESEARCH ~~ON THE ENVIRONMENT~~ RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE
(Draft of February 1, 1990)

Dear _____:

I take pleasure in inviting you to send an official delegation to a meeting that I have called for April 18 and 19, 1990, here in Washington, D.C.

The meeting will be devoted to discussions of science and economics issues relevant to policy on Global Change, including global climate. Its goal is to provide improved understanding of the analytic tools and data required in addressing these environmental issues. A secondary goal is that of sensitizing members of each of the scientific, economic and environmental research communities to the perspectives and activities of the other two and of focussing on those aspects of research in science and in economics that are of greatest importance in the formulation of both national and international environmental policy.

By agreeing upon the major gaps and uncertainties in our understanding of these matters, perhaps we can develop a plan in which the expertise, experience, and data available in our respective countries can be brought to bear on these environmental matters in an integrated and coherent fashion.

It is my intention that this meeting should not duplicate or overlap any of the large number of other meetings that have been scheduled elsewhere during 1990; but rather would focus on the relevant scientific and economic research questions in a seminar setting where representatives of these communities can interact on a personal level with their counterparts. I believe that through such an approach we can establish a communication network that will serve all of us well.

I am requesting that the national delegations comprise the senior scientific, economic, and environmental official, respectively, in each of the participating countries. I would appreciate your letting me know, by February 20, who those persons will be in your delegation.

I have asked my Science Advisor, Dr. D. Allan Bromley, the Chairman of my Council on Environmental Quality, Dr. Michael R. Deland, and the Chairman of my Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael Boskin, to cochair this meeting. As soon as you have designated your participants, Drs. Bromley, Deland, and Boskin will contact them directly to obtain information and suggestions concerning the detailed structuring of our meeting.

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The results of this seminar, focussing on science and economics and particularly upon their interfaces relating to global change can, I believe, provide an important input to the ongoing IPCC process in which our countries are already heavily involved.

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I look forward to this further step in our joint approach to the problems and opportunities with which our global environment confronts us.

Sincerely yours,

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
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FROM: R W. Corell AGENCY: NSF

PHONE NUMBER: 357-9715 FAX NUMBER: TELEFAX: 202-357-9629

SUBJECT: April 1990 GC SEMINAR

COMMENTS:

Comments requested on attached draft letter by noon Today

February 2, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR DRs. BROMLEY, BOSKIN, AND DELAND

FROM: ROBERT W. CORELL

SUBJECT: DRAFT INVITATION LETTER FOR THE PRESIDENT TO SEND TO HEADS OF STATE FOR THE APRIL 1990 SEMINAR ON SCIENCE AND ECONOMICS RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE

ACTION REQUESTED: TWO LETTERS BASED ON SUGGESTIONS RECEIVED

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DRAFT LETTER TO BE SENT BY THE PRESIDENT
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(Re-Draft of February 2, 1990 Based on Comments)

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I look forward to participating personally in this seminar and to this further step in our joint approach to the problems and opportunities with which our global environment confronts us.

Sincerely yours,

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DRAFT LETTER TO BE SENT BY THE PRESIDENT
TO HEADS OF STATE OF NATIONS
PARTICIPATING IN THE APRIL 1990 SEMINAR
ON SCIENCE AND ECONOMIC RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE
(Alternate Draft of February 2, 1990)

Dear _____:

Today, at the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, I announced that I am hosting, here in Washington, D.C. on April 18 and 19, 1990, a White House Seminar on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change, and I take pleasure in inviting you to send an official delegation.

The meeting will be devoted to discussions of science and economics issues relevant to policy on Global Change, including global climate. Its primary goal is to provide improved understanding of the analytic tools and data required in developing both national and international environmental policy. By agreeing upon the major gaps and uncertainties in our understanding, perhaps we can develop a joint plan in which the expertise, experience, and data available in our respective countries can be brought together in an integrated and coherent fashion. I believe that working together, we can continue to provide important inputs to the ongoing IPCC process. It is my intention that this meeting should not duplicate or overlap the other meetings that are scheduled elsewhere during 1990, but rather would focus on the relevant scientific and economic research questions.

I am requesting that each participating country's delegation consist of the senior scientific, economic, and environmental official. I would appreciate your letting me know, by February 20, the three senior officials who will lead your delegation. I have asked my Science Advisor, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of my Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael Boskin; and the Chairman of my Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland, to cochair this meeting. I shall forward to you, in the near future, a memorandum from Drs. Bromley, Boskin, and Deland requesting more detailed information and questions concerning the most effective structuring of our seminar.

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FROM: R.W. Corell AGENCY: NSF

PHONE NUMBER: 357-9715 FAX NUMBER: TELEFAX: 202-357-9629

SUBJECT: Draft Inv. Letter

COMMENTS: Please provide comments to me by noon Monday, 5 Feb.

Thanks.

Bob

Both excellent but
I prefer the first as giving a little more info
Allan

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 18, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES W. CICCONI

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

SUBJECT: G-7 DISCUSSION WITH THE PRESIDENT

Herewith the promised material. Sorry that you didn't have it sooner. I had assumed that Joe Hagin would channel my request for time with the President through your office.

Yesterday I sent you the twelve letters you had requested for the President to send to PCAST members. Since the President will very probably ask me today where PCAST stands I would appreciate a call from you, at your convenience, prior to the 2:45 p.m. meeting today.

I shall be tied up with the Medal of Science and Technology matters from 11:00 to 11:45 and from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Thanks for your help.

Attachments

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 18, 1989

MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT TO DISCUSS G-7

Date: October 18, 1989
Location: Oval Office
Time: 2:45 p.m.
From: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

I. PURPOSE

To receive Presidential guidance concerning a possible meeting of the G-7 Science Ministers in Washington in March or April 1990 prior to a Head of State meeting on the global environment.

II. BACKGROUND

The U.S. science and technology communities have in the past, and continue to provide the lion's share of understanding underlying global environmental questions. But major gaps and uncertainties remain. Since these questions transcend all national boundaries it is essential that the expertise, resources, and data of at least a major fraction of the world's countries be mobilized to minimize these uncertainties and work toward closing these gaps. The goal of the proposed meeting would be that of evolving an international coordinated program of research comparable to the national U.S. program that the President made public at the Paris Summit meeting.

To the extend that we are successful in arriving at such an international research program on the global environment, it might constitute an agenda item for a subsequent Heads of State meeting at which the Heads of State might commit their respective nations and resources to participate in it.

I enclose a copy of a relevant earlier memorandum.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Governor Sununu
Dr. D. Allan Bromley

IV. PRESS PLAN

N/A

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 20, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

SUBJECT: HEAD OF STATE MEETING ON THE GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT

I know that you are currently considering how best to follow-up on your discussions at, and before, the Paris Economic Summit regarding a Head-of-State meeting focused on the global environment.

I recognize that you will necessarily weigh many factors in reaching your decision but want, in this memorandum, to make a few comments and a specific suggestion from my science and technology vantage point.

First, I believe that it would be a mistake to plan any such Head-of-State meeting too closely in time to the scheduled February 1990, IPCC meeting to be held here in Washington because the latter is rather focussed on global warming and this is only a part, albeit a highly public part, of the more general global environmental change question. Too close a coupling would, in my opinion, give undue emphasis to the global warming problem to the exclusion of others such as ocean pollution, biodiversity, and a whole host of other topics.

Second, I would argue that it would be important that the necessary preparatory work be done so that you would be in a position at the Head-of-State meeting to sign, with your fellow Heads of State, an agreement having very solid content.

To that end, I would propose - and have discussed very briefly with Governor Sununu - the possibility that in, say, April 1990, I host, here in Washington, a meeting of the Science Ministers or their equivalent from the seven nations involved in the Economic Summit in which we might try to agree upon a set of environmental change issues of international importance (including global warming, of course) and focus on the state of our current scientific knowledge of the phenomena underlying them. Having identified at least some of the most important gaps in such knowledge, we could then at least attempt to evolve a coherent, integrated plan, involving the scientific and technological communities of these seven nations, to address these gaps.

If we were successful, then such a plan might provide an appropriate environmental centerpiece upon which the Heads of State could formally agree and to which they might be prepared to commit their respective countries for action.

I make this suggestion, Mr. President, for the additional reason that it would allow you to maintain the strong leadership role that this country has earned and that you so effectively demonstrated at Paris.

The possibility of including a broader spectrum of nations is one that I have rejected, not because they do not have essential contributions to make but rather to keep this initial discussion within manageable bounds. To the extent that we are successful initially we certainly would wish to spread our net rather early to include much broader representation.

I would welcome your guidance and comments.

I am requesting that the national delegations comprise the senior scientific, economic and environmental official, respectively, in each of the participating countries and would therefore appreciate your letting me know, by January 31, who these persons will be in your delegation.

The meeting will occupy three days, April 25, 26 and 27, the latter of which I have designated officially as Earth Day in the United States. It is not my intention that this meeting should duplicate or overlap any of the large number of other meetings that have been scheduled elsewhere during 1990; rather, by focussing on scientific and economic research relevant to environmental matters in a forum where representatives of these communities can interact on a personal level with their environmental counterparts, I believe that we can establish a communication network that will serve all of us well.

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I look forward to this further step in our joint approach to the problems and opportunities with which our global environment confronts us.

Sincerely yours,

Draft letter to be sent by the President to Heads of State of Nations participating in the April 1990 Conference on Science and Economic Research on the Environment

Dear _____:

I take pleasure in inviting you to send an official delegation to a meeting that I have called for April 25, 26 and 27, 1990, here in Washington, D.C.

The meeting will be devoted to discussion of the science and economics relevant to policy on environmental matters and, in particular, global warming. Its goal is to provide improved understanding of the analytic tools and data required in addressing these environmental issues. A secondary goal is that of sensitizing members of each of the scientific, economic and environmental research communities to the activities of the other two and of focussing on those aspects of research in science and in economics that are of greatest importance in the formulation of both national and international environmental policy.

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

APPOINTMENT SUBJECT TO DRUG TESTING

I, FRANMARIE KENNEDY KEEL, hereby acknowledge that my appointment to a position in the Office of Science and Technology Policy is subject to the applicant drug testing requirement as set forth in the Drug-Free Workplace Plan for the Executive Office of the President. I also acknowledge that I am responsible to present myself for a drug test at a place and time to be determined. Should it be determined, under the requirements of the Plan, that I have a verified positive test result for any of the prohibited drugs, I understand that my appointment will be terminated.

2/8/90
DATE

Franmarie Kennedy Keel
SIGNATURE

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20550

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TO: Marion DATE: 07 Feb. 1990

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FROM: Franmarie Keel AGENCY: c/o NSF

PHONE NUMBER: _____ FAX NUMBER: TELEFAX: 202-357-9629

SUBJECT: _____

COMMENTS:

Here's a draft letter to reserve the rooms at the State Dept. for dinner on April 17. This has already been agreed to verbally.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 9, 1990

Dear Mr. Tolson:

On April 17 and 18 President Bush is hosting the Conference on Science and Economic Research Related to Global Change. The evening of April 17, I would like to host a dinner for the conference attendees in the diplomatic reception rooms of the 7th floor of the State Department.

This letter is a formal request to reserve the diplomatic suite on April 17, between the hours of 7 and 10 p.m. Would you please have someone in your office contact Dr. Franmarie Keel of my staff and inform her of your response? She may be reached at 357-7673.

Sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

Mr. Jerome Tolson, Jr.
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Operations
Department of State
A/OPR Room 1417
2201 C Street, Northwest
Washington, D.C. 20520

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 9, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR MEMBERS OF THE DPC WORKING GROUP
ON GLOBAL CHANGE

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

SUBJECT: UPDATE ON PLANS FOR THE 1990 WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON SCIENCE AND ECONOMICS RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE

The DPC Working Group on Global Change, at its meeting on Tuesday, January 30, 1990, made several decisions with regard to the President's meeting on Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change.

1) It was agreed that the meeting will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, April 18-19, 1990 in Washington, D.C. Subsequent discussions require that these dates be changed to April 17-18 in order to make available the new Georgetown University Leavey Conference Center and Quest House (where the IPCC meeting was held this week).

2) It was agreed that the criteria for the invitations would be those countries that "because of their land masses, large populations or heavy future energy needs, will be compelled to deal with environmental problems having a global magnitude and impact," and those countries that have the scientific and technology capabilities to address the substantive questions of global change. The list of invitee countries was endorsed and is:

   The G-7 nations, Australia, Brazil, China, India, Mexico, Nigeria (or another African nation, the Soviet Union, Zaire, Netherlands, Norway, the European Community, and the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD). We have, for a whole series of good reasons, added Zaire, Norway and the Netherlands to the earlier list.

3) It was decided that the President's invitation to the Heads of State of those nations should be sent out ASAP.

4) It was decided that the DPC Working Group would meet in two or three weeks to review progress, including matters such as the agenda for the meeting, schedule of "things-to-do" during the next two and a half months, (PERT chart) and logistics.

To facilitate the next DPC Working Group meeting on the Conference, we will prepare a Concept Paper on the Conference which details:

1) Concepts and expectations for the meeting:

   - o The rationale and purposes of hosting the meeting, i.e., why is the President hosting this meeting and what do we expect to accomplish by having the meeting?

   - o What is the proposed agenda and schedule of events for the meeting, and what is the rationale behind the elements included in the agenda?

   - o What are the expected outcomes and products from the meeting?

2) An initial outline of arrangements and logistics for the meeting.

3) A schedule for the decisions, arrangements, logistics, etc. for the meeting, probably through Gantt and PERT charts.

4) An outline of the budget and financial considerations for the meeting.

5) Specific action items on which the DPC Working Group agreements and endorsements are requested.

If there are questions, comments, needs for information concerning the conference, please contact Bob Corell at 357-9715, or by FAX at 357-9629, or through the OMNET Telemail System at R. CORELL.

cc: Gov. Sununu

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3) It was decided that the President's invitation to the Heads of State of those nations should be sent out ASAP.

4) It was decided that the DPC Working Group would meet in two or three weeks to review progress, including matters such as the agenda for the meeting, schedule of "things-to-do" during the next two and a half months, (PERT chart) and logistics.

To facilitate the next DPC Working Group meeting on the Conference, we will prepare a Concept Paper on the Conference which details:

1) Concepts and expectations for the meeting:

   - o The rationale and purposes of hosting the meeting, i.e., why is the President hosting this meeting and what do we expect to accomplish by having the meeting?

   - o What is the proposed agenda and schedule of events for the meeting, and what is the rationale behind the elements included in the agenda?

   - o What are the expected outcomes and products from the meeting?

2) An initial outline of arrangements and logistics for the meeting.

3) A schedule for the decisions, arrangements, logistics, etc. for the meeting, probably through Gantt and PERT charts.

4) An outline of the budget and financial considerations for the meeting.

5) Specific action items on which the DPC Working Group agreements and endorsements are requested.

If there are questions, comments, needs for information concerning the conference, please contact Bob Corell at 357-9715, or by FAX at 357-9629, or through the OMNET Telemail System at R. CORELL.

cc: Gov. Sununu

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economic Research Relating to Global Change

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

TO: Dr. Bromley, OSTP
Dr. Boskin, CEA
Mr. Deland, CEQ
Dr. Maynard, OSTP
DATE: 2/12/90

ADDRESS:

FAX NUMBER: No. of PAGES 9

FROM: Robert W. Corell

PHONE No. *202-357-7673* FAX No. *202-357-9629*

SUBJECT: Draft Letters for WH Conference on Global Change

COMMENTS:

NEED COMMENTS BY NOON TODAY

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economic Research Relating to Global Change

DECISION MEMORANDUM

TO: D. Allan Bromley, OSTP
Michael J. Boskin, CEA
Michael R. Deland, CEQ

DATE: February 12, 1990

FROM: Robert W. Corell

SUBJECT: Set of Draft Letters for President to Send to Heads of State for the White House Conference

SUMMARY

The approach worked out with the White House Office of the Secretary to the President is conveyed in the attached documents. The approach is:

- First, a draft letter for the President to send to the Heads of State, in which it is referenced that the U.S. Ambassador to the country in question will call upon the Head of State to obtain the names of the three senior officials and a single point of contact for the conference. It is my understanding from the White House that this letter will go to the U.S. Embassy for hand delivery to the Head of State.

- Second, a draft letter to send to the Ambassadors in the countries we intend to invite to the Conference with the necessary information and instructions. It is intended that this will go immediately to the Ambassadors via standard DOS telex.

- Third, a draft letter to send to the Ambassadors in countries that will not receive an invitation, so that they have full knowledge of what is going on and can answer the inevitable questions about the conference.

- Fourth, is the list of invitee countries.

DECISION OR ACTION RECOMMENDED

Please review these, hopefully by noon today. I will revise as is appropriate, and give Allan Bromley a final that he can forward to the President.

cc: Nancy Maynard
Franmarie Keel

**DRAFT LETTER TO BE SENT BY THE PRESIDENT
TO HEADS OF STATE OF NATIONS
PARTICIPATING IN THE APRIL 17-18, 1990
WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE
ON
SCIENCE AND ECONOMIC RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE
(Recommended Draft of 2/11/90)**

Dear _____:

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The meeting will be devoted to science and economic issues relevant to policy on global change, including climate. Its primary objectives are to improve our understanding of the state of knowledge in these fields, identify major gaps and uncertainties, and assess the analytic tools and data ~~required~~ essential to improving both national and international environmental policy. Perhaps, then we can develop a joint strategy in which the expertise, experience, and data available in our respective countries can be brought together in a more integrated and coherent fashion. I believe that through conferences like this, we can enhance international cooperation in these vital areas, as well as provide important assistance to the ongoing IPCC process.

I am requesting that each participating country's delegation consist of the senior scientific, economic, and environmental official. I have asked Ambassador _____ to contact you with regard to this Conference. It is my hope that you will identify the three senior officials who will comprise your delegation and one additional official who can serve as your key point of contact for the Conference. My Science Advisor and Director of my Office of Science and Technology Policy, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of my Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael J. Boskin; and the Chairman of my Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland, are the co-chairmen for this meeting.

I look forward to participating personally in and to learning from the discussion at this conference. It is an important further step in our joint approach to the problems and opportunities with which our global environment confronts us.

Sincerely yours,

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**DRAFT LETTER TO BE SENT BY THE PRESIDENT
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I will be participating personally in the Conference. It is a vital and important next step in this Administration's approach to the global environmental issues that confront us, both domestically and internationally.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure: List of Nations being Invited

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DRAFT LETTER TO BE SENT BY THE PRESIDENT
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This letter is designed to give you the essential background information. As the country in which you serve is not ~~an invitee~~ to this Conference, you may receive inquiries from interested parties concerning ~~this important meeting~~. The ~~leadership for~~ this Conference ~~is composed of~~ my Science Advisor and Director of my Office of Science and Technology Policy, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of my Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael J. Boskin; and the Chairman of my Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland, ~~who together will serve as the co-chairmen for this meeting~~. They ~~all~~ can provide you with additional information. ~~Also~~, the Conference Director, Dr. Robert W. Corell ~~can provide~~ more detailed information. He can be reached by phone at 202-357-7673, by FAX at 202-357-9629, or by Telex at 892-438.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
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TO: Dr. Bromley, OSTP
Dr. Boskin, CEA
Mr. Deland, CEQ
Dr. Maynard, OSTP
DATE: 2-12-90

ADDRESS:

FAX NUMBER: No. of PAGES 2

FROM: Bob Corell

PHONE No. *202-357-7673* FAX No. *202-357-9629*

SUBJECT: Inquiry Guidance for WH Conference on Global Change

COMMENTS:

The attached is for reference should you receive any inquiries. We will provide an update version periodically.

Allan, I propose that you forward a copy to Gov. Sununu and the White House Press Office. Further, I propose that we provide a copy to DPC/WGGC at the next meeting--unless you feel that is inappropriate.

GUIDANCE FOR INQUIRIES
ON THE
THE PRESIDENT'S WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE
ON
SCIENCE AND ECONOMIC RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE
DRAFT 2/9/90

There follows ~~a~~ 3 suggestion, on how we can handle inquiries from the press, foreign embassies, etc concerning the status of the ~~President's~~ White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change. These are simply talking points, which ~~could~~ can be used by the Co-Chairs, the White House Press Office, and by Maynard ~~and~~ Corell ~~for any~~ and others in responding to inquiries:

- The President announced on December 4, 1989, in Malta and again on February 5, 1990, during ~~a speech~~ an address to the United Nation's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (~~a meeting hosted by the U.S. in Washington, D.C., February 5-7, 1990~~) that he will host a White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change.

- The Conference will be held in Washington, D.C., April 17-18, 1990, at the Leavey Center at Georgetown University.

- The Conference will be devoted to science and economics research issues relevant to policy on global change, including climate. Its primary goal is to improve our understanding of the state of knowledge in these fields and better understanding of the analytic tools and data required in developing both national and international environmental policy. The Conference is a forum designed to bring a number of principal world leaders together to enhance international cooperation and to build the basis for joint planning in these vital areas.

- The Conference will convene top officials from a representative group of nations, that will bring together the three essential disciplines: science, economics, and the environment.

- The President has appointed his Science Advisor and Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael Boskin; and the Chairman of the Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland, as ~~co-chairs~~ co-chairmen of this meeting.

- The President stated, "this conference is an important further step in a joint international approach to the problems and opportunities with which our global environment confronts us."

- The list of invitee countries will be released in the near future.

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The Conference
An important goal is ~~also~~ that of sensitizing each of the three research communities involved to the challenges, ~~state of activity~~, and data requirements of the other two.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 15, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES W. CICCONI

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

SUBJECT: Draft Presidential Letters of Invitation to White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change April 17-18, 1990

Attached are three draft Presidential letter on the White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change that the President announced at the Malta Summit and described in his address to the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change on February 5.

The overall strategy for this White House Conference has been reviewed by the NSC, Governor Sununu, and has the full endorsement of the Working Group on Global Climate Change of the Domestic Policy Council. The eighteen countries and organizations representing country interests were reviewed during the late fall and early winter with the DPC Working Group, the NSC and the State Department, and I believe the list comprises the essential countries necessary to meet our objectives for a ministerial-level White House Conference. Necessary reviews have been completed and the draft letters are attached.

The first draft is to be sent to the eighteen heads of state, plus the heads of the OECD and the EC, whom the Working Group on Global Climate Change has recommended. The letter of invitation should, of course, be tailored for each head of state or organization.

I also attach a draft letter to the American ambassadors in each of the countries invited to the Conference, inasmuch as they are being asked to meet with the heads of state and convey the President's personal interest in the meeting, as well as to assist in obtaining the names of the three key delegates. Another letter goes to all of the American ambassadors in countries not invited, since the interest level in this Conference will require that they, too, be kept adequately informed.

I recommend that these letters be given high priority, since time is short before the Conference, and we must determine as soon as possible the names of all delegates to the Conference.

Attachments

TAB A	Draft invitation letter to heads of state for White House Conference
TAB B	Draft letter to Ambassadors to countries invited to the White House Conference
TAB C	Draft letter to Ambassadors to countries not invited to the White House Conference

cc: Michael Boskin
Michael Deland

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FORWARD CALLS

TO

FRAN MARIE

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economic Research Relating to Global Change

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TO: Dr. Bromley, OSTP
Dr. Boskin, CEA
Mr. Deland, CEQ DATE: 2-23-90

ADDRESS:

FAX NUMBER: No. of PAGES 2

FROM: Bob Corell

PHONE No. 202-357-7673 FAX No. 202-357-9629

SUBJECT: Weekly Meetings of the "Conference Working Group"

COMMENTS: WHC Decision Memorandum -- needs immediate reply

cc: Nancy Maynard
Franmarie Keel

DAB
You can't make meeting on Tuesday morning. However, Bob + Franmarie + Nancy will brief you at 4:30 on Tuesday.

Dan
2/23

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DRAFT

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change

DECISION MEMORANDUM

TO: D. Allan Bromley
Michael J. Boskin
Michael R. Deland

DATE: February 23, 1990

FROM: Bob Corell and Franmarie Keel

SUBJECT: Weekly Meetings of the "Conference Working Group"

SUMMARY

The need for a weekly meeting to address important policy and planning issues related to the White House Conference was clearly demonstrated last week, as we met with key individuals prior to the meeting of the DPC Working Group on Global Change. That was a constructive process and it was agreed that such a group should meet roughly once a week. It is proposed that this group be called the "Conference Working Group", and that its membership be:

The Conference Co-Chairmen
Andy Card - Governor Sununu's Office
Fred Bernthal - DOS
Steve Danzansky - Cabinet Affairs
David Demerest - Communications
Steve Hart - Press Secretary's Office
Bob Grady - OMB
William Reilly - EPA
Admiral Watkins - Dept. of Energy
Conference Office and Liaison - R.Corell, F.Keel, N.Maynard

The next meeting of the "Conference Working Group" is scheduled for Tuesday, February 27, 1990 in Room 324, OEOB at 11 A.M. The agenda for this meeting, as promised, will focus on the first draft of the Outreach Plan, which addresses media issues, strategy for interactions with press and others outside government, etc. We also will revisit the "Agenda" for the Conference, and review the strategy for establishing the U.S. Delegation to the Conference.

DECISION OR ACTION RECOMMENDED (Please Check and FAX Copy Back)

(1) Concept of having a "Conference Working Group":
Endorse ✓ Want to Discuss ___

(2) Membership List:
Endorse ✓ Want to Discuss ___

cc: N.G. Maynard

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 16, 1990

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I have asked Dr. Robert Corell to act as Conference Director and Dr. Franmarie Keel to act as Conference Coordinator. They have identified key requirements and I would ask your help in meeting these specific needs.

Accurate communication is crucial for the success of this meeting and this means excellent translation support. I would ask that the State Department provide translation and transcription capability during the pre-conference, conference, and immediate post-conference phases.

I would also be most appreciative if you would agree to be the opening speaker on the morning of April 17th.

In addition, I would request that the International Organization Affairs Bureau of the State Department provide a liaison officer, two secretaries/word processors, a protocol officer, and transportation resources to support the Conference planning and execution process.

The effective dates of this project requirement will be from 19 February to 30 April, 1990. Dr. Keel will provide additional details concerning these items and she can be reached through my office.

To accomplish what needs to be done in the timeframe available will require a significant cooperative effort. I know that we can count on your support to make the President's initiative one that will have a lasting positive impact across the globe and keep our nation at the forefront of these vital issues.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley.

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable James A. Baker, III
Secretary of State
Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 16, 1990

Dear Jim:

As you are already aware, President Bush has appointed me, Michael Boskin, and Michael Deland as co-chairmen of his Conference on Scientific and Economics Research Related to Global Change.

I have asked Dr. Robert Corell of NSF to act as Conference Director and Dr. Franmarie Keel to act as Conference Coordinator. They have identified key requirements and I would ask your help in meeting one specific need of office space to house their conference staff.

Dr. Keel has spoken to Mr. Anthony Ewing and Dr. William Mills of the Oak Ridge Associated Universities, which is located at 1019 19th Street, N.W. As you know ORAU holds a Department of Energy integrated contract. They have offered to allow the staff for this White House Conference the use of a suite of offices for the cost of approximately $6,000 a month or a total of $18,000 for the duration of the Conference activity lasting through April 30, 1990.

In light of the fact that this is a Presidential Conference, I would ask that your Department cover the cost of the office space and make the necessary arrangements with the Oak Ridge Associated Universities.

I shall much appreciate your help.

Sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable James D. Watkins
Secretary of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20585

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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Most critical is the need for an executive officer to pull this effort together. I am aware of your Defense and Environment Initiative, and the work Tom Harvey has done in organizing the effort. This and his experience on the Hill and in the White House are the skills we need to make the President's initiative a success. I believe there is a direct linkage between what the President wants to do and what your initiative is all about. If it is at all possible, I would ask that LTC Harvey be made available to help with this Conference.

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Yours sincerely,

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The Honorable Richard B. Cheney
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The Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20301

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 9, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR MEMBERS OF THE DPC WORKING GROUP
ON GLOBAL CHANGE

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

SUBJECT: UPDATE ON PLANS FOR THE 1990 WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON SCIENCE AND ECONOMICS RESEARCH RELATING TO GLOBAL CHANGE

The DPC Working Group on Global Change, at its meeting on Tuesday, January 30, 1990, made several decisions with regard to the President's meeting on Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change.

1) It was agreed that the meeting will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, April 18-19, 1990 in Washington, D.C. Subsequent discussions require that these dates be changed to April 17-18 in order to make available the new Georgetown University Leavey Conference Center and Quest House (where the IPCC meeting was held this week).

2) It was agreed that the criteria for the invitations would be those countries that "because of their land masses, large populations or heavy future energy needs, will be compelled to deal with environmental problems having a global magnitude and impact," and those countries that have the scientific and technology capabilities to address the substantive questions of global change. The list of invitee countries was endorsed and is:

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3) It was decided that the President's invitation to the Heads of State of those nations should be sent out ASAP.

4) It was decided that the DPC Working Group would meet in two or three weeks to review progress, including matters such as the agenda for the meeting, schedule of "things-to-do" during the next two and a half months, (PERT chart) and logistics.

To facilitate the next DPC Working Group meeting on the Conference, we will prepare a Concept Paper on the Conference which details:

1) Concepts and expectations for the meeting:

   - o The rationale and purposes of hosting the meeting, i.e., why is the President hosting this meeting and what do we expect to accomplish by having the meeting?

   - o What is the proposed agenda and schedule of events for the meeting, and what is the rationale behind the elements included in the agenda?

   - o What are the expected outcomes and products from the meeting?

2) An initial outline of arrangements and logistics for the meeting.

3) A schedule for the decisions, arrangements, logistics, etc. for the meeting, probably through Gantt and PERT charts.

4) An outline of the budget and financial considerations for the meeting.

5) Specific action items on which the DPC Working Group agreements and endorsements are requested.

If there are questions, comments, needs for information concerning the conference, please contact Bob Corell at 357-9715, or by FAX at 357-9629, or through the OMNET Telemail System at R. CORELL.

cc: Gov. Sununu

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 20, 1990

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The Honorable Richard H. Truly
Administrator
National Aeronautics and Space Administration
400 Maryland Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20546

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The Honorable Nicholas F. Brady
Secretary of the Treasury
15th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20220

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Ambassador Mark Edelman
Acting Administrator
International Development Cooperation Agency
Agency for International Development
320 21st Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20523

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The Honorable William K. Reilly
Administer
Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

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The Honorable Louis W. Sullivan
Secretary of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20201

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Dear Secretary Lujan:

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The Honorable Manuel Lujan, Jr.
Secretary of the Interior
18th and C Streets, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20240

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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Dear Director Bloch:

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The Honorable Erich Bloch
Director
National Science Foundation
1800 G Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C.20230

THE WHITE HOUSE

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Council on Environmental Quality

The Honorable Robert Mosbacher
Secretary of Commerce
14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230

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Dear Secretary Skinner:

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Chairman
Council on Environmental Quality

The Honorable Samuel K. Skinner
Secretary of Transportation
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economic Research Relating to Global Change

DECISION MEMORANDUM

TO: D. Allan Bromley
Michael J. Boskin
Michael R. Deland

DATE: February 21, 1990

FROM: Robert W. Corell

SUBJECT: Involving Top Students in WHC as Assistants

SUMMARY

The White House Conference affords us an opportunity. I suggest that we consider asking the National Academy of Sciences and an appropriate comparable body with oversight interests in economics to undertake the selection of twenty of the "best" undergraduate and graduate students in the fields of science and economics with a specialty in the study of global change who would be invited, at our expense, to attend the White House Conference to help us host the meeting. There are several reason for recommending this idea:

1. The first is functional. These students would provide us with very talented individuals who could assist us in the hosting functions of the meeting, being available to help with the essential details of logistics and hospitality so important to a high-level meeting like this. These are services we likely will have to hire, otherwise.

2. This will give the delegations exposure to the "best" young minds in the science and economics communities.

3. This will give these young scientists and economists an exposure to the "pushers-and-movers" in the international business of global change.

The proposal is simple: we ask the NAS and the appropriate "economics" organizations to conduct a "search" and screen the candidates so that we have some of the best students in the field. Then, I suggest that the three of you formally invite them to serve. I suggest we assign the responsibility for holding a training session the day before the Conference and for organizing the effort to someone in our CES or DPC community. The students would be available during the Conference to assist all aspects of the meeting. I anticipate the cost would be about $20,000 to $25,000 max.

DECISION OR ACTION RECOMMENDED: Approve___ Want to discuss___

cc: N.G. Maynard
F.K. Keel

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change

INFORMATION MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. D. Allan Bromley
Michael J. Boskin
Michael R. Deland

DATE: February 23, 1990

CC: Nancy Maynard

FROM: Robert Corell
Franmarie Keel

SUBJECT: Decisions Reached at February 15 Planning Session For White House Conference on Science and Economic Research Relating to Global Change.

As follow-up to our meeting of February 15, we are seeking confirmation that:

1. It was decided a reception will be hosted by the Presidents of NAS and NAE in the Grand Hall of the NAS on Tuesday, April 17, at 6:30 p.m.;

2. It was decided a formal dinner will be hosted by the Vice President in the Diplomatic Suite of the Department of State on Tuesday, April 17, at 8:00 p.m.;

3. It was decided a congressional breakfast meeting for the three senior delegates from each country with key congressional leaders. It will be held on Wednesday, April 18, at 7:30 a.m. in the J.W. Marriott.

If approved, we will initiate planning for these (i.e. Drafting letters for your signature, assuring availability, etc)

Approved ✓ Disapproved ____

D A Bromley

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

OFFICE OF THE WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE
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TO: D. A. Bromley DATE: 2/23/90
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FROM: Franmarie Kual
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FAX NUMBER: 653-5414 PHONE NUMBER: 653-5801, 653-5980

SUBJECT:

COMMENTS:

U.S. Department of Justice

Land and Natural Resources Division

Office of the Assistant Attorney General

Washington, D.C. 20530

February 23, 1990

COVER MEMORANDUM

TO: Michael Deland
Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality

Robert E. Grady
Associate Director, Natural Resources, Energy & Science
Office of Management and Budget

Richard Schmalensee
Member, Council of Economic Advisers

CC: Hon. D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President for
Science and Technology
Chair, DPC Working Group on Global Change

C. Boyden Gray
Counsel to the President

FROM: Richard B. Stewart
Assistant Attorney General

SUBJECT: Draft Executive Order on Global Climate Change

We have prepared the attached Draft Executive Order on Global Climate Change and accompanying Discussion Memorandum, and have submitted it to Boyden Gray and Dr. Allan Bromley. The Draft Order would direct federal agencies to conduct evaluations of the impacts of their programs on emissions of a set of greenhouse gases, and evaluations of the impacts of scenarios of potential climate change on agency programs; and it would direct these agencies to suggest possible policy responses.

We have recommended that a small task group consisting of the offices most closely involved in administering the Draft Order -- the Office of the White House Counsel, OSTP, CEQ, OMB,

CEA, and the Lands Division of the Department of Justice -- be convened to consider further changes in the Draft Order, before presentation of the Draft Order to the DPC Working group on Global Change for full interagency review. I am informed that Dr. Bromley will invite you to a meeting of this small task group, to be held in the next week if possible. These materials are submitted to you on Dr. Bromley's behalf.

These materials should be closely held and additional photocopies should be kept to a minimum. The Order is in Draft form, and the Draft Order and the Discussion Memorandum address certain sensitive issues currently in litigation. Moreover, an important part of the purpose of the Order would be lost if its contents or those of the Discussion Memorandum were disclosed in advance of announcement by the President.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: 02/23/90

NOTE FOR: D. ALLAN BROMLEY

The President has

seen ☒

acted upon ☒

commented upon ☐

the attached; and it is forwarded to you for your:

information ☒

action ☐

James W. Cicconi
Assistant to the President
and Deputy to the Chief of Staff
(x-2702)

cc:

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Sincerely,

George

Warm Regards.

The Honorable
R.J.L. Hawke, A.C., M.P.
Prime Minister of Australia
Canberra

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His Excellency
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President of the Federative
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Brasilia

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The Right Honorable
Brian Mulroney, P.C., M.P.
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His Excellency
Dr. Helmut Kohl
Chancellor of the
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Bonn

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Prime Minister of India
New Delhi

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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The Honorable Jean-Claude Paye
Secretary General of the
Organization for Economic Cooperation
and Development
Paris

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Nancy is working this as she discussed with you today.

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U.S. Department of Justice

Land and Natural Resources Division

Office of the Assistant Attorney General

Washington, D.C. 20530

February 23, 1990

COVER MEMORANDUM

TO: Michael Deland
Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality

Robert E. Grady
Associate Director, Natural Resources, Energy & Science
Office of Management and Budget

Richard Schmalensee
Member, Council of Economic Advisers

CC: Hon. D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President for
Science and Technology
Chair, DPC Working Group on Global Change

C. Boyden Gray
Counsel to the President

FROM: Richard B. Stewart
Assistant Attorney General

SUBJECT: Draft Executive Order on Global Climate Change

We have prepared the attached Draft Executive Order on Global Climate Change and accompanying Discussion Memorandum, and have submitted it to Boyden Gray and Dr. Allan Bromley. The Draft Order would direct federal agencies to conduct evaluations of the impacts of their programs on emissions of a set of greenhouse gases, and evaluations of the impacts of scenarios of potential climate change on agency programs; and it would direct these agencies to suggest possible policy responses.

We have recommended that a small task group consisting of the offices most closely involved in administering the Draft Order -- the Office of the White House Counsel, OSTP, CEQ, OMB,

CEA, and the Lands Division of the Department of Justice -- be convened to consider further changes in the Draft Order, before presentation of the Draft Order to the DPC Working group on Global Change for full interagency review. I am informed that Dr. Bromley will invite you to a meeting of this small task group, to be held in the next week if possible. These materials are submitted to you on Dr. Bromley's behalf.

These materials should be closely held and additional photocopies should be kept to a minimum. The Order is in Draft form, and the Draft Order and the Discussion Memorandum address certain sensitive issues currently in litigation. Moreover, an important part of the purpose of the Order would be lost if its contents or those of the Discussion Memorandum were disclosed in advance of announcement by the President.

Revised Draft 2/13/90
(doc. "Climate.EO.4")

Draft Executive Order -- Evaluation of federal programs relating to global climate change

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and statutes of the United States, and to further social, economic, environmental, and national security objectives consistent with the domestic and foreign policies of the United States, it is ordered as follows:

SECTION 1. Policy.

(a) It is the policy of the Federal Government to protect and enhance the social, economic and environmental well-being and national security interests of the United States, to preserve world stability and sustainable development of the global economy and environment, to prevent unintended harm to other nations, and to assist other nations of the world in meeting the challenges of the next century.

(b) Purpose and scope.

(i) In furtherance of that policy, and in recognition that global climate change is an emerging issue of potentially great significance to the Nation's social, economic and environmental well-being and national security interests, this Order is issued to direct a coordinated analysis of the relationship between Federal Government activities and global climate change.

(ii) Uncertainties surround the nature of global climate change, the timing of such change, and even the likelihood of its occurrence. Nonetheless, the potential impact of such change requires evaluation now of the potential effects of Federal activities on global climate change, the potential impacts of global climate change on Federal activities, and the possible Federal responses to such change.

(iii) This Order is issued to require each Federal agency to evaluate, on a programmatic basis, and to the extent permitted by law, its activities in relation to global climate change. These evaluations will permit a government-wide baseline analysis of the relationship between government and global climate change.

(iv) Where other social and economic considerations do not justify a contrary result, it is the goal of the United States to adopt policy responses that help prevent, mitigate and adapt to the adverse effects of global climate change. This Order will facilitate achievement of that goal by helping to develop possible responses to such change, within existing authority,

both domestically and internationally; by identifying areas showing the greatest need or promise for possible future initiatives outside existing authority; and by giving careful and explicit consideration, to the extent permitted by law, to the full costs and benefits of each policy response or initiative.

(v) In addition, this Order will assist the Nation's ability to negotiate and implement any international agreement on global climate change.

SEC. 2. Definitions. As used in this Order:

(a) "Global climate change" refers to:

(i) Changes in global and regional climatic conditions that have been hypothesized to result from increasing global atmospheric concentrations of "greenhouse gases";

(ii) Other global environmental changes as may be elaborated in guidance issued under Section 4 of this Order.

(b) "Greenhouse gases" are substances that when released into the atmosphere may act to trap insolation or other energy reradiated from the earth's surface, thereby warming the atmosphere; and substances that, by interacting in the atmosphere, may prolong the residence times or otherwise increase the concentrations of such greenhouse gases. Examples of greenhouse gases may include carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide, chlorofluorocarbons and related halons, tropospheric ozone, and carbon monoxide.

(c) "Sources" of greenhouse gases are any activities, processes, or other phenomena (whether chemical, biological, physical, mechanical, industrial, or other, and whether anthropogenic or other) that emit greenhouse gases into the atmosphere.

(d) "Sinks" of greenhouse gases are any activities, processes, or other phenomena, (whether chemical, biological, physical, mechanical, industrial, or other, and whether anthropogenic or other) that remove greenhouse gases from the atmosphere.

(e) "Net emissions" denotes the aggregate emissions resulting from the operation of both sources and sinks of greenhouse gases.

(f) "Agency" has the same meaning as the term "Executive agency" in Section 105 of Title 5 of the United States Code, and includes the military departments and the United States Postal Service; but does not include the General Accounting Office.

SEC. 3. Agency evaluations of global climate change.

(a) Each agency shall submit to the Assistant to the President for Science and Technology, and to the Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ), an evaluation of the relationship between global climate change and its programs, including its statutory, regulatory, and administrative programs, by _____.

(b) In preparing its evaluation, each agency shall:

(i) evaluate its programs according to the scenario or set of scenarios of global climate change designated by the Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) and CEQ, and employing the set of greenhouse gases identified by OSTP and CEQ;

(ii) recognize, in identifying response strategies, the need both to achieve goals at least cost and to retain flexibility to respond to new information, changing circumstances, and diverse local conditions, and consult with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) **[* and/or the Council of Economic Advisers (CEA) *]** on the best means to achieve benefits at least cost; and

(iii) cooperate with the lead agencies identified in Section 4 of this Order in compiling and exchanging relevant data and information concerning global climate change.

(c) Each agency's evaluation shall include:

(i) analysis of the potential direct or indirect effects of the agency's programs on net emissions of the set of greenhouse gases identified by the lead agencies; and

(ii) analysis of the potential direct or indirect effects of global climate change, as described by the scenarios designated by the lead agencies, on the agency's programs, including consideration of the broad range of possible social, economic, environmental, and national security consequences of such change.

(d) Each agency's evaluation shall also include:

(i) analysis of possible responses by the agency under existing authority that might be taken to prevent or mitigate adverse effects of the agency's programs on global climate change;

(ii) analysis of possible responses that might be taken by the agency under existing authority to prevent or mitigate adverse effects of global climate change on the agency's programs;

(iii) analysis of possible responses that might be taken by the agency under existing authority to assist adaptation of the agency's programs to global climate change; and

[* (iv) identification of specific changes in regulatory, administrative or legislative authority which could facilitate prevention or mitigation of, or adaptation to, adverse effects of global climate change. ***]**

(e) Portions of the evaluation required under section 3(d) above shall, to the extent permitted by law:

(i) take care to describe the extent to which the proposed action(s) are possible under existing authority **[* or would require new regulatory, administrative or legislative authority *]**;

(ii) take care to describe the extent to which proposed action(s) would require additional budgetary outlays or would conserve budgetary resources;

(iii) provide explicit and detailed consideration of the economic, social, environmental, and other costs and benefits of the proposed action(s); and

(iv) include a comparative analysis of the cost-effectiveness of alternative proposed actions for preventing, mitigating or adapting to adverse effects of global climate change.

(f) Prior to inclusion and publication of the portions of the evaluation required by section 3(d) above as part of the full evaluation required by section 3(a) above, each agency shall, to the extent permitted by law:

(i) submit those portions required by section 3(d) above for analysis and comment to OMB **[* and/or CEA *]**;

(ii) in consultation with OMB **[* and/or CEA *]**, fashion each response or proposal developed under section 3(d) above to achieve the greatest benefit for the least cost, and to achieve the best use of innovative cost-effective government-initiated response measures, innovative cost-effective private response measures, market-based regulatory mechanisms, and other alternatives to command and control regulatory mechanisms.

SEC. 4. Lead responsibility. OSTP and CEQ shall be the lead agencies supervising the conduct of this government-wide evaluation. OMB **[* and/or CEA *]** shall assist the lead agencies with respect to issues of costs and benefits and the

economic aspects of evaluations, and the Department of Justice shall assist the lead agencies with respect to legal issues. To effectuate this Order, the lead agencies shall:

(a) Issue guidance, by _____, on preparation of the evaluations directed by this Order:

(i) designating a scenario or set of scenarios of global climate change through identification of the possible causes and effects of such change, for use by agencies preparing evaluations required under this Order (with the explicit understanding that such scenarios are planning tools which depict possible global climate changes and do not necessarily reflect confident or authoritative predictions of the future);

(ii) identifying a set of greenhouse gases to be addressed by agencies' evaluations as required under this Order, including for each such gas suggestions as to its sources and sinks; and

(iii) establishing a standard format for preparation of the evaluations and presentation of assumptions, data, methods, and conclusions. Agencies conducting evaluations shall be afforded an opportunity to comment on the proposed format.

(b) Develop and maintain, with the cooperation of other interested agencies and to be made available to interested agencies, a compilation of data and information relevant to global climate change.

(c) Advise and assist the agencies in the preparations of their evaluations.

[(d) In issuing any guidance, regulations, or other instructions regarding agencies' compliance with section 102 of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), CEQ shall take into account the evaluations required by this Executive Order and, if appropriate, shall establish criteria for the use of the evaluations prepared pursuant to this Executive Order in satisfying the requirements of NEPA section 102. **]**

[* See cover memo for discussion of above provision. *]

SEC. 5. General provision. This Order is issued solely as a managerial tool within the Executive Branch for the purpose of conducting an evaluation of the relationship between governmental activities and global climate change. This Order is not issued to implement or effectuate any statutory requirement or duty, and nothing in this Order shall create any right or benefit, substantive or procedural, enforceable by a party against the United States, its agencies, its officers, or any person.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Office of the White House Conference
on
Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change

INFORMATION MEMORANDUM

TO: D. A. Bromley
M. J. Boskin
M. R. Deland

CC: J. Cicconi
M. Fitzwater

FROM: R. W. Correll, F.K. Keel, and N. G. Maynard

DATE: February 26, 1990

SUBJECT: Press Release and Fact Sheet to Accompany the Heads of State Letters and the Cables to U.S. Embassies

SUMMARY

Late last Friday afternoon it became obvious that a Press Release is essential as a parallel to the release of the Heads of State letters that the President signed earlier Friday afternoon. As requested, we have prepared a draft Press Release and an accompanying "Fact Sheet", using materials cleared by the DPC Working Group and your Offices. We were asked to deliver them by 8:00 am to the three Co-Chairmen, Marlin Fitzwater, and Jim Cicconi, in order to permit a parallel review and make the Release available in a timely fashion. It is our understanding that the White House will put this through normal clearance processes. The draft Press Release and Fact Sheet are attached.

DRAFT NEWS RELEASE
FOR
THE PRESIDENT'S WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE
ON
SCIENCE AND ECONOMICS RESEARCH RELATED TO GLOBAL CHANGE
DRAFT 2/26/90

President Bush today has invited the heads of state from seventeen countries, the European Community, and the OECD to send ministerial-level delegates to a White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change. The Conference will be held in Washington, D.C., April 17-18, 1990. He announced his intention to host this Conference both during his summit with President Gorbachev and more recently in a speech to the United Nation's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, a meeting recently held here in Washington, D.C.. The Conference will be devoted to science and economics issues relevant to policy on global change, including climate. The President stated that "The White House Conference is designed as an important step towards substantially enhancing and broadening international understanding of the critical science and economic research issues, framing a strategy for implementing a joint international science and economics research effort, and linking that knowledge to the policy process both nationally and internationally". The President said "I believe that by working together, we can enhance international cooperation in these vital areas". He further stated the "this Conference is a vital next step in a joint international approach to address changes in the global environment".

The Conference will convene a delegation of three ministerial-level officials from a representative group of nations. The officials will represent three essential disciplines: science, economics, and the environment. The President's invitations were sent to:

1. Australia
2. Brazil
3. Canada
4. Federal Republic of Germany
5. France
6. India
7. Indonesia
8. Italy
9. Japan
10. Mexico
11. Netherlands
12. Nigeria
13. Norway
14. Poland
15. Soviet Union
16. United Kingdom
17. Zaire
18. European Community

19. OECD

The President has appointed his Science Advisor and Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael Boskin; and the Chairman of the Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland, to serve as Co-chairmen of this Conference.

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- The President first indicated his intention to host such a Conference on this subject during his Summit meetings with President Gorbachev, on December 4, 1989, and later on Monday, February 5, 1990 during his speech to the United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change.

- The Conference will be devoted to science and economics research issues relevant to policy on global change, including climate. The Conference is designed to address important next steps that substantially enhance and broaden international understanding of science and economic research issues that relate to global change. Further, the Conference seeks to frame the initial steps towards a strategy for implementing joint international science and economics research efforts. It also seeks to integrate and link scientific and economic research results to both the domestic and international policy process. The Conference is unique as an international forum both because it focuses on the essential questions of research needed to support the international policy process and because it seeks for the first time to join research issues central to both the science and the economics related to global change.

- The Conference focuses on "Global Change", a scope of research interest that has evolved out of the science that concerns itself with understanding the fundamental processes that govern the way the global Earth functions. Thus, the research agenda not only includes global climate change, but also includes other important global processes such as ozone depletion in the polar regions and on global scales, biodiversity, large scale changes in land use and their impact on global processes, such as deforestation, and other large scale processes such as

desertification.

- The Conference is conceived as an integral part of the on-going international process of trying to understand changes in the global environment. The need for substantially improved understanding of both the science and economics of global change has been noted by virtually all world leaders. This Conference will focus on scientific and economic research issues as a complementary effort to the on-going Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and other up-coming international meetings that seek to address the serious policy issues that evolve out of the concerns for the changes in the global environment, particularly climate change. The President strongly supports the IPCC efforts and expects that the results of the Conference will contribute to the on-going international debate and action on these issues. For example, the leadership of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change has been invited to take an active role in the Conference.

- The Conference will convene a delegation of three ministerial-level officials from a representative group of nations, each representing one of three essential disciplines: science, economics, and the environment. The Conference was conceived with the idea that a small representative group of countries would be invited to participate; their selection is based on the simple criteria that the meeting should include countries or representatives of country interest that have substantial populations, large land masses, industrialized economies or heavy future energy needs, substantial research infrastructures, or have provided international leadership on issues related to climate and global change. A representative group of countries has been selected. The President has asked the heads of state in the following countries and organizations to send a delegation. These countries and organizations are:

1. Australia
2. Brazil
3. Canada
4. Federal Republic of Germany
5. France
6. India
7. Indonesia
8. Italy
9. Japan
10. Mexico
11. Netherlands

12. Nigeria
13. Norway
14. Poland
15. Soviet Union
16. United Kingdom
17. Zaire
18. European Community
19. OECD

It is expected that each country or organization will send their ministerial-level official to represent each of their agencies of science, economics, and the environment, together with no more than two staff associates per official. It is suggested that one delegate in each of the three areas will be an individual who is currently active in scientific or economics research. It is recognized that the delegations are likely to have one "at-large" member. Thus, the total delegation size should not exceed ten per country. Once the delegations are determined, it is planned to consult with these countries on agenda details.

o The Conference is designed to be a forum to bring a number of ministerial-level leaders together to enhance international cooperation and to build the basis for joint efforts in these vital areas. It is hope that the delegates, working together, will agree upon those areas of opportunity for cooperative action in the areas of scientific and economics research. The goal would be to address questions such as:

* How well can we predict temperature trends in the decades ahead ?

* How "good" are our global-scale models, such as models to predict temperature changes ?

* How well can we predict the interconnections between global environmental change and the resulting social and economic impacts ?

* What are the economic cost of responding to global change ?

* Are "good" are our economic models ?

By addressing such questions, it is hoped that the nations might pledge to support an international research effort related to global change that focuses rapid

improvement of both scientific and economic knowledge and developing the necessary infrastructure, including:

  * Establishing a more formal international mechanism to improve the coordination of global change science and economic research programs, and

  * Participating in cooperative research efforts, such as the World Ocean Circulation Experiment and cooperative economic projects of the OECD.

o The Conference is a White House Conference, initiated by the President. Hence, the President has asked three Assistants to the President, in the relevant areas, to be the Co-Chairmen the Conference. The three Co-Chairmen are: the President's Science Advisor and Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael J. Boskin; and the Chairman of the President's Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland.

o The President stated, "this Conference is a vital next step in a joint international approach to address changes in the global environment".

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release February 26, 1990

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

President Bush today invited a number of countries, the European Community, and the Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) to send official delegations to a White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change. The Conference will be held in Washington, D.C., April 17-18, 1990.

The President announced his intention to host this conference during his meeting with President Gorbachev and again recently in a speech to the United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. The Conference will be devoted to science and economics issues relevant to policy on global environmental issues, including climate change. It is designed to substantially enhance and broaden international understanding of the important science and economics research issues related to global change. The Conference will also assist in framing a strategy for implementing a joint international understanding of this science and economics research effort, and linking that knowledge to the policy process both nationally and internationally. The Administration considers the Conference a vital next step in a joint international approach to address possible changes in the global environment.

Conference participants have been invited to send delegations consisting of their senior scientific, environmental, and economic officials. The President has designated the Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, Dr. D. Allan Bromley; the Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, Dr. Michael Boskin; and the Chairman of the Council on Environmental Quality, Mr. Michael R. Deland, to serve as Co-Chairmen of this Conference.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL February 27, 1990

TO: JOSEPH W. HAGIN, II
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR
APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULING

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR SCIENCE AND
TECHNOLOGY AND DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

MICHAEL J. BOSKIN
CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS

MICHAEL R. DELAND
CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL
QUALITY

REQUEST: That the President address the opening plenary session of the President's White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Relating to Global Change and attend working group sessions of the Conference

BACKGROUND: In his meeting with President Gorbachev in December, the President announced that he would host a conference in the spring of 1990 on the relationship of science and economics research on and its importance in dealing with global environmental issues, principally global change. During his remarks to the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change on February 5, he reiterated his intention to host such a conference. On February 26, the announcement was made that the President had issued invitations to the Conference, which will be held in Washington on April 17 and 18. The heads of state or leaders of 19 nations and international organizations have been invited to send senior government officials in the fields of science, economics and the environment to the Conference.

The President should address the opening plenary session of the Conference to welcome the delegations and set the stage for the proceedings. The President should participate in the various working groups

that will be the heart of the Conference as an example of his deep personal interest in the work of the Conference and his desire to learn more about the interworkings of science and economics in assessing environmental issues and developing realistic solutions. This is similar to the structure of and the President's participation in the education conference with the governors in Charlottesville.

TIME AND DATE: The morning of Tuesday, April 17, 1990 (exact time TBD)

DURATION: One hour and forty-five minutes portal-to-portal

LOCATION: J.W. Marriott Hotel
14th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

PARTICIPANTS: The President
Director Bromley
Chairman Boskin
Chairman Deland
Delegations from invited nations and organizations (approximately 200 persons)

OUTLINE OF EVENT: TBD

MEDIA COVERAGE: Open

REMARKS: Yes; to be provided by speechwriters

PROJECT OFFICER: Nancy Maynard x6202

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Secretary Brady:

This constitutes a follow-up to the February 20, 1990 letter to you signed by Michael Boskin, Michael Deland and me concerning funding support for the President's Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change.

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As we indicated in our letter, it is requested that each participating agency contribute $100,000 to defray the cost of the Conference, which is budgeted at $800,000. Because of the compressed timeframe to pull all of this together, the Council on Environmental Quality and the Department of Defense (Corps of Engineers) have agreed to administratively and contractually support the Conference. In this regard I would ask that your Comptroller's representative contact as soon as possible Bill Flickinger of the Corps of Engineers at 272-8536 to administratively coordinate the transfer of funds.

Thank you for your support of this important Presidential initiative.

Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable Nicholas F. Brady
Secretary of the Treasury
15th and Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20220

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Secretary Mosbacher:

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D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable Robert Mosbacher
Secretary of Commerce
14th and Constitution Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20230

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Ambassador Edelman:

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Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

Ambassador Mark Edelman
Acting Administrator
International Development Cooperation Agency
Agency for International Development
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Washington, D.C. 20523

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Secretary Skinner:

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Thank you for your support of this important Presidential initiative.

Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable Samuel K. Skinner
Secretary of Transportation
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Secretary Sullivan:

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Thank you for your support of this important Presidential initiative.

Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable Louis W. Sullivan
Secretary of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Ave., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20201

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Director Bloch:

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Thank you for your support of this important Presidential initiative.

Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable Erich Bloch
Director
National Science Foundation
1800 G Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20550

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Mr. Reilly:

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Thank you for your support of this important Presidential initiative.

Yours sincerely,

D. Allan Bromley
Assistant to the President
for
Science and Technology

The Honorable William K. Reilly
Administrator
Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 28, 1990

Dear Secretary Lujan:

This constitutes a follow-up to the February 20, 1990 letter to you signed by Michael Boskin, Michael Deland and me concerning funding support for the President's Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change.

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Yours sincerely,

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