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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Tuesday, June 4, 1991

8:00 am (15 min)	<u>Intelligence Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:15 am (30 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> ((Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:45 am (30 min)	<u>Meeting with Governor Sununu</u>	Oval Office
9:15 am (45 min)	<u>Administrative Time</u>	Oval Office
10:00 am (60 min)	<u>Meeting with Group of Bipartisan Senators</u> (McClure)	Cabinet Room
	(TAB A)	
11:00 am (15 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:15 am (45 min)	<u>Video Taping Session</u> (Rogich)	459 OEOB
	(TAB B)	
12:00 pm (15 min)	Teleconference to the 59th Annual Convention and Expo of the Edison Electric Institute (Smith)	459 OEOB
	(TAB C)	
12:15 pm (60 min)	<u>Lunch</u>	Oval Office
	Walk to reviewing stand	
1:15 pm (5 min)	<u>Photo with Ambassador Michael Pistor</u> (Scowcroft)	Oval Office
	(TAB D)	
1:30 pm (10 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Sununu)	Oval Office
	(TAB E)	
1:40 pm (20 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
2:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Cabinet Meeting</u> (Holiday)	Cabinet Room
	(TAB F)	

- Skinner will not be there
No Highway
- Sec. Alexander will be giving the prayer

UNP 06/03/91
5:00 pm

Jackie
Mason



3:00 pm (15 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
3:15 pm (15 min)	<u>Presentation of Awards for Falasha Departure from Ethiopia</u> (Scowcroft/Brady)	Oval Office/ Rose Garden (Distributed Separately)
3:30 pm (30 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
4:00 pm (30 min)	<u>Administrative Time</u>	Oval Office
4:30 pm (30 min)	<u>Meeting with Governor Sununu</u>	Oval Office

7:06 POTUS In Oval
 7:55 Sununu In Oval
 7:59 Sununu Out
 8:03 Sununu, Gates, Scowcroft, Webster, (b)(3)
 8:32 Webster, (b)(3) Out
 9:10 Scowcroft, Gates Out
 9:32 Sununu Out
 9:40 Fitzwater In
 9:49 Fitzwater Out
 9:58 Fitzwater, Scowcroft. In
 9:59 Gov. Sununu In
 10:04 Sununu, Fitzwater, Scowcroft Out.
 10:05 POTUS Arrives Cabinet room
 10:45 POTUS Departs Cabinet room
 10:46 POTUS, Simpson, Dole, Strauss, Fitzwater, Baker, Sununu, McClure,
 Scowcroft, Benson, Luger
 10:53 Baker, McClure, Sununu Out
 10:54 Baker In
 10:55 Sununu In
 10:55 Baker Out
 10:55 Fitzwater Out
 10:58 Baker In
 11:00 Fitzwater In
 11:05 Fitzwater, Sununu, McClure, Baker, Benson, Dole, Strauss, Simpson, POTUS Off
 11:06 All to Rose Garden
 11:10 POTUS to Oval
 11:12

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5:00 pm

11:16 Arrive Indian Treaty Room
 12:18 Depart Indian Treaty Room
 12:15 Arrive Oval
 12:17 Scowcroft In Oval 12:30 Scowcroft out
 12:41 Sununu In
 12:52 Sununu Out
 1:20 Pistor In Oval (Wife + two children)
 1:30 Pistor and Family Out
 1:31 Thornburg, Sununu, Senator Specter, Anne Arstone, Murray Dickman In
 1:58 All Out
 2:02 POTUS Arrives Cabinet Room.
 2:50 POTUS Departs Cabinet Room, Arrives Oval
 2:50 Baker, Scowcroft in oval
 3:12 Sununu In
 3:14 Roschwitz, Hauderk, Hicks, Frasura In
 3:15 POTUS and all to Rose Garden
 3:31 POTUS in Oval with Scowcroft
 3:46 Scowcroft out
 4:36 Sununu In oval
 4:55 Sununu Out
 5:22 Fitzwater In
 5:30 Scowcroft In
 5:35 Fitzwater Out
 5:43 Scowcroft out
 6:06 POTUS departs oval

Meeting with a Bipartisan Group of Senators

Bill
Gribbin

Janet
Mullins

Ginny
Lampley

Douglas
Paal

John
Seymour

John
Sununu

James
Baker

Brent
Scowcroft

Dick
Darman

Frank
Murkowski (late)

John
McCain

Joe
Lieberman

Cabinet Table

Dan
Coats

Hank
Brown

Chuck
Grassley

Marlin
Fitzwater

Phil
Brady

Richard
Lugar

Max
Baucus

Bob
Dole

President

Lloyd
Bentsen

Al
Simpson

John
Kerry

Roger
Porter

Ede
Holiday

David
Demarest

Fred
McClure

Jim
Dyer

Steve
Hart

Participants List

The President

James Baker, Secretary of State

Richard Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget

Congressional Participation

Senator Robert Dole (R-KS), Republican Leader

Senator Alan Simpson (R-WY), Assistant Republican Leader

Senator Max Baucus (D-MT)

Senator Lloyd Bentsen (D-TX)

Senator Hank Brown (R-CO)

Senator Dan Coats (R-IN)

Senator Charles Grassley (R-IA)

Senator John Kerry (D-MA)

Senator Joseph Lieberman (D-CT)

Senator Richard Lugar (R-IN)

Senator John McCain (R-AZ)

Senator Frank Murkowski (R-AK)

Senator John Seymour (R-CA)

White House Participation

John Sununu, Chief of Staff

Brent Scowcroft, Assistant to the President for National Security
Affairs

Phillip Brady, Assistant to the President and Staff Secretary

Dave Demarest, Assistant to the President for Communications

Marlin Fitzwater, Assistant to the President and Press Secretary

Ede Holiday, Assistant to the President and Secretary of the
Cabinet

Fred McClure, Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs

Roger Porter, Assistant to the President for Economic and
Domestic Policy

James W. Dyer, Deputy Assistant to the President for Legislative
Affairs (Senate)

Steve Hart, Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of
Legislative Affairs

Virginia Lampley, Special Assistant to the President and Senior
Director of Legislative Affairs, National Security Council

Douglas Paal, Director, Asian Affairs, National Security Council

Others

Janet Mullins, Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative
Affairs

Bill Gribbin, Assistant to the Vice President for Legislative
Affairs

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGIATE
DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS

91 JUN -4 AM 11:01

GREETINGS TO ALL OF YOU ATHLETIC DIRECTORS AS YOU GATHER FOR YOUR 26TH ANNUAL CONVENTION. I HAVE GREAT ADMIRATION FOR THE WORK YOU DO -- BUILDING PROGRAMS THAT ADVANCE THE CAUSES OF FITNESS AND SCHOLARSHIP -- INSPIRING AND TRAINING YOUNG COLLEGE STUDENTS TO REACH DEEP INSIDE THEMSELVES AND BE THE VERY BEST THEY CAN BE.

AND I'M SPEAKING FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE. WHEN I LOOK BACK AT MY DAYS AT YALE, I REALIZE WHAT A LASTING INFLUENCE INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS HAD ON ME. I FOUND A NEWSPAPER CLIPPING FROM ONE OF MY FIRST GAMES -- IT READS: "AFTER AN IMPRESSIVE DEBUT, GEORGE BUSH, THE ELI'S CLASSY 1ST BASEMAN, IS HITTING .167." I LIKED THE FIRST PART OF THAT DESCRIPTION, BUT .167 ?? THANKS TO OUR COACH, ETHAN ALLEN, WHO WORKED WITH ME PATIENTLY, AND AT THE END OF MY LAST SEASON, MY AVERAGE WAS .280. NOT GREAT, BUT THANKS TO HIM, BETTER.

I LOVED COMPETING IN SPORTS AT COLLEGE, BUT COLLEGE ATHLETICS ARE DIFFERENT TODAY. IN SOME WAYS YOU FACE ENORMOUS CHALLENGES AND PRESSURE TO WIN -- AND AT THE SAME TIME TO PRESERVE THE ACADEMIC INTEGRITY OF YOUR INSTITUTIONS. WE RECENTLY INTRODUCED OUR "AMERICA 2000" EDUCATION STRATEGY, CALLING FOR THE RETURN OF EDUCATION TO ITS PROPER PLACE AT THE CENTER OF OUR KIDS' LIVES. YOU CAN HELP. YOU CAN ENSURE THAT OUR KIDS DON'T LOSE SIGHT OF LIFE'S REAL PRIORITIES.

PRIORITIES LIKE EDUCATION -- TO PREPARE THEM FOR THE COMPETITIVE CHALLENGES OF THE 21ST CENTURY. AND -- AS YOU WELL KNOW -- PRIORITIES LIKE THE OVERWHELMING IMPORTANCE OF RESISTING ANY AND ALL DRUGS. OUR GOAL MUST BE TO PRODUCE SCHOLAR-ATHLETES -- PROUD AND FIT IN MIND AND BODY -- AND TOTALLY DRUG-FREE.

IN THE 45 YEARS SINCE MY 1ST GAME AT YALE, I'VE
OFTEN FOUND MYSELF LOOKING BACK AT THE LESSONS I
LEARNED AT THE HANDS OF OUR COACHES. ANYTHING WORTH
ACHIEVING REQUIRES HARD WORK: THERE ARE NO SHORT CUTS
TO EXCELLENCE. PHYSICAL FITNESS MAKES FOR MENTAL
SHARPNESS: WHEN YOU FEEL GOOD, YOUR MIND WORKS BETTER.
BE THIS COUNTRY'S FUTURE. ON BEHALF OF GENERATIONS OF
COLLEGE ATHLETES -- THANK YOU.

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**VIDEO MESSAGE FOR THE 14TH INTERNATIONAL DIABETES
FEDERATION CONGRESS**

**IT'S A PLEASURE TO WELCOME ALL OF YOU -- MORE THAN
6,000 DELEGATES AND PARTICIPANTS -- TO THE 14TH
INTERNATIONAL DIABETES FEDERATION CONGRESS. YOUR WORK
THIS COMING WEEK CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE TO THE MORE
THAN 13 MILLION AMERICANS WHO HAVE DIABETES, AND TO THE
MILLIONS AND MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WORLDWIDE WHO SUFFER
THE TERRIBLE CONSEQUENCES OF THIS DISEASE.**

**I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE A MOMENT TO OFFER MY
CONGRATULATIONS TO PROFESSOR JOSEPH HOET [HOOT] FOR HIS
LEADERSHIP OF THE I.D.F. AND TO CONGRATULATE THE
FEDERATION FOR CALLING WORLDWIDE ATTENTION TO DIABETES.
EVERYONE MUST RECOGNIZE THE DEVASTATING TOLL OF THIS
SERIOUS DISEASE -- BOTH PERSONAL AND ECONOMIC.**

**I COMMEND EACH OF YOU FOR JOINING THIS WEEK-LONG
CONGRESS OF LEARNING AND EXCHANGING KNOWLEDGE. AND
LET'S ALL TAKE NOTE OF THURSDAY, JUNE 27, WHICH I.D.F.
AND THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION HAVE DESIGNATED WORLD
DIABETES DAY. SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES WILL MARK
THAT OCCASION IN WASHINGTON AS WELL AS AROUND THE
WORLD.**

FINALLY, I SALUTE THE CONGRESS' ORGANIZING COMMITTEE AND ITS CHAIRMAN, DR. HAROLD RIFKIN, FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN SHAPING THIS IMPORTANT EVENT -- THE LARGEST-EVER MEETING ON DIABETES. THIS PROGRAM WILL GIVE AMERICANS A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF DIABETES AND BRING US THAT MUCH CLOSER TO A CURE.

MY BEST WISHES AND GODSPEED IN YOUR MISSION.

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**NEW HAMPSHIRE ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF
POLICE 1991 ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

I'M PLEASED TO HAVE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SAY A FEW WORDS ABOUT THE GREAT THINGS YOU IN THE NEW HAMPSHIRE ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE HAVE DONE. THIS YEAR, THE NEW HAMPSHIRE CHIEFS HAVE BEEN VERY ACTIVE. YOU CO-SPONSORED A WEEK-LONG CADET TRAINING ACADEMY FOR 14-18 YEAR OLDS INTERESTED IN LAW ENFORCEMENT. YOU ELEVATED THE STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICE TO NEW HAMPSHIRE CITIZENS. AND THROUGH THE NEW HAMPSHIRE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, AND WITH THE FEDERAL GRANTS AVAILABLE FOR DRUG ENFORCEMENT, YOU HELPED SUSTAIN A NEW HAMPSHIRE DRUG TASK FORCE. THE TASK FORCE, ALONG WITH THE D.A.R.E. PROGRAM NOW IN MANY OF YOUR COMMUNITIES, HAS LED THE STATE'S FIGHT AGAINST DRUG USE.

MANY OF THESE SUCCESSES HAVE TAKEN PLACE UNDER THE SUPERB LEADERSHIP OF CHIEF ARTHUR BASTION OF NEWPORT, NEW HAMPSHIRE, YOUR OUTGOING PRESIDENT. URSULA ((CHIEF BASTIAN'S WIFE)), YOU MUST TRULY BE PROUD OF THIS GUY. MY BEST WISHES ALSO GO TO THE INCOMING PRESIDENT, CHIEF JOHN STIMSON OF NEWINGTON.

FINALLY, LET ME CONGRATULATE THE ASSOCIATION ON ITS
50TH ANNIVERSARY. LET ME WISH YOU MANY MORE YEARS OF
SUCCESSFUL SERVICE TO YOUR COMMUNITIES AND YOUR STATE
OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS.

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**VIDEO MESSAGE FOR THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF BUSINESS
FIFTH ANNUAL BUSINESS/EDUCATION FORUM**

**ONE SHOULD NEVER UNDERESTIMATE THE DYNAMICS OF
CHANGE -- THE NEED TO RESTRUCTURE AND IMPROVE. JUST AS
BUSINESSES ACROSS AMERICA RESTRUCTURE TO MEET THE NEEDS
OF THEIR CUSTOMERS, SO MUST OUR EDUCATION SYSTEM REFORM
ITSELF TO MEET THE NEEDS OF TODAY'S AND TOMORROW'S
STUDENTS.**

**OUR ADMINISTRATION HAS CHALLENGED THE NATION TO
REFORM AND IMPROVE OUR EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM. THE AMERICA
2000 STRATEGY ENCOURAGES EVERYONE TO HELP RE-INVENT
AMERICAN EDUCATION. THIS STRATEGY WILL HELP TRANSFORM
OUR COUNTRY FROM A "NATION AT RISK" TO A NATION OF
LIFE-LONG LEARNERS. ALLOW ME TO REVIEW QUICKLY THE
FOUR KEY COMPONENTS OF THIS STRATEGY:**

**FIRST, FOR TODAY'S STUDENTS, WE NEED BETTER AND
MORE ACCOUNTABLE SCHOOLS. THIS CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED
THROUGH AN ACCOUNTABILITY PACKAGE THAT ENCOURAGES
PARENTS, TEACHERS, SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES TO MEASURE
AND COMPARE RESULTS -- AND TO INSIST ON CHANGE WHEN THE
RESULTS AREN'T GOOD ENOUGH.**

SECOND, WE WILL USE THE CREATIVITY OF OUR NATION'S EDUCATORS, ITS BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS TO INVENT A NEW GENERATION OF AMERICANS SCHOOLS -- THE BEST SCHOOLS IN THE WORLD. OUR GOAL IS TO BRING AT LEAST 535 SUCH SCHOOLS INTO OPERATION BY 1996.

THIRD, THOSE OF US WHO HAVE LEFT SCHOOL AND ENTERED THE WORKFORCE NEED TO UNDERSTAND THAT EDUCATION DOESN'T END WHEN YOU GET A DIPLOMA. IT JUST BEGINS. IF WE WANT TO COMPETE SUCCESSFULLY IN AN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMY, WE MUST BECOME A NATION OF LIFELONG LEARNERS.

I HAVE ASKED THE SECRETARIES OF LABOR AND EDUCATION TO INITIATE A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP TO ESTABLISH VOLUNTARY JOB-RELATED SKILL STANDARDS FOR OUR NATION'S INDUSTRIES. AMERICA 2000 WILL PROMOTE SKILL CLINICS IN EACH COMMUNITY. I WILL PUSH FOR GREATER ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE ADULT EDUCATION ACT TO ENSURE GREATER LITERACY FOR ALL AMERICANS.

FOR ALL THOSE ADULTS WHO THINK THEIR SCHOOL DAYS ARE OVER; THEY MAY JUST HAVE BEGUN. WE'VE GOT TO BECOME A NATION OF STUDENTS WHO RECOGNIZE THAT LEARNING IS A LIFELONG PROCESS.

FINALLY, WE WILL WORK TO STRENGTHEN AMERICAN VALUES IN COMMUNITIES THROUGHOUT THE NATION -- STRONG FAMILIES, PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND NEIGHBORS COMMITTED TO HELP EACH OTHER -- IN SHORT, THE TYPE OF ENVIRONMENT WHERE LEARNING CAN HAPPEN.

MY THANKS TO THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF BUSINESS FOR ITS COMMITMENT TO QUALITY EDUCATION AND AMERICA'S FUTURE. I ENCOURAGE ALL OF YOU TO BE POINTS OF LIGHT IN THE CRUSADE THAT COUNTS MOST -- THE CRUSADE TO PREPARE OUR CHILDREN AND OURSELVES FOR THE EXCITING FUTURE THAT LOOMS AHEAD.

GOD BLESS YOU AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

((VIDEO TAPE TO CUT IN AS SEPARATE PIECE))

BUSINESS LEADERS HAVE TOLD ME OVER AND OVER THAT THE REST OF THE WORLD IS NOT JUST SITTING IDLY BY, WAITING FOR AMERICA TO CATCH UP. OUR INTERNATIONAL COMPETITORS AND TRADING PARTNERS HAVE INVESTED HEAVILY IN THEIR CURRENT AND FUTURE WORKFORCES. THEY'RE MAKING SERIOUS EFFORTS TO EDUCATE AND PREPARE THE PEOPLE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR ECONOMIC FUTURES.

((VIDEO TAPE TO CUT IN AS SEPARATE PIECE))

EVERYONE HAS A CRITICAL PART TO PLAY. THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY MUST HELP PROVIDE THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT TEAMS THAT WILL HELP EDUCATORS DESIGN OUR NEW AMERICAN SCHOOLS. IT MUST WORK WITH LABOR ORGANIZATIONS, SCHOOLS AND PARENTS TO DEVELOP WORLD EDUCATION STANDARDS -- STANDARDS THAT REFLECT THE REAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE COMPETITIVE MARKETPLACE. THESE SAME GROUPS OUGHT TO HELP CREATE WORLD CLASS OCCUPATIONAL SKILL STANDARDS.

IT OUGHT TO FACTOR THE RESULTS OF AMERICAN ACHIEVEMENT TEST INTO HIRING DECISIONS, AND IT OUGHT TO USE THE SKILL STANDARDS AS TOOLS FOR MANAGING AND DEVELOPING WORKPLACE TALENT.

MOST IMPORTANTLY, THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY MUST SUPPLY PEOPLE RESOURCES AND LEADERSHIP IN THE CRUSADE TO REFORM LOCAL SCHOOLS, COMMUNITIES AND STATE POLICIES.

((VIDEO TAPE TO CUT IN AS SEPARATE PIECE))

WE MUST WORK TOGETHER TO BUILD AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE ALL STUDENTS CAN REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL -- WHERE TEACHERS, ADMINISTRATORS, AND ESPECIALLY STUDENTS HAVE THE TOOLS NECESSARY TO LEARN, AND MORE IMPORTANTLY, HAVE THE MOTIVATION TO APPLY THEIR SKILLS TO THE NEW AND CHALLENGING SITUATIONS THAT WE WILL FACE AS WE ENTER THE 21ST CENTURY.

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P.S.A. FOR "70 BY '92" SAFETY BELT CAMPAIGN

YOU ARE AMERICA'S GREATEST RESOURCE . . . THE FORCE
BEHIND THE PURSUIT OF FREEDOM . . . THE SOURCE AND
HEART OF THE AMERICAN DREAM.

THE CHANGES YOU MAKE WILL AFFECT NOT ONLY YOU . . .
BUT GENERATIONS TO COME.

SO JOIN THE CAMPAIGN TO BUCKLE UP . . . THAT ONE
SIMPLE ACTION CAN PROTECT THE GREATEST RESOURCE IN
AMERICA . . . YOU.

((PAUSE -- CLOSE-UP OF SAFETY BELT AND SOUND OF
BUCKLE BEING FASTENED.))

PLEASE . . . USE YOUR SAFETY BELT.

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VIDEO MESSAGE FOR THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE

WE'VE SHOWN A LOT OF AMERICANS OVER THE LAST TWO YEARS THAT THE REPUBLICAN PARTY BEST SUPPORTS THE AMERICAN IDEALS OF STRENGTH / GROWTH / SERVICE / AND FAMILY. NOW, WE'VE GOT TO ELECT REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES TO OFFICE AT EVERY LEVEL OF GOVERNMENT -- ESPECIALLY IN THE TOUGH SEATS. LET'S CHALLENGE EVERY INCUMBENT. LET'S WORK TO PUT REPUBLICANS IN EVERY OPEN SEAT.

PUBLIC OFFICE IS WHERE LEADERS GROW, WHERE IDEALS TAKE DIRECTION ON THEIR WAY TO IMPROVING LIVES. IT'S ALSO THE PLACE WHERE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP GETS THE CHANCE TO TEST ITS METTLE, TO SHAPE THE POLICIES AND CREATE THE PARTNERSHIPS THAT WILL MOVE THIS NATION FORWARD, STATE BY STATE, COMMUNITY BY COMMUNITY, NEIGHBORHOOD BY NEIGHBORHOOD.

TODAY, I'M ASKING YOU TO HELP RECRUIT THE BEST CANDIDATES FOR OUR PARTY IN 1992, AND TO SUPPORT THEIR BIDS FOR OFFICE. YOU CAN BRING AMERICAN IDEALS HOME BY BRINGING REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP TO EVERY COMMUNITY -- BY LEADING THIS NATION FORWARD TO A BETTER, BRIGHTER FUTURE.

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TIP O'NEILL 50TH ANNIVERSARY

MILLIE, TIP: WHEN I FOUND OUT FROM YOUR CHILDREN THAT YOU'D BE CELEBRATING YOUR 50TH ANNIVERSARY WITH ALL YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS, I JUST HAD TO BE A PART OF IT. AFTER ALL, IT'S STILL HARD TO SAY "NO" TO AN O'NEILL.

A LOT OF PEOPLE DON'T REALIZE HOW MUCH TIP AND I HAVE IN COMMON, EVEN THOUGH WE SERVED ON OPPOSITE SIDES OF THE AISLE. WE'RE BOTH FROM MASSACHUSETTS. \\ WE BOTH LOVE TO FISH AND GOLF. (TIP, I'M STILL WAITING FOR YOU TO JOIN ME IN A ROUND OF SPEED GOLF.) AND, OF COURSE, WE BOTH MARRIED WOMEN WHO ARE MUCH TOO GOOD FOR US. IT'S AN UNDERSTATEMENT TO SAY THAT BARBARA AND I HAVE GREAT RESPECT FOR TIP AND THAT WE LOVE MILLIE. WE EVEN NAMED OUR DOG AFTER HER. \\

YOU KNOW, EARLY IN LIFE, THE SPEAKER MADE A TRAGIC MISTAKE. IF HE HAD BECOME A REPUBLICAN EARLY ON, HE REALLY COULD HAVE AMOUNTED TO A LOT. HIS INNATE COMPASSION COULD HAVE SHOWN UP MORE. HIS KIND AND GENTLE NATURE WOULD HAVE BEEN RECEIVED MUCH MORE WARMLY IN THE BOARD ROOMS OF THE FORTUNE 500 AND AROUND THE MANCHESTER OR BACK BAY COCKTAIL CIRCUIT.

AS YOU KNOW, HE DIDN'T DO THAT. HE WENT ON TO RALLY THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY. AND LOOK AT THE GUY: HE ONLY BECAME ONE OF THE GREATEST SPEAKERS IN THE HISTORY OF OUR COUNTRY.

MOST PEOPLE STILL ASSOCIATE TIP AND ME WITH THE TIMES WE SAT BEHIND PRESIDENT REAGAN DURING THE STATE OF THE UNION ADDRESS. WHAT MOST PEOPLE DON'T REALIZE IS HOW MUCH GRIEF THOSE APPEARANCES CAUSED ME. EVERY TIME, TIP WOULD CRACK JOKES OR TRY TO START A CONVERSATION, I'D TRY TO CUT HIM OFF. YET AFTER EVERY SPEECH, I'M THE ONE WHO'D GET BAWLED OUT. I'D GET A CALL FROM MY MOTHER, SAYING, "STOP TALKING TO TIP AND LISTEN TO THE PRESIDENT." \ THANKS A LOT, TIP. \

I'D LIKE TO CLOSE WITH TIP'S FAVORITE STORY: THE ONE ABOUT MRS. O'BRIEN -- THE HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER WHO TAUGHT HIM THE MOST IMPORTANT POLITICAL LESSON OF HIS LIFE. THE NIGHT BEFORE HIS FIRST ELECTION TO CONGRESS, MRS. O'BRIEN TOLD TIP, "I'M GOING TO VOTE FOR YOU, EVEN THOUGH YOU DIDN'T ASK." TIP WAS SHOCKED. "I'VE LIVED ACROSS THE STREET FROM YOU FOR 18 YEARS. I DIDN'T THINK I HAD TO." \ "TOM," SHE SAID, "LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING ABOUT POLITICS. PEOPLE LIKE TO BE ASKED."

I'M SURE EVERYONE'S HEARD THAT STORY BEFORE. BUT
MAYBE YOU DIDN'T KNOW THAT JUST BEFORE GOING TO THE POLLS
TOGETHER, TIP WOULD ALWAYS ASK MILLIE FOR HER VOTE. AND
MILLIE ALWAYS GAVE HIM THE SAME ANSWER: "TOM, I'LL GIVE
YOU EVERY CONSIDERATION." \\\

TIP MAY HAVE BEEN THE GUY IN CONGRESS, BUT MILLIE IS
THE REAL SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE. \\\

TO YOU, TIP AND TO MILLIE, WE BUSHES SEND OUR
RESPECTS, OUR WARMEST BEST WISHES, AND OUR LOVE.
CONGRATULATIONS ON THIS VERY SPECIAL DAY. MAY GOD BLESS
YOU BOTH.

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EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE

91 JUN -4 AM 11:01

THANK YOU, JIM [HARLOW, CHAIRMAN]. TO YOU, TO
SECRETARY WATKINS, WHO'S DOING AN OUTSTANDING JOB; TO
THE E.E.I. HOSTS, AND TO ALL ASSEMBLED -- I'M SORRY I
COULDN'T BE THERE IN PERSON -- BUT THEY TELL ME I LOOK
BIGGER THIS WAY, ANYWAY. \\\

[[AND AFTER THE THYROID TROUBLE, THIS WAY YOU'RE
ALL PROTECTED FROM THAT DOSE OF RADIOACTIVE IODINE I
TOOK. GOOD NEWS -- MY GARAGE DOOR NO LONGER FLIES UP.
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WELL, EVEN AT A DISTANCE, IT'S A PLEASURE TO OFFER
A FEW WORDS TO A GROUP VITAL TO OUR NATION'S WELLBEING.
BY MEETING THREE-QUARTERS OF THIS NATION'S ELECTRICITY
NEEDS SAFELY AND RELIABLY, YOU HELP SUSTAIN OUR
STANDARD OF LIVING, AND -- QUITE LITERALLY -- FUEL OUR
LONG-TERM ECONOMIC GROWTH.

AS YOU KNOW, INCREASING ELECTRICITY USE IN THE U.S. ECONOMY PROMOTES BOTH OUR ECONOMIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL INTERESTS. JUST LOOK AT THE EVIDENCE: IN SPITE OF RAPID ECONOMIC GROWTH, WE USE ABOUT 30 PERCENT LESS ENERGY PER UNIT OF G.N.P. NOW THAN WE DID JUST 20 YEARS AGO. THANKS TO THE EVER-GREATER EFFICIENCIES BY YOUR INDUSTRY AND BY CUSTOMERS, AMERICA DOES MORE, DOES IT BETTER, AND DOES IT WITH LESS. AND WE WILL DO EVEN MORE AND EVEN BETTER FOR THE REST OF THIS DECADE AND INTO THE NEXT CENTURY.

I DON'T BELIEVE WE FACE A STARK CHOICE BETWEEN A STRONG ECONOMY ON THE ONE HAND, AND EFFICIENT ENERGY USE ON THE OTHER. BY THE YEAR 2010, OUR ECONOMY WILL GROW BY NEARLY 80 PERCENT, ADDING JOBS FOR MILLIONS OF AMERICANS. YET THE AMOUNT OF ENERGY NEEDED TO CREATE A UNIT OF GNP WILL FALL BY MORE THAN 20 PERCENT. BUT WE WON'T ACHIEVE EFFICIENCY BY IMPOSING NEW GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS. NO, WE WILL BECOME MORE EFFICIENT BECAUSE OF THE POWER OF THE FREE MARKET AND THE INGENUITY OF YOUR ENGINEERS AND SCIENTISTS.

OUR NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGY MAKES AMPLE ROOM FOR EVEN GREATER "ENERGY, EFFICIENCY, AND INGENUITY" BY YOUR INDUSTRY. THE SENATE ENERGY COMMITTEE, WITH THE LEADERSHIP OF SENATORS JOHNSTON AND WALLOP, HAS DONE AN EXCELLENT JOB WITH THE LEGISLATION NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THAT STRATEGY. I UNDERSTAND HENSON MOORE HAS GONE OVER THE DETAILS OF THAT LEGISLATION, AND I THINK THE BILL DEMONSTRATES A GENUINE BIPARTISAN COMMITMENT TO BALANCED, REALISTIC AND COMPREHENSIVE ENERGY LEGISLATION.

I'M PARTICULARLY PLEASED THAT LEGISLATION DOES NOT RELY ON HEAVY-HANDED REGULATIONS, SUCH AS HIGHER CAFE LEVELS OR IMPORT FEES, WHICH WOULD COST AMERICAN JOBS AND HURT AMERICAN CONSUMERS. THE RIGHT LEGISLATION CAN HELP ENSURE AN ENERGY FUTURE IN WHICH WE GENERATE MORE ENERGY CLEANLY AND EFFICIENTLY -- A FUTURE IN WHICH PRODUCERS AND CONSUMERS WILL ENJOY UNPRECEDENTED CHOICE AND FLEXIBILITY.

SO THROUGH THE PASSAGE OF THIS LEGISLATION -- AND WITH YOUR CONTINUED EFFORTS -- WE'RE CERTAIN TO MEET AMERICA'S ENERGY NEEDS IN THE YEARS AHEAD: AFFORDABLY, CLEANLY AND SECURELY.

AND NOW I THINK WE HAVE TIME FOR A COUPLE OF QUESTIONS.

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HARLOW: MR. PRESIDENT, THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR REMARKS. I WOULD LIKE TO INTRODUCE THE PRESIDENT OF THE EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE, TOM KUHN AT THIS TIME.

KUHN: MR. PRESIDENT, OUR INDUSTRY IS PROUD TO HAVE SUPPORTED YOU IN OPERATION DESERT STORM AND RECENTLY ON THE MEXICAN FREE-TRADE AGREEMENT. YOU HAVE THOUSANDS OF FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS IN THIS AUDITORIUM, AND WE WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS OUR HEARTFELT APPRECIATION FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP ON ENERGY ISSUES AND FOR THE GREAT JOB YOU ARE DOING AS OUR PRESIDENT. NOW I'D LIKE TO ASK YOU A COUPLE OF SHORT QUESTIONS, IF I MAY.

QUESTION:

MR. PRESIDENT -- WE ARE CONCERNED THAT DEBATE IN THE CONGRESS CONTINUES TO FOCUS ON BROAD-BASED ENERGY TAXES AS A MEANS OF RAISING NEW REVENUES.

WOULD YOU GIVE US YOUR VIEWS ON THE ADVISABILITY AND THE LIKELIHOOD OF BROAD-BASED ENERGY TAXES, NOT JUST GASOLINE TAXES, IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE?

RESPONSE:

THIS IS A TWO-PART QUESTION. IN THE FIRST PLACE, LET ME SIMPLY SAY THAT ANY NEW FEDERAL SPENDING PROGRAMS SHOULD BE PAID FOR WITH CUTS IN OTHER FEDERAL SPENDING, NOT TAX INCREASES. THE BEST THING ABOUT LAST FALL'S CONTROVERSIAL BUDGET AGREEMENT IS IT PUTS CAPS ON SPENDING. IF AN EXPENSIVE NEW SPENDING PROGRAM IS PROPOSED, CONGRESS MUST FIND WAYS TO OFFSET SUCH A PROGRAM BY REDUCTIONS ELSEWHERE.

SECONDLY, WE ALREADY HAD ONE ENERGY FEE -- AN INCREASE IN THE GAS TAX OF 5 CENTS -- IN LAST FALL'S BUDGET AGREEMENT. I DO NOT FAVOR ANY ADDITIONAL TAXES BEYOND THAT. AND WE SPECIFICALLY REJECTED THIS OPTION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF OUR NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGY.

QUESTION:

MR. PRESIDENT -- WE VERY MUCH APPRECIATE YOUR
SUPPORT FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES, BOTH TO REDUCE OUR
DEPENDENCE ON OIL AND TO BENEFIT THE ENVIRONMENT. YOUR
EXPERIENCE WITH ELECTRIC VEHICLES HAS LARGELY BEEN ON
THE GOLF COURSE, WHERE WE UNDERSTAND YOU PLAY IN RECORD
TIME.

DID YOU KNOW THAT NEW ELECTRIC VEHICLES CAN NOW GO
OVER 60 MILES AN HOUR FOR SUSTAINED PERIODS OF TIME --
AND WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN TAKING A RIDE ON ONE?

RESPONSE:

WELL, TOM, GIVEN MY HABITS WITH GOLF CARTS, THE
INTERESTS OF NATIONAL SECURITY SUGGEST THAT NOBODY
SHOULD LET ME NEAR ONE OF THOSE. STILL, WE MIGHT BE
ABLE TO GET AWAY WITH IT, IF YOU COULD HAVE THEM BUILD
ME A STEALTH MODEL. \\\

IN ANY CASE, WE ARE EXCITED ABOUT THE PROSPECTS FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND THE INDUSTRY IS MAKING A SUBSTANTIAL COMMITMENT TO BRING THEM TO THE MARKETPLACE MORE QUICKLY. THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY IS WORKING WITH A CONSORTIUM OF THE BIG THREE AUTO COMPANIES AND THE ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY -- TO DEVELOP NEW BATTERIES THAT WILL INCREASE PERFORMANCE, REDUCE COSTS AND REDUCE WASTE.

IN FACT, THIS YEAR ALONE WE WILL BE SPENDING \$30 MILLION ON ELECTRIC VEHICLE DEVELOPMENT, AND WE'VE PROPOSED A 40 PERCENT INCREASE IN THE NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THIS AREA.

LISTEN, THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR ATTENTION -- AND NOW I'LL LET THE CAMERA PEOPLE TURN OFF ALL THESE LIGHTS. THANK YOU ALL.

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR MEETING WITH
THE CABINET ON U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

- I WANTED TO REVIEW WITH YOU RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE USSR, PARTICULARLY THE ECONOMIC RELATIONSHIP.

ARMS CONTROL; MIDDLE EAST

- WE'VE RESOLVED OUR DIFFERENCES OVER THE CFE TREATY, AND I WANT TO GO TO MOSCOW FOR A BILATERAL SUMMIT.
- BUT FIRST WE NEED TO WORK OUT OUR REMAINING DIFFERENCES ON START. WE'LL BE GOING BACK TO THE SOVIETS SOON IN ORDER TO GET THAT PROCESS MOVING.
- JIM BAKER CAN TELL YOU ABOUT HIS WORK WITH BESSMERTNYKH IN THE MIDDLE EAST

PEACE PROCESS. THE SOVIETS HAVE PLAYED A CONSTRUCTIVE ROLE THERE.

ECONOMIC ISSUES

- AS YOU KNOW, THE SOVIETS ARE NOW ACTIVELY SEEKING OUR SUPPORT FOR THEIR REFORM PROGRAMS. I WANT TO BE HELPFUL --I'VE TOLD GORBACHEV THAT -- BUT THE QUESTION IS HOW TO DO IT.
- I SENT OVER A TEAM OF AGRICULTURAL EXPERTS TO LOOK AT THE FOOD DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM. THEY HAD A GOOD MEETING WITH GORBACHEV AND WE'VE AGREED TO MOVE AHEAD ON JOINT PROGRAMS TO ACCELERATE MARKET REFORMS IN FOOD DISTRIBUTION.
- GORBACHEV SENT A TEAM LED BY PRESIDENTIAL ADVISOR EVGENYI PRIMAKOV, AND INCLUDING THE REFORM ECONOMIST GREGORIY YAVLINSKY, TO DISCUSS THEIR REFORMS AND POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE FROM US.

-- MIKE BOSKIN HEADED OUR TEAM, WHICH MET WITH THEM FOR TWO DAYS LAST WEEK, AND THEN I MET WITH BOTH TEAMS ON FRIDAY.

-- THE SOVIETS HAVE COME A LONG WAY IN THE LAST FEW YEARS. THEY UNDERSTAND NOW THAT THEY MUST GO TO A MARKET ECONOMY.

-- BUT THEIR CURRENT PLANS RELY TOO HEAVILY ON COMMANDS TO GET THEM TO A MARKET.

-- GREGORIY YAVLINSKY HAS BEEN ASKED BY GORBACHEV TO WORK OUT A STEP-BY-STEP PLAN BETWEEN THE USSR AND THE G-7 IN WHICH THEY WOULD COMMIT TO A MORE RADICAL APPROACH THAN THE CURRENT ONE, AND THE G-7 WOULD BE FORTHCOMING WITH MATERIAL ASSISTANCE. WE SHOULD BE HEARING MORE THIS WEEK ABOUT HIS PLAN.

-- WE'VE TOLD THE SOVIETS THAT WE'RE WILLING TO LISTEN, BUT THAT IT SIMPLY ISN'T REALISTIC TO EXPECT BIG MONEY UP FRONT. IT HAS TO BE A STEP-BY-STEP PROCESS IN WHICH WE ARE CONVINCED THEY ARE COMMITTED TO QUICKLY GO TO A MARKET ECONOMY.

-- JIM BAKER ALSO MADE IT CLEAR TO PRIMAKOV IN THEIR MEETING THAT THE POLITICAL CONTEXT IS CRUCIAL. AID TO CUBA, DEFENSE SPENDING, AND THE BALTICS ALL MUST BE CONSIDERATIONS FOR US.

-- THIS REQUEST FROM THE SOVIETS IS AN ENORMOUS OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO BE HELPFUL AND TO SUPPORT REFORMS. WE'LL NEED TO GO INTO THE G-7 SUMMIT WITH A WELL THOUGHT-OUT POSITION ON WHAT WE CAN DO SO THAT WE CAN TALK ABOUT IT TO OUR ALLIES (AND PROBABLY TO GORBACHEV).

-- AS WE EXPLORE THESE NEW OPPORTUNITIES, I AM
DELIGHTED THAT BOB STRAUSS HAS AGREED TO SERVE
AS AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW. HIS INSIGHTS AND
ADVICE WILL BE HIGHLY VALUED AT THIS CRITICAL
PERIOD.

2:00pm / CABINET ROOM

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I'M TAKING THIS SOMEWHAT UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY TO LET
YOU KNOW THAT ATTORNEY GENERAL THORNBURGH HAS INFORMED
ME THAT HE EXPECTS TO BECOME A CANDIDATE FOR THE U.S.
SENATE FROM PENNSYLVANIA. AT MY REQUEST, HOWEVER, I AM
PLEASED THAT THIS OUTSTANDING ATTORNEY GENERAL AND
PERSONAL FRIEND HAS AGREED TO REMAIN IN OFFICE THROUGH
AT LEAST THE END OF JULY.

WE HAVE ALSO DISCUSSED THE KEY LEGISLATIVE ISSUES NOW BEFORE THE CONGRESS THAT ARE SO IMPORTANT TO THE ADMINISTRATION AND TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. DICK HAS AGREED TO CONTINUE TO HELP PUSH FOR THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL, THE CRIME BILL, AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT.

I WANT TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY -- BEFORE THE
CABINET -- TO THANK DICK THORNBURGH FOR HIS OUTSTANDING
RECORD AS ATTORNEY GENERAL, AND FOR HIS SOUND ADVICE AS
LEGAL ADVISOR TO TWO PRESIDENTS. WE WILL MISS YOUR
WISDOM AND YOUR SUPPORT, DICK. THAT'S WHY WE CAN'T LET
YOU GO FOR A WHILE.

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2:00 pm.

TALKING POINTS FOR THE CABINET MEETING
June 4, 1991

I. PRAYER

- o Secretary Alexander

II. INTRODUCTION

A. Fast Track Vote

- o Before we begin today I wanted to take a moment to thank everyone here for your tireless work in helping us get fast track extension through the Congress last month. I know that Carla and Bob are with Nick Brady in Paris for the OECD meeting this week and, of course, their leadership on this issue was tremendous. But I understand that many of you were also working the phones or were up on the Hill gathering support for free trade, and I wanted to let you know that your efforts made a difference, and I am grateful to everyone for it.

B. Enterprise for the Americas Initiative

- o Fast track is only one of several important pieces of legislation affecting our hemisphere. We also have important legislation pending in the Congress to implement the Enterprise for the Americas initiative (EAI), which we launched last June 27.
- o Reaction to the EAI in Latin America and the Caribbean is overwhelmingly positive. As you know, there has been a real improvement in the quality of our relationship with our hemispheric neighbors.

- o With the first anniversary of EAI coming up, I would like to make a strong effort to get this legislation passed.
- o Treasury has the lead in this legislative effort. Nick has done a terrific job to date in shepherding it through a very complex legislative maze. This is a Presidential initiative, and I want all the relevant agencies and departments to work closely with Treasury to get this legislation passed as quickly as possible.

C. Bill Webster's Retirement

- o I also wanted to say a word or two about the retirement of Bill Webster, which I announced just a few weeks ago. Bill's career of public service -- first as judge, then as FBI Director and most recently as Director of Central Intelligence -- has been extraordinarily impressive. In his current post, he has enhanced our intelligence gathering capability, which proved so vital during the conflict in the Gulf. I speak for everyone in saying how much we will miss his sense of professionalism, his shrewd judgment and his wise counsel.

III. REPORT ON THE SOVIET UNION, THE MIDDLE EAST AND CHINA'S MOST FAVORED NATION STATUS [Jim Baker]

- o Our first agenda item today will be a report from Jim Baker on several crucial international issues: the Soviet Union, the Middle East and China.
- o [Talking points on Soviet Union to be provided by NSC.]

- o Things continue to be busy on the Middle East front. We are making real progress in the refugee situation; Dick is in the region working on security arrangements; we now have our arms control initiative out in the open; Kuwait has pledged to hold elections next year; and, of course we are delighted that thousands of Falashas are now safe in Israel. So there is progress being made.
- o I'd like Jim to fill us in on where things stand with the peace process after his meetings in Lisbon with the Soviet and Syrian foreign ministers. For my part, I just want to stress that I am as determined as ever to see this through and get to the direct negotiations we have long sought.

- o On MFN status for China, I believe each of you has received a copy of the Heritage Foundation newsletter clearly presenting the case for supporting MFN status, which I elaborated on in my speech at Yale.
- o We will have a tough fight in the Congress on the MFN issue. I hope to sustain MFN without adding conditions.
- o I am absolutely committed to taking the long view of China and MFN. Our involvement there is in the long-term national interest. It is a policy that I am convinced will bring change. Just look at the change in China over the past decade.

- o I hope you will also have your people pull together in this effort. We should not be drawn into any debate about accepting conditionality on MFN.
- o Now I'll turn to Jim for a more detailed report.
- o Brent, anything you want to add?

IV. UPDATE ON THE CIVIL RIGHTS LEGISLATION [Dick Thornburgh]

- o For our next agenda item I'm going to turn to Dick Thornburgh for a report on the Civil Rights Bill, which is going to a vote this week. Let me repeat here what I have said publicly: our Administration has a strong record on defending civil rights. Of course, there are some who want to use this legislation to divide the country, to politicize the issue. But I'll say once more that I want to sign a civil rights bill, but one that will not encourage more litigation and foster a quota system that I believe would be the inevitable result of the Democratic version on the table. Dick, why don't you give us your report?

- o Boyden, would you like to mention anything else?

V. **REPORT ON THE CRIME BILL** [Dick Thornburgh]

- o We are rapidly approaching the 100 day mark since I last addressed a joint session of Congress, so I'm going to ask Dick to update us on the progress of our Crime Bill. Today is day 90, I believe, and Congress is still not moving on our bill.

- o We are also trying to get our Surface Transportation Act Reauthorization, and I know we are running into some difficulties on that. The Senate may take up a transportation bill soon, but I understand we have some real problems with it. But we will persist so that we can get our highway bill through Congress.
- o What is the latest on the Crime Bill, Dick?

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AGENDA

**CABINET MEETING
June 4, 1991**

- 1. Prayer**
(Secretary Alexander)
- 2. Report on the Soviet Union, the Middle East and China's Most Favored Nation Status**
(Secretary Baker)
- 3. Update on the Civil Rights Legislation**
(Attorney General Thornburgh)
- 4. Update on the Crime Bill**
(Attorney General Thornburgh)

STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

JUNE 4, 1991

I AM DELIGHTED TO ANNOUNCE MY INTENTION TO NOMINATE
AN OLD FRIEND AND AN EXPERIENCED DIPLOMAT, ROBERT
STRAUSS, TO BE OUR NEXT AMBASSADOR TO THE SOVIET UNION.

BOB STRAUSS HAS TAKEN ON DIFFICULT AND DELICATE
ASSIGNMENTS IN THE PAST FOR PRESIDENTS OF BOTH PARTIES.
I KNOW HE IS THE RIGHT MAN TO REPRESENT THE UNITED
STATES IN THIS PERIOD OF CHANGE IN THE SOVIET UNION.

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AT THIS MOMENT, WE ARE CONSIDERING ANY NUMBER OF
IDEAS TO HELP FOSTER DEMOCRATIC REFORM AND ECONOMIC
CHANGE IN THE SOVIET UNION.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE STATUS OF EAST-WEST RELATIONS IS
BEING REDEFINED BY THE EMERGING DEMOCRACIES OF EASTERN
EUROPE AND BY PRESIDENT GORBACHEV.

WE HAVE AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN ^{Leading}~~MEETING~~ AND DEFINING A
NEW WORLD ORDER IN WHICH THE UNITED STATES AND THE
SOVIET UNION CONTINUE TO WORK COOPERATIVELY FOR THE
BETTERMENT OF MANKIND.

I CAN THINK OF NO ONE MORE QUALIFIED OR MORE TALENTED
TO BE MY REPRESENTATIVE TO THE SOVIET UNION DURING THIS
IMPORTANT PERIOD.

BOB, I THANK YOU FOR ACCEPTING THIS CHALLENGE AND
LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU IN THE DAYS AHEAD.

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May 31, 1991

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS FOR
FALASHA DEPARTURE FROM ETHIOPIA

DATE: June 4, 1991

LOCATION: Oval Office/Rose Garden

TIME: 3:15 p.m.

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT *BS*

I. PURPOSE

To recognize the success of Senator Boschwitz' mission in securing the departure of more than 14,000 Ethiopian Jews from Ethiopia, and to present Presidential awards to the Senator, Deputy Assistant Secretary for African Affairs Irvin Hicks, NSC Africa Director Robert C. Frasure, and Robert G. Houdek, charge d'affaires of our Embassy in Addis Ababa.

II. BACKGROUND

Former Senator Boschwitz travelled to Addis Ababa as a special Presidential emissary on April 26-27 to secure the release of Ethiopian Jews whose departure was being held up by the Mengistu regime, and whose future appeared in peril in view of the deteriorating security situation in the final days of Mengistu's rule. Boschwitz was accompanied by Deputy Assistant Secretary Hicks and Robert Frasure, who had served for two years at our embassy in Ethiopia.

Boschwitz carried a Presidential letter to Mengistu making a humanitarian appeal to allow the Jews to depart. The delegation succeeded in getting Mengistu's consent, contingent on our hosting a meeting for insurgent and government leaders to discuss a peaceful transition. Following Mengistu's subsequent departure into exile, a second Presidential letter to Acting President Tesfaye Gebre-Kidan pressed the Ethiopians to complete the emigration process before the planned roundtable conference in London. The airlift was ultimately accomplished, largely via Israeli aircraft, over the weekend of May 24, carrying more than 14,000 Falashas to new lives in Israel.

The Ethiopian roundtable, which took place May 27-28 under U.S. chairmanship, coincided with the final collapse of the regime. The meeting concluded with issuance of a statement

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which recognized that the predominantly Tigrayan Democratic Front had assumed state responsibility in Addis Ababa for now, but committed the EPLF (the Eritreans), the OLF (Omoros) the Democratic Front, and other groups to meet again in Addis in June to discuss the transition and formation of a broad-based provisional government.

ISSUES

Your public remarks should focus on Senator Boschwitz' success in making possible one of the boldest humanitarian airlifts in history. The successful evacuation of the bulk of Ethiopia's remaining Jewish population resolved a longstanding issue which had been of acute concern to both Israel and the American Jewish community. We need to emphasize, however, that our interest in Ethiopia goes beyond Falashas, and that we will do whatever we can to encourage peace and democracy in that tragic country.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See participants list at Tab B.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE

Meeting in the Oval Office followed by presentation of awards in the Rose Garden (Presidential Citizens Medal to Senator Boschwitz, Special Awards for Exceptional Service to Hicks, Frasure and Houdek. Mrs. Mary Houdek will accept the award on behalf of her husband who is still in Addis Ababa).

Attachments

Tab A	Points to be Made
Tab B	Participants List

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TAB A

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS FOR
FALASHA DEPARTURE FROM ETHIOPIA

- I have just had the satisfaction of expressing my appreciation to Senator Rudy Boschwitz and a team of American diplomats who made possible a humanitarian rescue mission of heroic proportions. Their efforts set the stage for an airlift over the weekend of May 24 which brought freedom for one of history's most remarkable peoples -- the Ethiopian Jews.
- As civil war escalated in that country earlier this year, prospects for the Falashas' departure to Israel were jeopardized and their future security looked increasingly in question. In April, as insurgent forces closed in on the capital, I asked Senator Boschwitz to go to Addis Ababa urgently as my personal emissary, to seek to arrange the expedited departure of the Ethiopian Jews.
- Events since Senator Boschwitz' trip have unfolded with dazzling speed. Thanks to him and his colleagues, arrangements were put in place between Israel and Ethiopia for one of the most boldest humanitarian airlifts in history. It succeeded -- in less than twenty-four hours -- in carrying more than 14,000 Ethiopian Jews to new lives in Israel.
- The London roundtable chaired by the U.S. resulted in a joint declaration by the Ethiopian combatants, who have

agreed to organize an all-parties conference to select a transitional government. We view that decision as a commitment to a democratic process, and hope that all Ethiopian political parties and groups will take advantage of this opportunity to help build a pluralistic future for their country.

-- In recognition of his extraordinary efforts to arrange for the evacuation of the Falashas at the crucial moment during this period of dramatic political change in Ethiopia, I am today awarding Senator Boschwitz the Presidential Citizens Medal. At the same time, I am presenting Special Awards for Exceptional Service to three individuals who made up the Senator's courageous diplomatic team: Irvin Hicks, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, Robert C. Frasure, Director of African Affairs at the National Security Council, and Robert G. Houdek, our charge d'affaires of our Embassy in Addis Ababa. Mrs. Mary Houdek is accepting the award on behalf of her husband who is still in Ethiopia.

-- I salute the contribution which all of them made to this tremendous success in removing the Ethiopian Jews from harm's way and reuniting them with their loved ones in Israel. I also salute your efforts to bring peace and democracy to Ethiopia, a troubled country with which we feel a special kinship.

TAB B

PARTICIPANTS

Oval Office

The President

The Vice President

James A. Baker, III, Secretary of State

John H. Sununu, Chief of Staff

Brent Scowcroft, Assistant to the President and National Security Advisor

Robert M. Gates, Assistant to the President and Deputy National Security Advisor

Rudy Boschwitz, Presidential Emissary to Ethiopia

Herman J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs

Irvin Hicks, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs

Robert C. Frasure, NSC Director for African Affairs

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PRESIDENT BUSH

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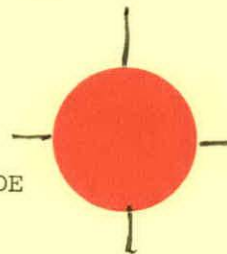
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Congressman Frank Riggs (R-CA)	9:51 - out of ofc - L.W. 12:10 - returned our call
Congressman Dick Zimmer (R-NJ)	L.W. <i>NO!!</i>
Congresswoman Nancy Johnson (R-CT)	L.W. <i>will help but on final pass after conf on her</i>
Congressman Earl Hutto. (D-FL)	✓ T gripe about <i>don't count on her</i>
Congressman Carl Pursett (R-MI)	✓ T non count 12:55
<i>Ralph Regula</i>	L.W. - roc
<i>Jan Meyers</i>	✓ OK will vote for Michael and vs others
	<i>Woun groups up on Mex City - other issues</i>

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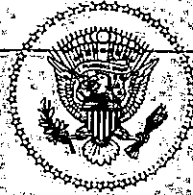
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DATE:

6-4-91

TIME:

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incoming/outgoing

WITH:

Marty Russo

SUBJECT:

Fresh Amendment

will vote "No" on anything

Thompson not follow up
on letter

Geo. Sanymerber "maybe"
go with us. -

FOLLOW UP:

to reported this
to Fred - said
keep it quiet

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

91 JUN -4 PM 12:06

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Ralph Regula (R-OH)

DATE: June 4, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure 

PURPOSE: To encourage Congressman Regula to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congressman Regula is undecided about whether to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise." He voted for the Kennedy/Hawkins bill last year, so getting him to switch would be a key addition to our ranks. We need some Members to switch in order to offset losses from last November's election as well as to counter potential Democratic vote switches.

KEY POINTS:

- I'm calling about a matter of extreme importance to me. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.
- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. I'd ask you to take into serious consideration the game the Democratic Leadership is playing. It's obvious they're writing their bill with the sole intention of getting a "veto-proof" bill. Unfortunately, this has become more about power politics than it is about writing a good civil rights bill.
- I'd hate to see our Republicans get caught up in that strategy of getting a "veto-proof" bill.

- I want to sign a good civil rights bill and I've got one up there. Unfortunately, it doesn't look like it'll get enough votes to pass. So I've got to make sure we've got enough votes to stop the Brooks/Fish bill. I'm convinced that the best way we have of getting a good civil rights bill is to show that we have the votes to sustain a veto. That's the only thing that will bring the Democratic Leadership to the bargaining table in good faith.
- Can I count on your help?

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ACTION:

Do you think Senate will come out.

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Don't know

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

91 JUN -3 PM 5:26

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Frank Riggs (R-CA)

DATE: June 3, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure *FM*

PURPOSE: To encourage Congressman Riggs to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congressman Riggs is undecided about whether to support the Brooks/Fish bill. We need his commitment to vote against the bill.

KEY POINTS: Congressman Riggs' predecessor, former Congressman Doug Bosco (D-CA), voted for the Kennedy-Hawkins bill last year. If Riggs votes against the Brooks/Fish bill, this would mean a net gain of one vote, which is necessary to offset other switches and the election losses of Members who supported the Administration's position last year.

Riggs may be persuaded by the power politics argument -- that the Democratic leadership is more concerned with drafting a "veto-proof" bill than they are with writing a good civil rights bill.

KEY POINTS: -- I wish we could have had more of a chance to talk last week, so I wanted to follow up with a telephone call. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.

-- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. I'd ask you to take into serious consideration the game the Democratic Leadership is playing. It's obvious they're writing their bill with the sole intention of getting a "veto-proof" bill.

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-- I want to sign a good civil rights bill and I've got one up there. Unfortunately, it doesn't look like it'll get enough votes to stop the Brooks/Fish bill. I'm convinced that the best way we have of getting a good civil rights bill is to show that we have the votes to sustain a veto. That's the only thing that will bring the Democratic leadership to the bargaining table in good faith.

-- Can I count on your help?

ACTION:

With you all the way.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

91 JUN -3 PM 5:24

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congresswoman Nancy Johnson (R-CT)

DATE: June 3, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure 

PURPOSE: To seek Congresswoman Johnson's support for your civil rights bill and oppose the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congresswoman Johnson is indicating that she may vote both for your bill and for the Brooks/Fish "compromise." We need her to vote against Brooks/Fish.

KEY POINTS: Last year, Johnson voted for the Kennedy-Hawkins bill. One of her main reasons was that she thought she needed to give then-Congressman John Rowland (R-CT) political cover in his race for Governor.

That is no longer a factor, and switching her to our position on final passage this year would be very significant. This year Congressman Gary Franks (R-CT) opposes Brooks/Fish and supports your bill. Since he is a freshman Member who is also from Connecticut, that may have an impact on her.

Stressing party loyalty and the fact that the House Democrats are drafting their bill with the intention of getting a veto-proof majority could be effective. She can be persuaded that the best way to get a good civil rights bill is by showing that we have the strength to stop a bad civil rights bill from passing.

KEY POINTS: -- I wish we could have had more of a chance to talk last Thursday, so I wanted to follow up with a telephone call. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.

-- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. I'd ask you to take into serious consideration the game the Democratic Leadership is playing. It's obvious they're writing their bill with the sole intention of getting a "veto-proof" bill. Unfortunately, this has become more about power politics than it is about writing a good civil rights bill.

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-- I want to sign a good civil rights bill and I've got one up there. Unfortunately, it doesn't look like it'll get enough votes to stop the Brooks/Fish bill. I'm convinced that the best way we have of getting a good civil rights bill is to show that we have the votes to sustain a veto. That's the only thing that will bring the Democratic leadership to the bargaining table in good faith.

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ACTION:

pledged to see *Bar want to see for*
Steve Pierce

1) Deep Seated
Concern on
"Gag Rule"

2) Bad for
Women -
Abortion

3) Fetal Tissue
Research - Please
Go back to Pro-Life
position that permitted me to do

*Voted for Rep substitute
hard to run state-wide with
'No' vote*

*I bridle at their not vote
want you to have place at
table in Conference*

*Might not vote with
you after Conference*

that permitted me to do

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91 JUN -3 PM 5:26

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Wayne Gilchrest (R-MD)

DATE: June 3, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure 

PURPOSE: To encourage Congressman Gilchrest to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congressman Riggs is undecided on whether to oppose the Brooks/Fish bill. We need his commitment to vote against the bill.

KEY POINTS: Gilchrest's predecessor, former Congressman Roy Dyson (D-MD) voted for the Kennedy-Hawkins bill last year. If Gilchrest votes against the Brooks/Fish bill, this would mean a net gain of one vote, which is necessary to offset other switches and the election losses of Members who supported the Administration's position last year.

Gilchrest may be persuaded by the power politics argument -- that the Democratic leadership is more concerned with drafting a "veto-proof" bill than they are with writing a good civil rights bill.

KEY POINTS: -- I'm calling about a matter of extreme importance to me. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.

-- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. I'd ask you to take into serious consideration the game the Democratic Leadership is playing. It's obvious they're writing their bill with the sole intention of getting a "veto-proof" bill. Unfortunately, this has become more about power politics than it is about writing a good civil rights bill. I'd hate to see our Republicans get caught up in that strategy of getting a "veto-proof" bill.

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-- Can I count on your help?

ACTION:

*Thanked him for
his support.*

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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Earl Hutto (D-FL)

DATE: June 3, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure *fm*

PURPOSE: To encourage Congressman Hutto to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congressman Hutto is leaning toward voting for the Brooks/Fish "compromise." He voted against Kennedy-Hawkins last year, so losing his vote would represent a switch against us this year. }

{ Hutto was one of the dozen Democrats who consistently voted with us on the three key civil rights votes last year. He is saying that he is attracted by the Brooks/Fish "compromise."

{ In reality, he may be trying to send us a message. Last year, he was very concerned that some members of the Administration, such as Vice President Quayle, went to his district to campaign against him. Should that be the case, there is only so much we can do with Hutto if that is his reason. However, his vote is of such significance that it is worth an appeal to him on good public policy grounds.

KEY POINTS: -- I'm calling about a matter of extreme importance to me. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.

{ -- Last year, you were one of the few Democrats who stuck with me on vote after vote on this issue. I deeply appreciate that. We kept a bad bill from becoming law.

-- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. Unfortunately, we're back in the same position we were in last year. Don't be fooled by the label "compromise." What really happened this year is that the civil rights groups pushed a bill that was far to the left of the one I vetoed last year. Then they made some changes that they claim were "compromises" and moved the bill back toward the middle. In reality, the Brooks/Fish bill is even worse in some respects than last year's Kennedy/Hawkins bill. For example, this year they've included a "comparable worth" provision. And in their attempt to outlaw quotas, they've actually managed to legitimize them.

-- I'll be the first to admit that this issue has become too politicized. I want to sign a good civil rights bill into law, and you want to vote for one. That's why I'd be proud to sign the Michel bill -- last year's LaFalce substitute -- into law.

-- Unfortunately it doesn't look like there are enough votes to pass the Michel bill so we have to concentrate on stopping Brooks/Fish. I know you're operating with the best of motives and want to vote for a bill that can be signed.

-- But I need your help to do that. I'd appreciate it if you could stick with me just a little longer and vote against the Brooks bill.

ACTION:

1. voted with you last yr
2. will vote vs Schroeder
3. " " for Michel
4. not sure on This Vote Fish

Last Campaign Quayle campaigned
vs me yet I'm strongest supporter
EH said he was told

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WASHINGTON

91 JUN -3 PM 5:26

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Dick Zimmer (R-NJ)

DATE: June 3, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure

PURPOSE: To encourage Congressman Zimmer to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congressman Zimmer is leaning toward voting for the Brooks/Fish bill. We need his commitment to vote against the bill.

KEY POINTS: Zimmer's predecessor, former Congressman Jim Courter (R-NJ), voted against the Kennedy-Hawkins bill last year. Losing Zimmer would represent a vote switch against us, which we cannot afford at this point.

Zimmer may be persuaded by the power politics argument---that the Democratic leadership is more concerned with drafting a "veto-proof" bill than they are with writing a good civil rights bill.

KEY POINTS: -- I wish we could have had more of a chance to talk last week, so I wanted to follow up with a telephone call. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.

-- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. I'd ask you to take into serious consideration the game the Democratic Leadership is playing. It's obvious they're writing their bill with the sole intention of getting a "veto-proof" bill. Unfortunately, this has become more about power politics than it is about writing a good civil rights bill.

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-- Can I count on your help?

ACTION:

① Let me tell you why I can't
last year

a vote for Michel

But will be for K - Henkens
continued

" If there is quota bill
so is yours "

Frank

NO

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91 JUN -3 PM 5:24

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Carl Pursell (R-MI)

DATE: June 3, 1991

RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure *fm*

PURPOSE: To encourage Congressman Pursell to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: Congressman Pursell is undecided about whether to support the Brooks/Fish bill. We need his commitment to vote against the bill.

KEY POINTS:

Last year, Pursell voted for the Kennedy-Hawkins conference report, although he had voted against the bill on final passage. He has since told some of his colleagues privately that voting for the conference report was a big mistake, and that he now understands the political game the civil rights groups are playing. If Pursell votes against the Brooks/Fish bill, this would mean a net gain of one vote, which is needed to offset other switches and the election losses of Members who supported the Administration's position last year.

The fact that other key Michigan Republicans, such as Congressmen Bill Broomfield and Fred Upton, are planning to vote against Brooks/Fish may be important to him.

Pursell may be persuaded by the power politics argument -- that the Democratic leadership is more concerned with drafting a "veto-proof" bill than they are with writing a good civil rights bill.

KEY POINTS:

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-- Can I count on your help?

ACTION:

① see what you can do!!
How's

Non-committal

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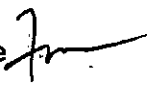
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RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congresswoman Jan Meyers (R-KS)

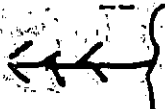
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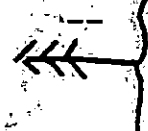
RECOMMENDED BY: Fred McClure 

PURPOSE: To encourage Congresswoman Meyers to vote against the Brooks/Fish "compromise" civil rights bill.

BACKGROUND: }  Congresswoman Meyers is leaning toward supporting the Brooks/Fish "compromise." However, some business groups reported yesterday that she may be heading back in our direction. She voted for the Kennedy/Hawkins bill, so getting her to switch would be a key addition to our ranks. We need some Members to switch in order to offset losses from last November's election as well as to counter potential Democratic vote switches.

KEY POINTS: } --- I'm calling about a matter of extreme importance to me. I'll be blunt: I need your help with this civil rights issue.

 --- I know you're wrestling with how to vote on the Brooks/Fish bill. I'd ask you to take into serious consideration the game the Democratic Leadership is playing. It's obvious they're writing their bill with the sole intention of getting a "veto-proof" bill. Unfortunately, this has become more about power politics than it is about writing a good civil rights bill. }

 --- I'd hate to see our Republicans get caught up in that strategy of getting a "veto-proof" bill.

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- I want to sign a good civil rights bill and I've got one up there. Unfortunately, it doesn't look like it'll get enough votes to pass. So I've got to make sure we've got enough votes to stop the Brooks/Fish bill. I'm convinced that the best way we have of getting a good civil rights bill is to show that we have the votes to sustain a veto. That's the only thing that will bring the Democratic Leadership to the bargaining table in good faith.
- Can I count on your help?

ACTION:

Pleased to hear from
you

"Yes" on Micht - "No" on others

Lots of work to do -
women

if we could do something
on Title 10, see it as
Fair Planning issue not
Abortion issue

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR
TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH
PRESIDENT OZAL

FYI: According to Ambassador Abramowitz, Ozal is calling to ask you to add Istanbul to your itinerary for the trip to Turkey in mid-July. We told the Turks and Greeks last week that our preference was to visit Ankara and Athens only. If you agree to visit Istanbul, the Greeks will most likely ask you to add Crete (where Mitsotakis has a home) to the schedule for Greece.

-- Turgut, it is good to hear from you again. I understand you are in Paris.

-- I want to say first how pleased I am that we have been able to agree on my visit for mid-July after the Economic summit.

-- As you know, I will be the first U.S. President in 32 years to visit Turkey and I am looking forward to it.

-- Turgut, you mentioned last week that Tariq Aziz will visit Ankara. If he does, I hope you will not treat him in such a way that it will enhance the international prestige of Iraq.

(Don't open the pipeline)
(If Ozal requests that you add Istanbul to your itinerary:

-- I would very much like to visit Istanbul and can understand why you feel it is important.

-- Unfortunately, we have only one and a half days to spend in Turkey and we had wanted to make sure we had sufficient time to accomplish everything we wanted to do in Ankara.

-- My preference would be to stick to the Ankara only schedule.)

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(If Ozal asks for your thoughts on the two issues he raised during your May 30 telephone discussion-- Cyprus and U.S. help in securing continued Saudi oil deliveries to compensate for keeping the Iraqi pipeline closed:

- On Cyprus, I raised your idea of a quadripartite meeting with President Vassiliou.
 - He was doubtful it could work because he does not want to treat Denktash as an equal.
 - I asked him to keep an open mind.
 - Jim Baker will be giving Foreign Minister Alptemocin a detailed briefing on our discussions with the Cypriots and the UNSYG on the Cyprus question.
 - On the Saudi oil deliveries, we will be prepared to be helpful.
 - I intend to send you a long letter shortly giving you my thoughts on the situation in Iraq and on this question).
- (FYI: We will give you a letter shortly that responds to the issues Ozal raised during your conversation last week)

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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June 4, 1991

FOR: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT *BS*
SUBJECT: Telephone Call ~~to~~ President Ozal of Turkey *from*
DATE: June 4, 1991
PURPOSE: To discuss your trip to Turkey in mid-July.
SECURE OR OPEN: Open
INTERPRETER: None required
PHONE NUMBER: Via White House Signal Switchboard
CONTACT PERSON: Nicholas Burns
TIME DIFFERENCE: +7
SUGGESTED TIMES: 3:30 p.m., June 4, 1991
TOPICS OF
DISCUSSION: See Tab A - Points to be Made

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Tab A Points to be Made

cc: Vice President
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