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Desert Shield/Desert Storm (February 1991) [6]

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Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet (George Bush Library)

Doc. No. / Type	Subject/Title	Date	Restriction	Classification
01. Letter	Prime Minister Shamir to President Bush Re: Scud Missile attack (1 pp.)	2/26/91	(b)(1)	
02. Letter	Prime Minister Shamir to President Bush Re: two messages (2 pp.)	2/16/91	(b)(1)	
03a. Summary	Re: Heads of State Correspondence Summary (2 pp.)	2/28/91	(b)(1)	S
03b. Cable	Re: Message from President Ozal (1 pp.)	2/26/91	(b)(1)	S
03c. Cable	Re: Second Message from President Ozal (2 pp.)	2/26/91	(b)(1)	S
03d. Cable	Re: Text of 2/23 Andreotti Bush Letter (2 pp.)	2/24/91	(b)(1)	S
03e. Letter	President Fernando Collor to President Bush Re: [Unofficial Translation] (1 pp.)	2/25/91	(b)(1)	
03f. Letter	President Fernando Collor to President Bush Re: [Portuguese] (1 pp.)	2/25/91	(b)(1)	
03g. Cable	Re: Poland: Letter to President Bush from Prime Minister Bielecki (3 pp.)	2/25/91	(b)(1)	✓
04. Talking Points	Re: Points To Be Made for Telephone Call to President Mitterrand (2 pp.)	2/27/09	(b)(1)	✓

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05a. Outline	Re: Meeting with Hans-Dietrich Genscher, Foreign Minister of Germany (2 pp.)	2/28/91	(b)(1)	S
05b. Talking Points	Re: Points To Be Made for Meeting with Foreign Minister Genscher of Germany (2 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	S
05c. Report	Re: Biography (2 pp.)	11/7/90	(b)(1)	S
05d. Memo	Robert L. Hutchings to Brent Scowcroft Re: The President's Meeting with Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher of Germany, March 1, 1991, 10:30 a.m. (1 pp.)	2/28/91	(b)(1)	S
06a. Outline	Re: Meeting with Roland Dumas, Foreign Minister of France (2 pp.)	2/28/91	(b)(1)	S
06b. Talking Points	Re: Points To Be Made for Meeting with French Foreign Minister Duams (2 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	S
06c. Report	Re: Roland Dumas [FOIA RESTRICTIONS REDACTED] (2 pp.)	11/20/90	(b)(1), (b)(3)	C
06d. Memo	Philip Zelikow/Adrian Basora to Brent Scowcroft Re: The President's Meeting with French Foreign Minister Roland Dumas on Thursday, February 28, at 1:15 p.m. (1 pp.)	2/27/91	(b)(1)	S
07a. Memo	C. David Welch to Brent Scowcroft Re: Israeli Aid (2 pp.)	2/28/91	(b)(1)	S

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07b. Memo	John H. Kelly to The Secretary Re: Special Assistance for Israel (7 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	S
07c. Letter	Ambassador Salmon Shoval to James A. Baker, III (1 pp.)	2/22/91	(b)(1)	
07d. Letter	Ambassador Salmon Shoval to Dennis Ross (1 pp.)	2/12/91	(b)(1)	C
07e. Report	Re: Estimated Effects of the Gulf Crisis on the Israeli Economy (As of 22 January 1991) (5 pp.)	1/1991	(b)(1)	

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RECORD ID: 9101452
RECEIVED: 27 FEB 91 19

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TO: SITTMANN

FROM: ROY, J

DOC DATE: 12 MAR 91
SOURCE REF: 9103432

KEYWORDS: ISRAEL
 DESERT STORM
 PERSIAN GULF

HS
SAUDI ARABIA
IRAQ

PERSONS: SHOVAL, ZALMAN

SHAMIR, YITZHAK

SUBJECT: LTR TO PRES FM PM SHAMIR RE CONDOLENCES ON SCUD ATTACK

ACTION: NO REPLY REQUIRED PER STATE

DUE DATE: 02 MAR 91

STATUS: C

STAFF OFFICER: STATE

LOGREF: 9101325 9101332

FILES: WH

NSCP:

CODES:

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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COMMON FILE

TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 9103432

Date March 12, 1991

FOR: Mr. William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary
National Security Council Staff
The White House

REFERENCE:

To: President Bush

From: Prime Minister Shamir

Date: February 26, 1991

Subject: Prime Minister Shamir sends condolences on Scud
attack.

WH Referral Dated: _____
NSCS ID# (if any): _____

_____ The attached item was sent directly to the
Department of State.

ACTION TAKEN:

_____ A draft reply is attached.

_____ A draft reply will be forwarded.

_____ A translation is attached.

_____ An information copy of a direct reply is attached.

☒ We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below.

_____ The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel.

_____ Other (see remarks).

REMARKS:

The President and Prime Minister Shamir have exchanged
a number of messages recently, including condolences.
We believe no reply is necessary.


Director
Secretariat Staff

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 6, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary
National Security Council Staff
The White House

SUBJECT: Alerting NSCS on Presidential
Correspondence

Forwarding the signed original of a letter to the President from Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir of Israel of which a copy was advanced to the White House on 2/27/91. The signed original is transmitted for your files. See attached copy of previously advanced letter.

This correspondence was received in the Information Resources Management Section of the Executive Secretariat on March 6, 1991. A copy has been assigned to the appropriate bureau for action.

Attachment: as stated

Charles L. Jackson, Jr.

Director, S/S-IRM
Information Resources Management Section
Executive Secretariat
647-2991

ראש הממשלה
THE PRIME MINISTER

Jerusalem,

February 26, 1991.
163-7(2)

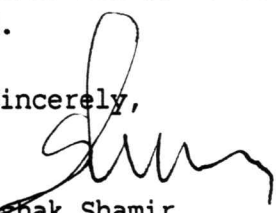
Dear Mr. President,

I was deeply distressed by the news of the large number of casualties suffered by the American servicemen in Saudi Arabia as a result of the Scud missile striking their barracks last night. This indiscriminate, senseless attack is typical of the outrages perpetrated by Saddam Hussein since the beginning of the conflict.

The 39 Scud attacks directed at our civilian population makes us participants in your anguish and the hope that these dangerous weapons will not be left in the hands of the Iraqi regime.

Mr. President, I extend our heartfelt sympathy to you and the American people in the great loss you have suffered. Please convey our condolences to the bereaved families and our ardent wishes for the speedy and full recovery of the injured.

Sincerely,



Yitzhak Shamir

President George Bush
The White House
Washington DC
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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

February 27, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary
National Security Council Staff
The White House

SUBJECT: Alerting NSCS on Presidential
Correspondence

Enclosed is the original of a letter to President Bush from Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir of the State of Israel which is transmitted for your information.

This correspondence was received in the Information Resources Management Section of the Executive Secretariat on Feb. 27, 1991. A copy has been assigned to the appropriate bureau for action.

Charles G. Jackson, Jr.

Director, S/S-IRM
Information Resources Management Section
Executive Secretariat
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TO: SITTMANN

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FROM: ROY, J

DOC DATE: 26 FEB 91
SOURCE REF: 9102947

KEYWORDS: ISRAEL
KUWAIT
SAUDI ARABIA

HS
DESERT STORM
IRAQ



PERSONS: SHAMIR, YITZHAK

SUBJECT: LTR TO PRES FM PM SHAMIR RE OPERATION DESERT STORM

ACTION: NO REPLY REQUIRED PER STATE DUE DATE: 21 FEB 91 STATUS: C

STAFF OFFICER: STATE

LOGREF:

FILES: WH

NSCP:

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EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT

TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 9102947

Date February 26, 1991

FOR: Mr. William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary
National Security Council Staff
The White House

REFERENCE:

To: President Bush
From: Prime Minister Shamir
Date: February 16, 1991
Subject: Letter to President from PM Shamir Re: Operation
Desert Storm

WH Referral Dated: February 19, 1991
NSCS ID# (if any): 9101236

_____ The attached item was sent directly to the
Department of State.

ACTION TAKEN:

- _____ A draft reply is attached.
_____ A draft reply will be forwarded.
_____ A translation is attached.
_____ An information copy of a direct reply is attached.
X X We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below.
_____ The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel.
_____ Other (see remarks).

REMARKS:

No further reply is necessary. Prime Minister Shamir
was responding to two messages from President Bush.


Director
Secretariat Staff

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
DISTRIBUTION RECEIPT

LOG 9101236
DATE 16 FEB 91

SUBJECT: LTR TO PRES RE OPERATION DESERT STORM
DOCUMENT CLASSIFICATION: ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ *PM*

EXTERNAL DISTRIBUTION:

ROY, J
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
ROOM 7224, MAIN STATE
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WASHINGTON, DC 20520

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REFERRAL

DATE: 19 FEB 91

MEMORANDUM FOR: ROY, J

STATE SECRETARIAT

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1 FEB 91 7:02 PM

DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION:

TO: PRESIDENT

SOURCE: SHAMIR, YITZHAK

DATE: 16 FEB 91

SUBJ: LTR TO PRES FM SHAMIR RE OPERATION DESERT STORM

REQUIRED ACTION: PREPARE REPLY FOR PRES SIG

DUE DATE: 21 FEB 91

COMMENT:

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GEORGE VAN ERON

DIRECTOR NSC SECRETARIAT

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

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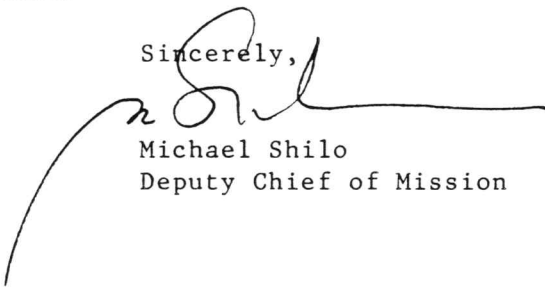
February 17, 1991

Mr. William R. Brew
Director
Israel and Arab-Israeli Affairs
Department of State

Dear Mr. Brew,

I have the honor to send to you the enclosed letter from
the Prime Minister of Israel and to ask you to kindly forward
it to President Bush.

Sincerely,



Michael Shilo
Deputy Chief of Mission

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NSC/S PROFILE

RECORD ID: 9101424
RECEIVED: 27 FEB 91 07

TO: PRESIDENT

FROM: SITTMANN

CHRON FILE

DOC DATE: 27 FEB 91
SOURCE REF:

KEYWORDS: HS
ITALY
BRAZIL

TURKEY
GUATEMALA
DENMARK

PERSONS: OZAL, TURGUT
COLLINS, GERARD

ANDREOTTI, GIULIO
MARGRETHE II

SUBJECT: HEADS OF STATE CORRESPONDENCE SUMMARY AS OF 27 FEB

ACTION: NOTED BY PRES

DUE DATE: 02 MAR 91

STATUS: C

STAFF OFFICER: VAN ERON

LOGREF: 9004004 9100011

FILES: WH

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Collor 2/25
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03b. Cable	Re: Message from President Ozal (1 pp.)	2/26/91	(b)(1)	S

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SUBJECT: POLAND: LETTER TO PRESIDENT BUSH

- FROM PRIME MINISTER BIELECKI

1. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.

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2. PRIME MINISTER BIELECKI PASSED THE
FOLLOWING LETTER TO ME TODAY FOR TRANSMISSION
TO PRESIDENT BUSH:

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BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

YOUR AMBASSADOR TO POLAND, MR. SIMONS, HAS PASSED
ON TO ME THE MESSAGE YOU DELIVERED TO THE ECONOMIC
CLUB IN NEW YORK IN FEBRUARY. I APPRECIATE VERY
MUCH YOUR WARM WORDS ON CENTRAL AND EASTERN
EUROPE AND PARTICULARLY YOUR REFERENCE TO THE
MARSHALL PLAN. I TOO SEE THE VISION OF THE

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MARSHALL PLAN AS STILL RELEVANT TODAY.
THE ASSISTANCE THE UNITED STATES IS PROVIDING
TO POLAND IS OF PARTICULAR INTEREST
TO ME. FOR I HAVE, FOR SOME TIME, BEEN HEAVILY
INVOLVED AT BOARD LEVEL IN THE POLISH-AMERICAN
ENTERPRISE FUND - AN EXCELLENT AMERICAN
INITIATIVE. IT IS ONE OF THE NEW INSTITUTIONS
HELPING THE PRIVATE SECTOR IN POLAND.
YOU WILL PROBABLY KNOW THAT NEXT MONTH WILL BE
OF CRITICAL IMPORTANCE TO US. A SOLUTION TO
THE DEBT PROBLEM NEEDS TO BE ACHIEVED BY MID-
MARCH. WE ARE HOPING THAT, ONCE AGAIN, THE
UNITED STATES WILL GIVE A LEAD ON THIS ISSUE.
IN MANY WAYS THE STABILITY OF THE WHOLE REGION
DEPENDS ON POLAND'S ECONOMIC SUCCESS - SO MANY
OF OUR NEIGHBORS ARE LOOKING TO POLAND AS THE
EXAMPLE TO FOLLOW. AND WE OURSELVES HAVE
TRIED TO ADOPT THE UNITED STATES' APPROACH
TO INDEPENDENCE, FREEDOM AND PROSPERITY.
CERTAINLY A DEBT SOLUTION IS A VITAL
INGREDIENT IN MAINTAINING STABILITY AND
ACHIEVING ECONOMIC SUCCESS.
I HOPE ONE DAY TO BE ABLE TO THANK YOU

PERSONALLY FOR YOUR SUPPORT, BUT PLEASE BE
ASSURED THERE IS A SPECIAL PLACE IN POLAND'S
HEART FOR THE UNITED STATES.

MY BEST PERSONAL REGARDS,

/S/

JAN KRZYSZTOF BIELECKI

HIS EXCELLENCY

GEORGE BUSH

PRESIDENT

OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WARSAW,

THE 22ND OF FEBRUARY, 1991-

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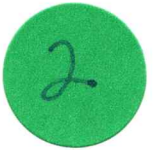
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General Sconcraft:

As we discussed, here are talking points for the President's call to Mitterrand tomorrow morning (Feb 27). They are cleared with David and Adrian and by David Welch for Richard.

Philip Zelickow

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR
TELEPHONE CALL TO PRESIDENT MITTERRAND
(February 27)

The War

- The war is going well. I hear good things about the performance of your troops. I cannot recall a better example of cooperation between our two countries.
- Although most of the Iraqi forces are retreating, they are not laying down their arms. Some of their units appear to be maneuvering for better positions. Others are standing fast and fighting. I think we both agree on the need to continue operations with no letup.
- We are not under much pressure at the moment in the Security Council since the Soviets agree Saddam must first accept all 12 UN resolutions. In any event, we need to delay any ceasefire until the military situation is right.
- Our experts can work on ways to delay premature action in the UN. If necessary, your idea to control any resolution is a good approach. We and the British should work on a text to have in reserve.

Possible Visit

- We need to sit down and have a good talk about the postwar picture in the Middle East, as well as US-European relations. I would like you to consider coming here, perhaps toward the end of next month.
- We could spend a weekend at Camp David, with some time for

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reflection and relaxation.

-- Think about it, and let me know how you feel about it -- or
Admiral Lanxade can get in touch with Brent.

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 March 1 at 10:30am*

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February 28, 1991

MEETING WITH HANS-DIETRICH GENSCHER,
FOREIGN MINISTER OF GERMANY

DATE: March 1, 1991
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 10:30 - 10:40 a.m.

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT *B*

I. PURPOSE

To gain German support for our post-war strategy in the Gulf and encourage German leadership in the development of an export control regime.

II. BACKGROUND

Having come under criticism here and in Germany for being slow to support the war, Genscher is looking to recoup by mending fences here and playing a more active role as peace-maker, in conjunction with the French and the EC generally. He would welcome your assurance that we appreciate Germany's financial and other contributions to the Gulf effort.

While you will not want to give Genscher the feeling that Germany is being brought into the inner circle on the Gulf, it will be important to gain his support for the coalition's post-war strategy and indicate areas where Germany can play a helpful role: developing an export control regime and providing continued support to Turkey and Israel. These areas track with Germany's (and Genscher's personal) agenda and point the way to a German contribution that would support, rather than complicate, our post-war strategy.

Having just visited Egypt, Syria, and Jordan (and, before that, Israel), Genscher will want to share with you his ideas for a peace conference to address the Palestinian issue and the broader idea of a Conference on Security and Cooperation in the Mediterranean and Middle East. While deflecting such proposals, you may want to seek Genscher's views of the current prospects for Arafat and the PLO.

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

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There are two European security issues worth raising if time permits. First, we have a problem with Genscher on CFE. His disarmament commissioner has floated with the Soviets a compromise formula that would allow the Soviets to exempt naval equipment in violation of the treaty. This German approach obviously undermines your effort to pressure Gorbachev to overrule his hardliners and allow CFE to go forward. We are working to turn the Germans around on this, and a brief word from you would be helpful. Finally, given Genscher's drive to help develop a European security identity, you might simply note the importance you attach to assuring that this process does not develop in a way that undermines the Atlantic Alliance.

III. PARTICIPANTS

A list of participants is at Tab B.

IV. PRESS PLAN

Open photo, writing pool

V. SEQUENCE

Photo opportunity and brief meeting

Attachments

Tab A	Points to be Made
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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR MEETING WITH
FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER OF GERMANY

THE GULF

- The coalition has held together well throughout the conflict, and German support, including your generous financial contribution to Desert Storm, has been very important.
- I know you and Jim have discussed elements of the diplomacy for the transition from war to peace.
- We will need to be sure that a ceasefire takes care of the SCUD threat and is very clear about the prompt return of POWs and third-country detainees. We fear the Iraqis may have transported thousands of Kuwaitis to camps in Iraq.
- As for economic sanctions, those should stay in place for this phase. We may want to relax them to make humanitarian shipments easier, but the future of sanctions clearly depends on developments in Iraq and Iraq's behavior. Our public position should continue to focus on being assured of Iraq's peaceful intentions before we relax sanctions.
- You have spoken with Jim about some postwar arrangements. Germany can play a particularly important role in helping develop an export control regime so that we do not return to the kind of Middle East arms race that has destabilized the region in the past. Your continued strong support for Israel and Turkey will also be important in building regional stability.

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(If Arab-Israeli peace process is raised)

- We want to move ahead on both state-to-state and Israel-Palestinian issues. Our impression is that the PLO, and Arafat personally, have been badly damaged. This may create opportunities, and I hope you and your EC colleagues will take this into account before acting.

CFE

- We are concerned about the idea of trying to compromise with the Soviets on Article III of the CFE Treaty. We understand Germany's special concerns about securing the ratification of the German Treaty and the quick withdrawal of Soviet forces, but CFE is a matter of vital interest to us all.
- We cannot accept the idea that a negotiated and signed treaty can now be reopened. We must be careful not to show divisions in the Alliance on such a fundamental issue.
- And trying to accommodate Soviet hard-liners does not help Gorbachev; it strengthens the enemies of reform.

EUROPEAN PILLAR

- We support the development of a stronger European security role. But we want this to develop in a way that does not create an entity that competes with NATO or takes independent views on Europe's security.

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PARTICIPANTS

U.S.

The President
The Vice President
James A. Baker, Secretary of State
John H. Sununu, Chief of Staff
Brent Scowcroft, Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs
Robert M. Gates, Assistant to the President
and Deputy for National Security Affairs
David C. Gompert, Special Assistant to the President
for European and Soviet Affairs
Raymond G.H. Seitz, Assistant Secretary of State
for European and Canadian Affairs

Germany

Hans-Dietrich Genscher, Foreign Minister
Juergen Ruhfus, Ambassador to the U.S.
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February 28, 1991

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MEMORANDUM FOR BRENT SCOWCROFT

THROUGH: DAVID C. GOMPERT *DCG*

FROM: ROBERT L. HUTCHINGS *RZH*

SUBJECT: The President's Meeting with Foreign Minister
Hans-Dietrich Genscher of Germany, March 1, 1991,
10:30 a.m.

At Tab I is the President's briefing package for his meeting with Genscher on March 1. Although the Gulf will predominate, it is also important to reinforce the European and transatlantic agenda we are trying to develop with the Germans.

If the President does not have a chance to do so, and if you have an opportunity to meet with Genscher separately, we suggest that you pick up on two themes: the "European pillar" and his efforts to work a compromise with the Soviets on CFE.

Concurrences: Richard Haass *RH* and Philip Zelikow *PZ*

RECOMMENDATIONS

That you sign the memorandum for the President at Tab I.

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Tab I Memorandum for the President
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MEETING WITH
ROLAND DUMAS, FOREIGN MINISTER OF FRANCE

DATE: February 28, 1991

LOCATION: The Oval Office

TIME: 1:15 - 1:25 p.m.

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT

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I. PURPOSE

To win French support for our strategy for ending hostilities and coopt them for the post-war diplomacy that lies ahead.

II. BACKGROUND

The main purpose for this brief but important meeting is to cultivate Dumas, a close friend and key adviser of Mitterrand, and make the French feel they can be more important and more influential by working with us than by working at cross-purposes. In this way we can try to contain French free-lancing and enlist their help in limiting EC initiatives, which are unlikely to match our interests. Your personal touch will be key, making Dumas feel he is part of the coalition's inner circle. One useful tactic would be to focus on areas where the French may actually have a comparative advantage, such as the Maghreb. You could use this topic to draw out Dumas on post-war issues, noting his views on how to maintain stability in North Africa, and even expressing support for any leadership the French may assume.

As Mitterrand mentioned, Dumas is here to work with Secretary Baker on the details of the diplomacy to end the war. Like us, the French have wanted to allow time for our forces to complete their work. The French like the Security Council as a forum for decision, prizing their special position as one of the Perm Five. They thus lean toward undue reliance on the UN in setting a cease-fire and enforcing its conditions.

You should emphasize the flexibility of our approach to ending the war, one that could blend both unilateral action by the coalition and formal action later by the UN. The sequence started with your speech announcing a cessation of hostilities without declaring a formal

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cease-fire. Conclusion of a formal cease-fire, blessed by the UN Security Council, would await Iraqi action on a number of issues, including written acceptance of all 12 UN resolutions, pledges to stop SCUD attacks or other hostile action against any country, and immediate Red Cross access to POWs and third-country detainees coupled with arrangements for their prompt return. The future of sanctions is not a good subject for a UN resolution at this time, although a cease-fire could be accompanied by openings to facilitate humanitarian assistance. The coalition would need to retain the power to enforce cease-fire terms.

Dumas may want to raise French views on post-war issues, but we are not yet ready for a detailed exchange on these topics. (Papers have been reviewed by Bob Gates' group but have not been approved at the cabinet level for your review.) However, you should signal our readiness to help guarantee a secure environment for a short time, even though we hope to begin redeploying U.S. ground forces as soon as possible, with longer-term security provided perhaps by UN observers/forces backed by more substantial Arab contingents.

Dumas may also mention some of his views on the Arab-Israeli peace process. Here we are more likely to have differences with Paris on both strategy and tactics (e.g., recall your exchanges with Mitterrand on the international conference). If the subject comes up, it might be interesting to get their view of the current prospects for Arafat and the PLO, but otherwise not to engage him for the present.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See list at Tab B.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR
MEETING WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER DUMAS

Ending The War

- Our military efforts are practically complete. I understand your armored division has done a splendid job in cutting off and destroying Iraqi forces. The coalition has held together throughout the war phase, thanks in large part to your efforts and those of President Mitterrand.
- I know you and Jim will be working on the details of the diplomacy to end the war. We are looking for a clean ending to hostilities, perhaps through a unilateral announcement by the coalition. We could then put forward our terms for formal cease-fire in the UN.
- We will need to be sure that a cease-fire takes care of the SCUD threat and is very clear about the prompt return of POWs and of third-country detainees. We fear the Iraqis may have transported thousands of Kuwaitis to camps in Iraq.
- As for economic sanctions, those should stay in place for this phase. We may want to relax them to make humanitarian shipments easier, but the future of sanctions clearly depends on other factors we cannot predict right now. Our public position should continue to focus on being assured of Iraq's peaceful intentions before we relax sanctions.

Post-war Issues

- You will also be talking with Jim about some of the immediate post-war arrangements. We value your views and want to cooperate with you in bringing security to the region.

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- I am particularly interested in hearing your judgment on the stability of the Maghreb.
- What role do you feel France and other European countries can play in restoring calm and stability in that region? Is there some way the U.S. can contribute?
- What impact do you foresee in Lebanon?
(If Arab-Israeli peace process is raised)
- Our impression is that the PLO, and Arafat personally, have been badly damaged by their support for Saddam. What is your view?

Meeting with President Mitterrand

- I hope to see President Mitterrand soon for a thorough discussion of post-war security in the region.
- It is important that we begin this new era with harmony between France and the United States.
- We have so many pressing issues to deal with: the Middle East, Eastern Europe, the Soviet Union, and Transatlantic relations. We want to deal with this agenda in partnership with France.

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PARTICIPANTS

U.S.

The President

The Vice President

James A. Baker, Secretary of State

John H. Sununu, Chief of Staff

Brent Scowcroft, Assistant to the President for National
Security Affairs

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

Raymond Seitz, Assistant Secretary for European and
Canadian Affairs, Department of State

Adrian Basora, Director, European Economic Affairs,
NSC Staff (Notetaker)

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Roland Dumas, Foreign Minister

Jacques Andreani, Ambassador

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Roland DUMAS
(Phonetic: dooMA)

FRANCE

*Minister of State for Foreign
Affairs (since May 1988)*

Addressed as: Mr. Minister

Roland Dumas is one of President Francois Mitterrand's closest associates—the two men own adjacent apartments in Paris. 1.4(c); (b)(3)

The press has reported that Dumas goes straight to the point in negotiations and that he is able to suggest compromises in elegant, nonconfrontational formulations. Often called a born diplomat, he maintains good relations with British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher and German Chancellor Helmut Kohl 1.4(c); 1.4(d); (b)(3)



Security Policy

Dumas skillfully promotes the President's foreign policy interests. In regard to the Persian Gulf crisis, he has steadfastly supported Mitterrand's stance; while he takes his policy cues from the President, Dumas has also tried to clarify some of Mitterrand's more ambiguous statements for worried allies. The Foreign Minister opposes unilateral actions in the Gulf and has said that the UN Security Council is the only body authorized to coordinate an international response. He adds that France will not participate in any military operation that lacks the Council's backing. In October 1990 Dumas journeyed to the Gulf region to confer with regional officials and with PLO leader Yasir 'Arafat; he also met with Israeli Foreign Minister David Levi in Paris. (b)(3)

Despite the improvement in East-West relations, Dumas still views the Soviet threat as serious and agrees with Mitterrand on the necessity of presenting Moscow with a strong Western defense. He has said that the CFE talks are the litmus test of Moscow's intentions and that, while Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's unilateral conventional force reductions are a positive step, they do not require reciprocal responses. Dumas also continues to support the maintenance of France's independent nuclear deterrent. (b)(3)

As the political order in Eastern Europe evolves toward greater pluralism, Dumas warns that long-dormant nationalistic animosities could flare up. As does Mitterrand, he appears determined to see that Paris has a strong voice in molding the situation in the East. He has traveled throughout Eastern Europe, building ties and seeking support for Mitterrand's idea of a future European confederation. Although he says it is essential for US forces to remain on the continent, he has said that Western Europe must begin to deal with political and defense problems on its own, as relations with the East evolve. (b)(3)

Other Interests

A well-known civil rights lawyer, Dumas has long been associated with the Socialist Party and with human rights issues. He has stressed a foreign policy that includes an influential international role for his country and maintenance of France's human rights mission. He is also intensely interested in the Third World; he favors greater European cooperation with developing countries so as to promote their political nonalignment and economic independence. 1.4(c); 1.4(d) that Mitterrand has tasked Dumas to develop a comprehensive proposal to reduce Third World debt. (b)(3)

Dumas is deeply committed to European unity. He has said that Europe must deal with the United States on economic and trade matters from a strong common position. As Minister of European Affairs during 1983-84, he was the driving force behind France's successful EC presidency (January-June 1984) and was second only to Mitterrand in guiding his country's latest presidential term (July-December 1989). (b)(3)

Career and Personal Data

Dumas was born on 23 August 1922. He served in the Resistance during World War II. He holds a law degree from the University of Paris and has studied at the National School of Oriental Languages and at the London School of Economics. He gained national prominence as a civil rights lawyer who represented many famous clients, including Pablo Picasso (who painted his portrait) and the satirical newspaper *Le Canard Enchaîné*. He has served as a National Assembly deputy four times, representing three different districts. 1.4(c); 1.4(d); (b)(3)

He has a strong interest in modern art and likes movies. An accomplished tenor, he enjoys opera. He sails, plays tennis, and rides horses. He speaks fluent English, German, and Spanish, as well as some Italian and Russian. He has been married twice. His present wife, the former Anne-Marie Lillet (b)(3) Dumas has three children. (b)(3)

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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MEMORANDUM FOR BRENT SCOWCROFT

THROUGH: DAVID C. GOMPERT/RICHARD HAASS *AAB for*

FROM: PHILIP ZELIKOW/ADRIAN BASORA *AAB*

SUBJECT: The President's Meeting with French Foreign
Minister Roland Dumas on Thursday, February 28, at
1:15 p.m.

The President's meeting with Dumas will be brief but important. Dumas will have an extended meeting with Secretary Baker later in the afternoon.

Baker invited Hurd and Dumas to come to Washington to work on war termination. Our agenda with Dumas is a bit different than with Hurd. This meeting is ideally timed to begin coopting the French in the post-war period. To the extent we make them feel a part of the inner circle, they are less likely to break ranks individually, or to encourage EC activism as a way of gaining influence. Indeed, they could be pivotal in limiting EC mischief.

Of course, the French will want to parlay their wartime performance into a major post-war role, either by free-lancing or by bending our approach. What we can do is create a sense of partnership that better enables us to fence them in -- recognizing that this could inflate their sense of influence. One useful target for their leadership, where the French actually may have a comparative advantage, is in the Maghreb, where fundamentalist and social ferment has the Mediterranean Europeans highly concerned. After the initial set of exchanges, this might be an ideal topic for the President to turn to with Dumas.

Concurrence by: David Welch *AAB for*

Attachments

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for National Security Affairs
Raymond Seitz, Assistant Secretary for European and
Canadian Affairs, Department of State
Adrian Basora, Director, European Economic Affairs,
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