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03a. Draft Cable	From Brent Scowcroft to Richard Haass, Re: Message to Richard Haass Who is Traveling with Secretary Baker [FOIA RESTRICTIONS REDACTED] (1 pp.)	11/5/90	(b)(1)	S
03b. Memcon	Re: Telephone Call from President Bush to Prime Minister Thatcher (2 pp.)	11/4/90	(b)(1)	S
03c. Cable	Brent Scowcroft to James A. Baker, III Re: Telephone Call from President Bush to Prime Minister Thatcher [redacted] (3 pp.)	11/5/90	(b)(1)	S

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04. Cable	To the White House, Re: [The King's Letter] [041133Z Nov 90] [FOIA restrictions redacted] (2 pp.)	11/4/90	(b)(1)	S
05. Cable	To White House Re: Letter from King Hussein I to President Bush (7 pp.)	11/3/90	(b)(1)	TS
06a. Message	Re: Message from General Scowcroft to Horst Teltschik (1 pp.)	10/29/90	(b)(1)	C
06b. Memo	Robert L. Hutchings to Brent Scowcroft Re: Reply to Teltschik (1 pp.)	10/27/90	(b)(1)	C
07. Cable	Jacques Attali to Brent Scowcroft Re: Invitation (1 pp.)	9/10/90	(b)(1)	TS
08a. Cable	White House to Federal Chancellery Re: Message to Horst Teltschik from General Scowcroft (2 pp.)	10/31/90	(b)(1)	C
08b. Message	Re: Message from General Scowcroft to Horst Teltschik (1 pp.)	10/31/90	(b)(1)	C
09a. Letter	Prime Minister Giulio Andreotti to President George Bush Re: Department of State Translation (2 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	
09b. Cable	Chigi Palace to White House Re: From Prime Minister Giulio Andreotti to President George Bush (2 pp.)	10/29/90	(b)(1)	S
10. Cable	Re: Message to General Brent Scowcroft from Horst Teltschik (1 pp.)	10/19/90	(b)(1)	C

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11. Draft Cable	For Arnold Kanter, Re: [CSCE Prepcom] [FOIA restrictions redacted] (3 pp.)	10/16/90	(b)(1)	S
12. Cable	White House to Elysee Palace Re: Letter to President Mitterrand from President Bush (4 pp.)	10/5/90	(b)(1)	S
13. Cable	White House to Cabinet Office London Re: Message to Mr. Charles Powell from Brent Scowcroft (1 pp.)	9/27/90	(b)(1)	S
14. Cable	Cabinet Office London to The White House Re: Message from Charles Powell to General Scowcroft (1 pp.)	9/27/90	(b)(1)	S
15. Cable	White House to Cabinet Office Re: Message to the Honorable Margaret Thatcher, Prime Minister, from Brent Scowcroft, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs (1 pp.)	9/22/90	(b)(1)	C
16a. Memo	Brent Scowcroft to Jacques Attali Re: Elysee for Special Counselor Attali (1 pp.)	9/7/90	(b)(1)	S
16b. Cable	Elysee Palace to White House Re: Jacques Attali to Brent Scowcroft (1 pp.)	9/4/90	(b)(1)	S
17. Cable	Cabinet Office to White House Re: Message from Charles Powell to General Scowcroft (1 pp.)	8/23/90	(b)(1)	TS
18a. Draft Message	Re: Draft Message from General Scowcroft to Admiral Jaques Lanxade (1 pp.)	8/23	(b)(1)	S

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18b. Cable	Admiral Jacques Lanxade to General Brent Scowcroft Re: Unofficial White House Situation Room Translation (1 pp.)	8/23/90	(b)(1)	TS
18c. Cable	Admiral Jacques Lanxade to General Brent Scowcroft Re: French (2 pp.)	8/23/90	(b)(1)	TS
19a. Cable	Admiral Jacques Lanxade to General Brent Scowcroft Re: Unofficial White House Situation Room Translation (1 pp.)	8/23/90	(b)(1)	TS
19b. Cable	Admiral Jacques Lanxade to General Brent Scowcroft Re: French (2 pp.)	8/23/90	(b)(1)	TS
20. Cable	Ministerialdirektor Horst Teltschik to General Brent Scowcroft (10 pp.)	6/28/90	(b)(1)	C
21. Cable	From White House, Re: Telcon with President Mikhail Gorbachev of the Soviet Union [172041Z Jul 90] [FOIA RESTRICTIONS REDACTED] (7 pp.)	7/17/90	(b)(1)	S
22. Cable	Cabinet Office London to The White House Re: For General Scowcroft, National Security Advisor to the President (2 pp.)	7/17/90	(b)(1)	S
23a. Memo	Robert L. Hutchings to Florence E. Gantt Re: Teltschik Visit (1 pp.)	6/25/90	(b)(1)	C
23b. Cable	White House to Federal Chancellery Re: Message to Horst Teltschik from Brent Scowcroft (1 pp.)	6/15/90	(b)(1)	S

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23c. Message	Re: Message for Horst Teltschik, Federal Chancellery, Bonn, from Brent Scowcroft (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	S
23d. Note	Re: Horst Teltschik (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	
24. Cable	Abdin Palace to White House Re: Oral Message from President Mubarak to President Bush (3 pp.)	7/25/90	(b)(1)	TS

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PLEASE DELIVER THIS MESSAGE IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO RICHARD HAASS, WHO IS TRAVELLING WITH SECRETARY BAKER.

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS
THE WHITE HOUSE

TO: RICHARD HAASS
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
SENIOR DIRECTOR FOR NEAR EAST & SOUTH ASIAN AFFAIRS

RICHARD, PLEASE ENSURE THIS MESSAGE IS DELIVERED TO SECRETARY BAKER ONLY IN A SEALED ENVELOPE.

EXCLUSIVELY EYES ONLY FOR SECRETARY BAKER

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS
THE WHITE HOUSE

TO: JAMES A. BAKER
SECRETARY OF STATE

FOLLOWING FOR YOUR EYES ONLY IS THE TEXT OF THE TELEPHONE CALL BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER THATCHER.

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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

SUBJECT: Telephone Call from President Bush to Prime Minister Thatcher

DATE & TIME: Sunday, November 4, 1990 - 9:00 a.m. - 9:16 a.m.

PLACE: Houston, Texas

Prime Minister Thatcher: We have a problem because Howe resigned, but we will live through it.

The President: Well, I read about it. You are handling it well. Brent told me what you wanted to discuss, so go ahead.

Prime Minister Thatcher: (b) (1)
(b) (1)

The President: Baker is taking soundings now. You and I are thinking of the same time frame. This can't go on forever and the situation will deteriorate. The Vietnam-type worriers are getting at me now. I am escalating attention to the hostages to rally the American people. I believe the treatment of the hostages will resonate with the American people. We will have one helluva big force in just a handful of months. We must have enough force to do the job. Jim may speak to you about that. I worry about it coming unglued, but I hope all the Allies will stay with us.

Prime Minister Thatcher: We will see what reserves we can have standing by in Germany. We will keep the coalition if we don't appear to be weakening.

(b) (1)
(b) (1) I will discuss dates with Jim.

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The President: Jim will discuss all this with you. People say I am using hostages to whip up emotion, but I feel deeply. We could use them as provocation.

Prime Minister Thatcher: Okay. (b) (1) (b) (1)

The President: I agree completely. I see all these people running to Saddam Hussein to get hostages released.

Prime Minister Thatcher: Yes. (b) (1) (b) (1) It plays the Saddam Hussein game.

The President: That's right. Let's push the UN propaganda idea. People say I am too bellicose, but I am trying to get the people ready.

Prime Minister Thatcher: The Soviets seem to be playing a double game or trying to be all things to all men.

The President: It is good that Baker will see you after he has been to Moscow. There is a split between Primakov and Shevardnadze. You can have a good talk with Jim.

Prime Minister Thatcher: Good luck on the elections.

The President: We won't be wiped out. I worry about the GATT. We will have a big problem if it doesn't work.

Prime Minister Thatcher: I gave my colleagues a good tongue lashing. Let's see at the Ministerial tomorrow if it did any good.

The President: Thanks a lot. It is really important to us. You are a great friend.

Prime Minister Thatcher: I feel as strongly as you. (b) (1) (b) (1)

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PLEASE DELIVER THIS MESSAGE IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO RICHARD HAASS,
WHO IS TRAVELLING WITH SECRETARY BAKER.
-
FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS
THE WHITE HOUSE
-
TO : RICHARD HAASS
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
SENIOR DIRECTOR FOR NEAR EAST & SOUTH ASIAN AFFAIRS
-
RICHARD, PLEASE ENSURE THIS MESSAGE IS DELIVERED TO
SECRETARY BAKER ONLY IN A SEALED ENVELOPE.
-
EXCLUSIVELY EYES ONLY FOR SECRETARY BAKER
-
FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS
THE WHITE HOUSE
-
TO : JAMES A. BAKER
SECRETARY OF STATE
-
FOLLOWING FOR YOUR EYES ONLY IS THE TEXT OF THE TELEPHONE
CALL BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER THATCHER.
-
BEGIN TEXT
-
MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION
-
SUBJECT: TELEPHONE CALL FROM PRESIDENT BUSH TO PRIME
MINISTER THATCHER
-
DATE & TIME: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1990 - 9: 00 A.M. - 9: 16 A.M.
PLACE: HOUSTON, TEXAS
-
PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: WE HAVE A PROBLEM BECAUSE HOWE RESIGNED,
BUT WE WILL LIVE THROUGH IT.
-
THE PRESIDENT: WELL, I READ ABOUT IT. YOU ARE HANDLING IT WELL.
BRENT TOLD ME WHAT YOU WANTED TO DISCUSS, SO GO AHEAD.
-
PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: [redacted]

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THE PRESIDENT: BAKER IS TAKING SOUNDINGS NOW. YOU AND I ARE THINKING OF THE SAME TIME FRAME. THIS CAN'T GO ON FOREVER AND THE SITUATION WILL DETERIORATE. THE VIETNAM-TYPE WORRIERS ARE GETTING AT ME NOW. I AM ESCALATING ATTENTION TO THE HOSTAGES TO RALLY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. I BELIEVE THE TREATMENT OF THE HOSTAGES WILL RESONATE WITH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. WE WILL HAVE ONE HELLUVA BIG FORCE IN JUST A HANDFUL OF MONTHS. WE MUST HAVE ENOUGH FORCE TO DO THE JOB. JIM MAY SPEAK TO YOU ABOUT THAT. I WORRY ABOUT IT COMING UNGLUED, BUT I HOPE ALL THE ALLIES WILL STAY WITH US.

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PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: WE WILL SEE WHAT RESERVES WE CAN HAVE STANDING BY IN GERMANY. WE WILL KEEP THE COALITION IF WE DON'T APPEAR TO BE WEAKENING.

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(b)(1)
(b)(1)
I WILL DISCUSS DATES WITH JIM.

-

THE PRESIDENT: JIM WILL DISCUSS ALL THIS WITH YOU. PEOPLE SAY I AM USING HOSTAGES TO WHIP UP EMOTION, BUT I FEEL DEEPLY WE COULD USE THEM AS PROVOCATION.

-

PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: OKAY. (b)(1)
(b)(1)

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THE PRESIDENT: I AGREE COMPLETELY. I SEE ALL THESE PEOPLE RUNNING TO SADDAM HUSSEIN TO GET HOSTAGES RELEASED.

-

PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: YES. (b)(1)
(b)(1)
IT PLAYS THE SADDAM HUSSEIN GAME.

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THE PRESIDENT: THAT'S RIGHT. LET'S PUSH THE UN PROPAGANDA IDEA. PEOPLE SAY I AM TOO BELLICOSE, BUT I AM TRYING TO GET THE PEOPLE READY.

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PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: THE SOVIETS SEEM TO BE PLAYING A DOUBLE GAME OR TRYING TO BE ALL THINGS TO ALL MEN.

-

THE PRESIDENT: IT IS GOOD THAT BAKER WILL SEE YOU AFTER HE HAS BEEN TO MOSCOW. THERE IS A SPLIT BETWEEN PRIMAKOV AND SHEVARDNADZE. YOU CAN HAVE A GOOD TALK WITH JIM.

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PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: GOOD LUCK ON THE ELECTIONS.

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THE PRESIDENT: WE WON'T BE WIPED OUT. I WORRY ABOUT THE GATT. WE WILL HAVE A BIG PROBLEM IF IT DOESN'T WORK.

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PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: I GAVE MY COLLEAGUES A GOOD TONGUE LASHING. LET'S SEE AT THE MINISTERIAL TOMORROW IF IT DID ANY GOOD.

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THE PRESIDENT: THANKS A LOT. IT IS REALLY IMPORTANT TO US. YOU ARE A GREAT FRIEND.

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PRIME MINISTER THATCHER: I FEEL AS STRONGLY AS YOU. (b)(1)

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WHITE HOUSE FOR DELIVER TO MR. BRENT SCOWCROFT,
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR NATIONAL SECURITY
AFFAIRS, THE WHITE HOUSE.
----------TEAR LINE----------
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TO THE WHITE HOUSE
ZEM
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1.4(c)
BEGIN TEXT:
BRENT:

FURTHER TO THE KING'S LETTER, I BELIEVE THE RIGHT KIND OF RESPONSE WILL BRING GREAT BENEFITS. THE KING WILL NOT DO A U-TURN ON POLICY. BUT REESTABLISHING THE STRENGTH OF THE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH THE PRESIDENT COULD BE VERY USEFUL TO US IF THINGS DETERIORATE HERE OR IN THE GULF.

THE PRESIDENT'S INITIAL MESSAGE BEGAN THAT PROCESS -- NOT BECAUSE OF ITS CONTENT BUT PRECISELY BECAUSE IT WAS PERSONAL.

1.4(c)

A PERSONAL RESPONSE FROM THE PRESIDENT 1.4(c) 1.4(c) IGNORES THE RHETORIC, ACKKOWLEDGES (WITHOUT NECESSARILY AGREEING TO) HUSSEIN'S CONCERNS, AND RESPONDS TO SOME PART OF THIS APPEAL WOULD, I AM CONVINCED, PAY HUGE DIVIDENDS FOR THE FUTURE.

THE LETTER MENTIONS TWO PROBLEMS THE PRESIDENT MIGHT ADDRESS: ONE IS THE NAVAL BLOCKADE, AND HERE THE PRESIDENT MIGHT SIMPLY SAY HE HAS DIRECTED THE NAVY TO TAKE CARE TO ENSURE --WITHIN THE STRUCTURE OF OUR INTERDICTION EFFORT -- THAT NO EGREGIOUS HARM IS DONE TO JORDANIAN IMPORTS AND EXPORTS. THAT COULD ALSO HELP FORESTALL A JORDANIAN APPEAL AGAINST INTERDICTION TO THE UN.

THE OTHER PROBLEM IS EXPENSE OF THE DISPLACED PERSONS FROM IRAQ/KUWAIT. JORDAN'S CASE IS VERY STRONG: $50 MILLION OR SO PAID OUT, AND LESS THAN 10 PERCENT OF THAT AMOUNT RECEIVED FROM ABROAD. IF THERE IS SOME DISCRETIONARY MONEY ($10-15 MILLION) WHICH THE PRESIDENT COULD MAKE AVAILABLE NOW, THE APPRECIATION WOULD GREATLY EXCEED THE OUTLAY.

BOTH OF THE ABOVE WOULD BE BEST, BUT EITHER WOULD BE USEFUL HERE.

WARM REGARDS, 1.4(c)
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VIA WHITE HOUSE PRIVACY CHANNELS

~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~ VIA SKIPPER CHANNELS

HORST TELTSCHIK, FEDERAL CHANCELLERY, BONN, GERMANY

DEAR HORST,

THANK YOU FOR YOUR MESSAGE WITH A PROPOSED ITINERARY FOR THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO GERMANY. WE SUGGEST A SOMEWHAT SHORTENED VERSION OF THE ITINERARY, WITH THE PRESIDENT ARRIVING LATE MORNING ON NOVEMBER 18 TO VISIT THE CHANCELLOR IN LUDWIGSHAFEN AND DEPARTING LATE AFTERNOON FOR PARIS. DEPENDING ON YOUR PREFERENCES, WE MIGHT ADD ANOTHER EVENT THAT WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT AND THE CHANCELLOR AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC REMARKS. IF IT IS AGREEABLE TO YOU, I SUGGEST THAT OUR ADVANCE TEAM GO TO GERMANY SOON TO DISCUSS THE DETAILS WITH YOUR SIDE.

WITH WARMEST REGARDS,

BRENT SCOWCROFT

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TO CROWN

UNCLAS VIA SKIPPER CHANNELS
QQQQ
GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT NSC, WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON D.C.
DEAR BRENT,
FOR THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT SATURDAY 17TH/SUNDAY 18TH NOV. WE PROPOSE THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM:
SATURDAY, 17TH NOV.
- ARRIVAL IN RAMSTEIN AIR-BASE SATURDAY AFTERNOON
- OVERNIGHT IN RAMSTEIN AIR-BASE.
WE WOULD OF COURSE BE HAPPY IF THE PRESIDENT CHOSE TO STAY AT PETERSBERG HOTEL IN BONN. THIS WOULD IMPLY LANDING IN COLOGNE.
SUNDAY, 18TH NOV.
MORNING FLIGHT BY HELICOPTER TO SPEYER
- VISIT OF SPEYER CATHEDRAL
- DRICE TO DEIDESHEIM
(THIS IS A WINE VILLAGE NEAR LUDWIGSHAFEN)
- LUNCHEON IN THE DEIDESHEIMER HOF
- WALK THROUGH THE VINEYARDS
- COFFEE AT THE CHANCELLOR S PRIVATE HOME IN LUDWIGSHAFEN

LATE AFTERNOON/
EARLY EVENING PRESIDENT LEAVES FOR PARIS
WITH WARMEST REGARDS
HORST TELTSCHIK
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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October 27, 1990

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MEMORANDUM FOR BRENT SCOWCROFT

THROUGH: DAVID C. GOMPERT

FROM: ROBERT L. HUTCHINGS RLH

SUBJECT: Reply to Teltschik

Now that Teltschik has given you (Tab II) the German side's proposed itinerary for a Presidential visit next month, we think it time to come to closure. As an overnight at Ramstein is less than an exciting prospect, we recommend that the President arrive before lunch on November 18 to visit Kohl at Ludwigshafen (perhaps adding one of the other events Teltschik proposed) and depart late afternoon for Paris. The reply at Tab I conveys this proposed itinerary.

This schedule would have the President arriving in Prague the morning of the 17th and departing for Germany on the morning of the 18th. This would provide for a more substantial and relaxed visit to Prague. The Czechoslovaks will be delighted.

Although not our preferred German scenario, this quick in-and-out will minimize press speculation about why the President did not visit Berlin, while preserving the opportunity for an extended discussion between the President and Kohl about the U.S.-German relationship post-unification. We suggest, however, that we announce during the President's brief stop in Germany that he will be coming to Berlin for a longer visit next year.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That you approve the Tab I message to Teltschik for delivery via White House privacy channels.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

That you authorize us toe apprise the State Department and Ambassador Walters of these plans.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

Attachments
Tab I Message to Teltschik
Tab II Incoming from Teltschik

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TO WHITE HOUSE
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UNCLAS PERSONAL FOR GENERAL SCOWCROFT
PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING STRICTLY PERSONAL MESSAGE TO GENERAL
BRENT SCOWCROFT FROM PRIME MINISTER THATCHER
DEAR BRENT
I WAS SORRY TO HEAR THAT YOUR WIFE IS ILL AND IN HOSPITAL.
IT MUST BE A GREAT WORRY FOR YOU, AT A TIME WHEN YOU HAVE MORE
THAN ENOUGH ON YOUR MIND. PLEASE GIVE HER ALL GOOD WISHES, AND
DONT LET IT GET YOU DOWN. WE ALL OF US, FROM THE PRESIDENT DOWN,
DEPEND ON YOU VERY MUCH: YOU ARE AN ABSOLUTE TOWER OF STRENGTH.
WITH WARM REGRDS
MARGARET THATCHER

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TO WHITE HOUSE

UNCLAS VIA SKIPPER CHANNELS
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FROM: HORST TELTSCHIK, FEDERAL CHANCELLOR S OFFICE, BONN
GERMANY
TO: GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT, NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER,
WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON, D.C.
PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO GENERAL SCOWROFT:
DEAR BRENT,
CHANCELLOR KOHL HAS ASKED ME TO CONVEY TO YOU FOR YOUR
INFORMATION THE ENGLISH VERSION OF A TEXT WHICH IS
RELEASED TODAY TO GERMAN AND FOREIGN NEWS AGENCIES.
WITH WARMEST REGARDS,
HORST
BONN, 1 NOVEMBER 1990
PRESS RELEASE
AT ITS EXTRAORDINARY MEETING IN ROME ON 27/28
OCTOBER THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL ISSUED A DECLARATION REQUESTING THE
UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL TO CONTINUE ITS EFFORTS TO
OBTAIN THE IMMEDIATE EXIT OF ALL HOSTAGES IN IRAQ
AND SUGGESTING TO THE UN SECRETARY-GENERAL THAT HE SEND
A SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE TO IRAQ FOR THIS PURPOSE.
IN A CONVERSATION ON 31 OCTOBER WITH MR.
GIULIO ANDREOTTI, PRESIDENT OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL, CHANCELLOR
HELMUT KOHL REQUESTED THAT HE PROPOSE THE FOLLOWING THREE
EUROPEAN FIGURES TO THE UN SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR SUCH A
HUMANITARIAN MISSION FOR THE SAKE OF ALL FOREIGN CITIZENS
DETAINED AND ABDUCTED IN IRAQ AND KUWAIT:

- MR. WILLY BRANDT, FORMERLY CHANCELLOR OF THE
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AND NOW CHAIRMAN OF THE
SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL,
- MR. EMILIO COLOMBO, FORMERLY ITALIAN PRIME MINISTER
AND NOW CHAIRMAN OF THE EUROPEAN UNION OF CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS,
- MR. WILLY DE CLERCQ, FORMERLY BELGIAN FINANCE
MINSTER AND EC COMMISSIONER AND NOW CHAIRMAN OF THE
EUROPEAN LIBERAL DEMOCRATS.
IN A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH UN SECRETARY-GENERAL PEREZ
DE CUELLAR, FOREIGN MINISTER HANS-DIETRICH GENSCHER SUPPORTED
THIS PROPOSAL BY PRIME MINISTER ANDREOTTI ON BEHALF OF
CHANCELLOR KOHL.
CONTRARY TO REPORTS CIRCULATED, A TRIP BY MR.
WILLY BRANDT WITHOUT A MANDATE FROM THE UNITED NATIONS
WAS NOT DISCUSSED IN THE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BETWEEN THE
UN SECRETARY-GENERAL AND FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER, NOR COULD IT
HAVE BEEN IN VIEW OF THE SUBJECT-MATTER.
ON 31 OCTOBER CHANCELLOR KOHL PHONED MR. BRANDT,
WHO IST CURRENTLY IN THE UNITED STATES, TO INFORM
HIM OF THIS INITIATIVE AND ASKED HIM TO MAKE
HIMSELF AVAILABLE FOR SUCH A HUMANITARIAN MISSION AS SPECIAL
REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UN SECERETARY-GENERAL. FOREIGN MINISTER
GENSCHER INFORMED MR. BRANDT OF HIS CONVERSATION WITH THE

UN SECRETARY-GENERAL. MR. BRANDT TOLD CHANCELLOR KOHL THAT
HE WAS WILLING TO TAKE PART IN SUCH A MISSION
AND ALSO LET THE UN SECRETARY-GENERAL KNOW THIS.
HOWEVER, MR. PEREZ DE CUELLAR DID NOT TAKE
UP THIS PROPOSAL, STATING THAT HE HAD ALREADY NAMED
A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN THE PAST.
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
WAS INFORMED EARLY TODAY BY ITS PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO
THE UNITED NATIONS, MR. HANS OTTO BRAEUTIGAM, OF THE
DECISION BY MR. WILLY BRANDT, CHAIRMAN OF THE SOCIALIST
INTERNATIONAL, TO TRAVEL TO BAGHDAD EVEN WITHOUT A MANDATE
FROM THE UN SECRETARY-GENERAL OR FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT,

EITHER ON HIS OWN OR TOGETHER WITH THE TWO
OTHER EUROPEAN FIGURES.
THE FURTHER LINE OF ACTION WILL BE DISCUSSED
IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS BY THE RELEVANT PERSONS
IN THE EUROPEAN PARTY ORGANIZATIONS.
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
ABIDES BY THE EUROPEAN COUNCILS RESOLUTION THAT ISOLATED ACTIONS
SHOULD BE AVOIDED. IT CONSIDERS A MISSION BY LEADING
EUROPEAN FIGURES ON THEIR OWN RESPONSIBILITY TO BE THE
MOST SUITABLE MEANS IN THE CURRENT SITATION OF BRINGING
HOME TO THE IRAQI LEADERSHIP THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITYS DEMAND
FOR THE IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF THE HOSTAGES OF ALL NATIONALITIES.
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TO THE CHANCELLORY

~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~ VIA SKIPPER CHANNELS
QQQQ
PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO HORST TELTSCHIK FROM GENERAL SCOWCROFT.

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BEGIN TEXT:

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DEAR HORST,

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR MESSAGE WITH A PROPOSED ITINERARY FOR THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO GERMANY. WE SUGGEST A SOMEWHAT SHORTENED VERSION OF THE ITINERARY, WITH THE PRESIDENT ARRIVING LATE MORNING ON NOVEMBER 18 TO VISIT THE CHANCELLOR IN LUDWIGSHAFEN AND DEPARTING LATE AFTERNOON FOR PARIS. DEPENDING ON YOUR PREFERENCES, WE MIGHT ADD ANOTHER EVENT THAT WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT AND THE CHANCELLOR AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC REMARKS. IF IT IS AGREEABLE TO YOU, I SUGGEST THAT OUR ADVANCE TEAM GO TO GERMANY SOON TO DISCUSS THE DETAILS WITH YOUR SIDE.

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WITH WARMEST REGARDS,

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BRENT SCOWCROFT

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END TEXT:

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MESSAGE FROM GENERAL SCOWCROFT TO HORST TELTSCHIK
VIA WHITE HOUSE PRIVACY CHANNELS

~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~ VIA SKIPPER CHANNELS

HORST TELTSCHIK, FEDERAL CHANCELLERY, BONN, GERMANY

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Record Group: Bush Presidential Records
Office: Scowcroft, Brent, Collection
Series: Special Separate Channel Files
Subseries:
WHORM Cat.:
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FOR ARNOLD KANTER, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT, TRAVELING WITH SECRETARY CHENEY'S PARTY. FROM HEATHER WILSON, NSC STAFF. PLEASE PASS AT OOB, 17 OCTOBER.

1. ~~SECRET~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. STEVE HADLEY IS FAXING A CABLE TO THE SECRETARY TONIGHT ON CSCE PREPCOM GUIDANCE -- RESOLVING THE NEW ARMS CONTROL MANDATE ISSUE. 1.4(c) [redacted]

3. FIRST, SOME BACKGROUND. THIS IS AN UPDATE OF THE CABLE THAT WAS STALLED LAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT. OSD AND JCS DID NOT CLEAR, PRINCIPALLY BECAUSE STATE HAD PROPOSED BEGINNING A 6 MONTH PERIOD OF CONSULTATIONS WITHIN NATO ABOUT NEW, POST-HELSINKI NEGOTIATIONS AT 34 SHORTLY AFTER CFE I SIGNATURE, FOLLOWED BY 6 MONTHS OF INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS WITH EASTERN EUROPEANS AND SOVIETS. I DO NOT KNOW IF YOU TALKED TO RAY SEITZ ABOUT THIS ON THURSDAY. BAKER CALLED BRENT YESTERDAY. DAVID GOMPERT HAS TALKED TO BRENT ABOUT THAT CALL, AND APPARENTLY BRENT NOW DOES NOT OPPOSE A 6 MONTH/6 MONTH CONSULTATION STRATEGY. NEITHER JOHN GORDON NOR I HAVE TALKED TO BRENT ON THIS ISSUE. AS OF NOON, HOWARD GRAVES HAD NOT CHANGED HIS VIEW AND WANTED PCC LEVEL PEOPLE TO TALK ABOUT THIS. STATE THINKS THAT IF THEY CAN GET OSD AGREEMENT, JCS WILL GO ALONG.

4. AFTER TALKING TO BRENT, DAVID GOMPERT MADE SOME SUGGESTIONS. IN PARA 4, WE SHOULD ADD THE FOLLOWING PHRASE TO THE END OF THE FIRST SENTENCE: "AND PROVIDED THE EC ARE WILLING TO REMOVE THE WORD "BOTH" FROM THE FIRST SENTENCE OF THE PARAGRAPH." A TICK

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ADDED TO THE END OF THE CABLE WOULD EXPLAIN THAT WE ASKED FOR THE DELETION OF THE WORD "BOTH" BECAUSE THE U.S. HAS NOT YET FINALLY DECIDED UPON THE NATURE OF FUTURE CSBM TALKS OR THE RELATIONSHIP OF THESE TALKS TO THE FOLLOW-ON CONVENTIONAL ARMS CONTROL NEGOTIATIONS. THE LAST SENTENCE IN THE 4TH TICK IN PARA 4 WOULD READ: "MOREOVER, TO ENGAGE IN MANDATE TALKS BEFORE THE ALLIANCE HAS DETERMINED ITS GOALS WOULD BE VERY ILL-ADVISED." A TICK WOULD BE ADDED TO THE END OF THE CABLE THAT SAYS WE WOULD LIKE IT TO BE UNDERSTOOD THAT THE QUESTIONS OF NAVAL FORCES AND AREA OF APPLICATION ARE, IN OUR VIEW, SETTLED BY THE MADRID AND CFE MANDATES AND SHOULD NOT BE REOPENED IN ANY FUTURE MANDATE DISCUSSIONS.

5. NOW MY VIEWS.

A. I THINK PCC PRINCIPALS SHOULD TALK ABOUT THIS, FACE TO FACE, AND THERE IS NO COMPELLING REASON TO SEND THE CABLE THIS WEEK. THE EC LANGUAGE IS ALREADY ON THE TABLE, SO WE WON'T AFFECT THAT. A "NEUTRAL COORDINATOR'S DRAFT", WHICH WILL BECOME THE BASIS OF FUTURE WORK, IS SUPPOSED TO COME AROUND THIS WEEK. STATE WOULD LIKE TO INFLUENCE IT BEFORE IT IS RELEASED, ALTHOUGH JACK MARESCA HAS ALREADY GIVEN SOME "PERSONAL" VIEWS TO THE DRAFTER. BOTH ON SUBSTANCE AND TACTICS, WE MIGHT BE BETTER OFF WORKING FROM THE "NEUTRAL" DRAFT THAN EC LANGUAGE.

B. WE MAY HAVE A FALSE FACTS PROBLEM. WHILE I HAVE NOT TALKED TO MARESCA, I DID RE-READ ALL THE REPORTING ON THIS ISSUE AGAIN TODAY TO SEE IF I MISSED ANYTHING. I AM NOT CONVINCED THAT THE EUROPEANS ARE SO ALL FIRED UP FOR NEW MANDATE CONSULTATIONS. THERE HAVE BEEN NO DEMARCHES, AND THE REPORTING CABLES DON'T

REVEAL PRESSURE FOR IMMEDIATE MANDATE TALKS, JUST EC PRIOR COORDINATION ON AN AMBIGUOUS PIECE OF SUMMIT LANGUAGE. WE MAY BE ACTING TO DERAIL A TRAIN THAT IS NOT COMING.

C. THERE ARE SOME MORE CREATIVE OPTIONS THAT THE PCC MIGHT WANT TO CONSIDER. WE'VE SIGNED ON TO NEGOTIATIONS AT 34 AFTER HELSINKI. IF WE BEGIN CONSULTATIONS NOW, A NEW, LESS FAVORABLE MANDATE WILL BE HARDER TO RESIST. DO WE WANT TO RECONSIDER A MAJOR INITIATIVE TO OPEN THE CFE MANDATE FOR ACCESSION BY THE 12 NNA AND NOT CONSULT ABOUT A NEW MANDATE AT ALL?

END TEXT.

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TO ELYSEE PALACE

~~S E C R E T~~ VIA BLUE CHANNELS
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PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING LETTER TO PRESIDENT MITTERAND
FROM PRESIDENT BUSH.
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BEGIN TEXT:
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DEAR FRANCOIS:
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I VERY MUCH APPRECIATED YOUR LETTER, WHICH ARRIVED AT THE WHITE HOUSE MONDAY EVENING. I HAD READ YOUR UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY SPEECH WITH GREAT INTEREST, AND THE POINTS STRESSED IN YOUR LETTER PROVIDED VERY USEFUL CLARIFICATION. THERE ARE, HOWEVER, SOME POINTS THAT I FEEL MERIT FURTHER DISCUSSION AND COMMENT.
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SOME CONFUSION WAS INITIALLY CREATED BY SADDAM HUSSEIN'S ATTEMPT TO PORTRAY YOUR SPEECH AS A SIGNIFICANT DEPARTURE FROM PREVIOUS POLICY, AND IT WAS MAGNIFIED BY A CERTAIN NUMBER OF FACILE PRESS INTERPRETATIONS. STRONG SOLIDARITY BETWEEN FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES, AND WITH THE OTHER NATIONS THAT HAVE TAKEN A FIRM STAND IN THE GULF, IS ESSENTIAL TO CONVINCING SADDAM THAT HE MUST ADHERE TO THE WILL OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY.
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IT THUS FOLLOWS THAT THERE SHOULD NOT BE THE APPEARANCE OF

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DISTANCE BETWEEN FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES, ESPECIALLY WITH REGARD TO THE NECESSITY FOR IMMEDIATE AND UNCONDITIONAL IRAQI WITHDRAWAL FROM KUWAIT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 660. WE HAVE TRIED TO ENSURE THIS THROUGH OUR OWN EXPLANATIONS TO THE PRESS, AND I KNOW THAT THE ELYSEE AND FOREIGN MINISTER DUMAS HAVE DONE EXTENSIVE INTERVIEWS AS WELL. I KNOW YOU WILL CONTINUE TO UNDERSCORE THE UNITY OF OUR PURPOSE AND OUR POSITION ON THIS MOST FUNDAMENTAL MATTER.

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YOUR LETTER EMPHASIZES YOUR SUPPORT FOR ALL OF THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS PASSED SINCE AUGUST 6 AND THAT THESE CONSTITUTE NON-NEGOTIABLE PRECONDITIONS FOR A SETTLEMENT. I AGREE COMPLETELY, AND I FULLY CONCUR IN YOUR EMPHASIS ON THE RELEASE OF ALL HOSTAGES AND ON UNCONDITIONAL IRAQI WITHDRAWAL FROM KUWAIT.

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AS JIM BAKER HAS MENTIONED TO ROLAND DUMAS, HOWEVER, WE ARE WORRIED ABOUT ANY APPERARANCE OF DIVERGENCE BY FRANCE FROM THE ELEMENTS OF THESE RESOLUTIONS, IN PARTICULAR THE POINT THAT KUWAIT'S LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT MUST BE RESTORED. AS YOU KNOW, SEVERAL UN RESOLUTIONS ARE CLEAR IN EXPRESSING THE COUNCIL'S "DETERMINATION TO RESTORE THE AUTHORITY OF THE LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF KUWAIT" AND UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 661

SPECIFICALLY DECIDED ON SANCTIONS AS A MEANS TO ACHIEVE THIS GOAL. THERE IS RISK THAT ESPOUSAL OF ANY OTHER POSITION IN ADVANCE OF IRAQI WITHDRAWAL WOULD PLAY INTO SADDAM HUSSEIN'S STRATEGY AND WOULD CONTRAVENE THE POSITION OF THE UNITED NATIONS THAT SUCH A WITHDRAWAL SHOULD BE UNCONDITIONAL.

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IN YOUR LETTER, YOU ALSO STRESS YOUR CONCERN THAT THERE BE A DEMOCRATIC OUTCOME IN KUWAIT. THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS OF THE WEST MUST OF COURSE STAND UNEQUIVOCALLY FOR DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES AND HUMAN RIGHTS. AT THE SAME TIME, WE MUST RECOGNIZE THAT SUCH DEVELOPMENTS CAN ONLY TAKE ROOT IF GROUNDED FIRMLY IN THE POLITICAL CULTURE OF A COUNTRY AND ITS

PEOPLE. DEMOCRACY CANNOT BE IMPOSED, BUT RATHER NURTURED FROM WITHIN.

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I BELIEVE THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAY TO BRING ABOUT DEMOCRATIC REFORM IN KUWAIT -- WHICH, AS YOU KNOW, WAS ONE OF THE MORE OPEN COUNTRIES IN THE REGION -- IS FIRST TO RESTORE THE FORMER REGIME, WHICH CAN AND IN MY VIEW SHOULD ADDRESS THE DEMOCRATIC DESIRES OF THE KUWAITI PEOPLE. I BELIEVE WE CAN BEST ENCOURAGE SUCH PROGRESS BY WORKING WITH THE LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF KUWAIT.

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THE ISSUE OBVIOUSLY MERITS FURTHER PRIVATE DISCUSSION, AND I WOULD WELCOME YOUR THOUGHTS ON HOW THIS CONCEPT MIGHT BE IMPLEMENTED. IN THE MEANTIME, HOWEVER, I BELIEVE IT ESSENTIAL THAT SADDAM NOT BE ALLOWED TO CREATE, MUCH LESS BENEFIT FROM, THE IMPRESSION THAT THERE IS ANY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN US ON THIS POINT. TO THE DEGREE HE THINKS HE CAN DIVIDE US, HE WILL BE THAT MUCH MORE INTRANSIGENT.

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SADDAM HUSSEIN APPEARS TOTALLY UNWILLING TO COMPLY WITH THE FUNDAMENTAL PREMISE OF SECURITY COUNCIL AND ARAB LEAGUE RESOLUTIONS, NAMELY THAT IRAQ WITHDRAW ITS TROOPS FROM KUWAIT. IF YOU HAVE SEEN ANY EVIDENCE TO THE CONTRARY, OR IF YOU SHOULD RECEIVE ANYTHING SUGGESTING A GENUINE MOVE BY SADDAM HUSSEIN, I WOULD OF COURSE BE VERY INTERESTED IN HEARING ABOUT IT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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SADDAM'S PROGRESSIVE PILLAGING AND OBLITERATION OF KUWAIT RAISES ANOTHER CONCERN. WE MAY WANT TO CONSIDER A NEW SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONDEMNING THIS BEHAVIOR, AT THE SAME TIME PUTTING IRAQ ON NOTICE THAT IT WILL BE LIABLE FOR REPARATIONS. IN ADDITION, THERE MAY BE LIMITS AS TO HOW LONG WE CAN REASONABLY WAIT FOR THE ECONOMIC EMBARGO TO HAVE AN EFFECT. I WOULD WELCOME YOUR VIEWS ON THESE ISSUES AS WELL.

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I WILL LOOK FORWARD TO STAYING IN CLOSE TOUCH DURING THE

WHITE HOUSE SITUATION ROOM

COMING WEEKS.

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WITH MY WARMEST REGARDS,

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GEORGE BUSH

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~~S E C R E T~~ VIA CABINET CHANNELS
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PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO MR. CHARLES POWELL FROM BRENT SCOWCROFT, ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS.
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BEGIN TEXT:
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DEAR CHARLES,
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THE PRIME MINISTER'S SUGGESTION OF A RESTRICTED SESSION PRECEDING AN EXPANDED MEETING IS PERFECTLY AGREEABLE TO THE PRESIDENT. WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN NEW YORK.
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SINCERELY,
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BRENT
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END TEXT
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OK per General Hutchison to send msg 9/2

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FM CABINET OFFICE LONDON

TO THE WHITE HOUSE

~~S E C R E T~~ VIA CABINET CHANNELS AND PERSONAL
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MESSAGE FROM CHARLES POWELL
TO GENERAL SCOWCROFT
DEAR BRENT,

THE PRIME MINISTER IS GREATLY LOOKING FORWARD TO HER MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT ON SUNDAY EVENING, WHICH COMES AT A VERY IMPORTANT TIME. SHE WOULD BE VERY GRATEFUL IF IT COULD START WITH A RESTRICTED SESSION, ATTENDED ONLY BY YOU AND ME IN ADDITION TO THE TWO PRINCIPALS. THERE ARE MATTERS OF AN EXTREMELY SENSITIVE NATURE WHICH SHE WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS, BEFORE EXPANDING THE PARTICIPATION. I HOPE THIS IS ALL RIGHT.

LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU,

YOURS,

CHARLES

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PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO THE HONORABLE MARGARET THATCHER, PRIME MINISTER. FROM BRENT SCOWCROFT, ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS.

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BEGIN TEXT:

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HOW VERY THOUGHTFUL OF YOU TO FIND TIME IN YOUR INCREDIBLY BUSY LIFE TO CONCERN YOURSELF WITH MY PERSONAL PROBLEMS. YOUR MESSAGE AFFECTED ME DEEPLY. THANK YOU.

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WARM REGARDS,

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BRENT

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To Elysee for Special Counselor Attali

Via Blue Channel

Dear Jacques,

I would be pleased to have you as my guest for lunch at the White House on September 21. Let's aim for 12:30, subject to reconfirmation that morning.

Brent Scowcroft

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FM MR JACQUES ATTALI
SPECIAL COUNCELLOR
TO THE PRESIDENT
TO MR BRENT SCOWCROFT
NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISOR
TO THE PRESIDENT
WHITE HOUSE

4 SEPTEMBER 1990

DEAR FRIEND,

I WILL BE STAYING IN WASHINGTON FROM SEPTEMBER 21-26 AND WOULD BE DELIGHTED IF WE COULD HAVE LUNCH OR DINNER TOGETHER DURING THIS WEEK IN ORDER TO DISCUSS ALL BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL ISSUES.

OF COURSE I UNDERSTAND THAT YOUR SCHEDULE DEPENDS ON THE EVENTS AND THAT A DATE ALREADY FIXED COULD BE MODIFIED.

YOURS,

JACQUES ATTALI

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Aug 23

draft message from General Scowcroft to Admiral Jacques Lanxade

Thank you for your recent helpful message. We share much of your assessment. Our current thinking is that Saddam will most likely cut off all services (water, electricity, telephone, etc) to any embassy in Kuwait that ignores his order to close down. We also expect he may blockade embassies to ensure that no one and nothing can either enter or leave. We think it less likely that he will order his troops to use physical force to eject foreign diplomats, although we do not rule this out as a possibility. If this happens, there should be immediate consultations among the United States, Great Britain and France at the highest level.

You should also know that we are preparing a number of reciprocal measures that we would take here against Iraqi diplomats should Iraq follow through on its threat to close all foreign missions in Kuwait on August 24. Our State Department and our embassy in Paris will be coordinating with the Quai and your embassy here.

On a separate matter, I have learned from our military that your commander in the region does not appear to have received instructions from Paris that would permit French naval units to participate in joint actions with us and the British to use force to disable Iraqi and other vessels violating UN sanctions. I would be most grateful if you could look into this in light of the conversation between our respective presidents earlier this week.

Best regards.

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From Admiral Jacques Lanxade
To General Brent Scowcroft

Personal for General Scowcroft on behalf of Admiral Lanxade.

We are examining the situation which may evolve in Kuwait after the expiration of the Iraqi ultimatum on the closing of foreign embassies.

We foresee three possible scenarios: a simple unilateral Iraqi declaration indicating the embassies no longer exist; a blockade of the embassies of varying degrees of strictness; or forceful evacuation of the of the local diplomatic corps and explusion to Baghdad.

In regard to these three scenarios, the possibility exists that Iraq will only take action against the embassies of a few carefully chosen countries.

I believe that Saddam Husayn will choose the least provocative action in order to avoid justifying a military retribution operation, whose considerable risks he cannot ignore.

I would appreciate your thoughts on these contingencies and your feelings on the different measures that could be taken in response to the implementation of part, or all constraints, or use of force against the embassies.

Best regards,
Jacques Lanxade

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TO GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT
NATONAL SECURITY ADVISOR TO THE PRESIDENT

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NOUS REFLECHISSONS A LA SITUATION QUI POURRAIT SE CREER A L'EXPIRATON DE L'ULTIMATUM IRAKIEN RELATIF A LA FERMETURE DES AMBASSADES AU KOWEIT.
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I believe that Saddam Husayn will choose the least provoking action in order to avoid justifying a military retribution operation, whose considerable risks he cannot ignore.

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FOR THE AMBASSADOR

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THE ATTACHED IS A SENSITIVE TRANSCRIPT OF THE PRESIDENT'S TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH GORBACHEV. PLEASE DELIVER COPIES TO SECRETARY BAKER AND AMBASSADOR ROBERT BLACKWILL MARKED FOR THEIR EYES ONLY

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BEGIN TEXT:

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MEMORANDUM OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION

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SUBJECT: TELCON WITH PRESIDENT MIKHAIL GORBACHEV OF THE SOVIET UNION (U)

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PARTICIPANTS: THE PRESIDENT
PRESIDEMT MIKHAIL GORBACHEV
NOTETAKER: NICHOLAS BURNS, NSC STAFF

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DATE, TIME AND PLACE: JULY 17, 1990, 9:26-10:06 A.M.
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THE PRESIDENT: HELLO. (U)

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PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: HELLO. GOOD AFTERNOON, MR. PRESIDENT. (U)

THE PRESIDENT: GOOD AFTERNOON, OR GOOD MORNING FROM HERE. CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SUCCESS OF THE KOHL VISIT. (U)

PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: THANK YOU. (U)

THE PRESIDENT: AS A MATTER OF FACT, I JUST TALKED TO CHANCELLOR KOHL AND HE IS PLEASED. HE THINKS THE AGREEMENTS YOU REACHED ARE GOOD NOT JUST FOR SOVIET-GERMAN RELATIONS, BUT FOR U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS TOO. NEEDLESS TO SAY, WE ARE PLEASED WITH YOUR COMMENTS THAT A UNIFIED GERMANY HAS THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE ITS ALLIANCE MEMBERSHIP. THIS SHOWED GREAT STATESMANSHIP ON YOUR PART, AND WE FEEL GOOD ABOUT IT. I HOPE WE CAN MAKE SIMILAR PROGRESS ON CFE AND ON START IN THE MONTHS AHEAD. (S)

BUT THE MAIN PURPOSE OF MY CALL, AS CHAIR OF THE HOUSTON G-7 SUMMIT, IS TO GIVE YOU A BRIEF REPORT ON THAT MEETING. I WILL FOLLOW-UP IN WRITING. I ALSO KNOW THAT KOHL DISCUSSED THIS ISSUE WITH YOU, TOO.

(S)

PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: THANK YOU. (U)

THE PRESIDENT: I HOPE YOU NOTICED FROM OUR COMMUNIQUE THAT WE ALL STRESSED OUR WILLINGNESS TO HELP THE SOVIET UNION, BUT THAT PERESTROIKA WILL DEPEND ON THE SUCCESS OF YOUR REFORMS. SO, WE TRIED TO INCLUDE POSITIVE LANGUAGE ON THAT AND HOPE YOU NOTED IT. WE MADE THE POINT THAT WESTERN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SHOULD BE PROVIDED NOW, WHICH IS SOMETHING YOU MENTIONED IN YOUR LETTER TO ME. I THINK THE U.S. CAN PLAY AN IMPORTANT ROLE HERE. I HOPE WE CAN GET OUR PEOPLE TOGETHER SO THAT WE CAN INTENSIFY THIS TECHNICAL COOPERATION. (S)

WE HAVE IN MIND FOCUSSING ON ONE PARTICULAR AREA WHERE WE COULD WORK

TOGETHER--ON TRANSPORTATION AND FOOD DISTRIBUTION. WE COULD PERHAPS WORK TOGETHER IN THAT AREA. AS YOU KNOW, WE HAVE LEGAL OBSTACLES IN PROVIDING CREDITS, BUT WE DID AGREE THAT SOME OF THE WESTERN COUNTRIES COULD PROVIDE CREDITS NOW TO THE SOVIET UNION. (S)

THE COMMUNIQUE CALLED FOR ASKING THE IMF TO CONVENE A STUDY WITH THE WORLD BANK, THE OECD AND THE EBRD ON THE SOVIET ECONOMY, IF THAT WOULD BE WELCOMED BY YOU, AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW OUR ASSISTANCE COULD BE MOST HELPFUL TO YOUR REFORMS. ALL THE HOUSTON PARTICIPANTS AGREED WE WANTED THE SUMMIT TO GIVE MOMENTUM TO ASSISTANCE TO THE USSR AND TO YOU OWN REFORM EFFORTS. (S)

SO, IT IS OUR COLLECTIVE VIEW THAT THE HOUSTON AND LONDON SUMMITS SHOULD MAKE CLEAR TO PUBLIC OPINION EVERYWHERE THAT THE U.S.-SOVIET CONFRONTATION IS OVER, AND THAT, WORKING TOGETHER, WE'LL MAKE A PEACEFUL POST-WAR WORLD. NOW IF YOU HAVE A MINUTE MORE, I WOULD LIKE TO TIE THIS IN TO THE NATO SUMMIT. (S)

PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: YES. I AGREE. (U)

THE PRESIDENT: I KNOW YOU ALREADY RECEIVED MY MESSAGE. I WAS GRATIFIED BY YOUR AND SHEVARDNADZE'S COMMENTS ON THE ACTIONS TAKEN IN LONDON. I REMEMBER YOUR TELLING ME WHEN YOU WERE HERE IN WASHINGTON THAT YOU WOULD BE WATCHING THE OUTCOME OF THE NATO SUMMIT. I HOPE YOU HAVE SEEN THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE NATO ALLIANCE, AND HOPE THAT IS THE WAY IT WAS READ IN THE SOVIET UNION. (S)

SO, WHAT WE TRIED TO DO WAS TO TAKE ACCOUNT OF YOUR CONCERNS EXPRESSED TO ME AND OTHERS, AND WE DID IT IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS: BY OUR JOINT DECLARATION ON NON-AGGRESSION; IN OUR INVITATION TO YOU TO COME TO NATO; IN OUR AGREEMENT TO OPEN NATO TO REGULAR DIPLOMATIC CONTACT WITH YOUR GOVERNMENT AND THOSE OF THE EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES; AND OUR OFFER ON ASSURANCES ON THE FUTURE SIZE OF THE ARMED FORCES OF A UNITED GERMANY--AN ISSUE I KNOW YOU DISCUSSED WITH HELMUT KOHL. WE ALSO FUNDAMENTALLY CHANGED OUR MILITARY APPROACH ON

CONVENTIONAL AND NUCLEAR FORCES. WE CONVEYED THE IDEA OF AN EXPANDED, STRONGER CSCE WITH NEW INSTITUTIONS IN WHICH THE USSR CAN SHARE AND BE PART OF THE NEW EUROPE. (S)

WE TRIED TO SHIFT THE EMPHASIS IN THE DOCUMENT TO ENVISIONING A EUROPE IN WHICH NO POWER FEELS ISOLATED. YOU KNOW MY VIEW THAT NATO IS A STABILIZING FORCE, ESPECIALLY WITH A UNIFIED GERMANY NOT ISOLATED BUT AS A FULL MEMBER. SO WHAT I TRIED TO DO THERE, AND IN OUR TALKS, AND IN MY PREVIOUS TALKS WITH AKHROMEYEV, WAS TO SHOW AN

ALLIANCE ADAPTING TO NEW REALITIES AND NOT A THREAT TO ANYONE. I SHOULD ALSO MENTION THAT THE PAPER FROM WHICH NATO WORKED WAS A U.S. PAPER. AND I AM PROUD OF MY COLLEAGUES FOR THIS U.S. ROLE. I HOPE THAT YOU CAN STUDY IT AND THAT WE CAN DISCUSS IT. (S)

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SO, MAY I MAKE TWO POINTS IN CONCLUSION? AS A POLITICIAN, I WATCHED WITH AWE AND RESPECT THE WAY YOU CONCLUDED AND HANDLED THE PARTY CONGRESS. IN HOUSTON, WE WERE SUPPOSED TO BA WORKING ON ECONOMIC MATTERS, BUT ALL OF US WATCHED WITH FASCINATION YOUR EFFORTS TO MOVE ON POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC REFORM WITH PERESTROIKA. IT IS FAIR TO SAY THAT ALL OF US WANT YOU TO SUCCEED. (S)

AND A LAST POINT ON ECONOMIC MATTERS. TO COIN A PHRASE, I DON'T WANT THE SOVIET PEOPLE LICKING SUGAR THROUGH A GLASS. WE HAVE SOME CONSTRAINTS BUT WE DO WANT TO HELP. I REALLY MEAN THAT. I WANT YOU TO GET THE BENEFIT OF THE REFORM PROCESS. I THINK YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN ABOUT LICKING SUGAR THROUGH A GLASS. THAT'S MY REPORT. (S)

PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. I THANK YOU FOR WHAT YOU HAVE SAID. I WILL GIVE A SHORT RESPONSE. (U)

I WOULD START WITH AN ISSUE YOU MENTIONED IN THE LATTER PART OF YOUR TALK-- THE RESULTS OF THE PARTY CONGRESS. I BELIEVE THAT THROUGH REASONS YOU UNDERSTAND THAT THE COMMUNIST PARTY REMAINS A POWERFUL POLITICAL ORGANIZATION. ITS POSITION AND ACTIONS WILL LARGELY DETERMINE THE COURSE OF EVENTS IN OUR COUNTRY. AND IT IS ONLY NATURAL GIVEN THE NEW SITUATION AND THE PERIOD WE ARE GOING THROUGH THAT THE COMMUNIST PARTY HAS RENOUNCED ITS MONOPOLY ON POWER. NEW PARTIES WILL EMERGE AND NEW POLITICAL PUBLIC ORGANIZATIONS WILL BE CREATED. (S)

AND MY TASK, AND THAT OF MY CLOSE COLLEAGUES ON PERESTROIKA, WAS THAT THIS POSITION TAKEN BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY BE MORE IN LINE WITH THE AIMS WE HAVE SET IN THESE REFORMS. AT THE MOMENT, WE HAVE REACHED A STAGE WHEN WE ARE ABOUT TO EMBARK ON MAJOR REFORMS ON THE ECONOMY AND ON A NEW FEDERATION BETWEEN THE REPUBLICS. I HAVE IN MIND NEW RELATIONS WITH THE REPUBLICS ON ECONOMICS AND OTHER MATTERS. (S)

I HAVE TO SAY, ALL-IN-ALL, IT WAS NOT AN EASY PERIOD FOR ME. THEY WERE NOT EASY DAYS AND NIGHTS. IT WAS PERHAPS THE MOST DIFFICULT AND IMPORTANT PERIOD IN MY POLITICAL LIFE, BUT WE HAVE NOW ACHIEVED THE TASKS WE SET FOR OURSELVES. (S)

AND AS A RESULT OF THIS, WE NOW HAVE A PROFOUND UNDERSTANDING IN THE PARTY AND IN SOCIETY OF THE NEED TO HAVE NEW, MAJOR CHANGES. THE MOST IMPORTANT ASPECT IS THAT WE CREATE A SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT TO UNDERTAKE THESE REFORMS. (S)

AND I AM ALSO RELATING THIS TO THE RESULTS OF THE HOUSTON MEETING AND THE THINGS YOU HAVE JUST SAID. THAT IS TO SAY, WE HAVE TO HAVE READY BY THE END OF THE SUMMER AND EARLY FALL, A BROADLY DEFINED PROGRAM FOR TRANSITION TO A MARKET ECONOMY WHICH COULD BE BEGUN AS EARLY AS JANUARY 1, 1991. WE'LL HAVE TO MAKE GREAT EFFORTS AND PERHAPS IN THIS SENSE WE COUNT ON YOUR COOPERATION. (S)

THERE ARE TWO SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT. THE ONE MORE CURRENT IN THE U.S. IS THAT THE LESS HELP GIVEN THE SOVIETS, THE BETTER THEY WILL BE ABLE TO CARRY OUT REFORMS. THE OTHER, TO WHICH WE SUBSCRIBE, IS THAT IF WE HAVE ENOUGH RESOURCES. INCLUDING FINANCIAL RESOURCES AT THIS IMPORTANT STAGE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF A MARKET ECONOMY,--ENOUGH RESOURCES. THEN WE COULD MOVE TO A MARKET ECONOMY. IF WE FIND WE DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH RESOURCES AND FINANCIAL RESERVES, WE WILL HAVE TO RELY MORE ON STATE-REGULATED MEASURES. BUT I BELIEVE THE SECOND SCHOOL OF THOUGHT IS MORE REASONABLE AND SUBSTANTIATED. IN THIS RESPECT, I GREET THE POSITIVE TONE OF HOUSTON UNDER YOUR CHAIRMANSHIP. (8)

LET ME ALSO SAY SOME WORDS ON THE KOHL VISIT. WE MANAGED TO BRING OUR POINTS OF VIEW CLOSER TOGETHER. AND, IN FACT, THE RESULTS TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION OUR COMMON INTERESTS--OF GERMANY, YOURS AND OURS. I BELIEVE THAT WITHOUT THE MEETING IN WASHINGTON AND AT CAMP DAVID, WITHOUT THE RESULTS OF THE NATO SUMMIT AND THE LONDON DECLARATION, WITHOUT THE MAJOR WORK IN MY CONVERSATION WITH KOHL AND YOUR TALKS WITH KOHL, WITHOUT THE ACTIVITIES OF OUR FOREIGN ECONOMIC AGENCIES, WITHOUT THIS REAL POLITICAL ACTION IT WOULD HAVE BEEN DIFFICULT TO ARRIVE AT THE PROXIMITY IN OUR POINTS OF VIEW. WE ACHIEVED ALL THIS BECAUSE WE UNDERSTOOD EACH OTHER'S POSITION. WE TRIED TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT EACH OTHER'S VIEWS. I CONSIDER THE RESULTS OF MY CONVERSATION WITH KOHL TO BE QUITE POSITIVE. (8)

I HOPE THAT FOREIGN MINISTER SHEVARDNADZE AND SECRETARY BAKER WILL DISCUSS SPECIFICALLY THIS PARTICULAR SUBJECT. I BELIEVE THEY WILL DISCUSS THESE SPECIFIC POINTS WHICH ARE BEST NOT DISCUSSED IN THIS PHONE CONVERSATION. IF THESE AGREEMENTS ARE RESPECTED, WE COULD ACHIEVE POSITIVE RESULTS. (8)

THAT IS ALL I WANTED TO ADD. I AGREE WITH YOU THAT THD DEVELOPMENT OF THIS PROCESS MAKE US HOPEFUL THAT POSITIVE RESULTS WILL BE ACHIEVED IN VIENNA AND ON THE CSCE PROCESS AND THAT THERE ARE GOOD PROSPECTS FOR THE CSCE MEETING WE HAVE DISCUSSED. (8)

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AND IN CONCLUSION. LET ME SAY I AM GLAD TO HEAR THE VOICE OF GEORGE BUSH OVER THE PHONE. OUR CONVERSATION MAKES ME HOPEFUL FOR THE FUTURE. (S)

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THE PRESIDENT: LET'S STAY IN TOUCH. CONGRATULATIONS WITH YOUR AGREEMENT. I'LL TELL THE PRESS WE HAD A CONSTRUCTIVE DISCUSSION

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FINAL SECTION OF 03

ABOUT THE HOUSTON AND NATO SUMMITS. (S)

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PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: YES. I THINK WE CAN DO THIS IN A SHORT WAY--THESE TWO TOPICS. (U)

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THE PRESIDENT: ALL RIGHT, SIR. LET'S DO IT AND IT IS NICE TO SPEAK TO YOU. (U)

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PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: ALL THE BEST, MR. PRESIDENT. GOOD-BYE. (U)

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THE PRESIDENT: MY BEST TO RAISA. (U)

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PRESIDENT GORBACHEV: ALSO, MY BEST TO BARBARA. GOOD-BYE. (U)

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THE PRESIDENT: GOOD-BYE. (U)

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TO THE WHITE HOUSE

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FOLLOWING FOR GENERAL SCOWCROFT, NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER TO THE PRESIDENT.
FROM CHARLES POWELL
DEAR BRENT,
THANK YOU FOR YOUR MESSAGE OF 14 JULY ABOUT FOLLOW-UP ACTION WITH THE RUSSIANS OVER THEIR OFFENSIVE BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS PROGRAMME.
WE WELCOME MR BAKERS INTENTION TO RAISE THE SUBJECT AGAIN WITH MR SHEVARDNADZE IN PARIS ON 18 JULY, PARTICULARLY SINCE PRESIDENT GORBACHEV TOLD THE PRIME MINISTER IN EARLY JUNE THAT WE WOULD HEAR FURTHER FROM THEM ONE HE HAC LOOKED INTO THE MATTER. WE HAVE IN FACT HEARD NOTHING SINCE THYN.
WE HAD SOME RESERVATIONS ABOUTH HANDING OVER A DETAILED PAPER AT THIS STAGE, BUT HAVE CONCLUDED ON BALANCE THAT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IN KEEPING UP THE PRESSURE. WE DO, HOWEVER, HAVE A FEW POINTS ABOUT THE TEXT ENCLOSED WITH YOUR MESSAGE. IN VIEW OF THE TIMESCALE, DOUGLAS HURDS STAFF ARE PASSING THESE DIRECTLY TO JIM BAKERS IN PARIS.
AS TO FURTHER ACTION, WE AGQEE THAT WE SHOULD MAKE CLEAR TO THE RUSSIANS THAT WE CANNOT MAI"TAIN SECRECY INDEFINITELY, AND LEAVE MR SHEVARDNADZE IN NO DOUBT THAT THE INFORMATION IN THE PAPER IS WHAT MIGHT EVENTUALLY BECOME PUBLIC. WE DO, HOWEVER, NEED TO GIVE THE RUSSIANS SOME TIME TO DIGEST AND REACT TO THIS LATEST APPROACH. I HOPE THAT WE CAN AVOID ANY PUBLIC DICLOSURE BEFORE YOU INTENDED BRIEFING OF CONGRESS AT THE BEGINNING OF SEPTEMBER.
I WELCOME YOUR UNDERTAKING TO KEEP CLOSELY IN TOUCH ON THIS AND

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OTHER ASPECTS OF THIS PROBLEM.
WARM REGARDS.
YOURS EVER,
CHARLES
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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

25-Jun-1990 09:02 EDT

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Florence E. Gantt	(GANTT)
Wilma G. Hall	(HALL)
Diane L. Edwards	(EDWARDS)

FROM: Robert L. Hutchings
(HUTCHINGS)

SUBJECT: Teltschik Visit

Please pass to the General and Bob Gates.

Horst Teltschik will not be able to come tomorrow, June 26, as you proposed. He will reschedule.

One of Teltschik's aides, a Major Domroese, called this morning to say that Teltschik had received the President's letter (on the NATO Summit) and had discussed it briefly with the Chancellor, who is now in Dublin for the EC Summit. Teltschik wants to discuss the substance with Kohl in more detail after the Chancellor returns from Dublin tomorrow night. Teltschik will call you or Bob Blackwill -- probably on Wednesday -- to reschedule his visit.

CC: Robert Blackwill (BLACKWILL)

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TO FEDERAL CHANCELLERY

~~S E C R E T~~ VIA SKIPPER CHANNELS
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PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO HORST TELTSCHIK
FROM BRENT SCOWCROFT

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BEGIN TEXT:

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DEAR HORST,

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THANKS FOR YOUR CALL. I THINK IT IS A VERY GOOD IDEA FOR YOU TO COME TO DISCUSS THE NATO SUMMIT. I SUGGEST WE MEET IN MY OFFICE AT 4:00 P.M. ON JUNE 26 AND THEN PLAN TO HAVE DINNER LATER.

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WARM REGARDS,

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BRENT

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MESSAGE FOR HORST TELTSCHIK, FEDERAL CHANCELLERY, BONN,
FROM BRENT SCOWCROFT

TO BE SENT VIA SKIPPER CHANNEL

Dear Horst,

Thanks for your call. I think it is a very good idea for you to come to discuss the NATO Summit. I suggest we meet in my office at 4:00 p.m. on June 26 and then plan to have dinner later.

Warm regards,

Brent

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WASHINGTON

Horst Teltschik

June 26
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Attached is the calendar for those days — Tues 6/26 looks especially good — but, as we discussed, we need to do briefings for the Summits + the calendar may begin to get full!!

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SPECIAL CIRCUIT MESSAGE

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GEN Scowcroft,

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Appointment Schedule
Brent Scowcroft
06/26/90 - 06/28/90

May

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June

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Tuesday 06/26/90

6:45AM	7:05AM	Dep residence en route office
7:15AM	7:30AM	PDB Briefer -
7:30AM	8:00AM	WH Senior Staff Meeting - Roosevelt Room
8:00AM	8:15AM	P/PDB Briefer - Oval
8:15AM	8:45AM	P/NSB - Oval
10:00AM	11:00AM	P/Cong'l Leadership Meeting - Cabinet Room
11:00AM	11:15AM	P/Pre-brief f/Roundtable Intv w/Hispanic Reporters - Oval
11:15AM	11:45AM	(P/Roundtable Intv w/Hispanic Reporters - Roos Rm
6:30PM		(P/Congressional BBQ)
NOTES:		MAKE HAIRCUT APPOINTMENT THIS WEEK

Wednesday 06/27/90

6:45AM	7:05AM	Dep residence en route office
7:05AM	7:15AM	PDB Briefer -
7:15AM	8:00AM	B-C-S Bkfst - Here (CONFIRM/ORDER SET UP)
7:30AM	8:00AM	(WH Senior Staff Meeting - Roosevelt Room - RG to handle)
8:00AM	8:15AM	P/PDB Briefer - Oval
8:15AM	8:45AM	P/NSB - Oval
10:00AM	10:15AM	P/Pre-brief f/Intv w/European & Japanese Journalists - Oval
10:15AM	11:00AM	P/Intv w/European & Japanese Journalists - Roos Rm
11:00AM	NOON	P/Briefing for Houston Economic Summit - Oval
1:30PM	2:00PM	P/Sec Baker - Oval
6:30PM		(P/Congressional BBQ rain date)

Thursday 06/28/90

6:45AM	7:05AM	Dep residence en route office
7:15AM	7:30AM	PDB Briefer -
7:30AM	8:00AM	WH Senior Staff Meeting - Roosevelt Room
8:00AM	8:15AM	P/PDB Briefer - Oval
8:15AM	8:45AM	P/NSB - Oval
4:00PM	4:20PM	Press Interviews (Popadiuk)
5:00PM	6:00PM	DCI and DDCI Meeting
6:30PM	8:00PM	P/Diplomatic BBQ rain date - So Lawn