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June 5, 1990

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM F. SITTMANN

THROUGH: DAVID C. MILLER, JR.

FROM: DAVID KAEUPER

SUBJECT: Minutes of Deputies Committee SVTS Meeting on
Liberia, June 4, 1990, 4:15 - 5:00 pm and June
5, 1990, 1:15 - 2:00 pm

Attached at Tab I are the minutes of the Deputies Committee SVTS on Liberia, June 4, 1990. At Tab II is the Summary of Conclusions for the June 4 meeting. The minutes of the June 5 Deputies Committee SVTS on Liberia are at Tab III, and the Summary of Conclusions for the June 5 meeting is at Tab IV.

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve and file the attached minutes for the record.

Approve W

Disapprove _____

Attachment

Tab I Minutes for June 4 Meeting
Tab II Summary of Conclusions for June 4 Meeting
Tab III Minutes for June 5 Meeting
Tab IV Summary of Conclusions for the June 5 Meeting

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Summary of Conclusions for
NSC Deputies Committee

DATE: June 4, 1990

LOCATION: White House Situation Room

TIME: 4:15 - 5:00 pm

SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions of Deputies Committee SVTS
Meeting on Liberia (S)

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

The Vice President

The Vice President's Office:
Carnes Lord

State:
Robert Kimmitt
Jeff Davidow
Jim Bishop

DOD:
Paul Wolfowitz
Vince Kern

CIA
Richard Kerr
Robert Fitzgerald

JCS:
Michael Carns
Thomas Kelly

OMB:
William Diefenderfer
Don Gessaman

White House:
Andy Card
Robert Gates

NSC:
David Kaeuper
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Summary of Conclusions

It was agreed that:

- The U.S. military's role is to facilitate evacuation only. (S)
- We need to counter a prevalent Liberian view that U.S. troops are present to help resolve their internal difficulties. (S)
- We tell Doe in a general, non-specific way, that his life may be in danger. (S)
- We postpone for several days any approach to Doe asking specifically that he leave Liberia. (S)
- We continue to expand our contacts with Taylor. (S)
- We pursue the idea of free passage for Krahn soldiers and families from Monrovia to their home area without abetting the formation of a new anti-government force in the countryside. (S)
- We continue to plan for contingencies such as a broader-based evacuation than is being planned, mobbing of the U.S. Mission, anarchy/chaos, how to respond if neighboring governments ask the U.S. to intervene to restore law and order, and low-profile protection for key U.S. installations. (S)

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Summary of Conclusions for
NSC Deputies Committee

DATE: June 5, 1990

LOCATION: White House Situation Room

TIME: 1:15 - 2:00 pm

SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions of Deputies Committee on Liberia
(8)

PARTICIPANTS:

The Vice President's Office:
Carnes Lord

State:
Robert Kimmitt
Jeff Davidow
Jim Bishop

DOD:
Paul Wolfowitz
Vince Kern

CIA:
Richard Kerr
Robert Fitzgerald

JCS:
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Summary of Conclusions

It was agreed that:

- The MARG is on station to protect U.S. citizens, not property. (U)

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- Our security posture under present conditions is appropriate for protecting USG personnel and property. (S)
- The threat to Doe's life has been handled appropriately. (S)
- Our present approach to Doe is limited to warning him about his deteriorating position and prospects and offering to assist him in leaving Liberia. (S)
- Further guidance on approaching Doe about departing Liberia will be sought from General Scowcroft. (S)

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