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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Walter E. Avis

(AVIS)

FROM:

Katherine M. Mathis
(MATHIS)

SUBJECT:

RE: DC meetings and Small Groups on Yugoslavia

The Small Group on 21 August was from 10:30-11:30am.

The DC "scheduled" for 14 October was changed to 16 October
11:00am-12:00noon.

The Small Group on 15 October was from 2:00-3:00pm.

And your entirely welcome!

CC: Jane E. Holl

(HOLL)

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August 20, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. W. ROBERT PEARSON
Executive Secretary
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BG JOHN A. DUBIA
Executive Secretary
Department of Defense

(b)(3) [50 U.S.C. 403g, Sec. 6]

Executive Secretary
Central Intelligence Agency

CAPTAIN H. L. SHEFFIELD
Secretary
Joint Chiefs of Staff

SUBJECT: Small Group Meeting on Bosnia, August 21, 1992 (S)

The agenda for the subject meeting is attached at Tab A. (S)

Wendell Sittmann

for William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary

Attachment
Tab A Agenda

cc: Karl Jackson

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SMALL GROUP MEETING ON BOSNIA-HERCEGOVINA

DATE: August 21, 1992
LOCATION: White House Situation Room
TIME: 10:30 am - 12:00pm

AGENDA

- I. Opening remarks.....Admiral Howe
- II. Intelligence Update.....CIA
- III. Policy discussion.....All Participants
 - a. Implementing UNHCR 770/Perm3 Discussions
 - b. Preparation for the London Conference
 - c. Instructions for the August 24 NAC
 - d. Sanctions
 - Transshipment
 - Natural Gas Pipeline
 - Rumanian Monitors
 - Danube
 - e. Controlling Spillover
- IV. Concluding Remarks.....Admiral Howe

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August 20, 1992

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MEMORANDUM FOR JONATHAN T. HOWE

THROUGH: DAVID C. GOMPERT

FROM: JANE E. HOLL

SUBJECT: Small Group Meeting on Bosnia, August 21, 1992

The memorandum transmitting the agenda for the subject meeting is attached at Tab I. This meeting will update participants on where we stand regarding implementation of UNSCR 770 and our plans for the London Conference. Additionally, the meeting should take stock of recent steps taken to tighten sanctions, gain information and access to camps, and establish CSCE monitoring missions to guard against spillover.

RECOMMENDATION

That you authorize Bill Sittmann to sign the Memorandum to Agencies at Tab I.

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Attachments

Tab I Memorandum to Agencies *as modified (don't include issues paper)*
Tab A Agenda
Tab B Issues Paper

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Issues Paper

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1. Implementation of UNSCR 770.

We have agreement with the French and British and a positive initial reaction from the UN on a workable plan for a broader, more sustainable land-based relief effort. This plan also incorporates the British and French decisions regarding the commitment of ground forces in a way quite satisfactory to us (i.e. it places them under the UN, it requires the UN to stay in Bosnia, and it has restricted ROE).

Key issues for us:

- We must press hard to use the London Conference and follow-up to engage the parties and secure from them maximum cooperation with the expanded relief effort. We should not leave this to the UN to accomplish, but rather use all diplomatic channels available.
- The allied decisions to introduce ground troops (and the specific request of the British that we consider the same), combined with the questionable relevance of air cover under the current plan, we need to consider every possible means of American support and contribution -- short of committing U.S. ground combat troops in Bosnia -- to make this operation successful (i.e. proximity deployment of communications and logistics resources and personnel).
- We need to find a way to give NATO a role.

2. The London Conference.

State has circulated a paper for consideration. The London conference must, at a minimum, yield a statement that commits all of the parties to provide maximum assistance and cooperation to the UN for the humanitarian operation.

Key issues for us:

- We need to develop and share our views on obtaining the type of cease-fire that will preserve our political goals while achieving a halt to the fighting on the ground.
- If Milosevic does not attend the conference, we will, together with the British and the French, need to explore ways to get meaningful Serbian cooperation for the relief effort.

3. Sanctions.

There are four main holes in the sanctions regime: Danube shipping, the Romanian frontier, transshipment, and the

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natural gas pipeline from Russia to Bosnia. We are moving toward closing the first hole and the U.S. sanctions team claims that the other holes can be plugged without going from a monitoring to an enforcement posture. Deputies should satisfy themselves that our plans and actions are in train to accomplish this mission.

4. Other Issues.

Camps. With the ICRC making slow but steady progress in gaining access to camps and registering the detainees, our own efforts should remain targeted on gathering as much information as we can and in keeping the diplomatic heat on the parties to permit and facilitate access. With the winter coming, we will likely have to consider what actions we should take regarding those held in the camps, i.e. close the camps down; establish a permanent relief presence in the camps; or resettle the detainees in Bosnia or elsewhere.

Spillover. We are making progress in CSCE with the effort to establish monitoring missions in the adjoining states to help control the potential for spillover. 'FRY' Prime Minister Milan Panic has invited the UN to station monitors at Serbian airfields and at border crossing points with Bosnia. While the UN is skeptical of Panic's offer, we may be able to exploit this invitation as a first step in setting up monitoring missions to Kosovo, Vojvodina, and Sanjdzhak.

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SUBJECT: Small Group Meeting on Bosnia, August 21, 1992 (8)

The agenda for the subject meeting is attached at Tab A. ~~At Tab B~~
~~is a brief issues paper to aid the discussion.~~

William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary

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Tab A : Agenda
Tab B : Issues Paper

cc: Karl Jackson

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