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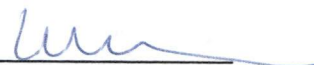
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SUBJECT: Deputies Meeting on Yugoslavia, September 23, 1992
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The agenda for the subject meeting is attached at Tab A. To permit a full discussion, we will restrict the meeting to consideration of a limited number of agenda items. A paper to facilitate discussion is attached at Tab B.

Kenneth J. Hep

for William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary

Attachments
Tab A Agenda
Tab B Issues Paper

cc: Robert Zoellick

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DEPUTIES COMMITTEE MEETING ON YUGOSLAVIA

DATE: September 23, 1992
LOCATION: White House Situation
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm

AGENDA

- I. Opening Remarks.....Admiral Howe
- II. Intelligence Update.....CIA
- III. Policy Discussion.....All Participants
 - a. Humanitarian Assistance
 - b. Contingency Planning for Kosovo
 - c. (If time permits) Increasing Broadcasts into Serbia
- IV. Summary.....Admiral Howe

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ISSUES PAPER

I. Humanitarian Assistance

Airlift

- With the airlift still suspended, Mrs. Ogata has been seeking country views on resumption of flights. Our own qualified "yes" to UNHCR may prompt others to renew flights as well. What additional steps can be taken to speed the resumption of flights?

Road Convoys

- What is the status of the road convoy effort? What is our assessment of the UNHCR winterization plan? What gaps remain? What more we can do to improve this operation?
- What specific requests have we received from UNHCR regarding U.S. assistance? Have they identified any requirements we are not prepared to fill?

Expanded UNPROFOR

- What is the status of the expanded UNPROFOR mission? What has resulted from the military meetings in Zagreb? Where do we stand with regard to the offer of a 'NATO' HQ element?
- With our offer to consider requests for lift, is it possible to expedite deployment?
- Is it feasible and do we recommend providing a field hospital as requested by the UN?

Cease-fire

- What more can we do to get the fighting stopped or substantially curtailed?
- Are there alternatives to a country-wide cease-fire that we can pursue, i.e. local cease-fires, tranquility corridors, that may help create conditions to facilitate aid delivery?

II. Kosovo

- How can we use international observers to buy time and to buy patience with the Albanians until Milosevic is replaced or Serbian policies changed?
- What are our fundamental options in the event there is a large-scale and one sided use of force in Kosovo?

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September 21, 1992



ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR JONATHAN T. HOWE
THROUGH: DAVID C. GOMPERT
FROM: JANE E. HOLLY
SUBJECT: Deputies Meeting on Yugoslavia, September 23, 1992

The agenda for the subject meeting is attached at Tab A. As you requested, the meeting will focus on two subjects: humanitarian aid and contingency planning for the Kosovo. An issues paper to frame the discussion is attached at Tab B.

RECOMMENDATION

That you authorize Bill Sittmann to sign the memo to agencies at Tab I.

Approve JS Disapprove _____

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- What is the status of the road convoy effort? What is our assessment of the UNHCR winterization plan? What gaps remain? What more we can do to improve this operation?
- What specific requests have we received from UNHCR regarding U.S. assistance? Have they identified any requirements we are not prepared to fill?

Expanded UNPROFOR

- What is the status of the expanded UNPROFOR mission? What has resulted from the military meetings in Zagreb? Where do we stand with regard to the offer of a 'NATO' HQ element?

- With our offer to consider requests for lift, is it possible to expedite deployment?

Cease-fire *not feasible and do we recommend providing a field hospital ~~to~~ as requested by the UN?*

- ^{more} What can we do to ~~aim and support~~ Vance to get the fighting stopped or substantially curtailed?
- Are there alternatives to a country-wide cease-fire that we can pursue, i.e. local cease-fires, tranquility corridors, that may help create conditions to facilitate aid delivery?

II. Kosovo

- How can we use international observers to buy time and to buy patience with the Albanians until Milosevic is replaced or Serbian policies changed?
- What are our fundamental options in the event there is a large-scale and one sided use of force in Kosovo?

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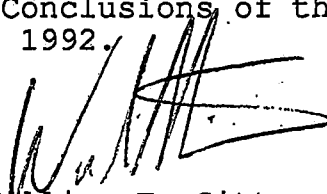
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Attached at Tab A is the Summary of Conclusions of the Deputies
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William F. Sittmann
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Tab A Summary of Conclusions

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MEMORANDUM FOR JONATHAN T. HOWE
THROUGH: DAVID C. GOMPERT *[Signature]*
FROM: JANE E. HOLD *[Signature]*
SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions, Deputies Meeting on
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The summary of conclusions for the subject meeting is attached at Tab A.

RECOMMENDATION

That you authorize Bill Sittmann to sign the memo to agencies at Tab I.

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- To facilitate USG consideration of the myriad requests for supply and support for the range of international activities dealing with the crisis in Yugoslavia, State will assemble a streamlined (global) list of requirements, establish guidelines, and suggest a procedure by which requirements can be dealt with routinely. (S) *within those policy guidelines*
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