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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 14, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: CHRISS WINSTON *cw*
FROM: MARY KATE GRANT *mkg*
SUBJECT: CZECHOSLOVAKIAN DINNER TOAST

Attached for your review is a draft toast for the dinner in Prague to be held on November 17, 1990, hosted by U.S. Ambassador Shirley Temple Black at the American Embassy.

The toast celebrates the one year anniversary of the Velvet Revolution, and applauds the bright future of Czechoslovakia.

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November 14, 1990
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RESPONSE:

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cc: James W. Cicconi

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FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Toast in Czechoslovakia

I have reviewed and concur with the Presidential remarks for the Czechoslovakia dinner toast at the Ambassador's residence on November 17, 1990.

If you have any questions or we can help in any other way, please let me know.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR CHRISS WINSTON

FROM: JIM PINKERTON

SUBJECT: Czechoslovakia Dinner

pg. 1, para. 2, line 2 "...I forgot my bluejeans."

This struck us as too informal for the occasion. We suggest washing the draft in bleach until this line fades away.

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RESPONSE:

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RESPONSE:

*Chris,
Looks good.
Susan Porter Rose*

(I'd skip the blue jean joke, but that's my reaction)

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NO COMMENTS. THANKS.

HOLLY WILLIAMSON *HW*
11-14-90

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*No Comments
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I am delighted to have this opportunity to visit the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, and to see first-hand the remarkable changes taking place here. I always enjoy seeing President Havel, and we have spent a glorious day together -- going from the Federal Assembly to Wenceslas Square, the place where the "Velvet Revolution" first began.

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Your courageous patriots in world War II taught us that appeasement toward an aggressor does not pay. And today multinational forces are standing up to aggression elsewhere in the world. Because of bitter lessons learned at Munich in 1938, all now agree: **there will be no appeasement this time.**

That night a year ago, the Czechoslovak protestors honored their predecessors but also showed us something else: that the power of the people is invincible.

And over the last year, you've renamed this great country, and held the first democratic elections in more than four decades. You have moved your revolution from the streets into the houses of parliament and the halls of government. You have inspired the world.

We Americans, who helped in the creation of Czechoslovakia, when this century was still young, share your joy and your sense of excitement.

The road ahead will be difficult. But you will not journey alone. And I am confident that the Czech and Slovak peoples will meet the challenges before them -- and triumph.

So let us all lift our glasses. I now propose a toast: To the power of your people, and to the power of the friendship between our two great nations.

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