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TO:

NELSON CUNNINGHAM

① Eric
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File - Mr.
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FAX NO:

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FROM:

Michael Huerta

Chief of Staff

Office: (202) 366-1103

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Message:

ATTACHED IS THE VENEZUELA MEMO WE DISCUSSED. THE SECRETARY WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND THE INVITATION TO SENATOR MCCAIN HIMSELF--IF THAT'S OK WITH MR. MCLARTY. IF WE DON'T SPEAK THIS EVENING, PLEASE CONTACT BERNARD GAILLARD (366-4368) OR JERRY MALONE (366-6800) AS TO WHETHER THAT WILL BE APPROPRIATE.

THANKS!

**U.S. Department of
Transportation**Office of the Secretary
of Transportation**Memorandum**Subject: Venezuela--Status under FAA's assessment program
and impact on U.S. carrier operations

Date: August 29, 1997

From: Charles A. Hunnicutt
Assistant Secretary for Aviation
and International AffairsReply to
Attn. of:To: Michael P. Huerta
Chief of Staff

In May of 1995, the FAA conducted an assessment of the safety oversight capability of Venezuela's Ministry of Transportation and Communications (MTC), and determined that Venezuela was not in compliance with International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) safety standards. This assessment was part of an ongoing FAA program to assess all countries which have air carriers conducting services to the United States. In August of 1995, after consultations with Venezuela, the FAA placed Venezuela in "Category II" status, meaning that, pending resolution of the safety oversight deficiencies, the FAA would allow Venezuelan carriers to continue their then-current U.S. operations under heightened FAA surveillance, but would allow no expansion of those services.¹

In April, 1996, there was an exchange of letters between then-Secretary Peña and Venezuela's then-Minister of Transportation and Communications Antonio Corrales, in which the Venezuelan side pledged to meet its ICAO obligations through a series of action plans (essentially timetables showing expected completion dates of items that required addressing to bring the Government into compliance with ICAO standards) developed by the MTC and FAA.

Since that time, there have been numerous intergovernmental contacts, including several follow-up evaluations by the FAA; however, the FAA has found little evidence of progress. The Government of Venezuela hired a contractor to assist it, but on a number of occasions the contractor has terminated its work because of nonpayment of its fees by Venezuela. Adequate commitment by Venezuela, and the funding that would flow from that commitment, appear to be the stumbling blocks to obtaining a resolution.

Against this background, the Government of Venezuela has become increasingly frustrated as its carriers struggle to maintain a presence in the U.S.-Venezuela market in the face of operational constraints caused by its Category II status and competition from U.S. carriers. The major Venezuelan carrier, VIASA, has gone out of business, as have several smaller Venezuelan carriers.

¹ Under the FAA program, if a country fails to maintain sustainable progress toward correcting the identified deficiencies, the FAA may place the country in "Category III" status, which would prohibit the country's carriers from conducting any direct service to the United States.

At present, the only Venezuelan-carrier operations are conducted by Servivensa, between Caracas and Miami/New York, and its affiliate, Avensa, between Maracaibo and Miami, and the FAA has refused a recent request of Servivensa to add aircraft to its U.S. operations (the aircraft had been removed from service to be hushkitted, and Servivensa wanted to put them back into service).

Several U.S. carriers want to commence or expand services to Venezuela: American, from Dallas/Ft. Worth; Continental, from Houston and Newark; Delta, from Atlanta; NationsAir, from Miami; and Polar, for cargo service (Federal Express is working to move its services from Caracas to Valencia; the move appears to be proceeding).

Last week, Assistant Secretary of State Jeffrey Davidow, and DOT representatives, met with Venezuelan Ambassador Pedro Luis Echeverria to discuss the U.S. carrier access, and Category II, issues. On August 28, the Ambassador met with the FAA. The Venezuelans believe that their carriers will be at a severe competitive disadvantage if they are unable to expand their U.S.-Venezuela service, and U.S. carriers are in a position to do so freely. The Venezuelan position is that, given the serious political problem the situation is causing in Venezuela, Venezuela cannot agree to grant the pending requests by U.S. carriers to conduct their proposed new services in the U.S.-Venezuela market so long as Venezuelan carrier services remain restricted.¹ At the meeting with the FAA, Ambassador Echeverria proposed that if the FAA would allow Servivensa to add three aircraft to its U.S. fleet, the action would provide sufficient political cover for the MTC to allow U.S. carriers to conduct additional Venezuelan operations. The FAA responded that flight safety and of the desire of U.S. carriers for additional economic authority were separate issues, and that the FAA was not prepared, on safety grounds, to allow Venezuelan carriers to add additional aircraft while Venezuela remains in Category II.

On August 25, the U.S. Ambassador to Venezuela met with me, and the following day with FAA representatives. The Ambassador outlined concerns expressed to him by the Government of Venezuela regarding its Category II status, U.S. carrier demands for increased service, and progress made by the Government of Venezuela to meet ICAO safety standards. The Ambassador was told of the importance of having the Government of Venezuela move to meet its safety and bilateral obligations. In addition, FAA has scheduled a progress visit for September 15, and, during that visit, will assist the Government of Venezuela with updating its action plan.

Our position is that (1) the safety oversight issue is one that the Government of Venezuela must itself come to grips with, by committing the resources necessary to bring its safety oversight capability into compliance with ICAO standards; and (2) the Government of Venezuela must, without further delay, fulfill its bilateral obligations by promptly granting U.S. carriers the operating rights to which they are entitled. While we hope that the commitment to address the safety oversight shortcomings can and will be made by the Venezuelans, we recognize that the task ahead for the Venezuelans is not an easy one, and, given the history, one that may not be completed soon.

¹ We have previously advised the Venezuelan authorities that, notwithstanding the country's Category II status, there is some flexibility in what operations Venezuelan carriers can perform; specifically, Servivensa and Avensa are free to increase their frequencies in existing markets using their current aircraft (although they may not serve additional cities, or add additional aircraft).

Dear Mack:



Aug 21 '97

News
Eric
Richard
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I read your July 17 U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce speech with great pleasure. In it you vividly captured the sense of excitement and possibilities in the Americas — an era that you have worked doggedly and effectively over the last several years to make possible. You have marked out territory by your work that will no doubt engage you for a lifetime, because the

Henry G. Cisneros

potential in Latino markets — in the Americas and within the U.S. — is so vast. It is my job now to track and understand those markets and I never cease to be impressed. ③

I received a call from David Levy in the White House Communications office asking us at Univision to air the President's "town hall of the Americas" in October. We are excited and ready. As I understand it, the President



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will host a town hall meeting of South American notables in Buenos Aires and be hooked-up by satellite with simultaneous town hall audiences in such key U.S. cities as Miami and Los Angeles. We think it is a great idea and will do our part. I understand that all that is lacking is the President's final go-ahead and I'd like to ask your intervention to give it a push. Thanks! Our best to Osmar - Henry G. Cisneros come see us in L.A.! / Henry

Alex Fernandez
PRESIDENT

File -

South America

Pre-Advance



*Eric
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Andrew*

**AMCHAM
CHILE**

Santiago, August 28, 1997

Mr. Thomas McLarty
Secretary of State for the
Summit of the Americas
The White House
Fax.: (202) 456-2215

Dear Mack,

I'm pleased to hear that you will be visiting Santiago in late September.

I would like to extend an invitation for you to speak at our monthly luncheon meeting to be held on September 29.

I know that our members would be pleased to hear the latest developments on the "Fast Track" bill. I would hope that by then we will have a clearer picture.

I would appreciate it if you could confirm your participation so we can begin the preparations.

Best regards,

cc: Paulina Dellafiori - Amcham
Ambassador Gabriel Guerra-Mondragón

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NSC PASS TO OVP - LEON FUERTH

E.O. 12958: N/A

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SUBJECT: DELIVERABLE FOR PRESIDENTIAL VISIT: AGREEMENT FOR
COOPERATION ON REINVENTING GOVERNMENT

REF: (A) BRASILIA 3735 (B) BRASILIA 3556
(C) MALLORY-FEATHERSTONE 8/27 TELCON

1. ACTION REQUEST: AMBASSADOR REQUESTS DEPARTMENT'S GUIDANCE ON PROPOSED AGREEMENT (TO BE SIGNED, IF POSSIBLE, ON OCTOBER 14 DURING PRESIDENT CLINTON'S VISIT) FOR USG-GOB TECHNICAL COOPERATION ON REINVENTING GOVERNMENT. PER AGREEMENT, NATIONAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW (NPR) WOULD IDENTIFY EXPERTS FROM USG AGENCIES WHO COULD SHARE WITH THE BRAZILIANS THEIR EXPERIENCES IN REINVENTING GOVERNMENT. NPR CHIEF OF STAFF LISA MALLORY INDICATED IN REF C TELCON WITH EMBASSY POLOFF THAT NPR WOULD BE SATISFIED WITH TEXT IN PARA 3 (WHICH IS A REVISED VERSION OF TEXT IN REFTEL A). BRAZIL'S MINISTRY FOR FEDERAL ADMINISTRATION AND STATE REFORM (MARE) ALSO ACCEPTS THE REVISED TEXT; WE ARE NOW WAITING FOR STATE DEPARTMENT AND FOREIGN MINISTRY CONCURRENCE.

2. AMBASSADOR BELIEVES IT WOULD BE VERY POSITIVE TO HAVE A "REINVENTING GOVERNMENT" AGREEMENT SIGNED OR ANNOUNCED DURING THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT. THE COOPERATION WOULD CARRY (AT LITTLE COST) A GREAT DEAL OF SYMBOLIC AND PUBLIC RELATIONS VALUE, DRAWING ATTENTION TO THE DESIRE SHARED BY BOTH NATIONS (AND ADMINISTRATIONS) TO MAKE GOVERNMENT MORE EFFICIENT AND RESPONSIVE.

3. PLEASE ADVISE.

4. BEGIN REVISED TEXT OF PROPOSED AGREEMENT:

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AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ON COOPERATION IN THE AREA OF STATE REFORM AND MODERNIZATION OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
(HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "PARTIES"),

RECOGNIZING, WITH GREAT SATISFACTION, THE EXCELLENT LEVEL OF BILATERAL RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY IN THE AREA OF TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION;

RECOGNIZING THE PRIORITY PLACED BY BOTH STATES ON SHARING EXPERIENCES IN THE AREA OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, PRINCIPALLY IN THE AREA OF STATE REFORM AND MODERNIZATION;

CONSIDERING THE COMMON DIRECTION OF EFFORTS BY BOTH COUNTRIES TO BUILD A TRANSPARENT, EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, RESULT-ORIENTED TO MEET THE DEMANDS OF THEIR CLIENTS AND USERS;

CONSIDERING THE INTEREST IN MECHANISMS OF SOCIAL CONTROL AND SYSTEMS FOR MONITORING AND EVALUATING PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS,

AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

ARTICLE I

THE PARTIES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS IN EFFECT IN EACH COUNTRY, COMMIT TO DEVELOPING TECHNICAL COOPERATION ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF STATE REFORM AND MODERNIZATION OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION.

ARTICLE II

THE PARTIES AGREE TO DEFINE A SET OF GOALS AND PRIORITIES FOR COOPERATION BY MEANS OF ANNUAL PLANS.

ARTICLE III

THE PARTIES WILL CONSTITUTE A BILATERAL COMMITTEE (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "COMMITTEE") WITH THE MISSION OF PREPARING AND IMPLEMENTING THE ANNUAL COOPERATION PLANS:

A) THE COMMITTEE WILL BE COMPOSED OF AN IDENTICAL NUMBER OF SENIOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, DESIGNATED BY EACH SIDE, NOT TO EXCEED THREE FROM EACH PARTY;

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B) MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE WILL BE NAMED, RESPECTIVELY, BY THE MINISTRY OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND STATE REFORM (MARE) IN BRAZIL AND THE NATIONAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW OFFICE IN THE UNITED STATES;

C) THE COMMITTEE WILL BE IN PERMANENT CONTACT THROUGH THE INTERNET OR OTHER WORLDWIDE NETWORK FOR DATA TRANSMISSION;
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D) THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET PERIODICALLY AS DEEMED NECESSARY BY ITS MEMBERS. MEETINGS WILL ALTERNATE IN THE CAPITALS OF THE PARTIES;

E) THE COMMITTEE WILL ESTABLISH ITS OWN RULES AND SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES, AND WILL BE ABLE TO CREATE, WITHIN ITS AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY, SPECIALIZED TECHNICAL COMMISSIONS;

F) THE COMMITTEE WILL BE ABLE TO INVITE INDIVIDUALS AND/OR NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN ITS MEETINGS.

ARTICLE IV

EACH OF THE PARTIES, FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EFFORTS DESCRIBED ABOVE, AGREE TO FACILITATE THE VISITS OF SPECIALISTS FROM THE OTHER PARTY, DESIGNATED BY COMMON AGREEMENT, AS WELL AS THE EXCHANGE OF REPORTS, DOCUMENTS AND BIBLIOGRAPHIC MATERIAL, AS THEIR RESOURCES PERMIT.

ARTICLE V

COSTS INCURRED BY THE EXCHANGE OF SPECIALISTS DESCRIBED IN ARTICLE III OF THIS AGREEMENT WILL BE DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:

A) THE SENDING PARTY WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR TRAVEL EXPENSES OF ITS SPECIALISTS;

B) THE RECEIVING PARTY WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ROOM AND BOARD EXPENSES OF THE SPECIALISTS.

ARTICLE VI

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1. EACH OF THE PARTIES WILL NOTIFY THE OTHER OF THE FULFILLMENT OF THE NECESSARY LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR APPROVAL OF THIS AGREEMENT, WHICH WILL ENTER INTO FORCE ON THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF THE SECOND OF THESE NOTIFICATIONS AND WILL REMAIN IN FORCE FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS, RENEWABLE, TACITLY, FOR PERIODS OF THREE YEARS. EACH PARTY WILL BE ABLE TO CANCEL THE AGREEMENT AT ANY TIME, WITH SIX MONTHS' ADVANCE NOTICE.

2. CANCELLATION DOES NOT RELIEVE THE PARTIES OF COMMITMENTS TO PROJECTS UNDERWAY.

3. CHANGES TO THIS AGREEMENT ENTER INTO FORCE BY MEANS OF THE PROCEDURE DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH ONE OF THIS ARTICLE.

DONE IN BRASILIA, ON THE DAY OF OCTOBER 1997, IN
PORTUGUESE AND ENGLISH VERSIONS WHICH ARE EQUALLY
AUTHORITATIVE.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL:

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

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-South America Trip

To: Nelson Cunningham**From:** Natasha Rodriguez**Fax:** 456-2464**Date:** September 5, 1997**Phone:****Pages:** 3**Re:****CC:**☐ **Urgent**☐ **For Review**☐ **Please Comment**☐ **Please Reply**☐ **Please Recycle****Comments:**



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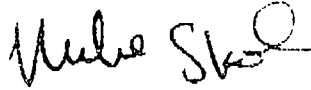
I will call you this afternoon. I appreciate your
CHOQUE DE OPINIONES proposal for an
interview with the President.

Subsequently, I talked with both Mike McCurry and Anne Luzzatto.
Included in your information and Mack's, is a copy of the FAX I
received from Mack and a copy of Marlene Fernandez's bio.

(Mack's name is in the file for Mack).

ANNA UZZATTO (456-9270)
 MIKE SCURRY (456-6423)

MICHAEL SKOL



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**TO: NSC - Sandy Berger
NSC - Mack McLarty
NSC - Jim Dobbins
ARA - Jeff Davidow
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FROM: AA/LAC, Mark L. Schneider 77

**SUBJECT: Follow-up to the President's Trip to Latin America
and the Caribbean**

FAX: 202-647-9671

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Eric
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Subject: Presidential Trip -- Press/Public Followup

Although I know that State and the NSC have the substantive side of the follow-up to the President's trip well in hand, with an inter-agency process about to produce a time line for concrete actions to implement the Mexico, San Jose and Caribbean Declarations, I haven't heard much on the public education/p.r. side.

Since I may just be out of the loop, this seems like the fastest way to add a few suggestions:

1. White House/State briefing from NSC to Latin America, Caribbean, and foreign policy think tanks on trip results, implementation plans for the future and steps leading up to Santiago.
2. Major speech by President, Secretary of State, Sandy or Mack at Council of Foreign Relations or another forum on the new Partnership in U.S./Latin American relations as we approach the 21st century.
3. Op-eds by Administration leader on same subject.
4. White House/State briefing for Congressional committees and key caucuses on trip and Congressional implications.

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	Bryan Samuel	State/ARA	647-6754	647-0791

FROM: Peter Allgeier, (202) 395-6135, FAX (202) 395-9675
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SUBJECT: USTR View on Mercosur Meeting during POTUS Trip

Please see attached.

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Caracas, July 25th, 1997

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The Honorable Thomas J. MacLarty
Special Representative of
The President of the United States
for Latin America and the Caribbean
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mac:

It seems that your very effective support is actually going to make our principal **VenAmCham** institutional objectives for 1997 a successful reality: The President will come to Venezuela in October and probably sign a Bilateral Investment Treaty and a double taxation agreement while he is here.

We are very closely monitoring progress on the agreements to be signed in October. At the same time, we hope the President's schedule will allow him to address an energy oriented event co-sponsored by PDVSA, Venezuela's state owned petroleum company, and our own *VenAmCham* Petroleum Industry Committee on behalf of the bi-national private sector.

We realize the President's plans are not yet set and clear for this visit, but are very much on top of this since we believe the private sector, and in particular U.S. investors in Venezuela, should be closely involved in the visit. Whatever additional help you can give us will again be deeply appreciated.

Mac, we are truly thankful. All of this would not have come to pass without key support from you and from our mutual friend in Washington, Jeff Davidow. We are indebted to both of you.

Looking forward to seeing you again soon, as always,

Most cordially,

Antonio A. Herrera-Vaillant
Vice President/General Manager

cc The Honorable Jeffrey Davidow, Assistant Secretary of State for Latin America and the Caribbean

The Honorable John Maisto, United States Ambassador to Venezuela

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August 12, 1997

The Honorable Thomas F. (Mack) McLarty
Counselor to the President and Special Envoy for the Americas
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Attention: Anna Duque, Scheduler

Dear Mr. McLarty:

I read yesterday with great interest about the President and Mrs. Clinton's possible visit to Brazil this October. Today, Case Corporation, announced the formation of a Latin American agricultural equipment unit in Brazil which will invest \$100 million over a 3-year period to manufacture large-scale, production agricultural equipment. Case has sold its products in Brazil for 78 years and is the number one seller of light-to-medium construction equipment there. I am writing to invite the President and Mrs. Clinton to visit one of our Brazilian facilities during their October visit.

As you recall, Case Corporation, with revenues of \$5.4 billion, is headquartered in Racine, Wisconsin, and is a leading designer, manufacturer, and distributor of agricultural and construction equipment. The company's products are sold through a network of approximately 4,900 independent dealers and distributors in more than 150 countries. For example, our Sorocaba, Brazil facility has manufactured loader/backhoes, wheel loaders, and excavators since 1977.

Enclosed please find today's press release by our company announcing the Latin American investment. Also enclosed please find a 2-page summary on our company.

If possible, we would be honored to host the President and Mrs. Clinton at a Case facility in Brazil. If I may be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 429-2010. I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you.

Sincerely,

JOSEPH E. SAMORA, JR.
Director, Government Affairs

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Enclosures

For more information, contact:

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For Immediate Release

**CASE CORPORATION FORMS
AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT UNIT IN LATIN AMERICA**

Company Plans to Manufacture Case IH Agricultural Equipment in Brazil

Racine, Wisconsin (August 12, 1997) – Case Corporation announced today that it will form a Latin American agricultural equipment unit and invest up to approximately \$100 million over the next three years to manufacture its large-scale, production agricultural equipment in Brazil for the Latin American market.

The announcement came as Case joined Brazil's automotive regime today in a signing ceremony in the capital city of Brasilia. The automotive regime enables manufacturers that are either producing in Brazil or have concrete plans to do so to import products for substantially lower import tariffs.

"Demand for high-horsepower and large-scale agricultural equipment is growing in Latin America as the region increases its role in meeting the rising worldwide demand for food," said Jean-Pierre Rosso, Case chairman, president and chief executive officer. "Our Case IH agricultural equipment will enable farmers in Brazil, Argentina and other Latin American countries to increase their productivity by utilizing the best technology, performance and reliability available."

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"Our phased investment plan in Latin America is another step in our strategy to participate in emerging markets for our products worldwide that offer opportunity for strong growth and earnings potential," Rosso said.

Latin America, led by Brazil and Argentina, is among the top 10 agricultural regions of the world, and its crops are particularly suited for Case IH equipment. Brazil's major farm commodities are corn and soybeans. In Argentina, wheat and soybeans are the primary crops.

While Case has long exported agricultural equipment to Latin America, sales have recently risen as more large-scale farms in the region practice production agriculture. In 1996, retail unit sales of Case agricultural equipment more than doubled in Latin America, with Brazil and Argentina growing to almost half of the region's agricultural equipment sales. And, in the first six months of 1997, retail unit sales of high horsepower tractors have soared 87 percent while retail sales of combines have increased 60 percent.

"We have had a tremendous response from the farmers that are already using our 100 - 425 horsepower tractors, and those using our Case IH Axial-Flow combines have been extremely happy with the improved quality of their harvested grain. We have exhibited in the region our Advanced Farming System for precision farming and look forward to bringing this technology to the market here," said Andrew Graves, vice president and general manager, Latin America.

"We have already begun building a distribution network, and we're very optimistic that we can add to our early success and become a leading supplier of agricultural equipment in Brazil, Argentina, and throughout Latin America," Graves added.

Case is today the number one seller of light-to-medium construction equipment in Brazil and in Latin America, and has done business in Brazil for 78 years. The company presently makes loader/backhoes, wheel loaders and excavators in its Sorocaba, Brazil, facility, which opened in 1977.

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Through its acquisition of Austoft Holdings Ltd. in 1996, Case also has a joint venture in Brazil with the Ometto Group, Brastoft Maquinas E Sistemas Agroindustriais SA, to make sugar cane harvesters and transport equipment. . The joint venture recently purchased a manufacturing plant in Piracicaba, Brazil.

Case Corporation, with revenues of \$5.4 billion in 1996, is headquartered in Racine, Wisconsin, and is a leading worldwide designer, manufacturer and distributor of agricultural and construction equipment. The company's products are sold through a network of approximately 4,100 independent dealers and distributors in more than 150 countries. Case Credit Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of the company, services a portfolio of \$4.5 billion of agricultural and construction equipment financing and leasing contracts.

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CASE CORPORATION AT A GLANCE

MISSION

Case will lead the industry by providing its agricultural and construction equipment; customers around the world with superior products and services that maximize their productivity and success.

PROFILE

Case Corporation (NYSE:CSE) is one of the world's largest suppliers of agricultural and construction equipment, ranging from tractors and combines to loader/backhoes and skid steers. Headquartered in Racine, Wisconsin, Case employs approximately 17,000 people worldwide. Case equipment is sold in approximately 150 countries worldwide through a network of more than 4,100 independent dealers. With revenue exceeding \$5 billion, Case ranked 261 in the 1995 Fortune 500 list.

In 1996, Case net sales increased to \$5.4 billion, net income rose to \$349 million, and operating earnings reached \$579 million.

STRATEGY

Case is following an operating strategy that combines continued cost improvements with top-line growth opportunities. The company is reducing costs and generating earnings growth through process re-engineering, lower cost of quality and executing previously announced restructuring actions. Simultaneously, Case is capitalizing on growth opportunities by expanding into emerging markets and introducing innovative new products and new technology at a rapid pace.

Case's long-term restructuring program, which is scheduled to be completed by the end of 1997, is expected to generate \$500 million in total savings by 1998. In 1995, the company closed a plant in Europe, sold company-owned stores and began implementing an aggressive supply chain management program. Also in 1996, the company introduced more than 20 new models of agricultural equipment, completed four acquisitions on three continents and announced a joint venture in the Central Asia country of Uzbekistan.

HISTORY

Case was founded in Racine in 1842 by inventor Jerome Increase Case to build threshing machines. Later, the company expanded into other agricultural products, such as plows and tillage tools, and eventually purchased a line of tillage, haying and harvesting equipment. In the 1920s and 1930s, Case expanded tractor production and added combines to its product line.

By 1912, Case had established itself in the construction equipment industry as a supplier of road building equipment (steam rollers and road graders). Case introduced the first commercially successful loader/backhoe available under one warranty from a single manufacturer in 1957. This began Case's worldwide leadership as a supplier of loader/backhoes.

In 1964, controlling interest in Case was acquired by Kern County Land Company. Later, Tenneco Inc. (NYSE:TEN) acquired Kern County and retained the controlling interest in Case. By 1970, Tenneco decided to repurchase all remaining shares of the company and Case became a wholly owned subsidiary of Tenneco.

Throughout the 1960s and 1970s, Case expanded its business through a number of acquisitions and product introductions. In 1985, Case acquired selected assets of International Harvester's agricultural equipment operations. This made Case the second largest manufacturer in the North American agricultural industry and expanded Case's line of farm equipment.

Following a dramatic reduction in the agricultural market in the mid-to-late 1980s, Case embarked upon two separate restructuring programs. The first was a \$461 million effort announced in 1991. It was aimed principally at reducing costs. This initiative, complete at the end of 1994, resulted in a flattened corporate structure, a 38 percent reduction in employment and production cuts of 26 percent. The response in corporate earnings was a \$358 million positive income swing in the program's first year.

In 1993, Case embarked on a more detailed, three-year, \$920 million restructuring program. This initiative is designed to address basic issues adversely impacting Case's operating results: flat to declining markets, unrelenting global competition and substantial overcapacity.

In June 1994, Case returned to public ownership through an initial public offering at \$19 per share. Since then the company has continued to achieve ongoing financial performance and shareholder value improvement. Case is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol of CSE.

PRODUCTS

Case designs, manufactures and markets medium-to-large agricultural equipment and light-to-medium construction equipment. The company markets more than 150 products under the names Case, Case IH and Case Poclain.

As the world's second largest manufacturer of agricultural equipment, Case offers a full line that includes the award-winning MAGNUM,TM MAXXUM,[®] STEIGER[®] and general-purpose tractors from 42 to 425 gross horsepower; grain and cotton harvesting equipment, including the patented Axial-Flow[®] combines that can be equipped to harvest corn, rice, soybeans, wheat and small grains, and the Case IH Cotton Express[®] pickers, which are designed to pick both sides of a cotton plant; plows, disk harrows and other tillage equipment; planters, grain drills, cultivators and other crop production equipment; mower conditioners, disc mowers, self-propelled windrowers, balers and forage harvesting equipment; skid-steer loaders, manure spreaders, and other materials handling and accessory equipment.

Case is a leading manufacturer of a wide-range of mid-sized construction products for the worldwide construction, utility, street and highway and materials handling equipment markets. More than 60 different models include the top selling loader/backhoe in the world – Case Construction King[®] loader/backhoes; wheel loaders rated at 126 to 248 net horsepower; crawler dozers, which can be used for residential and industrial construction chores; skid-steer loaders known in the industry for their reliability and heavy-duty performance; excavators with operating weights from 26,000 to 97,000 pounds, rated at 87 to 276 net horsepower; eight trenchers and cable plows; rough terrain forklifts commonly used at lumber yards and outdoor work sites; and loader-landscapers.

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FAX TRANSMISSION

To: Mr. Thomas F. McLarty III **Date:** July 15, 1997
Fax #: (202)456-2464/7586 **Pages:** 9, including this cover sheet.
From: David M. Abshire
Subject: U S -Argentine Caucus/MERCOSUR

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Dear Mack:

I thought of you and your interest in Latin America during my recent visit to Buenos Aires. As you know the Center has developed a very strong Argentina program, the U.S.-Argentina Caucus -- composed of leading private sector executives in both countries -- and the MERCOSUR Congressional Study Group co-chaired by Senators DeWine and Breaux and Representative Matsui. We are in the process of launching a similar Caucus initiative with Brazil. I was in Buenos Aires to participate in the Caucus' Current Conditions Working Group and to join in the introductory seminar for the Foundation for Government and Society which CSIS is helping to organize and train. The Foundation's goal is to support projects designed to institutionalize the reforms undertaken in Argentina in the last few years.

I am pleased that the president will visit three important South American countries in October. The U.S. would clearly benefit from expanded political and trade relations with this important region. The passage of broad "Fast Track" negotiating authority would clearly be the correct step in this direction. With this mind, I would hope that a representative group of Caucus members would be able to provide their input to the President. I believe that commentary from these senior private sector executives would be helpful in the formation of U.S. policy in the region. At the very least, I would hope that the President would mention the proactive activities of our group.

The Center and the Caucus would be pleased to offer its support for a successful visit and a strong U.S. presence in this important region. I will call you on this next week.

With warm regards,

Sincerely yours,

David M. Abshire

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cc: Ana M. Duque/WHO/EOP, Eric Farnsworth/WHO/EOP, Nelson W. Cunningham/WHO/EOP

Subject: Call from Manuel Rocha

Mr. Rocha, the DCM of our Embassy in Buenos Aires, called to give us positive responses to two requests you had made in your conversations with him last week --

1) You had indicated that Mack would be giving a speech Sept. 30 in Santiago, then traveling to Buenos Aires and that he wanted to meet with the Foreign Minister -- The FM will be in town and will meet with TFM.

2) The President will meet with Mack on Oct. 1.

Andrew Friendly

08/14/97 03:59:45 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Ana M. Duque/WHO/EOP

cc: Eric Farnsworth/WHO/EOP, Nelson W. Cunningham/WHO/EOP

Subject: Re: Argentina pre-advance 

I called him and said that maybe Mack could see the Foreign Minister the night of Sept. 30th and then see President Menem on Oct. 1st.

He thought that would work but would get back to me.

Andrew

South America Trip

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MEMORANDUM FOR: LAEL BRAINARD, NICOLE ELKIND, NELSON CUNNINGHAM,
TONY BLINKEN, LIZ VERVILLE, ANNE LUZZATTO, BILL
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FROM: KARL HOFMANN, Inter-American, x69136

SUBJECT: President's October Trip to Latin America

Please give us your comments/clearance on the attached memo to
the President regarding his October trip, by COB Thursday,
August 7.

Thank you.

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White House Guidelines,
September 11, 2006

By KDE NARA, Date 05/30/2014
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PRESIDENT'S TRAVEL TO SOUTH AMERICA

AGENDA

AUGUST 7, 1997

Precedence -
3-11 or 12 Sept.

1. First Lady's Travel Schedule
 - Panama 8+9 Oct
 - Dominican Republic and/or Jamaica or other options

Caracas
Venezuela?

2. President's Travel Schedule

- Caracas, Venezuela
 - option 1
 - option 2
- Bilat. with Caldera
- Energy Event (mtg with CEOs)
- Press Conference
- Wreath Laying at El Panteon
- State Lunch
- Embassy Event
- Arrival Ceremony
- Bilat with Cardoso
- Crowd Event-
- Press Conference
- State Dinner/Entertainment
- Embassy Event
- Environment event
- Visit School - Education event
- Trade Speech/Possible
- MERCOSUR Summit
- Tour Falls
- Bilat with Menem
- Town Hall
- Crowd Event
- Wreath Laying at Plaza San Martin
- Embassy Event
- State Dinner
- Mtg with Opposition Leaders
- Signing of National Parks
- Agreement
- Down Time

Timing:
① Trip memo / Summit
② Communications

- Brasilia, Brazil
 - option 1
 - option 2
- Rio de Janeiro option 1
- option 2
- Sao Paulo, Brazil
- Iguacu Falls
- Buenos Aires, Argentina
 - option 1
 - option 2
- Bariloche, Argentina

3. Deliverables
 - MERCOSUR Summit - where? when?
4. Timing on Decisions - memos

Dobbins => OPL OTU's flying back
- day early
②

Option 1

- 12 $OC \Rightarrow Caracas$
- 13 $Caracas \Rightarrow Brasilia$
- 14 $Brasilia \Rightarrow Rio$
- 15 $Rio \Rightarrow Sao Paulo \Rightarrow BA$
- 16 BA
- 17 $BA \Rightarrow Bariloche$
- 18 $Bariloche$
- 19 $Bariloche \Rightarrow Iguaçu$

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Option 2

- $OC \Rightarrow Brasilia$
- $Brasilia \Rightarrow Rto$
- $Rio \Rightarrow Sao Paulo$
- $Sao Paulo \Rightarrow BA$
- BA
- BA

DRAFT #5

**PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO
VENEZUELA, BRAZIL AND ARGENTINA**

October 12 - 19, 1997

NOTE: None of the events listed below have received sign-off by the White House. These events are the requests of the host government.

Sunday, October 12

11:00 am DEPART Washington, DC en route Caracas, Venezuela
[flight time: 4 hours and 15 minutes]

3:15 pm ARRIVE Caracas, Venezuela

- Arrival Ceremony (no remarks)
- Bi-lat w/ Caldera
- State Dinner

RON Caracas, Venezuela

Monday, October 13

- *Energy Event (T)*
- meeting w/ business leaders/execs
- Wreath Laying at El Panteon (Simon Bolivar's tomb)
- Embassy Event

12:15 pm WHEELS UP en route Brasilia, Brazil
[flight time: 4 hours and 30 minutes]
[time change: +1]

5:45 pm ARRIVE in Brasilia, Brazil

- Arrival Ceremony
- State Dinner/Cultural Presentation

RON Brasilia, Brazil

Tuesday, October 14

- Bi-lat w/ Cardoso
- Meeting w/ opposition leaders
- *Press Conference* (T)
- Embassy Event

1:30 pm DEPART en route Rio de Janero
[flight time: 1 hour and 30 minutes]

3:00 pm ARRIVE in Rio de Janero

- OTR Time
- Private Dinner

RON Rio de Janero

Wednesday, October, 15

- *Education event* (T)
- *MERCOSUR Summit* (T)
- *Crowd event* (T)

12:30 am DEPART en route Sao Paulo
[flight time: 1 hour]

1:30 pm ARRIVE Sao Paulo

- *Trade speech* (T)
 - AmCham building
 - Eli Lilly plant
 - Business leaders meeting
- OTR Time

5:00 pm DEPART en route Buenos Aires, Argentina
[flight time: 1 hour and 30 minutes]

6:30 pm ARRIVE Buenos Aires, Argentina

- Arrival Ceremony
- Private Dinner

RON Buenos Aires, Argentina

Thursday, October 16

- *Message Event*
- Bi-lat with Menem
- Meeting with Opposition Leaders
- Wreath Laying at Plaza San Martin
- Other event (Jewish Community Center)(T)
- OTR Time
- State Dinner/Reception

RON Buenos Aires, Argentina

Friday, October 17

- Embassy Event

10:30 am DEPART en route Iguacu Falls
[flight time: ?]

TBD Visit Iguacu Falls/Down Time

4:00 pm DEPART en route Bariloche
[flight time: 3 hours]

7:00 pm ARRIVE Bariloche

RON Bariloche, Argentina

Saturday, October 18

NOTE: President Menem might join the POTUS and FLOTUS on this day.

- DOWN TIME

RON Bariloche, Argentina

Sunday, October 19

- DOWN TIME

TBD Depart en route Washington, DC
[flight time: 12 hours]
[time change: +1 hour]

RON Washington, DC

**** (Option also to depart on red eye on Saturday night or Sunday night back to Washington.)**

File - South
America
Trip

① Leg Affairs - add
to invite list

PRESIDENT'S TRAVEL TO SOUTH AMERICA TRIP PLANNING MEETING

JULY 21, 1997

I. Travel Itinerary

- Countries, in order
- Major events and cities/destinations (e.g. MERCOSUR event, Peru/Ecuador mtg, Speeches to Parliaments, crowd events)

SB asked for - Arms
small mtg - sales
- Non
- NATO
- ally

II. First Lady Itinerary

- Panama meeting of First Ladies
- Other recommended stops - Davidson to provide proposals

III. Dates of Travel

Sept 12-19th

IV. Update on Deliverables

- Brazil/education
- Non-NATO ally

- Davidson to update

V. Communications Strategy

- Presidential involvement, including speeches and what venues
- Press plan - Scene setter - N.O.?

- Blinken strategy paper

VI. Miscellaneous

- Congressional/Cabinet involvement
- Argentina elections
- McLarty and advance team travel

1-1 classroom?
- end of September

VII. Taskings

- Memo to PUTAS on trip - Debbie
by next week

October 1997

Monthly Planner

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Sunday, October 12

TBD DEPART Washington, DC en route Caracas, Venezuela
[flight time: 4 hours and 15 minutes]

Arrival Ceremony

Private Dinner (POTUS/FLOTUS anniversary dinner)

RON Caracas, Venezuela

Monday, October 13

Message Event/Speech (optional)

Bi-lat w/ Caldera

Wreath Laying at El Panteon (Simon Bolivar's tomb)

State Reception/Lunch

Embassy Event

4:00 pm WHEELS UP en route Brasilia, Brazil
[flight time: 4 hours and 30 minutes]
[time change: +1]

9:30 pm ARRIVE in Brasilia, Brazil

RON Brasilia, Brazil

OPTION #1

Tuesday, October 14

Arrival Ceremony

Speech to Brazilian Congress/
Speech to Public/Press Conference

Bi-lat w/ Cardoso

State Lunch

Embassy Event

8:00 pm Depart en route Sao Paulo

RON Sao Paulo, Brazil

Wednesday, October, 15

Speech/Business Event/AmCham Event

Other event

RON Sao Paulo, Brazil

OPTION #2

Tuesday, October 14

Arrival Ceremony

Speech to Brazilian Congress/
Speech to Public/Press Conference

Bi-lat w/ Cardoso

State Lunch

Embassy Event

8:00 pm DEPART en route Sao Paulo or
Rio de Janero

**RON Sao Paulo, Brazil or
RON Rio de Janero**

Wednesday, October, 15

Speech/Business Event/AmCham Event

Depart en route Rio de Janero, Brazil

Helo sightseeing tour

OTR Time

Crowd Event (optional)

**RON Rio de Janero, Brazil or
RON Sao Paulo**

Thursday, October 16

10:00 am DEPART (Sao Paulo or Rio de Janero) en route Iguacu Falls
[flight time: 1 hour and 30 minutes or ??]

TBD Visit the Iguacu Falls/ Down Time

4:00 pm DEPART en route Buenos Aires, Argentina
[flight time: 1 hour and 45 minutes]

Arrival Ceremony

Bi-lat with Menem

Meeting with Opposition Leaders

Private Dinner (POTUS and FLOTUS)

RON Buenos Aires, Argentina

Friday, October 17

Speech to Congress/Public Event/Press Conference

Wreath Laying at Plaza San Martin

Possible visit to Jewish Community Center

Embassy Event

State Dinner

RON Buenos Aires, Argentina

Saturday, October 18

9:00 am DEPART en route to Bariloche, Argentina
[flight time: 2 hours]

11:00 am ARRIVE Bariloche

DOWN TIME

RON Bariloche, Argentina

Sunday, October 19

DOWN TIME

Monday, October 20

12:00 pm Depart en route Washington, DC
 [flight time: 12 hours]
 [time change: +1 hour]

Issues:

1. Where do we want speech/message events?
2. How many press conferences should there be? Where?
3. Do we go to Rio? If so, is Rio the news of the day or is Sao Paulo?

*File - South America
Trip*

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TRIP PLANNING MEETING

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- II. First Lady Itinerary
 - Panama meeting of First Ladies - *Panama stop? POTU*
 - Other recommended stops
- III. Dates of Travel
- IV. Update on Deliverables
 - Brazil/education
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 - Presidential involvement, including speeches and what venues
 - Press plan
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 - Argentina elections
 - McLarty and advance team travel
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004. memo	James Dobbins to Samuel Berger, re: Planning for the October Trip to South America (2 pages)	07/11/1997	P1/b(1)

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July 1, 1997

Welcome

- Mr. McLarty and Gen. Kerrick

Report on March "Site Survey" to Brazil, Argentina, Venezuela

- Andrew Friendly

Discussion of Priorities and Order of Stops

- How many stops in Brazil, Argentina and in what order?
- Is Venezuela included in this trip?
- MERCOSUR Summit

Status of Deliverables

- Amb. Davidow

Timing of Pre-Advance and McLarty visit

- Discuss timing for Pre-advance and other preliminary trips

Communications/Roll out

- Idea of POTUS set-up speech (OAS or other venue)
- Albright mtgs at UNGA with DiTella and others?
- Cohen trip to South America?
- Glickman trip to Chile?

First Lady Visit to Panama and Other Stops

- First Lady's Mtg. in Panama
- stops in Haiti and/or Dominican Republic
- Amazon/Manaus alternative

Santiago Summit Update / State Visit to Chile Discussion

- Confirmation of Dates in April for both parts of trip
- State Visit timing
- Other countries/stops to be considered

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AGENDA FOR SOUTH AMERICA TRIP PLANNING MEETING
July 1, 1997

6-8 days

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- Mr. McLarty and Gen. Kerrick

Report on March "Site Survey" to Brazil, Argentina, Venezuela

- Andrew Friendly

So, Am.
trip file

Discussion of Priorities and Order of Stops

- How many stops in Brazil, Argentina and in what order?
- Is Venezuela included in this trip?
- ✓ -- MERCOSUR Summit

(I think we
already have on.

Status of Deliverables

- Amb. Davidow

Timing of Pre-Advance and McLarty visit

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- State Visit timing
- Other countries/stops to be considered

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