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SUBJECT: PROPOSED PRES REPLY TO REP ROS-LEHTINEN RE PAROLE FOR CUBANS
DETAINED BY INS FOR ENTERING US ILLEGALLY

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TO: PRESIDENT

FROM: ROS-LEHTINEN, ILEANA

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KEYWORDS: CUBA MIGRATION
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PERSONS:

SUBJECT: LTR FM REP ROS-LEHTINEN RE CUBAN ANTIONAL CURRENTLY DETAINED BY INS
IN US

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

May 22, 1995

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR ANTHONY LAKE

THROUGH: MORTON HALPERIN *MH*

FROM: ROB MALLEY *RM*

SUBJECT: Response to Ros-Lehtinen Letter to President

Representative Ros-Lehtinen has written to the President urging him to parole Cubans presently detained by the INS for entering the U.S. illegally.

Concurrence by: *MR* Manuel Rocha; *ES* Eric Schwartz; *WD* Bill Danvers

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memorandum to the President at Tab I.

Attachments

Tab I Memorandum to the President

Tab A Response to Representative Ros-Lehtinen

Tab B Incoming Correspondence

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ANTHONY LAKE
PATRICK GRIFFIN

SUBJECT: Response to Ros-Lehtinen Letter on Cuban migrants

Purpose

To respond to a letter from Representative Ros-Lehtinen.

Background

Representative Ros-Lehtinen wrote to you urging that the United States parole Cubans currently detained by the INS for entering the U.S. illegally.

Pursuant to the May 2 announcement, Cubans who reach the U.S. illegally will be treated as are undocumented migrants from other countries. They will be placed in exclusion proceedings and given the opportunity to apply for asylum. This decision should not affect the disposition of Cubans who were in detention prior to May 2.

RECOMMENDATION

That you respond with the letter attached at Tab A.

Attachments

Tab A Response to Representative Ros-Lehtinen
Tab B Incoming Correspondence

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Dear Representative Ros-Lehtinen:

Thank you for your letter concerning Cuban nationals currently detained by the INS.

Let me begin by assuring you that our policy with regard to Cuban nationals who reached the United States prior to May 2, 1995 has not changed. They will be treated consistent with the United States' traditional practice.

As you know, my Administration's general policy is to deter illegal migration so as to enable us to continue admitting legal migrants. With respect to Cuba in particular, one of the United States' long-standing objectives has been to regularize migration relations. This is important not only to guarantee the integrity of our national borders, but also to ensure that Cubans do not take to the sea in unseaworthy rafts at great peril to their lives.

Our recent decisions meet these goals. We have vastly increased opportunities for legal migration to the United States for all Cubans. At least 20,000 Cubans will be admitted to the U.S. every year. At the same time, because we cannot continue to admit all Cubans who seek to come here, we must discourage unauthorized migration. Cuban nationals who reach the United States irregularly therefore will be treated as are undocumented migrants from other countries. Of course, they will be entitled to apply for asylum and we will protect genuine refugees.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

