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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 1, 1998

12:00 a.m. TUESDAY

64171

For a record of the President's activities before midnight, see the Daily Diary for November 30, 1998.

64172

2:10

The President retired.

43252

2:17

P

The President gave a message to the White House operator.

43253

8:00

R

The President received a wake up call from the White House operator.

43254

8:16

P

The President telephoned his Assistant and Special Counsel, Gregory B. Craig. The call was not completed.

43255

8:26

8:47

R

The President talked with Mr. Craig.

43256

8:51

8:59

P

(b)(6)

43257

9:00

9:01

R

The President talked with Administrative Assistant, Usher's Office, Worthington W. "Winky" White.

43258

9:07

9:09

R

The President talked with White House Butler, John E. Fanning.

64173

9:20

10:38

The President met with the Rev. J. Philip Wogaman, Pastor of Foundry United Methodist Church, Washington, D.C.

64174

11:14

The President went to the Oval Office.

64175

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 1, 1998

11:14 a.m. TUESDAY

11:14 11:27

The President met with:
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of
Staff
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff

64176

11:28 11:31

The President met for a briefing with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of
State
Robert E. Rubin, Secretary of the
Treasury
Mr. Podesta
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy
Leon S. Fuerth, Assistant to the Vice
President for National Security Affairs
Gayle E. Smith, Special Assistant and
Senior Director for African Affairs,
National Security Council (NSC)
Lael Brainard, Special Assistant for
International Economic Policy

64177

11:32 12:18

The President met with:
Secretary Albright
Secretary Rubin
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Sosnik
Joaquim Alberto Chissano, President of
the Republic of Mozambique
Susan E. Rice, Special Assistant and
Senior Director, African Affairs,
National Security Council (NSC)
Marcel Bouquet, interpreter, Department
of State
Members of Press in/out

43259

12:26

P

The President telephoned his brother,
Roger C. Clinton. The call was not completed.

64178

12:45 12:48

The President met for a briefing with:

continued

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 1, 1998

12:45 p.m. TUESDAY

Secretary Albright
J. Brian Atwood, Director of the U.S.
International Development Cooperation
Agency (IDCA)
Sandra L. Thurman, Director, Office of
National AIDS Policy
Bruce N. Reed, Assistant for Domestic
Policy
Minyon Moore, Deputy Assistant and
Deputy Director for Political Affairs

64179
12:52 The President went to Room 450 in the Old
Executive Office Building.

64180
12:56 1:30 The President participated in an event to
commemorate World AIDS Day.
Members of Press

64181
1:46 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64182
1:47 1:52 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Karen A. Tramontano, Assistant and
Counselor to the Chief of Staff

64183
1:53 2:18 The President met with:
John J. Sweeney, President of Service
Employees International Union, American
Federation of Labor and Congress of
Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)
Ms. Tramontano

64184
2:20 2:24 The President met for a scheduling meeting
with:
Mr. Podesta
Stephanie S. Streett, Assistant and
Director of Presidential Scheduling
Jeffrey Forbes, Deputy Assistant and
Deputy Director of Presidential
Scheduling

continued

DECEMBER 1, 1998

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

2:20 p.m. TUESDAY

64185 2:25 2:35 The President met with Mr. Podesta.

43261 2:34 2:38 P The President talked with Senator
Christopher J. Dodd (D-Connecticut).

43260 2:56 3:01 R The President talked with Roger Clinton.

64186 3:17 The President returned to the second floor
Residence.

64187 3:23 The President returned to the South Grounds
of the White House.

64188 3:25 3:41 The President motored from the South Grounds
to Army Navy Country Club, Arlington,
Virginia.

64189 The President played 18 holes of golf with
Senator Christopher J. Dodd (D-Connecticut).

43262 5:10 R The President was telephoned by the First
Lady. The call was not completed.

64190 5:34 5:46 The President motored from Army Navy Country
Club to the South Grounds of the White House.

64191 5:48 The President returned to the second floor
Residence.

43264 6:00 R The President was telephoned by actor Tom
Hanks. The call was not completed.

64192 6:10 6:50 The President met with:

continued

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 1, 1998

6:10 p.m. TUESDAY

Mr. Podesta
Mr. Sosnik
Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic
Policy and Director of the National
Economic Policy Office

43265 6:11 6:17 P The President talked with Mr. Hanks.

64193 6:55 The President returned to the South Grounds
of the White House.

64194 6:56 7:04 The President motored from the South Grounds
to the Mayflower Hotel, 1127 Connecticut
Avenue, N.W.

64195 7:04 The President was greeted by:
Roy R. Romer, General Chairman,
Democratic National Committee (DNC)
Steven Grossman, National Chairman,
Democratic National Committee (DNC)
Leonard Barrack, National Finance
Chairman, Democratic National Committee
(DNC)
Andy Tobias, Treasurer, Democratic
National Committee (DNC)
Jeff Soref, event host

64196 7:08 8:39 The President attended a Democratic National
Committee (DNC) fundraising dinner.
Members of Press in/out

64197 8:39 The President went to the East Room.

64198 8:42 10:41 The President attended a DNC fundraising
dinner.

64199 10:44 10:46 The President motored from the Mayflower
Hotel to the South Grounds of the White

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MAYFLOWER HOTEL
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 1, 1998

10:44 p.m. TUESDAY

House.

64200
10:50 The President returned to the second floor
Residence.

43263
10:55 11:11 P The President talked with the First Lady in
New York, New York.

64201
11:00 The President retired.

43266
11:14 11:32 P The President talked with Mr. Craig.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 2, 1998

2:42 a.m. WEDNESDAY

43267 2:42 P The President gave a message to the White House operator.

43268 8:00 R The President received a wake up call from the White House operator.

43269 8:35 R The President was telephoned by his Personal Aide, Paul K. "Kris" Engskov. The call was not completed.

64202 9:16 The President went to the Oval Office.

64203 9:17 9:39 The President met for a briefing with:
Albert A. Gore Jr., Vice President
Robert E. Rubin, Secretary of the Treasury
Jacob J. "Jack" Lew, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy
Lawrence J. Stein, Assistant and Director of Legislative Affairs
Paul E. Begala, Assistant and Counselor
Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director of the National Economic Policy Office
Ronald A. Klain, Chief of Staff and Counselor to the Vice President

64204 9:40 10:24 The President met with:
Vice President Gore
Secretary Rubin
Senator Thomas A. Daschle, (D-South Dakota)
Representative Richard A. Gephardt, (D-Missouri)
Mr. Sperling
Mr. Sosnik

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 2, 1998

9:40 a.m. WEDNESDAY

64209
10:26 The President went to the Cabinet Room.

64210
10:26 10:53 The President participated in a meeting with
the Senate Democratic Leadership. For a list
of attendees, see APPENDIX "A."

64212
10:54 10:59 The President met outside the Oval Office
with:
Vice President Gore
Senator Daschle
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Begala

64221
11:00 The President went to the South Portico.

64226
11:04 11:12 The President made a statement to the press
on his meeting with the Senator Democratic
Leadership. He was accompanied by:
Vice President Gore
Senator Daschle
Members of Press

64228
11:16 12:18 The President hosted a reception for Members
of Congress.

64227
11:20 The President and Vice President Gore went to
the Yellow Oval Room.

64229
12:20? The President returned to the Oval Office.

64230
12:21 1:07 The President met for a briefing with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of
State
Nelson S. "Strobe" Talbott III, Deputy
Secretary of State
Mr. Podesta

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 2, 1998

12:21 p.m. WEDNESDAY

Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
James B. Steinberg, Deputy Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Bruce O. Riedel, Director, Near East and
South Asia Affairs, National Security
Council (NSC)
Leon S. Fuerth, Assistant to the Vice
President for National Security Affairs

64231 1:08 2:04 The President participated in a meeting with
U.S. and Pakistani officials.
Members of Press in/out

64232 2:04 2:28 The President met with the Prime Minister of
the Islamic Republic of Pakistan Nawaz
Sharif.

64233 2:29 The President escorted Prime Minister Shairf
to the Old Family Dining Room.

64234 2:30 3:15 The President hosted a working luncheon with
U.S. and Pakistani officials.

64235 3:18 The PResident escorted Prime Minister Sharif
to the North Grounds of the White House.

64236 The President bade farewell to Prime Minister
Sharif.

64237 3:19 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64238 3:21 3:28 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Berger
Mr. Steinberg
Mr. Riedel

43270

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 2, 1998

4:47 p.m. WEDNESDAY

	4:47	4:52	P	The President talked with the First Lady in New York, New York.
43271	4:59		P	The President telephoned his Deputy Assistant and Deputy Director for Political Affairs, Minyon Moore. The call was not completed.
43272	5:14		R	The President talked with Ms. Moore.
43273	5:30	5:33	P	The President talked with William J. Crowe, Jr., former Ambassador of the U.S. to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (UK).
43274	5:55	6:00	R	The President talked with his daughter, Chelsea V. Clinton.
43275	6:15		P	The President telephoned the Rev. Gordon MacDonald, Pastor, Grace Chapel, Lexington, Massachusetts. The call was not completed.
43276	6:57		P	The President talked with Steven Grossman, former National Chairman of the Democratic National Committee (DNC).
43277	7:06		P	The President telephoned Delegate Roberto A. Underwood (D-Guam). The call was not completed.
43278	7:14	7:18	R	The President talked with Roy R. Romer, General Chairman, Democratic National Committee (DNC).
64239	7:55			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
64240				

DECEMBER 2, 1998

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

8:06 p.m. WEDNESDAY

8:06 The President returned to the South Grounds
of the White House.

64241 8:07 8:09 The President motored from the South Grounds
to the Corcoran Gallery of Art, 500 17th
Street, N.W.

64242 8:09 The President was greeted by:
Al From, President of the Democratic
Leadership Council and Progressive
Policy Institute, Washington, D.C.
Al From, (D-Connecticut)
Jonathan Tisch, President and Chief
Executive Officer, Loews Hotels; and
event Chairman

64243 8:10 9:49 The President attended the Democratic
Leadership Council's Policy Forum and
Leadership Dinner.
Members of Press

43280 9:38 R The President was telephoned by the Rev. Mr.
McDonald. The call was not completed.

43281 9:45 R The President was telephoned by L.W. "Bill"
Clark, a personal friend of the President,
Little Rock, Arkansas. Mr. Engskov took the
call.

64244 9:49 9:51 The President motored from the Corcoran
Gallery of Art to the South Grounds of the
White House.

64245 9:53 The President returned to the second floor
Residence.

43279 10:17 10:34 P The President talked with Mr. Clark.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 2, 1998

12:00 a.m. WEDNESDAY

12:00

The President retired.

APPENDICES FOR PRESIDENTIAL DIARY
OF
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1998

MEETING WITH SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP

December 2, 1998
The Cabinet Room

APPENDIX "A"

Attendance confirmed by
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ATTENDEES:

The President

Albert A. Gore Jr., Vice President

Robert E. Rubin, Secretary of the Treasury

Senator Barbara A. Mikulski, (D-Maryland)

Senator Byron L. Dorgan, (D-North Dakota)

Senator John D. "Jay" Rockefeller IV, (D-West Virginia)

Senator Thomas A. Daschle, (D-South Dakota)

Senator John B. Breaux, (D-Louisiana)

Senator Robert G. Torricelli, (D-New Jersey)

Senator Patty Murray, (D-Washington)

Lawrence J. Stein, Assistant and Director of Legislative Affairs

Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director of
the National Economic Policy Office

Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy

DECEMBER 3, 1998

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

1:29 a.m. THURSDAY

43282 1:29 1:32 P The President talked with the First Lady in New York, New York.

43283 2:24 P The President gave a message to the White House operator.

43284 7:00 R The President received a wake up call from the White House operator.

64247 8:08 The President went to the Diplomatic Reception Room.

64248 8:08 8:11 The President met with:
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff
Bruce R. Lindsey, Assistant and Deputy Counsel
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy

64249 8:15 The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.

64250 8:16 8:24 The President flew by Marine helicopter from the South Grounds to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

64251 8:40 9:23 The President flew by Air Force One from Andrews AFB to T.F. Green Airport, Providence, Rhode Island. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "B."

64252 9:24 The President deplaned and was greeted by Governor Lincoln Almond (R-Rhode Island).

64253 9:40 10:00 The President flew by Marine helicopter from

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T.F. GREEN AIRPORT
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

DECEMBER 3, 1998

9:40 a.m. THURSDAY

T.F. Green Airport to Eastons Beach landing zone, Newport, Rhode Island. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "C."

64254
10:00 The President deplaned and was greeted by state, local and elected officials.

64255
10:05 10:10 The President motored from Eastons Beach landing zone to Bliss Mine Road Water Treatment Plant. He was accompanied by:
Senator Jack Reed, (D-Rhode Island)
Senator James M. Jeffords, (R-Vermont)
Representative Patrick J. Kennedy, (D-Rhode Island)
Representative Bob Weygand, (D-Rhode Island)
Governor Almond

64256
10:11 The President was greeted by:
Roy Anderson, Director of Utilities, City of Newport, Rhode Island
Teri Sullivan, worker, Bliss Mine Water Treatment Facility
Alan Lama, President, Newport, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME)

64257
10:18 10:49 The President participated in a tour of the Bliss Mine Road Water Treatment Facility; including the filter area, basement pumping area, computer center and outdoor reservoir area.
Members of Press in/out

64258
11:05 11:30 The President motored from Bliss Mine Road Water Treatment Plant to Fort Adams State Park.

64259
11:39 12:39 The President participated in an event to announce new measures to strengthen drinking

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FORT ADAMS STATE PARK
NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND

DECEMBER 3, 1998

11:39 a.m. THURSDAY

water protections. He was accompanied by:
Senator Reed
Senator John H. Chafee, (R-Rhode Island)
Governor Almond
Representative Kennedy
Representative Weygand
Claiborne Pell, former Senator (D-Rhode
Island)
David Gordon, Mayor Newport, Rhode
Island
Members of Press

64260
12:05 12:25 The President addressed approximately 1,000
guests attending the event.

64261
12:57 12:59 The President motored from Fort Adams State
Park to the landing zone. He was
accompanied by Senator Jeffords.

64262
1:00 The President was greeted by:
Governor Almond
Mayor Gordon
Michael Malinoff, City Manager

64263
1:20 1:30 The President flew by Marine helicopter from
Fort Adams State Park landing zone to T.F.
Green Airport, Providence, Rhode Island. For
a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "D."

64264
1:30 2:25 The President flew by Air Force One from T.F.
Green Airport to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For
a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "E."

64265
2:44 2:55 The President flew by Marine helicopter from
Andrews AFB to the South Grounds of the White
House. For a list of passengers, see
APPENDIX "F."

64266
2:59 The President went to the Oval Office.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 3, 1998

2:59 p.m. THURSDAY

43285 3:07 3:17 P The President talked with the Rev. Gordon MacDonald, Pastor, Grace Chapel, Lexington, Massachusetts.

43286 4:07 P The President telephoned Mike Espy, former Secretary of Agriculture. The call was not completed.

43287 4:16 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Terence R. McAuliffe, Chairman, American Heritage Homes, Inc.
James Carville, consultant and political strategist, Washington, D.C.
The calls were not completed.

64267 4:28 4:30 The President met for a briefing with his Special Assistant and Senior Director for African Affairs, National Security Council (NSC) Gayle E. Smith.

64268 4:31 4:53 The President met with:
Rev. Jesse L. Jackson Sr., Special Envoy for the President and the Secretary of State for the Promotion of Democracy in Africa
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff
Ms. Smith

64269 4:57 The President went to the Roosevelt Room.

64270 4:57 5:29 The President dropped by a meeting with Greek American Leaders.

64271 5:29 The President returned to the Oval Office.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 3, 1998

5:29 p.m. THURSDAY

64272 5:50 The President went to the Cabinet Room.

64273 5:50 6:43 The President participated in a Budget Review Meeting. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "G."

64274 6:43 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64275 6:47 7:13 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Berger
Bob J. Nash, Assistant and Director of Presidential Personnel
Marsha Scott, Deputy Assistant and Deputy Director of Presidential Personnel

64276 7:39 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

43289 7:39 R The President was telephoned by the Chief of Staff to the Director of Presidential Personnel, Marsha Scott. The call was not completed.

43291 7:42 P The President telephoned Delegate Roberto A. Underwood (D-Guam). The call was not completed.

64277 7:50 The President had dinner with:
Mrs. Hugh (Dorothy) Rodham Sr., the President's mother-in-law
Hugh Rodham Jr., the President's brother-in-law
Thomas M. Caplan, author; and former roommate of the President at Georgetown University

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 3, 1998

7:50 p.m. THURSDAY

43290 8:01 8:08 P The President talked with Ms. Scott.

43288 8:16 8:27 R The President talked with Mr. McAuliffe.

43292 8:27 8:30 R The President talked with Delegate Underwood.

43293 10:30 10:49 P The President talked with Erskine B. Bowles,
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Bowles
Hollowell Conner and Company, Charlotte,
North Carolina.

43294 11:06 11:07 R The President talked with Sandra "Sandy"
Ledbetter, former aide to Governor Jim Guy
Tucker (D-Arkansas).

64278

For a record of the President's activities
after midnight, see the Daily Diary for
December 4, 1998.

APPENDICES FOR PRESIDENTIAL DIARY
OF
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1998

BUDGET REVIEW MEETING
December 3, 1998
The Cabinet Room

APPENDIX "A"
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ATTENDEES:

The President

Robert E. Rubin, Secretary of the Treasury

Lawrence H. Summers, Deputy Secretary of the Treasury

Jacob J. "Jack" Lew, Director of the Office of Management and
Budget (OMB)

Sylvia M. Mathews, Deputy Director of the Office of Management
and Budget (OMB)

Sally Katzen, Counselor to the Director, Office of Management and
Budget (OMB)

Janet L. Yellen, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers
(CEA)

John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for National Security Affairs

Ronald A. Klain, Chief of Staff and Counselor to the Vice
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WASHINGTON, D.C.

DECEMBER 4, 1998

12:00 a.m. FRIDAY

64279

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64283

12:16

The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.

64284

12:18

The President returned to the second floor Residence.

64280

12:30

The President retired.

43295

8:34 8:39 R

The President talked with his Deputy Assistant and Director of Oval Office Operations, Nancy V. Hernreich.

64281

8:35 8:45

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64282

9:21

The President went to the Oval Office.

64285

9:25 9:53

The President met with:
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

64286

9:54 9:56

The President met for a briefing with:
Alexis M. Herman, Secretary of Labor
Janet L. Yellen, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)
Mr. Podesta
Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director of the National

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9:54 a.m. FRIDAY

Economic Policy Office
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy
Paul E. Begala, Assistant and Counselor
Jonathon Orszag, Economic Policy
Advisor, National Economic Council (NEC)
Lowell Weiss, Speechwriter

64287 9:57 9:58 The President met with Secretary Herman.

64288 9:59 10:04 The President met and greeted a couple of
Baltimore-area families that have benefitted
from the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC).

64289 10:05 The President went to the Roosevelt Room.

64290 10:05 10:23 The President participated in an event to
highlight new job numbers and release the
report on the EITC.
Members of Press in/out

64291 10:24 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64292 10:26 11:05 The President met for a scheduling meeting
with:
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Nicole L. Elkon, Director for Planning,
Executive Secretary's Office, National
Security Council (NSC)
Stephanie S. Streett, Assistant and
Director of Presidential Scheduling
Jeffrey Forbes, Special Assistant and
Deputy Director of Presidential
Scheduling
Cecily Williams, Deputy Director of
Presidential Scheduling

43296 10:26 R The President was telephoned by James

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10:26 a.m. FRIDAY

Carville, consultant and political strategist, Washington, D.C. The call was not completed.

64293
11:06 ? The President met with Mr. Podesta.

64294
11:18 The President went to the Cabinet Room.

64295
11:18 11:58 The President participated in a Budget Review Meeting for the Department of State. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "A."

64296
12:00 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64297
12:00 12:05 The President met with Secretary Albright.

64302
12:06 12:42 The President met to discuss social security with:
Representative Charles B. Rangel, (D-New York)
Lawrence J. Stein, Assistant and Director of Legislative Affairs

43299
12:44 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Mrs. W. Maurice (Jane) Smith Jr., wife of the former owner of the Cherry Valley Bank, Arkansas; and former financial adviser during the 1984 campaign
L.W. "Bill" Clark, a personal friend of the President, Little Rock, Arkansas
The calls were not completed.

43298
12:45 12:48 P The President talked with W. Maurice "Mark" Smith III, son of W. Maurice Smith, Jr. The purpose of the call was to express his condolences upon the recent death of his father.

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12:45 p.m. FRIDAY

43310 1:06 1:09 P The President talked on a conference call
with:

43301 1:50 1:58 R The President talked with Mike Espy, former
Secretary of Agriculture.

43302 2:00 P The President telephoned Erskine B. Bowles,
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Bowles
Hollowell Conner and Company, Charlotte,
North Carolina. The call was not completed.

43300 2:12 2:22 R The President talked with Mr. Clark.

43297 3:23 3:30 P The President talked with Mr. Carville.

43303 3:31 3:32 R The President talked with Mr. Bowles.

64318 5:00 5:05 The President met with Mr. Podesta.

43304 5:00 R The President was telephoned by Bill
Budinger, Chairman and Chief Executive
Officer, Rodel, Newark, Delaware. The call
was not completed.

64319 5:05 5:14 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs

64332 5:15 The President returned to the Cabinet Room.

64333 5:15 5:51 The President participated in a foreign
policy meeting with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of

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5:15 p.m. FRIDAY

State
William S. Cohen, Secretary of Defense
George J. Tenet, Director of the Central
Intelligence Agency (CIA)
Gen. Henry H. "Hugh" Shelton, Chairman
of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS)
Mr. Podesta
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Donald L. Kerrick, Deputy Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Leon S. Fuerth, Assistant to the Vice
President for National Security Affairs

43305
5:39 R The President was telephoned by Mr. Bowles.
The call was not completed.

64335
5:51 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64336
6:10 6:42 The President met for a State of the Union
Address meeting with:

64341
6:47 6:50 The President met for a briefing with:
Ms. Lewis
Mr. Cerda
June Shih, Speechwriter

64342
6:50 The President went to the Roosevelt Room.

64343
6:51 7:15 The President participated in a taping for a
Radio Address to the Nation on keeping guns
out of the hand of criminals. The
President's remarks will be broadcast on
December 5th over the major radio networks
and their affiliates.

64344
7:15 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64345

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DECEMBER 4, 1998

7:16 p.m. FRIDAY

7:16 7:21 The President and Vice President Gore greeted family members of John H. Stanford, Seattle's School Superintendent who recently passed away.

64346 7:22 7:31 The President met with Vice President Gore.

64347 7:32 7:41 The President participated in a photo opportunity with the University of Arkansas Women's Basketball Team "Lady Razorbacks."

64348 7:46 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

64349 7:55 The President had dinner with:
Hillary Rodham Clinton, First Lady
Thomas M. Caplan, author; and former roommate of the President at Georgetown University

43307 9:50 P The President telephoned Iris Martin, Chief Executive, Creative Dimensions in Management, Inc., Ardmore, Pennsylvania. The call was not completed.

43306 9:51 9:56 P The President talked with Mr. Bowles.

43308 10:52 P The President telephoned Representative John P. Murtha (D-Pennsylvania). The call was not completed.

43309 10:58 11:10 P The President talked with Terence R. "Terry" McAuliffe, Chairman, American Heritage Homes, Inc., Washington, D.C.

64350 11:30 The President retired.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

9:00 a.m. SATURDAY

64351 9:00 The President and the First Lady went to the Diplomatic Reception Room.

64352 9:00 9:02 The President and the First Lady participated in a farewell photo opportunity with departing cook for the Executive Residence, Jason Stitt.

64396 9:02 The President and the First Lady went to the South Grounds of the White House.

64397 9:04 9:06 The President and the First Lady motored from the South Grounds to the Reflecting Pool.

64398 9:10 9:19 The President and the First Lady flew by Marine helicopter from the Reflecting Pool to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

43312 9:24 R The President was telephoned by Erskine B. Bowles, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Bowles Hollowell Conner and Company, Charlotte, North Carolina. The call was not completed.

64400 EST CST
9:43 10:35 The President flew by Air Force One from Andrews AFB to Memphis International Airport, Memphis, Tennessee. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "B."

64404 10:42 12:03 The President motored from Memphis International Airport to Wynne Presbyterian Church, 1735 E Poplar Avenue, Wynne, Arkansas.

64408

WYNNE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
WYNNE, ARKANSAS

DECEMBER 5, 1998

12:05 p.m. SATURDAY

12:05	1:48		The President attended a family luncheon prior to a memorial service in honor of W. Maurice Smith, former owner of the Bank of Cherry Valley; and former financial advisor during the 1994 campaign who died recently.
64415	1:54	2:04	The President motored from Wynne Presbyterian Church to Cogbill Cemetery. He was accompanied by members of the Smith family.
64418	2:04	2:28	The President attended a gravesite service.
64420	2:28	2:32	The President motored from Cogbill Cemetery to Wynne Presbyterian Church. He was accompanied by Smith family members.
64423	2:32	3:50	The President attended a memorial service in honor of Mr. Smith.
43314	2:41	P	The President telephoned Mr. Bowles. The call was not completed.
43313	2:45	2:49 P	The President talked with Iris Martin, Chief Executive, Creative Dimensions in Management, Inc., Ardmore, Pennsylvania.
43315	2:51	R	The President was telephoned by Ms. Martin. The call was not completed.
64425	3:50	4:00	The President motored from Wynne Presbyterian Church to the Smith residence.
64426	4:00	4:18	The President met with family members of Maurice Smith.
64429	4:18	5:35	The President motored from the Smith

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SMITH RESIDENCE
WYNNE, ARKANSAS

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4:18 p.m. SATURDAY

residence to Memphis International Airport,
Memphis, Tennessee. He was accompanied by:
Bruce R. Lindsey, Assistant and Deputy
Counsel

Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy

Nancy V. Hernreich, Deputy Assistant and
Director of Oval Office Operations

43316 5:36 5:38 P The President talked with Mr. Bowles.

64496 CST EST
5:53 8:21 The President flew by Air Force One from
Memphis International Airport to Andrews AFB,
Maryland. For a list of passengers, see
APPENDIX "C."

43317 7:11 7:16 P The President talked over a secure voice line
with Vice President Albert A. Gore, Jr. The
purpose of the call was express his
condolences upon the recent death of his
father, Albert A. Gore, Sr.

64498 8:37 8:51 The President flew by Marine helicopter from
Andrews AFB to the South Grounds of the White
House. For a list of passengers, see
APPENDIX "D."

64500 8:52 The President went to the State Floor
Residence.

64504 The President observed the lighting of the
Christmas wreath hung on the South Portico.

64507 9:15 12:10 The President hosted a movie party. The
Presidential party watched the movie "Enemy
of the State."

64506

THE WHITE HOUSE
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9:20 p.m. SATURDAY

9:20

The President went to the White House
Theatre.

43311

11:06

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The President was telephoned by his Assistant
and Director of Presidential Scheduling,
Stephanie S. Streett. The call was not
completed.

64508

For a record of the President's activities
after midnight, see the Daily Diary for
December 6, 1998.

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DECEMBER 6, 1998

12:00 a.m. SUNDAY

64509 For a record of the President's activities before midnight, see the Daily Diary for December 5, 1998.

64511
12:10 The President went to the second floor Residence.

43318
12:13 12:14 P The President talked with his Assistant and Director of Presidential Scheduling, Stephanie S. Streett.

64513
1:00 The President retired.

43327
11:16 R The President was telephoned by Noach Dear, New York State Councilman (D). The call was not completed.

64530
2:46 The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.

64531
3:25 The President went to the Oval Office.

43320
3:26 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Susan A. Brophy, Senior Advisor
Representative John P. Murtha,
(D-Pennsylvania)
The calls were not completed.

43319
3:27 3:50 P The President talked with his Assistant and Chief of Staff, John D. Podesta.

64532
4:56 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

64533

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4:57 p.m. SUNDAY

4:57 ? The President met with his Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy, Douglas B. Sosnik.

64545 5:15 The President and the First Lady went to the
State Dining Room.

64548 5:16 5:19 The President and the First Lady met for a
briefing with:
Joseph P. Lockhart, Assistant and Press
Secretary
Marsha E. Berry, Deputy Assistant to the
President and Director of Communications
to the First Lady

64551 5:20 The President and the First Lady went to the
Red Room.

64552 5:20 5:30 The President and the First Lady
participated in an interview with co-anchor
"Today Show" Katie Couric.

64553 5:31 The President and the First Lady went to the
Blue Room.

64560 5:31 5:45 The President and the First Lady met and
greeted Kennedy Center honorees.

64572 5:40 The President and the First Lady went to the
South Grounds.

64573 5:42 5:46 The President and the First Lady motored from
the South Grounds to the John F. Kennedy
Center for the Performing Arts.

64562 5:46 The President and the First Lady went to the
East Room.

64563

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5:46 p.m. SUNDAY

5:46 6:01 The President and the First Lady hosted a
reception for the Kennedy Center Honors and
invited guests.
Members of Press in/out

64564 6:01 The President and the First Lady returned to
the Blue Room.

64566 6:03 6:58 The President and the First Lady participated
in a receiving line.

64568 7:34 7:36 The President and the First Lady participated
in a holiday photo opportunity.

64569 7:37 The President and the First Lady returned to
the East Room.

64570 7:37 7:39 The President and the First Lady participated
in a photo opportunity with Military Social
Aides.

64574 7:48 The President and the First Lady were greeted
by:
James Johnson, Chairman, John F. Kennedy
Center for the Performing Arts
Maxine Issacs, wife
Larry Wilker, President, John F. Kennedy
Center for the Performing Arts
Mrs. Larry (Jill) Wilker, wife

64576 7:54 The President and the First Lady went to the
Opera House.

64578 7:54 10:40 The President and the First Lady attended the
Annual Kennedy Center Honors Gala.

43328 8:39 R The President was telephoned by Iris Martin,

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8:39 p.m. SUNDAY

Chief Executive, Creative Dimensions in Management, Inc., Ardmore, Pennsylvania. The call was not completed.

43329 9:05 R The President was telephoned by Representative Murtha. The call was not completed.

43330 9:07 R The President was telephoned by Ms. Brophy. The President's Personal Secretary, Betty W. Currie took the call.

64579 10:50 10:54 The President and the First Lady motored from the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts to the South Grounds of the White House.

64581 10:55 The President and the First Lady returned to the second floor Residence.

43323 11:06 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Vernon Forney, ---need to better id, Little Rock, Arkansas
Senator Thomas A. Daschle, (D-South Dakota)
The calls were not completed.

43324 11:14 11:19 R The President talked with Mr. Forney.

43322 11:19 11:37 R The President talked with Representative Murtha.

43325 11:37 R The President was telephoned by the Rev. Jesse L. Jackson, Sr., Special Envoy for the President and the Secretary of State for the Promotion of Democracy in Africa. The call was not completed.

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11:37 p.m. SUNDAY

43321
11:39 11:53 R The President talked with Ms. Brophy.

43326
11:54 12:00 P The President talked with the Rev. Mr.
Jackson.

64582
12:00 The President retired.

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12:44 a.m. MONDAY

43331 12:44 1:03 R The President talked with Senator Thomas A. Daschle (D-South Dakota).

43332 1:06 1:17 P The President talked with Senator John B. Breaux (D-Louisiana).

43333 1:31 P The President gave a message to the White House operator.

43334 8:00 R The President received a wake up call from the White House operator.

43335 9:22 R The President was telephoned by his Personal Aide, Paul K. "Kris" Engskov. The call was not completed.

64591 9:44 The President went to the Oval Office.

64592 9:46 10:07 The President met with:
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff
Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

43336 10:32 10:42 P The President talked with Mark J. Penn, pollster, Washington, D.C.

64593 10:54 The President went to the Map Room.

64594 10:54 11:01 (b)(6)

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11:06 a.m. MONDAY

11:06 The President went to the State Dining Room.

64601
11:06 11:20 The President and the First Lady participated in a taping for NBC's Annual Christmas in Washington Celebration at the National Building Museum.

64611
11:21 The President went to the Diplomatic Reception Room.

64612
11:21 11:23 The President met for a briefing with:
Mr. Lockhart
Brenda Anders, Director of Television Production

64617
11:26 12:10 The President participated in a taping session for:
Ramadan Message
PSA on Drunk Driving Prevention
Nobel Peace Prize Concert
Congratulations message to Secretary of Labor Alexis Herman on Receiving an award from the Brotherhood Crusade Black United Forum
Walt Disney World's Very Merry Christmas Parade TV Special

64619
12:10 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

64620
12:13 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64621
12:26 12:29 The President met for a briefing with:
Nancy-Ann Min DeParle, Administrator,
Health Care Financing Administration
(HCFA)
Bruce N. Reed, Assistant for Domestic Policy
Christopher C. Jennings, Deputy

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12:26 p.m. MONDAY

Assistant for Health Policy, Domestic
Policy Council

64629
12:30 The President went to Room 450 in the Old
Executive Office Building.

64630
12:33 12:34 The President met and greeted program
participants in the hallway.

64631
12:35 12:53 The President participated in an event to
unveil new proposals to crack down on
Medicare fraud, waste and abuse.
Members of Press

64632
1:10 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64633
1:14 1:23 The President met with Mr. Podesta.

64634
1:32 The President went to the Cabinet Room.

64635
1:32 2:36 The President participated in a budget review
meeting. For a list of attendees, see
APPENDIX "A."

64636
2:36 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64637
2:38 2:40 The President met with Mr. Podesta.

64638
2:42 2:49 The President met for a scheduling meeting
with his Assistant and Director of
Presidential Scheduling, Stephanie S.
Streett.

64639
3:39 3:44 The President met with his Special Assistant
for Arab-Israeli Affairs and Director for

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3:39 p.m. MONDAY

Near East and South Asian Affairs, Robert
Malley.

64640
3:46 The President went to the office of his
Assistant for National Security Affairs,
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger.

64641
3:46 ? The President met with:
Ariel Sharon, Minister for
Infrastructure for the State of Israel
Mr. Berger
Mr. Malley

43337
5:05 P The President telephoned Terence R. "Terry"
McAuliffe, Chairman, American Heritage Homes,
Inc., Washington, D.C. The call was not
completed.

43339
5:49 5:57 P The President talked with Carl H. Lindner,
President, American Financial Corporation,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

43340
6:01 P The President telephoned Representative Glenn
Poshard (D-Illinois). The call was not
completed.

64642
6:11 The President returned to the second floor
Residence.

43338
6:41 6:50 R The President talked with Mr. McAuliffe.

43341
6:51 6:57 R The President talked with Representative
Poshard.

64643
7:00 The President and the First Lady had dinner.

64644

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8:06 p.m. MONDAY

8:06 The President and the First Lady went to the Map Room.

64646 The President and the First Lady participated in a receiving line.

64645 8:06 10:25 The President and the First Lady hosted a Christmas Ball for Members of Congress.

64647 10:25 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

43342 10:29 10:33 R (b)(6)

43343 10:33 R The President was telephoned by Richard C. Holbrooke, Special Presidential Emissary for Cyprus, Bosnia and Kosovo. The call was not completed.

43345 10:56 R The President was telephoned by Representative Tim J. Roemer (D-Indiana). The call was not completed.

43346 11:07 11:33 P The President talked with Representative Roemer.

43347 11:35 11:47 P The President talked with Senator Breaux.

43344 11:50 12:14 P The President talked with Mr. Holbrooke.

64648 12:00 The President retired.

APPENDICES FOR PRESIDENTIAL DIARY
OF
MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1998

BUDGET REVIEW MEETING
December 7, 1998
The Cabinet Room

APPENDIX "A"
Attendance confirmed by
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ATTENDEES:

The President

William S. Cohen, Secretary of Defense

William Lynn, Under Secretary of Defense

Sylvia M. Mathews, Deputy Director of the Office of Management
and Budget (OMB)

John J. Hamre, Deputy Secretary of Defense

Gen. Henry H. "Hugh" Shelton, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of
Staff (JCS)

Adm. Jay L. Johnson, Chief of Naval Operations

Gen. Charles C. Krulak, Commandant of the Marine Corps

Adm. James M. Loy, Commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard

Gen. Joseph W. Ralston, Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of
Staff (JCS)

Gen. Michael E. Ryan, Chief of Staff of the Air Force

John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Donald L. Kerrick, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs

Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director of
the National Economic Policy Office

Lawrence J. Stein, Assistant and Director of Legislative Affairs

Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

James B. Steinberg, Deputy Assistant for National Security
Affairs

THE WHITE HOUSE
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DECEMBER 10, 1998

12:42 a.m. THURSDAY

43374
12:42 P The President placed the following telephone
calls to:
Susan A. Brophy, Senior Advisor
Roger C. Clinton, the President's
brother
The calls were not completed.

43376
1:05 1:12 R The President talked with Roger Clinton.

43375
1:16 1:18 R The President talked with Ms. Brophy.

43377
3:14 P The President gave a message to the White
House operator.

43378
8:00 R The President received a wake up call from
the White House operator.

43379
8:15 R The President received another wake up call
from the White House operator.

64827
9:36 The President went to the Oval Office.

64828
9:39 9:50 The President met with:
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of
Staff
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff
Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and
Deputy Chief of Staff

64829
10:06 10:11 The President met for a briefing with:
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Melanne Verveer, Assistant to the
President and Chief of Staff to the
First Lady
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for

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10:06 a.m. THURSDAY

Policy and Strategy
Mr. Ricchetti
Eric P. Schwartz, Director, Global
Issues and Multilateral Affairs,
National Security Council (NSC)

64830
10:13 The President went to Room 450 in the Old
Executive Office Building.

64831
10:15 10:23 The President met and greeted Members of
Congress attending the upcoming event.

64832
10:21 10:25 The President and the First Lady greeted.
Representative John Lewis, (D-Georgia)
Bette Bao Lord, human rights activist
Robert Bernstein, founder of the Fund
for Free Expression and Human Rights
Watch; retired Chairman of Random House
Dorothy Thomas, women's rights activist
Mr. Berger
Ms. Verveer
Mr. Schwartz

64833
10:25 11:12 The President and the First Lady participated
in a Human Rights Day Event and awarded the
Eleanor Roosevelt Award for Human Rights.
Members of Press

64835
11:03 11:07 The President met in the holding room with
Dr. Dean Ornish, President and Director of
Preventive Medical Research Institute,
Sausalito, California.

64834
11:14 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64836
11:22 11:52 The President met for a briefing with:
Mr. Podesta
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs

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11:22 a.m. THURSDAY

James B. Steinberg, Deputy Assistant for
National Security Affairs

64837
12:07 12:09 The President met for a briefing with his
Assistant and Cabinet Secretary, Thurgood
Marshall, Jr.

64838
12:10 The President went to the South Ground of the
White House.

64839
12:11 12:15 The President motored from the South Grounds
to the Department of Agriculture. He was
accompanied by Mr. Podesta.

64840
12:15 The President was greeted by Secretary of
Agriculture Daniel R. Glickman.

64841
12:29 1:38 The President participated in a ceremony to
unveil a portrait of former Secretary of
Agriculture Mike Epsy.
Members of Press

64842
1:44 1:47 The President motored from the Department of
Agriculture to the South Grounds of the White
House. He was accompanied by Mr. Podesta.

64843
1:47 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64844
1:47 1:52 The President met with Mr. Podesta.

64845
1:58 1:59 The President met with Mr. Sosnik.

64846
2:04 The President went to the Cabinet Room.

64847
2:04 3:20 The President participated in a budget review

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meeting. For a list of attendees, see
APPENDIX "A."

64848 3:20 The President returned to the Oval Office.

43380 3:54 4:09 P The President talked with Steven Spielberg, motion picture director and producer; and co-founder, DreamWorks SKG, Hollywood, California.

43381 4:16 4:26 P The President talked with Carl H. Lindner, President, American Financial Corporation, Cincinnati, Ohio.

64849 4:45 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

43382 5:22 5:23 R The President talked with his Personal Secretary, Betty W. Currie.

43383 5:24 5:25 R The President talked with White House Usher, Nancy F. Mitchell.

43384 5:35 5:36 R The President talked with Ms. Mitchell.

43385 6:57 6:58 R The President talked with his Deputy Assistant and Director of Oval Office Operations, Nancy V. Hernreich.

43386 7:19 R The President was telephoned by Ms. Mitchell. The call was not completed.

43387 8:57 R The President was telephoned by Brian L. Greenspun, correspondent for the Las Vegas Sun Times, Las Vegas, Nevada. The call was not completed.

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8:57 p.m. THURSDAY

64850
9:15 The President had dinner.

43388
9:15 9:17 R The President talked with his Assistant and
Chief of Staff, John D. Podesta.

43389
9:18 P The President telephoned Harry Thomason,
executive producer and director, Mozark
Productions, Hollywood, California. The call
was not completed.

43391
9:26 9:52 R The President talked with Erksine B. Bowles,
investment banker, Charlotte, North Carolina;
and former Assistant and Chief of Staff.

43390
9:55 9:57 R The President talked with Mr. Thomason.

43392
9:58 10:00 P The President talked with Mr. Podesta.

43393
10:22 10:29 R The President talked with Mr. Thomason.

43394
11:06 11:07 R The President talked with Ms. Mitchell.

43395
11:14 P The President gave a message to the White
House operator for the Engineer's shop.

43396
11:15 11:25 P The President talked with William F. Weld,
former Governor (R-Massachusetts).

43397
11:16 R The President was telephoned by his daughter,
Chelsea V. Clinton. The call was not
completed.

43398
11:32 11:44 R The President talked with David Paul

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11:32 p.m. THURSDAY

Leopoulos, a personal friend from Little Rock, Arkansas.

43399
11:45 11:52 R The President talked with Mark J. Penn,
pollster, Washington, D.C.

43400
11:54 P The President telephoned the Rev. Gordon
MacDonald, Pastor, Grace Chapel, Lexington,
Massachusetts. The call was not completed.

43401
11:57 12:14 R The President talked with the First Lady in
Los Angeles, California.

64851
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after midnight, see the Daily Diary for
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BUDGET REVIEW MEETING
December 10, 1998
The Cabinet Room

APPENDIX "A"
Attendance not confirmed.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Jacob J. "Jack" Lew, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)

Sylvia M. Mathews, Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)

Sally Katzen, Counselor to the Director, Office of Management and Budget (OMB)

Janet L. Yellen, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)

John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director of the National Economic Policy Office

Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for National Security Affairs

Lawrence J. Stein, Assistant and Director of Legislative Affairs

Ronald A. Klain, Chief of Staff and Counselor to the Vice President

Bruce N. Reed, Assistant for Domestic Policy

Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff

Karen A. Tramontano, Assistant and Counselor to the Chief of Staff

Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy

Paul E. Begala, Assistant and Counselor

Elena Kagan, Deputy Assistant for Domestic Policy

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64852 For a record of the President's activities before midnight, see the Daily Diary for December 10, 1998.

43402
12:02 R The President was telephoned by Brian L. Greenspun, correspondent for the Las Vegas Sun Times, Las Vegas, Nevada. The call was not completed.

43404
12:19 12:23 R The President talked with his daughter, Chelsea V. Clinton.

43405
12:25 12:26 R The President talked with White House Engineer, Richard J. Carter.

43403
12:30 12:40 P The President talked with Mr. Greenspun.

64853
2:00 The President retired.

43406
6:15 P The President gave a message to the White House operator.

43407
8:00 R The President received a wake up call from the White House operator.

43408
8:17 8:28 R The President talked with his Personal Aide, Paul K. "Kris" Engskov.

43409
9:03 9:07 R The President talked with the First Lady in San Francisco, California.

64854
9:22 The President went to the Oval Office.

43410
9:25 P The President telephoned the Rev. Gordon

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9:25 a.m. FRIDAY

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MacDonald, Pastor, Grace Chapel, Lexington,
Massachusetts. The call was not completed.

64855

9:29 9:31

The President met with:
John D. Podesta, Assistant and Chief of
Staff
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff
Steven J. Ricchetti, Assistant and
Deputy Chief of Staff
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy

64856

9:34 9:41

The President met for a briefing with:
Mr. Sosnik
Paul E. Begala, Assistant and Counselor
Mr. Ricchetti
Ms. Echaveste
Joseph P. Lockhart, Assistant and Press
Secretary

64857

9:48 10:02

The President met for a briefing with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of
State
Robert E. Rubin, Secretary of the
Treasury
J. Brian Atwood, Director of the U.S.
International Development Cooperation
Agency (IDCA)
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
James F. Dobbins, Special Assistant and
Senior Director, Interamerican Affairs,
National Security Council (NSC)
Eric P. Schwartz, Director, Global
Issues and Multilateral Affairs,
National Security Council (NSC)
Gene B. Sperling, Assistant for Economic
Policy and Director of the National
Economic Policy Office
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff
Lael Brainard, Special Assistant for

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9:48 a.m. FRIDAY

International Economic Policy

64858
10:04 10:09 The President participated in a meeting with
a group of Central American Presidents. For
a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "A."

64859
11:20 11:26 The President met for a briefing with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of
State
Mr. Berger
Mr. Sosnik
Ms. Echaveste
Mr. Lockhart

64860
11:27 11:31 The President met with Central American
Presidents.

64861
11:32 The Presidential party went to the South
Grounds of the White House.

64862
11:35 11:51 The President made a statement to the press
following his meeting with Central American
Presidents.

64863
11:55 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64864
12:00 12:20 The President met with:
Bob J. Nash, Assistant and Director of
Presidential Personnel
Marsha Scott, Deputy Assistant and
Deputy Director of Presidential
Personnel
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Berger
Mr. Sosnik

64865
12:35 12:44 The resident participated in a photo
opportunity with Jim Lacy, President of

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12:35 p.m. FRIDAY

Rotary International

43434
12:35 P The President telephoned the Prime Minister
of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and
Northern Ireland (UK) Tony Blair. The call
was not completed.

64866
12:45 12:50 The President met with Mr. Podesta.

64867
12:51 12:55 The President met with Mr. Berger.

64868
12:56 1:15 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Berger
Mr. Steinberg
Bruce O. Riedel, Director, Near East and
South Asia Affairs, National Security
Council (NSC)
Robert Malley, Special Assistant for
Arab-Israeli Affairs and Director for
Near East and South Asian Affairs

43435
1:00 1:15 P The President talked on a secure voice
conference call with Prime Minister Blair.
For other participants, see APPENDIX "B."

64870
1:20 1:34 The President met with:
Michael J. Sullivan, Ambassador of the
U.S. to Ireland
Mr. Steinberg

64869
1:35 1:52 The President participated in a photo
opportunity with Cal Ripkin, Jr.,
professional baseball player with the
Baltimore Orioles and members of his family.

43411
1:36 R The President was telephoned by Richard N.
"Rick" Kaplan, President, Cable News Newtork

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(CNN), Atlanta, Georgia. The President's Personal Secretary, Betty W. Currie took the call.

64906 1:55 2:08 The President met with:
Charles F.C. Ruff, Counsel
Mr. Sosnik
Mr. Begala

64907 3:18 3:24 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Ruff
Gregory B. Craig, Assistant and Special Counsel
Mr. Sosnik
Mr. Ricchetti
Joseph P. Lockhart, Assistant and Press Secretary

43412 3:23 3:26 R The President talked with Chelsea Clinton.

64908 3:39 4:00 The President met with:
Mr. Podesta
Mr. Ruff
Mr. Craig
Mr. Sosnik
Mr. Ricchetti
Mr. Lockhart

64909 4:11 The President went to the Rose Garden.

64910 4:11 4:16 The President made a statement to the press prior to the House Judiciary Committee vote on the First Article of Impeachment.

64911 4:17 The President returned to the Oval Office.

64912 4:17 4:23 The President met with:

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4:17 p.m. FRIDAY

Mr. Podesta
Mr. Sosnik
Mr. Begala
Mr. Craig

43413 4:21 R The President was telephoned by the Rev. J. Philip Wogaman, Pastor, Foundry United Methodist Church, Washington, D.C. The call was not completed.

64913 4:26 ? The President participated in a taping of a Radio Address to the Nation on the release in emergency aid to farmers hit by the recent farm crisis. The President's remarks will be broadcast December 12th over the major radio networks and their affiliates.

43414 4:31 R The President was telephoned by the First Lady. Ms. Currie took the call.

43415 5:27 5:43 P The President talked with the First Lady in San Francisco, California.

43416 5:38 R The President was telephoned by Robert S. Strauss, senior partner with Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer and Feld law firm, Washington, D.C. The call was not completed.

43417 7:12 7:15 R The President talked with Senator John B. Breaux (D-Louisiana).

43418 7:30 P The President telephoned the First Lady. The call was not completed.

64914 7:45 The President returned to the second floor Residence.

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7:46 7:48 P The President talked with the First Lady in San Francisco, California.

64915 8:00 The President had dinner.

43420 8:10 P The President telephoned his Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff, Steven J. Ricchetti. The call was not completed.

43423 8:17 P The President telephoned his Assistant and Special Counsel, Gregory B. Craig. The call was not completed.

43422 8:21 8:25 P The President talked with his Senior Advisor, Susan A. Brophy.

43425 8:25 8:28 R The President talked with his step-father, Richard "Dick" Kelley.

43424 8:28 8:34 R The President talked with Mr. Craig.

43421 8:35 8:57 R The President talked with Mr. Ricchetti.

43426 9:51 9:56 R The President talked with Thomas F. "Mack" McLarty III, Chairman, McLarty International, LLC, Little Rock, Arkansas.

43427 9:56 9:58 R The President talked with White House Usher, Nancy F. Mitchell.

43428 10:25 R The President was telephoned by Bernard L. Schwartz, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Loral Corporation, New York, New York. The President's Deputy Assistant and Director of Political Affairs, Craig T. Smith took the call.

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10:25 p.m. FRIDAY

43429
10:31 10:35 R The President talked with Harry Thomason,
executive producer and director, Mozark
Productions, Hollywood, California.

43430
10:37 10:53 P The President talked with Mr. Smith.

43431
10:47 R The President was telephoned by Ronald I.
Dozoretz, First Hospital Corporation,
Norfolk, Virginia. The call was not
completed.

43432
11:41 12:10 R The President talked with Rahm I. Emanuel,
former Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy
and Executive Assistant to the Chief of Staff
for Policy.

43433
11:51 R The President was telephoned by Senator
Robert G. Torricelli (D-New Jersey). The
call was not completed.

64916
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after midnight, see the Daily Diary for
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MEETING WITH CENTRAL AMERICAN PRESIDENTS

December 11, 1998
The Oval Office

APPENDIX "A"

Attendance not confirmed.
List not complete.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of State

Miguel Angel Rodriguez, President of the Republic of Costa Rica

Carlos Roberto Flores Facusse, President fo the Republic of
Honduras

Arnoldo Aleman, President of the Republic of Nicaragua

Armando Calderon Sol, President of the Republic of El Salvador

Luis Flores Asturias, Vice President, Republic of Guatemala

Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for National Security Affairs

CONFERENCE TELEPHONE CALL
December 11, 1998

APPENDIX "B"
Confirmed by Telephone log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Tony Blair, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain
and Northern Ireland (UK)

Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for National Security Affairs

James B. Steinberg, Deputy Assistant for National Security
Affairs

Donald L. Kerrick, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs

Bonnie L. Glick, Director of Defense Policy, National Security
Council (NSC)

Joel M. Schrader, Duty Officer, White House Situation Room,
National Security Council (NSC)

David B. Higgins, Duty Officer, White House Situation Room,
National Security Council (NSC)

J. Sean Tarver, Duty Officer, White House Situation Room,
National Security Council (NSC)

Roger Merletti, Intelligence Analyst, White House Situation Room,
National Security Council (NSC)

James A. Smith, Intelligence Analyst, White House Situation Room,
National Security Council (NSC)

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12:00 a.m. SATURDAY

64917
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43436
12:28 1:01 P The President talked with Senator Robert G. Torricelli (D-New Jersey).

43441
12:38 R The President was telephoned by actress, Mary Steenburgen. The call was not completed.

43437
1:10 1:22 P The President talked with Kevin M. O'Keefe, Member, Board of Director of the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae).

43438
2:11 2:13 R The President talked with White House Engineer, Richard J. Carter.

43440
5:22 5:23 R The President talked with his Personal Aide, Paul K. "Kris" Engskov.

64926
6:11 The President went to the South Grounds of the White House. He was accompanied by: Hillary Rodham Clinton, First Lady Chelsea V. Clinton, the President's daughter

64927
6:12 6:14 The Presidential party motored from the South Grounds to the Reflecting Pool.

64928
6:21 6:30 The Presidential party flew by Marine helicopter from the Reflecting Pool to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

64929
EST IST
6:45 11:24 The President and the First Lady flew by Air

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6:45 a.m. SATURDAY

ANDREWS AFB,
MARYLAND

Force One from Andrews AFB to Ben Guiron
International Airport, Tel Aviv, State of
Israel. For a list of passengers, see
APPENDIX "B."

43439

2:35 2:36 R The President talked with White House Usher,
Nancy F. Mitchell.

64979

11:34 The President and the First Lady deplaned
were greeted by:

64982

11:34 12:18 The President and the First Lady attended an
arrival ceremony in their honor.
Members of Press

64985

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after midnight, see the Daily Diary for
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BEN GUIRON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL

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12:00 a.m. SUNDAY

65024 For a record of the President's activities before midnight, see the Daily Diary for December 12, 1998.

65025
12:24 12:56 The President and the First Lady flew by Marine helicopter from Ben Gurion International Airport to the Jerusalem landing zone. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

65026
1:03 ? The President and the First Lady motored from the Jerusalem landing zone to the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel.

65027 The President and the First Lady were overnight guests at the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel.

43442
1:35 P The President telephoned Mrs. Lawton M. (Rhea) Chiles, Jr., wife of the Governor (D-Florida). The call was not completed.

43443
1:45 1:48 R The President talked with Mrs. Chiles. The purpose of the call was to express his condolences upon the recent death of her husband.

43445
1:48 P The President telephoned Richard N. "Rick" Kaplan, President, Cable News Network (CNN), Atlanta, Georgia. The call was not completed.

43444
1:52 1:58 P The President talked with Robert S. Strauss, senior partner with Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer and Feld law firm, Washington, D.C.

43447
1:58 P The President telephoned Representative

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JERUSALEM, STATE OF ISRAEL

1:58 a.m. SUNDAY

Barney Frank (D-Massachusetts). The call was not completed.

43446 1:59 2:07 P The President talked with Representative John Conyers, Jr. (D-Michigan).

43449 2:07 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Representative Martin T. Meehan,
(D-Massachusetts)
Representative Howard L. Berman,
(D-California)
The calls were not completed.

43450 2:08 2:23 P The President talked with his Assistant and Chief of Staff, John D. Podesta.

43448 2:24 2:35 R The President talked with Representative Frank.

43451 2:40 2:54 P The President talked with Mr. Podesta.

43452 2:54 2:58 R The President talked with his Personal Aide, Paul K. "Kris" Engskov.

43453 3:17 3:21 P The President talked with Representative Tony P. Hall (D-Ohio).

43454 3:30 3:37 P The President talked with his Senior Advisor, Susan A. Brophy.

43455 8:27 8:28 R The President talked with Mr. Engskov.

65028 9:05? The President went to Room 966.

65029

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JERUSALEM HILTON HOTEL
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

9:07 a.m. SUNDAY

9:07 9:08 The President met with:
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff

65035 9:09 9:29 The President met for a briefing with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of
State
Mr. Sosnik
Ms. Echaveste
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Bruce O. Riedel, Director, Near East and
South Asia Affairs, National Security
Council (NSC)
Robert Malley, Special Assistant for
Arab-Israeli Affairs and Director for
Near East and South Asian Affairs

65036 9:30 The President returned to the Presidential
suite.

65037 9:31 10:24 The President and the First Lady hosted a
breakfast with:
Binyamin Netanyahu, Prime Minister of
the State of Israel
Mrs. Binyamin (Sara) Netanyahu, wife

65038 10:25 The President went to the Aqua Restaurant,
Fourth Floor.

65039 10:25 10:51 The President greeted members of the Cabinet
and Congressional traveling delegations.

65040 10:57 11:04 The President motored from the Jerusalem
Hilton Hotel to Prime Minister Netanyahu's
office.

65041

PRIME MINISTER NETANYAHU'S OFFICE
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

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11:04 a.m. SUNDAY

11:04 The President was greeted by Prime Minister Netanyahu.

65042 11:05 The President, escorted by Prime Minister Netanyahu, went to the Cabinet Room.

65043 11:05 1:15 The President participated in a meeting with U.S. and Israeli officials. For partial list of attendees, see APPENDIX "B."

65049 1:20 The President went to Prime Minister's Conference Room, second floor.

65050 1:20 1:48 The President met for a briefing with:
Secretary Albright
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff
Mr. Berger
Mr. Sosnik
Joseph P. Lockhart, Assistant and Press
Secretary

65055 1:49 The President went downstairs and was greeted by Prime Minister Netanyahu.

65056 1:51 The President and Prime Minister Netanyahu went to the Entrance Royer.

65299 1:51 2:20 The President participated in 167th News Conference. He was accompanied by Prime Minister Netanyahu.
Members of Press

65300 2:25 2:34 The President motored from Prime Minister Netanyahu's office to the Mount Hertzl Cemetery.

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MOUNT HERZL
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

2:34 p.m. SUNDAY

2:34 The President was greeted by Mrs. Yitzhak (Leah) Rabin, widow of the former Prime Minister.

65302 2:34 2:46 The President and the First Lady visited the gravesite of Prime Minister Rabin. They were accompanied by Mrs. Rabin and members of her family.
Members of Press

65303 2:46 2:57 The President motored from Mount Herzl to the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel.

65304 3:00 The President went to Room 966.

65305 3:00 3:57 The President participated in a speech preparation meeting with senior White House staff.

65306 4:13 4:15 The President motored from the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel to the Beit Hannassi.

65307 4:15 The President was greeted by:
Ezer Weizman, President of the State of Israel
Mrs. Ezer (Rehuma) Weizman, wife

65308 4:16 5:07 The President met with President Weizman. He was accompanied by:
Secretary Albright
Edward S. Walker Jr., Ambassador of the U.S. to the State of Israel
Mr. Berger
Dennis B. Ross, Special Middle East Coordinator
Mr. Malley

65309 5:07 The Presidential party went to the Main

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BEIT HANNASSI
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

5:07 p.m. SUNDAY

Reception Room.

65310 5:09 5:35 The President and President Weizman participated in a ceremony to light the Menorah on the first night of Chanukah. Members of Press in/out

65311 5:42 5:51 The President and the First Lady motored from Beit Hannassi to the Jerusalem Convention Center.

65312 5:51 The President and the First Lady went to the holding room.

65313 5:53 6:00 The President met with:
Hillary Rodham Clinton, First Lady
Chelsea V. Clinton, the President's daughter

65314 The President went to the Ussishkin Hall. He was accompanied by:
Prime Minister Netanyahu
Ben Mayost, Chairman, National Student Council

65315 6:09 7:22 The President participated in an event with the People of Israel. Members of Press

65316 The President was introduced by Prime Minister Netanyahu.

65317 6:38 ? The President addressed the People of Israel.

65318 7:27 7:37 The President and the First Lady motored from Jerusalem Convention Center to the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel.

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JERUSALEM CONVENTION CENTER
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

7:27 p.m. SUNDAY

65319 7:40 The President and the First Lady returned to the Presidential Suite.

43456 8:18 R The President was telephoned by Richard N. "Rick" Kaplan, President, Cable News Network (CNN), Atlanta, Georgia. The call was not completed.

43457 8:34 8:35 R The President talked with Mr. Engskov.

65320 8:42 The President went to the Executive Office, Third Floor.

65321 8:44 9:01 The President met with:
Ehud Olmert, Mayor of Jerusalem, Israel
Ambassador Walker
Mr. Berger
Mr. Malley

65322 9:02 9:08 The President met with the First Lady.

65323 9:09 The President and the First Lady went to the holding room and were greeted by:
Prime Minister Netanyahu
Mrs. Netanyahu

65324 9:10 The Presidential party went to the Ballroom.

65325 9:11 11:22 The President and the First Lady attended a dinner hosted by Prime Minister and Mrs. Netanyahu.
Members of Press in/out

43458 10:10 R The President was telephoned by Vice President Albert A. Gore, Jr. The call was

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JERUSALEM HILTON HOTEL
JERUSALEM, STATE OF ISRAEL

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10:10 p.m. SUNDAY

not completed.

- 65326
11:25 The President and the First Lady returned to
the Presidential Suite.
- 65327
11:36 11:58 The President met with:
Yitzhak Mordechai, Minister of Defense
of the State of Israel
Mr. Ross
- 65328
11:59 12:30 The President met with:
Secretary Albright
Mr. Berger
- 65329
For a record of the President's activities
after midnight, see the Daily Diary for
December 14, 1998.

APPENDICES FOR PRESIDENTIAL DIARY
OF
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1998

MEETING WITH U.S. AND ISRAELI OFFICIALS
December 13, 1998
Cabinet Room, Prime Minister's Office
Jerusalem, Israel

APPENDIX "A"
Attendance not confirmed.
List not complete.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Binyamin Netanyahu, Prime Minister of the State of Israel

Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of State

Edward S. Walker Jr., Ambassador of the U.S. to the State of
Israel

Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for National Security Affairs

Dennis B. Ross, Special Middle East Coordinator

Martin Indyk, Assistant Secretary of State for Neare East and
Asian Affairs

Bruce O. Riedel, Director, Near East and South Asia Affairs,
National Security Council (NSC)

JERUSALEM HILTON HOTEL
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

DECEMBER 14, 1998

12:00 a.m. MONDAY

65330 For a record of the President's activities before midnight, see the Daily Diary for December 13, 1998.

65331 The President and the First Lady were overnight guests at the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel.

43459 1:00 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Richard N. "Rick" Kaplan, President,
Cable News Network (CNN), Atlanta,
Georgia
Rev. J. Philip Wogaman, Pastor of
Foundry United Methodist Church,
Washington, D.C.
Beth Dozoretz, a Democratic fundraiser
The calls were not completed.

43463 1:06 P The President placed the following telephone calls to:
Representative Maxine Waters,
(D-California)
Representative Martin T. Meehan,
(D-Massachusetts)
Representative Steven R. Rothman, (D-New
Jersey)
Representative Thomas M. Barrett,
(D-Wisconsin)
The calls were not completed.

43460 1:21 1:39 R The President talked with Mr. Kaplan.

43465 1:39 P The President telephoned Mark J. Penn,
pollster, Washington, D.C. The call was not
completed.

43464 1:40 1:43 R The President talked with Representative
Waters.

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1:40 a.m. MONDAY

43467 1:48 2:21 P The President talked with his Senior Advisor,
Steven J. Ricchetti.

43468 2:26 2:48 P The President talked with Representative
Peter T. King (R-New York).

43462 2:50 2:57 R The President talked with Ms. Dozoretz.

43461 3:01 3:07 R The President talked with the Rev. Mr.
Wogaman.

43469 3:09 3:14 P The President talked with Vice President
Albert A. Gore, Jr.

43466 3:15 3:26 R The President talked with Mr. Penn.

43470 6:34 7:05 P The President talked with Mr. Penn.

43471 8:45 P The President telephoned the Prime Minister
of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and
Northern Ireland (UK) Tony Blair. The call
was not completed.

65332 The President went to Room 914.

65333 8:50 9:10 The President met with:
Madeleine K. Albright, Secretary of
State
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Bruce O. Riedel, Director, Near East and
South Asia Affairs, National Security
Council (NSC)
Robert Malley, Special Assistant for
Arab-Israeli Affairs and Director for

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JERUSALEM, STATE OF ISRAEL

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8:50 a.m. MONDAY

Near East and South Asian Affairs
Maria Echaveste, Assistant and Deputy
Chief of Staff

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9:05 9:06 P The President talked over a secure voice
conference call with:
Prime Minister Blair
Samuel R. "Sandy" Berger, Assistant for
National Security Affairs
James B. Steinberg, Deputy Assistant for
National Security Affairs
Bruce O. Riedel, Director, Near East and
South Asia Affairs, National Security
Council (NSC)
Thomas R. Crowell, Duty Officer, White
House Situation Room, National Security
Council (NSC)
George M. Chastain, Duty Officer, White
House Situation Room, National Security
Council (NSC)
Frank J. Jarosinski, Duty Officer, White
House Situation Room, National Security
Council (NSC)
Jenny McGee, Duty Officer, White House
Situation Room, National Security
Council (NSC)

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The President returned to the Presidential
Suite.

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9:12 9:21 The President met with:
Secretary Albright
Mr. Berger
Ms. Echaveste
Nicole L. Elkon, Director for Planning,
Executive Secretary's Office, National
Security Council (NSC)

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9:16 9:22 P The President talked on a conference call
with:
Binyamin Netanyahu, Prime Minister of
the State of Israel

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9:16 a.m. MONDAY

Mr. Chastain
Mr. Jarosinski
Ms. McGee

65336 9:22 9:32 The President met for a briefing with:
Hillary Rodham Clinton, First Lady
Douglas B. Sosnik, Senior Advisor for
Policy and Strategy
Bruce R. Lindsey, Assistant and Deputy
Counsel
Ms. Echaveste
Joseph P. Lockhart, Assistant and Press
Secretary

65337 9:39 9:46 The President and the First Lady motored from
the Jerusalem Hilton Hotel to the Hebrew
University landing zone.

65338 9:53 10:34 The President and the First Lady flew by
Marine helicopter from Hebrew University
landing zone to the Gaza International
Airport, Gaza, Israel. For a list of
passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

65339 10:34 The President and the First Lady were greeted
by:
Yasser Arafat, Chairman of the
Palestinian Liberation Organization
(PLO)
Mrs. Yasser (Souha) Arafat, wife

65340 The Presidential party went to the Main
Terminal.

65341 10:35 11:05 The President and the First Lady participated
in an arrival ceremony in their honor.
Members of Press in/out

65348 10:54 1:47 The President participated in a meeting with

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CHAIRMAN ARAFAT'S OFFICE
GAZA, ISRAEL

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U.S. and Palestinian officials.
Members of Press in/out

65342 The President and the First Lady participated in a tour of the Main Terminal building. They were accompanied by Chairman and Mrs. Arafat.

65343 11:07 11:08 The President and the First Lady motored from the terminal area to the Gaza International Airport landing zone.

65344 11:18 11:42 The President and the First Lady flew by Marine helicopter from the Gaza International Airport landing zone to the Gaza City landing zone. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "B."

65345 11:46 11:50 The President motored from the Gaza City landing zone to the office of Chairman Arafat.

65346 11:50 The President was greeted by Chairman Arafat.

65347 11:54 The President, escorted by Chairman Arafat went to the Cabinet Room.

65349 1:52 1:55 The President motored from Chairman Arafat's office to Zahrat Al Madian Restaurant.

65350 1:55 The President was greeted by Chairman and Mrs. Arafat.

65351 1:56 The President went to the holding room.

65352 1:57 1:58 The President met with the First Lady.

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ZAHRAT AL MADIAN RESTAURANT
GAZA, ISRAEL

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2:00 p.m. MONDAY

	2:00	3:24	The President and the First Lady attended a luncheon hosted by Chairman Arafat. Members of Press in/out
65354	2:18	?	The President delivered a toast.
65355			The Presidential party had lunch.
65356	3:33	3:35	The President motored from the Zahrat Al Madian Restaurant to the Guest Palace.
65357	3:35	4:27	The President met for a briefing and speech preparation with senior White House staff.
65358	4:23	4:30	The President met with Mr. Berger.
65359	4:36	4:38	The President motored from the Guest Palace to the Shawwa Center.
65360	4:38		The President was greeted by: Chairman Arafat Salim Al Zannon, Speaker, Palestinian National Council
65361			The President went to the Main Hall.
65362	4:39	6:06	The President participated in an event with the Palestinian National Council and other organizations.
65363			The President was introduced by Chairman Arafat.
65364	5:30	6:00	The President addressed approximately 1,000 guests attending the event.

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SHAWWA CENTER
GAZA, ISRAEL

5:30 p.m. MONDAY

65365
6:08 The President went to the holding room.

65366
6:08 6:20 The President met with:
Mr. Berger
Mr. Sosnik
Ms. Echaveste
Mr. Lockhart

65367
6:30 6:33 The President motored from the Shawwa Center
to the Gaza City landing zone.

65368
6:45 7:02 The President flew by Marine helicopter from
the Gaza City landing zone to the Hebrew
University landing zone, Jerusalem, Israel.
For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "C."

65369
7:11 7:19 The President motored from the Hebrew
University landing zone to the Jerusalem
Hilton Hotel.

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The President returned to the Presidential
suite.

43474
7:34 7:35 P The President talked with Ezer Weizman,
President of the State of Israel.

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11:51 11:59 P The President talked with Mr. Penn.

65371
The President and the First Lady were
overnight guests at the Jerusalem Hilton
Hotel.