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TO AMEMBASSY GABORONE

UNCLAS STATE 025661

SUBJ: REPLY TO APOLLO XIV MESSAGE

REF: GABORONE 106

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED CONVEY TO PRESIDENT KHAMA FOLLOWING  
REPLY TO HIS CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE:

QUOTE THE MEN OF APOLLO 14 AND ALL OF OUR FELLOW  
COUNTRYMEN JOIN ME IN EXPRESSING APPRECIATION FOR  
YOUR KIND WORDS OF CONGRATULATION. ALL MANKIND HAS  
CONTRIBUTED TO THE KNOWLEDGE THAT MADE THIS LATEST  
EXPLORATION POSSIBLE, AND WE ARE PROUD THAT THE  
SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION RETURNED FROM THE MOON WILL  
BENEFIT ALL THE PEOPLES OF THIS EARTH WE SHARE.  
WITH WARM PERSONAL REGARDS, RICHARD NIXON UNQUOTE

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE THE MESSAGE BUT  
HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY THE GOB. ROGERS

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March 3, 1971

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Dear Mr. President:

On February 25 of this year I sent a special message on American foreign policy to the Congress of the United States. Knowing that we and the peoples we represent have a deep mutual interest in building and strengthening a durable structure of international relationships, I wanted you to have a copy of the report.

My report emphasizes the immediate and broad applicability of the "Nixon Doctrine" in Africa. Our goal is to encourage the self-reliance of all nations. Within the framework of African efforts, however, we can also contribute to three primary needs -- peace, economic development, and justice -- and we will support those aspirations as generously as our resources will permit. The steps I have outlined in the report are intended to further that purpose.

I remember with pleasure our meeting in Washington in March, 1969. I have followed the progress of Botswana with interest and am pleased that the United States is finding ways to make useful contributions to your country's development.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

RICHARD NIXON

His Excellency  
Sir Seretse Khama, K.B.E.  
President of the Republic of Botswana  
Gaborone

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March 8, 1971

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SP2-3-8

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Dear Mr. Cromwell: *W. Kennedy, III*

On February 25 I sent my second annual review of United States foreign policy to the Congress. This report describes our approach to a changing world, notes the progress we have achieved during the past year, and sets forth our assessment of the tasks that lie ahead. I wanted you to have a copy of the report, and I am also enclosing a copy of the radio address I made in which I summarized the highpoints of this annual review. A second copy of the report itself is enclosed for the Minister of State for External Affairs, and I have sent a copy with an accompanying note to President Khama.

While the report is long, over 60,000 words, I would strongly urge when you have a free evening that you read it carefully and that you urge your associates on the Embassy staff and those in our other missions working with you to do likewise. Not only does this document set forth in depth the Administration's policies and the reasons for these policies; it also is an accurate reflection of my personal convictions with regard to our national security after almost twenty-five years of participating in decision-making and policies at the highest level, and in reflecting on these problems also during the period that I was a Congressman and a Senator and as a private citizen. I also want to emphasize that the



report does not simply represent the views of the President and the White House. The State Department, the Defense Department and other agencies in government, where their interests were involved, participated fully in the months of discussion which resulted in our final conclusions. Consequently, it can truly be said that this document represents the views of the entire Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

RICHARD NIXON

Mr. W. Kennedy Cromwell III  
American Charge d'Affaires ad interim  
Gaborone

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TO AMEMBASSY GABORONE *BOTSWANA*

UNCLAS STATE 125709

SUBJECT: REPLY TO PRESIDENT KHAMA'S CONGRATULATORY  
INDEPENDENCE DAY MESSAGE

1. WITH REFERENCE TO INDEPENDENCE DAY MESSAGE CONTAINED  
IN GOV PRESIDENT'S OFFICE NOTE 31 OF JULY 1 SENT DEPT  
UNDER COVER TRANSMITTAL SLIP, EMBASSY REQUESTED MAKE  
FOLLOWING REPLY FROM PRESIDENT NIXON: QUOTE PLEASE  
ACCEPT, ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES,  
MY DEEP APPRECIATION FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE ON THE  
ANNIVERSARY OF OUR INDEPENDENCE. END QUOTE.

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THE PRESIDENT'S REPLY BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE  
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TO AMEMBASSY GABORONE

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PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT KHAMA ON  
OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30. QUOTE I AM HAPPY TO JOIN  
THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN EXTENDING  
TO YOU AND TO THE PEOPLE OF BOTSWANA OUR CONGRATULATIONS  
AND BEST WISHES ON THIS FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF YOUR  
INDEPENDENCE. I HOPE THAT THE YEARS AHEAD WILL BRING  
INCREASING PROSPERITY AND WELL-BEING TO YOUR COUNTRY  
AND ITS PEOPLE. RICHARD NIXON. UNQUOTE.

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Botswana

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FINAL ACTION

Presentation of  
Credentials



February 16, 1972

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Dear Mr. President:

On February 9, I submitted to the Congress of the United States my third annual review of American foreign policy. In it, I have tried to describe in detail the major developments in our policy during the past year and the challenges which still lie ahead.

Because you and I share a special responsibility in making every effort to build a just and durable peace, and because this document reflects my personal thoughts on international affairs, I wanted you to have a copy.

With my best wishes,

Sincerely,

RICHARD NIXON

His Excellency  
Sir Seretse Khama, K.B.E.  
President of the Republic of Botswana  
Gaborone

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Washington, D.C. 20520

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June 26, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. HENRY A. KISSINGER  
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Letter to President from  
President Khama

President Seretse Khama of Botswana wrote a letter to the President dated May 6, 1972, in which he thanked the President for the Foreign Policy Report and for United States aid to his country.

The Secretary, in replying to a letter of May 6, 1972, addressed to him by President Khama on the same subjects, expressed appreciation on behalf of the President for President Khama's letter. Accordingly, no reply from the President is requested.

*Nicholas Ples*  
/s/ Theodore L. Eliot, Jr.  
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Letter from President Khama
2. Copy of the Secretary's  
Letter to President Khama

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
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PRESENTATION OF THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....  
DIPLOMATIC CREDENTIALS

Friday, July 21, 1972

3:00 P.M.

The Residence

THE PRESIDENT:

The following Ambassadors will arrive at the Diplomatic Entrance at three-minute intervals starting at 3:00 p.m.:

// Amos Manyangwa Dambe - BOTSWANA - (Wife and Son)  
Abdullah Saleh Al Mania - QATAR - (No Family)  
Tran Kim Phuong - VIETNAM - (Wife and Children)  
U Lwin - BURMA - (No Family)  
Harry Reginald Amonoo - GHANA - (No Family)

The arriving Ambassador will be escorted into the Green Room where he will sign the guest book. Upon an exchange of signals between the Military Aide who will be with you in the Red Room, and the Protocol Officer who will be in the Green Room with the Ambassador, you and the Ambassador enter the Blue Room simultaneously and exchange documents in front of the doors leading to the hallway. Members of the Ambassador's family, where appropriate, will then be asked to join you and the Ambassador for a group photograph.

You then escort the Ambassador through the Red Room and out to the Grand Hall where the Protocol Officer will escort him out the North Portico. The procedure for the exchange will then repeat itself four more times.

Press Plan:

There will be Press photo coverage of the credentials presentations.

- Notes: 1. Ceremonial troops along north and south driveways.  
2. Herald Trumpets sound as each Ambassador arrives.

Enclosures filed in 201  
Oversize Attachments #-----

Stephen Bull

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## CREDENTIALS PRESENTATION CEREMONY

3:00 P. M., FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1972

### In order of precedence:

1. The Ambassador of the Republic of Botswana Amos Manyanqwa Dambe  
and Mrs. Dambe and their 20-year-old son, Mbakiso Reginald Dambe  
State Department Escort Officer: Mr. Thomas Mossellem
2. The Ambassador of the State of Qatar Abdullah Saleh Al Mania  
Interpreter: Mr. Camille Nowfel  
State Department Escort Officer: *Ben Whitehead*
3. The Ambassador of the Republic of Vietnam Tran Kim Phuong  
and Mrs. Phuong and their 7-year-old twin son and daughter  
State Department Escort Officers: Mr. Roger Johnson  
Mr. David Waters
4. The Ambassador of the Union of Burma U Lwin  
State Department Escort Officer: Mr. Nicholas Ruwe
5. The Ambassador of the Republic of Ghana Harry Reginald Amonoo  
State Department Escort Officer: Mr. Patrick Daly

### State Department Officials:

Mr. Marion Smoak, Acting Chief of Protocol

Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs  
Marshall Green (Vietnam and Burma)

Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs David D. Newsom  
(Botswana and Ghana)

Deputy Assistant Secretary of State Alfred L. Atherton (Qatar)

Mrs. Jane Guilbault, Office of the Chief of Protocol

Miss Pauline Stafford, Office of the Chief of Protocol



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July 20, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. Theodore L. Eliot, Jr.  
Executive Secretary  
Department of State

SUBJECT: Presentation of Credentials  
Time Change

To confirm our telephone notification, the time  
of the presentation of credentials has been changed  
to 3 PM, July 21.

*Botswana - Amos Manyangwa Kambe*

Jeanne W. Davis  
Staff Secretary

cc: Mr. Holdridge  
Mr. Saunders  
Mr. Rondon

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
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July 20, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER  
FROM: NELL YATES *Nell Yates*  
SUBJECT: Presentation of Diplomatic Credentials

This is to confirm a conversation with your office that the President will receive the following Ambassadors at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, July 21, at which time they will present their diplomatic credentials:

|                         |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Amos Manyangwa Dambe    | BOTSWANA |
| Abdullah Saleh Al Mania | QATAR    |
| Tran Kim Phuong         | VIETNAM  |
| U Lwin                  | BURMA    |
| Harry Reginald Amonoo   | GHANA    |

cc: Mr. Bull  
Dr. Hoopes  
Mr. Parker  
Mr. Warren  
Mr. Ziegler  
Mr. Fox



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July 20, 1972

FOR: Mr. Holdridge  
Mr. Saunders  
Mr. Rondon

SUBJ: Presentation of Credentials

Attached are copies of talking points  
State has sent directly to the White  
House for the presentation of cre-  
dentials scheduled tomorrow.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

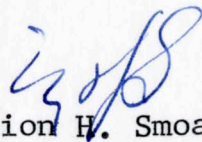
July 19, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. DWIGHT CHAPIN  
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Presentation of Credentials to the President by Appointed Ambassadors of the Republic of Botswana, the State of Qatar, the Republic of Viet-Nam, the Union of Burma, and the Republic of Ghana.

The President has agreed to receive credentials from five newly Appointed Ambassadors, beginning 3:15 p.m., Friday, July 21, 1972.

Official credential documents are attached.

  
Marion H. Smoak  
Acting Chief of Protocol

Attachments:

Credential documents.



MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

DATE: June 19, 1972

FROM: Henry A. Kissinger

VIA: Dwight L. Chapin

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MEETING:

Presentation of Credentials for:

- 1- Ambassador-designate Amos Manyangwa Dambe of Botswana
- 2- Ambassador-designate Tran Kim Phuong of Vietnam
- 3- Ambassador-designate U Lwin of Burma
- 4- ~~AMB-DESIGNATE ABDULLAH ALMANIA OF QATAR~~

DATE:

~~As soon as possible after June 30 for all three.~~

~~FRIDAY JUNE 30 3:00 PM~~ WED. 7/19 3:00 PM

PURPOSE:

Standard Procedure

SPEECH MATERIAL:

Biographical information will be provided by Protocol.

PRESS COVERAGE:

Photo opportunity for each Ambassador and family.

STAFF:

State Department Area Assistant Secretary and Protocol Officer.

RECOMMEND:

Henry A. Kissinger, Ambassador Mosbacher

PREVIOUS

PARTICIPATION:

None.

BACKGROUND:

The Ambassador-designate of Botswana is ready to present his credentials. The Ambassadors-designate of Vietnam and Burma are expected to be ready following June 29.

PRESS FOLLOW-UP:

Usual press coverage.

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~~Nope - hold til after Calif.~~



MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

DATE: June 19, 1972

FROM: Henry A. Kissinger

VIA: Dwight L. Chapin

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MEETING: Presentation of Credentials for:

1- Ambassador-designate Amos Manyangwa Dambe  
of Botswana

2- Ambassador-designate Tran Kim Phuong of  
Vietnam

3- Ambassador-designate U Lwin of Burma

4- **QATAR**

DATE:

As soon as possible after June 30 for all three.

**FRI. 7/21 3:15**

PURPOSE:

Standard Procedure

SPEECH MATERIAL:

Biographical information will be provided by  
Protocol.

PRESS COVERAGE:

Photo opportunity for each Ambassador and family.

STAFF:

State Department Area Assistant Secretary and  
Protocol Officer.

RECOMMEND:

Henry A. Kissinger, Ambassador Mosbacher

PREVIOUS

PARTICIPATION:

None.

BACKGROUND:

The Ambassador-designate of Botswana is ready  
to present his credentials. The Ambassadors-  
designate of Vietnam and Burma are expected to  
be ready following June 30.

PRESS FOLLOW-UP:

Usual press coverage.

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June 28, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR DAVID PARKER

FROM: Jeanne W. Davis

SUBJECT: Presentation of Credentials

As I indicated on June 22, we now have four Ambassadors in Washington. We are most anxious to have them received before the President departs.

Gmb. Amos Manyangwa Sambe  
of Botswana

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June 22, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR DAVID PARKER

FROM: Jeanne W. Davis

SUBJECT: Additional Ambassador for Presentation  
of Credentials

We have a schedule proposal pending for presentation of credentials for the Ambassadors-designate of Botswana, Vietnam and Burma. Protocol now advises that the Ambassador-designate of the State of Qatar, Abdullah Saleh Al Mania, has arrived in Washington and all four Ambassadors will be ready by June 29 to be received.

cc: Mr. Saunders



MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

DATE: June 19, 1972

FROM: Henry A. Kissinger

VIA: Dwight L. Chapin

*Hwyf*

MEETING: Presentation of Credentials for:

Ambassador-designate Amos Manyangwa Dambe  
of Botswana  
Ambassador-designate Tran Kim Phuong of  
Vietnam  
Ambassador-designate U Lwin of Burma

DATE: As soon as possible after June 30 for all three.

PURPOSE: Standard Procedure

SPEECH MATERIAL: Biographical information will be provided by  
Protocol.

PRESS COVERAGE: Photo opportunity for each Ambassador and family.

STAFF: State Department Area Assistant Secretary and  
Protocol Officer.

RECOMMEND: Henry A. Kissinger, Ambassador Mosbacher

PREVIOUS  
PARTICIPATION: None.

BACKGROUND: The Ambassador-designate of Botswana is ready  
to present his credentials. The Ambassadors-  
designate of Vietnam and Burma are expected to  
be ready following June 30.

PRESS FOLLOW-UP: Usual press coverage.

Approve \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Time \_\_\_\_\_



MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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June 14, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR DR. KISSINGER

FROM: Jeanne W. Davis  
SUBJECT: Presentation of Credentials

The Ambassador-designate of Botswana is ready to present his credentials and the Ambassadors-designate of Vietnam and Burma are expected to be ready following June 30. In line with the President's wishes to receive at least three Ambassadors, I have prepared the attached schedule proposal requesting an appointment for all three.

Recommendation:

That you initial the schedule proposal at Tab A.





DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

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June 12, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. HENRY A. KISSINGER  
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Request for appointment for three  
Ambassadors to present credentials  
to the President.

The Appointed Ambassador of the Republic of  
Botswana, Mr. Amos Manyangwa Dambe, has assumed  
his duties in Washington and is now ready to present  
credentials to the President.

The Ambassador-designate of the Republic of  
Viet-Nam, Mr. Tran Kim Phuong, is scheduled to  
arrive in Washington on Tuesday, June 20, and the  
Ambassador-designate of Burma, U Lwin, is due to  
arrive on Tuesday, June 27. These two Ambassadors  
should be ready to present their credentials to the  
President following June 30.

Please let me know when the President can  
receive these Ambassadors.

Marion H. Smoak  
Deputy Chief of Protocol



# NSC CORRESPONDENCE PROFILE

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SUBJECT: Request for Credit Risk Review for Amb.  
Designation from BOT SWANA, VN, and Burma

REFERENCE: S/S        OTHER        NOT XEROXED       

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## ACTION REQUIRED

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 MEMO FOR PRES.        (        )  
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 RECOMMENDATIONS        (        )  
 JOINT MEMO        (        )  
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 ANY ACTION NECESSARY        (        )  
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 COMMENTS: (Including Special Instructions)

INTERNAL/INTERIM ROUTING

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| 6/14 | JWD  | NSC/LS |   | Dispatch to HAK & send<br>copy to Holbridge & Rendon. |       |
| 6/19 |      | HAK    | X | Syn schedule Proposal (6/23)                          |       |
| 6/22 |      |        | D | HAK Sgd SPT Chapman (6/23)                            |       |
|      |      |        | - | Davis sgd memo To Parker (6/23)                       |       |
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*Joal*

**C. F.**

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MEMORANDUM FOR

THE SECRETARY OF STATE

The President concurs with your opinion and has requested that you inform the Government of the Republic of Botswana that the appointment of Amos Manyangwa Dambe as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Botswana to the United States would be agreeable to the Government of the United States.

Henry A. Kissinger

FERondon:mm - 2/16/72

cc: Office of Chief of Protocol  
General Haig  
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February 16, 1972

FOR: Jeanne Davis  
FROM: Marshall Wright  
SUBJECT: Agreement - Amos Manyangwa Dambe - Ambassador  
to the US from Botswana

Attached is a memorandum from Dr. Kissinger to the Secretary  
of State concurring in the appointment of Amos Manyangwa Dambe  
as Ambassador of the Republic of Botswana to the United States.

Attachment

FERondon:mm

cc of attachment to:

Office of Chief of Protocol  
General Haig  
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THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
WASHINGTON

February 15, 1972

CONFIDENTIAL ATTACHMENT

Dear Mr. President:

The Government of the Republic of Botswana has inquired whether our Government agrees to the appointment of Amos Manyangwa Dambe as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Botswana to the United States. A biography of Mr. Dambe is enclosed. A thorough review of United States Government records reveals no grounds for objection.

I believe this appointment would be satisfactory. If you concur, I shall be pleased to inform the Government of the Republic of Botswana.

Respectfully,

  
William P. Rogers

Enclosure:  
Biography.

The President,  
The White House.

CONFIDENTIAL ATTACHMENT



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Amos Manyangwa Dambe (Dam-bay)

Appointed Ambassador of the Republic of Botswana

Mr. Dambe was born March 30, 1911, in Botswana. He attended school in Botswana and received a Primary Higher Teachers' Certificate from Adams College, Natal, in 1942. He started his professional career as a primary school teacher in 1943, and with the exception of a two-year tour of duty in the British Army, he stayed with this profession for some 20 years. During his military service, he was sent to the Middle East where he attained the rank of sergeant and was awarded the British Empire Medal. Mr. Dambe turned to politics in the years just prior to Botswana's independence, first becoming an officer in the Botswana Democratic Party and then Minister of Mines, Commerce, and Industry in Botswana's first Cabinet. Since then, he has been Minister of Home Affairs 1965-67; Works and Communication 1967-70; and Agriculture 1970-present. In addition to the Middle East, Mr. Dambe has traveled to West Germany, Mauritius, and the United Kingdom. During the past year he visited the United States under the auspices of the Department of State International Visitors Program.

Points Ambassador Dambe May Raise:

- Ambassador Dambe is not expected to raise any substantive issues during the call. He may, however, compliment the President on Summit Conferences and express thanks for United States assistance to Botswana.

Points the President Might Raise:

- There are no substantive issues of sufficient import between Botswana and the USG to be raised on this occasion.
- The President might inquire how the Ambassador and his family are settling into Washington and if he has been able to find suitable schools for his children during the summer. He might also ask about the adjustment from being a Minister of Agriculture and political leader to being Ambassador.

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REMARKS OF THE  
NEWLY APPOINTED AMBASSADOR  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF BOTSWANA  
AMOS MANYANGWA DAMBE  
UPON THE OCCASION OF THE PRESENTATION OF  
HIS LETTER OF CREDENCE

Mr. President:

I have the honour to present to you my Letter  
of Credence appointing me as Ambassador Extraordinary  
and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Botswana to  
the United States of America in succession to my pre-  
decessor, Chief Linchwe II, who has now returned to  
Botswana on the conclusion of his tour of duty.

It gives me great pleasure to bring to you,  
Mr. President, the cordial greetings of my President,  
His Excellency Sir Seretse Khama, the Government and

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people of Botswana.

As Ambassador of Botswana to the United States of America it behooves me, Mr. President, to further promote and make more solid the friendly relations which already exist between our two countries. I will make an earnest effort to discharge this responsibility with respect and diligence.

Allow me, Mr. President, to convey to you at this juncture, the gratitude of my President, Government and people for the material and moral assistance which you, Mr. President, with the support of the American people, have made available to us. With the assistance from your Government and people, Mr. President, our small country, though situated in the heart of the problematic area of Southern Africa, is today looking forward to diversified trade links and economic viability and we are confident that we can continue to look forward to your assistance in our endeavours to maintain our



independence from our hostile neighbours.

I feel greatly honoured to present my Letter of Credence to you shortly after the conclusion of Your Excellency's historic and successful "journey for peace" to Moscow. I am confident that your breakthroughs, first in meeting with the Chinese and then with the Russian leaders, will prove to have laid solid foundations for the peace of our planet. Allow me therefore, Mr. President, to congratulate you on these great achievements for peace and to wish you further successes in dealing with the problems facing your great office and nation.



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TO:

The President

FROM:

Stephen Bull

SUBJECT:

Presentation of Diplomatic  
Credentials, Amb. Tanbe

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TO: Theodore L. Eliot, Jr.

FROM: Jeanne M. Davis

SUBJECT: Presentation of Credentials time change  
- Amb. Amos Mangangwa Kambe,  
Botswana

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TO: *David Parker*  
FROM: *Jeannette H. Davis*

SUBJECT: *Amb. Gmas Manyangwa Tsimbe  
of Botswana*

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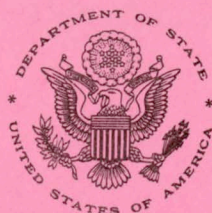
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FROM: Dr Kissinger

SUBJECT: Appt. of Amos Manyangua Dambé as  
ambassador

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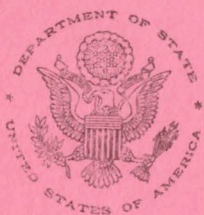
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1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT KHAMA ON OR  
BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30. QUOTE ON THIS SIXTH ANNIVERSARY OF  
THE INDEPENDENCE OF BOTSWANA, I WISH TO EXPRESS THE BEST  
WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND  
MY OWN PERSONAL CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU AND TO THE PEOPLE OF  
BOTSWANA. IT IS MY HOPE THAT THE WARM FRIENDSHIP UNITING  
OUR TWO PEOPLES WILL PROSPER IN THE YEARS AHEAD.  
RICHARD NIXON UNQUOTE

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION  
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1. PLEASE TRANSMIT FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON  
TO PRESIDENT KHAMA: BEGIN QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:  
ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR  
YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE ON THE DEATH OF  
FORMER PRESIDENT HARRY S. TRUMAN.

MR. TRUMAN'S COURAGEOUS CONTRIBUTIONS TO HUMANITY  
ADVANCED THE CAUSE OF PEACE AT MOMENTS WHEN PEACE SEEMED  
MOST THREATENED. FREE MEN AND WOMEN EVERYWHERE MUST SURELY  
GRIEVE AT HIS DEATH.

I HAVE ASKED THAT YOUR SYMPATHIES BE EXTENDED TO  
MRS. TRUMAN AND HER FAMILY. SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON. END  
QUOTE.

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJEC-  
TION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO.

JOHNSON

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