

Ronald Reagan Presidential Library
Digital Library Collections

This is a PDF of a folder from our textual collections.

**Collection: President, Office of the: Presidential
Briefing Papers: Records, 1981-1989
Folder Title: 09/25/1983 (case file 189125)
Box: 35**

To see more digitized collections
visit: <https://reaganlibrary.gov/archives/digital-library>

To see all Ronald Reagan Presidential Library inventories visit:
<https://reaganlibrary.gov/document-collection>

Contact a reference archivist at: reagan.library@nara.gov

Citation Guidelines: <https://reaganlibrary.gov/citing>

National Archives Catalogue: <https://catalog.archives.gov/>

WITHDRAWAL SHEET

Ronald Reagan Library

Collection Name PRESIDENT, OFFICE OF THE: PRESIDENTIAL BRIEFING PAPERS

Withdrawer

RBW 1/10/2008

File Folder 09/25/1983 (CASEFILE 189125)

FOIA

S07-0077/01

Box Number

206

DOC NO	Doc Type	Document Description	No of Pages	Doc Date	Restrictions
1	DIAGRAM	RE WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL	1	9/25/1983	B2 B7(E)

Freedom of Information Act - [5 U.S.C. 552(b)]

- B-1 National security classified information [(b)(1) of the FOIA]
- B-2 Release would disclose internal personnel rules and practices of an agency [(b)(2) of the FOIA]
- B-3 Release would violate a Federal statute [(b)(3) of the FOIA]
- B-4 Release would disclose trade secrets or confidential or financial information [(b)(4) of the FOIA]
- B-6 Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy [(b)(6) of the FOIA]
- B-7 Release would disclose information compiled for law enforcement purposes [(b)(7) of the FOIA]
- B-8 Release would disclose information concerning the regulation of financial institutions [(b)(8) of the FOIA]
- B-9 Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells [(b)(9) of the FOIA]

C. Closed in accordance with restrictions contained in donor's deed of gift.

Page 1 of 1

ID #

189125

WHITE HOUSE
OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT
WORKSHEET

- ☐ X-MEDIA
☐ H-INTERNAL

Name of Document: BRIEFING PAPERS
FOR PRESIDENT'S
SCHEDULED
APPOINTMENTS FOR

SEP 25 83

Subject Codes:

P	R	0	0	7	-	0	1
TR	0	8	9	-			
LG		N	E	W	-	Y	
				-			
PL				-			
ST	0	3	2	-			
				-			
H	0	0	9	4	-		
				-			
				-			
SO	0	0	4	-			
IT	0	8	6	-	1	2	
EO				-			
FO	0	0	2	-			
IT	0	8	6	-			
				-			
				-			
				-			
				-			

1) Subject: Schedule of the President's trip
to New York City.

2) Memorandum regarding the political
situation in New York.

3) Scenario for the 47th annual Pulaske
Day Banquet.

4) Reception at the United Nations
General Assembly.

ROUTE TO:		ACTION		DISPOSITION		
Office/Agency	(Staff Name)	Action Code	Tracking Date YY/MM/DD	Type of Response	Code	Completion Date YY/MM/DD
RMHENL		RSZ			C	

Referral Note:

Sunday, September 25, 1983

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

FOR

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1983

EVENTS:

- 1) Working Luncheon with Secretary General Perez de Cuellar
- 2) Bilateral with Prince Sihanouk of Kampuchea
- 3) Bilateral with Head of State Doe of Liberia
- 4) Drop-by 47th Annual Pulaski Day Banquet
- 5) Reception Hosted by Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick
- 6) Remain Overnight - The Waldorf Astoria Hotel

DRESS:

- 1) Men's Business Suit
- 2) Men's Business Suit
- 3) Men's Business Suit
- 4) Men's Dark Business Suit; Ladies Cocktail Dress
- 5) Men's Dark Business Suit; Ladies Cocktail Dress

WEATHER: Sunny; Low 50; High 65

10:25 a.m. With Mrs. Reagan, proceed to South Lawn for Marine One boarding.

10:30 a.m. Marine One departs en route Andrews Air Force Base.

10:45 a.m. Marine One arrives Andrews Air Force Base. Proceed to Air Force One for boarding.

10:50 a.m. Air Force One departs en route Newark International Airport, Newark, New Jersey.

Flight Time: 45 mins.
Time Change: None
Food Service: Snacks
Guests Aboard: Sec. Shultz
Mrs. Shultz
Mr. C. Wick
Mrs. M. Wick

11:35 a.m. Air Force One arrives Newark International Airport. With Mrs. Reagan, deplane and greet:

100 83 51 10 3 31

Gov. Thomas H. Kean (R-NJ)
State Senator Donald T.
DiFrancesco (R)
Assemblyman Dean A. Gallo (R)
Assemblyman John A. Rocco (R)

With Mrs. Reagan, proceed to Marine One for boarding.

11:40 a.m. Marine One departs en route 30th Street Heliport, New York City.

11:55 a.m. Marine One arrives 30th Street Heliport. With Mrs. Reagan, deplane and greet:

Amb. Jeane Kirkpatrick, U.S.
Representative to the U.N.
Mayor Edward Koch (D-New York City)

With Mrs. Reagan, proceed to motorcade for boarding.

12:00 noon Motorcade departs 30th Street Heliport en route The Waldorf Astoria Hotel. Drive Time: 10 mins. In Limo: Sec. Shultz, Mrs. Shultz.

12:10 p.m. Motorcade arrives The Waldorf Astoria Hotel. With Mrs. Reagan, proceed to Suite.

12:15 p.m. Arrive Suite.

PRIVATE TIME: 30 mins.
LUNCHEON BRIEFING TIME: 15 mins.

1:00 p.m. Host Working luncheon in Suite for Secretary General Perez de Cuellar. EXPANDED POOL COVERAGE BEGINNING ONLY (plus Foreign Press)

2:00 p.m. Working luncheon concludes.

PRIVATE TIME: 1 hr. 15 mins.

3:15 p.m. Proceed to Suite 35-H for Bilateral briefing.

3:30 p.m. Bilateral with Prince Sihanouk and Prime Minister Son Sann of Kampuchea. EXPANDED POOL COVERAGE BEGINNING ONLY (plus Foreign Press)

4:00 p.m. Bilateral concludes.

STAFF TIME: 15 mins.

BILATERAL BRIEFING TIME: 15 mins.

4:30 p.m. Bilateral with Head of State Doe of Liberia.
EXPANDED POOL COVERAGE BEGINNING ONLY (plus
Foreign Press)

5:00 p.m. Bilateral concludes. Proceed to Suite.

5:05 p.m. Arrive Suite.

PRIVATE TIME: 1 hr. 5 mins.

6:10 p.m. With Mrs. Reagan, depart Suite en route Grand
Ballroom.

Announcement (off-stage)

6:15 p.m. With Mrs. Reagan, arrive Grand Ballroom for brief
drop-by at 47th Annual Pulaski Day Banquet.

6:20 p.m. Proceed to podium for brief remarks. EXPANDED
POOL COVERAGE

6:25 p.m. Conclude remarks and proceed with Mrs. Reagan to
Hilton Room.

Greet Amb. Kirkpatrick outside
Hilton Room.

Announcement (off-stage)

6:30 p.m. Accompanied by Mrs. Reagan and Amb. Kirkpatrick,
arrive Hilton Room for Reception hosted by Amb.
Kirkpatrick and proceed to form receiving line.

NOTE: Receiving line order (from
right to left):

Amb. Kirkpatrick
Sec. Shultz
THE PRESIDENT
Mrs. Reagan
Mrs. Shultz

7:00 p.m. Conclude receiving line and with Mrs. Reagan
proceed to mix and mingle with guests.

7:20 p.m. Accompanied by Mrs. Reagan, Sec. Shultz, Amb. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Shultz, proceed to toecards on dais.

Amb. Kirkpatrick makes introduction.

Proceed to podium for brief remarks. EXPANDED
POOL COVERAGE (plus Foreign Press)

7:25 p.m. Conclude remarks and with Mrs. Reagan depart en route Suite.

7:20 p.m. Arrive Suite.

PRIVATE TIME: REMAINDER OF EVENING
REMAIN OVERNIGHT: THE WALDORF ASTORIA

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ED ROLLINS *ER/mnd*
DATE: SEPTEMBER 22, 1983
SUBJECT: NEW YORK -- POLITICAL BRIEFING

STATE POLITICAL BACKGROUND

- Ronald Reagan carried the state in 1980 as did Richard Nixon in 1972. In 1976, Carter carried the state as did Humphrey in 1968, Johnson in 1964 and JFK in 1960. Eisenhower carried the state in each of his efforts.
- U.S. Senate representation has been evenly split for almost 16 years.
- New York has been a bastion of liberalism over the past 50 years, as it has elected many household names such as Republicans Governor Thomas Dewey, Governor Nelson Rockefeller and Senator Jacob Javits, and Democratic Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt.
- New York City is a solid Democratic Party stronghold, while its suburbs have become increasingly Republican. Catholic ethnic suburbanites often cast the deciding votes in statewide elections.

1984 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

- New York will send 136 delegates and alternates to the 1984 Republican National Convention compared to 123 in 1980.
- New York has 36 electoral votes.
- President Reagan carried New York state in 1980 with 46.7% of the popular vote.
- The New York GOP presidential primary is currently scheduled to be held on April 3, 1984 for the selection of delegates by district to the Republican National Convention. At-large delegates will be chosen by state committee.

DEMOCRAT PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN

- Democrat Governor Mario Cuomo has persuaded all leading Democrats not to endorse any presidential candidates for the time being.

- Democrat presidential candidates will be participating in separate candidate forums sponsored by the Democrat State Committee throughout New York state in September.
- The candidate schedule is as follows:
 - Askew: September 6 in Albany
 - Hart: September 14 in Buffalo
 - Cranston: September 15 in White Plains
 - Hollings: September 19 in Mineola
 - Glenn: September 26 in Syracuse
 - Mondale: September 28 in Rochester
- New York Democrats are expected to start endorsing presidential candidates after an all-candidate forum in New York City in early October.
- New York City Council President Carol Bellamy has been campaigning for Mondale.
- U.S. Representatives Thomas Downey and Stephen Solarz are supporting Mondale.
- A state committee of 29 Democrats recommended earlier this year that the 1984 Democratic presidential preferential primary be scheduled for May 22 but retain the caucus system of selecting national convention delegates. They also wanted to reduce the number of names on the ballot running for delegate to their national convention.
 - Governor Cuomo approved the proposal, which was opposed by Mondale supporters wishing to corner the Democratic presidential nomination early.
 - Democrats believed that Cuomo wanted the later date in order to enhance his image as a king-maker if the nomination was not settled earlier.
 - The proposed primary date was subject to negotiation with the Republican-controlled state Senate and Democratic Assembly; while the delegate selection proposal must be approved by the Democratic state party.
 - Republican State Chairman George L. Clark did not object to the proposals until after meeting with Republican state Senate leader Warren Anderson and other Republican legislative leaders. The Republican party and Republican state Senate in mid-July refused to move the primary date.
 - At this time, there will be no Republican preferential primary, in which presidential candidates' names are listed on the ballot.

- Governor Cuomo has been mentioned as "vice presidential material" by four of the six presidential candidates (Cranston, Hart, Glenn and Askew).
 - Although Cuomo has disavowed any interest in running for the vice presidency, it is rumored that he is trying to build a platform for either the vice presidential nomination or presidential nomination as a dark horse in 1984, or for the presidential nomination in 1988.
 - Cuomo has cautioned Democrat candidates against becoming captive of special interest groups.

STATE POLITICAL SUMMARY

U.S. SENATE:

- Democrat Daniel Patrick Moynihan won re-election to a second term over Republican state Assemblywoman Florence Sullivan by a 65%-35% margin.

GOVERNOR:

- Lt. Governor Mario Cuomo won a narrow victory over Republican businessman Lew Lehrman by a 51%-48% margin. (Lehrman carried 55 of the 62 counties)
- A poll taken in late May by the Marist Institute for Public Opinion in Poughkeepsie found Governor Cuomo with a 57% favorable rating. His favorable rating was almost as high among conservatives (54%) as among liberals (58%), according to the New York Times (June 12).
- According to an early August Washington Post article, support is developing among Democrat governors for Governor Cuomo as the 1984 Democrat National Convention keynote speaker.
- Lehrman has formed a political action committee, "The Committee to make New York 1 Again", and is supporting Republican candidates throughout the state. Lehrman also has a national committee called, "Keep America 1".
- Lehrman is the national chairman for a new national group "Citizens for America" which is a non-partisan, non-political civic organization doing grassroots lobbying for conservative issues in Congress. The organization had its kick-off meeting at the White House in early August.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

● New York Congressional delegation:

13 Republicans
21 Democrats

- New York lost 5 seats in reapportionment. The combination of reapportionment and election losses cost the Republicans 3 seats and the Democrats 2 seats.
- Freshman Republican Congressman John LeBoutillier from Long Island was the one unexpected loss for the Republicans.
- Democrat Gary Ackerman in March won a special congressional election in the 7th district in Queens to fill the vacancy arising from the death of Benjamin Rosenthal.

STATE LEGISLATURE:

The Democrats gained one seat in the state Senate and eleven seats in the state Assembly in the 1982 elections. The current party lineup is as follows:

State Senate: 37R-24D
State Assembly: 52R-98D

STATE PARTY UPDATE

- State Chairman George L. Clark has focused party efforts toward "nuts-and-bolts" party building and debt retirement to ensure the President's re-election.
- State Chairman Clark is supporting legislation to change the so-called "blind primary" by identifying on the ballot which presidential candidate each Republican presidential delegate will represent.
- The New York Republican State Committee has passed a resolution asking the legislature to change the election year for the Republican state party chairman and state central committee members from the even to the odd years.
- The election law changes which Republicans want may be tied to any legislative deals which may be made with Democrats to change the presidential primary date.
- Former Republican gubernatorial candidate Lewis Lehrman was chairman of the Republican state committee annual fundraising reception which was held in June.

- The New York Republican Party, Republican State Senate Committee, and Republican State Assembly Committee are having their first combined fundraising dinner in New York City on October 24.
- Vice President Bush will be the honoree at the dinner on October 24 and members of the dinner committee include Mrs. Nelson Rockefeller (her first political activity since her husband's death); actress Dina Merrill; jazz musician Lionel Hampton; realtor Donald Trump, who owns Trump Towers, the Grand Hyatt and many other major properties in New York; and dinner committee treasurer and former Governor Malcolm Wilson, who as lieutenant governor succeeded Nelson Rockefeller when Rockefeller was nominated as Vice President in December, 1973. Wilson served until January 1, 1975 when Democrat Hugh Carey became governor after defeating Wilson 57%-42% in the 1974 elections.
- The state party has made the Westchester County Executive race a top priority in 1983.
 - Republican Andy O'Rourke, a former county legislator and, at present, the appointed county executive, is running against Democrat Ogden Reid, a former congressman from Westchester County and former New York Department of Energy and Conservation Director.
 - According to the polls, O'Rourke is currently leading;
 - O'Rourke is budgeting \$1 million with approximately half being spent on New York City television.
- The Supreme Court let stand the New York extortion and mail fraud convictions of Long Island political boss Joseph Margiotta. Margiotta was chairman of the Republican party for both Nassau County and the Town of Hempstead, N.Y. His two year sentence began in early June.
- Local Republicans from Nassau County and Hempstead had a letter writing campaign requesting clemency for Margiotta from President Reagan. State Chairman Clark and Senator Alfonse D'Amato, a Margiotta protege, did not become involved and expressed concern that the campaign will become an awkward situation for the President.
- Joseph Mondello was chosen to replace Margiotta as county and city Republican party chairman on May 12. Mondello was Margiotta's handpicked successor.

REPUBLICAN STATE PARTY OFFICIALS

STATE CHAIRMAN	George L. Clark, Jr.
NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN	Richard M. (Dick) Rosenbaum
NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMAN	Eunice B. Whittlesey
REAGAN BUSH STATE CHAIRMAN	Dr. James F.X. O'Rourke
	Dominick DiCarlo

Page 6

State Assembly 52 Republicans 98 Democrats
Republican Minority Leader Clarence Rappleyea

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCENARIO

FOR

47TH ANNUAL PULASKI DAY BANQUET DROP-BY

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1983

6:10 p.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan depart Suite en route Grand Ballroom.

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan arrive 3rd level. THE PRESIDENT proceeds to off-stage announcement area and is met by Mr. Adam Cieslik, President, General Pulaski Memorial Day Committee.

NOTE: Mrs. Reagan will remain in holding room.

See TAB D-1 for diagram.

Announcement (off-stage)

6:15 p.m. THE PRESIDENT, accompanied by Mr. Cieslik, proceeds to dais and remains standing.

EXPANDED POOL COVERAGE

Mr. Cieslik makes brief remarks, presents THE PRESIDENT with "Solidarity" pin and introduces THE PRESIDENT.

6:20 p.m. THE PRESIDENT proceeds to podium for brief remarks.

EXPANDED POOL COVERAGE

6:23 p.m. THE PRESIDENT concludes remarks and, accompanied by Mr. Cieslik, departs Grand Ballroom en route holding room to join Mrs. Reagan.

Refer to TAB D-1 for diagram.

NOTE: Mr. Cieslik will drop off outside Grand Ballroom.

6:24 p.m. THE PRESIDENT joins Mrs. Reagan in holding room.

6:25 p.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan proceed to The Hilton Room for Reception hosted by Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick.

NOTE: Ambassador Kirkpatrick, Secretary and Mrs. Shultz meet THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan outside The Hilton Room.

6:30 p.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by Ambassador Kirkpatrick, Secretary and Mrs. Shultz, proceed inside The Hilton Room and form receiving line.

WITHDRAWAL SHEET

Ronald Reagan Library

Collection Name

PRESIDENT, OFFICE OF THE: PRESIDENTIAL BRIEFING
PAPERS

Withdrawer

RB 1/10/2008
W

File Folder

09/25/1983 (CASEFILE 189125)

FOIA

S07-0077/01

Box Number

206

DOC Document Type

NO Document Description

No of Doc Date Restric-
pages tions

1 DIAGRAM

1 9/25/1983 B2

RE WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL

B7(E)

Freedom of Information Act - [5 U.S.C. 552(b)]

B-1 National security classified information [(b)(1) of the FOIA]

B-2 Release would disclose internal personnel rules and practices of an agency [(b)(2) of the FOIA]

B-3 Release would violate a Federal statute [(b)(3) of the FOIA]

B-4 Release would disclose trade secrets or confidential or financial information [(b)(4) of the FOIA]

B-6 Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy [(b)(6) of the FOIA]

B-7 Release would disclose information compiled for law enforcement purposes [(b)(7) of the FOIA]

B-8 Release would disclose information concerning the regulation of financial institutions [(b)(8) of the FOIA]

B-9 Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells [(b)(9) of the FOIA]

C. Closed in accordance with restrictions contained in donor's deed of gift.

WASHINGTON

RECEPTION AT UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

DATE: Sunday, September 25, 1983
TIME: 6:30 p.m.
LOCATION: Hilton Room, Waldorf Astoria
FROM: William P. Clark *WPC*

I. PURPOSE

Jeane Kirkpatrick is hosting a reception for Heads of State, Heads of Government, Foreign Ministers, and their Permanent Representatives who are in attendance at the United Nations General Assembly.

II. BACKGROUND

Secretary Shultz has forwarded talking points to be made to a special number of attendees (Tab A) at the reception. In addition, if time permits, at the conclusion of the receiving line and during the mix-and-mingle portion of the reception, Secretary Shultz will lead you to Foreign Minister Salem of Lebanon, Foreign Minister Wu of the PRC, Foreign Minister Abe of Japan, and Foreign Minister Lee of Korea. Special attention to these leaders will be conducive to strengthening our bilateral relations.

As the above-noted leaders approach you in the receiving line, Secretary Shultz or Jeane Kirkpatrick will provide you orally with brief comments.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Heads of State, Heads of Government, Foreign Ministers, and their Permanent Representatives

IV. PRESS PLAN

Pool photo coverage at end of reception and during your brief remarks

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

6:30 p.m. -- Arrive for receiving line
7:00 p.m. -- Mix and mingle
7:20 p.m. -- Proceed to platform for brief remarks
7:30 p.m. -- Depart

Tab A: Attendees

*MJS
11/14/07*

Subject: Individuals Who Merit Special Presidential Attention at
September 25 UNGA Reception

Following is a list of individuals who merit special attention from the President at the September 25 UNGA Reception:

Canada - Foreign Minister MacEachen: Should be especially thanked for Canada's role in the forefront of Western reaction to the KAL 007 shootdown and for Canadian cooperation with regarding to cruise missile tests.

China - Foreign Minister Wu: The President may wish to thank Wu for China's hospitality in connection with Secretary Weinberger's visit to Beijing which will just be commencing, and to express his pleasure that Premier Zhao will visit the US in early January.

Cyprus - President Kuprianou: Should be thanked for Cypriot support on MNF and indicate US willingness to be helped in promoting political solution between Greek and Turkish communities on the island.

Japan - Foreign Minister Abe: Abe should be thanked for Japan's close cooperation with us on the KAL incident, for which he is largely responsible. Abe represents one of our most important allies and is probably a future Prime Minister of Japan.

Korea - Foreign Minister Lee: It is important to underline our compassion for the Koreans concerning the KAL incident and the close cooperation between our two governments in dealing with the aftermath. Moreover, it is also important to demonstrate the importance of our continuing security relationship.

Lebanon - Foreign Minister Salem: The Lebanese are extremely grateful for the President's personal interest in Lebanon and for the support the US has provided. The President should reiterate the US commitment to a sovereign Lebanon with a strong central government committed to national reconciliation.

India - Foreign Minister Rao: The President should indicate that he is looking forward to meeting with Prime Minister Gandhi the next day.

Morocco - King Hassan II: The President will have a working lunch with the King the next day.

Pakistan - Foreign Minister Khan: The President saw Khan in May, and Khan will see Judge Clark and the Vice President in October.

Philippines - Foreign Minister Romulo: Romulo is the grand old man of the UN and during his long career there has been a particular friend of the US. The President may wish to say that he looks forward to meeting him again in November.