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Subject: Coordinating Committee on Arms

Control and Defense Issues Meeting, August 18, 1983: SUMMARY RECORD

Attached is the Summary Record of the meeting of the Coordinating Committee on Arms Control and Defense Issues held on August 18, 1983. Also attached is a copy of the Draft Report to the SPG. Coordinating Committee members are requested to send their comments to Ambassador Gerald Helman (632-9818) by close of business Thursday, August 25. Please disseminate this memo to Coordinating Committee members in your agency.

Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

Tab 1 - Summary Record

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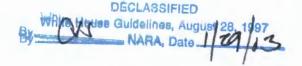


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The Honorable

Lawrence S. Eagleburger

Chairman, International Political Committee

The Honorable

Gerald B. Helman

Chairman, Public Diplomacy Committee

FROM:

Charles Z. Wick & for Che

SUBJECT:

Status Report No. 29 - Arms Reduction and

Security Issues (Week of August 15-19)

HIGHLIGHTS

- -- Embassy Ottawa reports that a July Gallup poll, taken before Canadian government approval of cruise missile testing in that country, showed opposition to the testing as declining, and approval increasing. A plurality, however, still opposes the program by a margin of 48 to 44 percent. Although public interest in the issue may have declined in the wake of the July 15 decision to permit testing, Embassy Ottawa notes that anti-cruise activists are planning large demonstrations around "International Disarmament Week", starting October 22.
- -- Ottawa also notes that the excellent support of the U.S. Air Force in providing backgrounders for Canadian journalists on the cruise missile program has "played a significant role" in preparing the political groundwork for the "very difficult decision" of the Canadian Government to approve the testing program. Among others currently being assisted by the Washington Foreign Press Center and the Air Force is Leonard Bertin, a freelance defense affairs writer who is producing a booklet on cruise missiles for the Canadian External Affairs Ministry.

Bonn reports that Radio in the American Sector (RIAS), Berlin, will soon broadcast up to fifty minutes of the Post's German translation of the State Department document "Security and Arms Control: the Search for a Stable Peace". RIAS reaches wide areas of East Germany.

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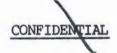


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The Washington Foreign Press Center arranged briefings on Soviet naval forces in the Black Sea for Turkish correspondent Turan Yavuz during the week and is now establishing appointments for Radio France's Eric Laurent, who plans a special security issues edition of his "Radio Magazine".

Madrid reports that Barcelona's "La Vanguardia", one of Spain's most important dailies, published extensive excerpts from Sakahrov's "Foreign Affairs" article on arms control in its July 24 and 25 editions. The Post had quickly translated a Wireless File-supplied copy of the article and offered it to "La Vanguardia" as an exclusive.

The Wireless File also carried Secretary Weinberger's VFW convention remarks on U.S. defense modernization, and the text of the White House statement on the strengthening of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.



cc: Judge William P. Clark, Jr., SPG Secretary George P. Shultz, SPG Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger, SPG Administrator M. Peter McPherson, SPG

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Chairman, International Political Committee

The Honorable Gerald B. Helman

Chairman, Public Diplomacy Committee

FROM:

Charles Z. Wick

Director

SUBJECT:

Status Report No. 30 - Arms Reduction and

Security Issues (Week of August 22-26)

HIGHLIGHTS

-- European Posts Report Heavy Demand for INF Pocket Handbook:

Demand in Europe and elsewhere for the Agency's pocket guide to INF and related issues has resulted in a second press run of 3,000 copies being requested from the printer in Manila. Posts report that the guide's concise treatment of complex issues in an attractive and easily followed format has generated considerable demand from missions which deal constantly with these issues, as well as from key members of their target audiences. The pocket guide is designed to be updated periodically as circumstances and developments warrant.

— Washington Foreign Press Center Arranges Briefings by Vice President:

In preparation for the Vice President's trip to Eastern Europe and North Africa, the Washington Foreign Press Center has arranged a September 7 pre-departure briefing for correspondents from countries on his itinerary. Also invited are selected additional Middle Eastern correspondents and representatives from the European wire services. Separate television interviews with correspondents from the countries the Vice President will visit—Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Yugoslavia, Romania, Hungary and Austria— will also be arranged for September 8. The Vice President is scheduled to make a major speech on East-West relations in Vienna.

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The Washington Foreign Press Center is also evolving a briefing program for approximately 30 Dutch journalists, including many key parliamentary correspondents, who will accompany an all-party delegation of parliamentary leaders to Washington from September 9 to 14. The Press Center is also arranging an interview on U.S. security policy with a high-level USG official for the top Dutch foreign affairs TV program "Panoramiek" in connection with the visit.

Media arrangements for the upcoming visits of Presidents Eanes (Portugal); Koivisto (Finland); Carstens (FRG); and Prime Minister Thatcher are also progressing.

During the week, the Voice of America aired a discussion of the nuclear freeze proposal which emphasized verification questions, as well as an editorial on Andropov's latest proposals to prohibit testing and deployment of space—based weapons and elimination of existing ASAT weapons.

MIT political science professor William Griffith spoke on the INF talks and East-West relations in general before select audiences in Brasilia and Rio de Janiero during the week. Brasilia reports that Griffith's fund of knowledge on not only the issues but many of the personalities involved is "capacious and impressive".

During the week, the Wireless File carried several INF-related items, including excerpts from Secretary Weinberger's August 18 press conference and a byliner by Anne Armstrong entitled "NATO Must Have a Credible Deterrent". On August 23, the File carried the text of President Reagan's American Legion address, "The U.S. Seeks Peace through Deterrence, Arms Reduction", and a byliner by ACDA Deputy Diector David Emery stressing the high priority given arms control by the Administration and restating the principles guiding U.S. arms control policy. The File also carried an item from Geneva on the U.S. invitation to the Committee on Disarmament to witness the destruction of chemical weapons at an Army base in Utah.

The Washington Foreign Press Center is extending facilitative assistance to numerous European journalists, including representatives of VPRO TV, Holland, who want to add a high-level interview to the material they gathered in July with WFPC assistance. The upcoming VPRO television series on INF and related European security issues could assist in tempering major Dutch demonstrations this fall, the WFPC believes.





Others being assisted include Eric Laurent, who is preparing a two-hour "Radio Magazine" program on security issues for Radio France; Ann Winder, of the BBC; Gabrielle Chwallek-Tripp, Neue Osnabruecker Zeitung (FRG); Pino Buongiorno, Panorama, (Italy); and Antonio Gambino, Expresso and La Repubblica (Italy). John Burke, of Global TV, Canada, is also being assisted with a series on ALCMs and ALCM testing in Canada.

The Belgian Minister of the Budget, Planning and Scientific Policy began an International Visitor program in Washington the week of August 22 with a call on Secretary Weinberger. Minister Philippe Maystadt then discussed defense issues with senior DOD representatives and private academics. On August 23, he met with ACDA Director Adelman and the following day with Director of the Congressional Budget Office Alice Rivlin. Maystadt left Washington on August 24 for other points on his three-week itinerary.

On August 22 as well, the President of Belgium's Flemish Socialist Party, Karel van Miert, began a three-week International Visitor program. Our Embassy in Brussels notes that, while it would be difficult to reverse van Miert's views on INF, his program should aim at broadening his appreciation of the issues while avoiding any hint of "hard sell". Brussels suggests that van Miert also be exposed to the "broadest and most representative" aspects of the U.S. to soften the influence of cliches born of his lack of recent exposure to this country. The Flemish Socialist Party and its francophone counterpart together form Belgium's strongest opposition party and the country's most vocal INF opposition.

Recently assisted on voluntary visitor programs were two French professors of security affairs: Pierre Melandri, of the University of Lille, and Claude Carlier, of the Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Aix-Marseille. Also assisted on an invividual voluntary visitor program was Paolo Cotta Ramusino, director of the Center of Studies on Arms and Disarmament at Milan's Catholic University. Ramusino discussed the evolution of nuclear strategy, the airland battle, and civil defense with government and private experts.

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

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FROM:

WALTER RAYMOND, JR.

SUBJECT:

Report of the Coordinating Committee on Arms

Control and Defense Issues

Attached herewith is the first comprehensive monthly report on the Coordinating Committee on Arms Control and Defense Issues. When the SPG established this Committee it requested periodic reporting be provided. Sven Kraemer and I have attended all of the meetings of the Committee. Our work to date has essentially been designed to ensure that the process is moving forward effectively. Both public diplomacy and policy personnel have been directly involved in the full process. However, there is a danger that the system become to routinized and we will have to guard against that development. The meetings to date have had a certain mechanical quality to them but the work is getting done.

I believe that the Coordinating Committee Chairmen should give the SPG a brief summary of the Committees' efforts to date at the next SPG meeting scheduled for September 20.

We do not have a final chemical and biological warfare paper, nor a final strategic modernization strategy paper yet. There remains a reluctance to complete the latter paper before the Thayer group completes its deliberations. For the future, the Committee will review the necessity of a separate public diplomacy strategy for the Committee on Disarmament (CDE).

We do not believe a formal response to the monthly report is required by you. We will distribute this report in conjunction with an agenda to the SPG Principals for the September 20 meeting.

Ron Lehman, Sven Kraemer, Jack Matlock and Bob Sims concur.

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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The Honorable Gerald B. Helman

Chairman, Public Diplomacy Committee

FROM:

Charles Z Wick

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SUBJECT:

Status Report No. 31 -- Arms Reduction and

Security Issues (Week of August 29 - September 2)

HIGHLIGHTS

USIA, State Department, Publications Elicit High European Praise:

- Our Embassy in Brussels reports that the Belgian government is so impressed with the Agency's "INF: Questions and Answers" pamphlet that they have asked for permission to publish a Dutch-language version. The Belgian government envisions large-scale distribution of its language version to key Flemish groups and individuals.
- -- Chancellor Kohl's office contacted our Embassy in Bonn with high praise for the German-language version of "Security and Arms Control: The Search for a More Stable Peace." Kohl's staff asked whether they could print an enlarged second run of the State Department booklet, which was originally translated and distributed by USIS Bonn.

Ambassador Rowny Briefs at the Washington Foreign Press Center:

On September 1, Ambassador Rowny gave a background briefing on the START talks to a full house of 40 resident foreign correspondents at the Washington Foreign Press Center. Rowny stressed the Administration's determination to reach a strategic arms agreement "which makes sense and with which we can live, and which is in the mutual interest of both sides." Post-briefing one-on-one interviews were videotaped for RAI-TV (Italy); the BBC; ARD (West Germany); ORF (Austrian Radio/TV); and Televisa (Mexico).

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According to our Mission in Berlin, the German Trade Union Federation's (DGB's) September 1 anti-war rally was a fiasco: heavy thunderstorms dispersed many, leaving a hard core of about 10,000 activists to hear speeches by former USIA film section head Bruce Herschensohn and G. A. Boiko, head of the Volgograd Trade Union Council. Herschensohn, now a Los Angeles radio and television commentator, accepted the DGB invitation, which he said had been intended for Jane Fonda. The sullen crowd reacted strongly to Herschensohn's reminders that peace and freedom are not mutually exclusive propositions, and that if one wanted peace the easy way, one could have that of the slave, which beckoned across the wall. Boiko's rejoinder included a reference to Hitler's "brown pestilence" which had begun in Berlin, and an assertion that Soviet citizens enjoyed as much freedom as West Berliners. Berlin reports that the crowd was far friendlier to Boiko than to Herschensohn, although he too came in for his share of heckling over Afghanistan and Poland. At the conclusion of the raucous affair, DGB officials remarked that it had been a "scandal for Berlin". The organizer of the march apparently was unaware of Herschensohn's political views, and "got the brunt of peace activists' anger", according to the U.S. Mission.

USIS Bonn reports that a program on INF deployment in the FRG produced by the German second channel (ZDF) reinforced the case for the two-track decision among the large viewing audience. During the making of the documentary "Point of View: the NATO Two-Track Decision", the Embassy and the U.S. Army had resisted ZDF pressure for interviews, saying that these issues were more appropriately handled by FRG government spokesmen. As a result, the program, which is the first of three planned for the remainder of 1983, included footage of high-level German officials forcefully defending the NATO policy. This contrasted with the interviews with anti-INF demonstrators, whose answers sometimes betrayed a sense of unreality, and who did not adequately respond to questions about their lack of concern for SS-20s. "The strong justification for the two-track decision given by German politicians was surely more effective...than any explanation by an American official or general", concludes Bonn.

During the week, the Wireless File carried a report on the September 1 Scowcroft press conference, at which he discussed his views of the state of the INF and START talks. Terming Soviet gestures "mildly encouraging", Scowcroft saw possibilities for progress at both negotiations.



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Also carried by the File was a Rowny September 25 interview, in which the chief START negotiator referred to "considerable movement" at the talks on limiting strategic arms.

While continuing to facilitate a number of requests for assistance from foreign journalists covering defense issues, the Washington Foreign Press Center is responding this week to another such request. Monica Botskor, Suedwest Presse, West Germany, has asked for a Pentagon briefing on safeguards against accidental nuclear war.

Since late February, the Agency has programmed twenty-one speakers on security issues throughout Western Europe and in many Eastern European countries. Although the majority of these have been high-level USG representatives such as Richard Perle, Fred Ikle and Edward Rowny, speakers have also included Helmut Sonnenfeldt from Brookings and William Griffith from MIT.



cc: Judge William P. Clark, Jr., SPG Secretary George P. Shultz, SPG Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger, SPG Administrator M. Peter McPherson, SPG