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I. PURPOSE

To receive for accreditation the diplomatic credentials of seven ambassadors.

II. BACKGROUND, PARTICIPANTS, AND PRESS ARRANGEMENTS

A. Background: You will receive credentials from the Ambassadors of Sri Lanka, Guinea-Bissau, United Arab Emirates, Argentina, Yemen Arab Republic, Hungary, and Jordan. After the exchange of documents, you will hold a brief (5-minute) conversation with each Ambassador.

B. Participants: Chief of Protocol Annenberg will introduce each Ambassador. I will be present with members of the NSC staff. The Ambassador of Sri Lanka will be escorted by State Protocol Officer Richard Massey. The Ambassador of Guinea-Bissau will be escorted by State Protocol Officer Ray Pardon. The Ambassador of the United Arab Emirates will be escorted by State Protocol Officer George Sealey. The Ambassador of Argentina will be escorted by State Protocol Officer Patrick Daly. The Ambassador of the Yemen Arab Republic will be escorted by State Assistant Chief of Protocol Richard Gookin. The Ambassador of Hungary will be escorted by State Assistant Chief of Protocol John A. Murtha. The Ambassador of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan will be escorted by State Protocol Officer Gahl Bothe.

Families Attending: The Ambassador of Sri Lanka will be accompanied by his wife, Indra, and sons, Lester (21) and Andy (11). The Ambassador of Argentina will be accompanied by his wife, Martha, daughter, Agueda (21), and sons, Esteban (17), and Sebastian (14). The Ambassador of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan will be accompanied by his wife, Ramzieh, and daughters, Muna (18), and May (13).

C. Press Arrangements: White House photographer only.

III. BACKGROUND MATERIAL

3x5 cards attached.
Ernest Corea (Phonetic: kohRAYuh) - Appointed Ambassador of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka

Head of State - J.R. Jayewardene (Phonetic: jye-uhWARdennuh), President

Ambassador Corea, 49, is married, with two children. Following a long career in journalism and economic development, in 1978 he was appointed as Sri Lanka's High Commissioner to Canada and, concurrently, as Ambassador to Cuba, posts he left in 1980. His last position was as a director of the International Development Research Center in Ottawa.

Pertinent Background: President Jaywardene has made no official visit to the United States. He stopped briefly, and privately, in Los Angeles in November, 1979. Prime Minister Premadasa was in the U.S. in October 1980. Neither the President nor Vice President has visited Sri Lanka. This August Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick was in Colombo, the highest ranking U.S. official to visit Sri Lanka in many years.

Significant Issues: Sri Lanka is a functioning democracy. Relations with the U.S. are excellent. Our Ambassador, Donald Toussaint, has frequent, useful, meetings with Sri Lankan officials, including the President. We support the government's pragmatic economic policies which encourage the expansion of the private sector. We currently provide $96 million annually in aid for Sri Lanka's ambitious development programs.

Issues for Discussion:

-- Offer our congratulations on the fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of universal adult suffrage in Sri Lanka. This is a clear demonstration of Sri Lanka's commitment to democracy.

-- Reiterate our respect for Sri Lanka's moderate position on international issues in the non-aligned movement and in international fora where it plays such an important role.

-- Emphasize our support for Sri Lanka's market-oriented economic policies. We are pleased to see the private sector playing an increasingly important role in the country's development. We intend to continue to provide economic assistance in support of Sri Lanka's efforts to bring a better life to its people.
1. PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

AMB. ERNEST COREA (kohRAYuh), SRI LANKA

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - WIFE: INDRA
                   SON: LESTER (21YRS.)
                   SON: ANDY (11YRS.)

WH - RICHARD V. ALLEN
NSC - GEOFFREY KEMP
STATE - RICHARD MASSEY (ESCORT)
       - DAVID T. SCHNEIDER
          (AREA REP)

-- 49 YEARS OLD; MARRIED; 2 CHILDREN
-- FORMER DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
   RESEARCH CENTER IN OTTAWA
-- SERVED AS HIGH COMMISSIONER TO CANADA AND,
   CONCURRENTLY, AS AMBASSADOR TO CUBA

○ CONGRATULATE ON 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF ESTABLISHMENT
   OF UNIVERSAL ADULT SUFFERAGE

○ REITERATE RESPECT FOR MODERATE POSITION ON
   INTERNATIONAL ISSUES IN NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT

○ EMPHASIZE SUPPORT FOR MARKET-ORIENTED
   ECONOMIC POLICIES

○ EXPRESS PLEASURE IN SEEING PRIVATE SECTOR
   PLAYING IMPORTANT ROLE IN COUNTRY'S DEVELOPMENT

○ EXPRESS INTENTION TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE
   ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE
Dr. Inácio Semedo Jr. (Phonetic: Ee NAH see oh Se may doh)—Appointed Ambassador of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau.

Head of State: General João Bernardo Vieira (pronounced vee AY rah) President of the Revolutionary Council.

Biographic Sketch:

Ambassador Semedo received his higher education in Hungary where, in 1972, he received a Ph.D. in plant science. For the past seven years, until his appointment as Ambassador, Dr. Semedo directed the Guinea-Bissau agency that obtains international funds for development projects and coordinates their use. As such he had close and effective working relations with US government officials in Bissau. Dr. Semedo is also his country's Ambassador to the United Nations and will, at least initially, reside in New York. The Ambassador is looking for suitable quarters for establishing his country's first embassy in Washington.

The 37-year-old Ambassador is married with three children.

Pertinent Background: None

Significant Programs or Issues:

Guinea-Bissau gained its independence from Portugal in 1974 after a guerilla war supported by the Soviet Union and its allies. The government of General Vieira, while still dependent on Soviet aid and friendly with the Eastern bloc, is becoming more pragmatic in international affairs.

The US has a modest development assistance program—less than $2.0 million annually—focused mainly on helping the Bissauans achieve self-sufficiency in rice production. Our emergency food shipments for drought relief (8,000 tons of rice and 5,500 tons of sorghum in fiscal year 1981) have been deeply appreciated by Guinea-Bissau and have contributed to a growing warmth in our relations.

Issues for Discussion:

-- Note our satisfaction that the Ambassador feels our emergency food aid and development assistance are helping his country cope with the problems caused by drought and meet the challenge of increasing food production.

-- Express your respect for Guinea-Bissau foreign policy which the Ambassador terms one of "political openness based on fundamental principles of nonalignment."

-- Welcome the government of Guinea-Bissau's decision to establish an embassy in Washington and wish the Ambassador well in his search for suitable quarters.
2. PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

AMB. INACIO SEMEDO, JR. (EE NAH SEE OH SE MAY DOH)

GUINEA-BISSAU

PARTICIPANTS: UNACCOMPANIED
- WH - RICHARD V. ALLEN
- NSC - FRED WETTERING
- STATE - RAY PARDON
- PRINCETON LYMAN

-- 37 YEARS OLD, MARRIED WITH 3 CHILDREN
-- GUINEA-BISSAU'S AMB. TO THE U.S.

GUINEA-BISSAU

-- NOTE SATISFACTION THAT OUR EMERGENCY FOOD AID AND DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE ARE HELPING HIS COUNTRY COPE WITH DROUGHT AND FOOD PRODUCTION PROBLEMS.

-- EXPRESS YOUR RESPECT FOR GUINEA-BISSAU FOREIGN POLICY OF "POLITICAL OPENNESS BASED ON FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES OF NONALIGNMENT."

-- WELCOME THE GOVT OF GUINEA-BISSAU'S DECISION TO ESTABLISH AN EMBASSY IN D.C. AND WISH THE AMBASSADOR WELL IN HIS SEARCH FOR SUITABLE QUARTERS.
Ahmad Salim al-Mokarrab (Phonetic: al-moo-KAR-rab) - Appointed Ambassador of the United Arab Emirates

Head of Government - Sheikh Zayid bin Sultan al-Nahayan (called Sheikh Zayid), President of the United Arab Emirates (UAE) and Ruler of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi

Ambassador al-Mokarrab, 33, married, 2 children. Previous assignments include Beirut and Tokyo

Pertinent Background: There have been no Presidential or Vice-Presidential visits to the UAE, nor has the Head of State visited here.

Significant Issues: Over the last year the UAE has sought a closer military supply relationship with the United States. This is a change we have welcomed.

In addition the Government of Libya has informally approached the UAE and asked them to be the Libyan representative power in the US. We have informed the UAE that while we accept the Libyan proposal in principle there are many details which need to be arranged.

The UAE, as with other Arab States, views the Congressional vote on the AWACS as a sign of US friendship for Saudi Arabia and for the Arab world.

The Palestinian question remains the major divisive issue between the US and the UAE.

Issues for Discussion:

--Comment favorably on the tradition of friendship that has existed between our countries.

--(If raised) Express appreciation for the UAE willingness to act as the representative power for the Libyans, and indicate that we have the question under review.

--(If raised) Comment appropriately on sale of AWACS to Saudi Arabia.
3. PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

AMB. AHMAD SALIM AL-MOKARRAB (al-moo-KAR-rab),
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - UNACCOMPANIED
WH - RICHARD V. ALLEN
NSC - GEOFFREY KEMP
STATE - GEORGE SEALEY (ESCORT)
          ZAKI ASLAN (ARABIC INTERPRETER)
          DAVID T. SCHNEIDER (AREA REP)

-- 33 YEARS OLD; MARRIED; 2 CHILDREN
-- PREVIOUS ASSIGNMENTS INCLUDE BEIRUT AND TOKYO

○ COMMENT FAVORABLY ON TRADITION OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN UAE AND US

○ EXPRESS APPRECIATION FOR UAE WILLINGNESS TO ACT AS REPRESENTATIVE POWER FOR LIBYANS, AND INDICATE WE HAVE QUESTION UNDER REVIEW

○ COMMENT APPROPRIATELY ON SALE OF AWACS TO SAUDI ARABIA (UAE VIEWS CONGRESSIONAL VOTE ON AWACS AS SIGN OF US FRIENDSHIP FOR SAUDI ARABIA AND FOR ARAB WORLD
Esteban Arpad Takacs (phonetic: TAH-kash) - Appointed Ambassador of the Argentine Republic

Head of State: General Roberto Viola (pronounced vee-OH-la), President of the Republic.

Ambassador Takacs, 53; married; two sons, 14 and 17; one daughter, 21; fluent in English. An agricultural engineer, his government service includes Director-General of National Forests, Under Secretary of Agriculture for Renewable Natural Resources, President of the National Meat Board, and Ambassador to Canada, 1976-81. Takacs accompanied Foreign Minister Camilion (kah-mee-LYOHN) to his recent meetings with the Vice President and Secretaries of State, Commerce, and Agriculture.

President Viola visited Washington in March 1981 prior to his inauguration and met with you March 17 and with Vice President Bush March 18. Neither you nor the Vice President have visited Argentina.

Significant Issues: The human rights situation in Argentina, which strained relations with the U.S., has greatly improved. We seek to strengthen relations in order to bolster Argentina's identification with the West, reduce Soviet influence, gain Argentine support on international issues and increase cooperation on major hemispheric, political, economic and strategic concerns. The Administration has reversed the policy of abstaining on human rights grounds on loans for Argentina in international financial institutions and is seeking this session to remove legislative restrictions on arms sales to Argentina.

Issues for Discussion:

-- Express satisfaction at improvement in U.S./Argentine relations particularly since the two Administrations came to office.

-- Reiterate U.S. desire for close and constructive cooperation with Argentina on global and regional issues.

-- Note current effort in Congress to repeal specific prohibition on an arms supply relationship with Argentina.
4. PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

AMB. ESTEBAN ARPAD TAKACS (TAH-kash)
ARGENTINA

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - WIFE, MARTHA
DAUGHTER, AGUEDA
SONS, ESTEBAN (17 YRS) &
SEBASTIAN (14 YRS)

WH - RICHARD V. ALLEN
NSC - ROGER FONTAINE
STATE - PATRICK DALY (ESCORT)
EVERETT BRIGGS (AREA REP)

-- 53 YEARS OLD, MARRIED, THREE CHILDREN
-- AGRICULTURAL ENGINEER
-- AMBASSADOR TO CANADA 1976-1981

- EXPRESS SATISFACTION AT IMPROVEMENT IN U.S./
ARGENTINE RELATIONS SINCE THE TWO ADMINIS-
TRATIONS CAME TO OFFICE

- REITERATE U.S. DESIRE FOR CLOSE AND CONSTRUC-
TIVE COOPERATION ON GLOBAL AND REGIONAL ISSUES

- NOTE CURRENT EFFORT IN CONGRESS TO REPEAL
SPECIFIC PROHIBITION ON AN ARMS SUPPLY
RELATIONSHIP WITH ARGENTINA
Mohammad Abdallah al-Iryani (Phonetic: ir-YA-nee) - Appointed Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Yemen

Head of State - Colonel Ali Abdallah Salih, President of the Arab Republic of Yemen

Ambassador al-Iryani, 47, married (2 wives), 8 children (of first wife, not accompanying). Previous assignment as YAR Ambassador to the United Kingdom, 1974-1981. Previous service as military officer, Commander of the Armed Forces 1971 - 1974, when sent into diplomatic exile following coup.

Pertinent Background: None

Significant Issues: The Yemen Arab Republic is seeking Western assistance as it faces increasing pressure from the Marxist-led National Democratic Front insurgency and Soviet-influenced South Yemen. U.S. interests in Yemen are dominated by our relations with neighboring Saudi Arabia, which is Yemen's principal source of financial support and is influential in the political life of the country. Yemenis express some resentment of the extent to which they perceive U.S. policies toward them determined by Riyadh. We are closely consulting with the Saudis and our other allies in to develop support for the YAR to resist South Yemeni and other Soviet-backed pressures.

Issues for Discussion:

--- Express pleasure in the recent, steady improvement in our bilateral relations, and support for the North Yemen government in its effort to develop in order security and independence.

--- Note that we will have a foreign military assistance credit program for the Yemen Arab Republic for the first time in FY 82.

--- Reiterate our continuing support for North Yemen's economic development through aid projects in agriculture, education, health, and rural development.

--- Mention your concern for the recovery of President Salih's 14-year-old daughter, who is at Bethesda Naval Hospital suffering from Pott's Disease (a tubercular infection of the spine).

GDS 10/1/87
5. PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

AMB. MOHAMMAD ABDALLAH AL-IRYANI (ir-YA-nee)
ARAB REPUBLIC OF YEMEN

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - UNACCOMPANIED
WH - RICHARD V. ALLEN
NSC - GEOFFREY KEMP
STATE - RICHARD GOOKIN (ESCORT)
DAVID T. SCHNEIDER
(AREA REP)

-- 47 YEARS OLD; MARRIED (2 WIVES); 8 CHILDREN
(OF FIRST WIFE)
-- FORMER YAR AMBASSADOR TO UNITED KINGDOM
1974-1981
-- PREVIOUS SERVICE AS COMMANDER OF THE
ARMED FORCES 1971-1974

EXPRESS PLEASURE IN STEADY IMPROVEMENT IN
OUR BILATERAL RELATIONS AND SUPPORT FOR
NORTH YEMEN GOVERNMENT IN EFFORTS TO
DEVELOP IN ORDER SECURITY AND INDEPENDENCE

NOTE WE WILL HAVE FOREIGN MILITARY ASSISTANCE
CREDIT PROGRAM FOR YAR FOR FIRST TIME IN
FY 82

REITERATE CONTINUING SUPPORT FOR YAR'S
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT THROUGH AID PROJECTS IN
AGRICULTURE, EDUCATION, HEALTH, AND RURAL
DEVELOPMENT

MENTION CONCERN FOR RECOVERY OF PRESIDENT
SALIH'S 14-YR-OLD DAUGHTER, WHO IS SUFFERING
FROM POTT'S DISEASE (TUBERCULAR INFECTION OF
SPINE) AND HAD BEEN AT BETHESDA NAVAL HOSPITAL
Janos Petran (Phonetic: PEH-trahn) - Appointed Ambassador of the Hungarian People's Republic.

Titular Head of Government - Pal Losonczi (Lah-shahn-cy), President of the Presidential Council.

Communist First Party Secretary - Janos Kadar (Kah-dahr)

Ambassador Petran, 47, single, fluent English, book collector. Previous assignments include Head of Delegation to MBFR talks in Vienna; Head of Delegation to CSCE meetings in both Belgrade and Madrid; and Chief of department responsible for the United States in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Pertinent Background: President Losonczi has never visited the United States; First Secretary Kadar came to the UN in 1960. No US President or Vice President has visited Hungary in recent years. A high-level delegation led by former Secretary of State Vance visited Budapest in 1978 to return the Crown of St. Stephen and the coronation regalia to the Hungarians.

Significant Issues: US relations with Hungary have improved markedly since the return of the Crown of St. Stephen and the signing of a trade agreement in 1978. The United States currently has no significant bilateral problems with Hungary, except for Hungary's usual adherence to the Soviet line in its own foreign policy pronouncements. This year marks the 25th anniversary of the Hungarian revolution of 1956. Hungary in the past twenty-five years has achieved a considerable degree of internal political and economic liberalization which it has paid for by adherence to the Soviet foreign policy line. The Hungarian economy today is moving toward more decentralization and free enterprise. The United States has granted Hungary Most-Favored-Nation (MFN) status.

Issues for Discussion:

--- Express satisfaction with the progress in our bilateral relationship and anticipation that the improvement will continue.

--- Note the beneficial expansion in our trade and commercial relations and confirm that the United States intends energetically to build on those relations in the future under our existing laws.

--- Express satisfaction at our renewal in July of MFN status for Hungary and note appreciation for Hungary's helpful record on human rights issues.
6. PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

AMB. JÁNOS PETRÁN (PEH-trahn), HUNGARY

PARTICIPANTS:

FAMILY - UNACCOMPANIED

WH - RICHARD V. ALLEN

NSC - PAULA DOBRIANSKY

STATE - JOHN A. MURTHA

-- 47 YEARS OLD, SINGLE, FLUENT ENGLISH

-- HAS BEEN HEAD OF DELEGATION TO MBFR/VIENNA, CSCE MEETINGS IN BOTH BELGRADE AND MADRID;

CHIEF OF DEPT. RESPONSIBLE FOR U.S., MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

-- EXPRESS SATISFACTION WITH BILATERAL RELATIONSHIP PROGRESS AND HOPES FOR CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT.

-- NOTE BENEFICIAL EXPANSION IN TRADE AND COMMERCIAL RELATIONS, CONFIRMING U.S. INTENDS TO BUILD ON THEM UNDER EXISTING LAWS.

-- EXPRESS SATISFACTION WITH OUR RENEWAL OF MFN STATUS FOR HUNGARY; NOTE APPRECIATION FOR HUNGARY'S HELPFUL RECORD ON HUMAN RIGHTS.
Abdul Hadi Majali (Phonetic: maJAHlee) - Appointed Ambassador of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

Head of State - King Hussein ibn Talal

Ambassador Majali, 47, married, three children. Previous assignments included Chief of Staff of the Jordanian Armed Forces, 1979-1981, Assistant Chief of Staff for Operations, 1976-1979, Assistant Chief of Staff for Plans 1974-1976 and Commander of Engineers 1967-1974. For several years prior to his retirement from military service Majali was responsible for numerous joint U.S.-Jordanian military programs. He is a graduate of the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas.

Pertinent Background: King Hussein last visited Washington in 1980. He will next visit Washington on a State Visit November 2-4, 1981.

Significant Programs or Issues: Jordanians are looking forward keenly to establishing solid basis for improved relations with the U.S. during the King's upcoming visit.

Issues for Discussion:

-- U.S. and Jordan have a long and enduring friendship. Jordan has a key role in promoting security and peace in the Middle East. U.S. has longstanding concern for the enduring character and security of Jordan.

-- We look forward to the visit by King Hussein in November. The visit will be an important opportunity to discuss how to resolve Middle East conflicts and achieve shared strategic objectives.
7. **PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS**

**AMB. ABDUL HADI MAJALI** (maJAHlee)
**HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN**

**PARTICIPANTS:**
**FAMILY -**
- **WIFE:** RAMZIEH
- **DAUGHTERS:**
  - MUNA (18)
  - MAY (13)

**WH** - RICHARD V. ALLEN
**NSC** - GEOFFREY KEMP
**STATE** - MRS. GAHL BOTE (ESCORT)
**DAVID T. SCHNEIDER**
**(AREA REP)**

-- 47 YEARS OLD; MARRIED; 3 CHILDREN
-- FORMER CHIEF OF STAFF OF JORDANIAN ARMED FORCES 1979-1981

○ NOTE LONG AND ENDURING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN U.S. AND JORDAN

○ NOTE JORDAN’S KEY ROLE IN PROMOTING SECURITY AND PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST

○ EXPRESS PLEASURE TO VISIT OF KING HUSSEIN AND QUEEN NOOR IN NOVEMBER -- VISIT WILL PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY TO RESOLVE MIDDLE EAST CONFLICTS AND ACHIEVE SHARED STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES
MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 23, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD V. ALLEN

FROM: CHARLES P. TYSON

SUBJECT: Briefing Memo for Credentials Ceremony
Monday, October 26, 4:15 p.m.
The Oval Office

Attached for your use in briefing the President in preparation for the credentials ceremony on Monday, October 26, at 4:15 p.m. are the following background papers:

Tab A - Ambassador Ernest Corea (Sri Lanka)
B - Ambassador Inacio Semedo, Jr. (Guinea-Bissau)
C - Ambassador al-Makarrab (United Arab Emirates)
D - Ambassador Takacs (Argentina)
E - Ambassador al-Iryani (Yemen)
F - Ambassador Petran (Hungary)
G - Ambassador Majali (Jordan)

Attached at Tab I is a memorandum for the President forwarding 3x5 cards for his use.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memorandum at Tab I.

________________  Approve
________________  Disapprove
MEMORANDUM

TO: RICHARD ALLEN

FROM: GREGORY J. NEWELL

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY.

PLEASE IMPLEMENT THE FOLLOWING AND NOTIFY AND CLEAR ALL PARTICIPANTS. THE BRIEFING PAPER AND REMARKS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO RICHARD DARMAN BY 3 P.M. OF THE PRECEDING DAY.

MEETING: Presentation of Diplomatic Credentials

DATE: October 26, 1981

TIME: 4:15 pm

DURATION: 45 mins

LOCATION: Oval Office

REMARKS REQUIRED: No

MEDIA COVERAGE: White House Photographer

FIRST LADY PARTICIPATION: No

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PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMATIC CREDENTIALS

Tuesday, October 6, 1981
Beginning at 3:45 PM
The Oval Office

FROM: RICHARD V. ALLEN

I. PURPOSE

To receive for accreditation the diplomatic credentials of six ambassadors.

II. BACKGROUND, PARTICIPANTS AND PRESS ARRANGEMENTS

A. Background: You will receive credentials from the Ambassadors of Sri Lanka, Guinea-Bissau, United Arab Emirates, Argentina, Yemen Arab Republic and Hungary. After the exchange of documents, you will hold a brief (5 minute) conversation with each ambassador.

B. Participants: Chief of Protocol Annenberg will introduce each ambassador. I will be present with members of the NSC Staff. The Ambassador of Sri Lanka will be escorted by State Protocol Officer Richard Massey. The Ambassador of Guinea-Bissau will be escorted by Deputy Assistant Secretary of State David T. Schneider. The Ambassador of the United Arab Emirates will be escorted by State Protocol Officer George Sealy. The Ambassador of Argentina will be escorted by State Protocol Officer Patrick Daly. The Ambassador of the Yemen Arab Republic will be escorted by Assistant Chief of Protocol of State Richard Gookin. The Ambassador of Hungary will be escorted by Assistant Chief of Protocol of State John A. Murtha.

Families Attending: The Ambassador of Sri Lanka will be accompanied by his wife, Indra, and sons, Lester (21) and Andy (11). The Ambassador of Argentina will be accompanied by his wife, Martha, daughter Agueda (21) and sons, Esteban (17), and Sebastian (14).

C. Press Arrangements: White House photographer only.

III. BACKGROUND MATERIAL

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සඳහා, එකමාලික පළමුවේ අභිඨකාරු දෙකක්නා නැවකොට මුදලින් අන්තර්ගත දෙවින් නිර්මාණය කළ ගැටලුවේ සිට පැවති විශේෂත කොටස් කොටස්, පෙරමුණකාරී, අමාත්ය සඳහා පැලීමට ඉඩම්බලයි යනුවේ මිය අතීත විස්තරක් සළකේ, මමින් අවශ්‍ය අදහස් සහ මෙම විදේශිත කොටස් සාලාදියන් කිරීමට පළමුවේ අභිඨකාරු දෙකක් කොටස් සාලාදියන් කරන්නේ උපකේ.විශේෂ්‍ය කොටස්, පැලීමට ඉඩම්බලයි යනුවේ මිය අතීත විස්තරක් සළකේ, මමින් අවශ්‍ය අදහස් සහ මෙම විදේශිත කොටස් සාලාදියන් කරන්නේ උපකේ.

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දිග්යාගැනීමේ ගෙද්රවණය


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සුම තුල වැඩි මෝදන ගැන අෙක්සන්සමක් සහිත විපස්සන නිපදවියේ සිදුවීමේ නිදසින්යේ අමතරව කිරීමේ අතිවම ක්‍රියා ආරක්ෂාව කරන්නේ විද්‍යාමණය නිර්මාණය පැලිය විද්‍යාමණය විය. විශේෂ පිය පැදිස්වේ සිදුවීමේ නිදසින්යේ අමතරව කිරීමේ විද්‍යාමණය නිර්මාණය පැලිය විද්‍යාමණය විය. කුමක් කීටක් පැහැදිලි විස්තර කිරීමේ නිදසින්යේ අමතරව කිරීමේ විද්‍යාමණය නිර්මාණය පැලිය විද්‍යාමණය විය. කිසිත් මිනිස් මාණ්ඩලය නිර්මාණය පැලිය විද්‍යාමණය විය.

මායිමෙන් ප්‍රකාශයකට ගොඩමු ක්ලාක්‍රමය ඇති ක්‍රියා සමග මුළු විශේෂ පිය පැහැදිලි විද්‍යාමණය නිර්මාණය පැලිය විද්‍යාමණය විය (ප්‍රකාශ ප්‍රකාශයකට ගොඩමු ක්‍රියා සමග මුළු විශේෂ පිය පැහැදිලි විද්‍යාමණය නිර්මාණය පැලිය විද්‍යාමණය විය). මෙන් ප්‍රකාශයකට ගොඩමු ක්‍රියා සමග මුළු විශේෂ පිය පැහැදිලි විද්‍යාමණය විය.

ඉන්න් ගොඩමු ක්‍රියා සමග මුළු විශේෂ පිය පැහැදිලි විද්‍යාමණය විය.
Statement by H.E. Ernest Corea, on the occasion of Presentation of Credentials at the White House

Mr. President:

I am pleased and privileged to present to you my Letter of Credence by which H.E. Mr. J.R. Jayewardene, President of Sri Lanka, accredits me as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Sri Lanka to the United States of America. I present as well the Letter of Recall of my predecessor H.E. Professor W.S. Karunaratne.

I bring with me greetings and good wishes from President Jayewardene, the Government, and people of Sri Lanka.

Down the years, relations between our two countries have been friendly and creative. American theosophists were among the leaders of the Buddhist revival which had a strong and benign influence on our nationalist movement. More recently, the United States has been closely associated with several aspects of our economic and social development, from adult education through river valley development to private investment. Conversely, many Sri Lankans are part of the faculty at Colleges and Scientific institutions across your country. Others have also
settled into different walks of life. In political terms, dealings between the two countries have been exemplary. The Government and people of Sri Lanka are confident that these well-established relationships, characterised by mutual respect and goodwill, will endure.

Permit me, Mr. President, to add to this formal salutation personal good wishes from my wife, our two sons, and myself. We share your strong sense of family. May the Devas bless and guide you and yours.

Mr. President:

The year 1981 is both significant and propitious to Sri Lanka, for it marks the Golden Jubilee of universal adult franchise in our country. Sri Lanka's domestic democratic traditions predate colonial rule by many generations. Foreign travellers noted and commented on those traditions and practices which we Sri Lankans, needless to say, continue to cherish. Modern political structures in Sri Lanka, however, trace their origin to the grant of universal adult franchise to our country by the British colonial administration in 1931. During the 50 years since, our people have built a democratic system which is both pervasive and
strong. We have proved at least to our satisfaction that modern democracy can be transplanted with success - but only if the soil is accommodating and well-prepared, if the plant itself is adapted to local conditions with skill, and if the necessary productive "inputs" are continuously applied with care.

We are proud of our record. Nevertheless, we know, too, that the politics of democracy and the economics of democracy are two parts of the same equation. An imbalance between them produces a false co-efficient. The Government of Sri Lanka is committed to establishing the proper balance, in the shortest possible time. To do so, the Government has since 1977 embarked on a series of development programs which seek to release the creative energies of the private sector, both local and foreign; to relate employment to an accelerated utilization of appropriate domestic resources; to apply the tests of productivity and efficiency to the public sector; to ensure that the consumer is not cushioned at the expense of the producer; and to direct social policy towards assisting the poorest of the poor while at the same time maintaining the levels of educational attainment and the standards of health delivery for which Sri Lanka has been justly commended. All this is being attempted within the broad framework of democracy, in which the people are sovereign, and the power of the ballot supreme.
We believe that our primary responsibility - indeed, obligation - is to help ourselves. The ramifications of international interdependence deny success to such domestic efforts without external understanding and support. We have therefore sought and received support both from international institutions and friendly governments. Sri Lanka acknowledges, without equivocation, the role of the United States as a partner in Sri Lanka's development. It is our hope and expectation that this partnership will grow stronger, both at the level of government and through the continued transfer of private entrepreneurship.

Sri Lanka has noted with satisfaction the many positive references to the needs and compulsions of the South, in the final communique of the Ottawa Summit in which you participated with manifest impact. We have similarly noted the reference to non-alignment, which characterizes our foreign policy. The independence of judgement implicit in non-alignment has enabled us to take principled and, I venture to hope, useful positions on crucial issues, as several recent statements at international fora by the Foreign Minister of Sri Lanka demonstrate. We will continue to pursue the path of genuine non-alignment, in a manner consistent with our national imperatives, and in such a way as to serve as a moderating force in international relations.
Mr. President:

I am deeply aware of the wish of the Government of Sri Lanka to strengthen further the already strong relations between our two countries. I will strive to the utmost to make this possible; to deepen and widen the dimensions of bilateral understanding and co-operation. I am confident that I can count on your support, and that of your administration.

Thank you, Mr. President, for receiving my family and myself with warmth and courtesy today.
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