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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE
THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
THE SUMMIT WHITE HOUSE GROUP

SUBJECT: Summit White House Group Meeting with the
President on the London Economic Summit--
Tuesday, May 29, 1984, 10:00 a.m. -
12:00 noon, in the Cabinet Room (U)

The Summit White House Group will meet with the President to review the political and economic issues to be discussed at the London Economic Summit. The agenda and list of participants for the May 29 meeting are attached. *let*

Michael K. Deaver
Co-Chairman, Summit
White House Group

Robert C. McFarlane
Co-Chairman, Summit
White House Group

Attachments

- TAB 1 Agenda
- TAB 2 List of participants

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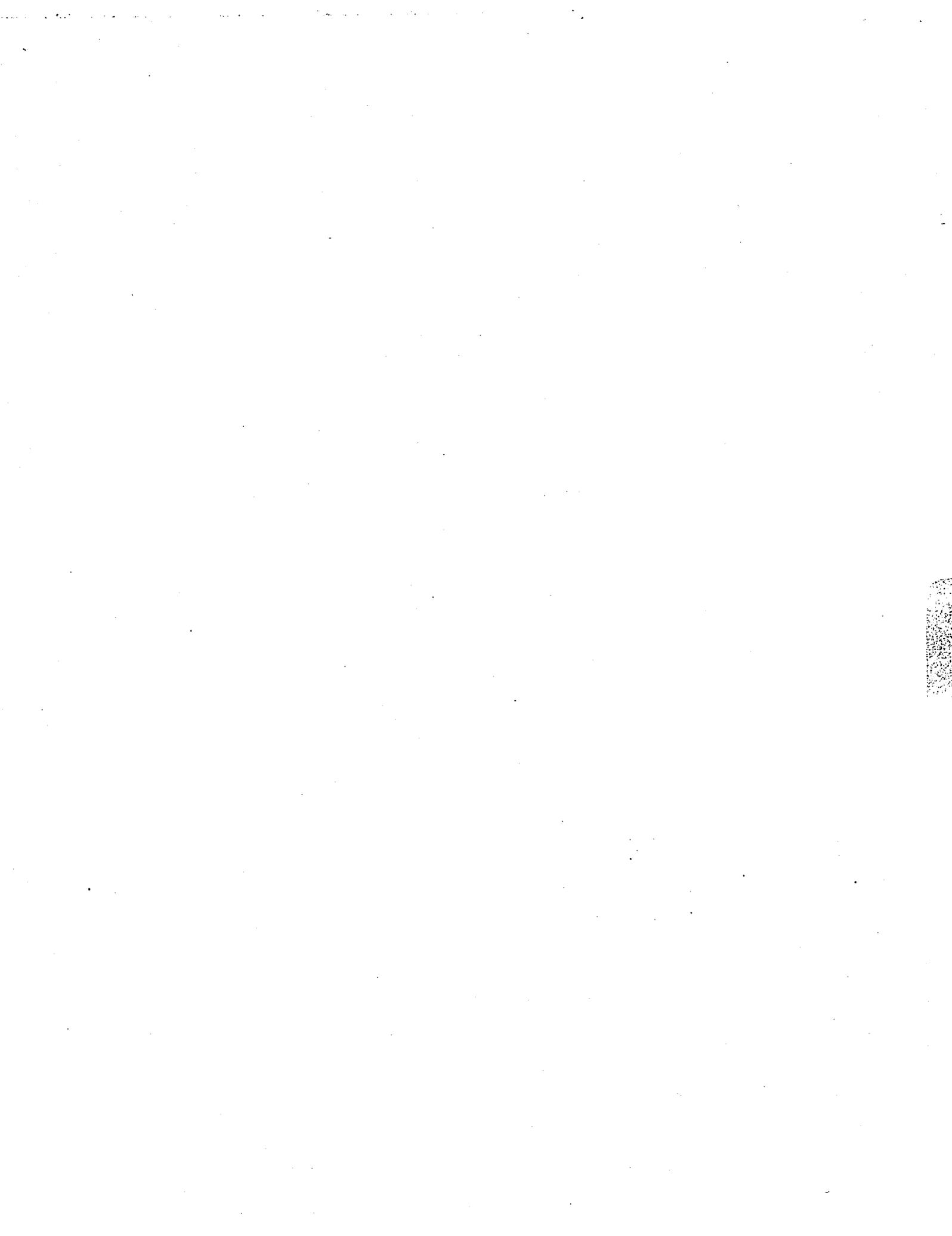
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PRESIDENTIAL BRIEFING
LONDON ECONOMIC SUMMIT

Tuesday, May 29, 1984
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
The Cabinet Room

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AGENDA

I. Summit Political Discussions
(1/2 hour)

A. Introductory Remarks

Robert C. McFarlane

B. Political Setting and Objectives

Secretary Shultz

C. Review of Political Issues

Assistant Secretary
Burt

- 1. East-West Relations
- 2. Arms Control
- 3. Terrorism
- 4. Iran-Iraq
- 5. Other Regional Issues

D. Status of Preparations

Assistant Secretary
Burt

II. Summit Economic Discussions
(1 1/2 hours)

A. Issue-by-Issue Review

1. Economic Recovery and Outlook

Introduction:

Robert C. McFarlane

U.S. Objectives
and Tactics:

Under Secretary
Sprinkel

Positions of Other
Heads of State:

Under Secretary
Sprinkel

Discussion:

President, Cabinet
Officers and White
House Staff

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2. Finance, Debt and Monetary Issues

Introduction:	Robert C. McFarlane
U.S. Objectives and Tactics:	Under Secretary Sprinkel
Positions of Other Heads of State:	Under Secretary Sprinkel
Discussion:	President, Cabinet Officers and White House Staff

3. Trade

Introduction:	Robert C. McFarlane
U.S. Objectives and Tactics:	Douglas W. McMinn
Positions of Other Heads of State:	Douglas W. McMinn
Discussion:	President, Cabinet Officers and White House Staff

4. Manned Space Station

Introduction:	Robert C. McFarlane
U.S. Objectives and Tactics:	Colonel Gilbert Rye
Positions of Other Heads of State:	Colonel Gilbert Rye
Discussion:	President, Cabinet Officers and White House Staff

5. Environment and Technology

Introduction:	Robert C. McFarlane
U.S. Objectives and Tactics:	Under Secretary Wallis
Positions of Other Heads of State:	Under Secretary Wallis
Discussion:	President, Cabinet Officers and White House Staff

6. East-West Economic Issues

Introduction:

Robert C. McFarlane

U.S. Objectives
and Tactics:

Ambassador Morris

Positions of Other
Heads of State:

Ambassador Morris

Discussion:

President, Cabinet
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7. Other Issues

Introduction:

Robert C. McFarlane

U.S. Objectives
and Tactics:

Under Secretary
Wallis

Positions of Other
Heads of State:

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Wallis

Discussion:

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MEETING ON PREPARATIONS FOR THE
LONDON ECONOMIC SUMMIT

DATE: Monday, January 30, 1984
LOCATION: Cabinet Room
TIME: 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
FROM: Michael K. Deaver
Robert C. McFarlane *pcy*

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I. PURPOSE

To report to you on the U.S. strategy and status of preparations for this year's Economic Summit, which will be held in London, England, June 7-9.

II. BACKGROUND

The U.S. strategy for the London Economic Summit is based upon reaching two over-arching goals:

1. Reinforcing your role as a leader who has brought the United States through a serious recession to a strong economic recovery, and who is now bringing the Free World into recovery and greater security; and
2. Building on recovery, to revitalize the international trade and financial system on the basis of the Williamsburg Summit agreements, translating certain of these agreements into concrete policy commitments by the time we meet in London in June.

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A centerpiece of our strategy for London envisions endorsement of the call for a new multilateral round of trade-liberalizing negotiations. This is a follow-up to one of last year's key results at Williamsburg and, if successful, will help the Summit countries:

*- Specialty
Steel
- Carbon
- Steel
- machine
tools
- wine
- textiles
apparel*

- o Contain protectionism;
- o Liberalize trade, i.e., freer and more open markets;
- o Reinforce the future basis for sustained growth without inflation; and
- o Resolve the balance-of-payments problems of developing countries.

The idea of calling for a new round of trade-liberalizing negotiations is not without its detractors and risks; both internationally and domestically.

Many of our Summit partners are skeptical about our ability to hold off our own pressures for protectionism, as the U.S. election year unfolds. A few of them (notably the French and Italians) would like to use U.S. protectionist actions as an excuse for avoiding additional trade liberalization on their

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part, and as a way to postpone calling for a new round of trade negotiations.

In election-year 1984, you will be under mounting protectionist pressures. A myriad of special interest groups are already demanding increased protection for their particular constituents. Many of these groups (carbon steel, copper, footwear, etc.) are timing the submission of their trade cases so that you will be required to make difficult decisions just in advance of the November elections. We have compiled a list of some of the trade cases you will face this year at Tab 2.

Domestically, trade liberalization in the form of new multilateral negotiations is never an easy task because it means some reduction in the levels of existing protection for our private industries. In an election year, liberalization might be portrayed as "giving away" America's strength, even though the actual conclusion of a new trade round may be years away.

The last three summits have dramatized your leadership in rebuilding America's economic and military leadership and strength. Having laid a firm domestic foundation, the United States can now take the lead in opening and strengthening the international trading and financial system. This internationalist and statesmanlike approach contrasts sharply with the increasingly self-defeating calls for protectionist trade policies.

The London Summit also offers an opportunity to conclude agreements with other Summit participants concerning international cooperation on the manned space station program that you announced in the State of the Union. This event has the potential of being a highly visible, upbeat outcome of the Summit that could have both international and domestic benefits.

Finally, during political discussions at the Summit, we intend to raise the issue of improving international cooperation on combating terrorism. If we are successful in reaching agreement on substantive action over the next few months, we could announce it in London in June. What we should avoid, however, is a declaration that is simply rhetorical in nature, since this could encourage rather than counter international terrorism.

At London, our Summit partners will remain concerned primarily with their own prospects for sustained recovery and, for most of the Europeans, rising unemployment. Most (including Thatcher) seem genuinely convinced that high U.S. interest rates and a strong ("overvalued") dollar (which they attribute, erroneously, to the prospect of large U.S. budget deficits) threaten their growth and risk rekindling inflation. Mitterrand will use these elements to justify continued austerity policies for which, he will claim, the United States is largely responsible. To varying degrees, all other Summit

participants are likely to focus attention and discussion on the need to reduce our budget deficits to bring interest rates down, reduce exchange rate volatility and restore more stable conditions in the international financial system. In this connection, we have prepared for your review, at Tab 3, a comparison of Summit country economic performance (real growth, inflation, interest rates and exchange rates).

We can expect France to press for more progress on reform of the international monetary system. Mitterrand will also stress aid, especially through multilateral institutions, and we can anticipate support for this position from most other Summit participants.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List attached.

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- Secretary Shultz, Secretary Regan, Ambassador Brock and members of your Summit White House Group will be waiting in the Cabinet Room to meet with you.
- Robert McFarlane and Mike Deaver will open the meeting briefly and then turn to Allen Wallis, your Personal Representative for Summit preparations.
- Under Secretary Wallis will review the U.S. Summit strategy and summarize for you the status of policy preparations for London.
- Ambassador Brock follows with a review of the trade policy aspects of the Summit.
- Finally, Under Secretary of Treasury, Beryl Sprinkel, will discuss briefly the international monetary issues we expect to be raised in London.
- Mr. McFarlane will close the meeting by raising briefly two matters for your consideration as possible Summit initiatives; terrorism and the manned space station program.

Attachment

- TAB 1 List of participants
- TAB 2 List of trade cases expected for 1984
- TAB 3 Comparison of Summit country economic performance (real growth, inflation, interest rates and exchange rates)

Prepared by:
Douglas W. McMinn

cc: Vice President

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James Baker
Edwin Meese
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Protectionist Pressures in the 1984 Congressional Session

Introduction:

There has been much attention paid to the varied and growing protectionist pressures in Congress today in the media and among members of the trade community. Ironically, these pressures to close U.S. markets and restrict imports appear to be building at a time when many domestic economic signs are positive. The recovery has taken hold, the U.S. automobile industry is beginning to prosper and expand again, consumer confidence is up, and unemployment is dropping steadily.

Yet, as we enter the second session of the 98th Congress, more and more protectionist legislation is being prepared and introduced. The reasons for this are several:

- 1) There is an increased awareness in the Congress of the importance of trade to the U.S. economy. We have become more dependent in the past few years on foreign markets. More American jobs are tied to exports than ever before.
- 2) The increasing trade deficit has caused many to question U.S. competitiveness and the adequacy of U.S. import relief laws.

In short, the United States has experienced a chronic merchandise trade deficit since 1976 and the shortfall increased sharply in 1983 to about \$70 billion. The current account moved into deficit in 1982 and also deteriorated rapidly in 1983 to a negative level of about \$40 billion. These developments have had a significant impact on the domestic economy and will directly influence the economic during 1984.

- 3) Unemployment is disproportionately high in certain industries. Most notably is the steel sector, where production is running at only 65% of capacity.

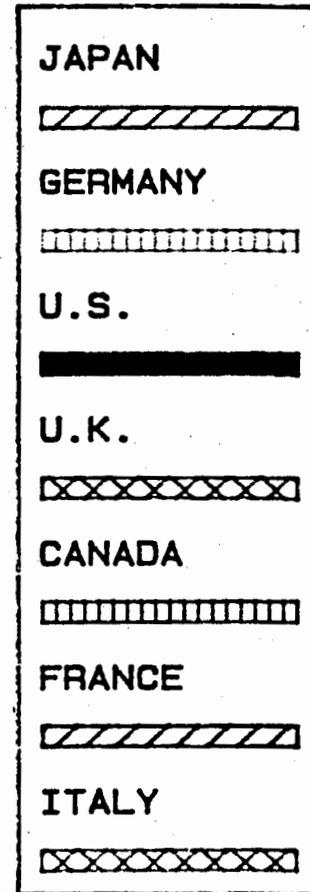
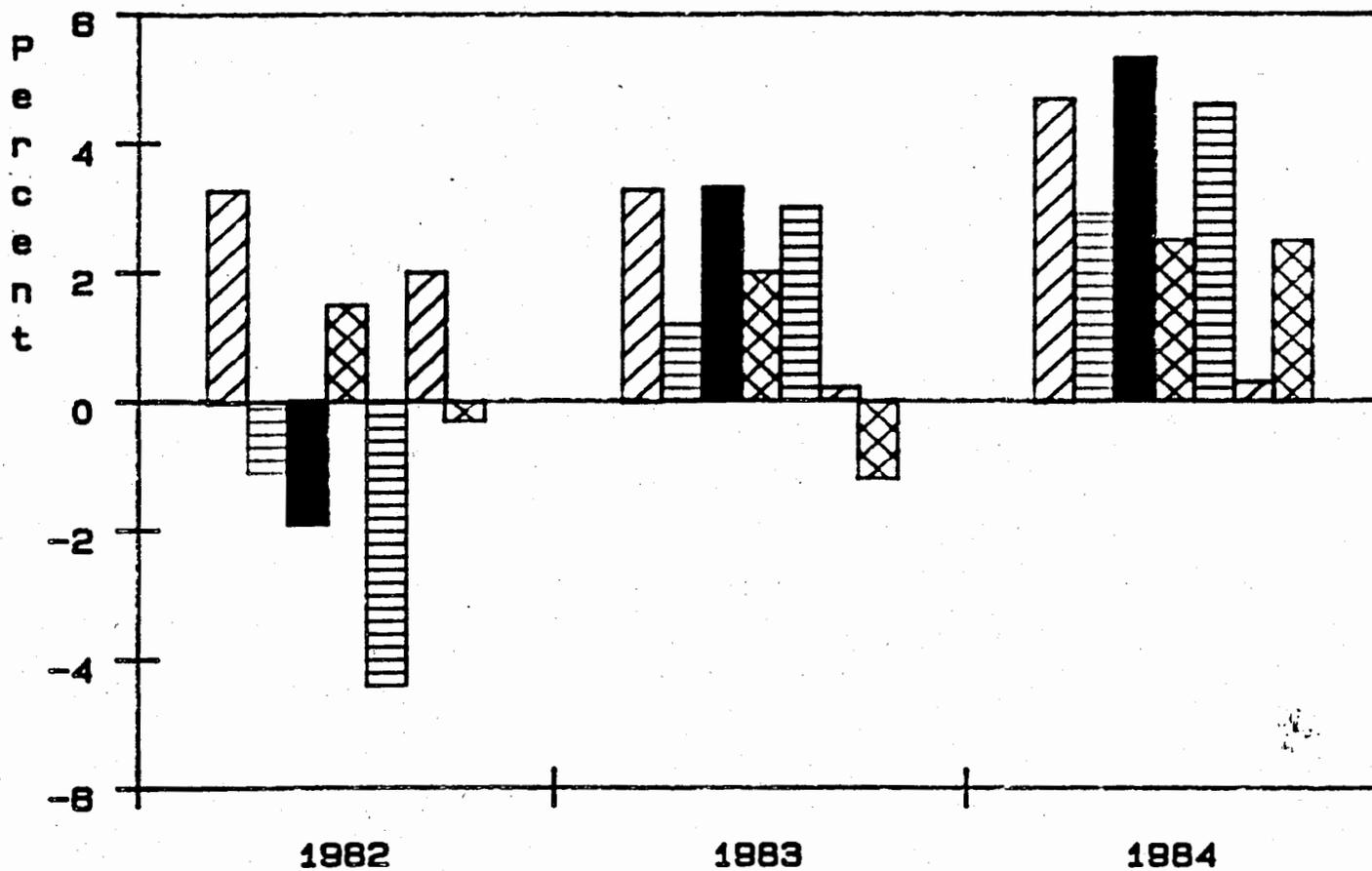
- 4) Perhaps most important, is the perception that the rest of the world is not practicing free and fair trade to the same degree as the United States. It is this sense of equity and fairness, characteristically strong among the American people, that has been one of the primary causes of the growing protectionist pressure in the Congress.

In large measure, the protectionist pressures and proposals currently in Congress are a reaction to this perception of inequity. The American public is growing more sophisticated and knowledgeable about foreign trade practices and it is calling upon Congress to do something, to act, even if we might hurt ourselves in the process.

A good example of this sentiment is the House passage of the Domestic Content Auto bill. Most Members of Congress stated that the bill was "bad legislation", would not solve the problem, could not work; yet, a majority cast votes in favor of the bill nonetheless.

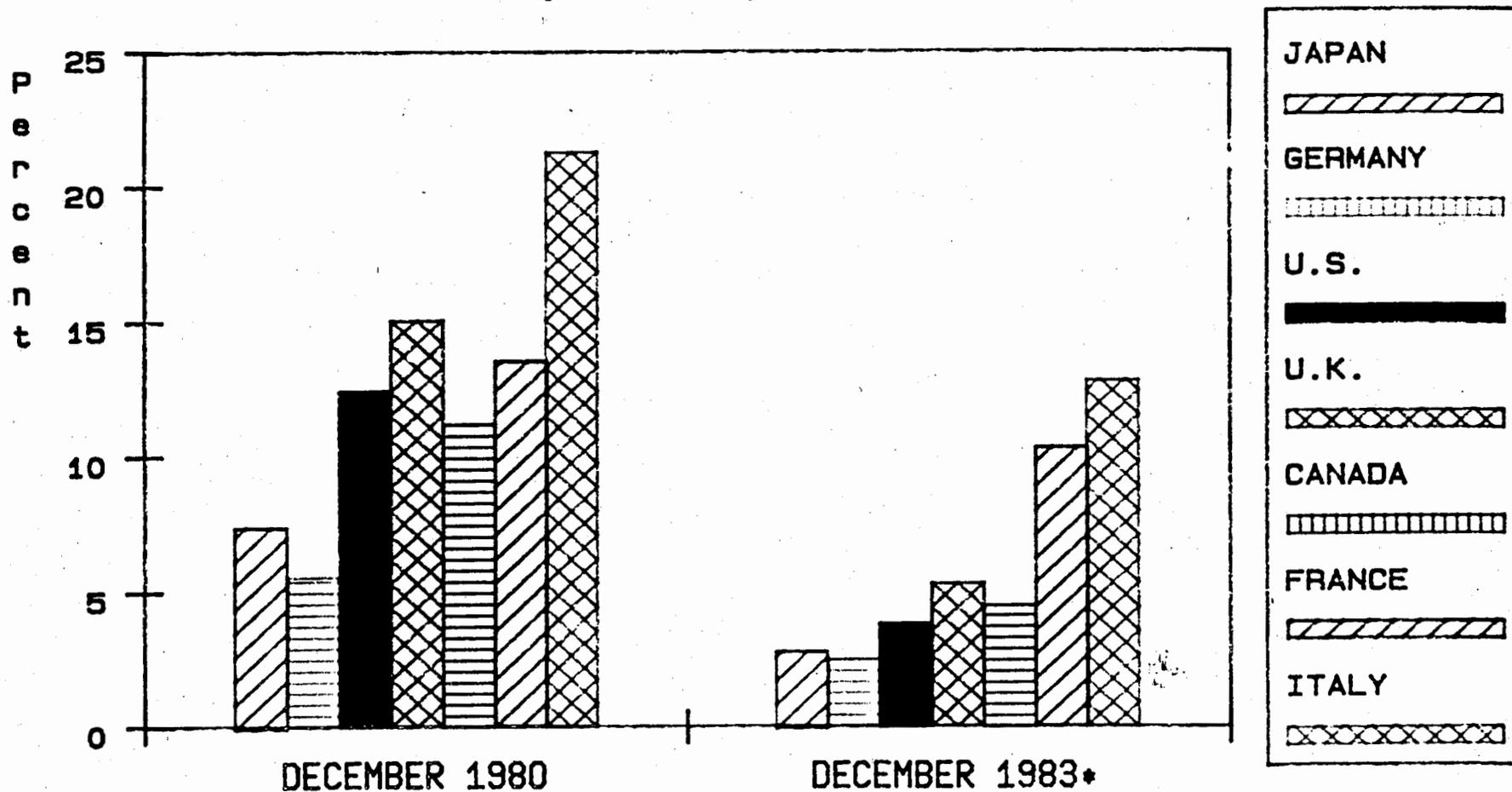
Specific Congressional Issues by sector follow: Stainless steel flatware, footwear, copper, textiles, steel, wine, automobiles, machine tools, uranium, sugar, pasta, beef imports and barley tobacco.

REAL GNP/GDP GROWTH RATES
(year-over-year)



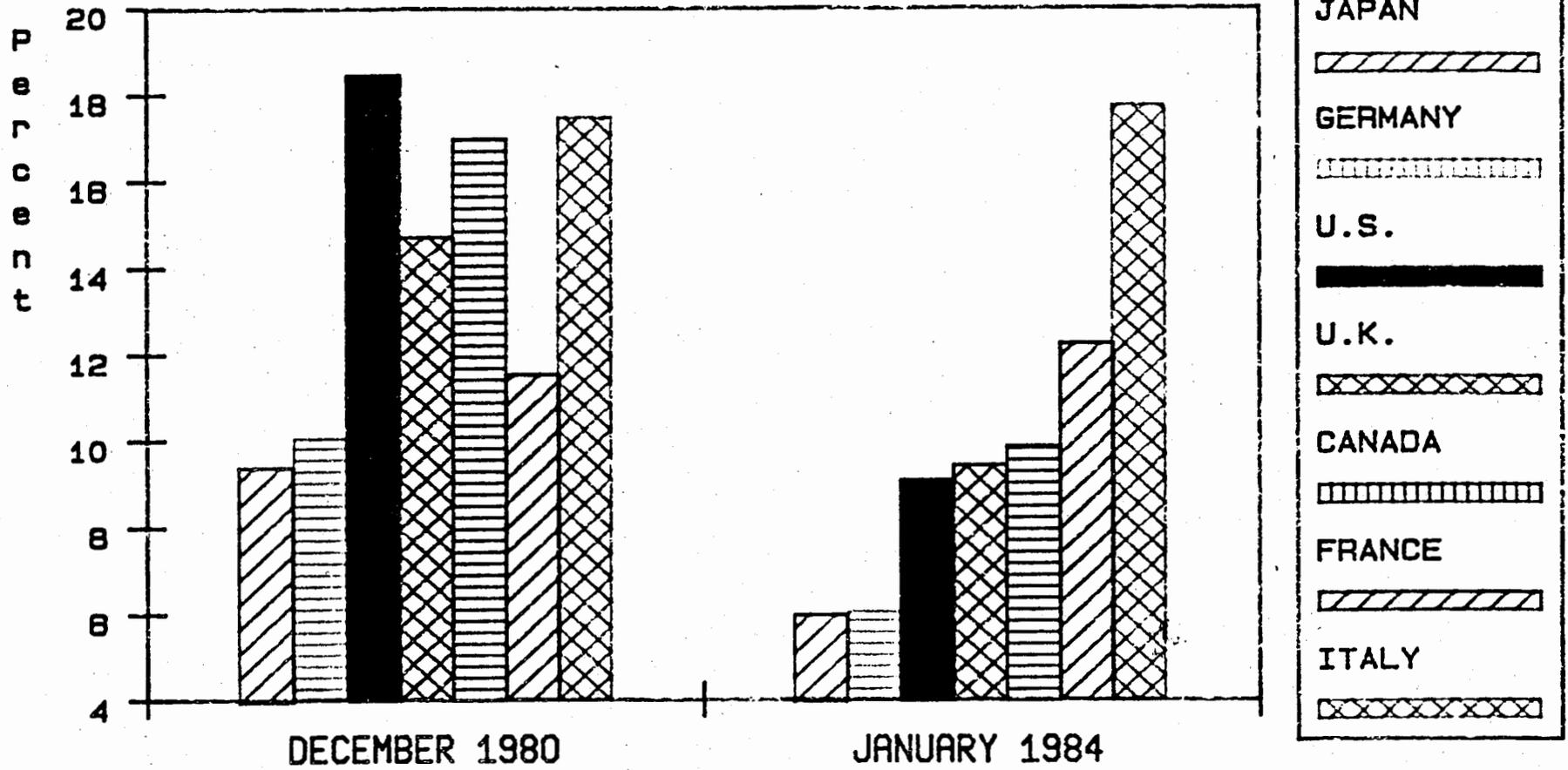
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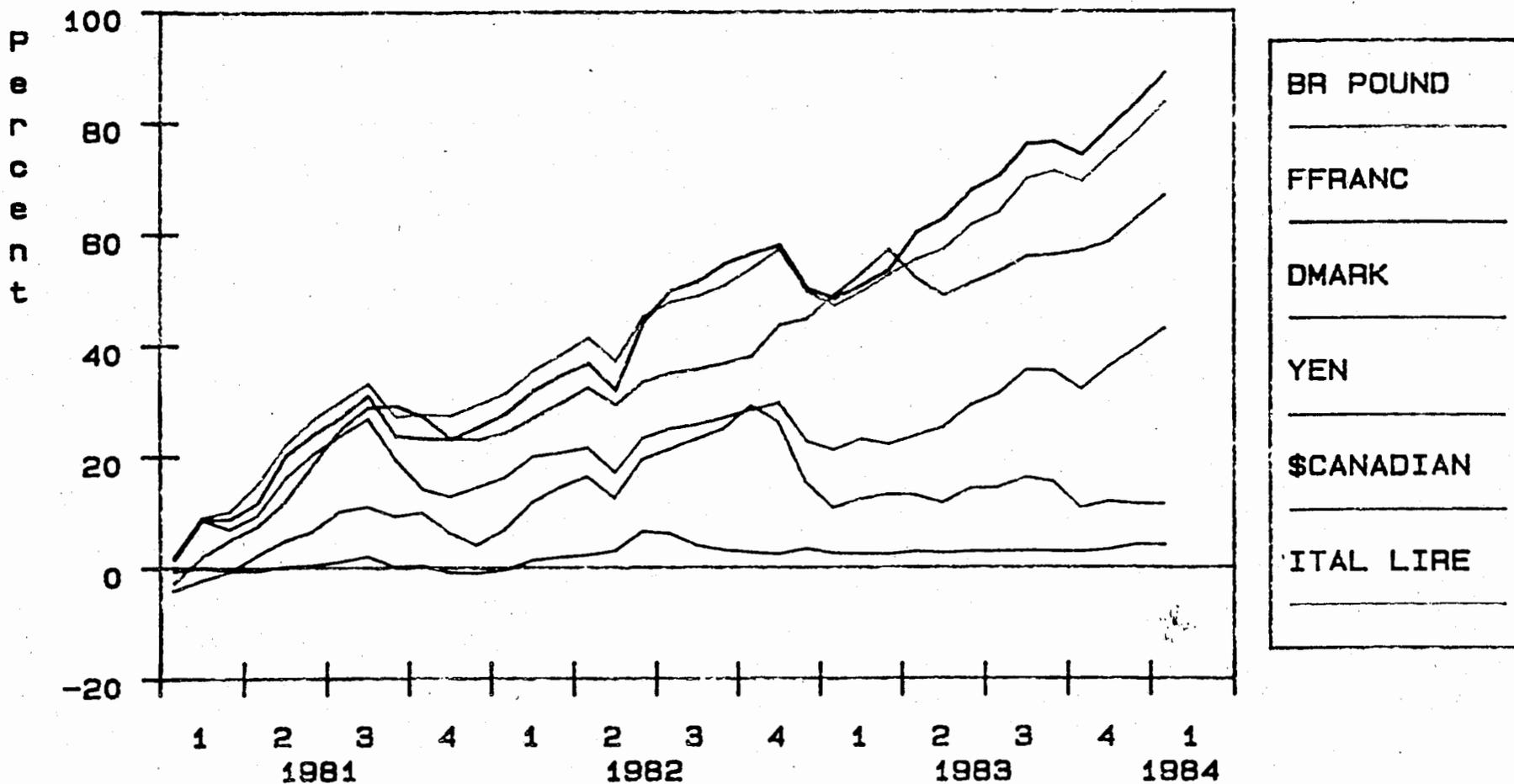
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TO: ROBERT MCFARLANE

FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FR*

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: The meeting with the President's Sherpa team previously scheduled at 2:00 pm on May 14 is changed to 10:00 am the same date for one hour.

DATE:

TIME:

DURATION:

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REMARKS REQUIRED:

MEDIA COVERAGE:

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February 14, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM F. MARTIN

FROM: TYRUS W. COBB *WC*

SUBJECT: Notional Schedule for Bilateral Meetings at London Economic Summit

Attached, per your request, is a Martin-Sittman memorandum regarding bilateral meetings on the margins of the London Economic summit.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memo to Sittman at Tab I.

Approve _____

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Attachment

Tab I - Memo to Sittman

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM F. SITTMANN

FROM: WILLIAM F. MARTIN

SUBJECT: Notional Schedule for Bilateral Meetings
at the London Economic Summit

We anticipate that the President will want to conduct bilateral discussions with the other participants at the London Economic summit in June. At the present time, we have no clear idea when the other leaders will arrive or be available for discussions, but we would like to lay out a notional schedule.

- June 5: -- Extended meeting over dinner with PM Thatcher.
- Possible bilateral with Trudeau as he is likely to be the only participant to be in London at that time.
- Preparatory Briefings on Summit for the President.
- June 6: -- Normandy Visit (Note: No bilateral with Mitterrand is anticipated).
- June 7: -- Bilateral meetings with Nakasone, Craxi, Mitterrand, Kohl and (EC President) Thorn. Trudeau meeting if June 5 time frame unavailable.

NOTE: The President will have met with all of these leaders in the past year. Since the global issues to be discussed in June are not clear at this time, we are not prepared to delineate the substance or priorities for these sessions. We would anticipate that each would run for 30-45 minutes with the exception of the Nakasone meeting that may be scheduled for 60 minutes due to the number of outstanding U.S.-Japan economic issues. The NSC will continue to coordinate closely with State and your office to finalize preparations for the Summit. We are also preparing a notional itinerary for the President's trips to Ireland and France that will be planned in conjunction with the Summit.

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FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: with the President's Sherpa team for preparation
of economic policy aspects of the London Economic
Summit

DATE: May 14, 1984

TIME: 2:00 pm

DURATION: 60 minutes

LOCATION: Cabinet Room

REMARKS REQUIRED: None. A briefing paper will be provided in advance
of the meeting.

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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TO: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR., Director
Presidential Appointments and Scheduling

FROM: ROBERT M. KIMMITT *Bob*

REQUEST: Meeting with the President's Sherpa team for the preparation of the economic policy aspects of the London Economic Summit.

PURPOSE: To review with the President the status of preparations for the London Economic Summit prior to the OECD Ministerial (May 17-18) and the final Summit country preparatory meeting (May 20-21).

BACKGROUND: The 1984 Economic Summit will be held in London, June 7-9. Substantive preparations for this meeting of Heads of State are entering their final stages. U.S. strategy and tactics are built upon the position agreed to at Williamsburg last May.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: The President has met with his Sherpa teams in preparation for the economic summits held in each of the past 3 years. Most recently, the President met with this year's team on January 30, 1984.

DATE AND TIME: May 14, 1984 DURATION: 45 minutes

LOCATION: Cabinet Room

PARTICIPANTS: List attached

OUTLINE OF EVENT: Thirty-minute briefing for the President on the status of preparations for the London Summit, followed by a 15-minute discussion of the next steps in the preparatory process.

REMARKS REQUIRED: None. (A briefing paper will be provided in advance of the meeting.)

MEDIA COVERAGE: Photo opportunity

RECOMMENDED BY: NSC

OPPOSED BY: None

PROJECT OFFICER: Douglas W. McMinn

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MEMORANDUM

TO: ROBERT MCFARLANE

FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FR*

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: with the President's Sherpa team for preparation of economic policy aspects of the London Economic Summit

DATE: May 14, 1984

TIME: 2:00 pm

DURATION: 60 minutes

LOCATION: Cabinet Room

REMARKS REQUIRED: None. A briefing paper will be provided in advance of the meeting.

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

FIRST LADY PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

TO: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR., Director
Presidential Appointments and Scheduling

FROM: ROBERT M. KIMMITT *Bob*

REQUEST: Meeting with the President's Sherpa team for the preparation of the economic policy aspects of the London Economic Summit.

PURPOSE: To review with the President the status of preparations for the London Economic Summit prior to the OECD Ministerial (May 17-18) and the final Summit country preparatory meeting (May 20-21).

BACKGROUND: The 1984 Economic Summit will be held in London, June 7-9. Substantive preparations for this meeting of Heads of State are entering their final stages. U.S. strategy and tactics are built upon the position agreed to at Williamsburg last May.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: The President has met with his Sherpa teams in preparation for the economic summits held in each of the past 3 years. Most recently, the President met with this year's team on January 30, 1984.

DATE AND TIME: May 14, 1984 DURATION: 45 minutes

LOCATION: Cabinet Room

PARTICIPANTS: List attached

OUTLINE OF EVENT: Thirty-minute briefing for the President on the status of preparations for the London Summit, followed by a 15-minute discussion of the next steps in the preparatory process.

REMARKS REQUIRED: None. (A briefing paper will be provided in advance of the meeting.)

MEDIA COVERAGE: Photo opportunity

RECOMMENDED BY: NSC

OPPOSED BY: None

PROJECT OFFICER: Douglas W. McMinn

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

The Vice President

George P. Shultz, Secretary of State

Donald T. Regan, Secretary of the Treasury

Edwin Meese, Counsellor to the President

William E. Brock, United States Trade Representative

James A. Baker, Chief of Staff and Assistant to the President

Michael K. Deaver, Deputy Chief of Staff and Assistant to the President

Robert C. McFarlane, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

Richard G. Darman, Assistant to the President and Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Craig L. Fuller, Assistant to the President for Cabinet Affairs

John A. Svahn, Assistant to the President for Policy Development

Michael A. McManus, Assistant to the President and Deputy to the Deputy Chief of Staff

W. Allen Wallis, Under Secretary of State for Economic Affairs

Beryl W. Sprinkel, Under Secretary of Treasury for Monetary Affairs

William Henkel, Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of Presidential Advance

Robert M. Kimmitt, Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs and Executive Secretary, National Security Council

James M. Rentschler, U.S. Ambassador to Malta

M. Marlin Fitzwater, Special Assistant to the President and Deputy Press Secretary for Domestic Affairs

Robert B. Sims, Special Assistant to the President and Deputy Press Secretary for Foreign Affairs

Douglas W. McMinn, Staff Member, National Security Council

Robert J. Morris, Deputy to the Under Secretary of State for Economic Affairs

Gilbert Rye, Staff Member, National Security Council

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MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

FROM: DOUGLAS W. McMINN 

SUBJECT: Request for a Meeting with the President to Discuss Economic Preparations for the London Economic Summit

Preparations for the London Economic Summit are entering their final stages. The U.S. Sherpa team recommends that another White House Summit Group meeting be held with the President in advance of the OECD Ministerial (May 17-18) and the final international Sherpa team meeting (May 20-21). It is important to bring the President up-to-date before these two important meetings are held.

We would envision a 45-minute meeting with the President. The date of May 14 appears to be possible on his schedule. Appropriate briefing materials would be provided.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the scheduling proposal to Fred Ryan at Tab I.

Approve K Disapprove

Attachments

TAB I Schedule Proposal
 TAB A List of participants

cc: John Poindexter
 Don Fortier
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 19, 1984

Dear Margaret:

I want to express by letter what I told you in London. I admire the masterful job you did in organizing and presiding over this year's Summit.

Thanks to your leadership, the Summit was an outstanding success. The industrial democracies now are firmly launched on a close, collaborative approach to the problems of the eighties. We were able to make what I expect will be significant contributions to the continuation and expansion of the current world economic recovery.

We were also able, again thanks to your personal efforts, to go on record with meaningful statements underscoring the Summit countries' determination to work together on the most pressing international issues. It was particularly gratifying to me that the London Summit carried forward, in a positive and effective way, the process which we were able to begin at Williamsburg last year.

While I have also written them directly, please pass on my deep appreciation to Sir Robert Armstrong and Nicholas Barrington, as well as the other members of your government, who worked long and hard in making the Summit a great and, let us hope, enduring success.

Comment

Sincerely,

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The Right Honorable
Margaret Thatcher, M.P.,
Prime Minister
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THATCHER REGARDING THE LONDON ECONOMIC SUMMIT
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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO PRIME MINISTER THATCHER.
SIGNED ORIGINAL TO FOLLOW.

2. BEGIN TEXT OF LETTER:

JUNE 19, 1984

DEAR MARGARET:

I WANT TO EXPRESS BY LETTER WHAT I TOLD YOU IN LONDON.
I ADMIRE THE MASTERFUL JOB YOU DID IN ORGANIZING AND
PRESIDING OVER THIS YEAR'S SUMMIT.

THANKS TO YOUR LEADERSHIP, THE SUMMIT WAS AN

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OUTSTANDING SUCCESS. THE INDUSTRIAL DEMOCRACIES NOW ARE FIRMLY LAUNCHED ON A CLOSE, COLLABORATIVE APPROACH TO THE PROBLEMS OF THE EIGHTIES. WE WERE ABLE TO MAKE WHAT I EXPECT WILL BE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CONTINUATION AND EXPANSION OF THE CURRENT WORLD

ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

WE WERE ALSO ABLE, AGAIN THANKS TO YOUR PERSONAL EFFORTS, TO GO ON RECORD WITH MEANINGFUL STATEMENTS UNDERSCORING THE SUMMIT COUNTRIES' DETERMINATION TO WORK TOGETHER ON THE MOST PRESSING INTERNATIONAL ISSUES. IT WAS PARTICULARLY GRATIFYING TO ME THAT THE LONDON SUMMIT CARRIED FORWARD, IN A POSITIVE AND EFFECTIVE WAY, THE PROCESS WHICH WE WERE ABLE TO BEGIN AT WILLIAMSBURG LAST YEAR.

WHILE I HAVE ALSO WRITTEN THEM DIRECTLY, PLEASE PASS ON MY DEEP APPRECIATION TO SIR ROBERT ARMSTRONG AND NICHOLAS BARRINGTON, AS WELL AS THE OTHER MEMBERS OF YOUR GOVERNMENT, WHO WORKED LONG AND HARD IN MAKING THE SUMMIT A GREAT AND, LET US HOPE, ENDURING SUCCESS.

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SINCERELY,

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THE RIGHT HONORABLE
MARGARET THATCHER, M. P.,
PRIME MINISTER
LONDON

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June 19, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROBERT C. MCFARLANE *RCM*
SUBJECT: Letter of Appreciation to Mrs. Thatcher

RECOMMENDATION

OK No

That you sign the letter of appreciation to Mrs. Thatcher, commending her for a truly outstanding job in hosting this year's Summit.

Attachment
Tab A - Letter to Mrs. Thatcher

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cc Vice President