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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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May 22, 1986

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Sec. 3.4(b), E.O. 13526, as amended  
White House Guidelines, Sept. 11, 2009  
BY NARA *an* DATE 9/13/10

*MVS*

MEMORANDUM FOR NICHOLAS PLATT  
Executive Secretary  
Department of State

SUBJECT: Appointment of Princess Elizabeth Bagaaya Nyabongo  
of the Republic of Uganda as Ambassador to the  
United States (S/S 8614923) (C)

The President has reviewed and concurs in the recommendation of the Department of State that the appointment of Princess Elizabeth Bagaaya Nyabongo as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Uganda to the United States would be agreeable to the Government of the United States. You are requested to so inform the Government of the Republic of Uganda. *(C)*

*W Robert Pearson*

Rodney B. McDaniel  
Executive Secretary

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NSC #8603905

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ACTION

May 22, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN M. POINDEXTER

FROM: HELEN E. SOOS *HS*

SUBJECT: Appointment of Princess Elizabeth Bagaaya  
Nyabongo of the Republic of Uganda as Ambassador  
to U.S.

I have reviewed and concur with State's recommendation on the  
proposed appointment.

At Tab I is a memorandum of agreement to State on the appointment  
of Princess Nyabongo as Ambassador to the United States.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the memo to State at Tab I.

APPROVE *WRP*

DISAPPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

*PR*  
Phil Ringdahl concurs.

Attachments

- Tab I            McDaniel to Platt Memo
- Tab II          Incoming memo from State



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May 15, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR VADM JOHN M. POINDEXTER  
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: Appointment of Princess Elizabeth BAGAA YA Nyabongo  
of the Republic of Uganda as Ambassador to the  
United States

The newly established Government of the Republic of Uganda has inquired whether our Government agrees to the appointment of Princess Elizabeth BAGAA YA Nyabongo as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Uganda to the United States (TAB 2). A biography of Princess Bagaaya is attached (TAB 1).

This request supersedes agreement requested in my memorandum of January 29, 1986.

The Department believes from the information available that Princess Elizabeth BAGAA YA Nyabongo will make an acceptable Ambassador to the United States and recommends that the President agree to the proposed appointment. If he concurs, the Department will inform the Government of the Republic of Uganda.

*Nicholas Platt*

Nicholas Platt  
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Biography.
2. Telegram Kampala 1006.

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ALSO PLEASE PASS AF/E - SWANSON

E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR  
TAGS: ODIP OFDP PREL US UG  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AGREEMENT.

1. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. FOLLOWING DIPLOMATIC NOTE REQUESTING AGREEMENT FOR PRINCESS ELIZABETH BAGAAYA (NYABONGO MRS) DATED APRIL 2 RECEIVED APRIL 4:

"THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA PRESENTS ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND HAS THE HONOUR TO INFORM THE LATTER THAT IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA TO APPOINT PRINCESS ELIZABETH BAGAAYA (NYABONGO MRS) AS UGANDA'S AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

THE CURRICULUM VITAE OF PRINCESS ELIZABETH BAGAAYA (NYABONGO MRS) IS ATTACHED HERewith.

THE MINISTRY WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF THE EMBASSY COULD ARRANGE TO OBTAIN THE AGREEMENT OF THE PROPOSED APPOINTMENT OF PRINCESS ELIZABETH BAGAAYA (NYABONGO MRS) AS THE NEW UGANDA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA AVAILS ITSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO RENEW TO THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE ASSURANCES OF ITS HIGHEST CONSIDERATION."

3. FOLLOWING CURRICULUM VITAE WAS ENCLOSED WITH DIPLOMATIC NOTE:

NAME: PRINCESS ELIZABETH BAGAAYA (NYABONGO MRS)

DATE OF BIRTH: (NONE GIVEN)

PLACE OF BIRTH: TORO

EDUCATION

1948 - 1965 KYEBAMBE GIRLS SCHOOL  
GAYAZA HIGH SCHOOL  
SHERBOURNE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS (DORSET, UK)

1962 GRADUATED BA DEGREE IN HISTORY AND LAW -  
GIRTON COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE.

1965 BARRISTER-AT LAW. MEMBER OF GRAY'S INN.  
CALLED TO THE BAR.

APPOINTMENT AND  
PRACTICE

1965 - 1967 PRINCESS (ROYAL) OF THE FORMER KINGDOM OF TORO - UGANDA.  
1966 - 1967 CALLED TO THE UGANDA BAR AND PRACTISED LAW IN UGANDA UNTIL FORCED INTO EXILE.  
CAREER  
1968 - 1970 TRAINED AT AMERICAN PLACE THEATRE IN NEW YORK UNDER WYNN HANDMAN.  
1970 LEAD ROLE IN FILM 'THINGS FALL APART' (SCRIPT BASED ON CHINUA ACHEBE'S WORKS).  
1967 - 1971 COMBINED ACTING AND FASHION MODELLING IN LONDON, NEW YORK, PARIS AND SWITZERLAND MODELLED FOR VOGUE, HARPERS AND QUEEN MAGAZINE.

UGANDA GOVERNMENT  
APPOINTMENTS

1971 - 1974 AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE - REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

1972 CHAIRMAN OF THE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

FEBRUARY 1974 MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

NOVEMBER 1974

THE ENGLISH BAR

1977 IN CHANCERY CHAMBERS

1978 IN COMMERCIAL CHAMBERS

1981 - 1985 DIPLOMATIC WORK FOR NATIONAL RESISTANCE MOVEMENT.

1981 MARRIAGE TO WILBUR NYABONGO

1983 AUTOBIOGRAPHY 'AFRICAN PRINCESS', PUBLISHED BY HAMISH HAMILTON

1984 LEAD ROLE IN THE FILM 'SHEENA' (COLUMBIA PICTURES)

1984 'AFRICAN PRINCESS' PUBLISHED IN NIGERIA.  
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National Security Council  
The White House

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SUBJECT: APPT OF BAGAAAYA OF UGANDA AS AMB TO US

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Washington, D.C. 20520

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MEMORANDUM FOR VADM JOHN M. POINDEXTER  
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: Appointment of Anthony G-G. Ginyera-Pinyewa of the Republic of Uganda as Ambassador to the United States

The Government of the Republic of Uganda has inquired whether our Government agrees to the appointment of Anthony G-G. Ginyera-Pinyewa as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Uganda to the United States (TAB 2). A biography of Mr. Ginyera-Pinyewa is attached (TAB 1).

The Department believes from the information available that Mr. Ginyera-Pinyewa will make a good Ambassador to the United States and recommends that the President agree to the proposed appointment. If he concurs, the Department will inform the Government of the Republic of Uganda.

*For* *Platt*  
for Nicholas Platt  
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Biography.
2. Diplomatic Note 11/28/85.

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THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

XC. 2428

IN ANY CORRESPONDENCE ON THIS SUBJECT PLEASE QUOTE NO. ....

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Uganda presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States and has the honour to inform the latter that it is the intention of the Government of the Republic of Uganda to appoint MR. ANTHONY G-G GINYERA-PINYCWA as Uganda's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the United States of America.

\*\*\*\* The Curriculum Vitae of MR. ANTHONY G-G. GINYERA-PINYCWA is attached herewith.

The Ministry would be grateful if the Embassy could arrange to obtain the Agreement of the proposed appointment of MR. ANTHONY G-G GINYERA-PINYCWA as Uganda's new Ambassador to the United States.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Uganda avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America, the assurances of its highest regards and esteem.

Kampala: 28th November, 1985

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Embassy of the United States  
KAMPALA.

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*read State Dept. Note Dec. 1985*

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 27, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MISS CHARLENE RINNE

SUBJECT: REQUESTS PRESIDENT'S INTERVENTION IN THE  
ARREST OF DR. ANDREW KAYIIRA, MINISTER OF  
ENERGY IN UGANDA

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)	ACTION		DISPOSITION	
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT  
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8633920  
DATE November 5, 1986

FOR: VADM JOHN M. POINDEXTER  
NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
THE WHITE HOUSE

REFERENCE:

TO: President Reagan FROM: Miss Charlene Rinne  
DATE: October 16, 1986 SUBJECT: Uganda - Rinne Letter  
to President on Kayiira  
REFERRAL DATED: October 30, 1986 ID# 441930  
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\_\_\_\_\_ THE ATTACHED ITEM WAS SENT DIRECTLY TO THE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION TAKEN:

- \_\_\_\_\_ A DRAFT REPLY IS ATTACHED.  
\_\_\_\_\_ A DRAFT REPLY WILL BE FORWARDED.  
\_\_\_\_\_ A TRANSLATION IS ATTACHED.  
 X  AN INFORMATION COPY OF A DIRECT REPLY IS ATTACHED.  
\_\_\_\_\_ WE BELIEVE NO RESPONSE IS NECESSARY FOR THE REASON  
CITED BELOW.  
\_\_\_\_\_ THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE HAS NO OBJECTION TO THE  
PROPOSED TRAVEL.  
\_\_\_\_\_ OTHER.

REMARKS:

*S. Ohta*  
NICHOLAS PLATT *for*  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

November 3, 1986

Dear Ms. Rinne:

I have been asked to respond to your letter to President Reagan of October 16 concerning the arrest and detention of Andrew Kayiira, Ugandan Minister of Energy. As you know, Mr. Kayiira and eighteen other individuals were charged with treason October 7 for allegedly conspiring to overthrow the Government of Uganda. A date for a trial has not yet been set.

The U.S. Embassy in Kampala has reported that, to the best of its knowledge, Mr. Kayiira and the others charged with treason have not been mistreated while in detention. Your concern for the welfare of Mr. Kayiira is understandable, and you can be assured that the U.S. Embassy will continue to monitor Mr. Kayiira's detention and expected trial to help insure that due process is followed and a fair trial is held.

Please feel free to contact my office if you have further questions regarding the arrest of Mr. Kayiira.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David J. Fischer".

David J. Fischer  
Director, Office of East  
African Affairs

Ms. Charlene Rinne  
Marist College,  
Poughkeepsie, New York.

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T H E W H I T E H O U S E O F F I C E

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OCTOBER 30, 1986

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:

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MEDIA: LETTER, DATED OCTOBER 16, 1986

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM: MISS CHARLENE RINNE  
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR  
MARIST COLLEGE

POUGHKEEPSIE NY 12601

SUBJECT: REQUESTS PRESIDENT'S INTERVENTION IN THE  
ARREST OF DR. ANDREW KAYIIRA, MINISTER OF  
ENERGY IN UGANDA

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN  
TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE  
UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

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(OR DRAFT) TO:  
AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE, 20500

SALLY KELLEY  
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON  
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

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# MARIST COLLEGE

POUGHKEEPSIE, NEW YORK 12601 (914) 471-3240  
DIRECTOR OF NURSING

October 16, 1986

President Ronald Reagan  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear President Reagan,

I am writing to express my grave concern about my colleague, Andrew Kayiira. Dr. Kayiira, currently on leave from his position as professor of criminal justice at Marist College, has been serving as Minister of Energy in Uganda. On October 3, he was arrested in Kampala and charged with high treason. It has been reported that he was in illegal possession of arms, and is accused of planning to overthrow the government of Yoweri Museveni, who has served as Uganda's president for the past eight months.

Those of us who know Andrew are convinced that the charges are groundless. We know that he recognized the element of risk he assumed when he decided to answer his country's call for his assistance. We know that Andrew hoped to introduce some stability and perhaps the seeds of true democracy to that volatile nation. We feel certain that he would neither jeopardize the work he had accomplished thus far, nor imperil the well-being of his wife and six children, by actions as flagrant as harboring a cache of arms.

Andrew faces the death penalty if convicted of the crimes with which he is charged. I know that your intervention can make the critical difference for him. Your colleagues in the House and in the Senate acknowledge you as the expert in matters such as this, which require profound knowledge of foreign affairs and diplomatic skill of the highest order. Your record of success is a source of hope to all those at Marist who fear for Andrew's safety. We look to you for direction, and stand ready to assist you in any way you indicate.

Along with Dr. Kayiira's colleagues, students, and friends, I await your reply.

Sincerely,

Charlene Rinne  
Assistant Professor

THE WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 27, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. MARJORIE M. SCHRATZ

SUBJECT: REQUESTS INTERVENTION IN THE CASE OF DR.  
ANDREW KAYIIRA, MINISTER OF ENERGY IN UGANDA  
WHO WAS ARRESTED ON OCT 3 AND CHARGES WITH  
HIGH TREASON FACING THE DEATH PENALTY

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EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT  
TRANSMITTAL FORMS/S 8637867Date December 27, 1986For: Dr. Alton G. Keel, Jr.  
National Security Council  
The White HouseReference:To: President Reagan From: Dr. Marjorie M. Schratz  
Date: October 17, 1986 Subject: Andrew KayiiraReferral Dated: Dec 11, 1986 ID# 442084  
(if any)\_\_\_\_\_ The attached item was sent directly to the  
Department of StateAction Taken:

- \_\_\_\_\_ A draft reply is attached.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A draft reply will be forwarded.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A translation is attached.
- XXX  
\_\_\_\_\_ An information copy of a direct reply is attached.
- \_\_\_\_\_ We believe no response is necessary for the reason  
cited below.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The Department of State has no objection to the  
proposed travel.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other.

Remarks:

*Nicholas Platt*  
for  
Nicholas Platt  
Executive Secretary



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

December 23, 1986

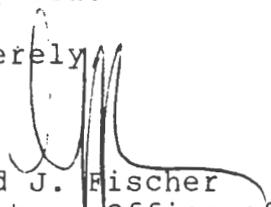
Dear Dr. Schratz:

I have been asked to respond to your letter to President Reagan of October 17, 1986 concerning the arrest and detention of Andrew Kayiira, Ugandan Minister of Energy. As you know, Mr. Kayiira and eighteen other individuals were charged with treason October 7 for allegedly conspiring to overthrow the Government of Uganda. A date for a trial has not yet been set.

The U.S. Embassy in Kampala has reported that, to the best of its knowledge, Mr. Kayiira and the others charged with treason have not been mistreated while in detention. Your concern for the welfare of Mr. Kayiira is understandable, and you can be assured that the U.S. Embassy will continue to monitor Mr. Kayiira's detention and expected trial to help insure that due process is followed and a fair trial is held.

Please feel free to contact my office if you have further questions regarding the arrest of Mr. Kayiira.

Sincerely



David J. Fischer  
Director, Office of East  
African Affairs

Dr. Marjorie M. Schratz  
Marist College,  
Poughkeepsie, New York.

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T H E W H I T E H O U S E O F F I C E

REFERRAL

DECEMBER 11, 1986

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:

DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 442084

MEDIA: LETTER, DATED OCTOBER 17, 1986

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM: DR. MARJORIE M. SCHRATZ  
DIRECTOR  
MARIST COLLEGE

POUGHKEEPSIE NY 12601

SUBJECT: REQUESTS INTERVENTION IN THE CASE OF DR.  
ANDREW KAYIIRA, MINISTER OF ENERGY IN UGANDA  
WHO WAS ARRESTED ON OCT 3 AND CHARGES WITH  
HIGH TREASON FACING THE DEATH PENALTY

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN  
TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE  
UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

RETURN CORRESPONDENCE, WORKSHEET AND COPY OF RESPONSE  
(OR DRAFT) TO:  
AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE, 20500

SALLY KELLEY  
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON  
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

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# MARIST COLLEGE

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POUGHKEEPSIE, NEW YORK 12601 (914) 471-3240  
GRADUATE PROGRAM IN PSYCHOLOGY

*C Anderson*

October 17, 1986

President Ronald Reagan  
The White House  
Washington, DC 20500

Dear President Reagan:

I am writing to express my grave concern about my colleague, Andrew Kayiira. Dr. Kayiira, currently on leave from his position as professor of criminal justice at Marist College, has been serving as Minister of Energy in Uganda. On October 3, he was arrested in Kampala and charged with high treason. It has been reported that he was in illegal possession of arms, and is accused of planning to overthrow the government of Yoweri Museveni, who has served as Uganda's president for the past eight months.

Those of us who know Andrew are convinced that the charges are groundless. We know that he recognized the element of risk he assumed when he decided to answer his country's call for his assistance. We know that Andrew hoped to introduce some stability and perhaps the seeds of true democracy to that volatile nation. We feel certain that he would neither jeopardize the work he had accomplished thus far, nor imperil the well-being of his wife and six children, by actions as flagrant as harboring a cache of arms.

Andrew faces the death penalty if convicted of the crimes with which he is charged. I know that your intervention can make the critical difference for him. Your colleagues in the House and in the Senate acknowledge you as the expert in matters such as this, which require profound knowledge of foreign affairs and diplomatic skill of the highest order. Your record of success is a source of hope to all those at Marist who fear for Andrew's safety. We look to you for direction, and stand ready to assist you in any way you indicate.

Along with Dr. Kayiira's colleagues, students, and friends, I await your reply.

Sincerely,

*Marjorie M. Schratz*

Marjorie M. Schratz, Ph.D.  
Director

ID # 453400

# WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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O - OUTGOING

H - INTERNAL

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Date Correspondence Received (YY/MM/DD) 86 10 125

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Name of Correspondent:  Mr.  Mrs.  Miss  Ms. Bill Wright

MI Mail Report User Codes: (A) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_

Subject: Concerned about friend, Dr. Andrew Kayira, who is jailed in Uganda

### ROUTE TO:

### ACTION

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- A - Appropriate Action
- C - Comment/Recommendation
- D - Draft Response
- F - Furnish Fact Sheet to be used as Enclosure

- I - Info Copy Only/No Action Necessary
- R - Direct Reply w/Copy
- S - For Signature
- X - Interim Reply

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- B - Non-Special Referral
- C - Completed
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT  
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8633452

Date November 11, 1986

For: VADM John M. Poindexter  
National Security Council  
The White House

Reference:

To: President Reagan From: Mr. William Wright

Date: Nov 6, 1986 Subject: Andrew Kayiira

Referral Dated: Nov 3, 1986 ID# 453400  
(if any)

         The attached item was sent directly to the  
Department of State

Action Taken:

- A draft reply is attached.
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proposed travel.
- Other.

Remarks:

*Nicholas Platt*  
Nicholas Platt  
Executive Secretary



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

November 6, 1986

Dear Mr. Wright:

I have been asked to respond to your letter to President Reagan of October 21 concerning the arrest and detention of Andrew Kayiira, Ugandan Minister of Energy. As you know, Mr. Kayiira and eighteen other individuals were charged with treason October 7 for allegedly conspiring to overthrow the Government of Uganda. A date for a trial has not yet been set.

The U.S. Embassy in Kampala has reported that, to the best of its knowledge, Mr. Kayiira and the others charged with treason have not been mistreated while in detention. Our Ambassador in Kampala has informed the Government of Uganda that the US Government is concerned that due process be followed when those charged with treason are brought to trial. Your concern for the welfare of Mr. Kayiira is understandable, and you can be assured that the U.S. Embassy will continue to monitor the welfare of all of those, including Mr. Kayiira, under detention to help insure that due process is followed and a fair trial is held.

Please feel free to contact my office if you have further questions regarding the arrest of Mr. Kayiira.

Sincerely,

David J. Fischer  
Director, Office of East  
African Affairs

MR. William Wright  
71C Big Meadow La.,  
Poughkeepsie, New York.

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T H E W H I T E H O U S E O F F I C E

REFERRAL

NOVEMBER 3, 1986

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:  
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 453400

MEDIA: LETTER, DATED OCTOBER 21, 1986

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM: MR. BILL WRIGHT  
71C BIG MEADOW LANE  
POUGHKEEPSIE NY 12601

SUBJECT: CONCERNED ABOUT FRIEND, DR. ANDREW KAYIIRA,  
WHO IS JAILED IN UGANDA

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN  
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UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

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SALLY KELLEY  
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON  
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

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71C Big Meadow La.  
Poughkeepsie, NY  
12601  
21 October 1986

President Ronald Reagan  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

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Dear President Reagan,

S.K.  
I am writing to express my grave concern about a former professor at my college as well as a friend of mine, Dr. Andrew Kayiira. Currently on leave from his position as professor of criminal justice at Marist College, he has been serving as Minister of Energy in Uganda. On October 3, he was arrested in Kampala and charged with high treason. It has been reported that he was in possession of illegal arms, and is accused of planning to overthrow the government of Yoweri Museveni, who has served as Uganda's president for the past eight months.

Those of us who know Dr. Kayiira are convinced that the charges are groundless. We know that he recognized the risk he assumed when he answered his country's call for his assistance. We know that he had hoped to introduce some stability and perhaps the seeds of true democracy to that volatile nation. We feel certain that he would neither jeopardize the work he had accomplished, nor imperil the well-being of his wife and six children, by actions as flagrant as harboring a cache of arms.

Dr. Kayiira faces the death penalty if convicted of the crimes with which he is charged. I know that your intervention can make the critical difference for him. All of us at Marist who fear for Dr. Kayiira's safety look to you for direction, and stand ready to assist you in any way you indicate.

Along with Dr. Kayiira's colleagues, students, and friends, I await your reply.

Sincerely,

*William B. Wright*

Bill Wright

THE WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 07, 1987

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ROGER P. WINTER

SUBJECT: WRITES IN SUPPORT OF UPCOMING MEETING WITH  
PRESIDENT YOWERI MUSEVENI OF UGANDA

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)	ACTION		DISPOSITION	
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*F-FURNISH FACT SHEET  *S-SUSPENDED         *COMPLETED = DATE OF *
*I-INFO COPY/NO ACT NEC*                        *          OUTGOING  *
*R-DIRECT REPLY W/COPY *                        *                        *
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT  
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8730263

DATE October 26, 1987

FOR: MR. GRANT GREEN  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY  
NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
THE WHITE HOUSE

REFERENCE:

TO: President Reagan FROM: Mr. Roger P. Winter

DATE: October 7, 1987 SUBJECT: Upcoming Meeting with  
President Museveni of Uganda

REFERRAL DATED: October 20, 1987 ID# 522020  
(IF ANY)

\_\_\_\_\_ THE ATTACHED ITEM WAS SENT DIRECTLY TO THE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION TAKEN:

- \_\_\_\_\_ A DRAFT REPLY IS ATTACHED.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A DRAFT REPLY WILL BE FORWARDED.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A TRANSLATION IS ATTACHED.
- X   AN INFORMATION COPY OF A DIRECT REPLY IS ATTACHED.
- \_\_\_\_\_ WE BELIEVE NO RESPONSE IS NECESSARY FOR THE REASON  
CITED BELOW.
- \_\_\_\_\_ THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE HAS NO OBJECTION TO THE  
PROPOSED TRAVEL.
- \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER (SEE REMARKS).

REMARKS:

*ADP*  
DIRECTOR  
SECRETARIAT STAFF

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

October 22, 1987

Mr. Roger Winter  
Director  
United States Committee for Refugees  
815 Fifteenth St. NW Suite 610  
Washington, D.C. 20005

Dear Mr. Winter:

I am responding to your letter of October 7 to the President in which you urge that the United States recognize the achievements of Ugandan President Yoweri Museveni, especially during his private visit to Washington October 17-20. I can assure you that his accomplishments were recognized during his recent visit and that, indeed, what he has done for Uganda was instrumental in the decision originally to meet with him.

I greatly appreciated your highlighting some of the major problems that still confront President Museveni as he struggles to rehabilitate Uganda. Of major importance, of course, are the security problems in the north and east, and the need to reverse the economic collapse caused by years of internal strife. These concerns were discussed at length, as were human rights and regional affairs.

President Museveni is an articulate spokesman for his country. We wish him well as he tackles the challenges in Uganda, and we will do what we can to assist Uganda's development.

Sincerely,

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Robert E. Gribbin  
East Africa Deputy Director

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T H E   W H I T E   H O U S E   O F F I C E

REFERRAL

OCTOBER 20, 1987

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:  
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 522020  
MEDIA: LETTER, DATED OCTOBER 7, 1987  
TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN  
FROM: MR. ROGER P. WINTER  
DIRECTOR  
UNITED STATES COMMITTEE FOR  
REFUGEES  
SUITE 610  
815 15TH STREET, N.W.  
WASHINGTON DC 20005

SUBJECT: WRITES IN SUPPORT OF UPCOMING MEETING WITH  
PRESIDENT YOWERI MUSEVENI OF UGANDA

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AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE, 20500

SALLY KELLEY  
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON  
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE



**UNITED STATES  
COMMITTEE  
FOR REFUGEES**

815 Fifteenth Street NW, Suite 610  
Washington, DC 20005  
(202) 667-0782

*M. Bradley* Informing the public since 1958

October 7, 1987

President Ronald Reagan  
White House  
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. President:

I am most pleased to hear that you are planning to meet with President Yoweri Museveni of Uganda when he visits Washington later this month. Having been involved with Ugandan refugee and human rights for some years, we at the U.S. Committee for Refugees can assure you this is a most important meeting.

The people of Uganda have suffered untold agony at the hands of ruthless leaders for many years. Three and a half years ago under former President Milton Obote, as many as a quarter of a million civilians died from violence and enforced starvation at the hands of the Obote army. In August of 1984, Mr. President, your Administration--alone among the governments of the world--reacted to this tragedy. Elliott Abrams, then Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs, forcefully condemned human rights practices in Uganda as among the worst in the world.

By late January 1986, the Obote government and the brief military regime that followed it were gone. The National Resistance Movement (NRM) government, with Mr. Museveni as President, was in place. Since then, for the vast majority of Ugandans, security and human rights conditions have dramatically improved. Two years ago Ugandans constituted the fourth largest refugee group in the world. Now most of those who had fled to the surrounding nations and many who fled to North America and Europe have gone home. To have refugees "voting with their feet" in such numbers is a good omen for Uganda's future.

There are, however, major problems. In the north and east of Uganda, some disaffected groups continue to commit acts of thuggery and rebellion. Opponents of these events are alleging breakdowns in army discipline in conflict zones. Having been in Uganda on numerous occasions, including in some of the conflict zones, I am convinced these allegations are exaggerated and, to the extent such acts occur, they are violations of government policy.

Perhaps of an even more serious nature in the long run is the incredible weakness of the Ugandan economy and infrastructure after decades of violence and mismanagement. Many nations, including the United States, are helping to rebuild that nation.

More important than aid, however, is the need for U.S. diplomatic understanding of the changes taking place in Uganda. The NRM officials whom I know well are intense nationalists seeking to rebuild a devastated nation. They pursue an independent, nonaligned policy in geopolitical terms and are reaching out to other nations who will deal with them respectfully and on the basis of mutual benefit.

I earnestly hope you will use the meeting with President Museveni to reach out to them in return on behalf of the American people. Uganda's future is being formed right now. This is an opportunity Uganda and the United States can not afford to miss.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roger P. Winter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Roger P. Winter  
Director

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 15, 1987

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PHOTO OP WITH PRESIDENT MUSEVENI OF UGANDA

DATE: October 19, 1987  
LOCATION: Oval Office  
TIME: 3:45 - 3:50 p.m.

FROM: Frank C. Carlucci *FC*

I. PURPOSE

To meet with one of Africa's newest leaders, and to encourage him to pursue a pro-western foreign policy and build a free market economy.

II. BACKGROUND

Yoweri Museveni became President of Uganda in 1986. He has pledged to repair the damage from a decade of turmoil after the disastrous regime of Idi Amin. He has stopped the human rights abuses of previous governments, implemented market-oriented economic reform measures, and worked to instill a sense of hard work and efficiency in his government.

On the other hand, his relationship with Muammar Qadhafi, who has provided arms, oil, and significant economic aid, has aroused domestic and international concern. Kenya's Moi and Zaire's Mobutu are especially alarmed, and tensions between Kenya and Uganda are growing.

Maureen Reagan met Museveni during her trip to Africa and strongly recommended that you receive him. It would be helpful during this brief session for you to praise Museveni's positive achievements and to warn him about Qadhafi.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List at Tab A.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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cc: Vice President  
Chief of Staff

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Photos with President Museveni. Brief exchange of comments.

Attachments

Tab A      Participants List  
Tab B      Talking Points and 3 x 5 Card

PARTICIPANTS LIST

The President  
Howard Baker  
Kenneth Duberstein  
Frank C. Carlucci  
Assistant Secretary Chester Crocker  
Ambassador Robert G. Houdek  
Herman J. Cohen

President Yoweri Museveni of Uganda  
Ambassador Princess Elizabeth Bagaya Nyabongo  
Ibrahim Mukiibi, Minister of Foreign Affairs

TALKING POINTS FOR PRESIDENT YOWERI MUSEVENI (moo-SEH-veh-nee)

OF UGANDA

- WELCOME TO WASHINGTON.
- YOU HAVE MADE IMPRESSIVE STRIDES IN BRINGING RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT TO UGANDA AND ENDING HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES.
- YOU HAVE INSTITUTED COURAGEOUS ECONOMIC REFORM MEASURES. WE WANT TO HELP.
- I'M CONCERNED ABOUT YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH QADHAFI. HE COULD USE UGANDA TO DESTABILIZE THE REGION AND EVEN UNDERMINE UGANDAN SOVEREIGNTY. (I DON'T TRUST HIS INTENTIONS IN THE REGION AND IN YOUR COUNTRY.)
- WE HOPE YOU WILL DO ALL YOU CAN TO KEEP RELATIONS ON AN EVEN KEEL WITH YOUR IMPORTANT NEIGHBORS, INCLUDING KENYA AND ZAIRE.

PHOTO OP WITH MUSEVENI (moo-SEH-veh-nee)  
OF UGANDA

- WELCOME. YOU'VE MADE GREAT STRIDES IN YOUR GOVERNMENT, IN THE ECONOMY, AND IN ENDING HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES.
- WE WANT TO HELP.
- I'M CONCERNED ABOUT QADHAFI. DON'T TRUST HIS INTENTIONS IN THE REGION AND IN YOUR OWN COUNTRY.
- HOPE YOU WILL WORK FOR SMOOTHER RELATIONS WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS, INCLUDING KENYA AND ZAIRE.

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON



9/11/87

MEMORANDUM

TO: FRANK CARLUCCI  
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*  
SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: Photo with President Yoweri Museveni of Uganda

DATE: October 19, 1987

TIME: 4:15 pm

DURATION: 5 minutes

LOCATION: Oval Office

BACKUP LOCATION:

REMARKS REQUIRED: To be covered in briefing paper

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

FIRST LADY  
PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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| M. Archambault  | W. Henkel         | G. Green |
| W. Ball         | J. Hooley         |          |
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| R. Dawson       | J. Manning        |          |
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