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February 29, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

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FROM: GASTON J. SIGUR *GJS*
SUBJECT: Minutes of NSC Meeting on 2/11/83

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

National Security Council Meeting

February 11, 1983, 11:05 a.m., Roosevelt Room

SUBJECT: Secretary Shultz's Report on Asia Trip

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

The Vice President

Admiral Daniel J. Murphy, Chief of Staff, Vice President's Office

State:

Secretary George P. Shultz

Mr. Paul Wolfowitz, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of East Asian and
Pacific Affairs

Defense:

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Deputy Secretary W. Paul Thayer

Treasury:

Secretary Donald T. Regan

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Mr. Richard G. Darman
Mr. Robert C. McFarlane
Admiral John M. Poindexter

National Security Council:

Mr. Gaston J. Sigur
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The meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

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NSC Meeting 2/11/83

Summary:

- 1) Must take a world view
- 2) PRC and ~~Kabasan~~ say the root cause of trouble in the world is Soviet Union.
- 3) DMZ is front line - tough duty
- 4) Tremendous economic vitality in Asia.
- 5) Disenchantment with Communism
- 6) Big future in Asia
- 7) Japan should be the center of our strategy.
- 8) PRC and Japan are focusing on the third world.
- 9) Shouldn't let Taiwanese advocates
- 10) Tech. transfer - PRC wants to be treated as a friendly, unallied country. Haven't thought through the criteria very well.

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

National Security Council Meeting

February 11, 1983, 11:05 a.m., Roosevelt Room

SUBJECT: Secretary Shultz's Report on Asia Trip

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The Vice President

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Deputy Secretary W. Paul Thayer

Treasury:

Secretary Donald T. Regan

Mr. Marc E. Leland, Assistant Secretary for International Affairs

Commerce:

Secretary Malcolm Baldrige

CIA:

Director William J. Casey

OMB:

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JCS:

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White House:

Mr. Edwin Meese III
Mr. James A. Baker III
Mr. Richard G. Darman
Mr. Robert C. McFarlane
Admiral John M. Poindexter

National Security Council:

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING:

DATE:

2/11/83
11:28-12:07
The Roosevelt
Room

SUBJECT:

Debrief of Vice President's
Trip and Sec Shultz's
Trip

PARTICIPANTS:

The President
The Vice President
Adm Daniel J. Murphy
State:
Sec George P. Shultz
Mr. Paul Wolfowitz
(Asst Sec, Bureau of
East Asian and
Pacific Affairs)
Defense:
Sec Caspar W. Weinberger
Dep Sec Paul Thayer
Treasury:
Sec Donald T. Regan
Mr. Marc E. Leland
(Asst Sec for International
Affairs)
Commerce:
Sec Malcolm Baldrige
CIA:
Mr. William J. Casey
OMB:
Mr. Joseph Wright
(Deputy Director)
USUN:
No representative
JCS:
Gen John W. Vessey, Jr.
White House:
Mr. Edwin Meese III
Mr. James A. Baker III
Mr. Richard G. Darman
Mr. Robert C. McFarlane
Adm John M. Poindexter
NSC:
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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL February 10, 1983

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MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN M. POINDEXTER

FROM: MICHAEL O. WHEELER *K/M*

SUBJECT: Attendance List for the National Security
Council Meeting, February 11, 1983 (U)

The following officials plan to attend the National Security
Council Meeting which is scheduled for 11:05 a.m. on Feb 11
in the Cabinet Room. (C)

The Vice President
Admiral Daniel J. Murphy

State:
Secretary George P. Shultz

Defense:
Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger
Deputy Secretary Paul Thayer

Treasury:
Secretary Donald T. Regan
Mr. Marc E. Leland (Asst Sec for International Affairs)
Commerce:
Secretary Malcolm Baldrige

CIA:
Mr. William J. Casey

OMB:
Dr. Alton Keel (Associate Director for National Security and
International Affairs)

USUN:
Ambassador Harvey Feldman

JCS:
General John W. Vessey, Jr.

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White House:

Mr. Edwin Meese III
Mr. James A. Baker III
Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Mr. Robert C. McFarlane
Mr. Richard G. Darman
Admiral John M. Poindexter .

NSC:

Dr. Gaston Sigur
Cmdr Dennis Blair

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Attached is a proposed seating plan for this meeting. (U)

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Seating Plan

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Poindexter

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Feldman Baldrige Shultz President Weinberger Thayer Keel

Murphy

Vessey Casey Clark Vice President Regan Meese Baker Deaver

McFarlane Sigur Blair

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NSC Meeting
February 11, 1983
~~11:00-12:00~~
11:05-11:45 ✓

CHAired by the President

~~10:45-11:05~~
~~11:00-11:20~~ - Private Meeting in Oval Office with
President, Vice President and Shultz

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Secretary Shultz's Trip

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WP - 4213 - Mary Anne ~~Therese~~ Anne
State - 632-5804 - Tain Sheila
OSD - 695-6064 - Betty Betty
JCS - 695-4824 - Lt Col Stanley Sgt Omm
CIA - ~~████████████████████~~
Treasury - 566-2304 - Terese Cooke
Commerce - 377-5283 - Tom Colling ~~Ne~~
USUN - 632-8647 - ~~Henry~~ Amb ~~Feldman~~
OMB - 6816 - Amy Sullivan Margaret

Meese - 2835 web 710 710
Baker - 6797 - Barbara Hayward Barbara
Deaver - 6415 Pat ~~Deaver~~
Derman - Sarah Sarah
Clark
McFarlane
Poindexter

2221 Kathleen Katter

NSC: Blair - 5732 - Terrie Terrie
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MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN M. POINDEXTER

FROM: MICHAEL O. WHEELER

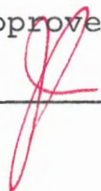
SUBJECT: NSC Meeting Minutes

Attached are the minutes for the February 11, 1983 NSC meeting as prepared by Donald Fortier and Dennis Blair for the portion that covered the European section of the meeting.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you approve these minutes for the record.

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February 22, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR MIKE WHEELER

FROM: DENNIS BLAIR/DON FORTIER
SUBJECT: Partial NSC Minutes of February 11, 1983

Attached are the minutes of the European section of the NSC meeting of February 11. Gaston Sigur was present for the discussion of Asia which followed.

Tab A NSC Minutes

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506
NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING

DATE: February 11, 1983

TIME: 11:26 a.m.

PLACE: Cabinet Room

PARTICIPANTS:

The President
The Vice President

State
Secretary George P. Shultz

OMB
Dr. Alton Keel

Defense
Secretary Caspar Weinberger

White House
Robert C. McFarlane
Adm. John Poindexter

Commerce
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Minutes

The Vice President reviewed his recent trip to Western Europe. He said that the private purpose of his trip had been possible changes to U.S. policy and views on those areas of the trip was to reiterate that the US was committed to deployment of the INF missiles if necessary, that the Alliance was united, that the US was committed to serious negotiations, that the US had a sound moral proposal on INF, that the Soviets did not have a serious proposal and that the US wanted them to make one. Basically, the Vice President summarized, his mission was to give strong public support to both the twin track decision of December 1979 and the zero option. The Vice President went on to summarize the views of the countries he had visited. In the Netherlands, there were problems with INF; the Belgians seemed to be firm on deployment and there had been no surprises there; the French were firm in their support of the two track decision.

In the FRG, the leaders had said that his visit was worthwhile. Chancellor Kohl had been concerned that the Andropov speech of December 1982 and the Vogel visit to Moscow had affected public support for NATO positions.

The Vice President said he had been careful to keep our of their German elections during his visit. Chancellor Kohl had told him at the end of the visit that the reiteration of the U.S. position, a combination of firmness and willingness to talk with

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the Soviets, and the assertion that the United States' offer in Geneva was not a take-it-or-leave-it offer had been very helpful. Kohl had told him that the Vice President's visit had been helpful in putting the INF issue in perspective in the German elections.

The Vice President observed that during his trip he had gained the sense of the Alliance beginning to come together. For example the Anglican Church in England had issued a statement which justified the possession by the United Kingdom of an independent nuclear deterrent. Mrs. Thatcher herself was firm in her support of the two-track decision and the zero option, although she was "moving around a little" concerning intermediate steps to that position. The Vice President reiterated that his talks with West European leaders had been confidential, and that there had been no leaks concerning their content. He had made a confidential report to the President on what he had been told in private.

The Vice President added that the European officials with whom he had talked had been interested in the economic news from the United States; the encouraging news on unemployment figures and leading indicators had been useful during the trip. Martin Feldstein of the President's Council of Economic Advises had held separate discussions with his counterparts.

Secretary Shultz asked if there had been discussions in Europe about agricultural trade issues with the United States. He said that these issues were among the most dangerous ones at the present, and that agricultural ministers on both sides were headed towards a conflict. If it broke out, "the dam will break." It was curious that although the European countries depended upon open trade the most, they were still considering trade wars.

The Vice President replied that Mrs. Thatcher had raised the issue, that President Mitterrand had not, although Prime Minister Mauroy had. The Vice President said that Foreign Minister Pym had objected to the U.S. wheat flour sale to Egypt, but had backed off when the Vice President had mentioned six agricultural GATT cases against the EC that the United States had registered. Mrs. Thatcher had said that the European Community was the "worst offender" in agricultural trade. The Vice President said that he had personally spoken of the necessity to negotiate differences and the importance of avoiding a trade war.

Commerce Secretary Baldrige said that he shared Secretary Shultz's concern. Although there was some posturing in European attitudes, and perhaps one more deal such as the Egyptian wheat flour sale would be possible, after that, an agricultural trade war could very well break out.

In response to a question from the President, Treasury Secretary Regan recounted the situation in agricultural imports. He noted that the European Community subsidized its exports to bring them down to world market prices. Sugar, for example, was three times more expensive in the community than the world price, but the EC exported at the world price. European leaders openly acknowledged that their policies were designed to placate their farming lobby. American farmers had for a long time felt it necessary to "teach the Europeans a lesson." The Egyptian wheat sale was intended to be that lesson.

The President said it was difficult to imagine Europe being able to produce large quantities of food for export in view of the denseness of its population and the small size of its land area.

Secretary Baldrige said that the European community had made a major effort to produce enough food to feed itself. Through subsidies European agriculture had been modernized, however, when agricultural production reached beyond the point of supplying home markets, the governments continued to subsidize agriculture and then sold the surpluses at reduced prices on the world market. U.S. taxpayers in fact paid for agricultural subsidies also, but the U.S. food products were stored in the United States, not put on the world market as the Europeans did.

The Vice President said that the major public relations problem in Europe was to influence public opinion so that the Allies would deploy their INF missiles on schedule. The governments said that they were committed to deployments on time, but there were enormous public relations problems. There were a number of key dates this year, the first being the March 6 elections in the Federal Republic of Germany. Also in March were the French municipal elections, and perhaps there would be elections in the United Kingdom later in the year. The U.S. challenge was to maintain serious commitments to both tracks of the decision. As far as the negotiation track went, the challenge was to sustain the perception of American willingness to talk and to negotiate seriously.

Secretary Shultz then described the findings of his trip to Asia.