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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

December 23, 1982

TO: WILLIAM K. SADLIER, DIRECTOR
 PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULING

FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK *WPC*

REQUEST: Drop-by meeting between President and Hans-Jochen Vogel, leader of the FRG Social Democratic Party and the SPD candidate for Chancellor in upcoming March elections.

PURPOSE: To forestall Vogel and the SPD from taking anti-U.S. positions, particularly the question of INF deployments.

BACKGROUND: The President has in the past received German opposition leaders including Chancellor Kohl in October 1981. If Vogel were not received, the SPD might move to the left on a range of issues, including INF. This would hurt Chancellor Kohl by opening him to the charge of American favoritism.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: None.

DATE AND TIME: January 26-31, 1983, DURATION: 10 minutes following the President's briefing on national security.

LOCATION: Roosevelt Room

PARTICIPANTS: The President, William P. Clark; Hans-Jochen Vogel, FRG Ambassador Hermes, one other member of Vogel party

OUTLINE OF EVENT: Brief meeting in Roosevelt Room after Judge Clark's morning briefing. Vogel will be in Roosevelt Room where he will be meeting with other administration officials.

REMARKS REQUIRED: To be provided by NSC.

MEDIA COVERAGE: Photo Opportunity

RECOMMENDED BY: State, NSC.

OPPOSED BY: None.

PROJECT OFFICER: William P. Clark

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December 20, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

THROUGH: CHARLES P. TYSON

FROM: DENNIS G. BLAIR

SUBJECT: Schedule Proposal for Hans-Jochen Vogel,
FRG Social Democratic Party Leader

Attached for your signature is a schedule proposal for a brief drop-by meeting between the President and FRG Social Democratic Party leader Hans Vogel. We are asking for time after the State of the Union address.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the schedule proposal at Tab I.

Approve Disapprove

Tab I Schedule proposal
Tab A State memo

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

December 20, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: Proposed Visit of Hans-Jochen Vogel, Chancellor
Candidate of the FRG Social Democratic Party (SPD)

Hans-Jochen Vogel, the leader of the opposition SPD in the Federal Republic of Germany and the party's candidate for chancellor in the March 6 elections, has informed us, via the German Embassy in Washington, that he would like to visit Washington and call on the President in early January 1983.

We strongly recommend that the President agree to receive Vogel at that time. Bringing Vogel to Washington for a meeting with the the President and other senior administration officials would help us to tie him more closely to NATO positions, particularly as regards the overriding political question of INF deployment. There will be a tendency in the months ahead for the SPD to move to the left on a range of issues, notably INF, and it will be important for us to limit this leftward drift through persuasive discussions with leading SPD figures such as Vogel.

It is normal for the President to receive leaders of the German opposition. For example, President Reagan met with Helmut Kohl in October 1981. Particularly since German national elections are scheduled for March, a refusal by the President to receive Vogel now would be seen by the SPD as a US tilt toward Chancellor Kohl in the coming elections. Vogel would then be under increasing pressure to take his distance from US positions, particularly on INF.

Vogel would come to Washington only if the President agreed to receive him. The exact timing of the visit would depend on the President's availability.

Charles Hill

L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

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VOGEL, HANS-JOCHEN

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SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT OF CHANCELLOR CANDIDATE OF FRG SOCIAL DEMOCRAT PARTY

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RECOMMENDED BY: State, NSC.

OPPOSED BY: None.

PROJECT OFFICER: William P. Clark

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 25, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL DEEVER

FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK *WPC*

SUBJECT: Chancellor Kohl Visit, November 15, 1982

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Bill 10/26
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for that day.
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In order to enhance the public effect of Chancellor Kohl's visit, I suggest that we incorporate two events into the schedule:

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If you agree that these two ideas would enhance the Kohl visit, our staffs will continue to work together to arrange them.

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve meeting with German workers.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

That you approve visit to national zoo eagle exhibit.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

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WASHINGTON

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October 25, 1982

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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October 20, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

THROUGH: CHARLES P. TYSON *CP*

SIGNED

FROM: DENNIS C. BLAIR *DCB*

SUBJECT: Chancellor Kohl Visit, November 15, 1982

We understand that you have been lobbied by Ambassador Hermes, and called by Foreign Minister Genscher, about upgrading Chancellor Kohl's visit from an official working visit to a State visit. You should be aware of the following background:

-- When the idea of the visit first came up, both the State Department and I recommended a working visit in November, and Ambassador Hermes told Chuck Tyson that this arrangement would be satisfactory. Both State and I still feel the same way. Hermes has received other instructions.

-- It is a typical German diplomatic tactic to ask at first for something relatively modest, then later to increase the request. In 1980 Schmidt turned a 15-minute meeting with the President-elect into a 90-minute marathon; in 1981 during his State visit he added a second meeting to the one that had been scheduled, and then at the last minute added a communique. This visit by Kohl looks like another example of the same syndrome.

-- We have two ideas for events to incorporate into the visit which will increase its public impact. More publicity is what the Germans really want. We suggest a meeting with 15 young German workers who are visiting this country and a trip to the National Zoo to dedicate the exhibit with the two eagles which were presented to the President in Bonn last year. The "eagle event" in particular will receive a lot of press play. We can schedule it the day after the meeting/working lunch so that there is another day's worth of news. We can bolster its effect still further by including the newly appointed US-FRG Tricentennial Commission in the audience, and have the President announce the formation of the commission.

In summary, I see no justification for acceding to the German wishes to make this a State visit. It would put the East Wing to a great deal of trouble to whip one up on this short notice, and there is no substantive justification for it.

RECOMMENDATIONOKNO

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That you sign the attached memo (Tab I) to Mike Deaver concerning the two extra events during the Kohl visit (Chuck has already discussed these informally with Mike and the reaction has been positive).

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That you authorize Chuck Tyson to call Amb. Hermes to tell him that the visit will remain a working visit, not a State visit, and to inform him of the two additional events during the visit.

Tab I

Memo to Deaver

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October 20, 1982

MEMORADUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

THROUGH: CHARLES P. TYSON *CT*

FROM: DENNIS *DCB* BLAIR

SUBJECT: Chancellor Kohl Visit, November 15, 1982

Attached for your signature is a memo to Mike Deaver recommending the incorporation of two public events into the visit of Chancellor Khol. Chuck Tyson has discussed both of these events informally with Mike Deaver and the reaction has been positive. I think they would be excellent public relations measures which would enhance the impact of the visit.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memo at Tab I

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WASHINGTON

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

① Judge Clark

I think we need to lift our sights a little. We are already in a fight with most of Europe. We are going to need the Germans to help us out on many of the issues.

Secondly they have a new conservative government--these are our people. Let's demonstrate our support.

Although the events are fine, we should use the guest's criteria as our guide. That is, what makes them feel good? The answer is a dinner. OK so be it.

Bud

Bud

the staff proposes

- ③ Bud has noted we're
- ② ① lunch + dinner
- ② full arrival ceremony
- AD Speers
- JK

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COMMENTS

Depending on what you told
Menschel I think the staff proposal
is a good one. From a public
affairs aspect this alternative would
get more news and be better than
a state dinner. John

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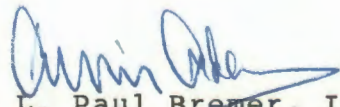
December 14, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: Letter to the President from FRG Chancellor
Helmut Kohl

The attached letter to the President from FRG Chancellor Helmut Kohl simply thanks the President and Mrs. Reagan for their hospitality during the Chancellor's recent visit to Washington and expresses the belief that Kohl's meetings with the President and other senior Administration officials laid the groundwork for further close cooperation between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany.

Because a "thank you for a thank you" letter would be inappropriate and because the letter is nonsubstantive, we recommend that the President not reply to it.


L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

Attachment

Letter to the President from Chancellor Kohl

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DIVISION OF LANGUAGE SERVICES

(TRANSLATION)

LS NO. 108211
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The Chancellor of the
Federal Republic of Germany

Bonn, November 22, 1982

Dear Mr. President, dear Ron:

Upon my return to Bonn I would like to thank you on behalf of my wife, the delegation which accompanied me, and myself for the gracious reception and generous hospitality we received in Washington. I would like to thank Mrs. Reagan especially for making such an essential contribution to the friendly and harmonious atmosphere at our meeting.

By visiting Washington so shortly after taking over the office of Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany, I hoped to make clear that we Germans stand by the United States as dependable friends and partners.

We are agreed that our two countries, your administration and my government, are facing great challenges. I am now more convinced than ever that the key to the solution of these problems lies in an equal Atlantic partnership. I received the impression that the talks

His Excellency
The President of the
United States of America,
Mr. Ronald Reagan,
Washington, D.C.

with you and your closest collaborators were conducted on both sides in a spirit of true partnership and that they laid a solid groundwork for further close and confidential cooperation.

The positive echo which our meeting elicited in the American and German public confirms my conviction that German-American friendship is firmly rooted in the minds of the overwhelming majority of the citizens of our countries.

Needless to say, dear Ron, that the friendly conversations with you have also meant a great deal to me personally. I am looking forward to our continued cooperation with great hope and expectation.

Cordially with best wishes,
[signature]

Bonn, den 22. November 1982

Sehr geehrter Herr Präsident, lieber Ron,

zurück in Bonn möchte ich Ihnen, auch im Namen meiner Frau und der Delegation, die mich begleitet hat, für die herzliche Aufnahme und großzügige Gastfreundschaft danken, die wir in Washington erfahren haben. In diesen Dank schließe ich besonders Mrs. Reagan ein, die zur freundschaftlichen Harmonie unserer Begegnung so wesentlich beigetragen hat.

Mit meinem Besuch in Washington kurz nach meiner Amtsübernahme als Bundeskanzler der Bundesrepublik Deutschland wollte ich deutlich machen, daß wir Deutschen als zuverlässige Freunde und Partner fest an der Seite der Vereinigten Staaten stehen.

Wir sind uns darüber einig, daß unsere beiden Länder, Ihre Administration und meine Regierung, vor großen Herausforderungen stehen. Ich bin heute mehr denn je davon überzeugt, daß gleichberechtigte atlantische Partnerschaft der Schlüssel zur Lösung dieser Probleme ist. Es ist mein Eindruck, daß die Gespräche mit Ihnen und Ihren engsten Mitarbeitern von beiden Seiten als wirkliche Partner geführt wurden und damit eine solide Grundlage für die weitere enge und vertrauensvolle Zusammenarbeit geschaffen haben.

Seiner Exzellenz
dem Präsidenten der Vereinigten
Staaten von Amerika
Herrn Ronald Reagan

Washington, D.C.

Das positive Echo, das unsere Begegnung in der amerikanischen und deutschen Öffentlichkeit gefunden hat, bestärkt mich in der Überzeugung, daß die deutsch-amerikanische Freundschaft bei der überwältigenden Mehrheit der Bürger unserer Länder fest verankert ist.

Lassen Sie mich Ihnen versichern, lieber Ron, daß ich die freundschaftlichen Gespräche mit Ihnen auch als großen persönlichen Gewinn empfunden habe. Unserer weiteren Zusammenarbeit sehe ich mit großer Hoffnung und Erwartung entgegen.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen

in allen guten
Wünschen
Ihr
L. J.

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DATE: 01 DEC 82

MEMORANDUM FOR: STATE SECRETARIAT


DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION: TO: PRESIDENT
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SUBJ: LTR FROM CHANCELLOR KOHL IN GERMAN

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 FOR MICHAEL O WHEELER
 STAFF SECRETARY

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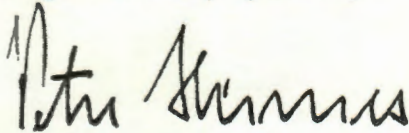
December 1, 1982

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Dear Mr. President,

I have the honor to send you the enclosed original letter from Federal Chancellor Helmut Kohl, the text of which has already been forwarded to you.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Peter Hermes". The signature is written in a cursive style with a prominent initial "P".

Peter Hermes

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Bonn, den 22. November 1982

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MEMORANDUM FOR L. PAUL BREMER, III
Executive Secretary
Department of State

The President has agreed to meet with SPD leader Hans-Jochen Vogel on January 7 at 9:40 a.m. in the Cabinet Room.
Welcoming Vogel at 9:30 a.m. in the Cabinet Room will be Robert McFarlane, Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security, and Donald Fortier, Director for Western Europe and NATO. Judge Clark will remain in the Cabinet Room after the President's departure to meet briefly himself with Vogel.

Michael O. Wheeler

Michael O. Wheeler
Staff Secretary

NSC# 820 8882

MEMORANDUM**NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL**ACTION

December 29, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL O. WHEELER

THROUGH: CHARLES P. TYSON *CT*FROM: DONALD R. FORTIER *DF*

SUBJECT: Visit of SPD Leader Hans-Jochen Vogel

Attached is a memorandum from you to Jerry Bremer confirming the times and dates of SPD leader Vogel's visit to the

RECOMMENDATIONOKNO

That you sign the memorandum at Tab I

Attachment:

Tab I

Memorandum for your signature to Jerry Bremer

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OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

January 20, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR THE NSC SECRETARIAT

FROM: Don Gregg *reg*

SUBJECT: Vice President's Meeting with FRG Ambassador Hermes

The Vice President will meet with FRG Ambassador Hermes on Monday, January 24 at 4:00 p.m. for 30 minutes in the Vice President's White House West Wing office. May we please have recommended talking points and background papers for the Vice President's use by noon, Friday, January 21.

Thank you.

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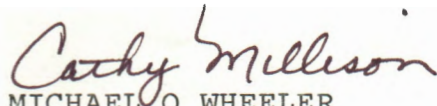
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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MEMORANDUM FOR L. PAUL BREMER, III
Executive Secretary
Department of State

SUBJECT: Vice President's Meeting with FRG Minister-
President Bernhard Vogel

The Vice President will meet with FRG Minister-President Bernhard Vogel on Friday, January 14 at 4:00 p.m. for 30 minutes in his Old Executive Office Building office (room 274). May we please have recommended talking points and background points for the Vice President's use by noon, Thursday, January 13.

*This confirms
earlier telephonic
request.*

Michael O. Wheeler

Michael O. Wheeler.
Staff Secretary

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MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

ACTION

January 13, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL O. WHEELER

FROM: DENNIS *Dennis* BLAIRSUBJECT: Vice President's Meeting with FRG Minister-
President Bernhard Vogel

Attached for your signature at Tab I is a memo to State relaying the Vice President's request for briefing materials for his meeting with Bernhard Vogel.

RECOMMENDATIONOKNO✓—

That you sign the memo to State at Tab I

Attachment:

Tab I Memo for your signature to State

*Mike - I have called this one
ahead by phone -
Dennis*

Thanks

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OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

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January 12, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR THE NSC SECRETARIAT

FROM: Don Gregg 

SUBJECT: Vice President's Meeting with FRG Minister-President
Bernhard Vogel

The Vice President will meet with FRG Minister-President Bernhard Vogel on Friday, January 14 at 4:00 p.m. for 30 minutes in his Old Executive Office Building office (Room 274). May we please have recommended talking points and background points for the Vice President's use by noon, Thursday, January 13.

Thank you.

Cy to: Bud McFarlane

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SUBJECT: REQUEST TALKERS / BACKGROUND PAPERS FOR PRES VOGEL MTG W/ VP ON 14 JAN

ACTION: PREPARE MEMO WHEELER TO BREMER DUE: 12 JAN 83 STATUS S FILES

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Michael O. Wheeler
Staff Secretary
National Security Council

FROM: Robert L. Earle *RE*
Executive Assistant to the Director

SUBJECT: Television Program in Germany

We have discussed with our Public Affairs Officer in Bonn, Mr. Hans Tuch, the proposed television program about President Reagan by the German company, TPI.

As an interim response, we wanted to inform you that Mr. Tuch has initiated an evaluation of this project and he will promptly report the outcome. We will provide you with a recommendation as soon as we hear from our Embassy in Germany.

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SUBJECT: GERMAN NETWORK TPI REQUEST PRODUCTION RE PERSONAL PORTRAIT OF PRES

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