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MEMORANDUM FOR CHARLES HILL
Executive Secretary
Department of State

SUBJECT: Agreement for Klaus Jacobi of Switzerland as
Ambassador to the United States (e)

The President has reviewed and concurs in the recommendation of the Department of State that the appointment of Klaus Jacobi as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Switzerland to the United States would be agreeable to the Government of the United States. You are requested to so inform the Government of Switzerland. (e)

Robert M. Kimmitt
Robert M. Kimmitt
Executive Secretary

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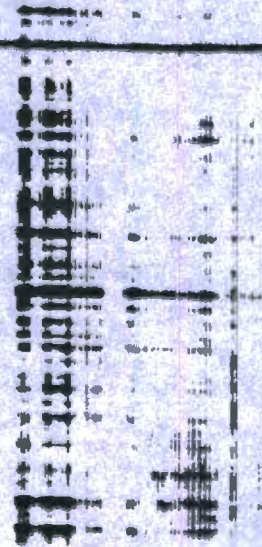
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FROM ROBERT M. KIMBLETT (NAME) (EXTENSION) (ROOM NUMBER)

MESSAGE DESCRIPTION KLAUS JACOBE

TO (AGENCY)	DELIVER TO:	DEPT/ROOM NO.	EXTENSION
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February 14, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. MCFARLANE

SIGNED

FROM: TYRUS W. COBB *TWC*

SUBJECT: Apointment of Klaus Jacobi of Switzerland as
Ambassador to the United States

I have reviewed and concur with State's memorandum of February 8, 1984 (Tab II), recommending that, based on the information available, the President agree to the appointment of Klaus Jacobi as Ambassador to the United States.

At Tab I is a memorandum from Robert Kimmitt to Charles Hill indicating that the appointment of Klaus Jacobi as Ambassador is acceptable to the United States.

RECOMMENDATION

That you authorize Bob Kimmitt to forward the memorandum at Tab I to the Department of State.

Approve RMK

Disapprove _____

Attachments

- Tab I - Memo to Charles Hill
- Tab II - Incoming Memo from State

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Washington, D.C. 20520

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February 9, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE
THE WHITE HOUSE

WHITE HOUSE
SITUATION ROOM

Subject: Appointment of Klaus Jacobi of Switzerland
as Ambassador to the United States.

On February 1, 1984, Swiss Ambassador Anton Hegner called on Ambassador Selwa Roosevelt, Chief of Protocol, to deliver a note requesting agreement for the appointment of Mr. Klaus Jacobi to succeed him as Ambassador of Switzerland to the United States (Tab 2). A biography of Mr. Jacobi is attached (Tab 1).

The Department believes from the information available that Jacobi 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 Switzerland.

Charles Hill
Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Biography.
2. Note dated February 1, 1984 from Embassy of Switzerland.

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OF ATTACHMENTS)

The Ambassador of Switzerland

Washington, D.C.,
February 1, 1984

Dear Mr. Secretary,

I have been requested to inform you that the Federal Council wishes to appoint Mr. Klaus Jacobi as my successor as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Switzerland to the United States of America.

The Swiss Government would be grateful if the United States Government could give its agrément for Mr. Jacobi.

A curriculum vitae of Mr. Jacobi is enclosed.

Sincerely,



(Anton Hegner)

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The Honorable
George P. SHULTZ
Secretary of State
Washington, D.C.

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White House Guidelines, Sept. 11, 2008
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MEMORANDUM FOR CHARLES HILL
Executive Secretary
Department of State

SUBJECT: Agreement ^{for} of Klaus Jacobi of Switzerland as
Ambassador to the United States *let*

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SUBJECT: APPT OF JACOBI AS AMB TO US

ACTION: MEMO KIMMITT TO HILL

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MEMORANDUM

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TO: ROBERT MCFARLANE (Coordinate with Faith Whittlesey)

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

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: with Vice President Furgler of Switzerland

DATE: February 3, 1984

TIME: 9:45 am

DURATION: 10 minutes

LOCATION: Oval Office

REMARKS REQUIRED: Talking points to be included in briefing paper

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

FIRST LADY PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 13, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL DEEVER

FROM: FAITH RYAN WHITTLESEY *FJR*

SUBJECT: Meeting with Swiss Vice President Furgler *→ LRIM*
From F. Whittlesey

Pursuant to our conversation of January 10, I have advised the Swiss Ambassador, Anton Hegner, that the President has agreed to see Swiss Vice President Furgler on Friday, **February 3 at approximately 2:00 p.m.** Please let me know if there is any change. The only request I would like to make is that even though the meeting is extremely short that Vice President Furgler be invited by the President to sit down.

OK
Meeting
9:50 → 10:00

As I mentioned to you, Mr. Furgler was President of Switzerland on two previous occasions and will undoubtedly be elected President again next year. He is, at the present time, the economic czar within the Swiss government. The last time an American President greeted a member of the Swiss Federal Council was twenty years ago at the Kennedy funeral. No member of the Swiss Federal Council has visited the United States since that time. **Vice President Furgler's visit, therefore, is highly important to the Swiss government.**

Many thanks for your help.

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Date. *2/3/84*
Time. *9:45*
Length. *10 min*
Date *1/19/84* **FJR**
P.O. = McFarlane

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

Richard Burt
Assistant Secretary
European Affairs Bureau
U.S. Department of State

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
May 20, 1983

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WHITE HOUSE
SITUATION ROOM

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: FAITH RYAN WHITTLESEY *FRW*

SUBJECT: Visit of State Secretary of Switzerland

Just a note to remind you of the visit of the Honorable Raymond Probst, State Secretary of Switzerland. I have informed Ambassador Hegner that you agreed to see State Secretary Probst some time on the morning of June 13 or 14, 1983, and that a short, standup meeting with the President would also be arranged.

Needless to say, Ambassador Hegner was overjoyed that you had agreed to receive Mr. Probst and were willing to take him in to greet the President.

Please let me know as soon as possible the exact time it would be convenient for you to meet with Probst for approximately one-half hour. I have advised Ambassador Hegner that the meeting with the President would take place at 9:30 a.m. on either the 13th or 14th, depending on the President's schedule.

Many many thanks.

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SUBJECT: STATE SECRETARY OF SWITZERLAND VISIT TO US

ACTION: PREPARE MEMO FOR CLARK

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Name of Correspondent: H. Fred Haemisegger

MI Mail Report

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Subject: Swiss Air application for landing rights in Houston (Letter to Jim Baker)

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 8, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR KATHY CAMALIER
STAFF ASSISTANT TO THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING *Orig. signed by FFF*
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Haemisegger Letter to James A. Baker, III

Attached is a draft reply to the letter sent to Mr. Baker by H. Fred Haemisegger. Unless I hear otherwise from you, I will send the reply.

Attachment

FFF:JGR:aea 3/8/84
cc: FFFielding/JGRoberts/Subj/Chron

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 8, 1984

Dear Mr. Haemisegger:

This is written in response to your February 28 letter to James A. Baker, III. That letter concerned a pending application by Swiss Air for landing rights in Houston.

I must advise you that it would be inappropriate for Mr. Baker to discuss this matter with you or any other private party. Executive Order 11920 specifies that an individual within the Executive Office of the President shall refuse to discuss such Civil Aeronautics Board matters with an interested private party or an attorney or agent for such a party. Pursuant to the Executive Order, any questions or concerns you have should be raised directly with the CAB or the appropriate department or agency outside the Executive Office of the President.

Sincerely,

Orig. signed by FFF

Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President

Mr. H. Fred Haemisegger
Post Office Box 55307
Houston, Texas 77255

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 8, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR KATHY CAMALIER
STAFF ASSISTANT TO THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Haemisegger Letter to James A. Baker, III

Attached is a draft reply to the letter sent to Mr. Baker by H. Fred Haemisegger. ~~Unless I hear otherwise from you, I will send the reply.~~ *Please advise if you wish me to send this.*

Attachment

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

~~JAB - call~~
Kathy Camalier
called to give the
go ahead on this
letter from JAB

kyf 3/14

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 8, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR FRED F. FIELDING

FROM: JOHN G. ROBERTS *JGR*

SUBJECT: Haemisegger Letter to James A. Baker, III

H. Fred Haemisegger, apparently a personal friend of Mr. Baker, wrote Mr. Baker at home concerning a pending application by Swiss Air for landing rights in Houston. Haemisegger asked if it were "wise to wait until after the elections before pursuing this matter or, in your judgment, does it make any difference?"

Section 4 of Executive Order 11920 provides, in part, that:

Individuals within the Executive Office of the President shall follow a policy of (a) refusing to discuss matters relating to the disposition of a case subject to the approval of the President under section 801 with any interested private party, or an attorney or agent for any such party, prior to the President's decision, and (b) referring any written communication from an interested private party, or an attorney or agent for any such party, to the appropriate department or agency outside of the Executive Office of the President.

Mr. Baker should not, accordingly, respond directly to Haemisegger, nor should anyone in the White House discuss the merits of the Swiss Air application with Haemisegger. I do not, however, think it necessary or even appropriate to refer the Haemisegger letter to the Department of Transportation. The purpose of section 4(b), generally calling for such a referral, is to ensure that an agency outside the Executive Office of the President, rather than White House staff members, considers matters raised in correspondence that might bear upon a CAB decision. No such matter is raised in Haemisegger's foolish letter. Since he raises no substantive points, I think it best simply to advise him that discussing the matter with Mr. Baker is inappropriate, and that any concerns he may want to raise should be presented to the CAB or the appropriate department.

A draft to Haemisegger is attached, as is a transmittal to Kathy Camalier, who asked for our advice.

Date: 3/5/84

TO: FRED FIELDING

FROM: **KATHERINE CAMALIER**
*Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III*

Information

Action

Would your office please provide guidance regarding the attached? Jim Cicconi thought that our office might be able to handle this with a phone call since sent to JAB's home -- but I was concerned re: how strict we need to be since this deals with an independent agency, I assume. Please advise. Thanks.

H. FRED HAEMISEGGER

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P. O. Box 55307
Houston, Texas 77255
February 28, 1984

Mr. James A. Baker, III
2415 Foxhall Rd.
Washington, D. C. 20007

Dear Jimmy:

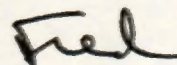
I hope you don't mind me contacting you at home, but I would like your personal opinion on the following matter. SwissAir is in the process of applying for landing rights to Houston, Texas, as they would like to have a direct non-stop flight from Zurich or Geneva to Houston. At present, they are negotiating with lower-level officials in Washington. SwissAir has obtained Baker & Botts to represent them and Thad Hutcheson is handling this particular matter.

Do you think it wise to wait until after the elections before pursuing this matter or, in your judgement, does it make any difference? I would appreciate your letting me know either by note or a call at 713/464-1787.

You are doing one hell of a job, Jimmy! Keep it up.

With best wishes and kind regards,

Sincerely,



H. Fred Haemisegger