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- ① Before 12 noon we will give you some comment on talking points
- ② I meet w/ Bud at 4 p.m. we will contact you by secure phone or cable after that ~~as~~ for any decisions or clarifications.
- ③ John Ponder will try to get to you as soon as he has answers to your questions.

Ron

Matlock

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September 25, 1984

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Department of State

CHRISTOPHER HICKS
Executive Secretary
Department of the Treasury

COL R. J. AFFOURTIT
Executive Secretary
Department of Defense

SUBJECT: Participants for Gromyko Visit

Attached are the approved lists of participants for the Gromyko visit.

Robert M. Kimmitt
Robert M. Kimmitt
Executive Secretary

Attachment

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KISSINGER HELPS REAGAN GIRD FOR GROMYKO

BY NORMAN D. SANDLER

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- HENRY KISSINGER SAID TUESDAY THAT PLANNED TALKS THIS WEEK BETWEEN PRESIDENT REAGAN AND SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO SUGGEST "CRAB-LIKE" MOVEMENT BY THE KREMLIN TOWARD BETTER SUPERPOWER RELATIONS.

THE FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE ALSO SAID THE SOVIET WILLINGNESS TO MEET WITH REAGAN INDICATES "THEY HAVE PROBABLY CONCLUDED THAT THEY HAVE TO DEAL WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN FOR FOUR MORE YEARS."

KISSINGER, WHO HELPED ENGINEER EAST-WEST DETENTE DURING THE NIXON ADMINISTRATION, SPOKE TO REPORTERS AFTER ADVISING REAGAN ON HIS MEETING WITH GROMYKO, WHICH IS SET FOR FRIDAY AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

WHILE THE WHITE HOUSE HAS SET LOW EXPECTATIONS FOR THE REAGAN-GROMYKO MEETING, KISSINGER SAID THE SESSION COULD YIELD "A CHANGE IN THE ATMOSPHERE OF UNRELENTING HOSTILITY" BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND MOSCOW.

THE MEETING FRIDAY, THE HIGHEST-LEVEL CONTACT BETWEEN THE SUPERPOWERS SINCE REAGAN TOOK OFFICE, IS THE LATEST IN A SERIES OF DIPLOMATIC AND POLITICAL MOVES BY THE PRESIDENT SINCE THE START OF THE ELECTION YEAR TO MODERATE HIS HARD-LINE IMAGE ON RELATIONS WITH THE SOVIETS.

WHEN ASKED WHY THE SOVIETS WOULD SEND GROMYKO TO WASHINGTON AND SIGNAL A POSSIBLE THAW IN THE CHILL THAT HAS MARKED EAST-WEST RELATIONS FOR MORE THAN FOUR YEARS, KISSINGER REPLIED, "I BELIEVE THAT IN A CRAB-LIKE MANNER THEY ARE GOING TO MOVE TOWARD NEGOTIATIONS WITH US."

KISSINGER, WHO DEALT WITH THE SOVIETS AT LENGTH DURING THE NIXON AND FORD ADMINISTRATIONS, SAID HE FOUND GROMYKO TO BE "A LITTLE PEDANTIC, ALWAYS EXTREMELY WELL BRIEFED, VERY CAREFUL, VERY DELIBERATE, VERY PRECISE, FAIRLY TOUGH."

"BUT I MUST SAY I FOUND HIM ALSO VERY RELIABLE," KISSINGER ADDED. "WHEN HE GAVE HIS WORD, HE WOULD STICK TO IT."

KISSINGER, WHO SPENT ABOUT 20 MINUTES WITH REAGAN, SAID HE WAS "CONVINCED THE PRESIDENT IS ABSOLUTELY PREPARED" FOR THE MEETING WITH GROMYKO.

KISSINGER SAID REAGAN APPEARS TO BE "MOVING TOWARD NEGOTIATED COEXISTENCE WITH THE SOVIET UNION."

HE PREDICTED REAGAN WOULD MAINTAIN THAT COURSE AFTER THE NOV. 6 ELECTION, BECAUSE AT THAT POINT "HE IS RUNNING FOR HISTORY, AND NOT FOR ANY OTHER OFFICE."

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This is a revised
list — Sec. Weinberger
has been added
to both prebriefs

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SHULTZ; GROMYKO HOLD THREE HOURS OF TALKS

BY WILLIAM SCALLY

NEW YORK, SEPT 26, REUTER - SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE SHULTZ AND SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO TODAY HAD NEARLY THREE HOURS OF TALKS BUT GAVE NO INDICATION WHETHER THEY BELIEVED U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS WERE ON THE MEND.

GROMYKO EMERGED FIRST FROM THE U.S. MISSION TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOLLOWING THE MEETING AND APPEARED IN A GOOD HUMOR.

HE PAUSED WHEN REPORTERS ASKED HIM FOR HIS ANALYSIS OF THE MEETING AND SAID, "WE HAVE DISCUSSED MANY QUESTIONS, BUT MORE DISCUSSIONS ARE TO COME IN WASHINGTON, SO OUR DISCUSSIONS HERE ARE NOT CONCLUDED."

THE MEETING WAS A PRELIMINARY TO GROMYKO'S TALKS FRIDAY WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN, WHO CALLED FOR A NEW BEGINNING IN U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS IN AN ADDRESS MONDAY TO THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT WAS NOTABLE FOR ITS LACK OF HARSH RHETORIC AGAINST MOSCOW.

REAGAN'S MEETING WITH THE VETERAN 75-YEAR-OLD DIPLOMAT WILL BE HIS FIRST WITH A SENIOR SOVIET OFFICIAL SINCE HE TOOK OFFICE.

THE SHULTZ-GROMYKO MEETING HAD BEEN EXPECTED TO PROVIDE THE FIRST OFFICIAL SOVIET RESPONSE TO REAGAN'S OLIVE BRANCH, ALTHOUGH U.S. OFFICIALS HAD CAUTIONED AGAINST LOOKING FOR BREAKTHROUGHS FOLLOWING THE LONG U.S.-SOVIET CHILL.

GROMYKO REFUSED TO SAY HOW THE MEETING HAD GONE.

HALF SMILING, HE TOLD REPORTERS, "PLEASE DON'T ASK ME ANY QUESTIONS. YOU CAN DO THAT THE NEXT TIME. YOU CAN ASK ME A THOUSAND QUESTIONS."

A FEW MINUTES LATER SHULTZ EMERGED FROM THE MISSION AND SAID HE AND THE SOVIET MINISTER HAD HAD "A COMPREHENSIVE AND BROAD CONVERSATION" AS A BACKGROUND TO THE COMING WHITE HOUSE TALKS.

"WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING HIM TO WASHINGTON ON FRIDAY," SHULTZ SAID.

BEFORE TRAVELING TO WASHINGTON GROMYKO IS TO ADDRESS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TOMORROW. HIS SPEECH WILL BE CAREFULLY EXAMINED FOR ANY RECIPROCATATION OF REAGAN'S NEW TONE ON U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS.

GROMYKO WILL ALSO HAVE TALKS TOMORROW WITH WALTER MONDALE. THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE HAS RIDICULED REAGAN'S "DEATHBED CONVERSION" ON FOREIGN POLICY SIX WEEKS BEFORE THE NOVEMBER 6 ELECTION.

Sack Matlock

JACK - ~~_____~~ ^{XP}

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want to put our interests
at the table. How strongly do
you feel about this? Bill

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MR. MAKAROV

MR. SUKHODREV (Inter.)

FOREIGN MINISTER GROMYKO

DEPUTY FM KORNIYENKO

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