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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

August 5, 1982

MR. PRESIDENT:

Attached for your approval is a proposed Executive Order, "Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission.

This proposed Order was submitted by the Department of Defense and is recommended for approval by OMB, the Department of State, NSC, Ken Duberstein, Craig Fuller and the Office of Policy Development. Elizabeth Dole, Fred Fielding and Dave Gergen have no objections.

Richard G. Darman

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Signed + Dated aug 6, 1982

EXECUTIVE ORDER

JOINT MEXICAN-UNITED STATES DEFENSE COMMISSION

By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and laws of the United States of America, and in order to add a member of the Marine Corps to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission, it is hereby ordered that the third paragraph of Executive Order No. 9080 of February 27, 1942, as amended by Executive Order No. 10692 of December 22, 1956, is further amended to read as follows:

"The United States membership of the Commission shall consist of an Army member, a Navy member, an Air Force member, and a Marine Corps member, each of whom shall be designated by the Secretary of Defense and serve during the pleasure of the Secretary. The Secretary shall designate from among the United States members the chairman thereof and may designate alternate United States members of the Commission.".

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THE WHITE HOUSE,

August 6, 1982.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 4, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD G. DARMAN

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARK

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SUBJECT:

Proposed Executive Order entitled, "Joint Mexican-

United States Defense Commission"

We fully concur with the proposed Executive Order adding a representative of the Marine Corps to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 3, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Richard G. Darman

THROUGH: Helene von Damm

FROM: John E. Schrotte

SUBJECT: White House Staffing Memorandum

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Executive Order Entitled "Joint Mexican-

United States Defense Commission"

It should be noted, with the addition of the Marine Corps, the Department of the Navy may enjoy a disproportionate influence.

Because of the unique function of this committee, the Office of Presidential Personnel has no recommendations.

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Please provide any comments/recommendations by Wednesday, August 4.

Richard G. Darman Assistant to the President (x2702)

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Richard G. Darman Assistant to the President (x2702)

Response:

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No objections.



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Richard G. Darman
Assistant to the President
(x2702)

Response:

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 31, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD G. DARMAN

FROM:

for EDWIN L. HARPER by B. ayers

SUBJECT:

Executive Order - Joint Mexican-United

States Defense Commission

The Office of Policy Development recommends approval of the proposed Executive Order.

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ROGER PORTER FOR ACTION

May I please have your recommendation by noon August 4.

Judy Johnston 7/31

cc: Mike Uhlmann

Please return this tracking sheet with your response.

Edwin L. Harper Assistant to the President for Policy Development (x6515)

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Response:



U.S. Department of Justice

Office of Legal Counsel

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The President,

The White House.

My dear Mr. President:

I am herewith transmitting a proposed Executive order entitled "Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission."

This proposed order was submitted by the Department of Defense and forwarded for the consideration of this Department as to form and legality by the Office of Management and Budget with the approval of the Director.

The proposed Executive order is approved as to form and legality.

Respectfully,

Theodore B. Olson

Assistant Attorney General Office of Legal Counsel



U.S. Department of Justice

Office of Legal Counsel

Office of the Assistant Attorney General

Washington, D.C. 20530

8 0 JUL 1982

MEMORANDUM

Re: Proposed Executive order entitled "Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission"

The attached proposed Executive order was submitted by the Department of Defense and has been forwarded for the consideration of this Department as to form and legality by the Office of Management and Budget with the approval of the Director.

The purpose and background of the proposed Executive order are explained in the attached Memorandum For The President from David A. Stockman, Director, Office of Management and Budget, dated July 28, 1982. The proposed Executive order would add a Marine Corps member to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission.

The proposed Executive order is acceptable as to form and legality.

Theodore B. Olson Assistant Attorney General Office of Legal Counsel

GENERAL COUNSEL

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

July 28, 1982

Honorable William French Smith Attorney General Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Attorney General:

Enclosed, in accordance with the provisions of Executive Order No. 11030, as amended, is a proposed Executive order entitled "Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission."

This proposed Executive order was submitted by the Department of Defense, along with the enclosed transmittal letter. The proposed order would add a Marine Corps member to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission, as explained in the enclosed memorandum from the Director to the President.

Your staff may direct any questions concerning this proposed Executive order to Mr. Ronald A. Kienlen of this office (395-5600).

This proposed Executive order has the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Horowitz Counsel to the Director

Enclosures



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

July 28, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

DAVID A. STOCKMAN

SUBJECT:

PROPOSED EXECUTIVE ORDER ENTITLED "JOINT MEXICAN-UNITED STATES DEFENSE

COMMISSION"

SUMMARY. Enclosed for your consideration is a proposed Executive order that would add a Marine Corps member to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission.

BACKGROUND. In 1942 President Franklin D. Roosevelt and the President of the Republic of Mexico established the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission to:

- o study problems relating to the common defense,
- o consider broad plans for the defense of Mexico and adjacent areas of the United States, and
- o propose cooperative measures which should be adopted by the two governments.

The United States membership of the Commission is currently composed of three members designated by the Secretary of Defense; one each from the Army, the Navy and the Air Force.

The Department of Defense believes that the Commission's purposes would be best served by adding a representative from the Marine Corps to the United States representation on the Commission. The Deputy Secretary of Defense reports that the Mexican delegation to the Commission is in accord with this change in the United States membership.

The Department of State and the National Security Council staff concur in this proposal.

I recommend that you sign the proposed RECOMMENDATION. Executive order.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

JUN 1 6 1982

Dear Mr. Stockman:

The Department of State has no objection to any of the provisions of the proposed Executive Order that would amend Executive Order 9080 to provide for a representative of the United States Marines on the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission and specify that no member's term would be affected but that all tenures may be terminated by the Secretary of Defense.

Please let me know if I may be of further assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Powell A. Moore Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations

The Honorable
David A. Stockman,
Director,
Office of Management and Budget.

MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

June 1, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL J. HOROWITZ

FROM:

MICHAEL O. WHEELER HW

SUBJECT:

Proposed Executive Order Re: Joint Mexican-US Defense Commission

We have reviewed the proposed Executive Order and recommend approval.

THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE



WASHINGTON, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

5 MAY 1982

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Honorable David A. Stockman Director, Office of Management and Budget Washington, D.C. 20503

Dear Dave:

In accordance with Executive Order 11030, enclosed is a proposed Executive Order to provide for designation of a member of the United States Marine Corps as a member of the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission.

Executive Order 9080, dated February 27, 1942, authorized creation of the joint commission on the part of the United States. The third paragraph of the order appointed two individuals by name as members of the commission. Section 1 of Executive Order 10692, dated December 22, 1956, amended the third paragraph of Executive Order 9080 to provide for designation by the Secretary of Defense of a member of the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force as members of the commission. There is no corresponding provision relating to the Marine Corps.

The purpose of the commission, as stated in the second paragraph of Executive Order 9080 are:

"to study problems relating to the common defense of the United States and Mexico, to consider broad plans for the defense of Mexico and adjacent areas of the United States, and to propose to the respective governments the cooperative measures which, in its opinion, should be adopted."

We believe that, in light of the commission's purposes, representation from the United States Marine Corps in the membership of the commission would be appropriate. The Mexican delegation is in accord.

Section 1 of the enclosed proposed Executive Order would amend the third paragraph of Executive Order 9080, as amended, to provide that the Secretary of Defense shall

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designate a member of the Marine Corps as well as a member of the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force as members of the commission. Section 2 of the proposed order would make clear that section 1 is not intended to terminate the tenure of any person who is serving on the commission on the date of issuance of the order, but that such tenure continues to be at the pleasure of the Secretary of Defense.

Sincerely,

Frank C. Carlucci

Deputy Secretary of Defense

Enclosure

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JOINT MEXICAN-UNITED STATES DEFENSE COMMISSION

By the authority vested in me as President of the United States of America by the Constitution, it is ordered as follows:

Section 1. The third paragraph of Executive Order No. 9080 of February 27, 1942, as amended, is amended to read:

"The United States membership of the Commission shall consist of an Army member, a Navy member, an Air Force member, and a Marine Corps member, each of whom shall be designated by the Secretary of Defense and serve during the pleasure of the Secretary. The Secretary shall designate from among the United States members the chairman thereof and may designate alternate United States members of the Commission."

Section 2. The amendment made by section 1 shall not be construed as terminating the tenure of any person who is a member, chairman, or alternate member of the United States section of the Commission on the date of this order, but such tenure may be terminated by the Secretary of Defense.

WHITE HOUSE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

JOINT MEXICAN-UNITED STATES DEFENSE COMMISSION

By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and laws of the United States of America, and in order to add a member of the Marine Corps to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission, it is hereby ordered that the third paragraph of Executive Order No. 9080 of February 27, 1942, as amended by Executive Order No. 10692 of December 22, 1956, is further amended to read as follows:

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THE WHITE HOUSE,

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Office of the Press Secretary

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August 6, 1982

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THE WHITE HOUSE,

August 6, 1982.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

August 4, 1982

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MEMORANDUM FOR RICHARD G. DARMAN

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARKE 17/6

SUBJECT:

Proposed Executive Order entitled, "Joint Mexican=

United States Defense Commission"

We fully concur with the proposed Executive Order adding a representative of the Marine Corps to the Joint Mexican-United States Defense Commission.

NSC#8205355

MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

August 3, 1982

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM:

ROGER W. FONTAINE

SUBJECT:

Proposed Executive Order entitled, "Joint Mexican-

U.S. Defense Commission"

Your memorandum at Tab I to Dick Darman conveys NSC concurrence in the proposed E.O., "Joint Mexican-U.S. Defense Commission," which would add a representative of the U.S. Marine Corps to the Commission.

Henry Nau, Horace Russell, Al Sap Bosch and Bob Kimmitt concur.

Recommendation

That you sign your memorandum to Dick Darman at Tab I.

Approve ____

Disapprove ____

Attachments

Tab I Clark memo to Darman

Tab II Supporting memos from Justics and OMB



U.S. Department of Justice

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RECOMMENDATION. I recommend that you sign the proposed Executive order.

Enclosures

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Remarks:

Please provide any comments/recommendations by Wednesday, August 4.

Richard G. Darman Assistant to the President (x2702)

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