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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 18, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN A. SVAHN

FROM:

ROGER B. PORTER

SUBJECT:

Talking Points for Issue Paper: The French Government: Capitalists in Socialist Clothing?

Attached are suggested talking points for the issue paper reviewing the recent decision by the French Government to promote greater entrepreneurship in the economy.

Attachment

Talking Points: Capitalists in Socialist Clothing?

- -- Since the French Government unveiled its "Development of Economic Incentives" bill on March 29th, it appears that the Government had been developing its proposal before President Mitterrand made his trip to the U.S.
- -- However, widespread press reports suggest that Mitterrand's visit to Silicon Valley had a major impact in confirming Mitterrand's conclusion that France needs to develop more of an entrepreneurial spirit.
- -- It appears that the current French strategy of concentrating public resources on a few large "national champions" has not yielded sufficient benefits. By and large, these large companies have not been at the cutting edge of new technology.
- -- This new strategy will try to develop more small- and mid-size companies and encourage greater private investment in these companies.
- -- This entrepreneurial strategy is part of a larger program designed to wean France away from basic industries such as steel, coal, and shipbuilding to higher-technology industries.
- -- While we would prefer that the French Government allow the market to shift resources toward high technology industries rather than having the Government actively shift resources, we should be pleased by the direction it is taking.
- -- The Cabinet Council on Economic Affairs, in its discussion of preparations for a recent OECD Ministerial, suggested that Administration officials privately compliment French officials on their move to cut back on public funding of the steel industry, despite strong political opposition.
- -- The Socialist Government has been open enough to admit that its earlier policy of greater government intervention in the economy has not succeeded and is willing to try an approach that has greater emphasis on the market.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 15, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN A. SVAHN

FROM:

ROGER B. PORTER REP

SUBJECT:

Proposed Issue Paper on French Entrepreneurship

Attached is a proposed issue paper discussing the recent package unveiled by President Mitterrand designed to encourage entrepreneurship and private investment in France. Announced shortly after his tour of Silicon Valley in March, this package combined with recent cutbacks in public support of steel and other industries represents a major shift in French economic philosophy toward greater reliance on entrepreneurship and less government intervention in the economy.

Given the upcoming London Summit and the attempt by Mitterrand to duplicate entrepreneurial conditions in the U.S., an issue paper discussing the recent French actions would be both timely and valuable.

Attachment

Issue Papers title is "The "French Sovernment: Capitalists in Socialist Clothing"

24/122 PD C005/ FG F0004-03 The French Government: Capitalists in Socialist Clothing?

President Mitterrand recently announced a package of incentives aimed at encouraging entrepreneurship in France. The French Socialist government is apparently committed to developing an entreprenuerial environment similar to the one Mitterrand saw during his recent trip to Silicon Valley in California.

The French Government has up to now tried to promote high technology industries by targeting public resources on one or two "national champion" firms in a particular industry. While this strategy may have succeeded in some high technology industries, Mitterrand has recognized that France is falling behind the U.S. and Japan in the high tech race.

After his recent tour of Silicon Valley, Mitterrand unveiled a package of economic incentives designed to stimulate the growth of small- and mid-size companies and encourage private investment. The package includes provisions such as: tax exemptions for long-term investments in small companies, below-market interest rate loans to individuals starting new companies, and acceleration of the depreciation schedule for research in computers.

The Socialist Government has coupled this new emphasis on entrepreneurship with a cutback of public support of "sunset" industries. The Government recently turned down a request from a large private construction and steel company for public funds. In addition, the Government initiated reductions in funding for the two state-owned steel companies. These actions signal Mitterrand's attempt to put French industry on notice that the Government cannot afford to continue providing handouts and bailouts. Despite some strong political opposition and near-term economic costs, Mitterrand has apparently concluded that continuing the status quo will only result in France missing the "third industrial revolution."

While the French have not fully accepted the basic tenets of your free market approach, they are gradually moving toward the direction of greater reliance on entrepreneurship and less government intervention in the economy. The Socialists have apparently learned over the last several years that stifling private initiative is counterproductive.

Office of Policy Development May 18, 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. McFARLANE

FROM:

TYRUS W. COBB

SUBJECT: Claude Cheysson Cancellation

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White House Guidelines, Sept. 11, 2006,
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Cheysson called Shultz this morning to inform us that he is cancelling his visit to Washington. Ostensibly, he does not feel that he can be away from the Quai for as long as planned (New York, Washington and San Jose stopovers). In fact, I believe that Cheysson is cancelling since his Washington visit increasingly became devoid of substantive meetings — the President refused to see him and the Vice President's schedule could not be reshuffled to arrange a meeting. Given the fact that Howe, Genscher and Andreotti have all seen the President in recent months, and given Cheysson's precarious perch at the FM position, it appears that he is cancelling as a save-face measure.

Because of these difficulties, we should do all we can to assure Cheysson has at least a photo op with the President during the UNGA.

Talk to Bill muti.

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WH-RM (EOP043) Fo: From:L.HERBOLSHEIMER (EOP029) Posted: Thu 22-Mar-84 9:50 EST Sys 64 To: D.NEUMAN (EOP030)

Subject: FYI - In light of the Mitterand visit.

EC leaders yesterday failed to solve their serious budget differences bringing the EC to the edge of bankruptcy. issue is the U.K.'s frozen budget rebate of \$750 millinoi European Currency Units, which U.K. Prime Minister Thatcher had wanted. Officials say that this could precipitate cutbacks in the EEC's guaranteed farm spending.

Failure to agree also will prevent immediate implementation of other agricultural reforms. Some issues can be voted on a majority system, but others need unanimous decisions. is not clear whether the issue of corn gluten feed falls in the former or latter voting category.

The summit meeting was suspended for a half hour so the U.K. could consider the latest offer of an annual 1-million Currency Unit rebate for 5 years. This offer appeared to be lower in cash terms than that which was offered earlier, but it was for a 5 year period rather than just 1984 and 1985.

President Mitterand last night blamed the U.K. for the summit's failure to agree on budget contributions and the subsequent delay in implementing various EEC reforms.

In another development, Irish Prime Minister Fitzgerald walked out of the meeting dissatisfied with milk production proposals. Proposals to reduce EEC milk quotas will not cut milk and butter production as quickly or sharply as governments had hoped. Analysts say that other factors will boost EEC stocks of butter to a record 1.1 million tons by the end of September, equal to about 87% of this season's total domestic consumption.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 12, 1984

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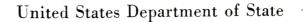
EDWARD V. HICKEY, JR. E.V. H. President Mitterrand - Aircraft Request

Attached is a request for aircraft support for President Mitterrand, 21 - 28 March.

Aircraft are available.

Please forward your recommendation to the Chief of Staff.

NSC # 8402042





Washington, D.C. 20520

MEMORANDUM

March 12, 1984

TO:

Mr. Edward Hickey

Director, Military Office

The White House

FROM:

Catherine C. Murdock Col

Department of State

SUBJECT:

State Visit of His Excellency The President of the French Republic and Mrs. Mitterrand to the United States, March 21-28, 1984 - Aircraft and

Helicopter Request.

President Reagan has invited President and Mrs. Mitterrand for a State Visit to the United States, March 21-28, 1984. In this regard, I would like to request the following aircraft and helicopter support:

WEDNESDAY MARCH 21, 1984

6:45 pm One U.S. Presidential Helicopter to take Secretary Shultz and his party from the Washington Monument Grounds, Reflecting Pool Helipad, to Andrews Air Force Base.

7:10 pm Two U.S. Presidential Helicopters to take President Mitterrand and his party from Andrews Air Force Base to the Washington Monument Grounds.

SATURDAY MARCH 24, 1984

10:20 am Two U.S. Presidential Helicopters to take President Mitterrand and his party from the Washington Monument Grounds, Reflecting Pool Helipad, to Andrews Air Force Base.

SATURDAY MARCH 24, 1984

10:35 am One U.S. Presidential Aircraft to take President Mitterrand and his party from Washington, D.C.-Andrews Air Force Base to Atlanta, Georgia-Hartsfield Airport.

6:00 pm One U.S. Presidential Aircraft to take President Mitterrand and his party from Altanta, Georgia-Hartsfield Airport to San Francisco, California-San Francisco International Airport.

SUNDAY MARCH 25, 1984

3:00 pm U.S. Helicopters to transport President
Approx. Mitterrand and accompanying members of the French
Delegation from San Francisco to Davis Solar
Experimental Station.

4:30 pm U.S. Helicopters to return transport from Davis Approx. Solar Experimental Station to San Francisco.

MONDAY MARCH 26, 1984

- 2:10 pm U.S. Helicopters to transport President Mitterrand and accompanying members of the French Delegation from the University of California at Berkeley to Stanford University.
- 5:15 pm U.S. Helicopters to transport President
 Mitterrand and accompanying members of the French
 Delegation from Stanford University to
 San Francisco.

TUESDAY MARCH 27, 1984

9:00 am One U.S. Presidential Aircraft to take President Mitterrand and his party from San Francisco, California-San Francisco International Airport to Peoria, Illinois-Peoria Airport.

7:15 pm One U.S. Presidential Aircraft to take President Mitterrand and his party from Peoria, Illinois-Peoria Airport to New York-John F. Kennedy International Airport.

NOTE: Once the Official Party has disembarked New York-JFK Airport, the Presidential Aircraft is free to return to Washington, D.C.

I will be the Visit Coordinator for the French State Visit. My office telephone number is (202) 632-1676, and my home number is (202) 429-0760.

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

October 18, 1984

Mr. Scott T. Winston Roughstone Redevelopment 3400 East Seventh Street Long Beach, California 90804

Dear Mr. Winston:

Thank you for your letter of August 30 to the President which was referred by the White House to this office for reply. I apologize that this response is so tardy.

The relationship between France and Monaco was initially set forth in a treaty between the two nations dated July 17, 1918. A copy of this treaty is enclosed. Since then, there have been numerous commercial agreements between the French and Monegasques further defining their economic relationship. I suggest you get in touch with an attorney familiar with the legalities of commercial activities with Monaco to get a better understanding of the particulars involved in doing business with the Principality.

I have also included a copy of some Background Notes for Monaco which may be of interest.

Sincerely,

Wilson F. Grabill, III Country Officer for

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TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM: MR. SCOTT T. WINSTON

ROUGHSTONE REDEVELOPMENT 3400 EAST 7TH STREET LONG BEACH CA 90804

SUBJECT: REQUESTS INFORMATION ON THE TREATY WHICH

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SALLY KELLEY
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August 30, 1984

Mr. Ronald Regan The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear President Regan:

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Thank you for the photographs which were sent with a note from Anne Higgins on the 10th of this month. Your wishes are appreciated, and I will advance the photographs to my father.

On a seperate matter, I have written three dirrerent times over the past year to the Secretary of State with an interest in our policy position with respect to the Principality of Monaco. I had an interest in obtaining a copy of the treaty which the French have with Monaco, and what position the United States has adopted with regard to our citizens doing business in the Principality.

Since I will be leaving on the 10th of September for a few weeks to explore business opportunities overseas, I would appreciate any information which could be made available in the next week or so. I may be contacted through the mail in care of, The Lady Parker of Waddington, 1 Pocklington Court 74 Alton Road, London, S.W. 15, England.

Thank you in advance for your assistance. Sincerely,

Scott T. Winston

THE WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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Constantine Menges and Peter Sommer concur.

RECOMMENDATION

That you agree to a 30-minute meeting with Cheysson on September 21 or 22.

Approve ____

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September 27, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT E. LIGHTHIZER

FROM:

ROGER B. PORTER REP

SU BJECT:

Brookings Conference on Industrial Policy in

France

Earlier today I addressed the Brookings Conference on Industrial Policy in France: Implications for the United States? My luncheon address was on the Role of Government in Industry: A White House View. A copy is attached. More importantly, since you are taking French (and I speak no French) I am pleased to pass on to you the French papers that were provided me.

We should get together soon to discuss how the Working Group on the Economic Impact of International Trade is coming.

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August 28, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

FROM:

Don Gregg

SUBJECT:

Vice President's Meeting with

French Foreign Minister Claude Cheysson

The Vice President will meet with French Foreign
Minister Claude Cheysson on Wednesday, September 19, at
10:00 a.m. in his West Wing office. We would very much
appreciate your providing background papers and talking
points for the Vice President's use by cob Monday,
September 17. An appropriate NSC staff member is welcome to
attend.

Thank you.

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MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT C. McFARLANE JOHN M. POINDEXTER

FROM:

TYRUS W. COBB

SUBJECT:

Galbraith Request for Read-Out

Ambassador Galbraith's Special Assistant telephoned to request any sort of a read-out we can give Van regarding your meetings/conversations with Attali. I realize much of the discussions were private in nature, but we should try to keep Van in the net as much as possible -- he has raised this issue with you previously. Anything you can give me to send back would be appreciated, or you may want to use your own channels to give him a summary.

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