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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 14, 1982

Dear Tom:

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The heavy emphasis placed in more than one issue, on the charge that I have betrayed Taiwan strikes me as guilt by accusation. I didn't think Conservatives were practioners of that.

In one of the many articles the question was asked, "How could Ronald Reagan do this?" The answer is very simple -- Ronald Reagan didn't and Ronald Reagan has no intention of doing so.

We have refused to set any certain date for the ending of arms sales by us to Taiwan, and in the communique, we have made clear that there is an inextricable relationship between peace in the Taiwan Strait and the continuing sale of defensive arms by the United States to Taiwan. I am determined that the United States will, in every way, stand by its commitment to Taiwan under the Taiwan Relations Act. The people of Taiwan accept and believe that. Why can't my fellow Conservatives and Human Events?

Sincerely,

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Mr. Thomas S. Winter Editor, Human Events 422 First Street, S.E. Washington, D. C. 20003

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 14, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARK

SUBJECT:

Letters to Begin and Winter

SIGNED

Attached are proposed letters to Menachem Begin and Tom Winter for your signature.

The response to Begin incorporates your reactions as you described them to me. The letter will be sent by cable.

The letter to Tom Winter which you drafted has been modified to remove reference to "peaceful reunification" which would antagonize the Taiwanese as well as our conservative friends.

Tab A Letter to Menachem Begin

Tab B Letter to Tom Winter

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#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARK

SUBJECT:

Letter to Tom Winter of Human Events

#### Issue

Human Events has been bitterly critical of the US-PRC Communique and has accused you of betraying Taiwan's interests.

#### Facts

The US-PRC Communique preserves the principles of the United States and allows for the continued sale of defensive weapons to Taiwan.

#### Discussion

As you insisted during the course of the negotiations with the PRC, the United States did not agree to any certain date for the ending of arms sales to Taiwan and has made clear the inextricable relationship between peace in the Taiwan Strait and the continuing sale of defensive arms to Taiwan.

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Tab A Letter for Signature to Tom Winter

Prepared By: Gaston Sigur

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President Ronald Reagan The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

This is being dictated after just having seen you in Phoenix, however, I wanted to say something to you and I hope you will read this letter.

The last thing in the world that is ever going to happen between the two of us is a falling out about anything that we may disagree on. I might disagree with you and you might disagree with me but, our friendship means a lot more to me than the passing fancy of politics. I know how deeply you feel about Taiwan and, as I told you this afternoon, I'm not worried about Taiwan as long as your around. But, let us face it, you and I aren't going to be here forever and it's the people that follow you that bother me.

Whether we like it or not, the State Department types are the ones who have been bungling up our foreign policy ever since the days of John Foster Dulles. I told Kissinger, I told Haig and I've told Schulz, when you get into your office on the 7th floor, fire everybody below that floor because they are dedicated against everything you or your President wants to do. I remember when Haig went in he was as passionately devoted to Taiwan as you and I but, before many months went by, his mind became poisoned and he took a 180 degree position on Taiwan.

The communique that you sent Peking has been milling around in that State Department for several years. I know that it doesn't sound too bad to you and it doesn't sound too bad when you explain that all decisions will be made between Taiwan and you and the Congress. But, again, when your not here there will be no Taiwan unless it is a separate country, and, by the way, I've been advocating that for a long time and I hope it comes to pass because I think it would end all our problems.

I'd like to sit down with you sometime when you have a spare moment and go over this State Department problem because it really disturbs me. They have, on at least three occasions and maybe more, changed treaty situations between our country and others with just letters or communiques and that's contrary to the intent of the Constitution, I have introduced legislation to prevent that but, I don't know if it will ever become law. It is being introduced more to help you and to help our country than anything else because I am sick and tired of those people in the State Department trying to run this place the way they want. That's the whole story, Mr. President, and, if you want more, just blow the whistle.

With respect and best wishes,

Barry Goldwater

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# THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

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September 20, 1982

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARK

SUBJECT:

Your Meeting with Senator Goldwater on Tuesday,

September 21, 1982 re Taiwan (11:40 a.m.)

The attached talking points are provided for your use in your meeting with Senator Barry Goldwater on Tuesday, September 21.

#### RECOMMENDATION

That you use the talking points in your meeting with Goldwater.

Approve	 Disapprove	

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Tab A

Talking Points

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# MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: The President's September 21 Meeting with Senator Goldwater on Taiwan

The President is meeting with Senator Goldwater September 21 at 11:30 a.m. to discuss Taiwan. Secretary Shultz will also attend the meeting. We have prepared talking points for Secretary Shultz, and are forwarding a copy of them to you for your information and in the event the President would like to draw on them during the meeting.

L. Paul Bremer, III Executive Secretary

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

September 17, 1982

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM:

GASTON SIGUR

SUBJECT:

Suggested Talking Points for the President's Meeting with Senator Goldwater on September 21, 1982 re Taiwan

At Bud McFarlane's request, attached are suggested talking points for the President's use in his meeting with Goldwater on Tuesday, September 21.

#### RECOMMENDATION

That you sign and forward the attached memorandum to the President (Tab I) with the talking points (Tab A).

Approve	Disapprove
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Tab I Memorandum for Signature A Talking Points

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 28, 1982

Dear Senator Lugar:

Thank you for your letter of September 14 about the possible visit of Taiwan's Sun Yuan-hsuan to the United States.

We have been aware that a non-official visit by Sun is a possibility, and we agree that continuing friendly relations with the people of Taiwan is important. There will certainly be no unfavorable Administration comment and we will do everything we can to make his non-official stay here a pleasant and useful one.

Sincerely,

William P. Clark

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September 14, 1982

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The Honorable William Clark Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs The White House Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Bill:

It has come to my attention that the Premier of the Republic of China may be planning a non-official visit to the United States in the near future. I believe that his visit would be a significant reminder to many Americans of the strong and close relationship between the people of the United States and the people on Taiwan.

I am writing to ask your assistance in insuring that, if the visit takes place, it will do so without unfavorable Administration comment. I believe that you share the hope of many Senators and Representatives that a continuing friendly relationship with Taiwan is both possible and important in light of the recent communique with the Peoples Republic of China. A visit by the Premier of the Republic of China will contribute materially to the maintenance and expansion of friendship between Taiwan and the United States, and I am hopeful that such a visit could occur in the best possible political context.

With continuing best wishes,

Sincerely,

Richard G. Lugar

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