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## THE WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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### DEPUTY UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506 202-395-5114

April 22, 1985

The Honorable Mitch McConnell United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear Senator McConnell:

Thank you for your recent letter which urged that we raise the issue of Korean trade restrictions on tobacco products with President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

We fully agree that the import licensing restrictions, the high tariffs, the law which prohibits Korean citizens from purchasing foreign cigarettes, and the limitations placed on the distribution of tobacco products in Korea have all worked to impede the importation of U.S. cigarettes. On several occasions in the past, Ambassador Brock has raised these concerns with his counterparts and stressed the importance to both countries in maintaining access to each other's markets. In the meetings with the economic officials accompanying President Chun this month, we plan to reiterate the necessity for liberalizing trade in cigarettes.

We also intend to hold discussions with Korean officials in May-June regarding market access. Our objective will be to get the Koreans to commit to begin liberalizing their market access restrictions. Please be assured that cigarettes are a top priority for these discussions. We feel strongly about the need for Korea to open its market, and we will press very hard for such liberalization.

Thank you again for bringing your concerns on this matter to my attention.

Sincerely yours,

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## OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT WASHINGTON 20506

April 17, 1985

MEMORANDUM TO:

Sally Kelley

Director of Agency Liaison Presidential Correspondence

FROM:

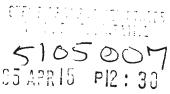
Dee Conway

SUBJECT:

White House Referrals Numbers 301135, 301136, and 301137

The subject correspondence, identical Congressional letters to the President regarding tobacco, were directed to USTR for direct reply. Senators Andrews and McConnell and Congressman Bliley wrote directly to Ambassador Lighthizer. I am attaching a copy of our reply to them.

Attachment



#### THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

#### REFERRAL

APRIL 12, 1985

TO: UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE, OFFICE OF ATTN: BILL MARONI

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MEDIA: LETTER, DATED APRIL 4, 1985

TO:

PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM:

THE HONORABLE MITCH MCCONNELL

UNITED STATES SENATE WASHINGTON DC 20510

SUBJECT: URGES YOU AND YOUR STAFF TO IMPRESS UPON

PRESIDENT CHUN DOO HWAN OF SOUTH KOREA YOUR

CONCERN ABOUT THE UNFAIR TOBACCO IMPORT

PRACTICES OF KOREA.

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

RETURN CORRESPONDENCE, WORKSHEET AND COPY OF RESPONSE (OR DRAFT) TO: AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE

> SALLY KELLEY DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Dear Senator McConnell:

Thank you for your April 4 letter to the President expressing your concern over South Korea's trade restrictions on tobacco products and urging that this issue be discussed with President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

We appreciate receiving your comments in this regard and will be conveying your recommendation to the President. In addition, I have asked President Reagan's trade and foreign policy advisers to review your letter. In the interim, let me assure you that your views will be kept in mind during preparation for discussions with President Chun Doo Hwan.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr. Assistant to the President

The Honorable Mitch McConnell United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

cc: w/copy of inc to Bill Maroni, Cong Affrs, USTR - for DIRECT response

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### United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

April 4, 1985

The Honorable Ronald Reagan
The President of the United States
The White House Office
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

As you are well aware, there is considerable feeling in Congress that the discriminatory trade practices of some of the United States' trading partners must be liberalized, if those countries are to retain the benefits of United States trade concessions. Contrary to the situation with a number of American products, the United States enjoys a substantially favorable worldwide balance of trade in tobacco and tobacco products. Korea is one of the handful of countries where the opposite is true.

Korea virtually prohibits the importation of American made cigarettes. Its citizens are forbidden by law to purchase cigarettes not made in Korea. They face large fines and possible loss of employment if they do. The distribution of tobacco products in Korea is controlled by the Korean Tobacco Monopoly. Due to its systematic failure to maintain adequate stock of American brands, foreigners and American military personnel have a very difficult time buying American made cigarettes at the few hotels and duty free shops where the sale is allowed. The Monopoly has rejected all proposals for local manufacture of foreign brands through licensing or joint-venture arrangements with Korean interests.

American tobacco farmers are also penalized. American grown leaf is the largest component of American cigarettes. Because American cigarettes can not be sold in Korea, American farmers are shut out of that market. In addition to the excessive 100% ad valorem tariffs on imported cigarettes, the Monopoly is even moving toward the use of all domestic leaf in Korean made cigarettes, further restricting the use of American leaf.

When President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea visits you later this month, I would hope that his country's unjustifiable and unreasonable burdens on United States commerce will be high on your discussion agenda. Given the liberal trade benefits Korea receives from the U.S., the irony of the situation is self-evident. The government of Korea should be sensitive to the potential for embarrassment from adherence to its unfair trade practices. World attention will be focused on Korea for the 1988 Olympics, shaping international attitudes toward it.

The Honorable Ronald Reagan April 4, 1985 Page 2

In the light of Korea's large and growing volume of trade with this country, the United States is favorably positioned to insist firmly on the prompt beginning of a program to liberalize the unreasonable, discriminatory restrictions Korea now imposes on trade in tobacco products. Such a program commencing now and timed for full implementation to coincide with the opening of the Olympic Games might include:

A gradual, substantial increase in the number of retailers licensed to sell imported cigarettes, particularly in Seoul and Pusan, Korea's two largest cities;

Relaxation of the law forbidding Korean nationals from consuming or possessing foreign cigarettes;

Consideration of licensing or joint-venture arrangements for the local manufacture of foreign cigarette brands, which could also contribute to an increase in exports of Korean-made cigarettes.

I would appreciate it if you and your staff could impress upon President Hwan and his staff, your concern about the unfair import practices of Korea, including explanation of the availability of retaliatory action pursuant to Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974. Prompt effective action on the part of the Republic of Korea is needed to justify this discriminatory restriction on United States commerce.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely yours,

UNITED STATES SENATOR

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### . THE WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHFET

ID# 301273

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DATE PECEIVED: MARCH 11, 1985

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE MACK MATTINGLY

SUBJECT: UPCES THE PRESIDENT TO DISCUSS WITH PRESIDENT CHUN DOO HWAN THE FAIRNESS OF FOREIGN TRADE RULES GOVERNING THE IMPORTATION OF TOPACCO

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April 23, 1985

The Honorable John P. East United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear John:

The President has asked that I respond to your recent letter which urged that we raise the issue of Korean trade restrictions on tobacco products with President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

I fully agree that the import licensing restrictions, the high tariffs, the law which prohibits Korean citizens from purchasing foreign cigarettes, and the limitations placed on the distribution of tobacco products in Korea have all worked to impede the importation of U.S. cigarettes. On several occasions in the past, I have raised these concerns with my counterparts and stressed the importance to both countries in maintaining access to each other's markets. In the meetings with the economic officials accompanying President Chun this month, we plan to reiterate the necessity for liberalizing trade in cigarettes.

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Thank you again for bringing your concerns on this matter to my attention.

Very truly yours,

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WILLIAM E. BROCK

#### THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

WASHINGTON 20506

April 23, 1985

The Honorable Wendell Ford United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear Wendell:

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Very truly yours,

SIGNED

WILLIAM E. BROCK

April 23, 1985

The Honorable Paula Hawkins United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear Paula:

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WILLIAM E. BROCK

April 23, 1985

The Honorable Howell Heflin United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

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WILLIAM E. BROCK

April 23, 1985

The Honorable Mack Mattingly United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear Mack:

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Very truly yours,

SIGNED WILLIAM E. BROCK

April 23, 1985

The Honorable Sam Nunn United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear Sam:

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WILLIAM E. BROCK

April 23, 1985

The Honorable Strom Thurmond United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

Dear Strom:

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WILLIAM E. BROCK

April 23, 1985

The Honorable John Warner United States Senate Washington D.C. 20510

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

#### REFERRAL

APRIL 17, 1985

TO: UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE, OFFICE OF

ATTN: BILL MARONI

ACTION REQUESTED:

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DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

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MEDIA: LETTER, DATED APRIL 4, 1985

TO:

PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM:

THE HONORABLE MACK MATTINGLY

UNITED STATES SENATE WASHINGTON DC 20510

SUBJECT: URGES YOU TO DISCUSS WITH PRESIDENT CHUN DOO

HWAN THE FAIRNESS OF FOREIGN TRADE RULES GOVERNING THE IMPORTATION OF TOBACCO.

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AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE

SALLY KELLEY DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Dear Senator Mattingly:

Thank you for your April 4 letter to the President, cosigned by nine of your colleagues expressing your concern over South Korea's trade restrictions on tobacco products and urging that this issue be discussed with President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

We appreciate receiving your comments in this regard and will be conveying your recommendation to the President. In addition, I have asked President Reagan's trade and foreign policy advisers to review your letter. In the interim, let me assure you that your views will be kept in mind during preparation for discussions with President Chun Doo Hwan.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr. Assistant to the President

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### United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

April 4, 1985

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

The upcoming visit of South Korean President Chun Doo Hwan to Washington offers us the opportunity to raise an issue of the utmost importance to the tobacco-raising regions of this country--namely, the fairness of foreign trade rules governing the importation of tobacco.

The Republic of Korea makes it nearly impossible for U.S. cigarettes to be sold anywhere outside of the several military bases maintained by the United States in the Republic of Korea. Incidently, the cost of these military bases is ultimately born by the U.S taxpayer and directly contributes to the defense of that country.

The methods used to prevent U.S. access to the Republic of Korea's tobacco market are not as crude as an outright ban on importation, but through a 100 percent ad valorem tax tariff barrier and such non-tariff barriers as civil and criminal sanctions against Korean nationals possessing cigarettes of American manufacture, a state tobacco distribution and wholesale monopoly, and restrictions against the importation of quality U.S. grown leaf tobacco.

Thousands of farm families in our states make their livelihood from growing tobacco and foreign restrictions against their work product—known worldwide for its quality—are not easily explained. Surely an ally such as the Republic of Korea would be willing to meet the United States at least halfway in our fight to eliminate unfair trade barriers that distort world trade and strain bilateral relations?

We would hope that some form of an "agreement in principle" could be reached during the President of the Republic of Korea's visit. This "agreement" could allow for more U.S. leaf imports, increase retail outlets for American cigarettes in, say, larger metropolitan areas, and a relaxing of sanctions against the possession of American cigarettes.

Sincerely,

Mack Mattingly

Sam Nunn

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May 13, 1985

The Honorable Charles Hatcher U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Congressman Hatcher:

The President has asked that I respond to your recent letter which urged that we raise the issue of Korean trade restrictions on tobacco products with President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

In the April 26 meeting held with economic officials accompanying President Chun, I emphasized to the Koreans our concerns regarding the necessity for liberalizing trade in cigarettes. It was agreed in this meeting that we will continue with these discussions in May-June. Our objective will be to get the Koreans to commit to begin liberalizing their market access restrictions. Please be assured that cigarettes are a top priority for these discussions. We feel strongly about the need for Korea to open its market, and we will press very hard for such liberalization.

We appreciate knowing of your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

MICHAEL B. SMITH Acting

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MEDIA: LETTER, DATED APRIL 23, 1985

TO:

PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM:

THE HONORABLE CHARLES HATCHER U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WASHINGTON DC 20515

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING CONCERN ABOUT RESTRICTIONS

PLACED ON THE SALE OF AMERICAN CIGARETTES IN

SOUTH KOREA

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

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> SALLY KELLEY DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 29, 1985

#### Dear Charlie:

Thank you for your April 23 letter to the President recommending that the issue of Korean trade restrictions on tobacco products be raised with President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea.

As you may know, Ambassador Brock has raised these concerns on several occasions with his counterparts and stressed the importance to both countries in maintaining access to each other's market. To ensure that you are brought up-to-date on the discussions that took place during President Chun's visit here last Friday, I have shared your letter with our trade advisers. I have asked that they review the specific points you raised and provide you with a more detailed response.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr. Assistant to the President

The Honorable Charles Hatcher House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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April 23, 1985

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

As a member of the House Agriculture Committee, I represent one of the major tobacco growing regions in our country.

I am very concerned about the restrictions placed on the sale of American manufactured cigarettes in South Korea. At present, we are storing thousands of pounds of tobacco at government expense. The world marketplace is a necessity for the small family farmers of our nation.

One of the most important issues facing the United States Congress this year is the balance of trade. We must be allowed to sell our products under the same conditions as we permit the people of our country to purchase goods from other parts of the world. Please consider these points when you meet with President Chun Doo Hwah later this week.

If I may be of service to you, please call on me.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely

CHARLES HATCHER Member of Congress

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Dear Mrs. Mikulski:

I have been asked to reply to your letter to President Reagan of April 25, in which you requested that the President urge President Chun Doo Hwan, during the latter's visit to Washington April 25-27, to restore the civil rights of Mr. Kim Dae Jung and other Korean politicians and to take further steps toward democratization.

Since Mr. Rim's return on February 8, there have been several encouraging political developments in the Republic of Korea that continue the trend underway for the past year or so. The National Assembly election on February 12, in which a new opposition party supported by Mssrs. Kim Dae Jung and Kim Young Sam won second place, came at the end of perhaps the most open political campaign in South Korean history. On March t, Mssrs. Kim Dae Jung and Kim Young Sam, along with the remaining twelve others who continued to be affected, were freed from a statutory pan on their involvement in politics. Mr. Kim Dae Jung was also allowed freedom of movement effective the same day. Because of Mr. Kim's 1980 conviction, however, he remains regular ineligible to vote, join a positical party, or run for office. The Department of State has publicly welcomed the firting of various restrictions and expressed the hope that the lemaining restrictions will be lifted as soon as pursible.

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The Honorable
Barbara A. Mikulski,
House of Representatives.

progress that has already been made and expressed continuing support for such steps and resterated our support for President Chun's commitment to a peaceful transfer of power at the end of his term in 1988."

With Dest Wishes,

Sincerely,

William L. Bal Assistant Secretary Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs

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TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE ATTN: WILL BALL

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DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

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MEDIA: LETTER, DATED APRIL 25, 1985

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

THE HONORABLE BARBARA A. MIKULSKI FROM:

U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WASHINGTON DC 20515

SUBJECT: WRITES CONCERNING CIVIL RIGHTS OF KIM DAE

JUNG IN KOREA AND SUGGESTS DISCUSSING

SITUATION WITH KOREAN PRESIDENT CHUN DOO HWAN

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

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AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE

SALLY KELLEY DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE Dear Barbara:

Thank you for your April 25 letter to the President recommending that the issue of Kim Dae Jung and other leaders of the democratic movement be mentioned during President Chun Doo Hwan's visit.

We appreciate receiving your thoughts on items that should be raised with President Chun of South Korea. Flease know that I have shared your letter with the appropriate Administration advisers to ensure that you are brought up-to-date on the discussion that took place during President Chun's visit here last Priday. I am certain that you will be hearing further in the near future.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr. Assistant to the President

The Honorable Barbara Mikulski House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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April 25, 1985

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

Dear Mr. President:

As you receive President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea, I respectfully request that you consider a number of factors which seriously impact on the future of Korea and Korean-American relations.

Mr. Kim Dae Jung, as you are aware, has recently been freed from house arrest in South Korea. Although his return to Seoul was marred by the "thug-like" reception he received at the Korean airport, he has not been subjected to physical abuse by the South Korean Government.

Mr. Kim's civil rights, however, have not been restored. Technically, the political ban on him (and thirteen others) has been revoked but, because of his suspended prison term, Mr. Kim is not allowed to participate in political activities. No true democracy would convict a national leader on fabricated charges and thus deprive him of his civil rights.

The recent National Assembly election results show that the oppressive government of President Chun Doo Hwan has been repudiated to a great degree by the Korean people. Unless President Chun institutes and safeguards democratic political processes, the Republic of Korea's security will be seriously threatened.

In order to help the Korean people attain their goal of democracy and to protect the economic and security interests of the United States, I urge you to impress upon Mr. Chun the need to take immediate steps toward a real restoration of democracy.

The first step must be a reinstatement of the political and civil rights of Mr. Kim Dae Jung and the other leaders of the democratic movement. A scheduled method for a return to democracy should be drawn up and implemented as well. Freedom and equality for all Koreans is a vital ingredient for a Korean democracy to work.

These actions are necessary if we are to ever see a real democracy in South Korea. I appreciate your attention to my request and look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Barbara A. Mikulski

Member of Congress

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MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES G. ROSEBUSH

FROM:

ROBERT M. KIMMITT Bob

SUBJECT:

Request for Mrs. Reagan to Host a Luncheon for

Mrs. Chun Doo Hwan of Korea on April 26

President and Mrs. Chun Doo Hwan from Korea will be making an official working visit to Washington on Friday, April 26. Mrs. Reagan invited Mrs. Chun to attend the April 24-25 drug abuse conference, but Mrs. Chun was unable to accept because of the difficulties of balancing her arrival schedule with that of President Chun.

However, Mrs. Chun very much hopes to renew her acquaintance with Mrs. Reagan established during previous visits and to have an opportunity to meet with her on April 26. We agree with the State Department's recommendation that Mrs. Reagan consider hosting a luncheon that day for Mrs. Chun or, if that is not possible, a morning coffee or an afternoon tea.

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MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

FROM:

GASTON J. SIGUR Mat

SUBJECT:

Request for Mrs. Reagan to Host a Luncheon for

Mrs. Chun Doo Hwan of Korea on April 26

Mrs. Chun Doo Hwan will accompany her husband, President Chun of Korea, on a working visit to the U.S., April 26, 1985. She very much hopes to renew her acquaintance with Mrs. Reagan and to have an opportunity to meet with her on April 26.

State recommends that Mrs. Reagan consider hosting a luncheon that day for Mrs. Chun or, if that is not possible, a morning coffee or an afternoon tea. Attached at Tab I is a memo from you to Jim Rosebush forwarding this request.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

That you forward Tab I to Jim Rosebush.

Approve\_\_\_\_\_\_ Disapprove\_\_\_\_\_

Attachments:

Tab I

Kimmitt memo to Rosebush

Tab II

State memo

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 1, 1985

CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE THE WHITE HOUSE

SUBJECT: White House Schedule for Mrs. Chun Doo Hwan from Korea

President and Mrs. Chun Doo Hwan from Korea will be making an official working visit to Washington on Friday, April 26. Because the working visit had already been scheduled prior to the invitation from Mrs. Reagan to Mrs. Chun to attend the April 24-25 drug abuse conference, Mrs. Chun regretted because of the difficulties of balancing her arrival schedule with that of President Chun. The Chuns are presently scheduled to arrive April 25 and depart April 27. Mrs. Chun very much hopes, however to renew her acquaintance with Mrs. Reagan established during previous visits and to have an opportunity to meet with her on April 26. We recommend that Mrs. Reagan consider hosting a luncheon that day for Mrs. Chun or if that is not possible, a morning coffee or an afternoon tea.

Nicholas Platt Executive Secretary

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Executive Secretary

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MEMORANDUM FOR NICHOLAS PLATT

Executive Secretary Department of State

SUBJECT:

Coffee for Mrs. Chun of Korea Hosted by Mrs.

Reagan

Mrs. Reagan's staff has entered on her schedule for Friday, April 26 at 11:00 a.m., a private coffee with Mrs. Chun.

Robert M. Kimmitt Executive Secretary

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#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

March 11, 1985

SIGNED

#### ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

FROM:

GASTON J. SIGUR A

SUBJECT:

Coffee for Mrs. Chun of Korea Hosted by

Mrs. Reagan

Attached at Tab I is a memo from you to Nick Platt informing him of the coffee Mrs. Reagan will give for Mrs. Chun on Friday, April 26 at 11:00 a.m.

Bill Martin concurs.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

That you sign your memo to Nick Platt at Tab I.

Approve Disapprove

#### Attachments:

Tab I Kimmitt memo to Platt

Tab II Rosebush memo to Kimmitt

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 7, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT M. KIMMITT

FROM:

JAMES S. ROSEBUSHO

SUBJECT:

Coffee for Mrs. Chun Hosted by

Mrs. Reagan

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