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White House Guidelines, Sept. 11, 2006
BY NARA/KPC DATE 5-20-11

MEMORANDUM FOR CARLTON TURNER
FROM: JIM STARK *Kay*
SUBJECT: Cable on Ambassadors' *for*
Meeting on Narcotics

Attached is a copy of a cable we received from the CMC. I am passing it to you for your information.

Thank you.

Attachment



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Dept. of State Guidelines, July 21, 1997

BY KDC NARA, DATE 5-20-11

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

September 5, 1986

CARLTON TURNER
FRED RYAN

Please review attached cable and
phone your comments/concurrence to
our office. Thanks.

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Cathy Millison
Ext. 6534

Comments needed by 5:00pm today.

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*D.C.
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FROM: KEN QUINN S/S 78448 7224
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August 19, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR VADM JOHN M. POINDEXTER
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Proposed Program for October Ambassadors
Meeting to Discuss Narcotics

As requested, a proposal for the Ambassadors Conference to discuss narcotics is attached. The proposal includes suggested dates for the Conference, a list of invitees and the goals of the conference.

Nicholas Platt
Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

Attachments: As Stated

PROPOSED NARCOTICS PROGRAM FOR U.S. AMBASSADORS
October 6-7, 1986

The purpose of recalling U.S. Ambassadors to countries which face or may face serious narcotics production, trafficking or consumption problems is two-fold; U.S. Ambassadors would be addressed by the President and Cabinet Members, including Secretary of State Shultz, on the status of U.S. efforts to combat narcotics in this country and abroad, and second, our Ambassadors would have an opportunity to provide an assessment of progress on the narcotics issue overseas.

There are two goals which we hope to accomplish during the two-day meeting in Washington. First, we wish to convey to the Ambassadors the sense of urgency with which the U.S. government is approaching the issue of drug demand reduction. We also wish to create the opportunity for U.S. Ambassadors to discuss increased regional cooperation which could lead to a more effective international narcotics strategy.

The first day of the Conference would center on discussions on the demand for drugs; the focus of the second day would be supply. An evening reception will be scheduled for the eighth floor at the Department of State.

To these ends, the Department of State proposes the following list of Ambassadors to be invited to the meeting, and provides an agenda and topics for discussion. Also suggested are Cabinet Members, Members of Congress and special guests to be invited to address the Ambassadors. It is hoped that the President will address the group at the end of the second day.

INVITED AMBASSADORS:

Major Drug-Producing, Trafficking and Consuming Countries: (12)

- Bolivia--Ambassador Ed Rowell
- Colombia--Ambassador Tony Gillespie
- Peru--Ambassador-Designate Alexander Watson
- Ecuador--Ambassador Fred Rondon
- Brazil--Ambassador Harry Shlaudeman
- Jamaica--Ambassador Michael Sotirhos
- Mexico--Ambassador-Designate Charles Pilliod
- Burma--Ambassador Dan O'Donohue
- Thailand--Ambassador Bill Brown
- Laos--Charge Harriet Isom
- Pakistan--Ambassador Deane Hinton
- Afghanistan--Charge Maurice Ealum

Trafficking Countries (5)

→Bahamas--Ambassador-Designate Carol Hallett
→Panama--Ambassador Arthur Davis
→Turkey--Ambassador Robert Strausz-Huppe
→Nigeria--Ambassador-Designate Princeton Lyman
→Bulgaria--Ambassador Mel Levitsky

European Trafficking and Consuming Countries (3)

United Kingdom--Ambassador Charles Price
→Italy--Ambassador Maxwell Rabb
→Federal Republic of Germany--Ambassador Richard Burt

MULTILATERAL ORGANIZATIONS (1)

The United Nations--Ambassador Vernon Walters

CABINET OFFICIALS, HIGH RANKING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND GUESTS OF HONOR:

Vice President George Bush
Secretary of State George Shultz
Attorney General Edwin Meese III
Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger
Secretary of Health and Human Services Otis Bowen
Secretary of Education, William Bennett
First Lady Nancy Reagan
Chief of Staff Donald Regan

Alternative Government Representatives:

State (INM)--Ann Wrobleski
Justice Department (DEA)--Jack Lawn
HHS (ADAMHA)--Dr. Ian Macdonald
Office of Drug Abuse Policy--Dr. Carlton Turner
Office of Personnel Management--Constance Horner

U.S. CONGRESS:

Senator Paula Hawkins, Chairman, Senate Caucus on Drugs
Congressman Dante Fascell, Chairman, House Foreign Affairs
Committee

PRIVATE SECTOR:

Selected Young Drug Abusers in Treatment
Dr. Mitchell Rosenthal, Executive Director, Phoenix House
a New York City-based treatment center

PROPOSED AGENDA:

Introductions and Moderation by Dr. Carlton Turner

OCTOBER 6: THE DEMAND

FIRST LADY NANCY REAGAN: Opening remarks. Introduces panel of three young drug users in treatment to discuss why they took drugs and why they stopped.

DR. OTIS BOWEN, HHS: Presentation on extent of drug abuse in the U.S., current availability of drugs, what HHS is doing to address demand and treatment.

DR. MITCHELL ROSENTHAL, Executive Director, Phoenix House. Brief discussion of current treatment issues, update on phenomenon of "crack" abuse.

SECRETARY OF EDUCATION, WILLIAM BENNETT: The Role of Educators in Reducing Demand for Drugs: What Works and What Doesn't.

CHIEF OF STAFF, DONALD REGAN: The White House Initiative: explanation of President's plan, what it will entail, ending the cycle of demand for drugs.

ATTORNEY GENERAL EDWIN MEESE: No passive users; discussion of U.S. efforts to get tough on drug users. Update on U.S. marijuana campaign, legal tools (asset seizure and forfeiture), DEA demand reduction programs.

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, CASPAR WEINBERGER: Turning the Corner on Drug Abuse in the Military; also discussion of the role of the military in narcotics control.

OCTOBER 7: THE SUPPLY

Introductions and Moderation by Ann Wrobleski

VICE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH: Opening Remarks; Narcotics Control and NNBS, National Security Decision Directive.

SENATOR HAWKINS AND CONGRESSMAN FASCELL: The Congressional Perspective. Stopping the Supply of Narcotics; discussion of sanctions against drug-producing countries, legislative initiatives pending in Congress.

U.N. AMBASSADOR VERNON WALTERS: The Challenge of Multilateral Action Against Narcotics--a View from the United Nations. Update on upcoming World Conference, draft Convention on Narcotics Trafficking, increased activities at the United Nations.

AMBASSADORS' PANEL: Ambassador Gillespie (Colombia), Ambassador Hinton (Pakistan), Ambassador O'Donohue (Burma). Narcotics Control progress in drug-producing countries: challenges and successes. Prospects for increased regional cooperation in narcotics control efforts.

SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE SHULTZ: Narcotics Control as a Foreign Policy Priority. Narcotics as a threat to National Security, democracy and social institutions. The increased multilateral and bilateral focus on narcotics.

PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN: "Why We Can't Lose the War on Drugs."

We believe that it would be beneficial to invite USIA to cover a portion of the meeting (President's remarks, remarks of Secretary of State and First Lady) for international coverage.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

September 26, 1986

The following U.S. Ambassadors will be attending the Conference on Narcotics, October 6-7, in Washington, D.C. with the President and Mrs. Reagan:

Amb. Edward M. Rowell	Bolivia
Amb-desig. Alexander Watson	Peru
Amb. Fernando E. Rondon	Ecuador
Amb. Charles A. Gillespie	Colombia
Amb. Harry Schlaudeman	Brazil
Amb. Michael G. Sotirhos	Jamaica
Amb-desig. Charles Pilliod	Mexico
Amb. Daniel A. O'Donohue	Burma
Amb. William Brown	Thailand
Charge d'affaires Harriet Isom	Laos
Amb. Deane R. Hinton	Pakistan
Charge d'affaires Maurice Ealum	Afghanistan
Amb. Carol Hallett	Bahamas
Amb. Arthur H. Davis	Panama
Amb. Robert Strausz-Huppe	Turkey
Amb. Princeton Lyman	Nigeria
Amb. Melvin Levitsky	Bulgaria
Amb. Charles H. Price, II	U.K.
Amb. Maxwell Rabb	Italy
Amb. Richard R. Burt	Federal Republic of Germany
Amb. Otto J. Reich	Venezuela
Amb. Vernon A. Walters	USUN
Amb. Bruce K. Chapman	UNVIE

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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September 10, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR DONALD T. REGAN

FROM:

JOHN M. POINDEXTER *JMP for*
CARLTON E. TURNER *CT*

SUBJECT:

U.S. Ambassadors Conference on Narcotics

As part of our overall drug abuse activities, the President approved an August 4 DPC proposal to hold a conference in Washington for U.S. Ambassadors to countries with narcotics problems. The purpose of the conference will be to brief the Ambassadors on White House drug abuse initiatives and other related programs, develop measures to help them increase the effectiveness of their representations to host governments, and convey to the U.S. and world publics our commitment to fighting drug abuse.

The conference has been tentatively scheduled for October 6-7. In order to stress direct White House involvement, it will be held in the Old Executive Office Building, and will include a meeting and photo opportunity with the President in the West Wing. A list of participants and a proposed agenda for the conference are attached at Tabs A and B respectively. Please note that you are tentatively scheduled to talk to the Ambassadors about the President's drug initiative on October 6, immediately after Mrs. Reagan's remarks.

Attachments

- Tab A - List of Participants
- Tab B - Proposed Agenda

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Multilateral Organizations: (2)

The United Nations -- Ambassador Vernon Walters
U.S. Mission to the UN, Vienna (UNVIE) -- Ambassador Bruce Chapman

(Note: If Ambassadors-Designate have not been confirmed by the date of the conference, the Charge will attend.)

CABINET OFFICIALS, HIGH RANKING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND GUESTS OF HONOR:

White House

President Ronald Reagan
Vice President George Bush
First Lady Nancy Reagan
Chief of Staff Donald Regan
Drug Abuse Policy Advisor Dr. Carlton Turner

Cabinet Officers

Secretary of State George Shultz
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Office of Personnel Management -- Constance Horner

U.S. Congress:

Discussions to be arranged through Senator Richard Lugar,
Chairman, Senate Foreign Relations Committee and Congressman
Dante Fascell, Chairman, House Foreign Affairs Committee.

Private Sector:

Selected young drug abusers in treatment
Private sector representatives from business, sports, parents
groups, and schools

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 10, 1986

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

TO: FREDERICK J. RYAN, Director
Presidential Appointments and Scheduling

FROM: RODNEY B. MCDANIEL *RBM*

REQUEST: Meeting with U.S. Ambassadors attending conference on drug abuse.

PURPOSE: To brief U.S. ambassadors on the President's drug abuse program and discuss initiatives for expanding international cooperation.

BACKGROUND: Twenty-two U.S. ambassadors to countries with drug problems will be meeting here on October 6-7 for briefings and discussions with White House officials and Cabinet members on U.S. programs to fight the war on drugs. This conference was approved by the President at the August 4 DPC meeting.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: None.

DATE & TIME: October 6 or 7, 1986. The afternoon of October 7 is preferred; see attached agenda.
DURATION: 30 minutes

LOCATION: Cabinet Room or Roosevelt Room

PARTICIPANTS: The President, 22 U.S. Ambassadors, Secretary George Shultz, Donald Regan, John Poindexter, Dr. Carlton Turner, Ann Wroblewski (State/INM), James Stark (NSC staff)

OUTLINE OF EVENTS: President greets Ambassadors (5 minutes), makes remarks on drug initiative (5 minutes). Three Ambassadors respond with brief remarks (10 minutes); general discussion (10 minutes).

REMARKS REQUIRED: To be provided.

MEDIA COVERAGE: TV pool for start of meeting. Remainder of meeting to be closed.

PROPOSED "PHOTO": White House photo with each ambassador.

RECOMMENDED BY: John M. Poindexter and Carlton E. Turner

OPPOSED BY: None.

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

August 30, 1986

SIGNEDACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN M. POINDEXTER

FROM: JAMES R. STARK ✓

SUBJECT: U.S. Ambassadors Conference on Narcotics

The purpose of this memo is to describe initial efforts to arrange a conference in Washington of U.S. Ambassadors to countries with drug problems. Attached at Tab I is a joint memo from you and Carlton Turner to Don Regan describing the proposed conference, its participants (Tab A) and its agenda (Tab B). At Tab II is a Presidential schedule request for a meeting with the Ambassadors. The conference is tentatively proposed for October 6-7, 1986.

State's proposed program for the conference is attached at Tab III. Subsequent to that memo, Frank Lavin, Carlton Turner, and I met with State representatives to discuss possible changes. We reached the following conclusions.

- State will take the lead in arranging the conference, and will coordinate with Carlton Turner's office and NSC.
- To emphasize White House involvement, the meeting will take place at the Old EOB, probably in the Indian Treaty Room. The meeting with the President will be in the West Wing.
- An additional goal of the conference will be to present each Ambassador with a tailored package of talking points and/or proposals to take back to his host country.
- Ambassador Bruce Chapman of the U.S. Mission to the Vienna Office of the United Nations will be an additional invitee. Ambassadors Designate will not be invited unless they have been confirmed by the date of the conference. In their absence, the Charge will attend.
- Congressional participation will be in the form of an offer to meet for discussion with the chairman of the respective committees of Foreign Relations (Dick Lugar and Dante Fascell) as well as discussion with appropriate members to include those on the House and Senate Committees that deal with drugs and narcotics.

State will work with Senators Lugar and Fawcett to arrange events on the Hill for give and take. This approach is judged the best way to ensure appropriate Congressional participation and will avoid confrontations that would surely occur if only selected Congressional representatives were invited to participate here at the White House. Additionally, an evening reception is being considered. This is tentative and would first be cleared with White House Legislative Affairs and Mitch Daniels' office.

- Rather than inviting Dr. Rosenthal from the private sector, it was agreed to substitute a panel on drug prevention which would include representatives from a corporation, sports, a parent group, and a school principal.
- We have added an additional "workshop" period to the agenda to allow the ambassadors more time to discuss narcotics issues and policy among themselves. It is envisioned that they will divide into separate groups, each of which will come up with a short series of recommendations to present to the President on the second day.
- Several changes have been made to the agenda. These are reflected at Tab A of the memo to Don Regan.
- State will work directly with the White House Press Office, USIA, and the NSC Public Diplomacy staff to formulate a comprehensive press plan.

Frank Lavin and I will continue to meet on a regular basis with Carlton Turner and State/INM (Ann Wroblewski) to provide guidance and monitor the progress of the conference arrangements.

Frank Lavin
Frank Lavin, Jackie Tillman, Ken Kissell and Ron Sable concur. *RS*

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That you approve the general concept of the conference as described above and in Tab III.

Approve *ML*

Disapprove _____

2. That you sign the joint memo to Don Regan at Tab I.

Approve *ML*

Disapprove _____

3. That you ^{approve}~~sign~~ the Presidential schedule proposal[^] at Tab II. *For Red McDaniel's signature*

Approve *ML*

Disapprove _____

Attachments

- Tab I - Poindexter/Turner Memo to Regan
 - Tab A - Conference Participants
 - Tab B - Proposed Agenda
- Tab II - Presidential Schedule Request
- Tab III - Platt Memo to Poindexter of August 19, 1986



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August 19, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR VADM JOHN M. POINDEXTER
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Proposed Program for October Ambassadors
Meeting to Discuss Narcotics

As requested, a proposal for the Ambassadors Conference to discuss narcotics is attached. The proposal includes suggested dates for the Conference, a list of invitees and the goals of the conference.

Nicholas Platt
Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

Attachments: As Stated

PROPOSED NARCOTICS PROGRAM FOR U.S. AMBASSADORS
October 6-7, 1986

The purpose of recalling U.S. Ambassadors to countries which face or may face serious narcotics production, trafficking or consumption problems is two-fold; U.S. Ambassadors would be addressed by the President and Cabinet Members, including Secretary of State Shultz, on the status of U.S. efforts to combat narcotics in this country and abroad, and second, our Ambassadors would have an opportunity to provide an assessment of progress on the narcotics issue overseas.

There are two goals which we hope to accomplish during the two-day meeting in Washington. First, we wish to convey to the Ambassadors the sense of urgency with which the U.S. government is approaching the issue of drug demand reduction. We also wish to create the opportunity for U.S. Ambassadors to discuss increased regional cooperation which could lead to a more effective international narcotics strategy.

The first day of the Conference would center on discussions on the demand for drugs; the focus of the second day would be supply. An evening reception will be scheduled for the eighth floor at the Department of State.

To these ends, the Department of State proposes the following list of Ambassadors to be invited to the meeting, and provides an agenda and topics for discussion. Also suggested are Cabinet Members, Members of Congress and special guests to be invited to address the Ambassadors. It is hoped that the President will address the group at the end of the second day.

INVITED AMBASSADORS:

Major Drug-Producing, Trafficking and Consuming Countries: (12)

Bolivia--Ambassador Ed Rowell
Colombia--Ambassador Tony Gillespie
Peru--Ambassador-Designate Alexander Watson
Ecuador--Ambassador Fred Rondon
Brazil--Ambassador Harry Shlaudeman
Jamaica--Ambassador Michael Sotirhos
Mexico--Ambassador-Designate Charles Pilliod
Burma--Ambassador Dan O'Donohue
Thailand--Ambassador Bill Brown
Laos--Charge Harriet Isom
Pakistan--Ambassador Deane Hinton
Afghanistan--Charge Maurice Ealum

Trafficking Countries (5)

Bahamas--Ambassador-Designate Carol Hallett
Panama--Ambassador Arthur Davis
Turkey--Ambassador Robert Strausz-Huppe
Nigeria--Ambassador-Designate Princeton Lyman
Bulgaria--Ambassador Mel Levitsky

European Trafficking and Consuming Countries (3)

United Kingdom--Ambassador Charles Price
Italy--Ambassador Maxwell Rabb
Federal Republic of Germany--Ambassador Richard Burt

MULTILATERAL ORGANIZATIONS (1)

The United Nations--Ambassador Vernon Walters

CABINET OFFICIALS, HIGH RANKING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND GUESTS OF HONOR:

Vice President George Bush
Secretary of State George Shultz
Attorney General Edwin Meese III
Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger
Secretary of Health and Human Services Otis Bowen
Secretary of Education, William Bennett
First Lady Nancy Reagan
Chief of Staff Donald Regan

Alternative Government Representatives:

State (INM)--Ann Wrobleski
Justice Department (DEA)--Jack Lawn
HHS (ADAMHA)--Dr. Ian Macdonald
Office of Drug Abuse Policy--Dr. Carlton Turner
Office of Personnel Management--Constance Horner

U.S. CONGRESS:

Senator Paula Hawkins, Chairman, Senate Caucus on Drugs
Congressman Dante Fascell, Chairman, House Foreign Affairs
Committee

PRIVATE SECTOR:

Selected Young Drug Abusers in Treatment
Dr. Mitchell Rosenthal, Executive Director, Phoenix House
a New York City-based treatment center

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We believe that it would be beneficial to invite USIA to cover a portion of the meeting (President's remarks, remarks of Secretary of State and First Lady) for international coverage.

ACTION OFFICER: [REDACTED] DUE: 25 AUG

- Prepare Memo for President
- Prepare Memo for Poindexter / Fortier / Keel
- Prepare Memo _____
- Prepare Memo McDaniel to Chew
- Prepare Memo McDaniel to Doan

CONCURRENCES/COMMENTS*

PHONE* to action officer at ext. _____

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• Nixon → Turkish Amb.

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PRESS PLAN

Friday, Oct. 03

--Event: Backgrounder at ^{WH} [redacted]: Wrobleski

Sunday, Oct. 05

--Event: Sunday Talk Show
"Meet the Press" NBC: Regan/Wrobleski
ACTION: Denny Brisley

Monday, Oct. 6

--Event: Opening of meeting
TV pool coverage
ACTION: Larry Speakes

Tuesday, Oct. 07

--Event: AM Talk show: Shultz/Whitehead
ACTION: Denny Brisley

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TV pool coverage
ACTION: Larry Speakes

--Event: White House Readout following meeting:
Amb. Rowell (Bolivia)
Amb. Price (U.K.) ^{Robb (Italy)}
Amb. Hinton (Pakistan)
ACTION: Don Mathes

--Event: Foreign Press Center Readout:
Amb. Gillespie (Colombia)
Amb. Strausz-Huppe (Turkey)
Amb. Brown (Thailand)
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ACTION: Denny Brisley

Wednesday, Oct. 8

--Event: AM Talk shows
Ambassadors as available
ACTION: Denny Brisley

--Event: WORLDNET
(We want to set up WORLDNET broadcasts to Latin America, Europe, East Asia, and the Near East, if practicable, depending on interest and availability of the Ambassadors)
ACTION: Denny Brisley

*Rowell (Bolivia)
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--Event: Interviews with host country media:
(One each, to be set up through Foreign Press Center, with ambassadors from Latin America, Europe, East Asia, Near East, and Africa)
ACTION: Don Mathes

--Event: Interviews with VOA:
(selected interviews for language services, possible panel show)
ACTION: Don Mathes

O'Donohue

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MEETING WITH AMBASSADORS TO
DISCUSS NARCOTICS

1. THE AMBASSADORS CONFERENCE ON NARCOTICS IS SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 6-7 AT THE INDIAN TREATY ROOM AT THE OLD EXECUTIVE OFFICE BUILDING. ADDRESSEE POSTS HAVE BEEN INFORMED OF THIS EVENT, AND THE FOLLOWING WILL SERVE AS AN UPDATE TO AMBASSADORS IN PLANNING THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THIS CONFERENCE.

2. TWENTY-THREE U.S. AMBASSADORS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CONFERENCE. THE PURPOSE OF THIS CONFERENCE IS SEVERALFOLD: FIRST, TO PROVIDE THE AMBASSADORS WITH INFORMATION ON THE U.S. PLAN TO COMBAT NARCOTICS AT HOME AND ABROAD; SECOND, TO PROVIDE THE AMBASSADORS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A DIALOGUE ON ENHANCING INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL COOPERATION TO CONTROL ILLICIT NARCOTICS; AND THIRD, TO CONVEY A MESSAGE TO HOST GOVERNMENTS THAT INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS IS A SERIOUS FOREIGN POLICY CONCERN OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

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3. THE TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR THE CONFERENCE FOLLOWS. THE PROGRAM MAY CHANGE SLIGHTLY WHEN CABINET MEMBER SCHEDULING HAS BEEN COMPLETED, BUT FOR PLANNING PURPOSES THE FOLLOWING TENTATIVE INFORMATION IS PROVIDED.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6:

- 9-9:30: PRE-CONFERENCE MEETING OF PARTICIPANTS *coffee, pastries*
- 9:30-9:50: PRELIMINARY WORKING GROUP MEETINGS
- 9:50-10: ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS
- ✓ 10-10:45: FIRST LADY NANCY REAGAN SPEAKS WITH TWO DRUG USERS IN TREATMENT *— need Prio's of Drug Users.*
- 10:45-11: BREAK *coffee*
- 11-11:30: PRESIDENT'S CHIEF OF STAFF, DONALD REGAN *⇒ NSC(?) Nancy*
- ✓ 11:30-12:00: SECRETARY OF HHS, DR. OTIS BOWEN *↳ Macdonald*
- 12-1:30: LUNCH *Rm 22*
- 1:30-2:00: DOD DEPUTY SECRETARY TAFT
- 2:00-3:00: PANEL ON PRIVATE SECTOR INITIATIVES *(Joe Clark Shirley Colletti → NO CEO John Zeigler Kevin)*
- 3:00-3:15: BREAK *colas, coffee*
- 3:15-3:45: EDUCATION DEPARTMENT SECRETARY WILLIAM BENNETT
- 3:45-5:00: AMBASSADORS WORKING GROUPS (SEE ITEM 4 BELOW FOR DETAILS)
- 5:30-7:30: SECRETARY'S RECEPTION FOR AMBASSADORS, BEN FRANKLIN ROOM, STATE DEPARTMENT *receiving line for Ambassadors*

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

- 9-10:00: WORKING GROUP MEETINGS/REPORT *coffee, doughnuts*
- 10-10:40: SECRETARY OF STATE SHULTZ
- 10:40-11: ASSEMBLE IN CABINET ROOM
- 11-11:20: PRESIDENT REAGAN
- 11:20-11:40: VICE PRESIDENT BUSH
- 11:45-1:00: LUNCH *Rm 22*
- 1:00-1:30: AG EDWIN MEESE
- 1:30-2:00: CIA BRIEFING *GATES (?)*
- 2:00-3:00: AMBASSADORS PANEL (SEE 8 BELOW FOR DETAILS)
- 3:00-3:30: PRESS READOUT / CONFERENCE
- 3:30-5:30: CONGRESSIONAL MEETINGS (HOUSE AND SENATE)

4. THE WORKING GROUPS FOR AMBASSADORS, SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY AFTERNOON, WILL PROVIDE THE AMBASSADORS WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO BREAK INTO SMALLER FUNCTIONAL GROUPS TO FORMULATE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE PRESIDENT FOR ENHANCING THE INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM, AND IMPROVING INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION. THE GROUPS ARE BEING ASSIGNED AS FOLLOWS:

GROUP 1: NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING: LEADER AMBASSADOR GILLESPIE: PARTICIPANTS: LYMAN, STRAUSS-HUPE, LEVITSKY,

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GROUP 2: NARCOTICS CONSUMING/DEMAND: LEADER
AMBASSADOR BURT: PARTICIPANTS: RABB, HALLETT, PRICE,
HINTON, SOTIRHOS, OKUN, CHAPMAN.

GROUP 3: NARCOTICS PRODUCTION: LEADER AMBASSADOR
BROWN: PARTICIPANTS: EALUM, TULL, ROWELL, PILLIOD, WATSON,
O'DONHUE.

5. FOR BOGOTA: PLEASE NOTE CHANGE FROM ORIGINAL ASSIGNMENT
FROM AMBASSADORS PANEL ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON TO WORKING
GROUP PANEL ON MONDAY AFTERNOON.

6. FOR LA PAZ: PLEASE NOTE THAT AMBASSADOR ROWELL IS BEING
DESIGNATED AS A SPEAKER ON THE PANEL. PLEASE BE PREPARED
TO SPEAK ON THE ISSUE OF BLAST FURNACE AS WELL AS
PROBLEMS/ PROGRESS IN BOLIVIA.

7. PARTICIPANTS IN WORKING GROUPS ARE REQUESTED TO BEGIN
PREPARING RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE TOPIC AREA OF YOUR
PANEL. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF AMBASSADORS COULD
COMMUNICATE AMONG THEMSELVES PRIOR TO THE CONFERENCE ON
SOME OF THE BASIC RECOMMENDATIONS THAT WILL BE MADE AT THE
CONFERENCE. THE ACTUAL FORMAT FOR THESE RECOMMENDATIONS
TO THE PRESIDENT HAS NOT BEEN DECIDED UPON YET.
RECOMMENDATIONS SHOULD BE CONCISE AND FAIRLY GENERAL; THEY
SHOULD SERVE AS RECOMMENDATIONS WHICH ARE APPLICABLE TO
SEVERAL COUNTRIES, AND TO THE INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM IN
GENERAL.

8. THE AMBASSADORS PANEL WILL PRESENT AN OPPORTUNITY TO
THREE AMBASSADORS (BURMA, PAKISTAN AND BOLIVIA) TO PROVIDE
THE OTHER PARTICIPANTS WITH A PROFILE OF THEIR COUNTRIES'
PROGRAMS, AS WELL AS AN ASSESSMENT OF THE CHALLENGES AND
PROBLEMS WHICH FACE THEM.

9. SPEAKERS (CABINET MEMBERS AND OTHERS) WILL LIMIT THEIR
PRESENTATIONS TO BETWEEN TEN AND FIFTEEN MINUTES. THERE
WILL BE TIME FOR QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS/ COMMENTS FROM THE
AUDIENCE.

10. PRESS COVERAGE OF THE CONFERENCE WILL BE LIMITED TO
THE OPENING (MRS. REAGAN'S REMARKS) AND TO THE PRESIDENT'S
SPEECH.

11. LUNCH WILL BE SERVED TO THE CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS AT
THE CONFERENCE SITE; DETAILS ON VENUE AND COSTS WILL
FOLLOW SEPTEL.

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12. FOR ARA POSTS: ARA AS ABRAMS HAS INVITED ALL ARA AMBASSADORS TO A WORKING BREAKFAST PRIOR TO THE OPENING OF THE ANDEAN CHIEFS OF MISSION MEETINGS ON OCTOBER 8. THE BREAKFAST IS SCHEDULED FOR 7:30 A.M. IN THE ARA CONFERENCE ROOM.

13. FOR ISLAMABAD: THIS MESSAGE HAS BEEN PASSED TO AMBASSADOR HINTON IN WASHINGTON.

14. STATE COORDINATOR FOR THE CONFERENCE IS INM. CATHERINE SHAW. 202-647-6936. YY

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The following U.S. Ambassadors will be attending the Conference on Narcotics, October 6-7, in Washington, D.C. with the President and Mrs. Reagan:

Amb. Edward M. Rowell	Bolivia
• Amb- deleg. Alexander Watson	Peru
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Amb. Harry Schlaudeman	Brazil
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Ann Wroblewski	Moderator

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