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#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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INFORMATION

November 1, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN POINDEXTER

FROM:

GUS WEISS Contrain

SUBJECT:

Agency Views on the Export of a CRAY Computer

to France

The machine is to be installed in a commercial service bureau in Paris ("CISI"). State and Energy have agreed to the export, and Commerce will likely agree. At issue is Defense.

Richard Perle strongly opposes granting the license. He asserts that the French have not lived up to a previous May agreement to improve their COCOM controls as he negotiated in consideration for Defense approving two previous CRAYs for nuclear work (see the cable attached at Tab I). Richard says approval of the current CISI computer would mean the "loss of all credibility" with the French in improving controls. He is also upset that "Judge Clark is about to cave" by supporting approval of the export license. I explained to Perle that NSC has not yet staffed the case for Judge Clark.

I'll stand by for instructions as there is little likelihood of a change in Richard's position.

Attachment

Tab I

Paris 15010 cable

CC:

Norman Bailey

Dennis Blair

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ASD PERLE CONSULTATIONS ON TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER WITH FRENCH MOD MAY 3-5

1. S - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. DURING PERIOD MAY 2-5. ASD RICHARD PERLE MET WITH GOF OFFICIALS TO DISCUSS ISSUES RELATED TO TECHNOLOGY AT MINISTRY OF DEFENSE. DISCUSSIONS WERE TRANSFER. CONDUCTED WITH DEL GEN FOR ARMAMENT JEAN MARTRE. MOD COUNSELOR FRANCOIS HEISBOURG, AND MARTRE'S ASSISTANT. HENRI CONZE. ASD PERLE ALSO MET AT QUAI WITH JEAN-CLAUDE PAYE (SEPTEL). PERLE'S DEPUTY STEPHEN ACCOMPANIED HIM TO TALKS AT MOD AND QUAL AND RECEIVED BRIEFING ON MT-20 CASE FROM DIR GEN DOUNDOUX OF FRENCH

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PAGE 02 PARIS 16010 01 OF 02 061041Z PTT (SEPTEL). ALSO PRESENT AT MOD DISCUSSIONS WAS EMBASSY POL/MIL OFFICER. MAIN CONTENT OF MOD DISCUSSIONS FOLLOWS BELOW.

HEISBOURG AND MARTRE FOOK POSITION THAT MT-20 CASE INVOLVING TRANSFER OF TELEPHONE SWITCHING EXCHANGES AND TECHNOLOGY TO SOVIET UNION SHOULD BEAR NO DIRECT LINKAGE WITH US WILLINGNESS TO TRANSFER CERTAIN COMPUTER EQUIPMENT TO FRANCE. RATHER. THEY ARGUED THE LINKAGE WAS AN \*INDIRECT ONE TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER PROCEDURES IN GENERAL AND HAD BEEN SATISFIED BY NEW PROCEDURES TO TIGHTEN UP SUCH TRANSFERS WHICH THE MITTERRAND ADMINISTRATION HAD RECENTLY PUT IN PLACE. PERLE ARGUED THAT MT-20 CASE REPRESENTED SINGLE MOST SIGNIFICANT CASE INVOLVING TECH-NOLOGY TRANSFER FROM FRANCE TO THE SOVIET UNION ON THE

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HORIZON, IN THAT IT HAD MAJOR IMPLICATIONS FOR SOVIET

C3 SURVIVABILITY AND, AS SUCH, COULD NOT HELP BUT BE

DIRECTLY LINKED TO USG PERCEPTION OF SERIOUSNESS OF GOF

WITH RESPECT TO ACTUAL TIGHTENING OF ITS TECHNOLOGY

TRANSFER PROCEDURES.

4. HEISBOURG AND MARTRE DENIED CASE HAD C3 IMPLICATIONS BUT ARGUED THAT GOF WAS INDEED ATTEMPTING TO RETAILOR CONTRACT SO AS TO EXCLUDE TRANSFER OF ANYTHING THAT WAS MILITARILY SIGNIFICANT. THIS READJUSTMENT PROCESS WAS EXTREMELY COMPLICATED AND, UNTIL IT WAS COMPLETE, FRENCH COULD NOT BRIEF U.S. SIDE ON WHERE THEY STOOD AND, IN ANY CASE, LINKAGE OF THIS SPECIFIC CASE WITH GENERAL ACCORD ON TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER WAS A NEW ELEMENT TO WHICH GOF HAD NOT AGREED AND COULD NOT AGREE. ASD PERLE SUGGESTED THAT U.S. SIDE WOULD DRAW UP DOCUMENT SETTING OUT USG UNDERSTANDINGS OF US-FRENCH AGREEMENT IN THIS AREA TO WHICH GOF (MOD MINISTER HERNU) WOULD BE ASKED TO SUBSCRIBE.

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HEISBOURG AND MARTRE AGREED THAT GOF WOULD BE PREPARED TO
STUDY THIS DOCUMENT CAREFULLY AND SEE IF THEY COULD SUBSCRIBE TO THE U.S. UNDERSTANDINGS. TEXT OF DOCUMENTS
SUBMITTED BY US FOLLOWS BELOW.

5. COVER LETTER FROM ASD PERLE TO MOD COUNSELOR HEISBOURG. BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR FRANCOIS:

- HERE IS THE PAPER FOR MINISTER HERNU THAT I PROMISED WHEN WE MET THIS MORNING.
- AFTER LISTENING CAREFULLY TO WHAT YOU AND MR. MARIRE HAVE HAD TO SAY I HAVE TRIED, AFTER CONSULTATIONS WITH WASHINGTON, TO FORMULATE OUR VIEW IN A MANNER WITH WHICH WE HOPE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO AGREE.
- IF THE VIEW SET OUT IN THIS NOTE ACCORDS WITH THE FRENCH VIEW, WE WILL HAVE FINALLY BROUGHT THIS MATTER TO A CONCLUSION.
- WE COULD TALK LATER ABOUT HOW TO PROCEED.
- SINCERELY, RICHARD PERLE, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.

END TEXT OF COVER LETTER.

6. PAPER REFERRED TO IN PARA 5 ABOVE: BEGIN TEXT:

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- IN ORDER TO CLARIFY CERTAIN ISSUES SURROUNDING THE SALE
OF A CERTAIN COMPUTER TO FRANCE, I WISH TO MAKE THE

FOLLOWING POINTS:

- (1) WE HAVE CONSIDERED THAT A DECISION TO LICENSE CERTAIN COMPUTER EQUIPMENT FOR EXPORT TO FRANCE WOULD BE MADE IN THE CONTEXT OF FRENCH-AMERICAN COLLABORATION IN CONTROLLING THE TRANSFER TO THE SOVIET UNION OF SENSITIVE DUAL-USE TECHNOLOGIES.

- (2) IN PRIOR CONSULTATIONS ON THESE MATTERS.

CONSIDERABLE PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE. IN PARTICULAR, THE

NEW FRENCH PROCEDURES FOR PROCESSING TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

CASES, WHICH WERE MADE KNOWN DURING SECRETARY WEINBERGER'S

VISIT TO FRANCE, AND THE ASSURANCES RECEIVED FROM THE

FRENCH SIDE THAT FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES WOULD CONSULT

CLOSELY ON COCOM POLICIES WITH A VIEW TO CLOSE COLLABORA—

TION. HAVE HELPED TO CREATE A POSITIVE CLIMATE WITHIN

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PARIS 16010 02 OF 02 061044Z PAGE Ø2 WHICH FRENCH INTEREST IN U.S. COMPUTER EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN CONSIDERED AND A LICENSE REQUEST HAS BEEN PUT FORWARD. (3) OF MANY CONCRETE APPLICATIONS OF THE UNDERSTANDING THAT WE WILL ENDEAVOR TO WORK TOGETHER TO LIMIT TRANSFERS TO THE SOVIET UNION OF TECHNOLOGY OF MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE, THE MOST IMPORTANT CURRENT CASE IS THE THOMPSON TELEPHONE SWITCHING SYSTEM. AS YOU KNOW. WE ATTACH PARTICULAR IMPORTANCE TO THIS CASE; AND WE ARE THEREFORE GRATIFIED AT THE FRENCH DECISION, EXPLAINED TO ME BY M. PAYE. TO REVISE THE CONTRACT TO ELIMINATE THE TRANSFER OF PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY. WE UNDERSTAND THAT YOU ARE IN THE PROCESS OF CONSIDERING WAYS IN WHICH THE CONTRACT COULD BE FURTHER REVISED WITH A VIEW TO ASSURING THAT THE SALE WILL NOT TRANSFER TO THE SOVIET UNION A CAPABILITY

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OR TECHNOLOGY OF MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE. IN ADDITION TO SERVING THE SECURITY INTERESTS OF BOTH OUR COUNTRIES, SUCH A RESULT WOULD EXPRESS CONCRETELY THE COMMON VIEW THAT WE HAVE SOUGHT TO ACHIEVE WITH RESPECT TO THE IMPORTANCE OF CONTROLLING THE FLOW OF SENSITIVE DUAL-USE TECHNOLOGY TO THE SOVIET UNION.

- WE APPRECIATE YOUR WILLINGNESS TO PROVIDE A BRIEFING ON THE SCOPE AND CONTENT OF THE TELEPHONE SWITCHING SYSTEM SALE, AND YOUR WILLINGNESS TO CONSULT WITH US (AND OR COCOM AS APPROPRIATE) BEFORE GOING FORWARD WITH A FINAL ARRANGEMENT. WE FURTHER APPRECIATE YOUR DETERMINATION TO ASSURE THAT THE THOMPSON SALE WILL NOT RESULT IN A TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER OF MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE. IN VIEW OF THE ABOVEMENTIONED EFFORT ON BOTH SIDES TO ACHIEVE A HIGH DEGREE OF COOPERATION ON THESE MATTERS OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER CONTROL, AND IN A SPIRIT OF CONTINUING COLLABORATION ON THESE MATTERS BILATERALLY AND IN COCOM, WE ARE

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PREPARED TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF THE U.S. COMPUTER
EQUIPMENT YOU HAVE REQUESTED AND WILL ACT FAVORABLY ON
YOUR PENDING LICENSE APPLICATION.
END TEXT.

ABOVE DOCUMENTS WERE HAND-CARRIED TO THE MODEVENING OF MAY 4. MOD HERNU SENT HAND-WRITTEN LETTER TO AMBASSADOR MAY 5 CONFIRMING THEIR RECEIPT. TONE OF WHICH TENDED TO INDICATE ACCEPTANCE BY GOF. BUT CONTENT OF WHICH WAS VAGUE. ASD PERLE RESPONDED BY TALKING SEPARATELY TO BOTH MARTRE AND HEISBOURG. WHO AGREED THAT GOF WOULD PROVIDE A MORE SPECIFIC WRITTEN ACCEPTANCE OF THE UNDERSTANDINGS ALLUDED TO IN THE DOCUMENTS. THIS WRITTEN CONFIRMATION WILL BE HANDED OVER IN THE FORM OF A SIMPLE LETTER OF RESPONSE TO THE U.S. DOCUMENTS CONCURRENT WITH DISCUSSIONS ON THE SUBJECT WHICH THE AMBASSADOR WILL BOLD WITH MOD HERNU. IN THIS CONNECTION. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT ASD PERLE WAS ALREADY GIVEN AN ORAL COMMITMENT AT QUAI BY JEAN-CLAUDE PAYE THAT GOF WOULD REVISE MT-20 CONTRACT SPECIFICALLY TO ELIMINATE TRANSFER OF PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY. ESPECIALLY MICROELECTRONIC SWITCHING TECHNOLOGY (SEPTEL). PERLE INFORMED MARTRE AND HEISBOURG THAT IF THE FRENCH LETTER OF RESPONSE AND THE AMBASSADOR'S DISCUSSIONS WITH MOD HERNU ARE SATISFACTORY AND AFFIRM NO TRANSFER OF MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE WILL TAKE PLACE (ALONG WITH PAYE'S PLEDGE ON NO TRANSFER OF PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY). THE USG WILL BE PREPARED TO EXPEDITE ISSUANCE OF LICENSES FOR U.S. COMPUTER EQUIPMENT WHICH THE GOF HAS REQUESTED. GALBRAITH

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#### 1. (SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT)

2. I WOULD LIKE TO APOLOGIZE FOR THE DISTASTEFUL ARTICLE IN THE WALL STREET JOURNAL. WHEN I CONSENTED TO THE REQUEST VIA OUR PRESS ATTACHE, I UNDERSTOOD IT TO BE A PERSONAL PROFILE ABOUT THE ROUTINE OF AN AMBASSADOR. THERE WAS NO INDICATION THAT EMPHASIS WOULD BE ON THE PIPELINE. MOREOVER IN ACCEPTING THAT THE REPORTER TAG ALONG WITH ME FOR SEVERAL DAYS IT WAS AGREED HE WOULD NOT WRITE ANYTHING EMBARRASSING TO ME OR MY COLLEAGUES OR ANYTHING CONTROVERSIAL. I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO ASSURE YOU OF THE HIGH REGARD I HAVE FOR THE PEOPLE I HAVE WORKED WITH IN THE DEPARTMENT. FINALLY, I WILL, OF COURSE SUPPORT ANY ALTERNATIVE PACKAGE YOU AND THE PRESIDENT AGREE TO WITH OUR ALLIES. INDEED, I HAVE MADE A POINT OF STRESSING THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITMENT TO LIFT THE SANCTIONS IF A SATISFACTORY ALTERNATIVE PACKAGE OF MEASURES CAN BE AGREED. BEST REGARDS. GALBRAITH

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E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR
TAGS: PEPR, FR, AO
SUBJECT: FRENCH DEMARCHE TO ANGOLAN GOVERNMENT
REF: STATE 305704

- 1. SECRET ENTIRE TEXT.
- 2. CHEYSSON TOLD AMBASSADOR NOV. 8 THAT HE WOULD BE SENDING A LETTER TO THE SECRETARY SHORTLY SAYING THAT FRANCE WOULD SEND AN ENVOY TO LUANDA TO MAKE A DEMARCHE "EXACTLY ALONG THE LINES SUGGESTED" BY THE SECRETARY (REFTEL). CHEYSSON NOTED THAT ONE OR TWO LINES OF REFTEL HAD BEEN A BIT "TOO SPECIFIC" FOR HIS TASTE, BUT US-FRENCH DIFFERENCES ON NAMIBIA WERE SLIGHT AND THERE WAS NO REASON WHY ANY OF THEM SHOULD BECOME PUBLIC. HE SAID THE FRENCH HOPE THE APPROACH SUGGESTED BY US WILL WORK.
- 3. COMMENT: CHEYSSON HAS APPARENTLY NOT YET CONVEYED THIS INFORMATION TO HIS AFRICAN DIRECTOR. AUSSEIL TOLD US NOV. 8, WITH SOME SENSE OF FRUSTRATION, THAT HE WAS STILL WAITING TO HEAR FROM CHEYSSON BEFORE MAKING PLANS FOR FURTHER CONSULTATIONS WITH US (I.E. A VISIT BY DAS WISNER. GALBRAITH

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#### 5 - ENTIRE TEXT)

- FOLLOWING A MEETING I HAD TODAY WITH CHEYSSON (SEPTEL), JEAN CLAUDE EAYE GAVE ME THE REPLY TO ASD PERLE'S QUESTIONNAIRE (STATE 260897). TRANSLATION OF THIS 13-PAGE DOCUMENT WILL BE SENT BY SEPTEL ASAP. EARLIER AT LUNCH PAYE TOLD ME HE FIRST HEARD OF THE DEFENSE AGAINST INTERCEPT ISSUE FROM FORMER AS COOPER IN MID-1980, IMPLYING THAT OUR DROPPING THE ARGUMENT FOR TWO YEARS MADE ITS RESURREC-TION LOOK SUSPECT.
- IN REPLY TO MY QUESTION, PAYE SAID THOMSON (THE MANU-FACTURER) AND THE SOVIETS HAVE REACHED A COMMERCIAL AGREE-MENT OOER THE MODIFICATIONS REQUIRED BY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT, WHICH IS NOW REVIEWING THE AGREEMENT FOR COMPLIANCE. THIS SHOULD BE COMPLETED IN A WEEK OR SO. IN THE UNLIKELY EVENT THAT THE GOVERNMENT FINDS THE AGREEMENT DOES NOT COMPLY, IT WILL BE RETURNED TO THOMSON AND THE SOVIETS FOR AMENDMENTS. GALBRAITH

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

#### WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM

11/9/82

TO: WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: WILLIAM KASADLEIR

SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

PLEASE IMPLEMENT THE FOLLOWING AND NOTIFY AND CLEAR ALL PARTICIPANTS. THE BRIEFING PAPER AND REMARKS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO RICHARD DARMAN BY 3:00 P.M. OF THE PRECEDING DAY.

NOTE: AS PROJECT OFFICER FOR THIS ACTIVITY, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY

TO SUBMIT A COMPLETE, CONFIRMED LIST OF STAFF AND ATTENDEES, IDENTIFIED BY TITLE, TO THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS

AND SCHEDULING WITHIN FIVE (5) DAYS AFTER THE EVENT.

MEETING: with Jacques Chirac, Mayor of Paris

DATE: January 13, 1983

TIME: 11:30 am

DURATION: 20 minutes

LOCATION: Oval Office

REMARKS REQUIRED: NSC to provide background paper and talking points

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

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PARTICIPATION: No

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November 3, 1982

TO:

WILLIAM K, SADLEIR, DIRECTOR

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULING

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARK

Meeting with Jacques Chirac, Mayor of Paris

PURPOSE:

REOUEST:

To reciprocate for Chirac's hospitality in receiving the President when he visited France in 1978, and again as President in 1982; to maintain ties with the Conservative opposition

party in France.

BACKGROUND:

Chirac was one of the few French politicians to receive the President in 1978 during his

trip to Europe; the President has made a practice of receiving briefly ideologically sympathetic opposition leaders in important European countries.

The meeting with Chirac would be in this vein.

**PREVIOUS** 

PARTICIPATION:

The President has met with Chirac twice previously, in France, as noted above.

DATE AND TIME:

First two weeks in January, 1983; DURATION: 20 minutes

LOCATION:

Oval Office

PARTICIPANTS:

President, Vice President, Bill Clark Chirac and two or three assistants

OUTLINE OF EVENT:

Short, informal Oval Office meeting

REMARKS REQUIRED:

NSC to provide background paper and talking points

MEDIA COVERAGE:

Photo opportunity at start of meeting

RECOMMENDED BY:

State

OPPOSED BY:

None

PROJECT OFFICER:

We should do this William P. Clark

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#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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October 28, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

THROUGH:

CHARLES P. TYSON M

SIGNED

FROM:

DENNIS CABLAIR

SUBJECT:

Appointment with the President for Jacques Chirac

State has submitted a request (Tab A) that the President receive Jacques Chirac, Mayor of Paris, and leader of the opposition in France. I support the recommendation: not only is Chirac ideologically closer to the United States than the present government, and therefore worth keeping in touch with, but he was one of the few French figures to receive the President in 1978, when he was basically an opposition candidate.

Attached for your signature is a schedule proposal for the meeting. (U)

#### RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the schedule proposal at Tab I.

Approve V

Disapprove

Tab I Schedule proposal A - State memo

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

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Subject: Request for an Appointment with the President

for Jacques Chirac, Mayor of Paris

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Jacques Chirac, Mayor of Paris and leading French opposition figure, wishes to visit the United States sometime during the period November 1982 to January 1983. He would like to be received by the President, in part to return the call President Reagan made on him in Paris last June. He believes that on that occasion the President invited him, at least in principle, to call at the White House when Chirac was next in Washington. He would plan the timing of his trip around the presidential appointment.

Chirac obviously sees an appointment with President Reagan as a means of adding to his personal prestige. His political ambitions extend far beyond rallying the Center and Right to gain a major win in the municipal elections (including the Paris mayoralty) in March, 1983. He sees himself as a future President of France.

There could be some adverse political comment in France about the President's seeing Chirac, but it can effectively be refuted. Such a meeting would be entirely in line with the well-established presidential tradition of receiving opposition leaders from friendly democratic countries and former President Carter met with then opposition leader Francois Mitterrand in January, 1978, prior to major French elections. We would also be sure that Chirac had other purposes for coming to the United States, for example, to pay a long-due return call on New York Mayor Koch. Timing the visit well enough before or well enough after the March elections would also be desirable.

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Therefore, we recommend that the President agree to see Chirac briefly while he is in Washington. The meeting need take no more than 20-30 minutes of the President's time, including photos. We recommend that we tell Chirac that the most convenient time for the President would be during the first two weeks of January, 1983. Alternatively, we recommend the President agree in principle to receive Chirac in late Spring.

L. Paul Bremer, III Executive Secretary

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November 16, 1982

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MEMORANDUM FOR L. PAUL BREMER III

Executive Secretary Department of State

SUBJECT:

MT-20 Sale to the Soviet Union (S)

The attached cable has been approved for transmission to Embassy Paris.  $(\mathtt{U})$ 

Michael O. Wheeler Staff Secretary

Tab A Cable for Embassy Paris

cc: Col. John Stanford Executive Secretary

Department of Defense

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#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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November 16, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MICHAEL O. WHEELER

FROM:

DENNAS A SLAIR

SIGNED

SUBJECT:

Cable to Paris on MT-20 (8)

Attached for your signature is a memo to State approving their cable to Paris concerning further discussions on the MT-20 sale. Judge Clark has approved this cable as corrected. (§)

#### RECOMMENDATION

That you sign and LDX the attached memo to State.

Approve MW

Disapprove\_\_\_\_

Tab I

Memo to Bremer

Tab A

Text of Paris cable

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# National Security Council The White House

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#### NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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ACTION

November 10, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM:

DENNIS OF BLAIR

SUBJECT:

Follow-up on MT-20

I informed State that the U.S. Government had recently received high-level assurances from the French that they were willing to review the technical aspects of the MT-20 and U.S. objections to it. I requested State to follow up with the French. (S)

Attached is a draft cable to Embassy Paris. It directs the Ambassador to ask the French to receive a U.S. technical team to review both the national security and intelligence aspects of the sale with French counterparts. (S)

The Pentagon objects to the last sentence of paragraph 3 of the cable. This sentence says that the team is ready to discuss downgrading the MT-20 system and phasing in the installation of the equipment, rather than only discussing why the French should cancel the sale. (S)

As I recall from the record of your meeting with Mitterrand, he told you that he was willing to review the technical aspects of the sale, but that he was not willing to reverse his decision to make the sale. (TS)

I recommend that you approve the cable to authorize the visit of the technical team and to authorize the team to discuss possible downgrades to the MT-20, but not to discuss the phasing in of the system. Discussing downgrades would be consistent with your conversation with Mitterrand, and would help us delay the sale and learn more about it. Slowing the installation of the system is a fall-back position we would adopt if we are unsuccessful in cancellation or downgrades. (TS)

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve the attached cable as annotated.

Approve

Disapprove

Gus Weiss concurs.

Tab A Draft State cable

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SECRET STATE 316677 FROM ASSISTANT SECRETARY CROCKER E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR TAGS: PEPR, FR, CG, US

SUBJECT: GETTING THE FRENCH TO TAKE THE LEAD ON ZAIRE



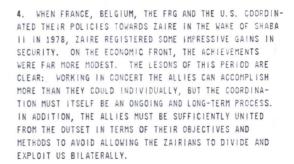
2. DURING MY PARIS CONSULTATIONS I HAD LENGTHY AND USEFUL EXCHANGES ON ZAIRE WITH JEAN PIERRE COT AND GUY PENNE. I WAS ABLE TO ASSURE THEM THAT THE USG IS NOT PREDICTING THE COLLAPSE OF ZAIRE'S ECONOMY AND THAT WE STRONGLY SUPPORT PRESIDENT MOBUTU. I WAS ALSO ABLE TO REHEARSE SOME OF THE RECENT HISTORY OF OUR RELATIONS WITH ZAIRE AND WHY WE CANNOT IN THAT REGARD BE VISIBLY OUT FRONT OF OTHERS IN ENCOURAGING ZAIRE'S DIALOGUE WITH THE IFIS ON ZAIRE'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY. AT THE SAME TIME, I NOTED THAT, PARTICULARLY IN THE WAKE OF THE SUCCESSFUL FRANCO-AFRICAN SUMMIT, FRANCE MIGHT BE IN A POSITION TO TAKE THE LEAD IN MOBILIZING INTER-NATIONAL EFFORTS. PENNE RESPONDED POSITIVELY TO THIS SUGGESTION AND I TOLD HIM THAT I WOULD BE BACK

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

IN TOUCH WITH HIM WITH SOME FURTHER THOUGHTS IN THIS REGARD.

3. AS REGARDS TIME, I TOLD PENNE THAT THE BEST TIME FOR ALLIED CONCERTATION MIGHT BE AFTER THE ZAIRE HIGH-LEVEL

TEAM VISITS THE U.S. AT THE TIME IT APPEARED THAT THE TEAM WOULD BE COMING TO THE U.S. IMMINENTLY. IT IS NOW DUE HERE IN EARLY DECEMBER. ACCORDINGLY, THE EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO INFORM PENNE OF THE FURTHER THOUGHTS BELOW AND AFTER CLEARING THE WAY WITH PENNE. ALSO TO TALK OUR IDEAS THROUGH WITH AUSSEIL AND THE MINISTRY OF COOPERATION FILLING THEM IN AS NECESSARY AGAINST THE FOREGOING EACKGROUND.



5. OUR STUDIES INDICATE THAT A MAJOR AND SUSTAINABLE RECOVERY OF THE ZAIRE ECONOMY WILL REQUIRE TWO CONDI-TIONS: (1) A SUFFICIENT UPTURN IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY TO INCREASE DEMAND FOR ZAIRE'S MAJOR EXPORT COMMODITIES: AND (2) A PERMANENT COMMITMENT BY ZAIRE TO UNDERTAKE FUNDAMENTAL REFORM OF ITS ECONOMY. WHILE WE DO NOT REPEAT NOT FORESEE A DRAMATIC COLLAPSE OF ZAIRE'S ECONOMY, WE RECOGNIZE THAT THE SITUATION IS ALREADY EXTREMELY BLEAK. OUR PRINCIPAL FEAR IS THAT FURTHER DETERIORATION OF THE COUNTRY'S PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY AND INFRASTRUCTURE WILL MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR ZAIRE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF FAVORABLE EXTERNAL DEVELOPMENTS, WHEN THEY OCCUR, MAKING A SUSTAINED RECOVERY IMPOS-

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

SIBLE EXCEPT ON A VERY LONG-TERM BASIS. WE BELIEVE THAT ZAIRE'S FRIENDS, WORKING TOGETHER, CAN PREVENT THIS DEGREE OF DETERIORATION AND PRESERVE THE PROSPECT OF A BRIGHTER FUTURE FOR ZAIRE.

6. THE UNITED STATES WOULD SUPPORT A CONCERTED EFFORT BY ZAIRE'S FRIENDS AND MAJOR DONORS SIMILAR TO THOSE HELD IN 1978, TO ADDRESS ZAIRE'S ECONOMIC PROBLEMS. WE ARE OPEN TO SUGGESTIONS AS TO WHAT TOPICS MIGHT BE COVERED IN ANY MEETING OR EXCHANGE OF IDEAS THE FRENCH MIGHT WISH TO PUT TOGETHER. WE VOLUNTEER THE FOLLOWING

THOUGHTS AS TO BROAD AREAS WHERE WE COULD DEVELOP COMMON PERSPECTIVES. ESSENTIALLY WE SEE A MEETING OF MINDS ON A POLICY LEVEL AND REINFORCEMENT OF OUR RESPECTIVE POLITICAL WILLS TO HELP DEAL WITH A PROBLEM OF GREAT IMPORTANCE OF EACH OF US BILATERALLY AND MORE BROADLY TO WESTERN INTERESTS IN AFRICA'S STABILITY. FOR THESE DISCUSSIONS TO BE FRUITFUL, WE MUST ALL UNDERSTAND THAT THE U.S. IN PARTICULAR AND PERHAPS THE GROUP IN GENERAL, HAS NO SUBSTANTIAL NEW FINANCIAL RESOURCES TO BRING THIS EFFORT AND ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SHARE THE COMMITMENT TO A SOUND ECONOMIC STABILIZATION PROGRAM WHICH ZAIRE, THE IMF AND WORLD BANK WILL NEGOTIATE FREE OF THIRD COUNTRY INTEREFERENCE. WE HAVE TO MAKE CLEAR, IN THIS CONTEXT, THAT THE USG CANNOT ALLOW ITSELF TO BE PLACED IN A SITUATION IN WHICH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE GROUP OF ZAIRE'S FRIENDS AND DONORS WOULD CONSIDER INTERFERING IN NEGOTIATIONS OR IN THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ZAIRE AND THE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. WITH THIS AS BACKDROP, WE BELIEVE POSSIBLE SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- A. STATE OF ZAIRE'S ECONOMY;
- B. ZAIRE'S REFORM EFFORTS -- PAST FERFORMANCE AND FUTURE PLANS:



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- C. ZAIRE'S STATUS WITH THE IMF AND IBRD;
- D. THE NEED FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE IN ZAIRE'S INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL ECONOMIC MANAGEMENT--INCLUDING INTERIM MANAGEMENT OF ITS DEBT SERVICE.

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

- 7. THE TALKS SHOULD BE DISCREET; NO FORMAL PAPERS SHOULD BE PREPARED OR EXCHANGED. FINALLY, I THINK THAT THE FACT OF THE MEETING SHOULD BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND NOT CONVEYED TO THE ZAIRIANS. IF THEY LEARN ABOUT IT AFTER THE FACT, WE COULD SIMPLY DESCRIBE IT TRUTHFULLY AS A MEETING OF ZAIRE'S FRIENDS DECIDING HOW BEST TO HELP.
- 8. WE BELIEVE THAT THE 1978 GROUP--I.E., FRANCE, THE FRG, UK, U.S. AND BELGIUM--ARE THE MOST APPROPRIATE PARTNERS IN THIS CONSULTATION.
- 9. THE GROUP SHOULD MEET OR CONSULT INDIRECTLY,
  ONLY AFTER THE IMF MISSION HAS VISITED ZAIRE (EARLY
  DECEMBER) AND OUR RESPECTIVE IMF ED'S HAVE HAD A
  CHANCE TO LEARN THE FUND STAFF'S PRELIMINARY APPRAISAL

OF THE CURRENT ECONOMIC SITUATION AND WHAT MEASURES ARE NEEDED TO STOP THE DECLINE.

10. THE FOREGOING THOUGHTS ARE STILL PRELIMINARY AND I LOOK FORWARD TO RECEIVING A FRENCH REACTION. WE ARE NOT WEDDED TO ANY PARTICULAR COURSE OF ACTION BUT REMAIN VERY CONCERNED ABOUT ZAIRE'S PROSPECTS IN PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES.

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TO AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE 5981

S E C R E T STATE 316802 E.O. 12356: OADR

TAGS: ECON, OVIP (REAGAN, RONALD)

SUBJECT: WILLIAMSBURG SUBMIT: FOR JACQUES ATTALI

1. SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING LETTER FROM ALLEN WALLIS TO JACQUES ATTALI. THERE WILL BE NO ORIGINAL. BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR JACQUES:

MANY THANKS FOR YOUR HOSPITALITY DURING MY VISIT TO PARIS. IT WAS ESPECIALLY KIND OF YOU TO ADVANCE OURAPPOINTMENT ON SUCH SHORT NOTICE. THE LUNCHEON WAS SUPERB AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO TALK WITH YOU AT LENGTH WAS BOTH HELPFUL AND ENJOYABLE.

AS I EXPLAINED, I REGRET THE IMPRESSION THAT YOUR PRESIDENT'S VIEWS REGARDING THE DATE OF THE WILLIAMSBURG SUMMIT WERE IGNORED. AS I HAVE SAID, THE FIRST HALF OF THE YEAR IS PREFERRED BY THE OTHERPARTICIPANTS: AND THE FIRST HALF FITS THE TRADITION OF MEETING, IF POSSIBLE,

MESSAGE (CONTINUED) .

WHENA SUMMIT COUNTRY HOLDS THE EC PRESIDENCY.

ALTHOUGH YOUR UNHAPPINESS ABOUT THE DATE IS UNDERSTANDABLE, I HOPE THAT WE CAN PROCEED TO PLAN FOR THE WILLIAMSBURG SUMMIT. INDEED, THE GREATEST PART OF YOUR OWN CONVERSATION AT LUNCH ALREADY HAS MADE IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTIONS IN THAT DIRECTION. I HOPE SINCERELY THAT PRESIDENT MITTERRAND WILL BE ABLE TO ACCEPT PRESIDENT REAGAN'S INVITATION TO WILL LAMSEURG FOR MAY 28-30, 1983, SO THAT WE CAN CONTINUE TO WORK WITH YOU IN PLANNING THE 1983 SUMMIT, BEGINNING WITH THE DECEMBER 11-12 MEETING IN PARIS TO WHICH YOU HAVE INVITED ME AND MY TEAM.

IN REGARD TO THE PARTS MEETING. IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR ME TO KNOW YOM MUCH TIME YOU WILL USE FOR MAITERS FROM THE TERSAILLES SO THIT, AND HOW MUCH TIME WILL BE

AVAILABLE TO BEGIN DISCUSSING PLANS FOR THE WILLIAMSBURG SUMMIT. I SHOULD INFORM YOU THAT SECRETARY SHULTZ HAS ASKED ME TO PARTICIPATE WITH HIM IN MEETINGS WITH THE EC COMMISSION ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10. I TRUST OUR MEETING WOULD CONVENE NO EARLIER THAN LUNCH ON SATURDAY THE 11TH.

WITH WARM REGARDS, SINCERELY, ALLEN. END TEXT. SHULTZ

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SUBJECT: WILLIAMSBURG SUMMIT: LETTER TO PRESIDENT

MITTERRAND.

1. SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING LETTER FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN TO PRESIDENT MITTERRAND. A SIGNED ORIGINAL WILL FOLLOW. BEGIN TEXT.

DEAR FRANCOIS:

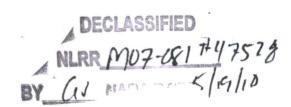
I AM PLEASED TO RECEIVE YOUR LETTER ON THE NEXT ECONOMIC SUMMIT. YOUR RECENT STATEMENTS ON THESE MEETINGS, FRANKLY EVALUATING THEIR USEFULNESS AND SUGGESTING IMPROVEMENTS IN THEIR EXECUTION, HAVE BEEN HELPFUL FOR US. WE ARE VERY CLOSE IN OUR THINKING ON THESE ISSUES.

AS FOR THE DATE OF THE MEETING, I UNDERSTAND AND I REGRET YOUR DISSATISFACTION. I ASSURE YOU THAT YOUR PREFERENCE FOR A POST JULY DATE WAS NOT IGNORED. ALL OTHER PARTICIPANTS STATED A CLEAR PREFERENCE FOR A DATE

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

IN THE FIRST HALF OF THE YEAR AND SUCH A DATE IS CONSISTENT WITH MEETING AT THE SUMMIT, IF POSSIBLE, WHEN A SUMMIT COUNTRY HOLDS THE EC PRESIDENCY. IN THE SPIRT OF COOPERATION AND FRIENDSHIP THAT IS ESSENTIAL TO THE SUMMIT MEETING AND ITS PREPARATION, I ASK YOU TO JOIN US IN WILLIAMSBURG.

I HAVE INSTRUCTED ALLEN MALLIS TO MAKE PROPOSALS AT
THE FIRST MEETING OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES THAT ARE
IN ACCORD WITH OUR SHARED VIEWS ABOUT THE SUMMIT. I
LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU TOWARD AN ENJOYABLE
AND PRODUCTIVE SUMMIT. SINCERELY, RON. END TEXT. SHULTZ



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SECRET PARIS 39133 EXDIS E.O. 12356: OADR TAGS: UR FR SUBJECT: BREZHNEV FUNERAL: FRENCH DELEGATION REF: STATE 318362

1. ACCORDING TO FOREIGN MINSTRY, PRESENT PLANS ARE THAT FRENCH DELEGATION TO BREZHNEV FUNERAL WILL BE HEADED BY PRIME MINISTER MAUROY AND WILL ALSO INCLUDE FOREIGN MINISTER CHEYSSON. HOWEVER, DECISION IS NOT YET FIRM. WE WILL REPORT CONFIRMATION AS SOON AS AVAILABLE. GALBRAITH

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E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY)

SUBJECT: HENRY KISSINGER'S DISCUSSIONS IN PARIS

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E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR
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- 1. (C ENTIRE TEXT)
- 2. SECRETARY GENERAL GUTTMAN CALLED IN AMBASSADOR AT 21:30 LOCAL TO CONVEY THE REACTION OF PRESIDENT MITTER-RAND TO WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCEMENT CONCERNING THE ALLIES AND THE PIPELINE. MITTERRAND HAD TRIED TO RESPOND TO THE CALLS FROM THE WHITE HOUSE AS LATE AS 17:45 LOCAL.
- 3. GUTTMAN SAID THAT PRESIDENT MITTERRAND HAD INSTRUCTED HIM TO CONVEY TO THE USG THAT MITTERRAND IS ASTOUNDED BY THE CONTENTS OF US ANNOUNCEMENT. FRANCE HAS FROM THE BEGINNING INSISTED THAT THERE BE NO LINK BETWEEN THE LIFTING OF THE SANCTIONS, WHOSE IMPOSITION AND WHOSE WITHDRAWAL FRANCE HAS ALWAYS CONSIDERED TO BE A UNILATERAL ACT, AND THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE OTHER MEASURES. THE DECLARATION OF PRESIDENT REAGAN ESTABLISHED A LINK WHICH THE GOF HAS REJECTED. MOREOVER, THE GOF HAS ALWAYS MADE IT CLEAR THAT IT IS HOSTILE TO THE PUBLICATION OF ANY SUMMARY OF THE CONCLUSIONS OF THE DISCUSSION AMONG ALLIES, I.E., THE NON-PAPER.

#### MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

- 4. AS A RESULT, THE GOF HAS FELT IT NECESSARY TO ISSUE A STATEMENT (BEING SENT SEPTEL).
- 5. GUITMAN SAID THAT PRESIDENTIAL ADVISOR ATTALI HAD BEEN TRYING TO TALK TO UNDER SECRETARY WALLIS. GUITMAN ADDED THAT HE HAS THE IMPRESSION THAT WASHINGTON AFTER HAVING TRIED TO PUT TOGETHER AN AGREED POSITION HAD GONE FURTHER THAN THE FRENCH THOUGHT WAS DECIDED, WHICH LEAVES THEM IN AN IMPOSSIBLE POSITION. HE MENTIONED THAT THE FRENCH SIDE HAD WANTED A DELAY AND HAD BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL IN SLOWING THE MATTER DOWN.
- 6. AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE EXCHANGE, GUTTMAN TOLD THE AMBASSADOR THAT HE WAS NOT TRYING TO ACCUSE THE US OF EAD FAITH. RATHER, THE FRENCH HAD HOPED THAT THE VASHINGTON CONVERSATIONS WOULD LEAD TO BETTER CONCERTA-

TION BETWEEN THE US AND FRANCE. THEREFORE TODAY'S EVENTS BRING INTO QUESTION MUCH OF WHAT THE TWO SIDES HAVE BEEN TRYING TO DO TO WORK TOGETHER.

7. IN CONCLUSION GUTTMAN TOLD THE AMBASSADOR THAT THIS MATTER IS CONSIDERED OF SUCH IMPORTANCE BY PRESIDENT MITTERRAND THAT HE WILL BE CALLING THE PRESIDENT SOON FURTHER TO PURSUE THESE QUESTIONS. GALBRAITH

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