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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

April 29, 1982

Dear Cap:

Thank you for your letter of April 12, which forwarded briefing papers prepared by the Republic of Korea Ministry of National Defense.

I agree that the Korean security assistance program merits special attention. As you know, however, Korean FMS levels will be very dependent on our ability to secure Congressional approval of an enhanced worldwide security assistance program. I look forward to working with Al and you toward achievement of this important goal.

Sincerely,



William P. Clark

Honorable Caspar W. Weinberger  
Secretary of Defense  
Washington, D. C. 20301

cc: Secretary Haig

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## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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April 16, 1982

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

**SIGNED**FROM: ROBERT M. KIMMITT *Bob*

SUBJECT: South Korean Security Assistance

Secretary Weinberger has forwarded briefing papers on security assistance prepared by the South Korean Defense Ministry (Tab II). The Secretary states his support for enhanced Korean FMS levels and indicates he will propose specific recommendations to achieve this goal.

South Korea is one of the eight countries that consume 85% of our overall security assistance budget. However, since the Korean program is not viewed as an untouchable -- à la Israel, Egypt, and the base rights countries -- it feels the full adverse effect of Congressional cuts and emergency reprogrammings.

Thus, unless we can convince Congress to enhance our worldwide level, there is probably little hope for the major Korean expansion sought by the Secretary. The response at Tab I, then, encourages Secretary Weinberger to join in the effort to secure passage of our pending security assistance requests.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the response at Tab I.

Approve ✓

Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_

Don Gregg, Dick Childress, and Chris Shoemaker concur.

## Attachments

Tab I Proposed response  
Tab II Weinberger letter

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*Bob: This has  
no action component.  
However, the Judge  
should be aware of  
the constraints as  
well as the current level  
of our program.*

*Chris*

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BOB  
I concur.

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BOB,

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Rich Armitage called me about this yesterday. He considers it a heads-up memo, alerting us to the fact that SecDef was impressed by the ROK arguments. He suggested that a short acknowledgement from Clark would be all that is necessary. On the substantive issue, I think that the ROKs make a good case

for more FMS, but that with the world as it is, it is hard to make theirs  
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