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Name of Document: BRIEFING PAPERS FOR
PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULED
APPOINTMENTS FOR

Subject Codes:

PR 007.01

1. Subject: Meeting with House and Senate
Bipartisan Leadership to discuss
the Caribbean Basin Initiative. FEB 24 82

FO 003.02

FG 031.01

2. Meeting with additional members of
Congress, the Resident Commissioner
of Puerto Rico, and the Congressional
Delegation from the U.S. Virgin Islands
to discuss the Caribbean Basin
Initiative.

FG 031.

ST 051.02

ST 051.03

3. President's trip to the Organization of
American States Building to
speak about the Caribbean Basin
Initiative.

TR 001.

IT 070.

4. President's trip to the Voice of
America facilities on occasion
of its 40th anniversary.

FG 298.01

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Referral Note:

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE
Wednesday, February 24, 1982

8:30 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese, Deaver)	Oval Office
9:00 am (20 min)	Meeting with Bipartisan Congressional Leaders (Kenneth Duberstein) (TAB A)	Cabinet Room
9:25 am (10 min)	Meeting with expanded group of Bipartisan Congressional Leaders (Kenneth Duberstein) (TAB B)	Family Theater
9:45 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (William P. Clark)	Oval Office
10:00 am (15 min)	<u>Senior Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:15 am (30 min)	Meeting with Secretary Alexander Haig (William P. Clark)	Oval Office
10:45 am (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:45 am (30 min)	<u>Lunch</u>	Oval Office
12:15 pm	Depart South Grounds for Speech to the Organization of American States (Stephen Studdert)	OAS Building 17th & Constitution (distributed previously)
1:10 pm	Dropby at Voice of America Facilities on occasion of its 40th Anniversary (Stephen Studdert)	(Tab C) 330 Independence Avenue (draft remarks attached)
1:50 pm	Arrive back at the White House and to Private Quarters for remainder of the day	South Grounds

Pls. note.

A

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

MEETING WITH HOUSE AND SENATE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP

DATE: Wednesday, February 24, 1982

LOCATION: The Cabinet Room

TIME: 9:00 a.m. (20 minutes)

FROM: Ken Duberstein *KMD*

I. PURPOSE

To discuss the Caribbean Basin Initiative.

II. BACKGROUND

In your speech to the Organization of American States later today (12:30 p.m.), you will announce your proposed Caribbean Basin Initiative (CBI). The genesis of this plan goes back to your Presidential campaign promise to forge a stronger partnership among our North American neighbors. Working in concert with Canada, Mexico, and Venezuela, the United States will provide a combination of economic assistance, trade incentives, and encouragement for private sector growth designed to promote economic and political stability in the nations of the Caribbean Basin and Central America.

We must begin immediately to gain Congressional support for enactment of this program and to encourage a favorable initial reaction from the Congress. At this meeting with House and Senate leadership and leaders of the relative jurisdictional Committees, you should mention your long-term commitment to this idea, outline the major elements of the package, and seek their support.

Most of these leaders have been consulted by appropriate members of your Cabinet in the last two days on various aspects of the CBI, but they will be getting the full picture for the first time today. At the conclusion of this meeting, all participants have been invited to proceed to the Family Theater to join a larger group of House and Senate members for a more detailed briefing on the CBI.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See Attachment A

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer only.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Senators and Congressmen to arrive Southwest Gate, enter through the Diplomatic Entrance, and be escorted to the Cabinet Room for a meeting with the President. Following this meeting, members will be escorted to the Family Theater for a briefing on the CBI. (See Agenda -- Attachment B).

Attachments: A. Participants List
B. Agenda
C. Talking Points

PARTICIPANTSAdministration

The President

The Vice President

Alexander Haig, Secretary of State

William E. Brock, United States Trade Representative

Thomas Enders, Assistant Secretary of State, Inter-American Affairs

* Donald Regan, Secretary of the Treasury

Malcolm Baldrige, Secretary of Commerce

* Peter McPherson, Administrator, Agency for International Development

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James Baker, III

Michael K. Deaver

Kenneth M. Duberstein

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REGRET

Strom Thurmond (R-South Carolina)

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ATTACHMENT B

AGENDA

- 9:00 - 9:05 a.m. --- The President opens the meeting and
(5 minutes) makes remarks.
- 9:05 - 9:10 a.m. --- The President calls on Secretary Haig
(5 minutes) and Bill Brock for brief explanation
of Caribbean Basin Initiative.
- 9:10 - 9:20 a.m. --- Discussion period
(10 minutes)
- 9:20 a.m. --- The President concludes the meeting and
proceeds with participants to the Family
Theater.

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH
HOUSE AND SENATE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP

- I asked for this opportunity to express to you my sense of the importance to this nation of the foreign policy initiative that I intend to announce today at the Organization of American States.
- Last year we worked hard to strengthen our relations with immediate neighbors in this hemisphere. I have always felt that there was unlimited potential among the countries of this hemisphere for closer relations and common bonds of political freedom and economic prosperity. If we could develop that potential steadily and sensitively, our countries could stand in this hemisphere as an unassailable bastion of freedom and beacon of hope to the rest of the world.
- Our relations with Mexico and Canada, I believe, have never been better. Part of the reason is that we no longer approach them with solutions. We also ask their help. Last year, we undertook a common commitment with Mexico, Canada and Venezuela to help the countries of the Caribbean Basin area to help themselves.
- Ever since the visit last February of Prime Minister Seaga of Jamaica, I have been thinking about the challenge we face in the Caribbean. It is not a new problem, certainly not a problem that this Administration discovered.

- How do we provide the chance for the Jamaicas, the Costa Ricas, the other countries of this area, to prosper, develop their own forms of political democracy, and stand with the other nations of this hemisphere as peace-loving and friendly nations?

- We must move now to help these countries help themselves. Their economic and social progress is the fundamental goal. If we do not help them achieve that, we will spend many times the amounts we now propose for economic assistance to fight off the enemies of freedom later.

- The program I am proposing today brings together a range of incentives to create jobs, promote individual entrepreneurship, and speed the economic and social development of the countries of this region. We are proposing to do this not through aid alone or even primarily. The major parts of the program are trade and investment incentives to give these countries a chance to earn their own way. This program puts forward America's best foot and says to the opponents of free societies everywhere, "Come on, compete, we'll show you who can create the better life."

- Now, I am not naive enough to think that in the short run we can fight violence with jobs. We will have to help some of these countries defend themselves so they can develop. But I know as well as you do that if we provide a meaningful economic incentive to this area, we will reverse the expectations that violence and revolution are the only paths to economic and social progress. That will frustrate and eventually stem the tide of dissatisfaction on which our enemies feed.

- I would not ask your support for this program, especially now when our own economic situation is so bad, if I did not believe it was in the most vital national security interests of this country. If we don't spend a little now, we will spend much more later. We will not only have the costs of a major military confrontation on our borders but we will have to absorb millions of refugees into our economy and society.

- We must take the long view. The country needs your help on this one.

B

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

BRIEFING OF THE SENATE/HOUSE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP,
APPROPRIATE JURISDICTIONAL COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE
CHAIRMEN AND RANKING MEMBERS, RESIDENT COMMISSIONER
FROM PUERTO RICO, AND THE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATE
FROM THE U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

DATE: Wednesday, February 24, 1982
TIME: 9:30 - 10:30 (10 minutes)
PLACE: The Family Theater

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *KMD*

I. PURPOSE

To inform the bipartisan congressional leadership and appropriate jurisdictional committee and subcommittee chairmen and ranking members of the Caribbean Basin Initiative and to generate and enlist support for enactment of necessary legislation.

II. BACKGROUND

As a follow-on to the bipartisan Senate/House leadership meeting and a prelude to the Caribbean Basin Initiative (CBI) speech to the OAS, the congressional leaders will join with relevant jurisdictional committee and subcommittee chairmen and ranking members for a one-hour briefing on details and specifics of the CBI proposal.

After opening remarks by the President, National Security Advisor Clark will moderate the meeting which will include comments on foreign policy by Secretary Haig and on trade by Ambassador Brock. Secretary Baldrige, Ambassador Kirkpatrick, and Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs Enders will be present to respond to congressional questions.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Attachment A.

IV. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

9:30 a.m. The President, accompanied by Members attending the Senate/House bipartisan leadership meeting, arrives at the Family Theater from the Cabinet Room; makes brief remarks and departs. (Talking points attached)

9:40 a.m. National Security Advisor Clark to make general remarks.

9:45 a.m. Secretary Haig to discuss foreign policy aspects of CBI.

10:00 a.m. Ambassador Brock to discuss trade aspects of CBI.

10:15 - Dialogue with meeting participants.
10:30 a.m.

V. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer.

Attachment A: List of Participants
Attachment B: Talking Points

SENATE PARTICIPANTS

Senator Howard Baker (R-Tennessee), Majority Leader
Senator Robert Byrd (D-West Virginia), Minority Leader
Senator Robert Dole (R-Kansas), Chairman, Finance Committee
Senator Russell Long (D-Louisiana), Ranking Member, Finance Committee
Senator Claiborne Pell (D-Rhode Island), Ranking Member,
Foreign Relations Committee
Senator Paul Laxalt (R-Nevada)
Senator Ted Stevens (R-Alaska), Assistant Majority Leader
Senator Jesse Helms (R-North Carolina), Chairman, Agriculture
Committee
Senator Robert Kasten (R-Wisconsin), Chairman, Foreign Operations
Subcommittee (Appropriations Committee)
Senator Bob Packwood (R-Oregon), Chairman, Commerce, Science, and
Transportation Committee
Senator Larry Pressler (R-South Dakota), Chairman, Business, Trade,
and Tourism Subcommittee (Commerce Committee)
Senator John Tower (R-Texas), Chairman, Armed Services Committee
Senator Alan Cranston (D-California), Minority Whip
Senator Walter Huddleston (D-Kentucky), Ranking Member,
Agriculture Committee
Senator Howard Cannon (D-Nevada), Ranking Member, Commerce Committee
Senator J. James Exon (D-Nebraska), Ranking Member, Business, Trade,
and Tourism Subcommittee (Commerce Committee)
Senator Lloyd Bentsen (D-Texas), Ranking Member, International
Trade Subcommittee (Finance Committee)
Senator Christopher Dodd (D-Connecticut), Ranking Member,
International Economic Policy Subcommittee (Foreign Relations)
Senator Edward Zorinsky (D-Nebraska), Ranking Member, Western
Hemisphere Subcommittee (Foreign Relations)
Senator Joseph Biden (D-Delaware), Ranking Member, Judiciary Committee
Senator James McClure (R-Idaho), Chairman, Senate Republican Conference

REGRET

Senator Strom Thurmond (R-South Carolina), President pro tempore
Senator Charles Percy (R-Illinois), Chairman, Foreign Relations
Committee
Senator Mark Hatfield (R-Oregon), Chairman, Appropriations Committee
Senator William Proxmire (D-Wisconsin), Ranking Member, Appropriations
Committee
Senator John Danforth (R-Missouri), Chairman, International Trade
Subcommittee (Finance Committee)
Senator Charles Mathias (R-Maryland), Chairman, International
Economic Policy Subcommittee (Foreign Relations Committee)
Senator John Stennis (D-Mississippi), Ranking Member, Armed Services
Committee
Senator Daniel Inouye (D-Hawaii), Ranking Member, Foreign Operations
Subcommittee (Appropriations Committee)
Senator Jake Garn (R-Utah), Chairman, Banking, Housing, and Urban
Affairs Committee

HOUSE PARTICIPANTS

Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr. (D-Massachusetts)
Congressman Robert H. Michel (R-Illinois), Republican Leader
Congressman Thomas Foley (D-Washington), Majority Whip
Congressman Trent Lott (R-Mississippi), Republican Whip
Congressman Jamie Whitten (D-Mississippi), Chairman,
Appropriations Committee
Congressman Silvio Conte (R-Massachusetts), Ranking Minority
Member, Appropriations Committee
Congressman Melvin Price (D-Illinois), Chairman, Armed Services
Committee
Congressman William L. Dickinson (R-Alabama), Ranking Minority
Member, Armed Services Committee
Congressman Fernand J. St Germain (D-Rhode Island), Chairman,
Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs Committee
Congressman J. William Stanton (R-Ohio), Ranking Minority
Member, Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs Committee
Congressman Delbert Latta (R-Ohio), Ranking Minority Member,
Budget Committee
Congressman Clement Zablocki (D-Wisconsin), Chairman, Foreign
Affairs Committee
Congressman William Broomfield (R-Michigan), Ranking Minority
Member, Foreign Affairs Committee
Congressman James Quillen (R-Tennessee), Ranking Minority
Member, Rules Committee
Congressman Dan Rostenkowski (D-Illinois), Chairman, Ways &
Means Committee
Congressman Peter W. Rodino, Jr. (D-New Jersey), Chairman,
Judiciary Committee
Congressman Clarence Long (D-Maryland), Chairman, Appropriations
Subcommittee on Foreign Operations
Congressman Jack Kemp (R-New York), Ranking Minority Member,
Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign Operations
Congressman Jonathan Bingham (D-New York), Chairman, Foreign
Affairs Subcommittee on International Economic Policy
and Trade
Congressman Michael Barnes (D-Maryland), Chairman, Foreign
Affairs Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs
Congressman Benjamin A. Gilman (R-New York), Ranking Minority
Member, Foreign Affairs Subcommittee on Inter-American
Affairs
Congressman Robert J. Lagomarsino (R-California), Ranking
Minority Member, Foreign Affairs Subcommittee on International
Economic Policy and Trade
Congressman Sam Gibbons (D-Florida), Chairman, Ways & Means
Subcommittee on Trade

HOUSE PARTICIPANTS

Congressman Guy Vander Jagt (R-Michigan), Ranking Minority
Member, Ways & Means Subcommittee on Trade
Congressman John Murtha (D-Pennsylvania), Served as the
Speaker's Representative on a recent trip to El Salvador
Congressman Baltasar Corrada (D-Puerto Rico), Resident
Commissioner for Puerto Rico
Congressman Ron de Lugo (D-Virgin Islands), Delegate to the
Virgin Islands
Congressman Dick Cheney (R-Wyoming), Chairman, Republican
Policy Committee
Congressman Edward Madigan (R-Illinois), Chairman, Republican
Research Committee
Congressman Tom Evans (R-Delaware), Vice-Chairman, National
Republican Congressional Committee

ATTACHMENT A (cont'd)

HOUSE REGRETS

Congressman Jim Wright (D-Texas), Majority Leader
Congressman E. de la Garza (D-Texas), Chairman, Agriculture
Committee
Congressman William C. Wampler (R-Virginia), Ranking Minority
Member, Agriculture Committee
Congressman Robert McClory (R-Illinois), Ranking Minority
Member, Judiciary Committee
Congressman Barber Conable (R-New York), Ranking Minority
Member, Ways & Means Committee
Congressman Clair Burgener (R-California), Secretary,
Republican Conference
Congressman Jack Edwards (R-Alabama), Vice Chairman,
Republican Conference

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of State Haig
Secretary of Commerce Baldrige
U.N. Ambassador Kirkpatrick
Special Trade Representative Brock
Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs Enders

STAFF

Ed Meese
Jim Baker
Bill Clark
Mike Deaver
Dave Gergen
Dick Darman
Ken Duberstein
Bob Thompson
Pam Turner
Dave Swanson
Sherrie Cooksey
Bob Kabel
M. B. Oglesby
John Dressendorfer
Dave Wright
Nancy Risque
John Scruggs
Bill Schneider

TALKING POINTS

- I am here this morning to convey to you my sense of the importance to this nation of the foreign policy initiative I will be proposing later today.
- America is a global power but its roots are here at home and in this hemisphere. With your help, we have begun to rebuild our economic and military strength here at home. Over the past year, we have also worked hard to strengthen relations with our immediate neighbors, Mexico and Canada.
- Today we are reaching out to our other neighbors in the Caribbean Basin and Central American region. This is an area that has concerned me ever since the visit of Prime Minister Seaga of Jamaica in the first weeks of my Administration last year.
- At the Organization of American States I will be proposing a basic, long-term commitment to the economic and social development of this region. The U.S. program involves a range of trade and investment incentives as well as foreign assistance, to stimulate the creation of jobs, individual entrepreneurship and a better life for the peoples of this area.

ATTACHMENT B (cont'd)

-- This program entails some costs. You may ask, "Is it timely, given our own domestic economic situation?" I can only answer that we will either pay a small economic price now to help these countries help themselves, or we will pay much greater military costs later defending America's borders from the spread of violence and subversion that has already gripped many countries in the region.

-- The Cabinet Officers who have been most involved in the development of this program are here this morning to brief you on the details. But let me make one parting comment. Consider the details carefully and thoroughly. We need to work together to develop this program. We can't lost sight of the overall goal of this effort. We need strong, prosperous and peaceful neighbors. This program is a major step toward achieving that goal in the Caribbean. Working together in a bipartisan fashion, we can achieve our goals in the Caribbean.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1982

EVENTS: 1) Organization of American States Visit
2) Voice of America Tour

WEATHER: High 40's, Partly Cloudy

DRESS: Men's Business Suit

12:15 p.m. Depart White House en route Organization of American States Building.

Arrive O.A.S. Building and proceed inside.
- Press Pool Coverage

Met inside by:

Manuel Ramirez, Chief of Protocol, O.A.S.
William Mittendorf, U.S. Ambassador,
O.A.S.
Alejandro Orfila, Secretary General,
O.A.S.

Escorted by Mr. Ramirez, Ambassador Mittendorf and Secretary Orfila, proceed to foyer.

Met by remaining Welcoming Committee Members:

Amb. Rafael Colina of Mexico
Amb. Juan Castulovich of Panama
Amb. Charles A.T. Skeete of Barbados

Proceed to Office of Secretary General accompanied by Welcoming Committee members.

Met by:

Victor C. McIntyre, Chairman of Permanent Council, Trinidad-Tobago
Val T. McComie, Assistant Secretary,
O.A.S.

Form receiving line with Amb. McIntyre and Amb. McComie.

12:29 p.m. Depart Secretary General's office, accompanied by Sec. Orfila, Amb. McIntyre, Amb. McComie and Mr. Ramirez en route Hall of Americas.

12:30 p.m. Enter Hall of American States and proceed to seat.

Introduction by Amb. McIntyre.

12:35 p.m. Remarks. - Full Press Coverage, Live Cable Television.

1:00 p.m. Conclude remarks and be seated.

Depart Hall of Americas, escorted by Amb. Bustello of Uruguay, Amb. Marchand of Peru and Amb. Heidweiller of Suriname, en route motorcade.

1:05 p.m. Depart O.A.S. Building en route Voice of America Building. In Limo: Charles Wick, M. Deaver.

1:10 p.m. Arrive V.O.A. and proceed to 3rd Floor for tour.
- Press Pool Coverage

Met by:

James B. Conkling, Director, V.O.A.
E. Eugene Pell, Deputy for News and
Current Affairs
Frank E. Scott, Director of Programs,
V.O.A.

1:23 p.m. Depart 3rd Floor, accompanied by Mr. Wick and Mr. Conkling, en route HHS North Auditorium.

1:25 p.m. Arrive holding area adjacent to Auditorium.

Met by:

Gilbert A. Robinson, Deputy Director,
U.S.I.C.A.
Terrence B. Catherman, Deputy Director,
V.O.A.
John Houseman, former (first) Director
of V.O.A.

Announced by Mr. Wick.

Enter Auditorium and proceed to podium.

See attached diagram.

1:31 p.m. Remarks. - Open Press Coverage

1:41 p.m. Conclude remarks and remain at podium for presentation of V.O.A. microphone.

Depart Auditorium en route motorcade.

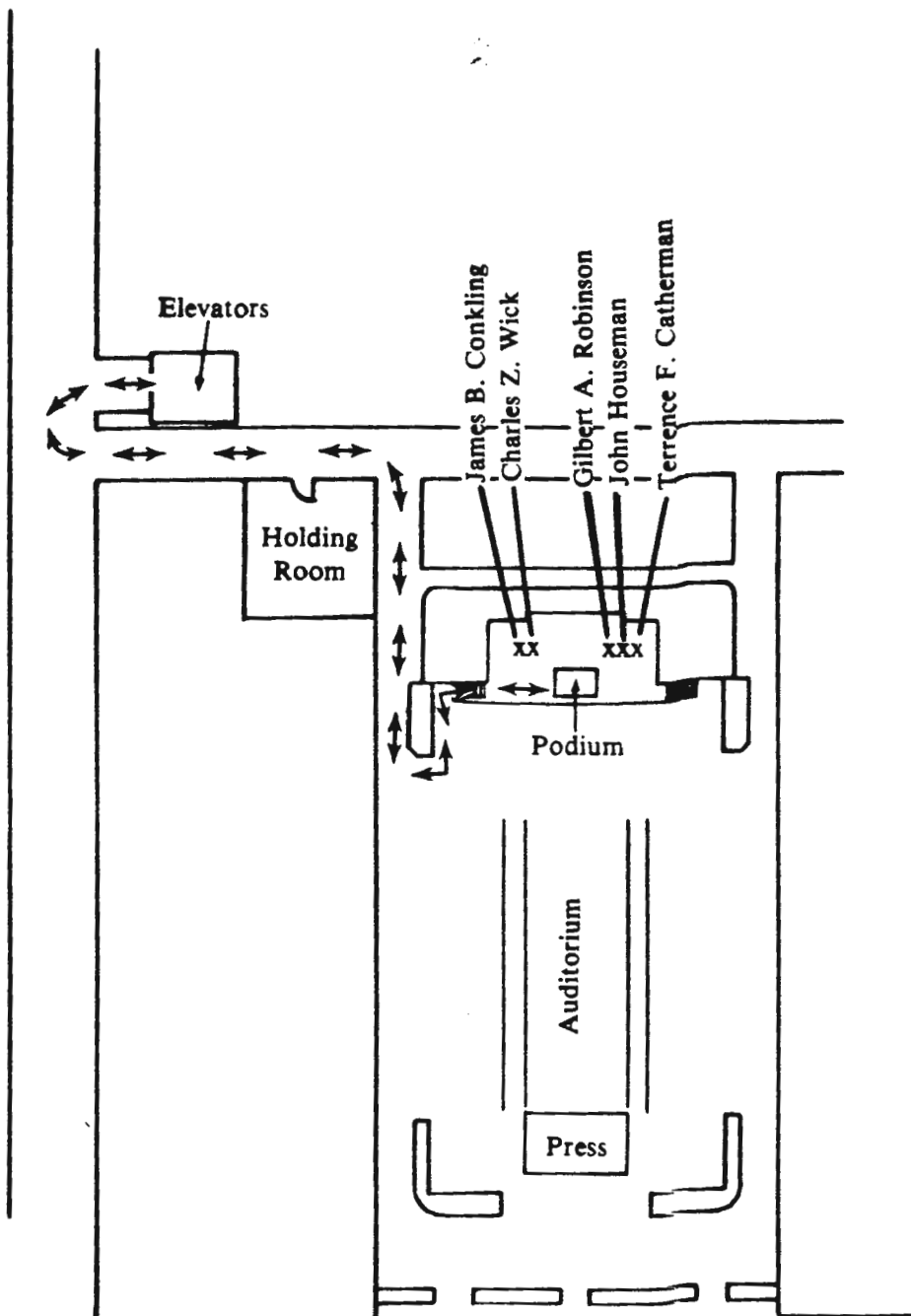
1:45 p.m. Depart V.O.A. Building en route White House.

1:50 p.m. Arrive White House.

TRIP OF
THE PRESIDENT TO
VOICE OF AMERICA

Auditorium
1st Floor, HHS North

Wednesday,
February 24, 1982



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

For Feb 24

February 25, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR DAVE FISCHER

FROM: M. B. OGLESBY, JR. *Bo*

SUBJECT: Participation by Members of the U.S. House
of Representatives at Presidential Meetings
Held This Week

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1982

- 1) Republican Congressional Leadership meeting held in
the Cabinet Room (10:30 - 11:30 a.m.)

All Members of the House of Representatives listed
on the briefing paper (Attachment A) attended.
J. L. Cullen should be deleted from the staff
section.

- 2) Meeting with Executive Committee Members of the
U.S. Capitol Historical Society in the Oval Office
(11:40 - 11:45 a.m.). See Attachment B.

Deletions

The Vice President
Senator Pryor
Kenneth M. Duberstein

Additions

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1982

- 1) Meeting with the House and Senate Bipartisan Leadership
in the Cabinet Room (9:00 - 9:30 a.m.). See Attachment C.

Deletions

Secretary Regan
Secretary Baldrige
Senator Byrd
Senator Long
Congressman Conte

Additions

Larry Speakes
Dave Gergen
Bob Thompson (Legislative Affairs)
Bill Clark
Bill Schneider (OMB)

NOTE: Peter McPherson, listed as regretting at the
last minute, did attend the meeting.

- 2) Briefing of the Senate/House Bipartisan Leadership, Appropriate Jurisdictional Committee and Subcommittee Chairmen and Ranking Members, Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico, and the Congressional Delegate from the U.S. Virgin Islands in the Family Theater. (9:30 - 10:30 a.m.). See Attachment D.

Deletions

Congressman Silvio Conte
 Congressman Fernand St Germain
 Congressman Delbert Latta
 Congressman Peter Rodino
 Congressman Jack Kemp
 Congressman Guy Vander Jagt
 Congressman Dick Cheney
 Congressman Edward Madigan

Additions (Staff)

Dick Lyng, Department of Agriculture
 Henry Nau, National Security Council
 Lt. Colonel Richard Childress
 Mark Leland, Department of the Treasury
 Powell Moore, Department of State
 Dave Fischer

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1982

- 1) Meeting with Congressman Guy Vander Jagt and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Diekman in the Oval Office (2:00 - 2:05 p.m.). See Attachment E.

Deletions

The Vice President

Additions

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

- 2) Meeting with Representatives Bliley, Rudd, Winn and Bereuter in the Oval Office (2:05 - 2:15 p.m.). See Attachment F.

Deletions

The Vice President

NOTE: Gift forms with the information on gifts presented to the President in these meetings are attached.

- 3) Meeting with Congressman Tom Hagedorn and his son,
Jim Hagedorn, in the Oval Office (2:15 - 2:20 p.m.)
See Attachment G.

Deletions

The Vice President

Additions

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

- 4) Meeting with Republican Members of the House Ways and
Means Committee in the Cabinet Room (3:00 - 3:45 p.m.).
See Attachment H.

Deletions

Jim Baker
Mike Deaver
J. L. Cullen

Additions

Larry Speakes
Dave Gergen
John Dressendorfer
Nancy Risque
John Scruggs
David Wright

Dave, if you need any additional information please don't
hesitate to contact me.

THE WHITE HOUSE

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February 23, 1982

MEETING WITH HOUSE AND SENATE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP

DATE: Wednesday, February 24, 1982

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cc: B.
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House

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 Silvio O. Conte (R-Massachusetts)

REGRET

Barber Conable (R-New York)

* Regretted

** Accepted at last minute

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

BRIEFING OF THE SENATE/HOUSE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP,
APPROPRIATE JURISDICTIONAL COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE
CHAIRMEN AND RANKING MEMBERS, RESIDENT COMMISSIONER
FROM PUERTO RICO, AND THE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATE
FROM THE U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

DATE: Wednesday, February 24, 1982
TIME: 9:30 - 10:30 (10 minutes)
PLACE: The Family Theater

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *KMD*

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Congressman Dan Rostenkowski (D-Illinois), Chairman, Ways &
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Subcommittee on Foreign Operations
Congressman Jack Kemp (R-New York), Ranking Minority Member,
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Congressman Benjamin A. Gilman (R-New York), Ranking Minority
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Affairs
Congressman Robert J. Lagomarsino (R-California), Ranking
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Congressman Dick Cheney (R-Wyoming), Chairman, Republican Policy Committee
Congressman Edward Madigan (R-Illinois), Chairman, Republican Research Committee
Congressman Tom Evans (R-Delaware), Vice-Chairman, National Republican Congressional Committee

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of State Haig
Secretary of Commerce Baldrige
U.N. Ambassador Kirkpatrick
Special Trade Representative Brock
Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs Enders

STAFF

Ed Meese
Jim Baker
Bill Clark
Mike Deaver
Dave Gergen
Dick Darman
Ken Duberstein
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Dave Wright
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE
Wednesday, February 24, 1982

8:30 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese, Deaver)	Oval Office
9:00 am (20 min)	Meeting with Bipartisan Congressional Leaders <u>9:05 - 9:31</u> (Kenneth Duberstein)	Cabinet Room
9:25 am (10 min)	Meeting with expanded group of Bipartisan Congressional Leaders <u>9:31 - 9:43</u> (Kenneth Duberstein)	Family Theater
9:45 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing 9:51 - 10:20</u> (William P. Clark), BUSH, EM, HB, MKO	Oval Office
10:00 am (15 min)	<u>Senior Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:15 am (30 min)	Meeting with Secretary Alexander Haig (William P. Clark)	Oval Office
10:45 am (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:45 am (30 min)	<u>Lunch</u>	Oval Office
12:15 pm	Depart South Grounds for Speech to the Organization of American States <u>(Stephen Studdert)</u>	OAS Building 17th & Constitution
1:10 pm	Dropby at Voice of America Facilities on occasion of its 40th Anniversary <u>(Stephen Studdert)</u>	330 Independence Avenue
^{1:56} 1:50 pm	Arrive back at the White House and to Private Quarters for remainder <u>of the day</u>	South Grounds

PARTICIPANTSAdministration

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 Alexander Haig, Secretary of State
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* Regretted

** Accepted at last minute

February 23, 1982
5:00 pm

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9:00 am (20 min)	<u>Meeting with Bipartisan Congressional Leaders</u> (Kenneth Duberstein) (TAB A)	Cabinet Room
9:25 am (10 min)	<u>Meeting with expanded group of Bipartisan Congressional Leaders</u> (Kenneth Duberstein) (TAB B)	Family Theater
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASH - D.C.

February 23, 1982

MEETING WITH HOUSE AND SENATE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP

DATE: Wednesday, February 24, 1982

LOCATION: The Cabinet Room

TIME: 9:00 a.m. (20 minutes)

FROM: Ken Duberstein *KMD*

I. PURPOSE

To discuss the Caribbean Basin Initiative.

II. BACKGROUND

In your speech to the Organization of American States later today (12:30 p.m.), you will announce your proposed Caribbean Basin Initiative (CBI). The genesis of this plan goes back to your Presidential campaign promise to forge a stronger partnership among our North American neighbors. Working in concert with Canada, Mexico, and Venezuela, the United States will provide a combination of economic assistance, trade incentives, and encouragement for private sector growth designed to promote economic and political stability in the nations of the Caribbean Basin and Central America.

We must begin immediately to gain Congressional support for enactment of this program and to encourage a favorable initial reaction from the Congress. At this meeting with House and Senate leadership and leaders of the relative jurisdictional Committees, you should mention your long-term commitment to this idea, outline the major elements of the package, and seek their support.

Most of these leaders have been consulted by appropriate members of your Cabinet in the last two days on various aspects of the CBI, but they will be getting the full picture for the first time today. At the conclusion of this meeting, all participants have been invited to proceed to the Family Theater to join a larger group of House and Senate members for a more detailed briefing on the CBI.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See Attachment A

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer only.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Senators and Congressmen to arrive Southwest Gate, enter through the Diplomatic Entrance, and be escorted to the Cabinet Room for a meeting with the President. Following this meeting, members will be escorted to the Family Theater for a briefing on the CBI. (See Agenda -- Attachment B).

Attachments: A. Participants List
B. Agenda
C. Talking Points

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AGENDA

- 9:00 - 9:05 a.m. --- The President opens the meeting and
(5 minutes) makes remarks.
- 9:05 - 9:10 a.m. --- The President calls on Secretary Haig
(5 minutes) and Bill Brock for brief explanation
of Caribbean Basin Initiative.
- 9:10 - 9:20 a.m. --- Discussion period
(10 minutes)
- 9:20 a.m. --- The President concludes the meeting and
proceeds with participants to the Family
Theater.

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH
HOUSE AND SENATE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP

- I asked for this opportunity to express to you my sense of the importance to this nation of the foreign policy initiative that I intend to announce today at the Organization of American States.
- Last year we worked hard to strengthen our relations with immediate neighbors in this hemisphere. I have always felt that there was unlimited potential among the countries of this hemisphere for closer relations and common bonds of political freedom and economic prosperity. If we could develop that potential steadily and sensitively, our countries could stand in this hemisphere as an unassailable bastion of freedom and beacon of hope to the rest of the world.
- Our relations with Mexico and Canada, I believe, have never been better. Part of the reason is that we no longer approach them with solutions. We also ask their help. Last year, we undertook a common commitment with Mexico, Canada and Venezuela to help the countries of the Caribbean Basin area to help themselves.
- Ever since the visit last February of Prime Minister Seaga of Jamaica, I have been thinking about the challenge we face in the Caribbean. It is not a new problem, certainly not a problem that this Administration discovered.

- How do we provide the chance for the Jamaicas, the Costa Ricas, the other countries of this area, to prosper, develop their own forms of political democracy, and stand with the other nations of this hemisphere as peace-loving and friendly nations?

- We must move now to help these countries help themselves. Their economic and social progress is the fundamental goal. If we do not help them achieve that, we will spend many times the amounts we now propose for economic assistance to fight off the enemies of freedom later.

- The program I am proposing today brings together a range of incentives to create jobs, promote individual entrepreneurship, and speed the economic and social development of the countries of this region. We are proposing to do this not through aid alone or even primarily. The major parts of the program are trade and investment incentives to give these countries a chance to earn their own way. This program puts forward America's best foot and says to the opponents of free societies everywhere, "Come on, compete, we'll show you who can create the better life."

- Now, I am not naive enough to think that in the short run we can fight violence with jobs. We will have to help some of these countries defend themselves so they can develop. But I know as well as you do that if we provide a meaningful economic incentive to this area, we will reverse the expectations that violence and revolution are the only paths to economic and social progress. That will frustrate and eventually stem the tide of dissatisfaction on which our enemies feed.

- I would not ask your support for this program, especially now when our own economic situation is so bad, if I did not believe it was in the most vital national security interests of this country. If we don't spend a little now, we will spend much more later. We will not only have the costs of a major military confrontation on our borders but we will have to absorb millions of refugees into our economy and society.

- We must take the long view. The country needs your help on this one.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

BRIEFING OF THE SENATE/HOUSE BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP,
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9:30 a.m. The President, accompanied by Members attending the Senate/House bipartisan leadership meeting, arrives at the Family Theater from the Cabinet Room; makes brief remarks and departs. (Talking points attached)

9:40 a.m. National Security Advisor Clark to make general remarks.

9:45 a.m. Secretary Haig to discuss foreign policy aspects of CBI.

10:00 a.m. Ambassador Brock to discuss trade aspects of CBI. .

10:15 - Dialogue with meeting participants.
10:30 a.m.

V. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer.

Attachment A: List of Participants
Attachment B: Talking Points

SENATE PARTICIPANTS

Senator Howard Baker (R-Tennessee), Majority Leader
Senator Robert Byrd (D-West Virginia), Minority Leader
Senator Robert Dole (R-Kansas), Chairman, Finance Committee
Senator Russell Long (D-Louisiana), Ranking Member, Finance Committee
Senator Claiborne Pell (D-Rhode Island), Ranking Member,
Foreign Relations Committee
Senator Paul Laxalt (R-Nevada)
Senator Ted Stevens (R-Alaska), Assistant Majority Leader
Senator Jesse Helms (R-North Carolina), Chairman, Agriculture
Committee
Senator Robert Kasten (R-Wisconsin), Chairman, Foreign Operations
Subcommittee (Appropriations Committee)
Senator Bob Packwood (R-Oregon), Chairman, Commerce, Science, and
Transportation Committee
Senator Larry Pressler (R-South Dakota), Chairman, Business, Trade,
and Tourism Subcommittee (Commerce Committee)
Senator John Tower (R-Texas), Chairman, Armed Services Committee
Senator Alan Cranston (D-California), Minority Whip
Senator Walter Huddleston (D-Kentucky), Ranking Member,
Agriculture Committee
Senator Howard Cannon (D-Nevada), Ranking Member, Commerce Committee
Senator J. James Exon (D-Nebraska), Ranking Member, Business, Trade,
and Tourism Subcommittee (Commerce Committee)
Senator Lloyd Bentsen (D-Texas), Ranking Member, International
Trade Subcommittee (Finance Committee)
Senator Christopher Dodd (D-Connecticut), Ranking Member,
International Economic Policy Subcommittee (Foreign Relations)
Senator Edward Zorinsky (D-Nebraska), Ranking Member, Western
Hemisphere Subcommittee (Foreign Relations)
Senator Joseph Biden (D-Delaware), Ranking Member, Judiciary Committee
Senator James McClure (R-Idaho), Chairman, Senate Republican Conference

REGRET

Senator Strom Thurmond (R-South Carolina), President pro tempore
Senator Charles Percy (R-Illinois), Chairman, Foreign Relations
Committee
Senator Mark Hatfield (R-Oregon), Chairman, Appropriations Committee
Senator William Proxmire (D-Wisconsin), Ranking Member, Appropriations
Committee
Senator John Danforth (R-Missouri), Chairman, International Trade
Subcommittee (Finance Committee)
Senator Charles Mathias (R-Maryland), Chairman, International
Economic Policy Subcommittee (Foreign Relations Committee)
Senator John Stennis (D-Mississippi), Ranking Member, Armed Services
Committee
Senator Daniel Inouye (D-Hawaii), Ranking Member, Foreign Operations
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Senator Jake Garn (R-Utah), Chairman, Banking, Housing, and Urban
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Policy Committee
Congressman Edward Madigan (R-Illinois), Chairman, Republican
Research Committee
Congressman Tom Evans (R-Delaware), Vice-Chairman, National
Republican Congressional Committee

ATTACHMENT A (cont'd)

HOUSE REGRETS

Congressman Jim Wright (D-Texas), Majority Leader
Congressman E. de la Garza (D-Texas), Chairman, Agriculture
Committee
Congressman William C. Wampler (R-Virginia), Ranking Minority
Member, Agriculture Committee
Congressman Robert McClory (R-Illinois), Ranking Minority
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