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YA-67

RE: Response to Lebanon/Grenada -- No Support -- Question Why Our Troops
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

• November 14, 1983

11/13/84
3/13/84

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With the best wishes of the President,

Sincerely,

Anne Higgins
Special Assistant to the President
and Director of Correspondence

(11/10/83)

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Enclosure: October 27 Address by the President

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DRAFT/Date

11/9/83

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(Drafter)

(Rev. I)

(Rev. II)

AVH /

CSM

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Enclosures:

OCT. 27 address

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