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[IDENTICAL LETTERS TO SPEAKER AND PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE]

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MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

November 29, 1983

ACTION

TO: ROBERT C. MCFARLANE

FROM: PAUL B. THOMPSON ^{it}

SUBJECT: War Powers ~~Notification on~~ Grenada ^{and}

Your modifications (Tab II) ^{were} to the proposed War Powers Notification letters ~~have been~~ forwarded to State, DOD, Justice and Counsel's office for concurrence. ~~(Tab III)~~. A final version of the letters with ~~respective~~ comments (Tab III) ^{is} incorporated ^{into} Tab A. ^{is} ~~is hereby resubmitted for your~~ disposition. The points in my memo of November 22 (Tab IV) concerning advisability are still applicable.

Recommendation

That you sign the memo to the President at Tab I.

Approve _____

Disapprove _____

Attachments

Tab I	Memo to the President
	Tab A Reports to Congress
	Tab B Memorandum from Secretary Shultz
Tab II	Modifications to War Powers Notification Letters
Tab III	Agency Comments
Tab IV	My Memo to You Dated November 22

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December 5, 1983

TO: NSC Secretariat

From: Paul Thompson *PT*

Subj: Log No. 7938 - Proposed War
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Washington, D.C. 20520

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROBERT C. MCFARLANE
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Letter from the President to Speaker O'Neill and
Senator Thurmond Reporting on the Situation in
Grenada

Attached is a suggested draft text of Presidential
letters to Speaker O'Neill and Senator Thurmond, in his
capacity as President pro tempore of the Senate, reporting
on the situation in Grenada. Changes have been made in
the version sent to the Department to reflect the current
situation.

for *Robert Hill*
for Charles Hill
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

As stated.

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