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SUBJECT: ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO'S STATE VISIT

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED BY WHITE HOUSE AT NOON PRESS BRIEFING, FEBRUARY 11.

BEGIN TEXT: PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO OF BRAZIL HAS ACCEPTED PRESIDENT REAGAN'S PERSONAL INVITATION FOR A STATE VISIT TO WASHINGTON BEGINNING ON MAY 11, 1982. THE VISIT WILL PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN AND PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO TO BECOME ACQUAINTED PERSONALLY AND TO EXCHANGE VIEWS ON A BROAD RANGE OF BILATERAL, HEMISPHERIC AND GLOBAL DEVELOPMENTS. END TEXT. STOESEL BT

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

February 10, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Announcement of Brazilian President Figueiredo's Visit

The Government of Brazil has requested that the proposed text of the announcement of President Figueiredo's visit be revised by deletion of the second sentence. With this revision, the announcement would now read:

President Figueiredo of Brazil has accepted President Reagan's personal invitation for a state visit to Washington beginning on May 11, 1982. The visit will provide an opportunity for President Reagan and President Figueiredo to become acquainted personally and to exchange views on a broad range of bilateral hemispheric, and global developments.

White House approval of the revised text is requested. Assuming that the change is approved, the Brazilians plan to release the announcement in Brazil on February 11 at noon, Washington time.

L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

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~~THE WHITE HOUSE~~

~~VIA LDX~~

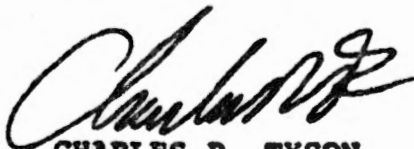
~~WASHINGTON~~

~~February 8, 1982~~

MEMORANDUM FOR L. PAUL BREMER, III
Executive Secretary
The Department of State

SUBJECT: Announcement of State Visit of
President Figueiredo of Brazil

Reference your memorandum of February 2 attaching cable re announcement of the State Visit of President Figueiredo of Brazil, this is to advise that the text of the announcement has been cleared by the NSC, White House press office, and myself -- and the White House is planning announcement at noon on Thursday, February 11.



CHARLES P. TYSON
Deputy Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs
(Coordination)



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

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February 2, 1982

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

WHITE HOUSE
SITUATION ROOM

Subject: Announcement of Brazilian President Figueiredo's
Visit

May 12 has been agreed upon as the date for President Figueiredo's state visit. Currently, he plans to arrive in Washington on the 11th and to remain through the 13th. Speculation on the dates and purposes of the visit already has appeared in the Brazilian press, making it important that the visit be announced publicly at a mutually convenient time. The attached telegram proposes a text of an announcement to be released simultaneously in Washington and Brasilia on February 11. White House approval is requested.

L. Paul Bremer, III
L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

Attachment:
As stated.

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SUBJECT: ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRES FIGUEIREDO VISIT TO US MAY 11 - 13

ACTION: PREPARE MEMO FOR CLARK

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NSC/S:

Informed by Tyson that he cleared
February 10 in the evening.

Called White House Press Office --
Robin -- and checked on the text
they had for the announcement.
They did have the revised text.

Talked to Sheila Lopez at State
to inform her that the announcement
had been cleared by Tyson February 10
and that it could be sent out.

Carol Cleveland

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April 1, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: ROGER W. FONTAINE *RF*

SUBJECT: Visit of President Figueiredo of Brazil

Attached at Tab A is a memo to you from State outlining the importance attached to the state visit of President João Baptista de Oliveira Figueiredo to Washington in May by the Brazilian government, press and public opinion.

President Figueiredo is the first Brazilian president to visit the United States in 10 years. Two Brazilian presidents, during President Carter's term of office, refused invitations while U.S.-Brazilian relations sank to an all-time low.

This Administration's attempt to revive those relations, which included a very successful Vice Presidential visit in October, has been so far one of our most significant achievements in our Latin American policy -- and at relatively low cost.

A successful visit by President Figueiredo would be a major step, perhaps the major step, to complete the process of rapprochement between the hemisphere's two giants.

Therefore, I wholly concur with State's analysis and strongly support State's suggestion of doing something special along the lines suggested in the State memo -- an invitation to join the President for a ride. Such a gesture, though apparently small, will be magnified enormously in Brazil because of our recent past history. Conversely, treating the visit as routine will go down very badly in Brazil. Atmospherics at this time are of paramount importance.

Recommendation

That you approve the visit of President Figueiredo and that a special touch be added the visit as suggested by State.

Approve _____

Disapprove _____

Attachment

Tab A Memo from State

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520 March 24, 1982

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

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Authority State/Navier 11/4/15
BY db NARA DATE 4/24/2019

Subject: President Figueiredo's State Visit

President Figueiredo's visit will be the first of a Brazilian President in ten years and comes at a time when the bilateral relationship is looking up. It will receive extraordinary coverage by the Brazilian news media. Some 80-100 press and television reporters will accompany Figueiredo and will report in detail on the visit and the quality of the reception he is accorded in Washington. That level of coverage makes it essential to Figueiredo, for domestic political reasons, and to the United States, for foreign policy reasons, to establish that the visit is viewed here as a major event. To accommodate the Brazilians' basic interest, and to achieve our foreign policy objectives, the Department believes a special touch of some sort is needed.

As a former cavalry officer, President Figueiredo is an enthusiastic horseman. An invitation to join President Reagan for a ride would constitute precisely the kind of warm, human touch that will most appeal to President Figueiredo's basic instincts and make him feel that he is a welcome friend instead of just a visiting guest. That same distinction would be perceived and greatly appreciated by the Brazilian public.

President Figueiredo is expected to remain in Washington until the afternoon of May 14. Except for the White House functions scheduled for the 12th, the only fixed item on President Figueiredo's schedule now is a noon meeting at the OAS on May 13. The preferred timing for a ride would be the afternoon of May 13 but the schedule could be arranged to accommodate an alternative time within the May 12-14 framework.

The Department recommends consideration of the possibility of inviting President Figueiredo to ride with President Reagan and requests that the White House indicate the date and time for the ride.

L. Paul Bremer, III
L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

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April 2, 1982

NSC/Secretariat

Roger Fontaine

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Attached package can be closed out.

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FROM TYSON

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FIGUEIREDO, JOAO B

SUBJECT: STATE VISIT OF PRES FIGUEIREDO ON 12 MAY 1982

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Name of Correspondent: DON SANTARELLI☒ CN Mail Report

User Codes: (A) _____ (B) _____ (C) _____

Subject: Writer requests an invitation to one or more official functions of the Brazilian President's state visit, and offers his services as counselor between the U.S. and Brazil.

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May 12, 1982

Edwin Meese III, Esquire
Counselor to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Ed:

Thanks very much for your personal note of May 3, 1982 (attached). Just for your information, you might like to know that no invitation was issued to me from the U.S. side regarding the Brazilian presidential visit. The Brazilians, of course, included me in their sponsored festivities which were cancelled, due to considerations regarding the Falkland Islands crisis.

I thank you, though, for your personal interest; I appreciate it very much.

Sincerely,



Donald E. Santarelli

Enclosure

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 10, 1982

Done
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MEMORANDUM FOR: EDWIN MEESE III

FROM: MUFFIE BRANDON

Muffie Brandon

SUBJECT: LETTER FROM DONALD E. SANTARELLI

I have put the request in my file and will try to make sure that Mr. Santarelli is included in a state dinner. Unfortunately, it is too late to include him at the Brazilian dinner.

3 May 1982

Dear Don:

Thank you for your letters of 13 April 1982. First of all, I appreciate your sending me the correspondence from David Toven and Raymond Long regarding Lutheran Schools. Because of my Lutheran background and interest in education, I was happy to receive them.

Your request for an invitation to one or more of the official functions during President Figueiredo's upcoming visit has been forwarded to Mabel Brandon for consideration, and if it is at all possible, you will be hearing from the Social Office directly.

With best personal regards,

Sincerely,

EDWIN MEESE III
Counsellor to the President

Mr. Donald E. Santarelli
Santarelli and Gimer
2033 M Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

cc: Ed Meese
cc: ~~Mabel Brandon~~ w/copy of 071369

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With best personal regards,

Sincerely,

EDWIN MESSER III
Counselor to the President

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OF COUNSEL

April 13, 1982

071369

Edwin Meese III, Esquire
Counselor to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Re: Forthcoming Visit of Brazilian President
May 11-14, 1982

Dear Ed:

For several years now I have been representing various elements of Brazilian interests and most particularly Embraer, the famous aircraft manufacturer of Brazil. During this time I have come to play a useful role in counseling both the United States (particularly USTR) and the Brazilian Embassy as to the most beneficial resolution to outstanding trade issues (particularly the aviation trade) and the mutual interests of both countries. To that end I have earned the respect of the Brazilian government as well as the various officials at this end, particularly Bill Brock and David Macdonald.

It would further enhance my ability to be useful as a counselor between the United States and the Brazilians in furthering the developing accord and reducing the tensions in trade matters if I were invited to one or more of the official functions that will occur during the Brazilian President's visit.

If you should have any question in this matter please feel free to call David Macdonald or Bill Brock for confirmation of my usefulness to them in these Brazilian matters.

Should you need a further "hook" to justify my attendance at any social function honoring the Brazilian President you will recall that I am a presidential appointee on the Overseas Private Investment Corporation board.

SANTARELLI & GIMER

Edwin Meese III, Esquire
April 13, 1982
Page Two

I hope you don't think me presumptuous in writing you such a note, but I find that protocols such as these are certainly noticed in diplomatic and trade negotiation circles.

Thanks for your personal attention and any consideration you might give this request.

Sincerely,



Donald E. Santarelli

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ARRIVAL CEREMONY: PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO
OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL

I AM DELIGHTED TODAY TO WELCOME
PRESIDENT AND MRS. FIGUEIREDO TO
WASHINGTON.

OVER OUR MANY YEARS OF FRIENDSHIP
WITH BRAZIL, MR. PRESIDENT, YOUR COUNTRY
HAS OFTEN BEEN DESCRIBED AS THE NATION
OF THE FUTURE. WELL, THE FUTURE IS
HERE. BRAZIL IS INCREASINGLY LOOKED
TO NOT FOR ITS POTENTIAL BUT FOR ITS
CAPABILITIES, NOT FOR WHAT IT WILL
ACCOMPLISH BUT FOR WHAT IT IS
ACCOMPLISHING. (PAUSE) X

WE IN THE UNITED STATES REJOICE WITH THE PEOPLE OF BRAZIL FOR THE PROGRESS YOU HAVE MADE ECONOMICALLY, POLITICALLY AND SOCIALLY AND LOOK FORWARD TO EXPANDING ON THE MATURE RELATIONSHIP WE HAVE DEVELOPED. THE TIES THAT BIND US ARE FIRM -- WITH MUTUAL RESPECT AND TRUST REINFORCED BY TIME AND SHARED VALUES. OUR FRIENDSHIP, MR. PRESIDENT, GOES BACK TO THE EARLY DAYS OF BRAZILIAN INDEPENDENCE WHEN THE UNITED STATES WAS THE FIRST COUNTRY TO RECOGNIZE YOUR SOVEREIGNTY. BRAZIL WAS THE FIRST SOUTH AMERICAN NATION TO HAVE AN AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON. (PAUSE*)

THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL NOT FORGET, PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO, THAT IN BOTH THE FIRST AND SECOND WORLD WARS, BRAZIL JOINED WITH US TO CONFRONT THE THREAT TO FREEDOM.

SINCE THE WAR YEARS OUR TWO COUNTRIES HAVE COLLABORATED ON MANY FRONTS TO MEET DIVERSE CHALLENGES TO THE SECURITY AND WELL-BEING OF OUR PEOPLES. BRAZIL IS AN INDEPENDENT FORCE FOR MODERATION AND BALANCE IN THIS HEMISPHERE. AND WHILE OUR TWO COUNTRIES HAVE HAD DISAGREEMENTS, WHICH IS ONLY NATURAL AND TO BE EXPECTED BETWEEN FRIENDS, WE HAVE NEVER LOST THAT MUTUAL RESPECT AND ADMIRATION SO CHARACTERISTIC OF OUR RELATIONSHIP. (PAUSE*)

YOUR LEADERSHIP, MR. PRESIDENT, HAS BUILT UPON THE QUALITIES OF WHICH I HAVE JUST SPOKEN. DURING A STATE VISIT TO COLOMBIA LAST YEAR, YOU EXPLAINED. "IN EXTREME SITUATIONS, POLITICAL WISDOM REQUIRES UTMOST LEVELS OF TOLERANCE.

WE LEARN THAT TOLERANCE AND MODERATION
DON'T BRING BITTER FRUITS AND ARE
UNCONTESTABLE DEMONSTRATIONS OF FIDELITY
TO THE TRUE IDEAL OF DEMOCRACY." THIS
AND OTHER STATEMENTS YOU HAVE MADE SPEAK
WELL OF YOUR IDEALS AND THOSE OF YOUR
COUNTRY. (PAUSE) *

MR. PRESIDENT, THE MOTTO OF BRAZIL
IS "ORDER AND PROGRESS." DURING THESE
TRYING TIMES, YOUR COUNTRY HAS PROVEN
THAT IT TAKES THESE WORDS SERIOUSLY.
ESPECIALLY HARD HIT BY RISING ENERGY
PRICES, YOUR GOVERNMENT MADE AN
IMPRESSIVE COMMITMENT TO DO WHAT WAS
NECESSARY TO PROTECT YOUR PEOPLE'S
STANDARD OF LIVING AND THE BRAZILIAN WAY
OF LIFE.

AS A RESULT OF THIS COMMITMENT, YOUR
COUNTRY IS NOW A LEADER IN THE
DEVELOPMENT OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY
RESOURCES, ESPECIALLY THE USE OF ALCOHOL
AS A FUEL AND THE HARNESSING OF
HYDROELECTRIC ENERGY. (PAUSE) *

THAT BRAZIL OVERCOMES SUCH
OBSTACLES IS NO SURPRISE TO US. WE
SHARE A SIMILAR PIONEER HERITAGE. OUR
TWO PEOPLES ARE ALSO SIMILAR IN THAT
THEY REPRESENT A MELTING POT OF CULTURES
AND ETHNIC BACKGROUNDS. BUT THE MOST
SIGNIFICANT COMPARISON REMAINS THE
RESPECT FOR INDIVIDUAL ENTERPRISE AND
DIVERSITY THAT HAS DEVELOPED IN OUR TWO
COUNTRIES. (PAUSE) *

THE AMAZON RIVER IS, TO MANY,
SYNONYMOUS WITH BRAZIL. IT'S GRANDEUR,
ENORMITY AND POWER STAGGER THE
IMAGINATION. SO TOO DOES BRAZIL.

LET US PLEDGE THAT WE SHALL ALWAYS
REMEMBER AND NEVER TAKE FOR GRANTED THE
GOODWILL BETWEEN US. (PAUSE) *

PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO, IT HAS BEEN
11 YEARS SINCE A BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT
HONORED THE UNITED STATES WITH A STATE
VISIT. THIS IS TOO LONG A PERIOD FOR
NATIONS WHICH HAVE SO MUCH TO CONTRIBUTE
TO ONE ANOTHER. LET US CONFIRM THAT THE
PERSONAL BONDS WE DEVELOP THROUGH THIS
VISIT WILL REINFORCE THE FRIENDSHIP
BETWEEN OUR PEOPLES. (PAUSE) *

VICE PRESIDENT BUSH VISITED YOUR
COUNTRY AND CONSULTED WITH YOUR
GOVERNMENT IN OCTOBER. HE REPORTED TO
ME THE CONSTRUCTIVE AND AMICABLE
APPROACH WITH WHICH HE HAS MET. (PAUSE) *

SO TODAY, I LOOK FORWARD TO OUR
DISCUSSION. I HAVE MUCH TO LEARN FROM
YOU AND SEEK YOUR COUNSEL ON MATTERS OF
MUTUAL CONCERN. IN YOUR ANNUAL MESSAGE
TO THE BRAZILIAN CONGRESS LAST YEAR, YOU
SAID OF BRAZIL, "WE SEEK TO UNDERSTAND
AND TO BE UNDERSTOOD." LET THIS BE THE
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FRIENDS, IN A PERIOD OF CHANGE, HONESTLY
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UNDERSTANDING. (PAUSE) *

AND WITH THAT SAID, PRESIDENT
FIGUEIREDO, I WELCOME YOU TO THE UNITED
STATES. *

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ARRIVAL CEREMONY: PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO OF THE FEDERATIVE
REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL, MAY 12, 1982

I am delighted today to welcome President Figueiredo and Mrs. Figueiredo to Washington.

Over our many years of friendship with Brazil, Mr. President, your country has often been described as the nation of the future. Well, the future is here. Brazil is increasingly looked to not for its potential but for its capabilities, not for what it will accomplish but for what it is accomplishing.

We in the United States rejoice with the people of Brazil for the progress you have made economically, politically and socially and look forward to expanding on the mature relationship we have developed. The ties that bind us are firm -- with mutual respect and trust reinforced by time and shared values. Our friendship, Mr. President, goes back to the early days of Brazilian independence when the United States was the first country to recognize your sovereignty. Brazil was the first South American nation to have an ambassador in Washington.

The American people will not forget, President Figueiredo, that in both the First and Second World Wars, Brazil joined with us to confront the threat to freedom.

Since the war years our two countries have collaborated on many fronts to meet diverse challenges to the security and well-being of our peoples. Brazil is an independent force for moderation and balance in this hemisphere. And while our two countries have had disagreements, which is only natural and to be

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expected between friends, we have never lost that mutual respect and admiration so characteristic of our relationship.

Your leadership, Mr. President, has built upon the qualities of which I have just spoken. During a state visit to Colombia last year, you explained: "In extreme situations, political wisdom requires utmost levels of tolerance. We learn that tolerance and moderation don't bring bitter fruits and are uncontestable demonstrations of fidelity to the true ideal of democracy." This and other statements you have made speak well of your ideals and those of your country.

Mr. President, the motto of Brazil is "Order and Progress." During these trying times, your country has proven that it takes these words seriously. Especially hard hit by rising energy prices, your government made an impressive commitment to do what was necessary to protect your people's standard of living and the Brazilian way of life. As a result of this commitment, your country is now a leader in the development of alternative energy resources, especially the use of alcohol as a fuel and the harnessing of hydroelectric energy.

That Brazil overcomes such obstacles is no surprise to ~~us~~. ~~Americans~~. We, ~~after all~~, share a similar pioneer heritage. Our two peoples are also similar in that they represent a melting pot of cultures and ethnic backgrounds. But the most significant comparison remains the respect for individual enterprise and diversity that has developed in our two countries.

The Amazon River is, to many, synonymous with Brazil. It's grandeur, enormity and power stagger the imagination. So too does Brazil.

Let us pledge that we shall ^{always remember & cherish} ~~never forget or~~ take for granted the goodwill between us.

President Figueiredo, it has been 11 years since a Brazilian President honored the United States with a state visit. This is too long a period for nations which have so much to contribute to one another. Let us confirm that the personal bonds we develop through this visit will reinforce the friendship between our peoples.

Vice President Bush visited your country and consulted with your government in October. He reported to me the constructive and amicable approach with which he was met.

So today, I look forward to our discussion. I have much to learn from you and seek your counsel on matters of mutual concern. In your annual message to the Brazilian Congress last year, you said of Brazil, "We seek to understand and to be understood." Let this be the basis of our talks today, two old friends, in a period of change, honestly and with sincerity seeking goodwill and understanding.

And with that said, President Figueiredo, I welcome you to the United States.

(POHRABACHER/AB)

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STATE DINNER: PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO OF
THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL

PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO

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WELCOME YOU TO THE WHITE HOUSE. THE
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY. (PAUSE) *

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I THINK YOU KNOW HOW HARD THE UNITED STATES, LINKED BY FRIENDSHIP TO BOTH COUNTRIES INVOLVED IN THE SOUTH ATLANTIC CONFLICT, WORKED TO PREVENT WAR, AND THEN TO BRING PEACE. WE ALL HOPE AND PRAY THAT THE PEACE EFFORTS NOW UNDER WAY IN NEW YORK WILL YIELD FRUIT. FOR OUR PART, THE FRIENDSHIP OF ALL COUNTRIES IN THE HEMISPHERE IS PRECIOUS TO US, JUST AS BRAZIL'S IS. WE WILL WORK TO MAKE SURE THAT THE INTER-AMERICAN SYSTEM ON WHICH THE PEACE AND JUSTICE OF THE HEMISPHERE REST, EMERGES FROM THIS TIME OF TRIAL NOT WEAKENED, BUT REINFORCED. (PAUSE) *

MR. PRESIDENT, WE LIVE IN A WORLD DRAMATICALLY DIFFERENT FROM THE WAY IT WAS AT THE CLOSE OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR. EVERY COUNTRY IS NOW DEPENDENT ON THE COOPERATION AND GOODWILL OF OTHERS.

HIS TITLE IS MINISTER OF DEBUREAUCRATIZATION. SOMEONE, I HOPE, IS TAKING NOTES. (PAUSE) *

DURING THE WELCOMING CEREMONIES THIS MORNING, MUCH WAS SAID ABOUT THE LONG HISTORY OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR PEOPLE. FOR 158 YEARS OUR PEACEFUL AND AMICABLE RELATIONS HAVE BEEN MAINTAINED WITHOUT SERIOUS DISRUPTION — A TRIBUTE TO THE COMMON SENSE AND COMMON INTERESTS OF BOTH OUR PEOPLES. I MENTIONED OUR CAMARADERIE DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR, BUT MORE SIGNIFICANT HAS BEEN OUR GOODWILL IN TIMES OF PEACE. (PAUSE) *

MR PRESIDENT, YOUR VISIT COINCIDES WITH ONE OF THE MOST SERIOUS CHALLENGES TO PEACE THIS HEMISPHERE HAS KNOWN.

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(PAUSE) *

NOW I ASK YOU ALL TO JOIN ME IN A
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(ROHRBACHER/AB)

MAY 12, 1982
7:30 P.M.

STATE DINNER: PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO OF
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THE UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL HAVE
ALWAYS BEEN NATIONS OF PEACE. WE HAVE A
PROFOUND CONCERN ABOUT ARMED CONFLICT,
ESPECIALLY IN THIS HEMISPHERE.

I CAN ASSURE YOU TONIGHT THAT, FOR OUR
PART, WE REMAIN DEDICATED TO A POLICY
WHICH DOES NOT ACCEPT THE FIRST USE OF
FORCE. AND WHEN IT IS USED, WE STAND
READY TO RESOLVE THE DISPUTE PEACEFULLY.
(PAUSE) *

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(PAUSE) *

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TOAST ... PRES. + MRS. FEEGEREDOO + -- P. OF
BRAZIL.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 12, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ARAM BAKSHIAN, JR. *AB*

SUBJECT: Remarks for State Dinner for
President Figueiredo

Attached are half sheets for tonight's toast incorporating your changes plus rewording of the paragraph that begins at the bottom of page four provided to us this afternoon by the State Department and NSC.

RR incorporated his remarks in the new ones.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 7, 1982

FOR: MICHAEL K. DEAVER
FROM: CRAIG L. FULLER
SUBJECT: STATE DINNER FOR PRESIDENT OF BRAZIL

Because of heavy USDA involvement with Brazil, Secretary Block would like to be invited to attend the State Dinner for President Figueiredo.

If he is not already on the guest list, I recommend that he be added.

Secretary and Mrs. Block will be invited to the State Dinner for President Figueiredo of Brazil, Wednesday, May 12.

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cc: Muffie Brandon



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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM P. CLARK
THE WHITE HOUSE

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Subject: Draft Arrival Statement and Toast for President
Figueiredo's Visit

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and dinner toast for the May 12 state visit of Brazilian
President Figueiredo.

L. Paul Bremer, III
L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Arrival Statement
2. Dinner Toast

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ARRIVAL STATEMENT

PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO AND MRS. FIGUEIREDO, NANCY AND I ARE DELIGHTED TO WELCOME YOU TO THE WHITE HOUSE, THE HOME OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN BRAZIL AND THE UNITED STATES GOES BACK TO THE FIRST DAYS OF BRAZIL'S INDEPENDENCE WHEN THE UNITED STATES WAS THE FIRST COUNTRY TO RECOGNIZE BRAZIL AS A SOVEREIGN NATION. IT WAS STRENGTHENED THROUGH THE YEARS AS WE BOTH FACED THE CHALLENGE OF CONSTRUCTING THE NEW WORLD OF THE AMERICAS AND, WITH OUR NEIGHBORS, OF JOINING ITS TWO CONTINENTS INTO A HEMISPHERE OF FREE NATIONS. THE FRIENDSHIP WAS FURTHER STRENGTHENED DURING THE DARK PERIOD OF WORLD WAR II WHEN BRAZIL JOINED THE UNITED STATES IN RESPONDING FORCEFULLY TO THE AXIS ASSAULT ON FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY. AND IN THE YEARS SINCE WORLD WAR II WE HAVE COOPERATED AND COLLABORATED ON MANY FRONTS TO MEET THE DIVERSE CHALLENGES TO THE SECURITY AND INTEGRITY OF THE FREE WORLD.

MR. PRESIDENT, WHILE THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN BRAZIL AND THE UNITED STATES HAS DEEP ROOTS, OUR RELATIONSHIP TODAY LOOKS MORE TO THE FUTURE THAN TO THE PAST. BRAZIL AND THE UNITED STATES SHARE A COMMON DESTINY, A COMMON RESPONSIBILITY TO HELP LEAD THIS TROUBLED WORLD TO A NEW PLATEAU OF PROSPERITY, LIBERTY AND

JUSTICE. OUR TWO GREAT NATIONS HAVE THE COURAGE AND THE STRENGTH AND THE VISION TO ACCEPT THAT AWESOME RESPONSIBILITY ON BEHALF OF ALL MANKIND.

WE RECOGNIZE, MR. PRESIDENT, THAT WITHIN THE STRENGTH OF OUR FRIENDSHIP AND THE UNITY OF OUR OBJECTIVES THERE ARE ALSO INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVES. IT COULD HARDLY BE OTHERWISE IN A MATURE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN TWO SOVEREIGN NATIONS, EACH WITH ITS OWN SET OF NATIONAL PROBLEMS AND ITS OWN APPROACH TO THE COMPLEX INTERNATIONAL ISSUES OF OUR TIMES. BUT YOUR PRESENCE HERE TODAY, MR. PRESIDENT, RENEWS OUR JOINT COMMITMENT TO EXAMINE TOGETHER OUR POINTS OF DIFFERENCE, JUST AS IT UNDERSCORES OUR COMMON ADHERENCE TO SHARED VALUES AND IDEALS.

IT HAS BEEN ELEVEN LONG YEARS SINCE A BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT HAS HONORED THE UNITED STATES WITH A STATE VISIT. I WOULD ARGUE THAT IS TOO LONG A PERIOD FOR TWO NATIONS WHICH HAVE SO MUCH TO CONTRIBUTE TO EACH OTHER. I LOOK FORWARD TO OUR DISCUSSIONS FOR I KNOW THAT I SHALL BENEFIT FROM OUR EXCHANGE OF VIEWS. I HOPE ALSO THAT DURING YOUR STAY YOU WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH A WIDE RANGE OF AMERICANS TO LEARN MORE OF OUR PEOPLE AND COUNTRY AND OF THE GREAT ESTEEM AND AFFECTION WE HAVE FOR YOU AND FOR BRAZIL.

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DINNER TOAST

THIS OCCASION IS LONG OVERDUE. THE WHITE HOUSE HAS NOT HAD THE PLEASURE OF A VISIT OF THE PRESIDENT OF BRAZIL FOR MORE THAN A DECADE. SO IT IS A DISTINCT HONOR, MR. PRESIDENT, FOR NANCY AND ME TO HAVE YOU AND MRS. FIGUEIREDO AS OUR GUESTS TONIGHT. WE HAVE BEEN FOLLOWING YOUR TRAVELS AROUND THE WORLD. WE KNOW THAT YOU HAVE VISITED MORE COUNTRIES THAN ANY OTHER PRESIDENT IN BRAZILIAN HISTORY AND WE WERE DELIGHTED THAT YOU ACCEPTED OUR INVITATION AS WELL.

WE HAVE HAD A PARTICULAR INTEREST IN PAYING HOMAGE TO PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO, NOT ONLY BECAUSE OF OUR ADMIRATION AND AFFECTION FOR BRAZIL AND THE BRAZILIAN PEOPLE, BUT BECAUSE OF THE VISION AND COURAGE AND STEADY HAND HE HAS DEMONSTRATED IN GUIDING BRAZIL THROUGH AN ESPECIALLY DIFFICULT PERIOD IN BRAZILIAN HISTORY. MR. PRESIDENT, I HAVE ALWAYS MAINTAINED THAT WHEN THE JOB TO BE DONE IS REALLY TOUGH, THE HORSE CAVALRY CAN PROVIDE THE MAN TO DO IT. YOUR RECORD BEARS ME OUT.

WE INVITED PRESIDENT FIGUEIREDO TO MAKE A STATE VISIT IN THE CONVICTION THAT PERSONAL CONTACT BETWEEN OUR LEADERS IS AN ESSENTIAL EXPRESSION OF THE MUTUAL RESPECT, FRIENDSHIP AND UNDERSTANDING OUR TWO GREAT COUNTRIES ENJOY. OUR CABINET OFFICERS SEE EACH OTHER

WITH INCREASING FREQUENCY AND THAT IS AS IT SHOULD BE. BUT IT IS EVEN MORE IMPORTANT THAT WE PRESIDENTS MEET FACE TO FACE, THAT WE EXAMINE MAJOR WORLD ISSUES TOGETHER, AND THAT WE BENEFIT FROM OUR DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES OF WORLD PROBLEMS AND POSSIBILITIES.

THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN BRAZIL AND THE UNITED STATES IS NOW 158 YEARS OLD. IT HAS PASSED ACROSS THIS SPAN OF HISTORY WITHOUT DISRUPTION OR MAJOR UPHEAVAL BECAUSE OUR TWO PEOPLES CHERISH THE SAME BELIEFS, THE SAME VALUES. THAT HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED MANY TIMES OVER THE YEARS, MR. PRESIDENT, BUT NEVER MORE HEROICALLY OR WITH GREATER SACRIFICE THAN IN WORLD WAR II WHEN BRAZILIAN AND AMERICAN WARSHIPS ESCORTED CONVOYS THROUGH THE WATERS OF THE SOUTH ATLANTIC AND BRAZILIAN AND AMERICAN SOLDIERS FOUGHT SHOULDER TO SHOULDER ON THE BEACHES AND IN THE MOUNTAINS OF ITALY.

THE WORLD IS MORE COMPLEX TODAY THAN IT WAS FORTY YEARS AGO. BOTH BRAZIL AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE GROWN ENORMOUSLY OVER THAT PERIOD, AND AS WE HAVE GROWN WE HAVE EACH EXPANDED AND DEVELOPED OUR OWN NETWORK OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS, OUR OWN SENSE OF HOW BEST TO RESPOND TO THE CHALLENGES THAT CONFRONT OUR HEMISPHERE AND OUR WORLD. IT IS NATURAL AND FITTING

THAT OUR TWO COUNTRIES MAY TRAVEL OCCASIONALLY ON SEPARATE PATHS. BUT WE MUST REMEMBER THAT OUR DESTINATION IS THE SAME. WE CANNOT ALLOW NEW CHALLENGES AND CHANGING CIRCUMSTANCES TO BLUR THE LESSONS OF HISTORY, TO DILUTE THE VALUES AND BELIEFS FROM WHICH WE DRAW OUR STRENGTH AND INSPIRATION, OR TO WEAKEN THE TIES THAT BIND OUR TWO COUNTRIES TOGETHER IN COMMON CAUSE.

FOR MY PART, MR. PRESIDENT, OUR DISCUSSIONS THIS MORNING WERE PARTICULARLY SATISFYING AND ENLIGHTENING. WE WERE ABLE TO SPEAK FREELY AND FRANKLY TO EACH OTHER, TO EXPRESS BOTH AGREEMENT AND DIFFERENCES IN THE SAME FRIENDLY CANDOR, AND TO REAFFIRM OUR COMMON COMMITMENT TO THE PURSUIT OF PEACE, JUSTICE, PROSPERITY, AND HUMAN FREEDOM.

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