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- B) William Broomfield
John Erlenborn
Del Patta
Robert McClory
Chalmers Wylie
- C) Jack Edwards
William Dickinson
John Duncan
- D) Bill Green
- E) Bill Clinger
Larry Coughlin
Charlie Dougherty
Arden Gerdaehl
Tom Railsback
- F) Bob Badham
- G) Marge Roubema
Olympia Snowe
Tom Tauke

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE
Thursday, August 12, 1982

9:00 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Baker, Meese, Deaver)	Oval Office
9:30 am (15 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Clark)	Oval Office
9:45 am (15 min)	<u>Senior Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:00 am (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:30 11:00 am (45 min)	<u>Congressional Meetings</u> (Duberstein)	Oval Office (Tab A)
12:00 m. (60 min)	<u>Lunch with the Vice President</u> ↓	Oval Office
1:00 pm (45 min)	<u>Congressional Meetings</u> (Duberstein)	Oval Office (Tab B)
1:45 pm (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
2:45 pm (90 min)	<u>Congressional Meetings</u> (Duberstein)	Oval Office (Tab C)
4:15 pm (75 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1982

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMAN JAMES H. (JIMMY) QUILLEN (R-TENN.)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982

LOCATION: The Oval Office

TIME: 11:00 A.M. (5 minutes)

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein

K. D.

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

House Republicans are very reluctant to support the tax bill. Certain Republicans have mobilized opposition to any tax bill. It is imperative that these Republicans understand how important it is to the President that this tax bill be passed.

This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask Congressman Quillen for his vote for the conference report.

Jimmy Quillen, ranking Republican on the House Rules Committee is always supportive of your domestic and international initiatives and is leaning towards voting for the tax conference report. Jimmy can be quite helpful as the senior Tennessee Republican in bringing some of his colleagues around on the issue.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Treasury Secretary Donald Regan
OMB Director David Stockman
Congressman James H. Quillen
Edwin Meese III
James Baker III
Michael Deaver
Lyn Nofziger
Ken Duberstein
M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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Attachment: Talking Points

Talking Points

- I believe that it is imperative that we pass this House/Senate tax bill conference report.

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- Rather than imposing new taxes on working people, this bill tries to insure that everyone pays a fair share of the tax burden. More than three-fourths of the revenue raised comes from increased taxpayer compliance and the closing of tax loopholes.

- I intend to do all I can to help you this fall, but you need to help me by passing this conference report. Lower interest rates and an improving economy will be the best political tonic possible.

- I need your help on this vote. Can I count on your support? You are a valuable Member of the House leadership--your support is important.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1982

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMEN WILLIAM BROOMFIELD (R-MI),
JOHN ERLNBORN (R-IL), DEL LATTA (R-OH),
ROBERT MC CLORY (R-IL), CHALMERS WYLIE (R-OH)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 11:05 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. (25 minutes)
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

House Republicans are very reluctant to support the tax bill. Certain Republicans have mobilized opposition to any tax bill. It is imperative that these Republicans understand how important it is to the President that this tax bill be passed.

This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask these Members for their vote for the conference report.

This group of Members includes four ranking Republicans from the Midwest and one other senior Republican is Chalmers Wylie of Ohio:

Congressman William Broomfield is the ranking member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee and also serves on the Small Business Committee. He is a 13th term Republican from Michigan's 19th district which is the area northwest of Detroit including Pontiac.

Congressman John Erlenborn is the ranking member of the House Education and Labor Committee and serves on the Government Operations Committee as well. John is a 9th term Republican from the 14th district of Illinois which is west of Chicago.

Congressman Del Latta is the ranking member of the House Budget Committee and serves on the Rules Committee. He is in his 12th term representing Ohio's 5th district which is northwest Ohio.

Congressman Robert McClory is the ranking member of the House Judiciary Committee and a member of the Select Committee on Intelligence. He is a 10th term Republican representing Illinois' 13th district, an area northwest of Chicago.

Congressman Chalmers Wylie serves on the House Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs Committee, Veterans' Affairs Committee, and the Joint Economic Committee. Chalmers is in his 8th term representing Ohio's 15th district which includes Columbus.

The group is split among two who are leaning towards voting for the bill (Latta and McClory); and two who are undecided but want to help (Erlenborn and Broomfield); and one leaning against (Wylie). Topping the list of concerns they share are: 1) timing of the vote and, 2) withholding of dividends and interest. Chalmers Wylie has written to you recently suggesting an increased tax on distilled spirits.

III. PARTICIPANTS

See Attachment.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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Attachment A: Participants List
Attachment B: Talking Points

ATTACHMENT A

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Treasury Secretary Donald Regan
OMB Director David Stockman

Congressman Robert H. Michel (R-Illinois), Republican Leader
of the House of Representatives
Congressman William Broomfield (R-Michigan)
Congressman John Erlenborn (R-Illinois)
Congressman Del Latta (R-Ohio)
Congressman Robert McClory (R-Illinois)
Congressman Chalmers Wylie (R-Ohio)

Staff

Edwin Meese III
James Baker III
Michael Deaver
Lyn Nofziger
Ken Duberstein
M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

TALKING POINTS

- I believe that it is imperative that we pass this House/Senate tax bill conference report.

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- I intend to do all I can to help you this fall, but you need to help me by passing this conference report. Lower interest rates and an improving economy will be the best political tonic possible.

- I need your help on this vote. Can I count on your support?

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMAN JACK EDWARDS (R-ALABAMA),
CONGRESSMAN WILLIAM DICKINSON (R-
ALABAMA) AND CONGRESSMAN JOHN DUNCAN
(R-TENNESSEE)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 11:30 a.m. (15 Minutes)

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference and to ask these Members to vote for the conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

Congressman Edwards represents the 1st District (southwestern Alabama) and is serving his 9th term. Congressman Dickinson represents the 2nd District of Alabama (southeastern Alabama) and is serving his 9th term also. Congressman Duncan represents the 2nd District (east Tennessee) and he, too, is serving his 9th term.

Dickinson and Edwards are the ranking Republicans on the Armed Services and Defense Appropriations Committees respectively. Dickinson has been consumed by the House/Senate Conference on the Defense Authorization bill. Edwards is involved currently in subcommittee hearings on the Defense Appropriations bill.

Because of a general dislike for the tax bill and what he believes to be an Administration flip-flop on the tax issue -- last year's advocacy of tax reduction and this year's support of tax increases -- Congressman Dickinson is leaning in opposition to the tax bill.

Congressman Edwards, an attendee at Tuesday's White House Republican Leadership meeting, has stated he will support the tax bill.

John Duncan, a member of the Joint Committee on Taxation and the second ranking Republican on the House Ways and Means Committee, is presently serving as a tax conferee. He is reported to be "leaning for" the tax bill. John met with the President on August 5th with other Ways and Means Committee Republicans to discuss the tax bill.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List attached.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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Attachment A: Participants
Attachment B: Talking Points

ATTACHMENT A

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury, Donald Regan
OMB Director, David Stockman

Members of Congress

Bob Michel, Republican Leader (R-Illinois)
William Dickinson (R-Alabama)
Jack Edwards (R-Alabama)
John Duncan (R-Tennessee)

Staff

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M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

TALKING POINTS

- Thank Bill Dickinson for his leadership in the House passage of a generally acceptable Defense Authorization bill and express hope that the conference will agree on a bill that approximates the Administration's request.

- Indicate to Jack Edwards that you are again counting on his leadership to move an acceptable Defense Appropriation bill through the committee process and the full House.

- Tell them you believe it is imperative that we pass this House/Senate tax bill conference report.

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-- Inform them that you intend to do all you can to help them this fall, but that you need their help by passing this conference report. Lower interest rates and an improving economy will be the best political tonic possible.

-- Tell them you need their help on this vote, and ask them if you can count on their support.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1982

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMAN BILL GREEN (R-NEW YORK)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 1:00 P.M. (5 minutes)
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

House Republicans are very reluctant to support the tax bill. Certain Republicans have mobilized opposition to any tax bill. It is imperative that these Republicans understand how important it is to the President that this tax bill be passed.

This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask Congressman Green for his vote for the conference report.

Bill Green in principle would favor enacting revenue increases over further spending reductions to close the deficit gap. This being the case and while he is leaning towards supporting the tax conference report, he continues to have some reservations about the spending reductions portion of the conference report.

Congressman Green is a second term Member from New York's 18th district, which includes mid-town Manhattan. He serves on the House Appropriations Committee.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Treasury Secretary Donald Regan
OMB Director David Stockman
Congressman Robert H. Michel (R-Illinois), Republican Leader
of the House of Representatives
Congressman Bill Green (R-New York)

PARTICIPANTS, CONT.

Staff

Edwin Meese III
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IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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Attachment: Talking Points

TALKING POINTS

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- I need your help on this vote. Can I count on your support?

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1982

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMEN BILL CLINGER (R-PENNSYLVANIA),
LARRY COUGHLIN (R-PENNSYLVANIA), CHARLIE
DOUGHERTY (R-PENNSYLVANIA), ARLEN ERDAHL
(R-MINNESOTA), AND TOM RAILSBACK (R-ILLINOIS)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 1:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. (30 Minutes)
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference and to ask these Members to vote for the conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

Congressman Coughlin, who represents suburban Philadelphia and is a member of the Appropriations Committee, is serving his 7th term. If the tax bill is perceived by the public as tax reform legislation, i.e., that it corrects inequities which currently exist, Congressman Coughlin has indicated a willingness to support the tax package. The Congressman attended a White House Republican group meeting on the tax package on August 9, 1982. Coughlin was one of three Republicans who switched their votes to insure passage of the Administration-backed nuclear arms resolution, which the President personally acknowledged in a telephone call to the Congressman.

Congressman Clinger, who like his colleague, Coughlin, switched his nuclear freeze vote to support the Administration, is leaning in support of the tax package. He has expressed some specific displeasure over dividend withholding, but it is not an overriding issue. Clinger attended Tuesday's White House Republican group meeting on taxes with the President. The Congressman is serving his 2nd term and represents the 23rd District (north-central Pennsylvania). He is a member of the Government Operations and Public Works and Transportation Committees.

BACKGROUND (cont'd)

Congressman Dougherty, who represents part of Philadelphia and is serving his 2nd term, is leaning in favor of the tax package. His concerns are with the spending reductions of the bill. He met with the President on the tax bill on August 9, 1982. The Congressman is a member of the Armed Services and Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committees.

Congressman Erdahl represents the 1st District of Minnesota (southeastern) and is in his 2nd term. He currently is leaning in favor of the tax bill. He has expressed concern over the dividend withholding provision though he admits he is only superficially familiar with that and other specifics of the bill. The Congressman is a member of the Education and Labor and Foreign Affairs Committees.

Congressman Railsback is undecided on the tax bill. He has expressed no specific concerns. Railsback was defeated for re-election in the Illinois Republican primary. He represents the 19th District of Illinois (northwest) and is serving his 8th term. The Congressman is a member of the Judiciary Committee.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List attached.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

No specific agenda.

Attachments: Participants (Attachment A)
Talking Points (Attachment B)

ATTACHMENT A

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury, Donald Regan
OMB Director, David Stockman

Members of Congress

Bob Michel, Republican Leader (R-Illinois)
Lawrence Coughlin (R-Pennsylvania)
William Clinger (R-Pennsylvania)
Charles Dougherty (R-Pennsylvania)
Arlen Erdahl (R-Minnesota)
Tom Railsback (R-Illinois)

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TALKING POINTS

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- I intend to do all I can to help you this fall, but you need to help me by passing this conference report. Lower interest rates and an improving economy will be the best political tonic possible.

- I need your help on this vote. Can I count on your support?

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMAN BOB BADHAM
(R-CALIFORNIA)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 2:45 P.M. (5 Minutes)
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *Ker D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference and to ask these Members to vote for the conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

House Republicans are very reluctant to support the tax bill. Certain Republicans have mobilized opposition to any tax bill. It is imperative that these Republicans understand how important it is to the President that this tax bill be passed.

This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask Bob Badham for his vote for the conference report.

Bob Badham is a third term Republican and a House "Core Group" Member from California's 40th District (Southern Orange County). Bob serves on the House Armed Services Committee and the House Administration Committee. He has been a strong and consistent supporter of the economic recovery effort. He presently is reported to be "undecided" on the reconciliation tax bill; and he has not indicated any specific concerns. Bob attended an August 5 meeting at the White House with his House Republican colleagues from California to discuss the tax bill with the President.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Attached

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

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Attachment A: Participants
Attachment B: Talking Points

ATTACHMENT A

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury, Donald Regan
OMB Director David Stockman

Congressman Robert Badham (R-California)

Staff

Ed Meese
Jim Baker
Mike Deaver
Lyn Nofziger
Ken Duberstein
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ATTACHMENT B

TALKING POINTS

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- I need your help on this vote. Can I count on your support? I need the help of my long-time supporters, like you, on this one.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH CONGRESSWOMAN MARGE ROUKEMA (R-NJ),
CONGRESSWOMAN OLYMPIA SNOWE (R-ME) AND
CONGRESSMAN TOM TAUKE (R-IOWA)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 2:50 p.m. (15 minutes)

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *K. D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference and to ask these Members to vote for the conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

House Republicans are very reluctant to support the tax bill. Certain Republicans have mobilized opposition to any tax bill. It is imperative that these Republicans understand how important it is to the President that this tax bill be passed.

This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask these Members for their vote for the conference report.

Olympia Snowe (R-Maine) is a sophomore and a very active Gypsy Moth. She worked extremely hard in developing the Budget Resolution which passed the House earlier this year. Mrs. Snowe is undecided on the tax bill.

Marge Roukema (R-New Jersey) is a freshman and a Gypsy Moth. She is in a somewhat marginal district and is very worried about her re-election. During the budget debate she often expressed a desire to see the deficit reductions achieved in an equitable fashion. Mrs. Roukema is leaning yes on the tax bill.

Tom Tauke (R-Iowa) is a very active Gypsy Moth. He is undecided on the tax bill but leaning yes. Mr. Tauke would probably be a strong supporter of the tax bill if an extension of unemployment insurance benefits was included.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List attached

IV. PRESS PLAN

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Attachment B; Talking Points

Attachment A

Participants List

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The Vice President
Secretary of Treasury Donald Regan
OMB Director David Stockman

Congressman Bob Michel (R-Illinois), Republican Leader
Congresswoman Olympia Snowe (R-Maine)
Congresswoman Marge Roukema (R-New Jersey)
Congressman Tom Tauke (R-Iowa)

Staff

James A. Baker
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Kenneth M. Duberstein
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Attachment B

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES CARROLL CAMPBELL
(R-SOUTH CAROLINA), FLOYD SPENCE
(R-SOUTH CAROLINA), AND TOMMY
HARTNETT (R-SOUTH CAROLINA)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
TIME: 3:05-3:20 P.M. (15 minutes)
LOCATION: The Oval Office
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *K. D.*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference and to ask these Members to vote for the conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

House Republicans are very reluctant to support the tax bill. Certain Republicans have mobilized opposition to any tax bill. It is imperative that these Republicans understand how important it is to the President that this tax bill be passed.

This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask these Members for their vote on the conference report.

Of the four Republican Members of the South Carolina House Delegation (Hartnett, Spence, Campbell and Napier), only John Napier--a freshman Republican from the Sixth District--appears to be firmly against the reconciliation tax bill. The remaining three Members share a common concern about any provision to increase the tax on tobacco products. However, individually, they have indicated openness on the overall tax issue.

Tommy Hartnett represents the First District of South Carolina (southeast South Carolina, including Charleston) and is serving his first term in Congress. He serves on the Armed Services Committee. Tommy is President of the House Republican Freshman Class, is the former head of a realty firm and especially sensitive to the interest rate issue.

Carroll Campbell represents the Fourth Congressional District of South Carolina (northwest South Carolina, including Greenville) and is serving his second term in Congress. He serves on the Appropriations Committee. Carroll recently (Tuesday, August 10, 1982) attended the President's meeting with "Core Group" Members. He has indicated to White House staff that revision in "three or four" areas of the tax bill would lead to his support.

II. BACKGROUND (continued)

Floyd Spence represents the Second District of South Carolina (central South Carolina, including Columbia) and is serving his sixth term in Congress. He is a member of the Armed Services Committee and the House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct. Floyd has not indicated specific concerns one way or another on the tax bill.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury, Donald Regan
OMB Director, David Stockman

Members of Congress

Carroll A. Campbell, Jr. (R-South Carolina)
Thomas A. Hartnett (R-South Carolina)
Floyd Spence (R-South Carolina)

Staff

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1982

MEETING WITH CONGRESSMAN TOBY ROTH (R-WISCONSIN) AND
CONGRESSMAN TOM PETRI (R-WISCONSIN)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 3:20 p.m. - 3:35 p.m. (15 Minutes)
FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *KMD*

I. PURPOSE

To indicate strong Presidential support for the House/Senate tax bill conference and to ask these Members to vote for the conference report.

II. BACKGROUND

Congressman Roth, a second-term Member representing north-east Wisconsin (Green Bay), serves on the Foreign Affairs Committee. The Congressman is leaning against the tax bill. He has a difficult contest for re-election and feels voting in favor of a tax increase will cause him significant campaign problems.

Congressman Petri, whose district (6th) abuts part of Roth's, is serving his 2nd term. He is a member of the Education and Labor Committee and the Select Committee on Aging. He is leaning in favor of the tax reconciliation package. He has expressed general concerns about the political liabilities of supporting a tax increase, but feels he can support the bill.

III. PARTICIPANTS

List attached.

IV. PRESS PLAN

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V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

No specific agenda.

Attachments: Participants (Attachment A)
Talking Points (Attachment B)

ATTACHMENT A

PARTICIPANTS

The President
The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury, Donald Regan
OMB Director, David Stockman

Members of Congress

Bob Michel, Republican Leader (R-Illinois)
Trent Lott, Republican Whip (R-Mississippi)
Toby Roth (R-Wisconsin)
Thomas Petri (R-Wisconsin)

Staff

Edwin Meese
James Baker
Michael Deaver
Lyn Nofziger
Kenneth Duberstein
M. B. Oglesby, Jr.

TALKING POINTS

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- Passing this conference report will help bring down interest rates, thus helping the real estate, auto and construction industries; and, most importantly, small businesses. These lower interest rates are the key to stimulating business recovery.

- Rather than imposing new taxes on working people, this bill tries to insure that everyone pays a fair share of the tax burden. More than three-fourths of the revenue raised comes from increased taxpayer compliance and the closing of tax loopholes.

- I intend to do all I can to help you this fall, but you need to help me by passing this conference report. Lower interest rates and an improving economy will be the best political tonic possible.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MEETING WITH CONGRESSWOMAN VIRGINIA SMITH (R-NEB),
CONGRESSMAN HAL DAUB (R-NEB) AND
CONGRESSMAN DOUG BEREUTER (R-NEB)

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This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask these Members for their vote for the conference report.

Virginia Smith (R-Nebraska) is serving her fourth term in the House. She very much wants to support the President, but is undecided on the tax bill because of the withholding provisions.

Hal Daub (R-Nebraska) is a freshman. He is leaning no on the tax bill because he believes the deficit should be reduced by making spending cuts, not enacting tax increases.

Doug Bereuter (R-Nebraska) is serving his second term in the House. He is undecided on the tax bill and favors the "three martini lunch" provision. However, he is not philosophically opposed to a tax increase.

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See Attached

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Attachment A: Participants List
Attachment B; Talking Points

Attachment A

Participants List

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Secretary of Treasury Donald Regan
OMB Director David Stockman

Congressman Bob Michel (R-Illinois), Republican Leader
Congressman Trent Lott (R-Mississippi), Republican Whip
Congresswoman Virginia Smith (R-Nebraska)
Congressman Hal Daub (R-Nebraska)
Congressman Doug Bereuter (R-Nebraska)

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Attachment B

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MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES ED DERWINSKI
(R-ILLINOIS), GENE TAYLOR
(R-MISSOURI), FRANK HORTON
(R-NEW YORK) AND JOE McDADE
(R-PENNSYLVANIA)

DATE: Thursday, August 12, 1982
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 3:50 P.M. (25 minutes)

FROM: Kenneth M. Duberstein *K. D.*

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This meeting will provide an opportunity for the President to ask the following Members for their vote on the conference report.

Ed Derwinski is a twelve-term Republican from Illinois' Fourth Congressional District (Cook County). He is a member of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs and, as Ranking Republican Member of the House Republican Whip organization, Ed has been a strong and active supporter of Administration initiatives. This year, Representative Derwinski was defeated in the Republican primary by fellow incumbent, George O'Brien. Ed presently is reported to be "leaning for" the tax bill.

Gene Taylor is a fifth term Republican from southwestern Missouri. He serves on the Rules Committee and the Post Office and Civil Service Committee. Gene is former Mayor of Sarcoxie, Missouri and, as a former automobile dealer, he should be particularly sensitive to arguments pertaining to the interest rate issue.

Frank Horton represents the 34th District of New York (north central New York) and is serving his tenth term in Congress. He is the Ranking Republican Member of the Government Operations Committee. On Wednesday, August 11, 1982, Frank Horton, along with Jim Broyhill (R-North Carolina), introduced the President's Department of Energy Reorganization legislation. Frank is leaning towards the bill but has some reservations about specific revenue items.

II. BACKGROUND (continued)

Joe McDade is a tenth term Republican from northeast Pennsylvania. He is the Ranking Republican Member of the House Small Business Committee and the Second Ranking Republican on the House Appropriations Committee. Joe is reported to be "leaning for" the tax bill. He met with the President on August 10, 1982, to discuss the tax bill.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

The Vice President
Secretary of the Treasury, Donald Regan
OMB Director, David Stockman

Members of Congress

Edward J. Derwinski (R-Illinois)
Gene Taylor (R-Missouri)
Frank Horton (R-New York)
Joseph M. McDade (R-Pennsylvania)

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