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WASHINGTON

March 4, 1999

Dear Greg:

Now that the Rambouillet talks have ended, I want to express my personal thanks for the energy and skill you brought to a very tough negotiation. Although difficult work remains and there are no guarantees, you have done a masterful job in helping bring us to a point where the Kosovar Albanian people have a chance for a life without fear and repression.

I commend the tireless efforts by you, and a handful of others, that led to these hopeful developments, and I applaud the persistence and commitment that would not allow you to stop trying, even when prospects for an agreement were faint.

You are a gifted strategist and selfless public servant, and I thank you for your truly significant contribution to the national interest.

Sincerely,

Bill Clinton

The Honorable Gregory L. Schulte
Special Assistant to the President
and Director for Implementation of
the Dayton Accords
National Security Council
Washington, D.C. 20504

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March 4, 1999

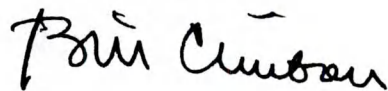
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You are a gifted strategist and selfless public servant, and I thank you for your truly significant contribution to the national interest.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bill Clinton". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Mr. Jonathan E. Levitsky
Special Adviser
Office of the Policy Planning Staff
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20520

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March 4, 1999

Dear Jim:

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Sincerely,

Bill Clinton

Mr. James C. O'Brien
Principal Deputy Director
Office of Policy Planning
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20520

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March 4, 1999

Dear Larry:

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Sincerely,

Bill Clinton

Mr. Lawrence G. Rossin
Director, South Central European Affairs
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20520

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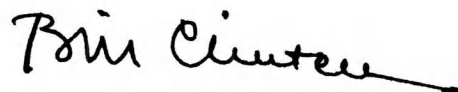
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You are a splendid diplomat and selfless public servant, and I thank you for your truly significant contribution to the national interest.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bill Clinton", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

The Honorable Christopher R. Hill
American Ambassador
Skopje

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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MEMORANDUM FOR: STATE

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TO: PRESIDENT

SOURCE: BERGER

DATE: 24 FEB 99

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February 24, 1999

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: SAMUEL R. BERGER

SUBJECT: Letters of Appreciation to Key Members of our
Rambouillet Negotiating Team

Purpose

Recognize the contributions of Chris Hill, Larry Rossin, Jim O'Brien, Greg Schulte and Jon Levitsky to the progress made during the Rambouillet negotiations.

Background

The agreement at Rambouillet constitutes the most significant progress in a decade toward a just and lasting peace in Kosovo. The letters at Tab A express your appreciation to the members of the U.S. negotiating team who worked so tirelessly (mostly behind the scenes) to make the agreement possible.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letters at Tab A.

Attachment

Tab A Letters of Appreciation

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

February 24, 1999

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MEMORANDUM FOR SAMUEL R. BERGER (K) FM

FROM: EDWARD A. RICE, JR.

SUBJECT: Letters of Appreciation to Key Members of our
Rambouillet Negotiating Team

Attached is a memorandum to the President containing letters of appreciation to Chris Hill, Larry Rossin, Jim O'Brien, Greg Schulte and Jon Levitsky for their work at Rambouillet.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the memorandum at Tab I.

Attachments

Tab I Memorandum to the President
Tab A Letters of Appreciation