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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

May 24, 1999

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR SAMUEL R. BERGER

THROUGH: GREG SCHULTE *h*

FROM: SAMUEL MOYN *Sam*

SUBJECT: POTUS Reply to Representative Goodling

Attached at Tab I is your memorandum to the President forwarding a draft response to Representative Bill Goodling regarding decisions in Kosovo.

Concurrences by: *MH* *MT* Mike Hurley; Mark Tavlarides

RECOMMENDATION

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

Attachments

Tab I Memorandum to the President

Tab A Proposed Response to Representative Goodling

Tab B Incoming Correspondence

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: SAMUEL BERGER
LARRY STEIN

SUBJECT: Response to Representative Goodling

Purpose

Respond to Representative Goodling regarding decisions in Kosovo.

Background

Representative Goodling sent you a note imploring you not to deploy ground forces in Yugoslavia.

In your reply, you explain NATO policy with regard to ground troops. You explain that while you have not taken any option off the table, the focus at present is on the deployment of American ground forces at part of the international security presence with NATO at its core.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letter at Tab A.

Attachments

Tab A Letter to Rep. Goodling
Tab B Incoming Correspondence

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Dear Representative Goodling:

Thank you for note expressing your deep concern about deploying ground forces into Yugoslavia. I wish to respond by explaining our policy and our objectives, and why I think we can succeed.

The staggering brutality of Mr. Milosevic's ethnic cleansing in Kosovo, the fact that it was taking place on NATO's doorstep, and the potential to destabilize the surrounding region all demanded a response. Only after every diplomatic option had been explored and exhausted did we and our NATO allies reluctantly resort to force. Ethnic hatred has caused too much death and suffering in this century. On the eve of the 21st century we could not let so massive an onslaught go unchallenged.

The objective of our ongoing engagement is and remains straightforward: to create the conditions whereby the refugees can return to their homes with security and self-government. These conditions will be met when Mr. Milosevic withdraws his forces, allows the refugees to return unconditionally, and permits the deployment of an international security force to protect all Kosovars, both ethnic Albanian and Serb. Our military operations, and our diplomatic initiatives, are all aimed at achieving this end.

Over the last two months the Alliance has remained united and resolute in pursuing this objective. Its air campaign is exacting an ever higher price from Milosevic. We have badly damaged the infrastructure that supports his war-making machine. We have functionally degraded Serbia's petroleum and oil refining capability and interrupted its electrical power supply throughout the country. And each day NATO air strikes cause further damage to his forces deployed in the field.

In recent days we have seen indications that the air campaign and Mr. Milosevic's self-destructive policies have begun to open fissures of dissent in the FRY. Demonstrations against those

policies occurred in several cities. Serb police used heavy-handed tactics to disperse a crowd protesting against the government's deception concerning the human cost of the conflict. More than 1,000 VJ reservists deserted their units in Kosovo to return to their towns in response to the mistreatment of their families by police.

We are also seeing evidence of movement by Mr. Milosevic. Recently, for the first time he publicly accepted the international community's principles for ending the conflict, though he demanded the details be negotiated directly with the United Nations. He and his advisors clearly miscalculated NATO's resolve, and may be finally coming to the realization that they cannot outlast the Alliance.

I understand your concerns about deploying ground forces in Yugoslavia. However, we cannot succeed if Milosevic's security forces are not replaced with an effective international security force deployed in Kosovo with his consent. This means a military force with NATO at its core, with NATO command and control and rules of engagement. This also means a force with U.S. participation. NATO had planned for such a Kosovo Force (KFOR) prior to the air strikes, and is now in the process of updating that planning, on the assumption of a "permissive" environment. I have not ruled out other options, since it is useful to keep Mr. Milosevic uncertain. However, I can assure that I would think long and hard, and consult closely with Congress, before ever committing American soldiers to combat in Kosovo.

We do not believe our measured intervention in Kosovo will become a slippery slope. Rather, we believe our involvement, as I have outlined it, is justified; it is also working. Again, thank you for your thoughts.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Bill Goodling
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

TO: PRESIDENT


FROM: GOODLING, WILLIAM F

DOC DATE: 19 APR 99
SOURCE REF: 301911

KEYWORDS: KOSOVO
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MILITARY POSTURE

PERSONS:

SUBJECT: AGAINST GROUND TROOPS IN KOSOVO

ACTION: PREPARE MEMO FOR BERGER

DUE DATE: 10 MAY 99 STATUS: S

STAFF OFFICER: HURLEY

LOGREF:

FILES: PA

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3819

April 19, 1999

President William Clinton
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20500-0005

Dear Mr. President:

Please, please, please no ground troops in Yugoslavia. I know you know the history of the Balkans. We will be mired down in that mess for years to come with body bags coming back to this country, and then the necessity for a draft will make Vietnam protests look like a Sunday school picnic. I'm sure that is not what you want the legacy of your presidency to be.

Sincerely,

Bill

BILL GOODLING
Member of Congress

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 26, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR GLYN T. DAVIES
NSC Executive Secretariat

FROM: JANET MURGUIA
Legislative Affairs

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Attached are copies of letters sent to the President by various Members of Congress. Since these letters address national security issues, we would appreciate your assistance in drafting the responses.

Thank you very much for your assistance. If you have any questions, please call Eli Joseph at x67500.

The following is a brief description of the letters:

- 1) Sen. Max Cleland (D-GA), Sen. Pat Roberts (R-KS) and Sen. Olympia J. Snowe (R-ME), concerning the current situation in Kosovo and the Snowe-Cleland Amendment to the National Defense Authorization Act of 1999;
- 2) Sen. Daniel K. Inouye (D-HI), concerning the President's upcoming meeting with Prime Minister Obuchi of Japan and next year's G-8 summit to be hosted by Japan;
- 3) Sen. George V. Voinovich (R-OH) and Sen. Michael D. Crapo (R-ID), concerning the current situation in Kosovo;
- 4) Rep. Benjamin A. Gilman (R-NY), concerning the future stability of Southeastern Europe in light of the current conflict in Serbia-Montenegro;
- 5) Rep. Benjamin A. Gilman (R-NY), recommending the sale of long-range early warning radar to Taiwan;
- 6) Rep. William F. Goodling (R-PA), concerning the current situation in Kosovo;

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- 7) Rep. Joseph M. Hoeffel (D-PA) and seventeen other Members of Congress, concerning the current situation in Kosovo;
- 8) Rep. Cynthia McKinney (D-GA), concerning possible human rights violations at the Buenos Aires Yoga School in Argentina;
- 9) Rep. Jose E. Serrano (D-NY), concerning the American military presence on the Island of Vieques;
- 10) Rep. Christopher H. Smith (R-NJ), concerning the NATO summit and countries that have expressed an interest in joining the Alliance;
- 11) Rep. Christopher H. Smith (R-NJ) and four other Members of Congress, expressing concern over the massive inflow of foreign aid into Indonesia in light of upcoming national elections; and,
- 12) Rep. Frank R. Wolf (R-VA), enclosing a copy of his remarks from the floor of the House of Representatives on April 21 concerning the current situation in Kosovo.

Enclosures

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 21, 1999

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE BILL GOODLING

SUBJECT: OPPOSES THE DEPLOYMENT OF GROUND TROOPS IN
YUGOSLAVIA

		ACTION		DISPOSITION	
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM

TO: *Glyn T. Davies*

DATE: 4/1/99

FROM: Tim Emrich
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COMMENTS:

The NSC staff sees no compelling foreign policy benefit to be gained by scheduling this meeting.

Glyn T. Davies
Executive Secretary

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30 March 1999,

To President of USA

REQUEST FOR EXTREMELY URGENT APPOINTMENT

Dear Clifton,

I was just granted a US patent for discovering new insulin for diabetic people. This particular insulin will be given only once per a week to the patients with *Diabetes Mellitus*. I represented US at 14 Th. International Diabetes Federation Conference, Kobe, Japan in 1994. Currently, I am at Yale Medical School working on the vaccine to prevent Diabetes in humans. According to American medical experts I already gave a contribution to medicine and humanity.

I did not go to work since last Friday.

I am a Serb. My parents and two brothers are just below the bombs.

I would like to make an appointment to see and talk to President in the name Serb Scientists. I will not talk about human disasters, or who is wrong in this very moment. I think I can offer a solution for consideration that might be agreeable to people in charge for this action. To me it is crucial to suggest this plan. **I feel intellectual, human and medical duty to take this step.**

Could you put a rush for my appointment as quick as possible.

Thank you .

Sincerely yours,

Jelena Mandic

Dr. Jelena Mandic

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

May 24, 1999

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR SAMUEL R. BERGER

THROUGH: GREG SCHULTE *JS*

FROM: SAMUEL MOYN *SM*

SUBJECT: Presidential Letter to Representative Mac Collins
Regarding Decisions in Kosovo

Attached at Tab I is your memorandum to the President forwarding a draft response to Representative Collins regarding policy in Kosovo.

Concurrences by: *MH* *MT* Mike Hurley; Mark Tavlarides

RECOMMENDATION

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

Attachments

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: SAMUEL BERGER
LARRY STEIN

SUBJECT: Response to Representative Mac Collins Regarding
Kosovo

Purpose

Respond to Representative Collins's recent letter on Kosovo.

Background

Representative Mac Collins wrote you regarding ongoing events in Kosovo. He urges a pause in the bombing in order to pursue a diplomatic solution to the crisis.

In your response, you note that the aerial bombardment began because of the failure of purely diplomatic attempts to end Milosevic's ethnic cleansing. You add that diplomatic work continues to be active even as the bombing continues. Finally, you explain why NATO policy is working, highlighting dissent within the FRY.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letter at Tab A.

Attachments

Tab A Letter to Representative Collins
Tab B Incoming Correspondence

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Dear Representative Collins:

Thank you for the thoughtful letter expressing your concerns about the conflict in Kosovo. Your experience with, and deep interest in, Balkan affairs add weight to your insights and I take them very seriously.

The staggering brutality of Mr. Milosevic's ethnic cleansing in Kosovo, the fact that it was taking place on NATO's doorstep, and the potential to destabilize the surrounding region all demanded a response. Only after every diplomatic option had been explored and exhausted did we and our NATO allies reluctantly resort to force. Ethnic hatred has caused too much death and suffering in this century. On the eve of the 21st century we could not let so massive an onslaught go unchallenged.

Concerning your recommendation of a bombing pause, Mr. Milosevic knows exactly what he must do to end the bombing. He must: end the violence, withdraw all Serb forces -- including paramilitary and police forces -- from the province, allow all refugees to return to their homes, and accept the stationing of an international security force to protect all Kosovars, both ethnic Albanian and Serb. The refugees will only return to their homes if their security is assured. For that very reason we cannot accept any Serb proposal that falls short of NATO's fundamental conditions.

The air campaign is exacting an ever higher price from Milosevic. We have badly damaged the infrastructure that supports his war-making machine. We have functionally degraded Serbia's petroleum and oil refining capability and interrupted its electrical power supply throughout the country. And each

day NATO air strikes cause further damage to his forces deployed in the field.

NATO's bombing of the Chinese Embassy was a tragic mistake. I have expressed our regret for this action to President Ziang. NATO is making every effort to minimize casualties to civilians. In those instances when casualties unfortunately have occurred, they have been unintentional. This stands in stark contrast to the intentional, pre-meditated killing of thousands of military-age ethnic Albanian males, rape of women, and pillaging carried out by Serb security forces. Nor does it remotely compare with Belgrade's forcible deportation of hundreds of thousands of Kosovars.

In recent days we have seen indications that the air campaign and Mr. Milosevic's self-destructive policies have begun to open fissures of dissent in the FRY. Demonstrations against those policies occurred in several cities. Serb police used heavy-handed tactics to disperse a crowd protesting against the government's deception concerning the human cost of the conflict. More than 1,000 VJ reservists deserted their units in Kosovo to return to their towns in response to the mistreatment of their families by police.

I want to assure you that we are pressing forward on the diplomatic front as you urge. We are actively engaging the Russians in this effort; last week Deputy Secretary of State Strobe Talbott met with Russian Special Kosovo Envoy Chernomyrdin and Finnish President Ahtisaari on Kosovo and is meeting again with them this week. We are working with the international community to align Russia with NATO's conditions, and to prepare elements of a United Nations Security Council Resolution that would reinforce NATO's demands and endorse the establishment of an international force and provisional administration for Kosovo.

NATO's campaign and these diplomatic initiatives are having an effect, as we are seeing evidence of movement by Mr. Milosevic. Recently, for the first time he publicly accepted the international community's principles for ending the conflict, though he demanded the details be negotiated directly with the United Nations. He and his advisors clearly miscalculated

NATO's resolve, and may be finally coming to the realization that they cannot outlast the Alliance.

I hope these remarks are able to allay some of your concerns about the goals of NATO's military action. Thank you again for your thoughts.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Mac Collins
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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FROM: COLLINS, MAC

DOC DATE: 10 MAY 99
SOURCE REF: 304321

KEYWORDS: KOSOVO
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PERSONS:

SUBJECT: URGES PAUSE IN BOMBING FOR DIPLOMATIC EFFORTS

ACTION: PREPARE MEMO FOR BERGER

DUE DATE: 29 MAY 99 STATUS: S

STAFF OFFICER: HURLEY

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MAC COLLINS
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May 10, 1999

The Honorable William J. Clinton
President of the United States
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20500-0005

Dear Mr. President:

I write to express my grave concerns regarding the ongoing hostilities on the Balkan Peninsula and urge an immediate pause in the bombing to pursue a diplomatic solution to the crisis.

As you are aware, the Balkans have been a major area of concern for me, and I have traveled to the region on several occasions, most recently with a bicameral delegation that visited Albania and Macedonia in April. Even in the face of continuing air strikes, ethnic cleansing and human rights violations have accelerated, rather than decreased. Rather than gaining political autonomy, Kosovar Albanians have lost their homes and been expelled from Yugoslavia. Furthermore, in spite of over a month of intensive bombing, we have failed to degrade Yugoslav forces to the degree necessary to insure the safety of Kosovar Albanians. In fact, the bombing has failed even to provide a safe environment in which NATO warplanes may operate, because most Yugoslav air defenses remain in service. Furthermore, continuing hostilities are sure to result in additional mistakes such as the bombing of the Chinese Embassy in Belgrade -- an attack that was completely uncalled for.

There are opportunities on the diplomatic front that should be pursued aggressively. The sooner that the fighting ends, the sooner that Kosovar Albanians can begin to rebuild their lives. I urge you to order an immediate pause in U.S. air strikes against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia in order to pursue good faith negotiations seeking a final solution to the conflict. Our experience in Bosnia has shown that Russia can serve as an important partner in seeking solutions in the region, and I urge you to take full advantage of their peacemaking efforts and of the close historical and ethnic ties that Russians and Serbians share. We must make the most of every opportunity for peace so that more young Americans will not be required to make the ultimate sacrifice in the Balkans.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mac Collins

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: MAY 12, 1999

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE MAC COLLINS

SUBJECT: EXPRESSES CONCERN REGARDING ONGOING
HOSTILITIES ON THE BALKAN PENINSULA & URGE AN
IMMEDIATE PAUSE IN THE BOMBING TO PURSUE A
DIPLOMATIC SOLUTION TO THE CRISIS

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 17, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR GLYN T. DAVIES
NSC Executive Secretariat

FROM: JANET MURGUIA *JM*
Legislative Affairs

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Attached are copies of letters sent to the President by various Members of Congress. Since these letters address national security issues, we would appreciate your assistance in drafting the responses.

Thank you very much for your assistance. If you have any questions, please call Eli Joseph at x67500.

The following is a brief description of the letters:

- 1) Rep. Mac Collins (R-GA), concerning the current situation in Kosovo; and,
- 2) Rep. John D. Dingell (D-MI) and Rep. Nick J. Rahall, II (D-WV), concerning the current Israeli election and the potential closing of the Orient House.

Enclosures

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

May 24, 1999

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR SAMUEL R. BERGER

THROUGH:

GREG SCHULTE *MS*

FROM:

MIKE HURLEY *MH*

SUBJECT:

Presidential Letter to Representative Sheila Jackson-Lee

Attached at Tab I is your memorandum to the President forwarding a response to Representative Sheila Jackson-Lee. She wrote to the President requesting a 72-hour pause in NATO's bombing of the FRY in order to pursue a diplomatic settlement.

RECOMMENDATION

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

Concurrences by:

MT
Mark Tavlarides

RECOMMENDATION

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

Attachments

Tab I Memorandum to the President

Tab A Letter to Representative Jackson-Lee

Tab B Incoming correspondence

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: SAMUEL BERGER
LARRY STEIN

SUBJECT: Response to Letter from Representative Sheila
Jackson-Lee

Purpose

To respond to a letter from Representative Sheila Jackson-Lee concerning Kosovo.

Background

Representative Sheila Jackson-Lee wrote to you to comment favorably on Reverend Jackson's successful negotiations that led to the release of the three American soldiers and to urge that you consider a 72-hour pause in NATO's bombing of the FRY so that the United States and NATO may press for a diplomatic settlement. She also briefly described her recent trip to Macedonia and Albania where she saw the effects of the humanitarian crisis.

Your reply praises the results of Reverend Jackson's efforts. It describes the fissures that are beginning to appear in Serbia and explains that for the bombing to pause, Milosevic must clearly and demonstrably accept the international community's conditions to end the bombing.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letter at Tab A.

Attachments

Tab A Letter to Representative Jackson-Lee
Tab B Incoming correspondence

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Dear Sheila:

Thank you for your letter on Kosovo. I deeply appreciate your thoughts and am particularly gratified to learn you were able to visit with American troops on your recent congressional trip to Europe and the Balkans. The courage and fortitude of America's military men and women will continue to be essential as we respond to Mr. Milosevic's repression in Kosovo. I also appreciate you sharing with me your experiences gained from talking with the victims of that repression.

I share your appreciation for Reverend Jesse Jackson's successful efforts in gaining the release of our three American soldiers. I met with Jesse and conveyed my heartfelt thanks for yet another inestimable service he has rendered to his country.

I take very seriously your request that NATO implement a 72-hour pause in its bombing and I wish to explain why we and our NATO allies believe we must press forward with strikes, even as we are pursuing a diplomatic resolution. Were we confronting an adversary other than Mr. Milosevic, such a pause might be appropriate. But the West has a long history of dealing with Mr. Milosevic, whose hate-filled nationalistic policies have triggered four wars in the last decade, causing unimaginable misery to hundreds of thousands. He has violated every obligation he has undertaken, and for more than a year he rejected every overture toward peace in Kosovo.

Mr. Milosevic's forces continue to murder innocent civilians in Kosovo and the mass expulsion of ethnic Albanians from their homes. Just this past weekend, thousands more refugees streamed across the border toward safe haven in Macedonia and Albania. Given his blatant defiance of everything we and our allies hold dear, we are determined to continue the air campaign until Mr. Milosevic clearly and demonstrably accepts NATO's conditions to end the bombing. Those conditions will be met when Mr. Milosevic withdraws his forces, allows the refugees to return unconditionally, and permits the deployment of an international

security force to protect all Kosovars, both ethnic Albanian and Serb.

Over the last two months the Alliance has remained united and resolute in pursuing its objective of creating the conditions whereby the refugees can return to their homes with security and self-government. Its air campaign is exacting an ever higher price from Mr. Milosevic. We have badly damaged the infrastructure that supports his war-making machine. We have functionally degraded Serbia's petroleum and oil refining capability and interrupted its electrical power supply throughout the country. And each day NATO air strikes cause further damage to his forces deployed in the field.

In recent days we have seen indications that NATO's air campaign and Mr. Milosevic's self-destructive policies have begun to open fissures of dissent in the FRY. Demonstrations against those policies occurred in several cities. Serb police used heavy-handed tactics to disperse a crowd protesting against the government's deception concerning the human cost of the conflict. More than 1,000 VJ reservists deserted their units in Kosovo to return to their towns in response to the mistreatment of their families by police.

I want to assure you that we are pressing forward on the diplomatic front as you urge. We are actively engaging the Russians in this effort; last week Deputy Secretary of State Strobe Talbott met with Russian Special Kosovo Envoy Chernomyrdin and Finnish President Ahtisaari on Kosovo and is meeting again with them this week. We are working with the international community to align Russia with NATO's conditions, and to prepare elements of a United Nations Security Council Resolution that would reinforce NATO's demands and endorse the establishment of an international force and provisional administration for Kosovo.

NATO's campaign and these diplomatic initiatives are having an effect, as we are seeing evidence of movement by Mr. Milosevic. Recently, for the first time he publicly accepted the international community's principles for ending the conflict, though he demanded the details be negotiated directly with the United Nations. He and his advisors clearly miscalculated NATO's resolve, and may be finally coming to the realization that they cannot outlast the Alliance.

I firmly believe that NATO's air campaign is not only justified, it is demanded, and it is working. In recent days I have met

with many Americans who expressed the conviction that America's moral leadership in this crisis is a defining moment as the world prepares to enter the new millenium. I appreciate your kind offer of assistance and will not hesitate to call on you. Thank you for your support and for your insights.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Sheila Jackson-Lee
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

TO: PRESIDENT

FROM: JACKSON-LEE, SHEILA

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Hand Delivered

May 6, 1999

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May 12, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR GLYN T. DAVIES
NSC Executive Secretariat

FROM: JANET MURGUIA
Legislative Affairs

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Attached are copies of letters sent to the President by various Members of Congress. Since these letters address national security issues, we would appreciate your assistance in drafting the responses.

Thank you very much for your assistance. If you have any questions, please call Eli Joseph at x67500.

The following is a brief description of the letters:

- 1) Sen. Charles E. Grassley (R-IA), concerning alleged links between the Kosovo Liberation Army (KLA) and drug trafficking;
- 2) Rep. Neil Abercrombie (D-HI), concerning the meetings of the U.S. Congressional delegation and Russian Duma in Vienna, Austria;
- 3) Rep. David Dreier (D-CA) and seventy-eight other Members of Congress, concerning export control thresholds for computers;
- 4) Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee (D-TX), concerning the current situation in Kosovo;
- 5) Rep. Curt Weldon (R-PA) and ten other Members of Congress, concerning the meetings of the U.S. Congressional delegation and Russian Duma in Vienna, Austria;
- 6) Rep. Frank R. Wolf (R-VA), requesting that the President appoint former Sen. Paul Simon (D-IL) as a special envoy to Sudan; and,
- 7) Rep. Frank R. Wolf (R-VA), requesting that the President appoint a special envoy to Sudan.

Enclosures

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

May 25, 1999

Dear Sister Murray:

Thank you for your letter concerning the situation in Kosovo. We appreciate your candor and your views on the best way to arrive at a just and secure peace, the objective that has always been our fundamental aim in the region.

The staggering brutality of Mr. Milosevic's ethnic cleansing in Kosovo, the fact that it was taking place on NATO's doorstep, and the destabilizing effect it was having on the surrounding region demanded a response. Only after every diplomatic option had been explored and exhausted did we and our allies reluctantly resort to force. Ethnic hatred has caused too much death and suffering in this century. On the eve of the 21st Century we could not let so massive an onslaught on a people go unchallenged. Even as military action is underway, we continue to explore all diplomatic opportunities in an effort to achieve a just peace for the region.

Mr. Milosevic knows what he must do for NATO to end the bombing: end the violence; withdraw all Serb security forces from the province; allow all refugees to return to their homes; and accept the stationing of an international security force to protect all Kosovars. The refugees will only return to their homes if these conditions are met.

In standing up to those committing such unspeakable crimes, we firmly believe the United States and NATO allies are following the right course of action.

Thank you again for your letter.

Sincerely,

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Gregory L. Schulte
Special Assistant to the President
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Re: Serbia, Kosovo, and U.S. Bombing

Dear President Clinton:

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In the service of coercive diplomacy, you have made military threats against parties to the conflict in Kosovo. You have gambled on the outcome. You have lost the bet. Regrettably, you have placed all your eggs in the war basket. To save face you may now feel compelled to carry out the war threat. That would be an incalculable mistake.

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We urge you to gamble again on another risky approach: seeking peace through peaceful means. You can win peace and a victory for human rights in Kosovo by creating new options through intensive multilateral, non-coercive diplomacy.

Your job is to narrow the choices for the representatives of Serbia and Kosovo to choosing participation in an ongoing political process for a peacefully negotiated outcome. Better to take years of political talking and spend millions of dollars on this kind of war prevention than to spend billions for a military imposed "peace" that will require decades of occupation forces to maintain.

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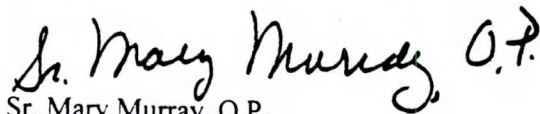
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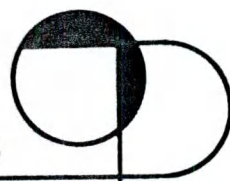
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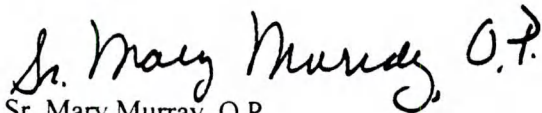
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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

January 21, 1999

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MEMORANDUM FOR SAMUEL R. BERGER

FROM: GREG SCHULTE

SUBJECT: Kosovo -- "The Day After"

I attach at your request a proposed memorandum to the President describing the four "day after" options emerging from yesterday's PC.

Concurrence by: James Baker ^{JB}

RECOMMENDATION

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

Attachment

Tab I Memorandum to the President

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Attached is the revised version of the POTUS Kosovo memo (383). Unclear whether Sandy will give this to POTUS during NSB time. He may return and deliver to POTUS later today. We'll let you know status ASAP. Thanks.



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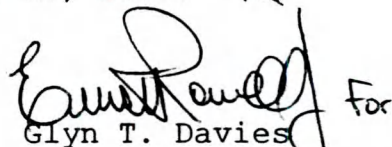
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Meeting on Kosovo on May 15, 1999 (C)

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Glyn T. Davies
Executive Secretary

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James SteinbergCIA:

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Alan Van EgmondWhite House:
Donald KerrickUSUN:
Alan RombergNSC:
Greg Schulte
James Baker
Matthew VaccaroOMB:
Robert KyleSummary of Conclusions

It was agreed that:

- Deputy Secretary Talbott should proceed with his trip to Helsinki to meet with Russian Special Envoy Chernomyrdin and Finnish President Ahtisaari. However, he would not present

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any figures for a limited number of FRY forces that might be allowed to return to Kosovo under international supervision following the withdrawal of all FRY military, police and paramilitary forces. (Action: State) (S)

- Ambassador Dobbins should discuss UK "roadmap" and draft UN Security Council resolution with "quint" allies. However, the draft resolution should not be discussed with the Russians in the G-8 at this time. (Action: State) (C)
- Detailed planning for an international provisional administration should proceed on the basis of the concept presented to Deputies. This should include:
 - briefing the concept to "quint" allies;
 - identifying key functional tasks where the USG has a comparative advantage;
 - beginning to identify personnel for priority tasks;
 - beginning to plan for advance procedure of equipment and training for personnel;
 - preparing for advance consultations with Congress;
 - considering funding issues;
 - developing a system to augment existing planning cells to boost capacity once a decision is made on the institutions to lead an international provisional administration;
 - identifying other ways to speed deployment.(Action: State) (C)

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MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES STEINBERG

FROM: GREG SCHULTE 

SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions for Deputies Committee
Meeting on Kosovo on May 15, 1999

The memorandum at Tab I summarizes the conclusions from the Deputies Committee meeting on Kosovo that you chaired on May 15.

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve the summary of conclusions at Tab A and authorize that it be distributed to agencies.

Approve  _____

Disapprove _____

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Tab A Summary of Conclusions

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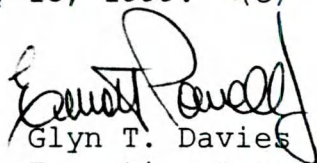
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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

Summary of Conclusions for
Meeting of the NSC Deputies Committee

DATE: May 13, 1999

LOCATION: Situation Room

TIME: 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions of Deputies Committee Meeting
on Kosovo (TS)

PARTICIPANTS:

Chair:

James Steinberg

CIA:

John Gordon

(b)(3)

OVP:

Leon Fuerth

Leslie Davidson

AID:

Michael Mahdesian

State:

Thomas Pickering

James Dobbins

James Pardew

Robert Gelbard

James O'Brien

James Metz

JCS:

Joseph Ralston

Bruce Wright

John Donovan

USNATO:

Alexander Vershbow (via secure
voice)

Treasury:

Richard Newcomb

John Moran

White House:

Donald Kerrick

Defense:

Walter Slocombe

James Bodner

Alan Van Egmond

NSC:

Greg Schulte

Matthew Vaccaro

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OMB:

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Summary of Conclusions

It was agreed that:

- Agencies should provide comments on the UK "roadmap" for Kosovo to the Department of State. (Action: All) (C)
- Elements of a Kosovo UN Security Council Resolution should be discussed with allies in the "quint" but not yet with the Russians. (Action: State) (C)
- Deputies would recommend to Principals that the two Serb POWs in U.S. custody be released in the immediate future in order to encourage a practice of early release and because neither had given meaningful consent to an interview by the UN International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia. (Action: NSC) (C)
- Since there was no sign of movement by Milosevic toward NATO's conditions, it would be premature for President Ahtisaari to go to Belgrade. (Action: State) (C)

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- The Departments of State and Treasury should send a team to Brussels to assist the EU in implementing an effective sanctions regime. (Action: State, Treasury) (C)
- Pressure should be applied to Ukraine, Romania and Bulgaria to cut off oil supplies to the FRY. (Action: State) (C)
- Consideration should be given to:
 - ways of blocking traffic through the locks on the Danube;
 - destruction of oil offloading facilities on the Danube;
 - ways to discourage third countries from shipping oil on the Danube or to FRY ports on the Adriatic. (Action: State, JCS, Treasury) (C)

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WH Situation Room
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MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES STEINBERG

FROM: GREG SCHULTE *ps*
SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions for Deputies Committee
Meeting on Kosovo on May 13, 1999

The memorandum at Tab I summarizes the conclusions from the Deputies Committee meeting on Kosovo that you chaired on May 13.

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve the summary of conclusions at Tab A and authorize that it be distributed to agencies.

Approve *JS* Disapprove _____

Attachments

Tab I Memorandum for Signature
Tab A Summary of Conclusions

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Executive Secretary
Department of State

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Executive Secretary
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Executive Secretary
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Central Intelligence Agency

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Executive Secretary
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Development

COL. M. MANNING, USMC
Secretary, Joint Staff

SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions for Deputies Committee
Meeting on Kosovo on May 13, 1999 *let*

Attached at Tab A is the summary of conclusions for the Deputies
Committee meeting on Kosovo on May 13, 1999. *(c)*

Glyn T. Davies
Executive Secretary

Attachment
Tab A Summary of Conclusions

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FROM: SCHULTE

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From: Joshi, M. Kay
Sent: Friday, April 09, 1999 12:11 PM
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Cc: @EXECSEC - Executive Secretary; @INTEL - Intelligence Programs; @LEGAL - Legal Advisor; @LEGISLAT - Legislative Affairs; @PRESS - Public Affairs; @SENIORS - Senior Directors; @UP - APNSA Special Assistants; @VP - VP Natl Security Affairs; @WHSR - WH Situation Room; Marsh, Thomas S
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The Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia scheduled for Tuesday, April 13, has been postponed. I will let everyone know when it is rescheduled.

Thank you.

-----Original Message-----

From: Joshi, M. Kay
Sent: Tuesday, April 06, 1999 11:52 AM
To: @BOSNIA - Bosnian Affairs
Cc: @EXECSEC - Executive Secretary; @INTEL - Intelligence Programs; @LEGAL - Legal Advisor; @LEGISLAT - Legislative Affairs; @PRESS - Public Affairs; @SENIORS - Senior Directors; @UP - APNSA Special Assistants; @VP - VP Natl Security Affairs; @WHSR - WH Situation Room; Marsh, Thomas S
Subject: RE: PC on Bosnia [CONFIDENTIAL]

The Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia has been rescheduled once again. It will be held on Tuesday, April 13, from 2:30 - 4:00 p.m., in the Situation Room.

-----Original Message-----

From: Joshi, M. Kay
Sent: Thursday, April 01, 1999 10:27 AM
To: @BOSNIA - Bosnian Affairs
Cc: @EXECSEC - Executive Secretary; @INTEL - Intelligence Programs; @LEGAL - Legal Advisor; @LEGISLAT - Legislative Affairs; @PRESS - Public Affairs; @SENIORS - Senior Directors; @UP - APNSA Special Assistants; @VP - VP Natl Security Affairs; @WHSR - WH Situation Room; Marsh, Thomas S
Subject: RE: PC on Bosnia [CONFIDENTIAL]

The Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia scheduled for Friday, April 2, has been rescheduled for Friday, April 9, from 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

-----Original Message-----

From: Joshi, M. Kay
Sent: Friday, March 26, 1999 10:45 AM
To: @BOSNIA - Bosnian Affairs
Cc: @EXECSEC - Executive Secretary; @INTEL - Intelligence Programs; @LEGAL - Legal Advisor; @LEGISLAT - Legislative Affairs; @PRESS - Public Affairs; @SENIORS - Senior Directors; @UP - APNSA Special Assistants; @VP - VP Natl Security Affairs; @WHSR - WH Situation Room; Marsh, Thomas S
Subject: RE: PC on Bosnia [CONFIDENTIAL]

The Principals Committee meeting scheduled for Tuesday, March 30, has been rescheduled for Friday, April 2, from 2:30 - 4:00 p.m. All agencies have been notified.

-----Original Message-----

From: Joshi, M. Kay
Sent: Friday, March 19, 1999 3:41 PM
To: @BOSNIA - Bosnian Affairs
Cc: @EXECSEC - Executive Secretary; @INTEL - Intelligence Programs; @LEGAL - Legal Advisor; @LEGISLAT - Legislative Affairs; @PRESS - Public Affairs; @SENIORS - Senior Directors; @UP - APNSA Special Assistants; @VP - VP Natl Security Affairs; @WHSR - WH Situation Room; Marsh, Thomas S
Subject: RE: PC on Bosnia [CONFIDENTIAL]

The Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia scheduled for Tuesday, March 23, has been rescheduled for Tuesday, March 30, 2:30 - 4:00 p.m., in the Situation Room.

-----Original Message-----

From: Joshi, M. Kay
Sent: Friday, March 19, 1999 10:01 AM
To: @BOSNIA - Bosnian Affairs
Cc: @EXECSEC - Executive Secretary; @INTEL - Intelligence Programs; @LEGAL - Legal Advisor; @LEGISLAT - Legislative Affairs; @PRESS - Public Affairs; @SENIORS - Senior Directors; @UP - APNSA Special Assistants; @VP - VP Natl Security Affairs; @WHSR - WH Situation Room; Marsh, Thomas S
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Mr. Berger will chair a Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia on Tuesday, March 23, from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m., in the Situation Room. Attendance is as follows:

OVP (plus one)
State (plus one)
Defense (principal only)
Justice (principal only)
USUN (principal only)
Chief of Staff (principal only)
CIA (plus one)
JCS (plus one)
Richard Holbrooke

If you have any questions, please let me know as soon as possible.

Thank you.

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20504

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March 30, 1999

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR SAMUEL R. BERGER

FROM: GREG SCHULTE *7 on original*
SUBJECT: Principals Committee Meeting on Bosnia --
April 9, 1999

Attached is the draft agenda for the Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia scheduled for April 9, 1999.

RECOMMENDATION

That you approve the draft agenda at Tab A and authorize Glyn Davies to sign memorandum to agencies at Tab I.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

Attachment

Tab I Memorandum to Agencies
Tab A Draft Agenda

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MEMORANDUM FOR

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Central Intelligence Agency

MS. FRANCES F. TOWNSEND
Counsel for Intelligence
Policy
Department of Justice

COL. M. MANNING, USMC
Secretary, Joint Staff

SUBJECT: Principals Committee Meeting on Bosnia (X)

There will be a Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia on
April 9, 1999 from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m., in the Situation Room of
the White House. An agenda is attached at Tab A. (X)

Glyn T. Davies
Executive Secretary

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NSC PRINCIPALS COMMITTEE MEETING ON BOSNIA

DATE: April 9, 1999
LOCATION: Situation Room
TIME: 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. Situation in Republika Srpska.State
- II. SFOR Restructuring Options. JCS
- III. Efforts Against Persons Indicted for War Crimes. . .JCS

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MEMORANDUM FOR

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Secretary, Joint Staff

SUBJECT: Principals Committee Meeting on Bosnia (C)

There will be a Principals Committee meeting on Bosnia on
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FROM: GREG SCHULTE *GS*

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April 9, 1999

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RECOMMENDATION

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Approve _____ Disapprove _____

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NSC PRINCIPALS COMMITTEE MEETING ON BOSNIA

DATE: April 2, 1999
LOCATION: Situation Room
TIME: 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

AGENDA

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