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Dr. Currie, ~~Assistant Secretary of Defense~~ -- DDR&E,
briefing

*Wm. E. Allright - Asst. to Currie
697-1282 J. Speer*

Subject: Defense R&D Budget and programs

Place: Roosevelt Room

Time: Tuesday, March 16, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Participants:

Attending

- Jack Marsh* ✓
- Max Friedersdorf ✓
- ✓ Bob Wolhuis ✓
- ✓ Russ Rourke ✓
- ✓ Charlie Leppert ✓
- ✓ Vern Loen ✓
- ✓ Bill Kendall ✓
- ✓ Ray Waldmann ✓
- ✓ *Tom* ✓
- ✓ *Marion 352* ✓
- ✓ *Mike Duval* ✓
- ✓ *Phil Buchan* ✓

Jim Conna ✓

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- ✓ Jim Fazio ✓
- ✓ Sally Botasi ✓
- ✓ Bill Hyland ✓
- ✓ McFarlane ✓
- ✓ Dr. Elliott ✓

- ✓ Mr. Smith (Elliott's asst.)
- ✓ Dick Boverie
- ✓ Roger Molander
- ✓ Dennis Clift ✓
- ✓ Brent Seaveroff ✓

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Place:

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Time: ~~Friday, March 12 11:00~~

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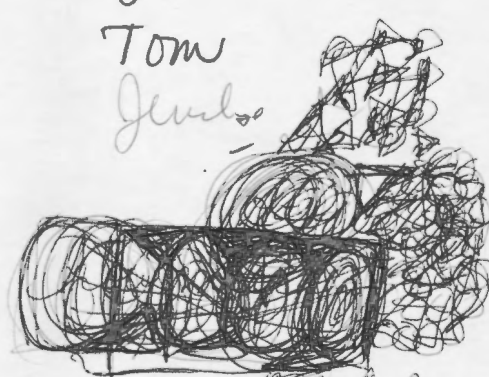
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- Russ Rourke
- Ray Waldmann
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- ~~Bill Baroody - (?) NO~~

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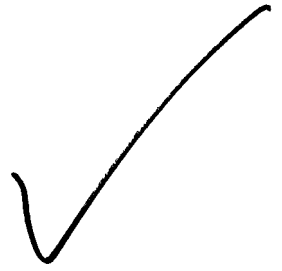
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MEMORANDUM FOR: RUSS ROURKE

FROM: JACK MARCH *John*

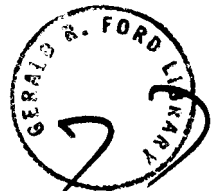
Please check with Ray Waldmann in reference to a suggested briefing I asked him to lay on with Assistant Secretary of Defense (R&D) Curry. I want Curry to come over and do a briefing for all the Congressional people, which you are to also attend. I also want Bill Baroody, Ted Marrs, Mitler and Buchen to be in on this.

10 March -

I spoke w/ Ray. Curry is ready to go any time we are. Ray advised Donna is working to fit briefing into your schedule.

Russ

*Donna
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subject:

assessment
~~of~~
Soviet threat

Hughes briefing

Situation Room

Friday, March 19 3:00 p.m.

Participants:

Waldmann ✓

Rourke ✓

Wolthuis ✓

Friedersdorf ✓

Leppert ✓

Kendall ✓

Loen ✓

Hardy, Cargill ✓

Duval ✓

✓ Mars

✓ Baldwin



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
March 15, 1976

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MEMORANDUM TO: JACK MARSH

FROM: RUSS ROURKE

Rourke

Jack, I spoke with Alan Woods re your request for a briefing by Hughes (DOD) (a la Curry briefing).

Woods indicated that he would be happy to set it up.

Please give me two suggested dates, and I will get back to Woods

*Ken Gessen
DIA*

Thanks.

Equipment

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Ray Wednesday -
this week*

*Friday
3/19
3:00*

*Thursday Sat Pm
3:00*

Kell Morgan

*Mr. Hughes
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Mr. John Hughes

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Briefing

March 23, 1976

Dear Mal:

Your briefing was outstanding. It was tremendously informative, and clearly points out the challenge we face.

I speak for all those present in thanking you for a job well done.

I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

John O. Marsh, Jr.
Counsellor to the President

The Honorable Malcolm Currie
Director
Defense Research and Engineering
The Pentagon
Washington, D. C. 20301

JOM/dl



March 23, 1976

Dear John:

Just a short note to commend you on an outstanding briefing last week.

I have heard innumerable remarks, all of them complimentary, on an outstanding presentation.

It is my opinion it is of tremendous importance that this message be gotten to as many Members as possible, and I look forward to working with you on this project.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

John O. Marsh, Jr.
Counsellor to the President

Mr. John Hughes
Deputy Director for
Collection
Defense Intelligence Agency
Room 2D921
The Pentagon
Washington, D. C. 20301

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Members of Congress Attending Hughes
Briefing at the White House

March 24, 1976

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Montgomery
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Daniel, Dan
Nichols
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Brinkley
Sisk

House Members

Murphy, Jack
Stephens
Breaux
Bowen
Alexander
Downing, Tom

March 25, 1976

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Cederberg
Flood
Flynt
Mahon
McDade
Michel

House Members

Miller, Clarence
Myers, John
Robinson
Sikes
Smith, Neal
Talcott

March 26, 1976

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Senate Members

Johnston
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CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

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Name	Office No.
Abdnor, James (S. Dak.)	C 12-8-75 1237
Abzug, Bella S. (N.Y.)	1507
Adams, Brock (Wash.)	2235
Addabbo, Joseph P. (N.Y.)	2440
Albert, Carl (Okla.)	2205
Alexander, Bill (Ark.)	WH 3-24-76 801
Allen, Clifford (Tenn.)	1039
Ambro, Jerome A. (N.Y.)	1313
Anderson, Glenn M. (Calif.)	1230
Anderson, John B. (Ill.)	1101
Andrews, Ike P. (N.C.)	228
Andrews, Mark (N. Dak.)	2471
Annunzio, Frank (Ill.)	2303
Archer, Bill (Tex.)	1024
Armstrong, William L. (Colo.)	223
Ashbrook, John M. (Ohio)	1436
Ashley, Thomas L. (Ohio)	2406
Aspin, Les (Wis.)	439
AuCoin, Les (Oreg.)	329
Badillo, Herman (N.Y.)	319
Bajalis, L. A. (Skip) (Fla.)	408
Baldus, Alvin (Wis.)	509
Barrett, William A. (Pa.)	2304
Baucus, Max (Mont.)	C 3-8-76 226
Bauman, Robert E. (Md.)	118
Beard, Edward P. (R.I.)	131
Beard, Robin L. (Tenn.)	C 12-8-75 124
Bedell, Berkeley (Iowa)	503
Bell, Alphonso (Calif.)	2329
Benitez, Jaime (P.R.)	1917
Bennett, Charles E. (Fla.)	C 12-8-75 2113
Bergland, Bob (Minn.)	1414
Bevill, Tom (Ala.)	WH 3-24-76 2805
Biaggi, Mario (N.Y.)	211
Bieber, Edward G., Jr. (Pa.)	C 12-8-75 2351
Bingham, Jonathan B. (N.Y.)	2241
Blanchard, James J. (Mich.)	C 3-5-76 515
Blouin, Michael T. (Iowa)	1118
Boggs, Lindy (Mrs. Hale) (La.)	1519
Boland, Edward P. (Mass.)	C 2-8-76 2111
Bolling, Richard (Mo.)	2465
Bonker, Don (Wash.)	1531
Bowen, David R. (Miss.)	WH 3-24-76 116
Brademas, John (Ind.)	2134
Breaux, John B. (La.)	WH 3-24-76 204
Breckinridge, John (Ky.)	125
Brinkley, Jack (Ga.)	WH 3-24-76 2412
Brodhead, William M. (Mich.)	416
Brooks, Jack (Tex.)	2449
Broomfield, Wm. S. (Mich.)	2435
Brown, Clarence J. (Ohio)	2242
Brown, Garry (Mich.)	2448
Brown, George E., Jr. (Calif.)	2342
Broyhill, James T. (N.C.)	2227
Buchanan, John (Ala.)	2159
Burgener, Clair W. (Calif.)	318
Burke, J. Herbert (Fla.)	2442
Burke, James A. (Mass.)	241
Burke, Yvonne Brathwaite (Calif.)	338
Burleson, Omar (Tex.)	C 12-8-75 2369
Burlinson, Bill D. (Mo.)	1338
Burton, John L. (Calif.)	1513
Burton, Phillip (Calif.)	2454
Butler, M. Caldwell (Va.)	109
Byron, Goodice E. (Md.)	WH 3-24-76 1730
Carney, Charles J. (Ohio)	1714
Carr, Bob (Mich.)	C 12-8-75 1123
Carter, Tim Lee (Ky.)	2441
Cederberg, Elford A. (Mich.)	WH 3-24-76 2306
Chappell, Bill, Jr. (Fla.)	1124
Chisholm, Shirley (N.Y.)	123
Clancy, Donald D. (Ohio)	2313
Clausen, Don H. (Calif.)	2433
Clauson, Del (Calif.)	C 3-8-76 2349

Name	Office No.
Clay, William (Ill.) (Mo.)	328
Cleveland, James C. (N.H.)	2262
Cochran, Thad (Miss.)	212
Cohen, William S. (Maine)	C 3-8-76 412
Collins, Cardiss (Ill.)	113
Collins, James M. (Tex.)	2419
Conable, Barber B., Jr. (N.Y.)	2228
Conlan, John B. (Ariz.)	130
Conte, Silvio O. (Mass.)	239
Conyers, John, Jr. (Mich.)	2444
Corman, James C. (Calif.)	2252
Cornell, Robert J. (Wis.)	1512
Cotter, William R. (Conn.)	213
Coughlin, Lawrence (Pa.)	306
Crane, Philip M. (Ill.)	1406
D'Amours, Norman E. (N.H.)	C 3-8-76 1330
Daniel, Dan (Va.)	C 12-8-75 WH 3-24-76 705
Daniel, Robert W., Jr. (Va.)	C 12-8-75 410
Daniels, Dominick V. (N.J.)	2370
Danielson, George E. (Calif.)	312
Davis, Mendel J. (S.C.)	229
de la Garza, E. (Tex.)	1434
Delaney, James J. (N.Y.)	2267
Dellums, Ronald V. (Calif.)	1417
de Lugo, Ron (V.I.)	1217
Dent, John H. (Pa.)	2104
Derrick, Butler (S.C.)	C 3-8-76 415
Derwinski, Edward J. (Ill.)	1401
Devine, Samuel L. (Ohio)	2206
Dickinson, William L. (Ala.)	C 12-8-76 2436
Diggs, Charles C., Jr. (Mich.)	2208
Dingell, John D. (Mich.)	2210
Dodd, Christopher J. (Conn.)	429
Downey, Thomas J. (N.Y.)	C 12-8-75 1019
Downing, Thomas N. (Va.)	2135
Drinan, Robert F. (Mass.)	224
Duncan, John J. (Tenn.)	2458
Duncan, Robert (Oreg.)	C 12-18-75 330
du Pont, Pierre S. (Pete) (Del.)	127
Early, Joseph D. (Mass.)	1032
Eckhardt, Bob (Tex.)	1741
Edgar, Robert W. (Pa.)	C 3-8-76 117
Edwards, Don (Calif.)	2240
Edwards, Jack (Ala.)	2439
Eilberg, Joshua (Pa.)	2429
Emery, David F. (Maine)	425
English, Glenn (Okla.)	1108
Erlenborn, John N. (Ill.)	2236
Esch, Marvin L. (Mich.)	2353
Eshleman, Edwin D. (Pa.)	2244
Evans, David W. (Ind.)	513
Evans, Frank E. (Colo.)	2443
Evins, Joe L. (Tenn.)	3300
Fary, John G. (Ill.)	1116
Fascell, Dante B. (Fla.)	2160
Fauntroy, Walter E. (D.C.)	326
Fenwick, Millicent (N.J.)	C 3-8-76 1610
Findley, Paul (Ill.)	2133
Fish, Hamilton, Jr. (N.Y.)	409
Fisher, Joseph L. (Va.)	318
Fithian, Floyd J. (Ind.)	1205
Flood, Daniel J. (Pa.)	WH 3-24-76 108
Florio, James J. (N.J.)	1725
Flowers, Walter (Ala.)	401
Flynt, John J., Jr. (Ga.)	WH 3-24-76 2110
Foley, Thomas S. (Wash.)	1201
Ford, Harold E. (Tenn.)	1609
Ford, William D. (Mich.)	2238
Forsythe, Edwin B. (N.J.)	331
Fountain, L. H. (N.C.)	2188
Fraser, Donald M. (Minn.)	C 3-8-76 1111
Frenzel, Bill (Minn.)	1028
Frey, Louis, Jr. (Fla.)	214
Fuqua, Don (Fla.)	C 3-8-76 2266
Gaydos, Joseph M. (Pa.)	2421
Gialmo, Robert N. (Conn.)	C 12-8-75 2265
Gibbons, Sam (Fla.)	C 12-8-75 2161
Gilman, Benjamin A. (N.Y.)	1226
Ginn, Bo (Ga.)	508
Goldwater, Barry M., Jr. (Calif.)	C 3-5-76 1421
Gonzalez, Henry B. (Tex.)	2312
Gooding, William F. (Pa.)	1713
Gradison, Willis D., Jr. (Ohio)	1331
Grassley, Charles E. (Iowa)	C 3-8-76 1213
Green, William J. (Pa.)	2434

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Gude, Gilbert (Md.)	104
Guyer, Tennyson (Ohio)	114
Hagedorn, Tom (Minn.)	C 3-8-76 325
Haley, James A. (Fla.)	1236
Hall, Tim L. (Ill.)	C 3-8-76 1221
Hamilton, Lee H. (Ind.)	2344
Hammerschmidt, John Paul (Ark.)	C 3-8-76 2453
Hanley, James M. (N.Y.)	106
Hannaford, Mark W. (Calif.)	315
Hansen, George (Idaho)	C 3-8-76 1125
Harkin, Tom (Iowa)	514
Harrington, Michael (Mass.)	405
Harris, Herbert E., II (Va.)	1229
Harsha, William H. (Ohio)	2457
Hawkins, Augustus F. (Calif.)	2360
Hayes, Philip H. (Ind.)	1132
Hays, Wayne L. (Ohio)	2264
Hebert, F. Edward (La.)	WH 3-24-76 2340
Hechler, Ken (W. Va.)	242
Heffler, Margaret M. (Mass.)	C 3-5-76 343
Hefner, W. G. (Bill) (N.C.)	1004
Heinz, H. John, III (Pa.)	324
Helstoski, Henry (N.J.)	2331
Henderson, David N. (N.C.)	235
Hicks, Floyd V. (Wash.)	C 12-8-75 1202
Hightower, Jack (Tex.)	1315
Hillis, Elwood (Ind.)	1529
Hinshato, Andrew J. (Calif.)	1128
Holland, Kenneth L. (S.C.)	511
Holt, Marjorie S. (Md.)	C 12-8-75 1510
Holtzman, Elizabeth (N.Y.)	1027
Horton, Frank (N.Y.)	2229
Howard, James J. (N.J.)	2245
Howe, Allan T. (Utah)	1525
Hubbard, Carroll, Jr. (Ky.)	423
Hughes, William J. (N.J.)	327
Hungate, William L. (Mo.)	2437
Hutchinson, Edward (Mich.)	2636
Hyde, Henry J. (Ill.)	1208
Ichord, Richard H. (Mo.)	WH 3-24-76 2402
Jacobs, Andrew, Jr. (Ind.)	1501
Jarman, John (Okla.)	2416
Jeffords, James M. (Vt.)	501
Jenrette John W., Jr. (S.C.)	426
Johnson, Albert W. (Pa.)	2233
Johnson, Harold T. (Calif.)	2347
Johnson, James P. (Jim) (Colo.)	129
Jones, Ed (Tenn.)	407
Jones, James R. (Okla.)	C 3-8-76 225
Jones, Robert E. (Ala.)	2426
Jones, Walter B. (N.C.)	201
Jordan, Barbara (Tex.)	1534
Karsh, Joseph E. (Minn.)	2408
Kasten, Robert W., Jr. (Wis.)	C 12-8-75 1113
Kastenmeier, Robert W. (Wis.)	2232
Kazen, Abraham, Jr. (Tex.)	C 12-8-75 1514
Kelly, Richard (Fla.)	C 3-8-76 1130
Kemp, Jack F. (N.Y.)	132
Ketchum, William M. (Calif.)	413
Keys, Martha (Kans.)	1207
Kindness, Thomas N. (Ohio)	1440
Koch, Edward I. (N.Y.)	1126
Krebs, John (Calif.)	C 12-8-75 435
Krueger, Robert (Bob) (Tex.)	512
LaFalce, John J. (N.Y.)	417
Lagomarsino, Robert J. (Calif.)	C 3-8-76 1319
Landrum, Phil M. (Ga.)	C 12-8-75 2308
Latta, Delbert L. (Ohio)	C 12-8-75 2309
Leggett, Robert L. (Calif.)	C 12-8-75 2263
Lehman, William (Fla.)	424
Lent, Norman F. (N.Y.)	423
Levitak, Elliott H. (Ga.)	506
Litton, Jerry (Mo.)	1502
Lloyd, Jim (Calif.)	C 12-8-75 222
Lloyd, Marilyn (Tenn.)	1017
Long, Clarence D. (Md.)	2246
Long, Gillis W. (La.)	215
Lott, Trent (Miss.)	308
Lujan, Manuel, Jr. (N. Mex.)	1323
Lundine, Stanley N. (N.Y.)	1605
McClory, Robert (Ill.)	2452
McCloskey, Paul N., Jr. (Calif.)	205
McCollister, John Y. (Nebr.)	217
McCormack, Mike (Wash.)	1503
McDade, Joseph M. (Pa.)	WH 3-24-76 2202
McDonald, Larry (Ga.)	C 12-8-75 1641
McEwen, Robert C. (N.Y.)	2464

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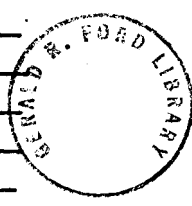
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C = Briefing given on the Hill.

March 30, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: DON RUMSFELD
FROM: JACK MARSH

Attached are lists of House and Senate Members who have attended the briefings. In addition to these lists, below follows the names of Senate Members who have accepted invitations to attend the smoker this afternoon at 5:30. You, and such other Members of your staff as you may designate, are also invited.

Scott (Hugh)	Griffin
Stafford	Allen
Beall	Buckley
Roth	Nunn
Tower	Cranston (possible)

We expect to have another briefing this Friday afternoon at 5:30 for a group of House and Senate Members. The legislative program for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday precludes meetings on those days.

Many thanks.

Attachments

JOM/dl



Members of Congress Attending Hughes
Briefing at the White House

March 24, 1976

Waggoner
Satterfield
Ichord
Montgomery
Hebert
Daniel, Dan
Nichols
Bevill
Brinkley
Sisk

House Members

Murphy, Jack
Stephens
Breux
Bowen
Alexander

March 25, 1976

Byron
Cederberg
Flood
Flynt
Mahon
McDade
Michel

House Members

Miller, Clarence
Myers, John
Robinson
Sikes
Smith, Neal
Talcott

March 26, 1976

Bellmon
Domenici
Glen

Senate Members

Johnston
Sparkman



EXECUTIVE PROTECTIVE SERVICE

To: Officer-in-charge
Appointments Center
Room 060, OEOB

Please admit the following appointments on Tuesday, March 30, 1976

for Max L. Friedersdorf of Congressional Relations :
(Name of person to be visited) (Agency)

- SENATOR JAMES B. ALLEN
- SENATOR J. GLENN BEALL, JR.
- SENATOR JAMES BUCKLEY
- SENATOR ALAN CRANSTON
- SENATOR ROBERT GRIFFIN
- SENATOR SAM NUNN
- SENATOR WILLIAM V. ROTH, JR.
- SENATOR HUGH SCOTT
- SENATOR ROBERT T. STAFFORD
- SENATOR JOHN TOWER



MEETING LOCATION

Building Roosevelt Room
Room No. 5:30 p. m.

Requested by William T. Kendall
Room No. 107 E. Telephone 2711
Date of request March 30, 1976

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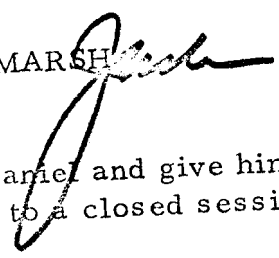
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 31, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

CHARLIE LEPPERT

FROM:

JACK MARSH 

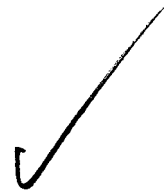
Would you please go by and see Dan Daniel and give him the information you gave me in reference to a closed session.

Do not encourage his proceeding along these lines.

Many thanks.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON



March 30, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JACK MARSH
FROM: CHARLIE LEPPERT *CLP.*
SUBJECT: Secret or Closed Session of House

This is in response to your request of March 30 on the possibility of a closed session of the House to receive the DIA-Hughes briefing.

The Parliamentarian advises that Rule 29 of the House Rules provides for closed or secret sessions of the House. A copy of Rule 29 is attached.

A secret session of the House has not been held since 1830. It was anticipated that a request for a secret session of the House would have been made on the discussion or debate of the report from the House Select Committee on Intelligence. This did not occur and no procedures were finalized.

Since there is no modern precedent the Parliamentarian advises that any member of the House desiring to make such a request should consult with the Speaker on the procedures to be followed.

Basically, the member should discuss if his request should be a motion from the House floor or whether it should be put in the form of a House Resolution and the procedure for calling it up.

Under the rule it is clear that the House must then decide whether or not it will go into a secret or closed session pursuant to the motion or resolution offered and considered.

cc: Max Friedersdorf
Tom Loeffler

Attachment



RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Rule XXIX.

§ 914.

on the day of the vote shall be closed to the public: *Provided*, That this provision shall not become effective until a similar rule is adopted by the Senate.

This clause was added on January 14, 1975 (H. Res. 5, p. —).

RULE XXIX.

SECRET SESSION.

Whenever confidential communications are received from the President of the United States, or whenever the Speaker or any Member shall inform the House that he has communications which he believes ought to be kept secret for the present, the House shall be cleared of all persons except the Members and officers thereof, and so continue during the reading of such communications, the debates and proceedings thereon, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

§ 914. Secret session of the House.

This rule, in a somewhat different form, was adopted in 1792, although secret sessions had been held by the House before that date. They continued to be held at times with considerable frequency until 1830. In 1880, at the time of the general revision of the rules, the House concluded to retain the rule, although it had been long in disuse (V, 7247; VI, 434).

The two Houses have legislated in secret session, transmitting their messages also in secrecy (V, 7250); but the House has declined to be bound to secrecy by act of the Senate (V, 7249). Motions to remove the injunction of secrecy should be made with closed doors (V, 7254). In 1843 a confidential message from the President was referred without reading; but no motion was made for a secret session (V, 7255).



March 30, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: CHARLIE LEPPERT

FROM: JACK MARSH

Congressman Dan Daniel of Virginia has inquired about the possibility of a closed session of the House to receive the Hughes briefing.

What are the procedural rules on this? Can it be done? Do you know of any precedent for an Executive Session of the House?

I need your answer as quickly as possible.

Many thanks.

JOM/1



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 2, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: ~~JACK MARSH~~
MAX FRIEDERSDORF

FROM: BOB WOLTHUIS *RKW*

SUBJECT: Hughes Briefing Friday, April 2
5:30 P.M. Roosevelt Room

At noon today the attendance list for tonight's Hughes briefing is as follows:

Senate

Hruska

~~Furman~~ *ILL*

Stevens

House

~~Rhodes~~ *Has declined*

Anderson

Conable

McFall

Hungate

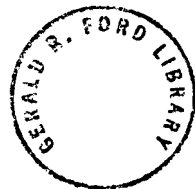
Hutchinson

Kasten

McCollister

Johnson, Jim

Evins, Joe



EXECUTIVE PROTECTIVE SERVICE

To: Officer-in-charge
Appointments Center
Room 060, OEOB

Please admit the following appointments on Monday, April 5, 5:30 p. m., 19 76

for Max Friedersdorf of Office of Legislative Affairs
(Name of person to be visited) (Agency)

REPRESENTATIVES

ASPIN, Les

BERGLAND, Bob
BOLLING, Dick

MEEDS, Lloyd
MIKVA, Ab
MINETA, Norm
MOORHEAD, Bill

PIKE, Otis

SCHROEDER, Pat
SIMON, Paul
SYMINGTON, Jim

THORNTON, Ray

VANDER VEEN, Dick



S. W. GATE
MEETING LOCATION
Building WH - West Wing
Room No. Roosevelt Room

Requested by Kathy Reid
Room No. 112 EW Telephone 2140
Date of request April 5, 1976

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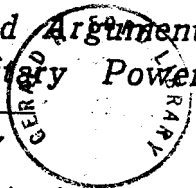
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Review of Factors Behind Argument Over the Nation's Military Power



H/6/76
N.Y. Times

By JOHN W. FINNEY

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, April 5—

Perhaps it was inevitable in a political year, but what started off as an important policy debate over the nation's basic defense posture has become

News
Analysis

lost in a largely irrelevant argument over whether the United States or the Soviet Union is No. 1

militarily.

It is an argument that has become one of the major issues between President Ford and Ronald Reagan in the Republican Presidential primaries. And it is an argument that is impelling Congress to approve a \$14 billion increase in the defense budget with little or no cuts in the \$113 billion requested by the Ford Administration.

In some ways, the argument was devised by the Administration to sell the defense budget to Congress. Now the argument is boomeranging against the President as Mr. Reagan accuses the Administration of letting the United States slip into a position of military inferiority.

"The capacity of election-

Reagan. Using the same charts that Secretary Rumsfeld has been presenting on Capitol Hill, Mr. Reagan began contending that the United States was already Number 2 militarily, blaming the Nixon-Ford Administrations for this situation.

At that point, the Administration was driven into a defensive and sometimes contradictory position of trying to fend off Mr. Reagan and still sell its defense budget to Congress.

The President began emphasizing that the United States was "without equal" in military power, and thus exposed himself to liberal critics who asked that, if the United States was so powerful, why was it necessary to increase the defense budget as much as the Administration proposed.

Undercutting His Argument

On the campaign trail, Mr. Ford began boasting that he had proposed the two largest defense budgets in peacetime history. In the process, he began undercutting the Administration's basic argument that, in constant or noninflated dollars, the defense budget has

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WASHINGTON

April 8, 1976

MEMORANDUM TO: BILL KENDALL
CHARLIE LEPPERT

FROM: BOB WOLTHUIS *RKW*
RUSS ROURKE *RWR*

SUBJECT: Defense Briefings through Tuesday,
April 13

Rumsfeld has requested, and Marsh and Max have approved, the following briefing schedule to be carried out at the White House prior to the Congressional Easter Recess:

- 1) Thursday, April 8 - Hughes briefing to be given in the White House Mess. The invitation list is flexible, but we would like to concentrate on the SOS Chowder and Marching and Wednesday Group for tonight.
- 2) Friday, April 9 - also House Members, and again we should contact any Members who have not seen the briefing, but with emphasis on the Murtha/Hamilton list which is attached. Kendall should also attempt to get Senators for the Friday night briefing. This one is scheduled for the Roosevelt Room at 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. This is a Hughes briefing also.
- 3) Monday, April 12 we will offer the Currie Comparative R&D briefing. First priority for invitations here should be the House and Senate Members who have already seen the Hughes briefing. These are included in the attached master lists.
- 4) Tuesday, April 13-Bill Kendall has begun invitations to the Senators for the Hughes briefing. We will retain that schedule, and it will be an exclusive Senate briefing.

The format will be the same. Light snacks and drinks from 5:30 to 6:00, followed by the Hughes or Currie briefing. Clearance in all cases should be through the S. W. gate, and we request that your respective secretaries handle the gate lists.

cc: JMarsh ✓
MFriedersdorf



EXECUTIVE PROTECTIVE SERVICE

To: Officer-in-charge
Appointments Center
Room 060, OEOB

Please admit the following appointments on Tuesday, April 13 - 5:30 p.m., 1976

for Marsh/Friedersdorf/Rourke of White House - West Wing
(Name of person to be visited) (Agency)

- Congressman Glenn M. Anderson
- Congressman L. A. ("Skip") Bafalis
- Congressman Jonathan B. Bingham
- Congressman James A. Burke
- Congressman James J. Florio
- Congressman Benjamin A. Gilman
- Congressman Lee H. Hamilton
- Congressman Mark W. Hannaford
- Congressman Tom Harkin
- Congressman Herbert E. Harris, III
- Senator James L. Buckley
- Senator Harry F. Byrd, Jr.
- Senator Howard W. Cannon
- Senator Clifford P. Case
- Senator Lawton Chiles
- Senator Robert Dole
- Senator Paul J. Fannin
- Senator Walter Huddleston
- Senator Frank E. Moss
- Senator Sam Nunn
- Senator Bob Packwood
- ~~Senator William V. Roth, Jr.~~
- Senator Richard S. Schweiker
- Mr. William Brehm - DOD
- Mr. Robert Ellsworth - DOD
- Mr. Fred Hitz - DOD
- Secretary Martin Hoffman
- Admiral Dan Murphy - CIA
- Secretary Donald Rumsfeld
- Mr. Donald Sanders - DOD
- General Louis H. Wilson, Jr.
- Admiral Amb Anders*
- Adm Amb Smith*



MEETING LOCATION

Requested by Nancy Kennedy

Building West Wing - White House

Room No. WWing Telephone 2230

Room No. Roosevelt Room

Date of request 4/13/76

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for Marsh/Friedersdorf/Rourke of White House - West Wing
(Name of person to be visited) (Agency)

Captain Charles Crawford (DOD)
Major General Lincoln Faurer (DOD)
Mr. John Hughes (DOD)



MEETING LOCATION

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April 14, 1976

Dear Mal:

Your briefing of the President on Monday
was outstanding.

I wanted you to know everyone here who
attended shares this view.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

John O. Marsh, Jr.
Counsellor to the President

The Honorable Malcolm Currie
Director
Defense Research and Engineering
The Pentagon
Washington, D. C. 20301

JOM/dl



April 14, 1976

Dear John:

As the Congress departs for the Easter recess, I wanted to drop you this note to thank you for the tremendous contribution you have made to our national security by the outstanding briefings you have given to Members of the House and Senate.

It is my view they have been most helpful in an educational way to the Members.

Please give my thanks to your associates who have worked on this effort with you.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

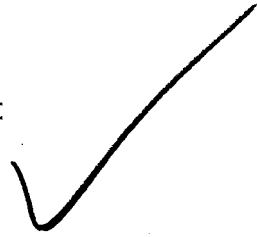
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Counsellor to the President

Mr. John Hughes
Deputy Director for
Collection
Defense Intelligence Agency
Room 2D921
The Pentagon
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JOM/dl



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WASHINGTON



Jack -

Briefings now
being set up for
Wednesday and Thursday
of this week and Tuesday
and Thursday of next
week.

Russ



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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20301



April 14, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JACK MARSH

Your comment to Bob Michel of the Whip Organization the other day concerning the importance of seeing the Hughes briefing was excellent.

Why don't you follow up with a call to Bob on some specific dates or we can do it, whichever you think best to have them systematically work that list of the remaining Republicans in the House who have not seen it.

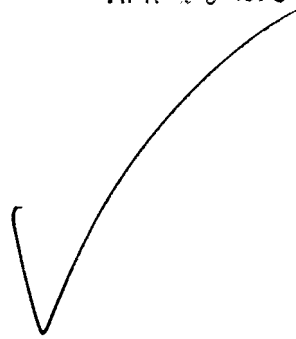
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APR 26 1976

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 26, 1976



MEMORANDUM FOR: ~~JACK MARSH~~
MAX FRIEDERSDORF

FROM: BOB WOLTHUIS *RKW*

SUBJECT: Defense Briefings

Russ and I met this morning with Ralph Vinovich concerning the GOP House members who have not seen the Hughes briefing. Ralph is drafting a letter for Bob Michel's signature that will go to the 76 GOP members who have not seen the briefing urging them to accept the White House invitation which will be forthcoming in the next week. Leppert's office will concentrate primarily on these 76 Republicans plus some Democrats. Kendall's office will likewise try to schedule 4-6 Senators for each of the dates listed below.

Wednesday, April 28	5:30 P. M.	Staff Mess <i>Roosevelt Room</i>
Thursday, April 29	5:30 P. M.	Roosevelt Room
Tuesday, May 4	5:30 P. M.	Roosevelt Room
Thursday, May 6	5:30 P. M.	Roosevelt Room

Unless Secretary Rumsfeld requests otherwise we plan to give the Hughes briefing on all four of the above dates.



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April 28, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JACK MARSH
MAX FRIEDERSDORF

FROM: BOB WOLTHUIS *RW*

SUBJECT: DIA Briefing Wednesday, April 28
Congressional Attendees

Birch Bayh
Bob Morgan
William Hathaway
Ike Andrews
Skip Bafalis
~~Garry Brown~~
~~John Buchanan~~
Don Clausen
Thad Cochran
Sil Conte
John Duncan
~~Hamilton Fish~~
~~Tennyson Guyer~~ ?
~~John Heinz~~
~~Henry Hyde~~
~~Bill Ketchum~~
Tom Kindness
Manuel Lujan
~~Bob McClory~~
~~Pete Peyser~~
Larry Pressler
~~Keith Schelino~~
~~Don Paul~~
Gary Myer
~~Stewart McKinney~~
Robert Mc Ewen



May 4, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: RUSS ROURKE
FROM: JACK MARSH

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raised at tonight's Hughes briefing.

Many thanks.

JOM/dl

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*Marsh
with
Russ*

C. J. D. T.



New York Times

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WASHINGTON

May 4, 1976

Jack - FYI

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Russ
RUSS ROURKE

FROM:

JACK MARSH *part 01*

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Many thanks.

Rumsfeld + Holloway will both be here tonight and both can respond to this issue

Wolthuis



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10-19-86
October 19, 1986

Briefing

*Crossed
Briefing*

Dear Bill:

Many thanks for your recent memo and the status report on the Hughes and Currie briefings for Members of Congress.

I feel these briefings were most helpful and beneficial, and I am sure the Members concur in this view. I am deeply grateful to you and those who worked with you in developing these briefings. I commend you all on a job well done.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

John O. Marsh, Jr.
Counsellor to the President

The Honorable William K. Brehm
Assistant Secretary of Defense
(Legislative Affairs)
The Pentagon
Washington, D. C. 20301

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OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20301

LEGISLATIVE
AFFAIRS

18 October 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR Mr. John O. Marsh, Jr.
Counselor to the President

Jack,

Attached is a table which summarizes the attendance experience for the Hughes and Currie briefings for Members of Congress during the FY 1977 budget season. Over 30 briefings were given. A total of 279 members attended, including some repeat attendees. All told, we reached 54% of all Republicans and 30% of all Democrats with the Hughes briefing alone.

We deeply appreciate your personal assistance in arranging for this important means of communicating to Congress. Our thanks to Max and Bob as well.

Bill

William K. Brehm

Attachment
As stated



Attendance Record
DoD Intelligence Briefings
for Members of Congress
(Hughes/Currie Briefings)

Date	Place	Attendees		
		Senate	House	Total
8 Dec 75	House Armed Services Committee		26	26
10 Feb 76 ^{1/}	House Armed Services Committee		16	16
11 Feb 76	House Budget Committee		7	7
24 Feb 76	Senate Armed Services Committee	8		8
25 Feb 76	Senate Armed Services Committee	8		8
4 Mar 76	House Budget Committee		2	2
5 Mar 76	House Armed Services Committee		10	10
8 Mar 76	House, Cannon, Caucus Room		43	43
11 Mar 76 ^{1/}	House Appropriations Committee		7	7
12 Mar 76	Senate Armed Services Committee	1		1
12 Mar 76	Senator Leahy's Office	1		1
24 Mar 76	White House		16	16
25 Mar 76	White House		13	13
26 Mar 76	White House	5		5
30 Mar 76	White House	6		6
2 Apr 76	White House	4	8	12
5 Apr 76	White House		7	7
6 Apr 76 ^{1/}			8	8
6 Apr 76	Rayburn House Office Building		10	10
6 Apr 76	White House		11	11
8 Apr 76	White House		0	0
9 Apr 76	White House	1		1
12 Apr 76	Senator Hollings' Office	1		1
13 Apr 76	White House	9	1	10
26 Apr 76 ^{1/}		1		1
28 Apr 76	White House	3	4	7
29 Apr 76		Cancelled		
4 May 76	White House	3	6	9
6 May 76	White House	2	3	5
18 May 76 ^{1/}	New Member Caucus		15	15
26 May 76 ^{1/}			9	9
24 Aug 76	White House		4	4
29 Sep 76	Pentagon	0	0	0
Total attendance, including repeat attendees		53	226	279

Summary:	Senate	House	Total	%
<u>Hughes</u>				
Republicans	21	78	99	54% of Rep
Democrats	21	84	105	30% of Dem
Total ^{2/}	42	162	204	38% of All
<u>Currie</u>				
Republicans	0	16	16	9% of Rep
Democrats	1	38	39	11% of Dem
Total ^{2/}	1	54	55	10% of All

^{1/} Currie briefings. All others are Hughes briefings.

^{2/} Totals exclude repeat attendees.

