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THE WHITE HOUSE

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP TO
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

Sunday, May 18, 1975

- 10:00 a. m. EDT Press check-in at Andrews Air Force Base.
- 10:30 a. m. EDT Press Plane departs Andrews Air Force Base enroute Philadelphia International Airport, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 10:55 a. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT BOARDS MARINE ONE, SOUTH LAWN, THE WHITE HOUSE, AND DEPARTS ENROUTE ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE.
- 11:15 a. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE, BOARDS AIR FORCE ONE, AND DEPARTS ENROUTE PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.

Flying Time: 35 minutes
No Time Change

- 11:15 a. m. EDT Press Plane arrives Philadelphia International Airport (Charter Ramp), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

PRESS NOTE: One Press bus departs immediately enroute the Philadelphia Civic Center. Remaining Press proceed to airport press area.

Press Facilities:

4 long distance telephones

- 11:40 a. m. EDT First Press bus arrives Philadelphia Civic Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

PRESS NOTE: Press Center is located in Room 200. Press Office is also located in Room 200. All speeches and remarks will be piped to Press Center from all sights. A buffet will be served in Press Center, compliments of the University of Pennsylvania.

Press Facilities:

20 long distance telephones
15 typewriters
2 telex
1 mult

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11:50 a.m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (CHARTER RAMP), PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, AND DEPARTS VIA AUTO ENROUTE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA MUSEUM.

Driving Time: 20 minutes

Travel Pool and Second Press bus follows.

12:15 p.m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA MUSEUM (33RD STREET ENTRANCE), PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

THE PRESIDENT IS GREETED BY:

Mr. Martin Meyerson, President of the University of Pennsylvania

Mr. Donald T. Regan, Board of Trustees Chairman

PRESS NOTE: Second Press bus leaves motorcade at Museum and proceeds to Civic Center. Travel Pool remains with motorcade.

12:17 p.m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES ROTUNDA RECEPTION TO INFORMALLY GREET LUNCHEON GUESTS.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

12:38 p.m. EDT THE PRESIDENT, ESCORTED BY MR. MEYERSON AND MR. REGAN, DEPARTS ROTUNDA ENROUTE UPPER EGYPTIAN GALLERY TO ATTEND COMMENCEMENT LUNCHEON.

PRESS NOTE: A 9-man Protective Pool will proceed to the Press Table. No photos. The remainder of the Travel Pool will proceed to the Civic Center.

12:40 p.m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES UPPER EGYPTIAN GALLERY AND IS SEATED.

12:41 p.m. EDT Luncheon begins.

1:30 p.m. EDT Student processional begins at Philadelphia Civic Center.

1:30 p.m. EDT Toast to the President by Mr. Meyerson.

PRESS NOTE: No response is expected. If there is a response remarks will be piped to the Press Center.

1:40 p.m. EDT Luncheon concludes.

1:45 p.m. EDT THE PRESIDENT DEPARTS UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA MUSEUM VIA BUS ENROUTE PHILADELPHIA CIVIC CENTER.

Driving Time: 5 minutes

Protective Pool (10-man) follows.

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1:50 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES PHILADELPHIA CIVIC CENTER.

2:13 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT, ESCORTED BY MR. MEYERSON, PROCEEDS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES IN THE AUDITORIUM.

2:15 p. m. EDT Announcement.

2:15 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT PROCEEDS TO STAGE.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

PRESS NOTE: No hand-held or portable lights to be used during ceremony.

Press Facilities:

6 long distance telephones
1 mult
Camera platform
70 ft. camera throw

2:16 p. m. EDT Invocation by Mr. Stanley Johnson, University Chaplain.

2:18 p. m. EDT Remarks by Mr. Martin Meyerson, President of the University of Pennsylvania.

2:23 p. m. EDT Mr. Meyerson confers degrees on graduates.

2:40 p. m. EDT Remarks by Mr. Elliott Stollar, University Provost.

2:47 p. m. EDT Recognition of the 50-year class by Mrs. Ione Strauss, President of the Alumni Society.

2:50 p. m. EDT "Let Us Now Praise Great and Famous Men" by the Glee Club.

2:55 p. m. EDT Mr. Meyerson confers the honorary degrees.

3:15 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT STANDS ADJACENT TO THE PODIUM.

3:18 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ACCEPTS THE HOOD FROM MR. THOMAS GATES, FORMER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, AND THE DIPLOMA FROM MR. MEYERSON.

3:20 p. m. EDT PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

PRESS NOTE: Remarks will be piped to Press Center.

3:40 p. m. EDT PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS CONCLUDE.

3:41 p. m. EDT Remarks by Mr. Meyerson.

3:43 p. m. EDT "Hail Pennsylvania".

3:44 p. m. EDT Benediction by Mr. Johnson.

3:50 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT DEPARTS PHILADELPHIA CIVIC CENTER VIA AUTO ENROUTE PHILADELPHIA MARRIOTT MOTOR HOTEL (CITY LINE), PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.

Driving Time: 10 minutes

Travel Pool follows.

4:00 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES PHILADELPHIA MARRIOTT MOTOR HOTEL.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

THE PRESIDENT IS GREETED BY:

Senator Hugh Scott
Mr. Bud Davis, Hotel Manager

4:08 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT, ESCORTED BY SENATOR SCOTT, PROCEEDS TO CHICAGO ROOM TO ATTEND SENATOR SCOTT'S RECEPTION.

4:10 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT AND SENATOR SCOTT ARRIVE CHICAGO ROOM.

4:30 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT, ESCORTED BY SENATOR SCOTT, DEPARTS CHICAGO ROOM AND PROCEEDS TO HALLS K & L TO ATTEND FRIENDS OF LUBAVITCH RECEPTION IN HONOR OF SENATOR SCOTT.

4:32 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT AND SENATOR SCOTT ARRIVE FRIENDS OF LUBAVITCH PATRON RECEPTION.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

THE PRESIDENT IS GREETED BY:

Mr. Kevy K. Kaiserman, Chairman of the Founders of the Friends of Lubavitch
Mr. William S. Fishman, Former Chairman of the Founders
Rabbi Abraham Shemtov, Director of the Lubavitch

Press Facilities:

4 long distance telephones
1 mult
camera platform
40 ft. camera throw
Lighting by the locals

4:55 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT, ESCORTED BY RABBI SHEMTOV, PROCEEDS TO PLATFORM.

4:56 p. m. EDT Invocation by Rabbi Shemtov.

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4:57 p. m. EDT Introduction of the President by Mr. Bernard Segal,
President of the American Bar Association.

4:58 p. m. EDT PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

PRESS NOTE: Remarks will be piped to the Press Center.

5:03 p. m. EDT PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS CONCLUDE.

5:03 p. m. EDT Remarks by Senator Scott.

5:06 p. m. EDT Remarks by Senator Scott conclude.

5:10 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT DEPARTS PHILADELPHIA MARRIOTT
MOTOR HOTEL VIA AUTO ENROUTE PHILADELPHIA
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, PHILADELPHIA,
PENNSYLVANIA.

Driving Time: 25 minutes

Travel Pool follows.

5:30 p. m. EDT Press buses depart Press Center enroute Philadelphia
International Airport, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

5:35 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES PHILADELPHIA INTER-
NATIONAL AIRPORT (CHARTER RAMP), PHILA-
DELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, BOARDS AIR FORCE ONE,
AND DEPARTS ENROUTE ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

Flying Time: 35 minutes
No Time Change

6:00 p. m. EDT Press buses arrive Philadelphia International Airport,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

6:10 p. m. EDT Press Plane departs Philadelphia International Airport,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, enroute Andrews Air Force
Base.

6:15 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE,
BOARDS MARINE ONE, AND DEPARTS ENROUTE THE
SOUTH LAWN, THE WHITE HOUSE.

6:35 p. m. EDT THE PRESIDENT ARRIVES THE SOUTH LAWN, THE
WHITE HOUSE.

6:45 p. m. EDT Press Plane arrives Andrews Air Force Base.

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