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*to NSC/S*

*This is a thank you.*

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*Rosmary*

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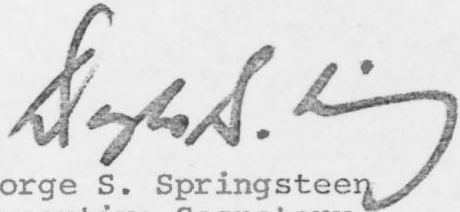
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June 19, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR LIEUTENANT GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT  
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Facilitative Assistance for Rabbi Arthur  
✓ Hertzberg, President American Jewish  
Congress ✓

In response to Mr. James E. Connor's memo of June 9, a copy of which is attached, we have taken the following actions to assist Dr. Hertzberg. A telegram has been sent to the posts involved informing them of the proposed travel plans and requesting their assistance and cooperation. We have also been in direct contact with Dr. Hertzberg to discuss how the Department might be of further assistance. He said he was satisfied with what we had done and expressed his thanks for our efforts.

  
George S. Springsteen  
Executive Secretary

Attachment:

As stated.



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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506ACTION

June 27, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR

JON HOWE

FROM:

JEANNE W. DAVIS *JWD*

SUBJECT:

Request for Vice Presidential Message  
for the 25th Anniversary of Indian  
Parliament -- #554-75

With reference to the attached, State has informed us that Mr. <sup>GS</sup> Dhillon sent a similar request to Carl Albert as his counterpart and that Mr. Albert's office dispatched an appropriate message for the occasion (drafted by State) on June 12. We believe that this will satisfy Mr. Dhillon's request. On foreign policy grounds, we prefer not to have the high-visibility associated with a Vice Presidential message at this stage in US-Indian relations. We suggest the attached reply for signature by your staff. State concurs.

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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, IN

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT AHMED, *Fakhruddin Ali*

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM  
PRESIDENT FORD TO PRESIDENT AHMED.

2. QUOTE: MR. PRESIDENT: THANK YOU FOR YOUR MESSAGE OF  
GOOD WISHES AS WE CELEBRATE THE 199TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR  
INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT  
WISHES TO DO SO.

4. FYI: TEXT OF PRESIDENT AHMED'S FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE  
TO THE PRESIDENT FOLLOWS: QUOTE: ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERN-  
MENT AND PEOPLE OF INDIA AND ON MY OWN BEHALF, I AM HAPPY  
TO SEND OUR WARM FELICITATIONS AND SINCERE GREETINGS TO  
YOUR EXCELLENCY AND TO THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE

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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, IN

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR PRIME MINISTER GANDHI, *Indira*

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO PRIME MINISTER GANDHI. BEGIN QUOTE:

2. DEAR MADAME PRIME MINISTER: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND AND THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS ON THE OCCASION OF OUR ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD END QTE.

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO.

4. FYI: TEXT OF PRIME MINISTER'S FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT FOLLOWS: QUOTE: THE IDEALS WHICH AMERICA SYMBOLISED DURING ITS WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE HAVE INSPIRED MANY NATIONS. THE MEMORABLE WORDS OF LINCOLN

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506ACTION

July 16, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

JON HOWE

FROM:

JEANNE W. DAVIS *JWD*

SUBJECT:

Request for Vice Presidential Message  
and Photograph for 25th Nirvana Cen-  
tenary of Lord Mahaveer

We have no record of Shree Mahaveer<sup>x</sup> Parishad, and would not recommend a message to him from the Vice President. We see some benefit, however, to our general policy of trying to improve relations with India if an uninscribed photograph of the Vice President could be sent to Parishad, possibly under a letter from you or some other member of the Vice President's staff.

A suggested reply is attached.



Dear Mr. Parishad:

Thank you for your kind letter to the Vice President of July 24, in which you request a message from the Vice President and a photograph for your publication "Pavan Path."

The Vice President does not normally send messages of the kind that you wish, but hopes that the enclosed photograph will be helpful to you.

Sincerely yours,



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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

July 16, 1975

FOR JEANNE DAVIS

You could send the attached memo  
to Jon Howe.

  
Bob Oakley



MEMORANDUM

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT  
WASHINGTON

ACTION

Memo No. 492-75  
July 15, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: Jeanne Davis

FROM: Jon Howe

SUBJECT: Request for Vice Presidential Message and  
Photograph for 25th Nirvana Centenary of  
Lord Mahaveer

The attached letter from Shree Mahaveer Parishad of India requests a message and photograph from the Vice President to be included in a souvenir book commemorating the 25th Nirvana Centenary of Lord Mahaveer.

Would you please provide an NSC recommendation and a proposed reply.



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25th NIRVANA CENTENARY OF  
LORD MAHAVEER

॥ जैनं जयंति शासनम् ॥

दूरभाष : ७१३५

# श्री महावीर परिषद्

२६, कंचगारगली, हुबली-५८००२० (कर्नाटक)

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दिनांक June 24, 1975

Honourable Prime Minister  
Mr. Nelson A. Rockefeller  
NEW YORK  
U.S.A.

Respected Sir,

We have great pleasure to inform you that the 25th Nirvana Centenary of Lord Mahaveer is being celebrated with great pomp and grandeur throughout the world.

On this auspicious occasion we are bringing out a souvenir 'PAVAN PATH' which will contain the life-sketch, biography and preachings of Lord Mahaveer; Principles of Jainism, etc., in Hindi and English.

May we request your kind honour to send us your message, photo to be published in the souvenir which will undoubtedly encourage us and make this publication a grand success.

Hope Your Honour will certainly bestow on us favour.

Thanking you,

Sincerely Yours,

Secretary  
Shree Mahaveer Parishad  
26, Kanchagar galli  
Hubli, Karnataka State  
INDIA.



July 25, 1975

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

Your thoughtful greeting on my birthday was deeply appreciated. Being remembered by so many friends on this special occasion made the day a very happy one for me, and I am grateful for your kind message.

With warm regards,

GERALD R. FORD

His Excellency  
T. N. Kaul  
Ambassador of India  
Embassy of India  
2107 Massachusetts Avenue, NW.  
Washington, D.C. 20008



bcc: Carole Farrar, NSC

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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR PRIME MINISTER ~~GANDI~~

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM  
PRESIDENT FORD TO PRIME MINISTER GANDHI. BEGIN QUOTE:

2. DEAR MADAME PRIME MINISTER: THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
MESSAGE OF GOOD WISHES AS WE CELEBRATE THE SUCCESSFUL  
CONCLUSION OF THE APOLLO-SOYUZ MISSION.

I HAVE BEEN HEARTENED BY THE POSITIVE RESULTS OF THIS  
FIRST INTERNATIONAL MANNED SPACE VENTURE AND HAVE GREAT  
HOPES FOR FUTURE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN SPACE.

THE APOLLO-SOYUZ MISSION DEMONSTRATES THAT, BY COMBINING  
THEIR SKILLS AND INTELLECT, NATIONS OF THE WORLD HAVE  
ENORMOUS POTENTIAL FOR SOLVING COMMON PROBLEMS AND  
ATTAINING COMMON GOALS ON EARTH AS WELL AS IN SPACE.

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3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO.

4. FYI: TEXT OF PRIME MINISTER'S CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT FOLLOWS: QUOTE: ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF INDIA, I WARMLY CONGRATULATE YOU ON THE SUCCESSFUL LINK-UP IN SPACE BETWEEN AMERICAN AND SOVIET ASTRONAUTS. THIS THRILLING ACHIEVEMENT IS A TRIBUTE TO MAN'S SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE AND SYMBOLISES THE POSSIBILITIES OF PEACEFUL COOPERATION BETWEEN NATIONS. MAY THE BRILLIANT SCIENTIFIC CAPACITIES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE SOVIET UNION BE HARNESSSED FOR THE CAUSE OF PEACE AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF MANKIND. INDIRA GANDHI. UNQUOTE. INGERSOLL



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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI PRIORITY

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TAGS: PDEV. IN

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT FORD FOR PRESIDENT AHMED, *FAHREDDIN*

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT AHMED ON  
OR BEFORE AUGUST 15:

QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: YOU HAVE MY CONGRATULATIONS  
AND THOSE OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED  
STATES TO INDIA ON THE OCCASION OF THE 28TH ANNIVERSARY  
OF ITS INDEPENDENCE. OVER THE YEARS, INDIA HAS SUCCESS-  
FULLY FACED AND OVERCOME MANY GREAT CHALLENGES AND WE  
ARE CONFIDENT THAT IT WILL DO SO IN THE YEARS AHEAD. WE  
LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUED GOOD RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR  
TWO COUNTRIES. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

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WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

WHITE HOUSE STAFF

FROM:

MARGITA WHITE

The Sunday shows, August 24, 1975:

<u>Face the Nation</u>	Arthur Burns, Chairman, Federal Reserve Board	(9)	11:30 a.m.
<u>Meet the Press</u>	Mrs. Indira Gandhi	(4)	12:30 p.m.
<u>Issues &amp; Answers</u>	Tony Dechant, President, National Farmers Union; * Carol Foreman, Executive Director, Consumer Federa- tion of America	(7)	1:30 p.m.



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T. N. KAUL  
Ambassador of India



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EMBASSY OF INDIA  
2107 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, N.W.  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20008

8th September 1975

Dear Mr. President,

I have been asked by my President, Mr. Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed, to convey the following message to you:

"Dear Mr. President,

The Government and people of India join me in thanking you and the Government and people of the United States of America for the warm congratulatory message on the 28th anniversary of our Independence. We in India share your hopes in the continued good relations between our two countries.

I take this opportunity to send my good wishes for your personal well being, and the prosperity of the American people.

Sincerely,

Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed".

With the assurances of my highest esteem,

(T.N. Kaul)  
Ambassador of India

Hon'ble Gerald R. Ford,  
President of the United States of America,  
The White House,  
WASHINGTON D.C.

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Dear Mr. Ambassador:

I want you to know how much I appreciated your message of concern over the recent incident in Sacramento. Thank you for your thoughtfulness and consideration.

Sincerely,

**GERALD R. FORD**



His Excellency  
T. N. Kaul  
Ambassador of India  
Washington, D. C. 20008

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S/S: #7518368

Date: 19 SEP 1975

For: Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft  
National Security Council  
The White House

Pursuant to referral dated Sept. 11, 1975, NSC No. 5171 (if any)  
a copy of which is attached, we are enclosing the following:

Information copy  
xx of direct reply

Translation

Other

Draft reply for: President's signature Other signature

We believe no response is necessary for the reason cited below

The attached item, which was sent directly to the Department  
of State, is being forwarded for your attention.

We believe no response is necessary for the reason cited below

A draft reply is attached

A draft reply will be forwarded

A translation is attached

Other



REMARKS:

*Cy sent to Job Howe*

DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION:

To: The Vice President

From: Mr. A. P. Chakraborty

Date: July 2, 1975

Subject: Requests an invitation to  
~~visit United States~~

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Executive Secretary

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Sept. 19

TO NSC/S

The attached cable goes with an action item from the Vice President's office re an Indian union's interest in having some of its representatives invited to the US. We recommended that item be sent to State for direct handling (as shown in attached, it is being taken care of). Suggest you close this cable out with that action and if you sent a copy of the referral to Jon Howe, you could send him a copy of this cable to show him all is being taken care of.

Rosemary





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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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SUBJECT: INDIAN FEDERATION OF GRAPHICS WORKERS SOLICITATION  
OF INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN US LABOR TRAINING PROGRAM

FOR LABOR COUNSELOR

1. IN LETTER DATED JULY 2, 1975, A.P. CHAKRABORTY, SECRETARY GENERAL OF INDIAN FEDERATION OF GRAPHICS WORKERS, ROSE BUILDING, SUBHASH ROAD, ALIGARH 202001, CONVEYED WARM GREETINGS TO VICE PRESIDENT ROCKEFELLER ON OCCASION OF INDEPENDENCE DAY AND ASKED FOR INVITATION FOR "3/4-MAN DELEGATION FROM OUR FEDERATION TO VISIT USA AS GUESTS OF THE US GOVERNMENT...TO STUDY THE WORKING OF THE FREE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT THERE..., SEE PRINTING HOUSES, ALONG WITH PTG.-SCHOOLS, COOPERATIVE MOVEMENT AND TRADE UNION EDUCATION COURSES."

2. DEPARTMENT UNDERSTANDS THAT AFL-CIO AND AAFLI HAVE ALSO BEEN APPROACHED BY CHAKRABORTY SEVERAL TIMES IN RECENT YEARS FOR SIMILAR INVITATIONS. BOTH ORGANIZATIONS APPARENTLY SOMEWHAT UNSURE OF UNION AND ITS LEADERS, RECALL THEY HAVE BEEN REPLYING INCONCLUSIVELY.

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3. REPLY IN SIMILAR VEIN ON BEHALF VICE PRESIDENT HAS BEEN PREPARED. REPLY ALSO SUGGESTS THAT CHAKRABORTY CONSULT WITH EMBASSY CONCERNING QUESTION OF POSSIBLE FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRAVEL/STUDY IN US.

4. DEPARTMENT WOULD, FOR POSSIBLE FUTURE USE, APPRECIATE RECEIVING ANY INFORMATION, VIEWS, OR RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING THIS ORGANIZATION AND ITS LEADERSHIP THAT EMBASSY IN ITS DISCRETION MAY CARE TO DEVELOP.

5. REPLY ON BEHALF VICE PRESIDENT BEING POUCHED TO EMBASSY FOR FORWARDING TO CHAKRABORTY.

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September 17, 1975

Mr. A.P. Chakraborty  
Secretary-General  
Indian Federation of Graphics Workers  
Rose Building, Subhash Road  
Aligarh 202001  
India

Dear Mr. Chakraborty:

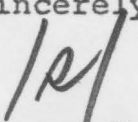
Your kind letter of July 2, addressed to the Vice President of the United States, has been referred to me for reply.

Your warm wishes on the occasion of Independence Day were much appreciated. We are also grateful for the friendly spirit which led you to inquire concerning a possible invitation to a three- or four-man delegation from your organization to come to the United States as guests of the United States Government.

To my regret, it is not possible to send an affirmative reply to your inquiry at this time. However, you may care to communicate with the United States Embassy, New Delhi, with a view to verifying whether possible travel and study opportunities in the U.S. may in the future become available.

With kindest regards and best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

  
Thomas D. Bowie  
Acting Special Assistant  
International Labor Affairs

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
REFERRAL

Date: Septmeber 11, 1975

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

<sup>x</sup> Chakraborty, A.P.

George S. Springsteen  
Executive Secretary  
Department of State

DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION:

To: The Vice President

From: A.P. Charkraborty

Date: July 2, 1975

Subject: Asks VP to invite <sup>x</sup>members of the Indian Federation of Graphical Workers, to visit the US.

ACTION REQUESTED:

       Draft reply for:        President's Signature  
              White House Staff  
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*Thomas A. H. H.*

for Jeanne W. Davis  
Staff Secretary

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## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Sept. 11

FOR NSC/S

Attn: Jack Murphy

Attached is the kind of letter which really should be answered directly by State. I recommend you inform the VP's secretariat that this be sent to State for direct reply (with info copy here) and that our NSC/S send this action to State.

Rosemary



## MEMORANDUM

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT  
WASHINGTONACTIONMemo No. 719-75  
July 29, 1975

FOR: JEANNE DAVIS

FROM: Jon Howe *HW*

SUBJECT: Response to Letter from Secretary General  
of the Indian Federation of Graphical  
Workers

The attached letter from Mr. Chakraborty, Secretary General of the Indian Federation of Graphical Workers, asks the Vice President to invite three to four delegates from the Federation to visit the United States as guests of our government.

Can we please have an NSC recommendation and a proposed response.

# Indian Federation of Graphical Workers

Rose Building, Subhash Road, ALIGARH ( India ) 202001

इण्डियन फ़ेडरेशन ऑफ़ ग्राफ़िकल वर्कर्स, अलीगढ़ (भारत)

( Registered under I. T. U. Act, 1926 )

*Affiliated to the International Graphical Federation, Berne, Switzerland*

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H. D. James  
K. Singh

SECRETARY-GENERAL :  
A. P. Chakraborty

Ref. No IFGW/ 75.

2nd July, 1975.

H.E.Mr. Nelson Rockefeller,  
Vice-President of the United States of America,  
Washington, D.C./ U.S.A.

Dear Esteemed Mr. Rockfeller:

We take much pleasure in extending to you and through you, to the friendly people and free labor movement in USA; warm Greetings and hearty felicitations on the happy occasion of US Independence Day, on the 4th of July, 1975. We wish all-round success and prosperity to the working people of America. Kindly convey our ~~specific~~ special fraternal greetings and congratulations to brother George Meany President of AFL-CIO and officers and membership of International Typographical Union, Colorado Springs, and Graphic Arts Intl. Union, Washington D.C. and tell them how very happy we feel to remember and salute them, on their national day. Echoing the desire and sentiments of our great Prime Minister Smt. Indira Gandhi, we express the fond hope that India United States would strengthen their relations on the basis of mutual respect, understanding and considerations for each others interest.

India and USA share many common purposes, ideals and human aspirations...and we want these to extend between the free labor movements of our two countries. We would much appreciate and feel grateful if you consider inviting 3/4-man delegation from our Federation to visit USA as guests of the US-Govt. (State Department or Labor Department) to study the working of the free trade-union movement there in all aspects, see printing houses, along with ptg.-schools, cooperative movement and trade-union education courses. Will you ?

Wishing you all the best in your life and work, dear Mr. Rockfeller; we send you assurances of our highest regard and consideration.

Yours Sincerely,

(A.P.Chakraborty)  
Secretary-General.



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SUBJECT: Ack ltr to Vice Pres from Sec General of Indian Federation of Suppld Workers - Characteristically re VP invitation to members to visit US

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MEMORANDUM OF INFORMATION FOR THE FILE

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LETTER, MEMO, ETC.

TO:

George Springsteen

FROM:

Jeanne Davis

SUBJECT:

Request for Meeting with the  
Vice President for Indian  
Foreign Minister Y. B. Chavan



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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL  
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VIA LDX  
September 25, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR

GEORGE SPRINGSTEEN  
Executive Secretary  
Department of State

SUBJECT: Request for Meeting with the Vice President for  
Indian Foreign Minister Chavan -- S/S 7518162

In response to your memo of September 18, it is not going to be possible to schedule a meeting with the Vice President during Indian Foreign Minister Chavan's early October visit to Washington.

  
Jeanne W. Davis  
Staff Secretary

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September 25

FOR JEANNE DAVIS

Jeanne,

You will note the Secretary's decision as conveyed in the message on the xerox copy on the left. The interesting part about this is that HAK had previously -- over at State -- approved asking for both a Presidential and VP meeting. (In the meantime the Indians went up ten notches in their usual criticism of the US). I have reconfirmed through General Scowcroft's office that the answer is a definite "no". Thus, you could send the attached to George Springsteen.

(Separately, the request for a Presidential meeting is bound up in the broader UNGA memo.)

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## MEMORANDUM

## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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September 20, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR

SECRETARY KISSINGER

THROUGH:

JEANNE V. DAVIS

FROM:

ROBERT B. OAKLEY

SUBJECT:

Indian Foreign Minister Chavan's Visit --  
Presidential and Vice Presidential Meetings

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The only remaining issue is a Vice Presidential meeting:

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--On the other hand, the added emphasis on US-Indian relations which would be signalled by a Vice Presidential meeting with Chavan might not be desirable when Mrs. Gandhi's authoritarian role in India, the Indian reaction to the President's comments and the aid request are

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Shall we notify  
Staff? yes ☒ No ☐HAK  
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"Do not  
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## MEMORANDUM

## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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September 20, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR SECRETARY KISSINGER  
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live issues. Also, there is the problem of precedent with regard to possible request from other foreign officials to meet with the Vice President.

On balance, given our broader interest in seeing the Indo-US relationship evolve in a positive direction, the evidence that Mrs. Gandhi is giving to retain control of India's destiny for a long time to come and the fact that the Chavan visit offers us a chance to do something special without any real cost, I believe we could go ahead with this meeting.

RECOMMENDATION: That you approve the schedule proposal for the Vice President at Tab A.

\_\_\_\_\_ APPROVE

\_\_\_\_\_ APPROVE AS AMENDED

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\_\_\_\_\_ DISAPPROVE; ~~Presidential meeting only.~~

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL FOR  
THE VICE PRESIDENT  
DATE:  
FROM: Henry A. Kissinger  
VIA: Jon Howe

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MEETING: With Y. B. Chavan, Foreign Minister of India

DATE: October 6 or 7

PURPOSE: To encourage a favorable evolution of US-Indian relations

FORMAT: - Your OEOB office  
- 30 minutes

SPEECH MATERIAL: Talking points will be provided through the NSC staff

PRESS COVERAGE: Meeting would be announced as part of your schedule; White House photo session at the beginning of the meeting

STAFF: Jon Howe

RECOMMEND: Brent Scowcroft

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: To our knowledge, you have not met Chavan as Foreign Minister

BACKGROUND: Indian Foreign Minister Chavan will come to Washington to help launch the first meeting of the Indo-US Joint Commission -- announced during Secretary Kissinger's trip to South Asia last fall. The Secretary and Chavan are Co-Chairmen of the Commission.

The creation of the Joint Commission was a reflection of our interest in a positive evolution of our bilateral ties with India as an element of

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our overall policy towards South Asia. The Indians cancelled the originally scheduled Joint Commission meeting last winter in reaction to our announcement of February lifting the arms embargo against South Asia. This meeting will now go forward October 6-7. Our objective is steady improvement, rather than dramatic change, to help put our relations on a more mature basis.

Your meeting with Chavan would be a useful complement to a planned meeting between the President and Chavan during his Washington visit. It would provide him greater exposure to Administration views on the direction in which we would like to see our ties evolve, and enable you to discuss current Congressional attitudes with him.

APPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

September 18, 1975

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~MEMORANDUM FOR LIEUTENANT GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT  
THE WHITE HOUSESubject: Call on the President by Indian  
Foreign Minister

Indian Foreign Minister Y.B. Chavan will be in Washington October 6-7 for a meeting of the Indo-U.S. Joint Commission. The Indians have requested an appointment for Chavan to see the President.

The Department recommends that if his schedule permits the President agree to see Chavan. The Foreign Minister will be available the afternoon of October 6 and morning and afternoon October 7. Since the President saw Chavan's predecessor, Swaran Singh, last year, the Indians would regard it as a strongly negative political signal were he unwilling to receive Chavan now. Of late, Mrs. Gandhi has been signalling her interest in improved relations with the U.S. Most recent signs were her unusual gesture in attending Ambassador Saxbe's dinner for Congressman Cederberg and India's reversal of its previous anti-U.S. position on the Puerto Rican issue at the U.N.

We remain interested in the effort to develop mature and productive relations with India and believe we should use the Chavan visit to further this process. Apart from its symbolic importance, a call on the President would provide an opportunity to emphasize at the highest level that U.S. interests and policies toward South Asia remain as Secretary Kissinger stated when he visited the subcontinent in October 1974. Given India's domestic unpopularity, it is possible the session with Chavan will prompt some criticism; however, we do not believe it will spark serious controversy.

*Norman McMillen*  
George S. Springsteen  
Executive Secretary

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September 18, 1975

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MEMORANDUM FOR LIEUTENANT GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT  
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Call on the Vice President by  
Indian Foreign Minister

Indian Foreign Minister Chavan will be in Washington October 6-7 for a meeting of the Indo-U.S. Joint Commission. The Indians have requested an appointment for Chavan to see the Vice President, and the Secretary has approved our asking for such an appointment.

The Department recommends that if his schedule permits the Vice President agree to see Chavan. He will be available the afternoon of October 6 and morning and afternoon of October 7.

Of late, the Indians have been signalling their interest in improved relations with the United States. Among the recent signs have been friendly statements about us by senior Indian officials, a reversal of India's previous anti-U.S. position on the Puerto Rican issue at the U.N., and Mrs. Gandhi's unusual gesture in attending Ambassador Saxbe's dinner for Congressman Cederberg.

We remain interested in developing mature and productive relations with India and believe that a call by Chavan on the Vice President would underscore our interest in this process.

*for* *Baron McKelvey*  
George S. Springsteen  
Executive Secretary

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SUBJECT:

*Appt Request w/VP By Indian Foreign Minister  
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MEMO FOR HAK Scowcroft WSP X  
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 ANY ACTION NECESSARY? \_\_\_\_\_  
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COMMENTS: (INCLUDING SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS)

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9/20		Scowcroft	<u>X</u>	Sgt SP for Whitman (10/01)	
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9/25			C	Davis sys memo to Springsteen	



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MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

September 29, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: WARREN S. RUSTAND  
THROUGH: SALLY QUENNEVILLE  
FROM: *fn* Jeanne W. Davis *WHT*  
SUBJECT: Proposed Foreign Travel  
of David Gregg III

The NSC Staff and the Department of State concur in the proposed travel of David Gregg III, Executive Vice President, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, to Korea, Hong Kong, Thailand, India, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, and England, October 9-November 8, 1975, to represent OPIC at the Berne Union Management Committee Meeting in New Delhi October 29-31, 1975, and to consult on aspects of OPIC programs.



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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

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Dear Judge Mashburn:

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Telfair J.  
The President has asked me to thank you for your letter of July 7 and respond to your questions. I apologize for this long delay in replying.

U. S. relations with India over the past decade have had both political and humanitarian dimensions. Our political relationship has suffered some difficulties in recent years, but as you note, the Administration is attempting to repair these relations.

The U. S. humanitarian effort to assist India's economic development has also recently changed. In this context, it is important to note that at least 50% of India's population lives below what is generally considered the minimum subsistence level. During the 1960's, U. S. assistance to India averaged \$650 million annually and focused on industrial development. Recent efforts have been more modest and focus on food production. The President has requested \$76 million for development assistance to India in 1976 plus some direct food aid under Public Law 480. The Administration believes that the direction and size of our assistance efforts in India are compatible with our political interests there.

Your other concern was that the Federal Government not make donations to New York and other cities to bail them out of financial difficulties. A number of local jurisdictions are experiencing such difficulties caused by the recession, inflation, declining tax bases and other factors. The Mayor of New York has discussed with the President the fiscal problems that his city faces. While recognizing the critical nature of the problems of the cities, the Administration has indicated that it cannot attempt to help resolve those problems on an ad hoc basis of providing aid to individual cities. In the case of New York City, you may have noted that the State of New York has established the Municipal Assistance Corporation to help put New York City on a sound financial footing.

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The program of General Revenue Sharing is already providing a significant measure of financial aid to all state and local jurisdictions. These jurisdictions also obtain financial aid through categorical grant programs funded by the Federal Government. While the Administration considers existing financial aid programs sufficient to assist state and local governments through their current economic difficulties, we are keeping a close watch on the developing fiscal situation in all sectors of the economy. I can assure you, however, that there is no current plan to bail out individual cities.

With reference to your thoughts on America's railroads and Federal efforts to ensure their continued viability, I should like to point out the following:

First, railroad employees in fact receive lower wages than other transportation employees, and since World War II their salaries (on a percentage basis) have risen more slowly than those of employees in trucking, waterways, or the airline industry;

Second, railroad unions strike rarely, due in part to the cumbersome provisions of the Railway Labor Act. There has not been a national rail strike since 1971, and that strike was the first in many years;

Third, the Federal Government is not bailing out the railroads; it is providing interim operating assistance to a few bankrupt carriers (notably the Penn Central) pending an income-based reorganization under the provisions of the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973. Financial assistance has been necessary to prevent a complete shutdown of the Northeastern railroads and consequent paralysis of the entire nation's commerce. Since such assistance began, in 1974, there have been no significant rail strikes and railroad employees have not received wage



increases of greater magnitude than those received by other American workers. This Administration believes very deeply that America's railroads must be privately owned and operated, and will continue to work for a strong private railroad system.

The President appreciates your views on these important matters.

Sincerely yours,

Roland L. Elliott  
Director of Correspondence

Honorable Telfair J. Mashburn  
Judge  
Twenty-Eighth Judicial Circuit  
Baldwin County  
Bay Minette, Alabama 36507

cc:  
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Mr. Elliott  
Mr. Collier  
Mr. Bray B75-18  
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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

July 29, 1975

UNCLASSIFIEDMEMORANDUM FOR LIEUTENANT GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT  
THE WHITE HOUSESubject: Draft Reply to Letter from  
Judge Telfair J. Mashburn

Judge Telfair J. Mashburn wrote the President on July 7 concerning U.S. relations with India and about domestic matters. Draft language for use in replying to Judge Mashburn's concerns about Indo-U.S. relations is attached.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "George S. Springsteen".

George S. Springsteen  
Executive Secretary

Attachment:

As stated.

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DRAFT REPLY

(Important note: The draft below deals only with Judge Mashburn's question about U.S. relations with India and does not answer his questions about domestic matters.)

Dear Judge Mashburn:

With regard to our relationship with India and the other South Asian nations, we believe that our overall interests are the maintenance of regional stability, normalization of relations among the countries of the area, and the avoidance of outside power interference. These interests require, over the long run, mature and stable relations between ourselves and India under which differences between us will be dealt with on a basis of mutual respect for each other's interests and sovereignty.

We continue to have a long-standing interest in the stability and economic development of India. Since India has been one of the countries hardest hit by the increases in world prices for vital commodities such as food, fuel, and fertilizer, we believe both our longer-term interests and our humanitarian concerns dictate leaving open the possibility of a modest program of economic assistance for India.

Sincerely,

Roland L. Elliott

The Honorable  
Telfair J. Mashburn,  
Judge of the Twenty-eighth  
Judicial Circuit,  
Bay Minette, Alabama.

Department of State

THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

REFERRAL

To: The Secretary of State

Date: July 18, 1975

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ACTION REQUESTED

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\_\_\_\_ President's signature.  
☒ Undersigned's signature.  
\_\_\_\_ Memorandum for use as enclosure to reply.  
\_\_\_\_ Direct reply.  
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\_\_\_\_ Suitable acknowledgment or other appropriate handling.  
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\_\_\_\_ For your information.  
\_\_\_\_ For comment.

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Prompt action is essential.  
If more than 2 weeks' delay is encountered, please telephone Mr. Oakley, XXXXXX, Miss Byrne 456-6688 has (staffer).

Basic correspondence should be returned when draft reply, memorandum, or comment is requested.

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7/31 to rush.

REMARKS:

Also referred to OMB

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re: status  
(Loretta)

Description:

☒ Letter: \_\_\_\_\_ Telegram: \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
To: The President  
From: Telfair J. Mashburn, Twenty-Eighth Judicial Circuit, Bay Minette, Alabama 36507  
Date: July 7, 1975  
Subject: Aid to India.

8/22 called Loretta re: status  
Oakley has & want  
do anything with.

8/25 Called Loretta to PVSH  
8/26 Asked Jim Holmes  
By direction of the President:  
to call Bob Oakley.  
9/9 Called Tom NSC to check  
Roland L. Elliott  
Director of Correspondence

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REFERRAL

To: The Secretary of State

Date: July 18, 1975

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From: Telfair J. Mashburn, Twenty-Eighth Judicial Circuit, Bay Minette, Alabama 36507  
Date: July 7, 1975  
Subject: Aid to India.

By direction of the President:

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*R*  
Roland L. Elliott  
Director of Correspondence



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# THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

## REFERRAL

To: Office of Management and Budget  
Attention: Mr. Jerry Dedman

Date: July 18, 1975

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### NOTE

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If more than ~~72 hours~~ <sup>2 weeks</sup> delay is encountered,

please telephone ~~the undersigned immediately~~ <sup>XXXXXXXX</sup>,  
Code ~~1456~~ <sup>XXXXXXXX</sup>. Miss Byrne 456-6688

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REMARKS: Also referred to State.

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To: The President  
From: Talfair J. Mashburn, Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit, Bay Minette,  
Date: July 7, 1975 Alabama 36507  
Subject: Federal assistance for New York City.

By direction of the President:

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*RE*  
Roland L. Elliott  
Director of Correspondence



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TWENTY-EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
BALDWIN COUNTY  
BAY MINETTE, ALA. 36507

JAMES A HENDRIX  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
TELEPHONE 937-5771

TELFAIR J. MASHBURN  
JUDGE

LOUISE DUSENBURY  
COURT REPORTER  
TELEPHONE 937-3281

July 7, 1975

CS/2A  
The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 200

Dear Mr. President:

Recently I have read in the papers where Mrs. Indira Gandhi, of India, is talking about repairing relations between our two countries. I am writing this letter, Mr. President, urging you to remember all the things we have done for India in the past, and how little they have done for us, including voting against us on every question that has come up in the United Nations. I am confident that if we were about to be defeated in a war, they would join with our enemies.

I hope you will make no recommendations that we give assistance to India in any form in the future. If we have something they need, let them pay for it, or do without. (incidentally, this is good advice concerning our dealings with the rest of the world).

I also hope that you will not recommend that Congress make donations to New York and other cities of the United States, to bail them out of financial difficulties. In my opinion, Mr. President, it is not right to let politicians waste local money to promote themselves for office and then call on the tax-payers over the United States to make good when they run deficits.

I would like to point out what has happened in the case of the railroads and of the various local transportation companies in the various cities of the United States; when the Federal Government began to bail out the railroads, the Unions continue to strike for higher wages and today there is no relationship between the income of the railroads and the amount they must pay their unionized labor. (This is true also with regard to street Railway Companies in most of our Cities.

TWENTY-EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
BALDWIN COUNTY  
BAY MINETTE, ALA. 36507

JAMES A HENDRIX  
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I just can not see why tax payers in Alabama  
should help pay street cleaners in New York or San Francisco  
\$15,000.00 to \$18,000.00 per year in salaries.

Respectfully,

*Telfair J. Mashburn*  
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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT AHMED

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED TO DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM  
PRESIDENT FORD TO PRESIDENT FAHRUDDIN ALI AHMED.  
BEGIN QUOTE:

2. DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I WAS VERY MOVED TO RECEIVE  
YOUR KIND PERSONAL MESSAGE OF RELIEF THAT I WAS UNHURT  
IN THE INCIDENT IN SAN FRANCISCO. YOUR EXPRESSION OF  
CONCERN AND GOOD WISHES IS MUCH APPRECIATED. SINCERELY,  
GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT  
WISHES TO DO SO.

4. FYI: TEXT OF PRESIDENT AHMED'S NOTE TO THE PRESIDENT

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MEMORANDUM FOR DAVID KENNERLY

FROM:

Jeanne W. Davis *JWD*

SUBJECT:

Photos for Indian and Pak Ministers and  
U. S. Ambassador Saxbe, *William*

Last week, the President met with Indian Minister Chavan on October 6 and Pakistani Minister Aziz Ahmed on October 9. We would appreciate having photos mounted for inscription as follows:

One for Indian Minister Chavan, *V.B.*  
One for Ambassador Saxbe, who participated in the above meeting.

One for Pakistani Minister Aziz Ahmed

If you will return them to us, we will submit for signature.

We would also appreciate having copies of these prints for the Indian and Pakistani Ambassadors.

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