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#### NOTES FOR DIRECTOR

### INTRODUCTION OF MR. DAVID ROCKEFELLER

### CIA Guest Speaker 16 February 1978

- 1. WELCOME TO GUESTS FROM THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY
- 2. INTRODUCTION OF AMBASSADOR CARLUCCI
- 3. WELCOME TO MR. ROCKEFELLER'S ASSOCIATES--MR. JOSEPH REED,

25X1A

AND MR. OWEN FRISBY

- 4. BIOGRAPHIC SUMMARY
  - a. LED THE CHASE MANHATTAN BANK SINCE 1961 AS PRESIDENT; SINCE 1969 AS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
  - b. EARNED WORLDWIDE REPUTATION AS A LEADING BANKER AND SPOKESMAN FOR THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY
  - c. LEADER IN MANY PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROJECTS, REFLECTING WIDE-RANGING INTERESTS IN INTERNATIONAL, GOVERNMENTAL, CIVIC AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

FOR EXAMPLE, CIVIC--

- --SPEARHEADED EFFORT TO DEVELOP LOWER MANHATTAN
- --ORGANIZED BUSINESS COMMITTEE FOR THE ARTS

FOR EXAMPLE, INTERNATIONAL --

--EXHIBITED INTEREST IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES:

WHEN RESPONSIBLE IN EARLY 1950'S FOR SUPERVISION

OF CHASE MANHATTAN'S BUSINESS IN LATIN AMERICA,

OPENED NEW BRANCHES IN CUBA, PANAMA, PUERTO RICO,

AND OFFICE IN BUENOS AIRES

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- --INSTRUMENTAL IN FORMATION OF INTERNATIONAL

  EXECUTIVE SERVICE CORPS, BUSINESSMEN VOLUNTEERS

  PROVIDING TECHNICAL AND MANAGERIAL ASSISTANCE

  TO PRIVATE ENTERPRISE ABROAD
- --ACTIVELY CONCERNED WITH MANY INTERNATIONAL
  TRADE AND ECONOMIC ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS
  COUNCIL ON JAPAN--US ECONOMIC RELATIONS
- --FOUNDER OF TRILATERAL COMMISSION TO PROMOTE

  UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION AMONG THE NATIONS

  OF NORTH AMERICA, WESTERN EUROPE AND JAPAN

  (ILLUSTRIOUS MEMBERSHIP--PRESIDENT CARTER,

  ZBIGNIEW BRZEZINSKI)
- d. BORN 12 JUNE 1915; MEMBER ILLUSTRIOUS FAMILY;
  SON OF JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR. AND ABBY ALDRICH
  ROCKEFELLER; BROTHER OF NELSON ROCKEFELLER
- e. EDUCATION

  UNDERGRADUATE--HARVARD UNIVERSITY

  POST-GRADUATE--HARVARD AND LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

  PH.D. ECONOMICS--UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
- 5. TOPIC--"TRENDS IN INTERNATIONAL BANKING AND THEIR IMPACT ON FOREIGN RELATIONS"
  - (NOTE: MR ROCKEFELLER SHOULD USE NECK MIKE IF HE MOVES

    AROUND STAGE.)
- 6. QUESTION PERIOD
- 7. CONCLUSION: 4:15 P.M.

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# DAVID ROCKEFELLER

(Biographical Summary)

David Rockefeller became chairman of the Board of Directors and chief executive officer of The Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A. in New York on March 1, 1969 and of The Chase Manhattan Corporation upon its formation on June 4, 1969.

During his career with Chase Manhattan, Mr. Rockefeller has gained a worldwide reputation as a leading banker and spokesman for the business community. He has spearheaded the Bank's expansion both internationally and throughout the metropolitan New York area and has helped the Bank play a significant role as a corporate citizen. In addition, he has been a leader in many public and private projects, reflecting his wide-ranging interests in international, governmental, civic and cultural affairs. He has received high honors from nearly a dozen nations.

Mr. Rockefeller joined the Chase National Bank as an assistant manager in the foreign department in 1946. He was appointed an assistant cashier in 1947, second vice president in 1948 and vice president in 1949.

From 1950 to 1952, he was responsible for the supervision of Chase's business in Latin America where, under his direction, new branches were opened in Cuba, Panama and Puerto Rico, plus a representative office in Buenos Aires.

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He was named a senior vice president in 1952 with responsibility for supervising the economic research department and customer relations in the metropolitan New York area, including all the New York City branches.

When Chase National and the Bank of Manhattan Company merged on March 31, 1955, Mr. Rockefeller was appointed an executive vice president in charge of the bank development department. On January 1, 1957, he became vice chairman of the Board of Directors with responsibility for the administrative and planning functions of the bank as a whole. He became president of the bank and chairman of the executive committee of the Board of Directors on January 1, 1961.

Born June 12, 1915 in New York City, Mr. Rockefeller is the youngest son of the late John D. Rockefeller, Jr. and Abby Aldrich Rockefeller. He attended Lincoln School of Columbia University's Teachers College in New York for 12 years, graduated from Harvard in 1936 with a bachelor of science degree, and, after post-graduate study at Harvard and the London School of Economics, he received a Ph.D. degree in economics from the University of Chicago in 1940. His doctoral thesis, "Unused Resources and Economic Waste," was published by the University of Chicago Press.

Mr. Rockefeller has been awarded honorary doctor of law degrees by Columbia University (1954), Bowdoin College (1958), Jewish Theological Seminary (1958), Williams College (1966), Wagner College (1967), Harvard University (1969), Approved For Release 2000/05/16 CIA-RDP81-00261R000300020045-2

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Pace College (1970), St. John's University (1971) and Middlebury College (1974). Mr. Rockefeller also was awarded honorary doctor of engineering degrees from Colorado School of Mines (1974) and Polytechnic Institute of New York (1977).

Mr. Rockefeller was secretary to the late Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia of New York from 1940 to 1941 and assistant regional director of the United States Office of Defense, Health and Welfare Service from 1941 to 1942.

He enlisted as a private in the U.S. Army in May 1942, entered Officer Candidate School in 1943 and was discharged as a captain in 1945. He served in North Africa and France, where for seven months he was an assistant military attache in Paris. Mr. Rockefeller was awarded the U.S. Legion of Merit, the U.S. Army Commendation Ribbon and the French Legion of Honor.

Mr. Rockefeller was chairman of the Board of Trustees of The Rockefeller University from 1950 to 1975 and is currently chairman of the executive committee. He is vice chairman and a trustee of the Rockefeller Brothers Fund. He participates with his brothers in a number of philanthropic, economic development and investment enterprises.

Mr. Rockefeller helped found and served as chairman of the Downtown-Lower Manhattan Association (D-LMA), whose planning proposals have aided the redevelopment of lower Manhattan. He is currently on DLMA's executive committee.

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He was also instrumental in the formation of the International Executive Service Corps, a group of businessmen volunteers who provide technical and managerial assistance to private enterprise in developing-countries. He served as chairman of this organization from 1964 to 1968 and is presently a director.

Mr. Rockefeller is also a director of The Business Committee for the Arts, which he helped form in 1967.

He also helped organize both the Council of the Americas and the Center for Inter-American Relations, working to maximize private enterprise contributions and cultural and intellectual exchanges in the development of Latin America. He is honorary chairman of the Council of the Americas and honorary chairman and director of the Center for Inter-American Relations.

Mr. Rockefeller is also vice chairman of both the

Advisory Council on Japan-United States Economic Relations
and National Council for U.S.-China Trade; member of the

Bulgarian-U.S. Economic Council; member, steering committee
of both U.S.-Egyptian Joint Business Chamber and U.S.-Iran

Joint Business Council; and a director of U.S.-U.S.S.R.

Trade and Economic Council, Inc.

In 1973, Mr. Rockefeller helped found the Trilateral

Commission, an organization designed to promote understanding
and cooperation among the nations of North America, Western

Europe and Japan. He currently serves on the Trilateral
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Commission's executive committee.

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His other affiliations include:

Chairman of the Board, Council on Foreign Relations,
Inc., an educational institution where leaders from the
field of scholarship and the public and private sectors meet
periodically to expand their perspectives on foreign affairs;
president, New York Clearinghouse Association; vice chairman,
trustee and member of the executive committee of the Museum
of Modern Art; life trustee, University of Chicago; treasurer,
United Negro College Fund; and honorary trustee, International
House.

Director: The Federal Reserve Bank of New York; Overseas Development Council; and Rockefeller Center, Inc.

Member: The Business Council; The Business Roundtable; general committee of the New York Money Market of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York; Harvard University Council on East Asian Studies and Committee on University Resources; Association of Reserve City Bankers; Mayor's Financial Liaison Group on New York City Affairs; and a trustee of the United States Council of the International Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

Mr. Rockefeller is also a past president of the Harvard College Board of Overseers and served as chairman of the first Commission on White House Fellows, 1964-65.

He is a member of the Century, Harvard, Knickerbocker, Links, Recess and University Clubs in New York City.

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Mr. Rockefeller and his wife, the former Margaret
McGrath, were married September 7, 1940. They have homes in
New York City and Tarrytown, N.Y. The Rockefellers have two
sons, David, Jr. and Richard G., and four daughters, Abby
A., Neva (Mrs. Walter J. Kaiser), Margaret (Mrs. David
Quattrone) and Eileen M.

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