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TO: Angola Economic/Commercial IG

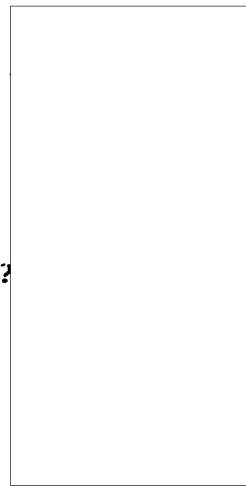
FROM: Alan P. Larson
Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for
International Energy and Resources PolicySUBJECT: Topics for Review on U.S. Economic/Commercial Policy
towards Angola

Assistant Secretary Crocker has asked me to coordinate a paper to examine some of the questions arising from the May 1 meeting on Angola. This paper will be incorporated into a comprehensive study of our policy and possible options which would accompany a draft NSDD for consideration by the President.

In the following list, the agency cited first has the lead on drafting a section of the paper, with input from other agencies listed. Drafts should be submitted to me by COB May 15. I would plan to have a meeting during the week of May 18. Assistant Secretary Crocker has informed me that in view of the NSDD time table our report must be completed by May 26.

Topics for Inclusion in PaperDraftingEconomic/Commercial Factors

- History of U.S. commercial involvement in Angola
 - Chief U.S. exports to and imports from Angola
 - Direct U.S. investment in Angola by sector
 - U.S. firms active in Angola? With investments?
 - Financial flow between the U.S. and Angola
- Present status of trade controls, formal and informal, already in effect
 - Items refused exports licenses since 1981, and grounds for refusal
 - Status of I-100 exports and how they might be made subject to formal controls



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- Statutory prohibitions
 - Prohibitions currently in effect
 - Status of pending legislation on trade with Angola
 - Effect of current statutory prohibitions on U. exports and jobs

- What Libyan, Syrian, and other recent U.S. sanctions/embargos say about likely effectiveness of measures against Angola
 - Effectiveness in eliminating U.S. presence
 - Effect on hard currency earnings of target nations

- Relevant energy policy concerns vis-a-vis a possible call for American oil companies to leave Angola
 - Potential of the Angolan fields, proven reserves
 - Significance of Angola not being OPEC member (Importance of oil to U.S.)

Economic Impact of Possible U.S. Embargo or Sanction

- Foreign policy controls on exports to Angola
 - Impact on U.S. exports, jobs, competitiveness

- Ban on U.S. imports from Angola
 - Affect on price or marketability of Angolan oil?
 - Possibility of affecting hard currency earnings?

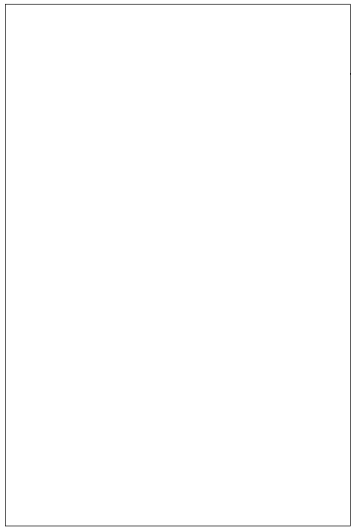
- Investment - pull out of U.S. companies
 - Earnings in hard currency from U.S. companies

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- Angolan alternatives to working with U.S. companies
- Use of (KEPA on Angola
 - Legal standards that must be met
 - Reaction of Congress, industry, allies
 - Affect on U.S. business, jobs
- Implications of embargo/sanctions for U.S. trade policy in general

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