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May 3, 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MR. KISSINGER

FROM:

JEANNE W. DAVIS

SUBJECT:

Staff Approvals for Mr. Kissinger

Attached at Tab A is a list of Action Items approved in your name during the months of March and April. Copies are available if you wish to see them.

Attachment

ON-FILE NSC RELEASE INSTRUCTIONS APPLY

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General SCOWCROFT FOR MR. KISSINGER

Consular Convention with Poland.

Forwarded to the President for ratification a consular convention with Poland formalizing consular rights resulting from 1964 negotiations. (1856)

Consular Convention with Hungary.

Forwarded to the President for ratification a revised consular convention with Hungary, improving relevant services and affording American citizens fuller consular protection. (1860)

Consular Convention with Romania.

Forwarded to the President for ratification a US-Romania Convention designed to improve consular services in both countries. (1858)

Presidential Thank-you Letter to Israeli Prime Minister.

Forwarded to the President for signature a reply to Prime Minister Meir expressing appreciation for 1) gifts received during her US visit; 2) a condolence message on the Khartoum murders; and 3) her Vietnam ceasefire congratulations. (1526)

AID Presentation on Indian Economic Assistance.

Approved AID's scenario for presentation of appropriations requests to Congress for FY 1974 Indian economic assistance. (1567)

Visit by Polish Minister of Health.

Acknowledged Dr. Roger O. Egeberg's report to the President on the visit of Poland's Minister of Health. (1871)

1972 United Nations Day.

Recommended that the President sign a reply to Chairman of United Nations Day 1972, Robert O. Anderson, expressing appreciation for the 1972 celebration report and promising to name a 1973 Chairman very soon. (185)

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Japanese Prefectural Governors

Forwarded a schedule proposal recommending that the President receive ten Japanese prefectural governors on April 13 to reaffirm the value we attach to our relationship with Japan. (1134)

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STAFF APPROVALS FOR MR. KISSINGER FOR THE PRESIDENT

Appreciation for US Officials Involved in POW Release.

Approved for Presidential signature letters of appreciation to the Secretaries of State and Defense and the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff for the role played by them and their staffs in the POW release program. (1695) (Scowcroft for Kissinger for President)

Presidential Determination to Permit Supporting Assistance to Spain.

Approved for signature a Presidential Determination to permit security supporting assistance to Spain, and Letters of Notification to House Speaker Albert and Senate Foreign Relations Committee Chairman Fulbright. (8612) (Kennedy for Kissinger for President)

Secretary Laird's Involvement in the POW Release.

Approved for Presidential signature a letter to Melvin Laird, former Secretary of Defense, for his role in the return of American POWs from Indochina. (1767) (Scowcroft for Kissinger for President)