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## THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION

SUBJECT:

The President's Telephone Call to Prime (II)

Minister Cavaco Silva of Portugal (U)

PARTICIPANTS:

The President

Anibal Cavaco Silva, Prime Minister Notetaker: Robert L. Hutchings

DATE, TIME

November 27, 1989, 12:16 - 12:34 p.m. EST

AND PLACE:

The Oval Office

The President initiated the call. (U)

The President: Anibal, how are you? (U)

Prime Minister Cavaco Silva: Fine. How is your family? (U)

The President: Fine. I am calling to get advice from an old friend about my Malta meeting. (U)

Prime Minister Cavaco Silva: It is a very important one. (U)

The President: There will be no surprises to our allies and no deals. I will be ready to talk with him on a wide array of economic things. I want perestroika to succeed, as you do. (U)

Prime Minister Cavaco Silva: It is important that the allies be united to achieve good results in disarmament and other fields. We agreed on that in Paris. (U)

The President: That is good to hear. I heard that from other allies. I appreciate that the allies are meeting. I wanted your ideas. (U)

Prime Minister Cavaco Silva:

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The President: I agree. This is a timely meeting. We started talking with Gorbachev last summer. I am glad to hear we are thinking along the same lines. (U)

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Prime Minister Cavaco Silva: Will you discuss regional problems?
(U)

The President: Yes. Absolutely. We will talk about Afghanistan, Nicaragua, and also Angola, which you are very interested in. (U)

<u>Prime Minister Cavaco Silva</u>: Yes. I want to talk about this when I visit in January. (U)

The President: Yes. If you have thoughts about Angola before I leave for Malta, I would appreciate your personal message. You could hand it to our Ambassador. (C)

Prime Minister Cavaco Silva: (b)(1)

The President: That is encouraging. If you have further thoughts before Malta, please tell me. I look forward to our meeting. (U)

<u>Prime Minister Cavaco Silva</u>: All the success to your summit. We in Europe will be following it with great interest. (U)

The President: We will do our best. We won't let you down. (U)

-- End of Conversation --