ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM F. SITTMANN

FROM: ADRIAN BASORA

SUBJECT: Telcon with Prime Minister Brian Mulroney of Canada on January 9, 1991

Attached at Tab A is a Memorandum of Telephone Conversation between the President and Prime Minister Brian Mulroney on January 9, 1991.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the attached Memorandum of Telephone Conversation be filed for the record.

Approve ______ Disapprove ______

That you sign the memo at Tab I transmitting the Memorandum of Telephone Conversation at Tab A.

Attachments
Tab I Memorandum to State
Tab A Telcon
MEMORANDUM OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION

SUBJECT: Telephone Conversation with Prime Minister Brian Mulroney of Canada

PARTICIPANTS: The President
Prime Minister Brian Mulroney
Adrian Basora, NSC Staff (Notetaker)

DATE, TIME January 9, 1991, 3:02 p.m. - 3:06 p.m.
PLACE: Oval Office

The President: Hello, Brian. I am just calling to tell you about Jim Baker's meeting in Geneva today. They stonewalled and they refused to accept our letter, which was not conciliatory of them. There isn't anything secret going on. They repeated the same positions. (☎)

Prime Minister Mulroney: I had him (Tariq Aziz) on CNN and I turned it off in disgust. I was extremely disappointed that he wouldn't accept the letter. (☎)

The President: I just wanted you to know that what you see is what you got. (☎)

Prime Minister Mulroney: We will need to talk further on a secure line at some time. (☎)

The President: I will also be calling Mitterrand, Kohl and Hawke. So long. (☎)

Prime Minister Mulroney: Goodbye. (U)

-- End of Conversation --

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