MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

SUBJECT: Meeting with Prime Minister Calfa of the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic (U)

PARTICIPANTS:
The President
Lawrence S. Eagleburger, Deputy Secretary of State
Brent Scowcroft, Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs
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Marian Calfa, Prime Minister
Rita Klimova, Ambassador to the U.S.

DATE, TIME AND PLACE:
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(The first part of the meeting was devoted to intelligence matters.) (Z)

The President: I hope things are going well with the rest of your visit. (U)

Prime Minister Calfa: Yes, Mr. President. I was in Philadelphia yesterday and gave a lecture at the university, which went well. Then I met with businessmen and gave a talk about the difficult path to democracy. It was well received. This morning I went to the Congress and State Department. Tomorrow I will meet the Czech ethnic community in Texas. (U)

The President: Dallas? Houston? (U)

Prime Minister Calfa: It is between Dallas and Austin. I will have a meeting with the Mayor of Dallas and then go to the University of Texas. I never mentioned anywhere any of this, so, please, when we speak to the press we should be general. (Z)

The President: We will say we exchanged greetings, had a general discussion, and talked about things in Czechoslovakia. (Z)

(The conversation returned to intelligence issues.) (Z)

Prime Minister Calfa: I appreciate your receiving me. (U)
The President: I am glad to see you. I hate to rush off, but the press corps is waiting. (U)

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