

## THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 7, 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: FRANK PRESS *ff*

SUBJECT: CTB Consultation with Prime Minister  
Thatcher

During Cy Vance's recent consultations with UK Prime Minister Thatcher, she expressed several CTB concerns, such as the possibility of evasive testing by decoupling in cavities. Cy reported that our advisers did not agree with these concerns and suggested that it might be useful for me to meet with her to discuss this issue. Thatcher was reportedly very pleased with this suggestion and Cy has subsequently urged me to go to London for this purpose.

It appears that Thatcher has received some negative advice on CTB and it would probably be useful for me to meet with her to try to allay her concerns. This would also provide an opportunity to discuss the NSS problem with her. If you think this would be helpful I will consult with Cy and Zbig in planning the trip and developing some appropriate briefing material. If possible I will try to schedule the visit between your meeting with Brezhnev in Vienna and the economic summit in Toyko, so that you could follow up on some of these points with Thatcher if necessary.

approve

 disapproveSECRET*J*

No Objection To Declass

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Mr. President:

Brzezinski concurs.

Rick

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DATE: 07 JUN 79

FOR ACTION: ZBIG BRZEZINSKI

INFO ONLY: THE VICE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: SECRET PRESS MEMO RE THE CONSULTATION WITH PRIME  
MINISTER THATCHER+++++  
+ RESPONSE DUE TO RICK HUGHESON STAFF SECRETARY (456-7052) +

+ BY: +

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ACTION REQUESTED: IMMEDIATE TURNAROUND

STAFF RESPONSE: ( ) I CONCUR. ( ) NO COMMENT. ( ) HOLD.

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Frank Press

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Rick Hutcheson

cc: Zbig Brzezinski

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