



VISIT BY

The President
of The United States
of America
and
Mrs Reagan

TO THE PALACE OF WESTMINSTER

Tuesday, 8th June 1982

PROGRAMME

- 11.00 am** Royal Gallery doors open for arrival of Peers and Members of Parliament (Prince's Chamber) and Guests and Press (Norman Porch).
- 11.40 am** Norman Porch closed to Guests and Press. The State Trumpeters and a detachment of The Queen's Bodyguard of the Yeomen of the Guard proceed to their appointed stations.
- 11.45 am** The Lord Chancellor and The Speaker arrive in the Prince's Chamber.
- 11.48 am** The Speaker enters the Royal Gallery and proceeds to the dais.
- 11.50 am** The Lord Chancellor enters the Royal Gallery and proceeds to the dais.
- 11.55 am** THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND MRS REAGAN accompanied by members of the suite in attendance, arrive at Norman Porch where they are met by
- THE MARQUESS OF CHOLMONDELEY
The Lord Great Chamberlain
- who conducts the President and Mrs Reagan up the staircase.
- A detachment of The Queen's Bodyguard of the Yeomen of the Guard will be on duty on the staircase.
- At the top of the staircase, the Lord Great Chamberlain presents:
- THE RT. HON. MARGARET THATCHER, MP
The Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury
- The Lord Great Chamberlain conducts The President into the Robing Room.
- The Prime Minister conducts Mrs Reagan into the Royal Gallery and presents:
- THE RT. HON. JOHN BIFFEN, MP
The Lord President of the Council and Leader of the House of Commons
- and
- THE RT. HON. THE BARONESS YOUNG
The Lord Privy Seal and Leader of the House of Lords

The Prime Minister then conducts Mrs Reagan to her seat.

Members of the suite in attendance proceed to their seats.

The Lord Great Chamberlain conducts The President from the Robing Room via the top of the Norman Porch staircase where he presents:

THE RT. HON. JOHN BIFFEN, MP
The Lord President of the Council and Leader of the House of Commons

and

THE RT. HON. THE BARONESS YOUNG
The Lord Privy Seal and Leader of the House of Lords

The Lord Great Chamberlain then conducts The President into the Royal Gallery. A fanfare of trumpets is sounded by the State Trumpeters.

At the foot of the steps to the dais, the Lord Great Chamberlain presents:

THE RT. HON. THE LORD HAILSHAM OF ST MARYLEBONE
The Lord Chancellor

and

THE RT. HON. GEORGE THOMAS, MP
The Speaker of the House of Commons

who will escort The President on to the dais to take their seats.

The Lord President of the Council and the Lord Privy Seal proceed to their seats.

The Lord Chancellor welcomes The President and Mrs Reagan.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

then addresses the assembled Peers and Members of Parliament.

The Speaker of the House of Commons thanks The President.

The Lord Great Chamberlain proceeds to the foot of the stairs to the dais.

A fanfare of trumpets is sounded.

The Lord Chancellor and The Speaker conduct The President from the dais and take their leave at the foot of the steps.

On conclusion

The Lord Great Chamberlain preceded by the Lord President of the Council and the Lord Privy Seal, escort The President, joined by Mrs Reagan, through the Royal Gallery to the Prince's Chamber where:

The Rt. Hon. The Baroness Young
The Lord Privy Seal

and

The Rt. Hon. John Biffen, MP
The Lord President of the Council

take their leave; and during which:

The Prime Minister leaves the Royal Gallery by Norman Porch for 10 Downing Street

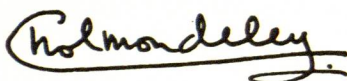
The Lord Chancellor and The Speaker of the House of Commons leave the Royal Gallery via the Robing Room

The suite not in immediate attendance on The President leave the Royal Gallery by Norman Porch.

The Lord Great Chamberlain conducts The President of the United States of America and Mrs Reagan to Peers' Entrance where he takes his leave.

12.45 pm

The President of the United States of America and Mrs Reagan, with the accompanying suite, depart by car for 10 Downing Street.



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Lord Great Chamberlain