

DRAFT COMMUNIQUE LANGUAGE ON EAST WEST ECONOMIC RELATIONS

We agreed to pursue a prudent economic approach to the USSR and Eastern Europe taking into account our political and security objectives. First, we will exchange information among ourselves and with others on our economic, commercial, and financial relations with the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. Second, we have agreed to regulate and review east-west economic relations, bearing in mind the need for such relations to proceed on a sound economic basis and to take full account of security considerations, particularly in the technological, economic and financial areas, including limits on export credits. Third, we will actively pursue the development and the diversification of reliable sources of energy in order to avoid dependence.