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March 18, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

From : Alexander M. Haig, Jr. *AH*

1. Van Agt Visit. The Dutch Ambassador called on Bill Clark today to express real concern about the delay in responding to his request that you receive Dutch Prime Minister van Agt in his capacity as EC Council President. The Ambassador added that it was very important that van Agt be able to announce the specific dates of his visit to Washington when the EC Heads of Government meet in the Netherlands on March 23-24 under his Chairmanship.

In view of the EC's Middle East involvement, it would be very useful if the van Agt visit occurred before my departure for the area in early April. (C)

2. House Foreign Affairs Committee Foreign Assistance Overview Testimony. My testimony before the House Foreign Affairs Committee provided a foreign assistance overview for FY '82. Most questions concerned economic proposals for the Middle East, the Saudi F-15 enhancement request, the grain embargo, Law of the Sea, and human rights. The El Salvador issue did not dominate the proceedings. (U)

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March 19, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RICHARD V. ALLEN

SUBJECT: Secretary Haig's Evening Report

Herewith Secretary Haig's Evening Report of March 18, 1981.

cc: The Vice President  
Ed Meese  
James Baker

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