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THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
WASHINGTON

June 29, 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

From : Alexander M. Haig, Jr. 

1. Egypt-U.S. Peaceful Nuclear Cooperation Agreement Signed. At a ceremony this morning in the Department, Egypt's Minister of Electricity and I signed a peaceful nuclear cooperation agreement. The occasion went very well and the Egyptians were warmly appreciative of the prominence we gave it. (LOU)

2. Organization of African Unity (OAU) Summit. At the annual Summit of the OAU, Libya escaped condemnation for its participation in the civil war in Chad; instead, there was yet another call for a peacekeeping force. An additional success for Libya was Tripoli's selection as the 1982 OAU Summit site, thereby insuring that Col. Qadhafi will be the 1982-83 Chairman. The OAU also adopted resolutions attacking the U.S. policies on Namibia and South Africa. A more favorable event was Moroccan King Hassan II's dramatic appearance at the Summit to agree to a "controlled" referendum on the Western Sahara. His action averted an immediate clash over membership of the "Saharan Democratic Arab Republic," and allowed the appointment of an OAU implementation committee with calls for a ceasefire, a UN peacekeeping force, a referendum, and elections. Our statement at the noon briefing today supported King Hassan's initiative, and we will be commenting on the other issues tomorrow. We are also reappraising our policy on Chad. (C)

3. Japanese Defense Minister's Visit. The Japanese Defense Minister, Joji Omura, met with me this afternoon, following his three-hour session with Cap. I told Omura that we were well aware of the constitutional and political constraints on greater Japanese defense efforts. We would do nothing to undermine Japan's leadership, which we respected. Nonetheless, the American people would welcome Japan's evolution towards full-scale participation in all respects on the international scene. Specifically we would like to see Japan do more in the defense area. I made it clear that there was no difference between you, Cap or myself on this issue. Omura listened carefully, offered to consider what more might be done but made no commitment. (C)

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RICHARD V. ALLEN

SUBJECT: Secretary Haig's Evening Report

Attached is Secretary Haig's Evening Report for June 29, 1981.

CC: The Vice President  
Ed Meese  
Jim Baker  
Mike Deaver

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