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MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE PRESIDENT

From

Alexander M. Haig, Jr. 76

Demonstrations in Poland. Violent clashes in Poland between police and demonstrators occurred again today in the Baltic port city of Czczecin though Warsaw, Krakow and Poznan were calm. Massive arrests have been reported and the regime has reimposed the curfew which had been lifted on Sunday, directing it particularly at youth. Sports and cultural events have been canceled. Solidarity has called for new demonstrations this evening (May 4) and again on May 13, the five-month anniversary of martial law. These events indicate a continuing level of high tension in Poland with the potential for spreading violence. Thus far, the Soviet media have played down reports of the disorders. (2)

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May 5, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

WILLIAM P. CLARK

SUBJECT:

Secretary Haig's Evening Report

Attached is Al Haig's Evening Report for Tuesday, May 4, 1982.

cc: The Vice President
Ed Meese
Jim Baker
Mike Deaver

