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WASHINGTON

May 26, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT
FROM : Lawrence S. Eagleburger, Acting Secretary

UN Security Council: New Falklands Resolution. The Security Council unanimously passed Resolution 504 calling upon the Secretary General to resume his negotiations and report back to the Council within a week. The resolution was based on a tougher draft which included a 72-hour ceasefire and language which directed the sides to leave previous concessions on the table. Both provisions were opposed by us and the UK. We had pushed for just this kind of outcome in order to head off resolutions that would have interfered with the UK's right of self-defense by ordering a ceasefire and/or would have compromised the UN's neutrality by producing a resolution with which the British would not have complied. The existence of an approved resolution may also help us in our efforts to moderate the outcome of the OAS Foreign Ministers' meeting which starts tomorrow.

Central America. Two Congressional actions today may have threatened \$155 million of the Central American resource requests now before Congress. On the Senate side, Tom Enders explained the recent developments in the Salvadoran land reform program to the Foreign Relations Committee. But in a later mark-up of the FY-83 security assistance bill, the committee accepted Senator Dodd's amendment which freezes -- at least until July -- FY-83 security assistance levels at the FY-82 level of \$66 million; we had requested a total of \$166.3 million. On the House side, Doc Long's Foreign Operations Subcommittee rejected the non-CBI portion of the FY-82 supplemental that includes \$35 million for El Salvador and \$17 million for Honduras. We will try to restore these amounts in the full committee, but there are few precedents for such restoration.

Secretary Haig's Meeting with Crown Prince Hassan. The Secretary met with Jordan's Crown Prince Hassan yesterday. The Crown Prince said that he and his brother are extremely concerned about the Iran-Iraq war. They fear increasing radicalization of the area, believe that Iran will soon strike into Iraq, and feel particularly threatened with an extremely hostile Syria to the north. The Secretary told Hassan that we are working on the inter-related problems of the Iran-Iraq war, Lebanon, the autonomy process, and the security of our friends in the area. He complimented Hassan on the article in Foreign Affairs in which Hassan explicitly recognized Israel's right to exist, and told him that the more positive and forthcoming Jordan can be on this issue the better we would be able to manage the larger U.S.-Jordan relationship.

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May 27, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK

SUBJECT: Acting Secretary Eagleburger's Evening Report

Attached is Larry Eagleburger's Evening Report for Wednesday, May 26, 1982.

cc: The Vice President
Ed Meese
Jim Baker
Mike Deaver

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