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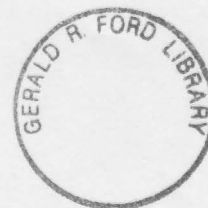
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by Han Han, 4⁰⁰ pm,
Sat, 9/22/73 2

With regard to the U.S. side's suggestion that Dr. Kissinger wishes to visit China during any period between October 21 and October 29, the Chinese side considers that the period from October 26 through October 29 is relatively convenient.

If this is agreeable to the U.S. side, the Chinese side suggests that an announcement to the press be made by the two sides either on October 4 or October 8. As for the wording of the announcement, the Chinese side made a suggested formulation in its message of August 18, concerning which the Chinese side would now like to hear the views of the U.S. side.

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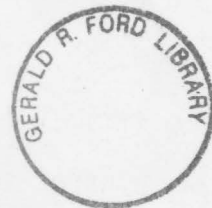


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Gen S, 11:55 am, Tues, 9/25/73*

The period from October 26 through October 29, 1973, is convenient to the U.S. side for Dr. Kissinger's discussions in China. Accordingly, Dr. Kissinger would plan to arrive in Peking during the day of October 26 and to depart Peking in the early morning of October 30, if this is agreeable to the Chinese side. This schedule could be shifted to one day earlier if the Chinese side prefers.

The U.S. side proposes that the visit be jointly announced at 11:00 a.m. on October 3 (Washington time) with the following statement:

"It has been agreed upon through consultations that United States Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger will visit the People's Republic of China from October 26 through October 29, 1973."



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The Chinese side agrees to the dates of arrival and departure of Dr. Kissinger on his visit to China and the time (11:00 p.m., October 3, Peking time) for making the announcement as suggested by the U.S. side in its message of the 25th. As for the wording of the announcement, the following statement is suggested: "It has been agreed upon through consultations that United States Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Dr. Henry A. Kissinger will visit the People's Republic of China from October 26 through October 29, 1973."

The Chinese side also agrees to having ten to fifteen members of the press accompany Dr. Kissinger on his visit to China.



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Secretary Kissinger's party will travel in a Presidential Boeing 707 aircraft (aircraft tail number 86970, call sign SAM 86970) which has been used on previous trips to Peking.

Aircraft will depart Tokyo at 1015 hours (local time) on October 26 and arrive Shanghai at noon (local time) on October 26.

If agreeable to the Chinese side, the aircraft will attempt to contact Shanghai radio two hours prior to arrival. The aircraft would use the following frequencies: primary: 5671.5 kilocycles A. M.; secondary: 2987 kilocycles A. M., 8930.5 kilocycles A. M., and 13324.5 kilocycles A. M.

Fuel and other aircraft servicing needs will be the same as on earlier visits. Aircraft will need an external power source (115 volts, 400 cycles, three phase alternating current of 40 KVA).

It is not, however, planned to use aircraft for communications with Washington from the ground as on past trips, unless problems develop with facilities that already exist in U. S. Liaison Office. A list of frequencies aircraft would wish to utilize if it became necessary will be submitted in the near future for approval by the Chinese side.

It is assumed that aircraft crew and journalists will be housed separate from remainder of Secretary's party. The party would

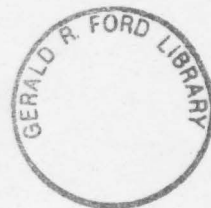
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appreciate being able, as in the past, to use one room in guest house as an office.

Telephone communications between the guest house office area and Liaison Office would be most useful, particularly in facilitating round-the-clock delivery of messages. It would also be desirable to have means of reaching airplane and locations of pilot and press.

If it is convenient, Ambassador McCloskey, who will act as press secretary, would appreciate having an office space in area where press reside.

The Secretary hopes it will be appropriate for him to give a banquet for his Chinese hosts. He will ask Ambassador Bruce to discuss this possibility and to make necessary arrangements with the Chinese side.



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Hand. A. Huang Chen
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After Ambassador Huang's call on Secretary Kissinger yesterday he immediately brought the Premier's message to the attention of the President, who directed him to do everything possible to facilitate this humanitarian request. The US side has been in touch with its Embassy in Phnom Penh, and has received a reply.

President Lon Nol will permit Queen Kossamak to leave Cambodia for Peking or any other destination upon receipt of a written request from any authorized member of the royal family. He will permit Air France to evacuate the Queen from Phnom Penh "on its own responsibility." The authorized representative could be Prince Monireth who resides in Phnom Penh, Princess Bopho Devi who is believed to be in Hong Kong, or another member of the royal family.

The U.S. Government will help to assure that the written request is made and accepted, and suggests that arrangements can now be made for the Air France charter flight. If a contact is needed by Air France to facilitate arrangements in Phnom Penh, the American Charge of Embassy, Mr. Enders, will assist. The Queen Mother will need to be accompanied by medical and perhaps a few other persons on the flight. The US will be glad to use its good offices to see that appropriate persons are allowed to leave Phnom Penh with her, or, in the event that the accompanying persons come to Phnom Penh on the charter aircraft, that arrangements are made for their arrival and departure.



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Gen S, 3:00pm, Mon, 10/22/73*

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Message from Secretary Kissinger

Given current developments, I will not be able to leave in time to get to China on the original schedule.

I am ready to come for the same four-day visit anytime during the period November 7-18.

We prefer the earlier part of this period, with November 10-13 being the optimum, but I will make it at any other time during this period that is convenient to the Chinese.

We believe that the announcement of the postponement of the visit should be linked with the new dates, if at all possible.

We would envisage a simple announcement from the White House at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday morning, October 24, 1973, Washington time; e.g., "The visit to the People's Republic of China by Henry Kissinger, Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, has been rescheduled to take place from November () to November ()." On Tuesday, we will respond to inquiries by saying that we are in contact with the Chinese and expect a joint announcement very soon, implying delay of the trip.

Recent developments make more necessary than ever our first-hand exchanges.

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TO GENERAL SCOWCROFT
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PLEASE CALL IN AMBASSADOR HUANG CHEN AND GIVE HIM THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE:

- GIVEN CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS, I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO LEAVE IN TIME TO GET TO CHINA ON THE ORIGINAL SCHEDULE.
- I AM READY TO COME FOR THE SAME FOUR-DAY VISIT ANY TIME DURING THE PERIOD NOVEMBER 7-18.
- WE PREFER THE EARLIER PART OF THIS PERIOD, WITH NOVEMBER 10-13 BEING THE OPTIMUM, BUT I WILL MAKE IT AT ANY OTHER TIME DURING THIS PERIOD THAT IS CONVENIENT TO THE CHINESE.

-- WE BELIEVE THAT THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE POSTPONEMENT OF THE VISIT SHOULD BE LINKED WITH THE NEW DATES, IF AT ALL POSSIBLE.

-- WE WOULD ENVISAGE A SIMPLE ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE WHITE HOUSE AT 11:00 A.M. WEDNESDAY MORNING WASHINGTON TIME, E.E., "THE VISIT TO THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA BY HENRY KISSINGER, SECRETARY OF STATE AND ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS, HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE FROM NOVEMBER () TO NOVEMBER ()."

ON TUESDAY WE WILL RESPOND TO INQUIRIES BY SAYING THAT WE ARE IN CONTACT WITH THE CHINESE ~~AND~~ AND EXPECT A JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT VERY SOON,

IMPLYING DELAY OF THE TRIP.
-- RECENT DEVELOPMENTS MAKE OUR FIRST HAND EXCHANGES.

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The Chinese side has considered the several suggestions made by Dr. Kissinger on the postponement of his visit to China. As all the other periods of time suggested by the U.S. side are already occupied by other arrangements of the Chinese side, the Chinese side welcomes Dr. Kissinger to visit China from November 26¹⁴ to 29¹³. If this is agreed upon, it is suggested that the following announcement be made by the two sides simultaneously at 9:00 p.m., October 24, Peking time: "It has been agreed upon through consultations that the visit to the People's Republic of China by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, United States Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, will be postponed to November 26¹⁴ to November 29¹³, 1973."



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After the Chinese side's message welcoming Dr. Kissinger to visit China from November 26 to 29 was sent out, the U.S. side's afternoon message of the 22nd was received. Having considered the current situation, the Chinese side can reschedule its other arrangements and agrees to Dr. Kissinger visiting China from November 10 to 13. As for the announcement, with the exception of making corresponding changes in the dates, it is still suggested that the Chinese side's wording be used. It is agreed that the time for making the announcement be as suggested by the U.S. side, that is, 11:00 a.m., October 24, Washington time.



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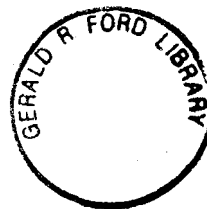
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(1) The Chinese side agrees that Dr. Kissinger's special plane may fly straight to Peking via Cairo and Rawalpindi. The Chinese navigator crew will board the plane at Rawalpindi. The American Embassy in Pakistan is requested to contact the Chinese Embassy in Pakistan on this matter at that time.

(2) It is agreed that there may be additional working personnel to Dr. Kissinger's party, and that these personnel plus the three cameramen may arrive in China by commercial flight of either Pakistan International Airlines or Air France one day before Dr. Kissinger's arrival. It is hoped that the U.S. side would provide a name list of the additional personnel and their point of entry as soon as possible.

(3) It is agreed that Ambassador Ingersoll may enter via Shumchun.



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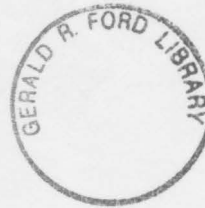
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After Dr. Kissinger has visited Egypt, other Mideast countries and Pakistan and is about to fly to China, the Chinese side will send Assistant Minister of Foreign Affairs Wang Hai-jung, and Tang Wen-sheng, Ma Yu-chen, Tang Lung-pin and Yang Yu-yung together with the Chinese navigator crew to Rawalpindi to welcome Dr. Kissinger and his party and fly with them on the same plane to Peking.



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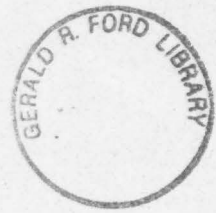


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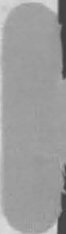
1. Egypt and Israel agree to observe scrupulously the cease-fire called for by the UN Security Council.
2. Both sides agree that discussions between them will begin immediately to settle the question of the return to the October 22 positions in the framework of agreement on the disengagement and separation of forces under the auspices of the UN.
3. The town of Suez will receive daily supplies of food, water and medicine. All wounded civilians in the town of Suez will be evacuated.
4. There shall be no impediment to the movement of non-military supplies to the East Bank.
5. The Israeli check points on the Cairo-Suez road will be replaced by UN checkpoints. At the Suez end of the road, Israeli officers can participate with the UN to supervise the non-military nature of the cargo at the bank of the Canal.
6. As soon as the UN checkpoints are established on the Cairo-Suez road, there will be an exchange of all POWs, including wounded.

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Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, U.S. Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, visited the People's Republic of China from November 10 to November 14, 1973. He was accompanied by Robert Ingersoll, Robert McCloskey, Arthur Hummel, Winston Lord, Oscar Armstrong, Jonathan Howe and Richard Solomon.

Chairman Mao Tse-Tung received Secretary Kissinger. They held a wide-ranging and far-sighted conversation in a friendly atmosphere. Secretary Kissinger conveyed greetings from President Nixon, and Chairman Mao Tse-Tung sent his greetings to the President.

Secretary Kissinger and members of his party held frank and serious talks with Premier Chou En-Lai, Foreign Minister Chi Peng-Fei, Vice Foreign Minister Chiao Kuan-Hua, Assistant Foreign Minister Wang Hai-Jung, Director Lin Ping, Director Peng-Hua, Tsien Ta-Yung, Ting Yuan-Hung and others.

Officials of the two sides conducted counterpart talks on bilateral issues of mutual concern and made good progress.

The two sides reviewed international developments since Dr. Kissinger's visit to the People's Republic of China in February, 1973. They noted that international relationships are in a period of intense change. They reaffirmed that they are committed to the principles established in the Shanghai communique and that disputes between states should be settled without resorting to the use or threat of force, on the basis of the principles of respect for the sovereignty and territorial integrity of all states, non-aggression against other states, non-interference in the internal affairs of other states, equality and mutual benefit, and peaceful coexistence. In particular, they reiterated that neither should seek hegemony in the Asia-Pacific region or any other part of the world and that each is opposed to efforts by any other country or group of countries to establish such hegemony.

The two sides agreed that in present circumstances it is of particular importance to maintain frequent contact at authoritative levels in order to exchange views and, while not negotiating on behalf of third parties, to engage in concrete consultations on issues of mutual concern.

Both sides reviewed progress made during 1973 in their bilateral relations. The U.S. side reaffirmed: The United States acknowledges that all Chinese on either side of the Taiwan Strait maintain there is but one China and that Taiwan is a part of China; the United States Government does not challenge that position. The Chinese side reiterated that the normalization of relations between China and the United States can be realized only on the basis of confirming the principle of one China.

Both sides noted with satisfaction that the liaison offices in Peking and Washington are functioning smoothly. Both sides agreed that the scope of the functions of the liaison offices should continue to be expanded.

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Exchanges have deepened understanding and friendship between the two peoples. The two sides studied the question of enlarging the exchanges between the two countries and agreed upon a number of new exchanges for the coming year.

Trade between the two countries has developed rapidly during the past year. The two sides held that it is in the interest of both countries to take measures to create conditions for further development of trade on the basis of equality and mutual benefit.

The two sides stated that they would continue their efforts to promote the normalization of relations between China and the United States on the basis of the Shanghai communique.

Secretary Kissinger and his party expressed their gratitude for the warm hospitality extended to them by the Government of the People's Republic of China.

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