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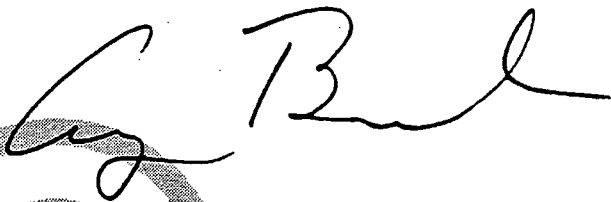
MEMORANDUM FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT  
THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE  
THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE  
THE ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR NATIONAL  
SECURITY AFFAIRS  
THE CHAIRMAN, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

SUBJECT: Panama (U)

I hereby direct a short-term review of next steps for U.S. policy towards Panama. The review should particularly focus on the implications of elections in Panama scheduled to be held on May 7, 1989. The review should include an assessment of options for the United States and recommendations for policy. (U)

The review (including specific taskings) will be undertaken by a Policy Coordinating Committee (PCC) chaired by the NSC Staff. Representatives of addressee agencies will be included. (U)

The review should be completed not later than February 15, 1989. It should include clear policy recommendations. Any differences in views between agencies should be noted. (U)



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