MEMORANDUM FOR:
The Secretary of Defense

SUBJECT:  Presidential Review Memorandum/NSC 7 and 8

The Secretary of Defense was inadvertently omitted from the list of addressees of PRM/NSC 7 and 8. Copies are attached.

Jeanne W. Davis
Staff Secretary

cc: The Vice President
The Secretary of State
The Secretary of the Treasury
The Secretary of Agriculture
The Secretary of Commerce
The Secretary of Labor
The Director, Office of Management and Budget
The Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers
The United States Representative to the United Nations
The Special Representative for Trade Negotiations
The Director of Central Intelligence
The Assistant to the President for Energy Policy
February 9, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR

THE ADMINISTRATOR
AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL
DEVELOPMENT

SUBJECT: North-South Strategy (PRM/NSC 8)

The Administrator of the Agency for International Development is hereby added to the list of addressees of PRM/NSC 8. A copy is attached.

Michael Hornblow
Acting Staff Secretary

Attachment

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TO: The Vice President
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SUBJECT: North-South Strategy (U)

The President has directed that the Policy Review Committee undertake an analysis of, and provide options concerning, U.S. policy on relations between developed and developing nations. The economic aspects of this analysis are to be staffed through the Economic Policy Group prior to their consideration by the National Security Council. The agencies listed in parenthesis should take leadership responsibility for the following subjects:

-- Institutional arrangements, including forums in which North-South issues can be discussed, with proposed strategies for UNCTAD and CIEC (State)

-- Commodities, including commodity agreements, the Common Fund, and price indexation (Treasury and State)
-- International financial matters, including aid and debt (Treasury)

-- Market access for manufactured goods (State)

-- Energy (Schlesinger), relations with OPEC and other LDCs (State), and related financial issues (Treasury)

-- Food (Agriculture)

-- Migration of workers (Labor)

-- Technology transfer and direct investment (Commerce)

-- North-South political issues and the conceptual aspect of the structure of U.S. relations with the LDCs (State)

Each study should analyze the contribution of the various policy options to U.S. domestic and global economic interests, humanitarian interests, international political relationships, and security interests. It should include an assessment of the impact of each option on the interests and objectives of other industrialized democracies. Each study should also suggest specific initiatives which the U.S., or the industrialized countries together, might take, and each should assess relevant Congressional considerations, including the nature, timing, and strategy of legislative action. These studies should be completed by February 28 for early submission to the President through the National Security Council.

Zbigniew Brzezinski