

Abbreviations and Terms

AAA, anti-aircraft artillery

AAPD, *Akten zur Auswärtigen Politik der Bundesrepublik Deutschland*

ABM, antiballistic missile

ACDA, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency

AD 70, "Allied Defense Problems in the Seventies" (a NATO study)

Adm, Admiral

AEC, Atomic Energy Commission

AF, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State

AP, Associated Press

ASAP, as soon as possible

Asst, assistant

ARA, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs, Department of State

ATSD (AE), Assistant to the Secretary of Defense, Atomic Energy

backchannel, a method of communication outside normal bureaucratic procedure; the White House, for instance, used "backchannel" messages to bypass the Department of State.

Benelux, Belgium, the Netherlands, and Luxembourg

BFR, balanced force reductions

C, Office of the Counselor, Department of State

CBM, confidence-building measure

CDSP, *Current Digest of the Soviet Press*

CDU, Christian Democratic Union (Federal Republic of Germany)

CES, Conference on European Security

CIA, Central Intelligence Agency

CINC, Commander in Chief

CINCEUR, Commander in Chief, U.S. Forces, Europe

CINCLANT, Commander in Chief, Atlantic

CMEA, Council for Mutual Economic Assistance

COMECON, Council for Mutual Economic Assistance

CPSU, Communist Party of the Soviet Union

CSC, Conference on Security and Cooperation (i.e., CSCE)

CSCE, Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe

CSU, Christian Social Union of Bavaria (Federal Republic of Germany)

CTB, comprehensive test ban

D, Deputy Secretary, Department of State

DCI, Director of Central Intelligence

DCM, Deputy Chief of Mission

DEFMIN, Defense Minister

del, delegation

deloff, delegation official

Deptel, Department of State telegram

DIA, Defense Intelligence Agency

DOD, Department of Defense

DPC, Defense Planning Committee

DPG, Defense Planning Group

DPRC, Defense Program Review Committee

XXIV Abbreviations and Terms

- E**, Bureau of Economic Affairs, Department of State
EA, Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State
EC, European Community
ECE, United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
EDIP, European Defense Improvement Program
EE, Eastern Europe; Office of Eastern European Affairs, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EEC, European Economic Community
Emb, Embassy
Emboff, Embassy official
Embtel, Embassy telegram
EPU, European Parliamentary Union
ESC, European Security Conference
EUR, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EUR/CE, Office of Central European Affairs, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EUR/EE, Office of Eastern European Affairs, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EUR/GER, Office of the Country Director for Germany, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EUR/IG, European Interdepartmental Group
EUR/RPM, Office of the Director for NATO and Atlantic Political-Military Affairs, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EUR/SOV, Office of Soviet Union Affairs, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State
EUR/WE, Office of Western European Affairs, Department of State
Exdis, exclusive distribution
- FBI**, Federal Bureau of Investigation
FBS, forward-based systems
FCO, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, United Kingdom
FDP, Free Democratic Party (Federal Republic of Germany)
Fedrep, Federal Republic of Germany
FM, Foreign Minister
Fonmin, Foreign Minister
FONOFFS, Foreign Offices
FRCG, Federal Republic of Germany (West Germany)
FY, fiscal year
FYI, For Your Information
- GATT**, General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GDR, German Democratic Republic (East Germany)
GNP, Gross National Product
GOR, Government of Romania
- HAK**, Henry A. Kissinger
HAKTO, White House series indicator for messages from Kissinger
H, Bureau of Congressional Relations, Department of State
H.E., His Excellency
HK, Henry Kissinger
HMG, Her Majesty's Government (United Kingdom)
- IG**, interagency (interdepartmental) group
IO, Bureau of International Organization Affairs, Department of State

IG/EUR, Interdepartmental Group for European Affairs
INR, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State
IRBM, intermediate-range ballistic missile
ISA, Office of International Security Affairs, Department of Defense

JCS, Joint Chiefs of Staff
JRS, James R. Schlesinger

KGB, *Komitet gosudarstvennoy bezopasnosti* (State Security Committee), Soviet Union

L, Office of the Legal Adviser, Department of State
L/EUR, Assistant Legal Adviser for European Affairs, Department of State
LDC, Less Developed Country
Limdis, limited distribution

M, Under Secretary for Management, Department of State
MBFR, Mutual and Balanced Force Reductions
MC, memorandum of conversation
Mech, mechanized
Med, Mediterranean
Memcon, memorandum of conversation
MFA, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
MFN, Most Favored Nation
MIRV, multiple independently-targetable reentry vehicle
Misc., miscellaneous
MOD, Minister of Defense
MPT, Multilateral Preparatory Talks (for CSCE)
MRBM, medium-range ballistic missile

NAC, North Atlantic Council
NATO, North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NCA, national command authority
NEA, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State
n.d., no date
NGA, NATO guidelines area
NIE, National Intelligence Estimate
Nodis, no distribution (to other than persons indicated)
NOFORN, no foreign distribution
Notal, not to all
NPC, Nuclear Planning Committee, NATO
NPG, Nuclear Planning Group, NATO
NPT, Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
NSA, National Security Agency
NSC, National Security Council
NSDM, National Security Decision Memorandum
NSSM, National Security Study Memorandum
nucs, nuclear weapons
NYT, *New York Times*

OBE, overtaken by events
OECD, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
OEP, Office of Emergency Preparedness
OMB, Office of Management and Budget
OSD, Office of the Secretary of Defense
OST, Office of Science and Technology, the White House

XXVI Abbreviations and Terms

P, Under Secretary for Political Affairs, Department of State

para, paragraph

Permrep, permanent representative

PL, Public Law

PM, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; also Prime Minister

PM/DCA, Office of Disarmament and Arms Control, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs,
Department of State

POLAD, Political Advisor

Pt., part

QA, Quadripartite Agreement

QRR, quadripartite rights and responsibilities

REDCOSTE, reduction of costs in Europe

rep, representative

Reforger, return of force to Germany

Reftel, reference telegram

rep, representative

RG, Review Group or Record Group

RN, Richard Nixon

S, Office of the Secretary of State

S/S, Executive Secretariat, Department of State

SACEUR, Supreme Allied Commander, Europe

SACLANT, Supreme Allied Commander, Atlantic

SALT, Strategic Arms Limitation Talks

SecDef, Secretary of Defense

SecDel, Secretary's Delegation

SECTO, series indicator for telegrams from the Secretary of State or his delegation to
the Department of State

Septel, separate telegram

SG, Secretary General

SHAPE, Supreme Headquarters, Allied Powers, Europe

SLCM, submarine-launched cruise missile

SNIE, Special National Intelligence Estimate

SOV, Office of Eastern Soviet Affairs, Bureau of European Affairs, Department of State

SPC, Senior Political Committee, NATO

SPD, German Social Democratic Party of Germany (West Germany)

SRG, Senior Review Group

SYG, Secretary General

TAC, Tactical Air Command

tac, tactical

tac-nuc, tactical nuclear weapon

TASS, *Telegrafnoye Agentstvo Sovyetskovo Soyuzu* (Telegraphic Agency of the Soviet Union,
Soviet news agency)

Telcon, telephone conversation

TOHAK, series indicator for White House messages to Kissinger

Topol, series indicator for telegrams to the Mission to the North Atlantic Treaty Orga-
nization and European Regional Organizations

TOSEC, series indicator for telegrams from the Department of State to the Secretary of
State or his delegation

U, Office of the Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs

UK, United Kingdom

- UN**, United Nations
UNGA, United Nations General Assembly
UNSYG, United Nations Secretary General
US, United States
USA, United States of America or United States Army
USAF, United States Air Force
USCINCEUR, United States Commander in Chief, Europe
USLOSACLANT, United States Liaison Office to Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic
USCOSACLANT, United States Commander, Supreme Allied Commander for the Atlantic
USDEL, United States delegation
USDOCOSOUTH, United States Documents Officer, Allied Forces, Southeastern Europe
USG, United States government
USIA, United States Information Agency
USNATO, series indicator for telegrams from the Mission to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to the Department of State
USNMR, United States National Military Representative, SHAPE
USSR, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
USUN, United States Mission to the United Nations
- VIP**, very important person
Vol., volume
VP, Verification Panel
VPWG, Verification Panel Working Group
- WEU**, Western European Union
WG, Working Group
WH, White House
WHY, *White House Years*
WP, Warsaw Pact
- Z**, Zulu (Greenwich Mean Time)