

MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

January 2, 1985

MEMO FOR GASTON SIGUR
DAVID LAUX

FROM: WALT RAYMOND *WR*
SUBJ: Chinese Request to NED

Carl Gershman has called concerning a possible grant to the Chinese Alliance for Democracy (CAD). I am concerned about the political dimension to this request. We should not find ourselves in a position where we have to respond to pressure, but this request poses a real problem to Carl. Senator Hatch, as you know, is a member of the board. Secondly NED has already given a major grant for a related Chinese program. Please let me know your views COB today (January 2).

Attachment

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Raymond