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Summary of Conclusions for  
Meeting of the NSC Principals Committee

DATE: July 21, 1999  
LOCATION: Situation Room  
TIME: 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

SUBJECT: Summary of Conclusions of PC Meeting on North Korea (C)

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Summary of Conclusions

It was agreed that:

- Decisions of the Principals will be submitted to the President for approval. (Action: NSC) (U)
- Ambassador Kartman is authorized to use his discretion in deploying a package of economic sanction relief measures (contents of which will be proposed by State) in negotiations with the DPRK. This package of partial economic sanctions may

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[redacted] be lifted as part of a North Korean agreement to a missile test moratorium. (Action: State) (S)

- Ambassador Kartman is authorized to accelerate previously committed humanitarian food deliveries, [redacted]  
[redacted] (Action: State) (S)
- Ambassador Kartman will push for a missile test moratorium in negotiations with the DPRK. (Action: State) (S)
- The Secretary State and Secretary of Defense will coordinate their public remarks during their upcoming Asia trips. (Action: State/Defense) (S)
- The Secretary State will use the U.S.-ROK-Japan trilateral foreign ministers meeting in Singapore to counsel [redacted] that threatens the Agreed Framework should North Korea test another missile. (Action: State) (S)
- If the DPRK conducts a missile test, economic sanctions that may have been lifted will be re-imposed, [redacted]  
[redacted] the Perry proposal for improved relations will remain on the table but not actively pursued, a trilateral U.S.-Japan-ROK meeting will be convened, and efforts will be made to maintain the Agreed Framework. (Action: PC) (S)
- The Administration will brief Congress on our strategy to deter a North Korean missile test prior to the August 3 Kartman-Kim talks, including a possible meeting at the White House with key Members. (Action: NSC/State) (U)
- Bill Perry will conclude his policy review and provide the Principals with a draft written report within a few days for their review before the report is submitted to the President. Principals will decide if a written report will be provided to Congress and if an unclassified version will be made public. (Action: Dr. Perry and PC) (U)

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