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March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2004

The Honorable

Donald Rumsfeld

Secretary of Defense
Washington DC

Dear Mr. Secretary,

i am glad to let you know that President of Colombia Alvaro Uribe will be visiting Washington, DC from the 23<sup>rd</sup> to the 25<sup>th</sup> of March, 2004, in order to have meetings with congressional and administration authorities. President Uribe would be honored if you could meet with him to talk about the current situation in Colombia.

We would greatly appreciate your gracious assistance in entertaining this request for an appointment, if possible on Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup>. Should your staff need further information or details for the scheduling of the meeting, feel free to contact me or Bernardo Ortiz, Deputy Chief of Mission, at (202) 387-8338.

Sincerely yours,

Luis Alberto Moreno Ambassador

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RECOMMENDATIO	N: SECDEF meet with Pr	esident Uribe on 22	March at 5:00 pm.	
REVIEW OF EVENT Administration official	'S: 30 min. bilateral meeting he meets on this visit.	ng. SECDEF will b	e the first	
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# Schedule Proposal Checklist (Attach to back of Schedule Proposal—non Tabbed)

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	Yes	No
Q	Are honors required (See Note 1)	
	Yes (Recommended honors - call protocol with questions)	No
0	Will the spouse be accompanying the dignitary	-
	Yes	No
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Q	Will there be a gift exchange (See Note 4)	
	Yes (please provide details)	No _
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	- Translation/interpretation requirements	•
	- Dietary considerations	
	- Complete itinerary (Non-DoD meetings - White House, State D	epartment_NSC)
	Names and phonetic spelling of the delegation	
	Yes (Date/Time)	No

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### WASHINGTON HEADQUARTERS SERVICES EXECUTIVE SERVICES AND COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTORATE

April 2, 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR USD (POLICY)

SUBJECT: Schedule a Meeting with Colombian President Alvaro Uribe

It has been determined that the attached Schedule Proposal is returned. It will not be signed or approved by the Secretary of Defense. No additional response required.

Correspondence Control Division (703) 695-3133, Room 3A948

Attachment: As stated

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