

The President. I have had no communication from him today, or if it has, it hasn't been communicated to——

Q. Thank you.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl of Germany

Q. How about Mr. Kohl? Has Mr. Kohl called you about a summit?

The President. If he has, no one on my staff has told me he's called me today.

NOTE: The exchange began at 5:35 p.m. in the Roosevelt Room at the White House. A tape was not available for verification of the content of this exchange.

Statement on the Death of Dr. David Gunn

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I was saddened and angered by the fatal shooting in Pensacola yesterday of Dr. David Gunn. The violence against clinics must stop. As a nation committed to rule of law, we cannot allow violent vigilantes to restrict the rights of American women. No person seeking medical care and no physician providing that care should have to endure harassment, threats, or intimidation.

Announcement of the Continuation of Foreign Service Officers in Three Sub-Cabinet Posts at the Department of State

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The President announced today that three career Foreign Service officers will continue serving in State Department positions that they currently hold. The three are Genta Hawkins Holmes, Director General of the Foreign Service and Director of Personnel, Robert Gallucci, Assistant Secretary for Politico-Military Affairs, and Anthony Quainton, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Diplomatic Security.

"I am very pleased with the team that Secretary Christopher and I are assembling at the Department of State," said the President. "I am particularly gratified that we have been able to put a number of people into senior

positions who have devoted their careers to the Foreign Service."

Genta Hawkins Holmes became the Director General of the Foreign Service and Director of Personnel in September of 1992. Prior to that, she was the first U.S. Ambassador to Namibia. She has also served as Deputy Chief of Mission at American Embassies in South Africa, Haiti, and Malawi, and at posts in the Bahamas, Switzerland, France, and the Ivory Coast.

Ms. Holmes is also a former Assistant Administrator for Legislative Affairs of the Agency for International Development and has worked in the State Department's Bureau of Congressional Relations, Office of International Finance/Bureau of Economic Affairs, and Office of the Special Assistant to the Secretary for Refugees. She holds a B.A. in international relations from the University of Southern California and attended the London School of Economics on a graduate fellowship.

Robert Gallucci will be continuing in a position that he assumed in July 1992. Immediately prior to that, he was the Senior Coordinator responsible for nonproliferation and nuclear safety initiatives in the former Soviet Union. From April 1991 to February 1992, he was the Deputy Executive Chairman of the U.N. special commission overseeing the disarmament of Iraq.

Dr. Gallucci began his foreign affairs career at the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency in 1974. He has also served as a division chief in State's Bureau of Intelligence and Research, as a member of the Secretary's Policy Planning Staff, and as an office director in both the Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs and in the Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs. From 1984 to 1988, he was Deputy Director General of the Multinational Force and Observers in Rome. He has also served on the faculty of the National War College.

A native of Brooklyn, NY, Dr. Gallucci holds a B.A. from the State University of New York at Stony Brook, and master's and doctoral degrees from Brandeis University. He taught at Swarthmore College, Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies, and Georgetown, and is the author