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> O 011600Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY PARAMARIBO

TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 7480

UNCLAS PARAMARIBO 0544

E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC NS SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT CHIN A SEN FOR THE PRESIDENT 1. PRESIDENT CHIN A SEN PHONED THE AMBASSADOR ON MARCH 31 TO EXPRESS HIS DISMAY AT THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST PRESIDENT REAGAN. HE ASKED THAT THE PRESIDENT BE INFORMED OF HIS STRONG PERSONAL CONCERN. HE WAS VERY PLEASED TO LEARN THAT THE PRESIDENT WAS DUT OF DANGER. 2. THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE ALSO ISSUED A NEWS RELEASE ON MARCH 31 WHICH STATED THAT HE WAS DEEPLY SHOCKED BY THE ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN AND THAT HE AND THE GOVERNMENT OF SURINAME WISHED HIM A SPEEDY RECOVERY. HE ADDED THAT VIOLENCE CAN NEVER SOLVE PROBLEMS, ESPECIALLY IN AMERICA WHICH HAS ALWAYS OBSERVED THE HIGHEST NORMS OF MUTUAL RESPECT AND FREEDOM OF JOINTON. CROWLEY

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> O 011516Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY WARSAW

TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 8729

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2. (LOU) THE BYDGOSZCZ PEOPLE'S COUNCIL MET ON MARCH 7,
ACCORDING TO PAP, TO RECEIVE WORD THAT BYDGOSZCZ DEPUTY
GOVERNORS ROMAN BAK AND WLADYSLAW PRZYBYLSKI SUBMITTED THEIR
RESIGNATIONS TO THE PREMIER AND REQUESTED THAT THEY BE
TRANSFERRED TO OTHER JOBS, A REQUEST THAT WAS GRANTED.

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PAP SAID THAT THE COUNCIL ANNOUNCED THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH IT DECISION OF 26 MARCH, IT WOULD TAKE A POSITION ON THE ROLE OF THE DEPUTY GOVERNMORS AT ITS NEXT SESSION, SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 10. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MARCH 30 JOINT SOLIDARNOSC-GOVERNMENT COMMUNIQUE THE COUNCIL WILL PUB-LISH THE MARCH 19 COMMUNIQUE BETWEEN SOLIDARNOSC AND THE PEOPLE'S COUNCIL IN THE MASS MEDIA, SAID THE PAP REPORT. THERE IS APPARENTLY NO DECISION ON THE FUTURE OF HENRYK BEDNARSKI, THE BYDGOSZCZ PARTY FIRST SECRETARY, WHO ATTACKED SOLIDARNOSC IN A DEFENSIVE AND HARD-LINE SPEECH AT THE NINTH PLENUM. SOLIDARNOSC ALSO DEMANDED HIS RESIGNATION. 3. HOUT LIFE OUTSIDE WARSAW RETURNS TO NORMAL! CONSULAR OFFICERS REPORTED APRIL 1. THAT THE SITUATION IN THE WEST AND SOUTH OF POLAND SEEMED CLAM AGAIN AFTER A PERIOD OF HIGH TENSION DECREASING ON MARCH 30. POZNAN REPORTED THAT EVERYONE SEEMED RELIEVED BY THE TURN OF EVENTS, AND THAT MOST VISITORS TO THE AMERICAN CONSULATE EXPRESSED CONCERN CHIEFLY FOR THE HEALTH OF PRESIDENT REAGAN, KRAKOW NOTED THAT DUTPOURING OF INTEREST IN THE PRESIDENT'S HEALTH (SOME PEDPLE EVEN BROUGHT FLOWERS TO THE CONSULATE IN SYMPATHY) CONSTITUTED THE MOST INTENSE MANIFESTATION SHOWN BY POLES FROM THAT AREA IN ANY AMERICAN EVENT IN THE LAST YEAR OR TWO. RELIABLE SOURCES INFORMED THE CONSULATE IN KRAKOW THAT TWENTY-EIGHT LARGE FACTORIES AROUND POLAND HAD WRITTEN TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE AFTER THE SUNDAY, MARCH 29, NINTH PLENUM, AND WERE WITHDRAWING THEIR CONFIDENCE FROM THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE RECOGNIZING THE AUTHORITY DNLY OF THEIR LOCAL COMMITTEES AND ACTIVISTS. SUBSTANTIAL PREPARATIONS FOR THE THREATENED STRIKE IN KRAKOW DID NOT LEAD TO ABSENCES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE STRIKE, THE CONSULATE THERE REPORTED. ON THE EVENING ON WHICH THE STRIKE WAS CALLED OFF, THE VENING SHIFT AT NOWA HUTA STEELWORKS WENT TO WORK AS USUAL. EMBOFF REPORTS THAT THE BIALYSTOK SOLIDARNOSC PRESIDIUM, WHICH HAD MOVED ITS HEADQUARTERS TO A LOCAL FACTORY IN ANTICIPATION OF THE STRIKE, HAS NOW MOVED THEM BACK TO ITS USUAL COCATION IN TOWN. 4. (400) MEAT RATIONING BEGINS: MEAT RATIONING OFFICIALLY BEGAN TODAY. BASED ON A VISIT TO A MEAT STORE BY AN EMBOFF, RATIONING MAY BE OFF TO A GOOD START. THE STORE WAS WELL-SUPPLIED WITH HIGH QUALITY MEAT AND ALSO OFFERED GREAT VARIETY. THE QUEUE WAS SHORT, ORDERLY, AND IN GOOD HUMOR. IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN, HOWEVER, IF THE GOVERNMENT WILL BE ABLE TO SUSTAIN ITS INITIAL APPARENT SUCCESS. A TRYBUNA LUDU ARTICLE TODAY REPORTED THAT MANY POLISH CITIZENS HAVE STILL NOT REGISTERED FOR RATION CARDS, AND THAT PEOPLE SOME-TIMES FIND THAT MEAT STORES CONVENIENT TO THEIR HOME OR

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PLACE OF WORK HAVE ALREADY REACHED THEIR CETLING FOR APPLI-CANTS. SOME PEOPLE ARE THUS FORCED TO REGISTER (AND CONSEC-UENTLY BUY MEAT! AT DISTANT STORES. 5. (UT JAGIELSKI'S RECEPTION IN FRANCE: PAPA CORRESPONDENT MAREK OSTROWSKI REPORTS THAT DEPUTY PREMIER JAGIELSKI CHARACTERIZED HIS TUESDAY, MARCH 31, MEETING WITH FRANCE'S PRESIDENT GISCARD DIESTAING AS VERY INTERESTING AND VERY POSITIVE, MARKED BY THE FRENCH PRESIDENT'S FULL UNDERSTANDING FOR THE PROBLEMS OF POLAND. THE CHIEF SUBJECT OF JAGIELSKI'S TALSK WITH GISCARD, SUTROWSKI SAYS, WAS THE PURCHASE OF RAW MATERIALS, ESPECIALLY EDIBLE GRAIN, AND OF MANUFACTURED COMPONENTS FOR POLISH INDUSTRIES, ESPECIALLY FOR FOOD-PRO-DUCING INDUSTRIES AND THOSE INDUSTRIES WHICH PRODUCE GOODS FOR HARD-CURRENCY EXPORT. ACCORDING TO OSTROWSKI, THE FRENCH TOOK A STRICTLY POSITIVE ATTITUDE TO POLISH REQUESTS AND SHOWED A READINESS TO MEET THEM. FRENCH GOVERNMENT SPOKES. MAN JAQUES BLOT SAID THAT GISCARD HAD TOLD JAGIELSKI THAT THE FRENCH WOULD STUDY THE POSSIBILITY OF SPEEDING UP DELIVERIES OF FOOD SUPPLIES TO POLAND. OSTROWSKI REPORTS THAT JAGIELA SKI ALSO MET WITH MINISTRY-LEVEL REPRESENTATIVES OF FRENCH ECONOMICS AND FOREIGN TRADE TO DISCUSS THE PURCHASE OF RAW MATERIALS' OSTROWSKI ADDS THAT FIGURES OF THE POLISH COM-MERCIAL COUNCILLOR! OFFICE IN PARIS SHOW A POLISH DEFICIT IN FRENCH-POLISH TRADE FOR 1980 AMOUNTING TO ONE BILLION HARD-CURRENCY ZLOTIES, DWING TO THE RISE IN IMPORTS FROM FRANCE, AND THE FAILURE OF VARIOUS POLISH FIRMS TO MEET THEIR EXPORT CONTRACTS. 6. (LOU' COMMENT: SOLIDARNOSC'S AFTERNOON DECISION TO END THE STRIKE ALERT VIRUTUALLY RESTORES NEAR NORMALCY TO H THE COUNTRY FOLLOWING ALMOST TWO WEEKS OF STRAIN AND TENSION. AS FAR AS WE CAN DETERMINE, THE MAJORITY OF THE SOLIDARNOSC ORGANIA ZATION AS WELL AS MOST POLES APPROVE OF THE SETTLEMENT AND SEE THE END OF THE CRISIS AS A POSITIVE STEP, REFLECTING SOME CREDIT ON BOTH THE UNION AND THE AUTHORITIES. THERE ARE EXTREMISTS ON BOTH SIDES, HOWEVER, WHO WILL NOT BE PLEASED OR SATISFIED. POINTS FOR FURTHER FRICTION ARE LIMITLESS, BUT FOR THE TIME BEING THE POLES HAVE DNCE MORE PEERED OVER THE CLIFF, FOUND THE ABYSSS TO TERRIBLE, AND AGREED TO MAKE ONE MORE EFFORT TO MANAGE, HOWEVER IMPERFECTLY, THEIR OWN DESTINY. ANDREWS

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1011

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E. D.: 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT STRUESSNER TO PRESIDENT REAGAN 1. TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT STRUESSNER TO PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS RELEASED TO ASUNCION PRESS MARCH 31. GOP HAS NOT PROVIDED MESSAGE TO EMBASSY DIRECTLY. 2. TEXT OF MESSAGE FOLLOWS: "EXCELENTISIMO SENOR PRESIDENTE DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS DE AMERICA DON RONALD REAGAN WASHINGTON D.C. U.S.A. EN NOMBRE DEL PUEBLO, GOBIERNO DE MI PATRIA Y MIO PROPIO EXPRESO LA MAS ENERGICA CONDENA POR EL CRIMINAL ATENTADO QUE SUFRIERA V.E. FORMULANDO VOTOS POR SU PRONTO Y TOTAL RESTABLECIMIENTO, DESED QUE LA REPUBLICA DEL PARAGUAY COMPARTE FERVIENTEMENTE CON TODO EL MUNDO LIBRE. GENERAL DE EJERCITO ALFREDO STROESSNER PRESIDENTE DE LA REPUBLICA DEL PARAGUAY" LANE

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E.O. 12065: GDS 3/31/87 (NICHOLSON, M) DR-P
TAGS: PORG SREF SHUM XA
SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT TO HEAD USDEL TO AFRICAN REFUGEE CONFERENCE
REF: STATE 79411
1. (C) ENTIRE TEXT.
2. PER REFTEL, WE ADVISED PORTUGUESE MFA MARCH 31 THAT
VICE PRESIDENT BUSH HAS BEEN NAMED TO HEAD THE U.S.
DELEGATION TO THE UPCOMING AFRICAN REFUGEE CONFERENCE. WE
NOTED, OF COURSE, THAH THE ANNOUNCEMNT PREDED THE
ATTEPMT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LIFE, OUR MFA CONTACTS
REPLIED THAT THE LEVEL OF REPRESENTATION HAS YET TO BE
DETERMINED. THEY UNDERTOOK TO LET US KNOE ONCE A DECISION
HAS BEEN MADE.
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIDRITY 2449

UNCLAS TEGUCIGALPA 2220

E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PSDC, HD SUBJ: MESSAGE FOR THE SECRETARY 1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FIRST PERSON NOTE FROM FOREIGN MINISTER CESAL ELVIR SIERRA WITH FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO BE TRANSMITTED TO THE SECRETARY. 2. QUOTE: HIS EXCELLENCY, SECRETARY OF STATE, ALEXANDER HAIG, WASHINGTON, D.C., U.S.A. -- THE PEOPLE AND THE GOVERNMENT OF HONDURAS ENERGETICALLY CONDEMN AND SINCERELY DEPLORE THE CRIMINAL ATTEMPT AGAINST THE PERSON OF HIS EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT REAGAN, IN WHOSE PERFORMANCE AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ARE BASED SINCEREST HOPES OF ENCOUNTERING THE WAY WHICH WILL LEAD TO SERENE, JUST AND WORTHY SOLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS COMMON TO ALL FREE COUNTRIES. IN EXPRESSING SINCERE BEST WISHES FOR THE RAPID RECOVERY OF YOUR ILLUSTRIOUS LEADER, I PRESENT TO YOUR EXCELCENCY THE ASSURANCE OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. CESAR ELVIR SIERRA, MINISTER OF FOREIGN RELATIONS OF THE REPUBLIC OF HONDURAS' END QUOTE. BINNS

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIDRITY 9041

UNCLAS BUENOS AIRES 2321

E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP, AR SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM FOREIGN MINISTER CAMILION TO SECRETARY HAIG TEXT OF MESSAGE SENT BY FOREIGN MINISTER OSCAR CAMILLION TO SECRETARY HATG ON EVENING OF MARCH 30 (ORIGINAL IN ENGLISHI QUOTE - I SEND YOU MY SOLIDARITY AND SINCERE WISHES FOR A QUICK RECOVERY OF PRESIDENT REAGAN. I STRONGLY CONDEMN THIS IRRATIONAL ACT OF VIOLENCE THAT THE ARGENTINE PEOPLE AND THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY DEPLORE. OSCAR CAMILION - UNQUOTE. SHLAUDEMAN

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P R 0113207 APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY BRIDGETOWN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIURITY 6413

INFO AMCONSUL ANTIGUA 728

UNCLAS BRIDGETOWN 1567

E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC; MH, SC SUBJECT: MESSAGES RE ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE THE PRESIDENT REF: (A) BRIDGETOWN 1554; (B) ANTIGUA 216 EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MESSAGES FOR THE PRESIDENM FROM MONTSERRAT AND ST. KITTS-NEVIS. (REF A TRANSMITTED SIMILAR MESSAGE FROM ST. VINCENT: REFERENCE B TRANSMITTED MESSAGE FROM ANTIGUA). FROM KENNEDY SIMMONDS, PREMIER AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS OF ST. KITTS (LEGAL NAME OF STATE: ST. CHRISTOPHER-NEVIS): BEGIN TEXT. PLEASE CONVEY TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE USA ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF ST. KITTS-NEVIS OUR PROFOUND SHOCK AND GRIEF AT THE RECENT ATTACK ON HIS LIFE. ADVISE THE PRESIDENT THAT THE PEOPLE OF THIS STATE WISH HIM AND OTHER MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF A SPEEDY RECOVERY TO GOOD HEALTH. END TEXT. FROM DAVID DALE, GOVERNOR OF MONTSERRAT: BEGIN TEXT OF MESSAGE ADDRESSED TO THE AMBASSADOR; EXCELLENCY, ON BEHALF OF THE CHIEF MINISTER, THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF MONTSERRAT, I WISH TO EXPRESS OUR DISMAY AND SHOCK AT THE ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LIFE AND THE WOUNDING OF MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF. WE PRAY FOR THEIR SPEEDY RECOVERY HIGHEST CONSIDERATIONS. DALE, GOVERNOR, MONTSERRAT. END TEXT. ACTION REQUESTED. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER DEPARTMENT WILL PROVIDE TEXTS FOR REPLIES.

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FM SANTIAGO/CHILE

TO HIS EXCELCENCY PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

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FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM ISMAEL ESTEN FAN. PRESIDENTE CONTINENTAL INTERAMERICANO UNION LIBANESA CULTURAL MUNDÍAL LIBANESE Y DESCENDIENTES EN CHILE Y TODAS LAS NACIONES DEL CONTINENTE AMERICANO ELEVAMOS FERVIENTES PLEGARIAS DIVINA PROVIDENCIA POR VUESTRA SALVACION PARA QUE PREDSIGA DEFENDIENDO LA LIBERTAD Y LA DEMOCRACÍA DEL MUNDO LIBRE.

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TO SECSTATE WASHOC PRIDRITY 5424

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LIMITED DESICIAL USE BERLIN 01893 E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP, GE SUBJECT: HONECKER'S MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT REF: BERLIN 1853 1. NEVES DEUTSCHLAND (ND) APRIL 1 FRONTPAGED THE TEXT OF A MESSAGE FROM HONECKER TO PRESIDENT REAGAN CONCERNING THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT. THE TEXT READ! "I WAS SHOCKED TO HEAR THE NEWS OF THE ATTACK ON YOU. PLEASE ACCEPT MY BEST WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY" MESSAGE WAS CARRIED IN THE PLACE OF HONOR AT THE TOP-CENTER OF PAGE I OF NO. THE SAME SPOT WHERE HONECKER'S MESSAGES TO THE PRESIDENT ON HIS INAUGURATION AND ON HIS BIRTHDAY WERE CARRIED. 2. ON PAGE 6 NO ALSO CARRIED A PHOTO OF THE PRESIDENT BEING PUSHED INTO HIS LIMOUSINE AFTER THE SHOOTING, ALONG WITH A SHORT FACTUAL ARTICLE ON THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT! THE ARTICLE ALSO NOTED THAT HINKLEY WAS A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN NAZI PARTY AT ONE TIME.
3. IN CONVERSATION WITH EMBOFF APRIL I MFA US DESK OFFICER ELM MADE A POINT OF PASSING ON AN OFFICIAL GOR EXPRESSION OF GRATIFICATION AT THE PRESIDENT'S RAPID RECOVERY. ANOTHER GOR OFFICIAL TACKING TO EMBOFFS ON THE SJ3 \$-53 VOLUNTEERED HIS OWN DISMAY AT THE SHOOTING. HE REFERRED TO IT AS A "TERRORIST INCIDENT" AND SAID ALL CIVILIZED PEOPLE MUST CONDEMN SUCH BEHAVIOR. THE OFFICIAL THEN

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WENT ON TO CRITICIZE THE "SENSATIONALIST" REPORTING OF THE WEST GERMAN MEDIA ON THE ATTACK. HE ALSO COMPLAINED THAT MANY WEST EUROPEANS HAVE BEEN CONDEMNING THE NEW ADMINISTRATION BEFORE IT HAD BARELY SETTLED INTO OFFICE. THIS STATEMENT IS IN LINE WITH THE GDR POSITION OF CAUTION TOWARDS THE NEW ADMINISTRATION REFLECTED IN THE GDG PRESS OKUN

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UNCLAS GEORGETOWN 1708

TAGS: PPDC, GY, US
SUBJ: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT BURNHAM TO PRESIDENT
REAGAN
REF: GEORGETOWN 1649
1. THE FOREIGN MINISTRY IN A MARCH 31 DIPLOMATIC NOTE
HAS REQUESTED THE EMBASSY TO FORWARD THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE
FROM GUYANESE PRESIDENT BURNHAM TO PRESIDENT REAGAN:
"IT WAS WITH DEEP REGRET AND SHOCK, THAT I CEARNT
OF THE CALLOUS AND TREACHEROUS ATTEMPT ON YOUR LIFE.
ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT OF GUYANA, AND
ON MY OWN BEHALF, I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS OUR

HEARTFELT SORROW AND TO SEND TO YOU OUR SINCERE WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY."

2. THE APRIL 1 "CHRONICLE," THE GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER, CARRIED THE MESSAGE ON ITS FRONT PAGE. THE NOTE AND ARTICLE ARE BEING POUCHED TO THE DEPARTMENT (ARA/CAR), GOODMAN

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TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 8022

INFO THE WHITE HOUSE WASHDC IMMEDIATE

UNCLAS KINGSTON 2667

E.O. 12065; NA TAGS: PDIP, JM SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRIME MINISTER SEAGA TO PRESIDENT REAGAN

THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS PROVIDED THE EMBASSY WITH THE TEXT OF A MESSAGE FROM PM SEAGA, TRANSMITTED TO THE JAMAICAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON FOR DELIVERY TO THE WHITE HOUSE.

BEGIN TEXT? QUOTE: IT IS WITH A SENSE OF PROFOUND SHOCK AND DISMAY THAT WE HAVE LEARNED TF THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN. PLEASE CONVEY TO MRS. REAGAN AND THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PRESIDENT'S FAMILY THE SYMPATHY OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF JAMAICA AND OUR HOPE FOR HIS SPEEDY RECOVERY. PLEASE ALSO EXPRESS ON OUR BEHALF OUR SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF THE PRESIDENT'S PRESS SECRETARY AND TO THE SECURITY OFFICERS WHO WERE WOUNDED IN THIS SHOCKING INCIDENT, AND DUR HOPE THAT THEY WILL RECOVER QUICKLY. END TEXT. UNQUOTE.

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TO HIS EXCLIENCY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM WILFREDO MONTALVAN SECRETARIO GENERAL, LUIS RIVAS LIEVA SECRETARIO POLITICO AND GUILLERMO POTOT A SECRETARIO DE COMUNACION EL PARTIDO SOCIAL DEMOCRATA (PSD) DE NICARAGUA AL CONDENAR CRIMINAL ATENTADO DE QUE FUE VICTIMA EL SENOR PRESIDENTE REAGAN Y MIEMBROS DE SU COMITIVA EXPRESA SUS MEJORES DESEOS POR EL COMPLETO RESTABLECIMIENTO DE LOS AFECTADOS Y LAS EXPRESIONES DE SOLIDARIDAD ANTE INFAUSTO SUCESO CORDIALMENTE POR EL PARTIDO SOCIAL DEMOCRAIA DE NICARAGUA

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USICA FOR PGM/PPL; VDA/PL; AR STATE FOR ARA E.D. 12065: N/A SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION FOR CROSS-PLAY: REAGAN ATTEMPT 1. BOTH QUITO WEDNESDAY MORNING NEWSPAPERS RAN EDITORIAL COMMENT ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REGAN. EXCERPTS IN SPANISH, FOR POSSIBLE CROSS-PLAY, FOLLOW: 2. LOS EDITORIALES DE LOS DOS MATUTINOSÍQUITENOS, EL COMERCIO Y EL TIEMPO SE REFIEREN, EN SUS EDITORIALES PRINCIPALES DE HOY, AL ATENTADO DE QUE FUE VICTIMA EL PRESIDENTE RONALD REAGAN. 3. EL COMERCIO SENALA QUE LO QUE REALMENTE DEBE SER TOMADO MUY EN CUENTA ES LAS RESONANCIAS MUNDÍALES QUE TENDRA EL HE-CHO, "PRECISAMENTE AHORA CUNADO HAY ESTADISTAS Y GRANDES PENSADORES QUE NOS HABLAN DE UN MUNDO ENLOQUECIDO. Y ANADE: " COMPLACE LA RECUPERACION IMEDIATA DEL PRESIDENTE REAGAN Y ESE SENTIMINETO DEBE SER EXPRESION DE ETICA Y DE CULTURA. PERO QUEDA FLOTANDO EN EL AMBIENTE EL TEMOR DEL FUTURD AL QUE PUEDAN PRCIPITARSE EL MUNDO Y LOS HOMBRES ENLOQUCIDOS ... 4. POR SU PARTE, EL TIEMPO AFIRMA QUE EL ATENTADO CONTRA EL PRESIDENTE DE ESTADOS UNIDOS CONSTITUYE UN UNQUIETANTE SINTOMA DE QUE EN EL MUNDO DE HOY VAN PERDINDO VALOR LAS FUERZAS ESPÍRITUALES Y QUE LA SUPREMACIA TIENDE A IMPONERSE POR LA AGRESION QUE NO GENERA SATISFACCIONES, PER QUE IMPONE TEMOR O RESIGNACION."

5. "Y TAL COSA -ANADE EL EDITORIAL- DE EL TIEMPO - NO PUEDE

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MANTENERSE SIN QUE SE PRECIPITE UNA TRAGEDIA DE INCONCEBIA BLES DIMENSIONES, COMO SERIA LA INSTITUCIONALIZACION DE LA VIOLENCIA, QUE SE HA DADO YA EN MUCHO PAISES, CUYOS GOBIERNOS, DE SIGNO TOTALITARIO, HA OPTADO POR EL EMPLEO DE IDENTICAS ARMAS MATERILES EN LUGAR DE AQUELLAS QUE OFRECEN LA RAZON Y LA INTELIGENCIA." 6. EL EDITORIAL DESTACA FINALMENTE: "LAMENTAMOS EL HECHO ACAECIDO, SOMOS PARTE DE LA CONMOCION MUNDIAL QUE CONDENA EL ATENTADO QUE, POR SU DIMENSION, QUIZA SEA EL ULTIMO LLAMADO A LA RAZON Y AL ENTENDIMINETO CIVILIZADO ENTRE LOS HOMBRES Y ESPERAMOS QUE LA CONCIENCIA UNIVERSAL SE CONMUEVA AL FIN Y RECAPACITE, MIRANDO EL ABISMO AL QUE NOS CONDUCEN LA INTRANSIGENCIA, EL SECTARISMO, LA PASION INCOTROLADA Y EL TERRORISMO CONVERTIDO EN INSTRUMENTO POLÍTICO." END ITEM. ROCKWEILER

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> P 012240Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSÝ PANAMA

TO SECSTATE WASHOC PRIDRITY 3787

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UNCLAS PANAMA 02909

E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC PM SUBJECT: CONDOLENCES ON ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF THE PRESIDENT THE FOLLOWING IS THE TRANSLATED TEXT OF A LETTER SENT TO THE AMBASSADDR FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTER (AT THAT TIME IN CARACAS AT SELA MEETING) THROUGH THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ON MARCH 31: BEGIN TEXT? FROM THE MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE LATIN AMERICAN COUNCIL (SELA). I EXPRESS TO THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES THROUGH YOU, OUR CONSTERNATION FOR THE CONDEMNABLE ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF PRESIDENT REAGAN, WISHING AT THE SAME TIME FOR HIS TOTAL AND PROMPT RECOVERY. I WOULD LIKE TO ASK YOU TO TRANSMIT TO MRS. REAGAN, AS WELL AS THE FAMILIES OF SECRETARY BRADY AND THE OTHER WOUNDED OFFICIALS, DUR SENTIMENTS OF SOLIDARITY AND WISHES FOR THE RECOVERY OF THESE VALUABLE HUMAN LIVES. END TEXT. MOSS

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BY MJM NARA, DATE G17/00

TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 3128

INFO AMEMBASSY MANAGUA 4812 USINT HAVANA 055 AMEMBASSY LA PAZ 303 AMEMBASSY CARACAS 1323

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DEPT PASS AMERICAN REPUBLIC DIPLOMATIC POSTS E. D. 12065; RDS-1, 4 4-1-0; (CAHPIN, FREDERIC L.) DR-M TAGS: EAID, PFOR, NU. ES SUBJ: PRESIDENT'S DETERMINATION ON AID TO NICARAGUA REF: STATE 81758 1. (C=ENTIRE TEXT). 2. CHARGE MADE POINTS REFTEL OMITTING THE TWO PARAGRAPHS BEFORE THE FINAL PARAGRAPH SINCE THEY WERE NOT DIRECTLY APPLICABLE IN THIS CASE. CHARGE EXPLAINED THAT THE TENDR OF THE STATEMENT WAS DEISGNED TO PREVENT A TOTAL ACIENATION OF THE REMAINING PLURALIST ELEMENTS IN THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA AND TO AVOID A DECISION BY THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT TO MOVE MAJOR AMOUNTS OF MENA DN EQUIPMENT ACROSS THE EL SALVADORAN BORDER ON THE BASIS THAT THERE WAS NO LONGER ANYTHING TO BE EXPECTED FROM THE U.S. GOVERNMENT. 3. PRESIDENT DURATE EXPRESSED GREAT APPRECIATION FOR THE PRIOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE PROPOSED U.S. ACTION BUT FOUND THE TALKING POINTS "WISHY WASHY". CHAPIN

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INFO AMEMBASSY MANAGUA IMMEDIATE 0185

CUNFIDENTIAL BRASILIA 2817

DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS TO OTHER RA POSTS AS APPROPRIATE E.D. 12065: RDS-1 4/1/01 (SAYRE, ROBERT M) DR-M TAGS: EAID PEOR NU SUBJECT: BRAZILIAN REACTION TO PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION ON AID TO NICARAGUA REF: STATE 081758 1. (ENTIRE TEXT). DCM CALLED ON SPECIAL ADVISER TO FOREIGN MINISTER, RONALDO SARDENBERG, AFTERNOON OF APRIL GQ TO PRESENT TALKING POINTS PROVIDED REFTEL. SUBSEQUENTLY; DCM WAS CALLED BACK TO MINISTRY TO BE GIVEN GOB REACTION TO DUR PRESENTATION. 3. SARDENBÉRG HAD PRESENTÊD DUR TALKING POINTS TO FOREIGN MINISTER GUERREIRO, AND HE WAS INSTRUCTED TO PROVIDE US WITH THE FOLLOWING REACTIONS: -- FOREIGN MINISTER EXPRÉSSED APPRECIATION THAT USG HAD INFORMED GOD OF DECISION TAKEN ON AID TO NICARAGUA BEFORE IT HAD BEEN ANNOUNCED, AND GOB HAD TAKEN NOTE OF OUR POFCTION. -- GDB UNDERSTANDS AND RESPECTS US VIEWS AS EXPRESSED IN TALKING POINTS. ----REDACTED-

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FÜREIGN MINISTER SAID THIS RESPONSE TO US DECISION ON AID TO NICARAGUA IS PROVIDED IN A SPIRIT OF FRIENDSHIP; AND ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF THE STATEMENT IN OUR PRESENTAGE TION THAT THERE IS NO HARD EVIDENCE OF ARMS TRAFFICKING WITHIN THE LAST FEW WEEKS AND THAT PROPAGANDA AND OTHER SUPPORT ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN CURTAILED SINCE JANUARY.	
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3542

UNCLAS ANTANANARIVO 00797

E. D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP, CN SUBJECT: GET WELL MESSAGE PRESIDENT REAGAN 1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE COMOROS ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT REAGAN, INFORMAL TRANSLATION FOLLOWS: QUOTE WE HAVE LEARNED WITH CONSTERNATION OF THE ATTEMPT PERPETRATED AGAINST YOUR PERSON. WE WOULD LIKE TO ASSURE YOU OF DUR TOTAL SIMPATHY AND WISH YOU PROMPT RECOVERY AND MAY ALLAH THE ALMIGHTY PROTECT YOU. HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. AHMED ABDALLAH ABDEREMANE, PRESIDENT, FEDERAL ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF THE COMORDS. UNQUOTE. 2. FRENCH TEXT FOLLOWS AS RECEIVED WITH GARBLES: QUOTE: A SON EXCELLENCE MR. RONALD REAGAN, PRESIDENT DES ETATS UNIS DIAMERIQUE, WASHINGTON. COMPLIMENTS STOP AVONS APPRIS AVEC CONSTERNATION L'ATTENTAT PERPETRE CONTRE VOTRE PERSONNE STOP VOUDRIONS VOUS ASSURER DETRE ENTIERE SYMPATHIE ET VOUS SOUHAÎTER PROMPT RETABLISSE-MENT ET Q'ALLAH LE TOUT PUISSANT VOUS PROTEGE STOP TRES HAUTE CONSIDERATION. AHMED ABDALLAH ABDEREMANE, PRESIDENT, FEDERALE ISCAMIQUE DES COMORES. RONDON

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3560

INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA 5820 AMEMBASSY MOSCOW 0147

UNCLAS ISTANBUL 1381

TAGS: PPDC, PDIP, PEPR, TU
SUBJECT: SYMPATHY CALL BY SOVIET CONSUL GENERAL
MEMBERS OF THE CONSULAR CORPS AND OTHERS HAVE TODAY, MARCH 31,
EXPRESSED REGRET OVER THE SHOOTING OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND PLEASURE THAT HIS CONDITION IS NOT SERIOUS. INCLUDED IN THE FORMER
GROUP WAS MY SOVIET COLCEAGUE, MIKHAIL ORLOV, WHO PERSONALLY
CALLED ON ME. AS DEAN OF THE CONSULAR AND AS CONSUL GENERAL OF
THE SOVIET UNION, HE EXPRESSED "COMPASSION AND SYMPATHY" WITH
RESPECT TO THE PRESIDENT'S MISFORTUNE.
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> R 010805Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY RABAT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8024

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UNCLAS RABAT 2287

E.O. 12065 N/A TAGS: PPDC, MO, US SUBJECT: ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF THE PRESIDENT SMESSAGES OF SYMPATHY FROM MOROCCAN AND OTHER OFFICIALS A) STATE 80707, B) RABAT 2243, C) RABAT 1. CHARGE AND EMBASSY ARE RECEIVING MANY MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY AND WISHES FOR THE PRESIDENT'S RAPID AND COMPLETE RECOVERY. 2. SENDERS, BESIDES KING HASSAN (REF B), THUS FAR INCLUDE FORMIN BOUCETTA (REF C); AMBASSADOR (TO U.S.) ALI BENGELLOUN CURRENTLY IN MARRAKECH WHERE KING IS IN RESIDENCE, FORMIN'S DEPUTIES SECSTATE BADDOU AND SECSTATE MA TAZI, MINEQUIPT DOUIRI WHO SPOKE IN OWN BEHALF OF ISTICIAL PARTY OF WHICH HE IS A RANKING LEADER, GEN. AHMED DLIMI, CHIEF OF KING'S AIDES DE CAMPJOTHER SENIOR MFA AND GOVERNI MENTAL OFFICIALS AND SEVERAL CHIEFS AND MEMBERS OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN RABAT. SEBASTIAN

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> R 011020Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY SALISBURY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2663

UNCLAS SACISBURY 1475

PLEASE PASS TO WHITE HOUSE E. 0: 12065 N/A TAGS: ZI SUBJ: MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN THE AMERICAN AND ZIMBABWEAN STAFF OF THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY IN ŠAČISBURY JOIN ME IN EXPRESSING TUR PROFOUND SHOCK OVER THE ATTACK ON YOU AND OUR SINCERE RELIEF IN CEARNING OF YOUR RAPID RECOVERY. OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU, MR. BRADY, AND THE TWO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ALSO WOUNDED. IT HAS BEEN HEARTENING DURING THE PAST DAY TO RECIEVE FROM ZIMBABWEANS OF ALL RACES AND WALKS OF LIFE THEIR WORDS OF CONCERN FOR YOUR HEALTH, PERHAPS BEST EXEMPLIFIED IN THE MESSAGE WHICH PRIME MINISTER MUGABE HAS SENT TO YOU. THESE EXPRESSIONS HAVE BEEN HEARTFELT AND REFLECT THE UNDERLYING TIES OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN ZIMBABWE AND THE UNITED STATES, AND THE REAL CONCERN OF ZIMBABWEANS FOR LYOUR WELL-BEING. PLEASE ACCEPT, MR. PRESIDENT, OUR CONTINUING HOPES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY AND FULL RESUMPTION OF YOUR DUTIES. RESPECTFULLY YOURS, ROBERT V. KEELEY, AMBASSADOR KEELEY

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7269

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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE ADDIS ABABA 1017 STATE ALSO PASS WHITE HOUSE E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP PEPR ET US SUBJECT CONDOLENCE MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM CHAIRMAN MENGISTU THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS CALLED IN THE CHARGE MORNING OF APRIL 2 TO PRESENT HIM A COPY OF THE TEXT OF A MESSAGE SENT YESTERDAY DIRECTLY TO PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM CHAIRMAN MENGISTU HAILE MARIAM. BEGIN TEXT THE HUNDRABLE RONALD REAGAN PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON D.C. IT IS WITH SHOCK THAT I HAVE LEARNT THE NEWS OF THE OUTRAGEOUS ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON YOUR LIFE. HAPPY AS I AM TO KNOW THAT YOU ARE REMARKABLY RESPONDING TO TREAT MENTS, ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT OF SOCIALIST ETHIOPIA AND ON MY OWN BEHALF, I WISH YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, SPEEDY AND FULL RECOVERY. MENGISTU HAILE-MARIAM, CHAIRMAN OF THE PROVISIONAL MILITARY ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL AND OF THE COMMISSION FOR ORGANIZING THE PARTY OF THE WORKING PEOPLE OF ETHIOPIA AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE REVO-LUTIONARY ARMY OF SOCIALIST ETHIOPIA END TEXT.

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3. THE MINISTRY EXPLAINED THAT CHARIMAN MENGISTU HAD BEEN ON A TRIP WITHIN THE COUNTRY AND THIS WAS THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS HIS CONCERN TO THE PRESIDENT. THE MINISTRY STATED THAT IT WILL BE BROADCAST BY THE ETHIOPIAN MEDIA SO THAT THE PEOPLE WILL KNOW OF THE CHAIRMAN'S SHOCK AT THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AND HIS WISHES FOR THE PRESIDENT'S SPEEDY RECOVERY. ROBERTS

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AMEMBASSY PRETORIA
AMEMBASSY SALISBURY
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NEWS OF AN ATTEMPT ON YOUR LIFE. WE ARE HOWEVER HAPPY AND GRATIFIED THAT ALMIGHTY GOD GAVE YOU PROTECTION AND SPARED YOUR LIFE. ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT, PEOPLE OF LESOTHO AND ON MY DWN BEHALF. I WISH YOU A SPEEDY RECOVERY. LONG LIFE AND HAPPINESS." "TO: H.E. PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN FROM: HIS MAJESTY MOSHOESHOE II, KING OF LESOTHO YOUR EXCELLENCY, WE HAVE LEARNED WITH GREAT SADNESS AND HEAVY HEARTS THE NEWS OF AN ATTEMPT ON YOUR EXCELLENCY'S LIFE. ON BEHALF OF THE BASOTHO AND ON OUR OWN BEHALF, WE WISH TO EXPRESS DUR GREATEST DESIRE THAT THE ALMIGHTY GOD MAY RESTORE ONCE MORE TO YOU THE GOOD HEALTH AND VITALITY THAT WILL ENABLE YOU TO CONTINUE TO CARRY FORWARD YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO LEAD THE GREAT AMERICAN PROPLE." KING

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0853

UNCLAS ROME 07527

S/S-D PASS WHITE HOUSE FOR VICE PRESIDENT E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC, IT SUBJECT: ITALIAN SENATE RESOLUTION ON THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION

1. THE ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE ITALIAN SENATE, TOMMASO MORLINO, HAS ASKED THAT YOU BE INFORMED, AS PRESIDENT OF U.S. SENATE, OF THE ITALIAN SENATE'S CONDEMNATION OF THE ATTEMPT ON THE PRESIDENT'S LIFE AND ITS WISHES FOR HIS PROMPT RECOVERY.

2. THE TEXT OF THE EXTRACT FROM THE RECORD OF THE SENATE'S MARCH 31 SESSION (POUCHED TO STATE, C/O ITALIAN DESK) READS AS FOLLOWS:

PRESIDENT: ESTEEMED COLLEAGUES, THE WHOLE WORLD IS GRAVELY DISTURBED BY THE ATTEMPT IN WHICH THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT WAS WOUNDED.

CONFIDENT THAT I CONVEY THE UNANIMOUS FEELING OF THE SENATE OF THE REPUBLIC, I CONDEMN MOST STRONGLY THE NEFAR-IOUS CRIME AND WISH PRESIDENT REAGAN A SPEEDY RECOVERY AND A RAPID RETURN TO THE LEADERSHIP OF OUR FRIENDS, THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

THE SENATE SENDS ITS BEST WISHES ALSO FOR THOSE OTHER OFFICIALS AND AGENTS WOUNDED BY THE TERRORIST'S FIRE.

FOSCHI, MINISTER OF LABOR AND SOCIAL SECURITY: I

REQUEST THE FLOOR.

PRESIDENT: IT IS AT YOUR DISPOSAL.

FOSCHI: MR. PRESIDENT, IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNMENT,
I WISH TO ASSOCIATE MYSELF WITH THE CONDEMNATION OF THIS
SENSELESS CRIME WHICH STRIKES THE CONSCIENCE OF EVERY

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NATION AND EVERY FREE MAN.

IN THE HOPE THAT THOSE WOUNDED CAN RECEIVER QUICKLY AND THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN MAY RETURN RAPIDLY TO THE HELM OF HIS COUNTRY, I CONVEY TO THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OUR SOLIDARITY, BORN OF OUR COMMON DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES. PAGANELLI

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E.O. 12065: NA
TAGS: PDIP, MV
SUBJECT: ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION: REPLY TO MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT
OF MALDIVES
REF: COLOMBO 1629
1. I AM GOING TO THE MALDIVES APRIL 12 AND WOULD APPRECIATE
A RESPONSE TO PRESIDENT GAYDOM'S MESSAGE OF CONCERN OVER
ATTACK ON PRESIDENT REAGAN (REFTEL) THAT I CAN HAND CARRY.
BELOW IS SUGGESTED TEXT:
2. QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I AM GRATEFUL FOR YOUR
KIND EXPRESSION OF CONCERN ABOUT MY INJURY AND PLEASED TO
ASSURE YOU THAT I AM FULLY RECOVERING. SINCERELY,
RONALD REAGAN. END QUOTE.

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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE COLOMBO 1680

E.O. 12065: NA
TAGS: PDIP, MV
SUBJECT: ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION: REPLY TO MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT
OF MALDIVES
REF: COLOMBO 1629

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ASSURE YOU THAT I AM FULLY RECOVERING: SINCERELY,
RONALD REAGAN. END QUOTE.

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> R 011047Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1075

UNCLAS PRETORIA 02214

E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC SUBJECT: MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN 1. ON BEHALF OF THE ENTIRE MISSION STAFF AND THEIR FAMILIES, I WOULD ASK THE DEPARTMENT TO CONVEY TO THE PRESIDENT AND APPROPRIATE MEMBERS OF THE WHITE HOUSE STAFF DUR SENSE OF SHOCK AND DEEP CONCERN AT THE ATTACK ON THE PRESIDENT AND THOSE WHO WERE WITH HIM. WE ARE GREATLY RELIEVED THAT HE WAS SPARED MORE SERIOUS INJURY; WE EXTEND DUR SYMPATHY TO HIM AND MRS. REAGAN AND PRAY FOR A QUICK RECOVERY. WE ARE PRAYING TOO FOR JIM BRADY, TIM MCCARTHY, AND TOM DELAMARTY, HOPING THAT FULL RECOVERY MAY BE POSSIBLE FOR ALL'. 2. WE HAVE RECEIVED CALLS AND NOTES OF SYMPATHY FROM A VARIETY OF LOCAL PEOPLE, INCLUDING THE CHIEFS OF MISSION OF BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, SPAIN, SWITZERLAND, PARAGUAY, AND URUGUAY. WE HAVE THANKED THE SOUTH AFRICAN FOREIGN MINISTER FOR AN EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY READ ON THE SABC RADIO BY STATE PRESIDENT VILJOEN, WHOSE MESSAGE WILL PROBABLY BE DELIVERED IN WASHINGTON. EDMONDSON

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> R 011248Z APR 81 FM AMCONSUL ISTANBUL

TO SECSTATE WASHOC 3563

INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA 5821

UNCLAS ISTANBUL 1396

PASS WHITE HOUSE
E.O. 12065: N/A

TAGS: TU, PPDC
SUBJECT: ATTEMPT ON THE PRESIDENT'S LIFE
1. A MESSAGE ADDRESSED TO ME FROM HIS ALL HOLINESS, PATRIARCH
DIMITRIOS I OF THE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH (DELIVERED BY THE PATRIARCH'S PRIVATE SECRETARY, METROPOLITAN BARTHOLOMEW OF PHILATEDELPHIA) EXPRESSES "DEEPEST FEELINGS OF SYMPATHY" FOR THE PRESIDENT AND STATES THAT HIS ALL HOLINESS "PRAYS THAT GOD MAY HELP
THE PRESIDENT HAVE A SPEEDY RECOVERY."
2. I HAVE REPLIED, EXPRESSING DEEPEST APPRECIATION FOR THE PATRIARCH'S MESSAGE.
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7927

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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE NEW DELHI 06900 E.O. 12065; N/A TAGS: PPDC. BT SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR THE PRESIDENT FROM THE KING OF BHUTAN EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FROM BHUTANESE EMBASSY FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM HRH JIGHE SINGYE WANGCHUCK, KING OF BHUTAN. TRANSMITTAL LETTER FROM BHUTANESE EMBASSY AND KING'S MESSAGE ARE BEING POUCHED TO NEA/INS. BEGIN TEXT, WE WERE GREATLY RELIEVED TO LEARN OF YOUR PROVIDENTIAL ESCAPE FROM AN ASSASINATION ATTEMPT. WE ARE HAPPY TO LEARN OF THE GOOD PROGRESS YOU ARE MAKING IN HOSPITAL. MY PEOPLE AND I PRAY FOR YOUR SPEEDY RECOVERY AND LONG LIFE. JIGME SINGYE WANGCHUCK, KING OF BHUTAN. END TEXT. BLOOD

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> R 011400Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2978

UNCLAS PARIS 09673

USDECD EUR/RPE FOR MONTGOMERY E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: ADRG, DECD SUBJECTI MESSAGE FROM JECO SECRETARY GENERAL TO PRESIDENT REAGAN DECD SECRETARY GENERAL VAN LENNEP HAS REQUESTED US TO FORWARD THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT REAGANT 2. BEGIN QUOTE: PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN, THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON ON BEHALF OF THE ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC COSCPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT, AS WELL AS MYSELF, MAY I EXPRESS TO YOU AND TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE DUR SENSE OF SHOCK AT WHAT HAS OCCURRED AND OUR BEST WISHES FOR A COMPLETE AND RAPID RECOVERY. MAY I ALSO EXTEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY AND BEST WISHES TO MRS. REAGAN, TO OTHER MEMBERS OF YOUR FAMILY AND TO ALL THOSE WHO SUFFERED IN THIS TRAGIC INCIDENT. EMILE VAN LENNEP, SECRETARY-GENERAL. END QUOTE. RYAN

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> R 011445Z APR 81 FM PORT LOUIS/MAURITIUS

TO HIS EXCELLENCY ALEXANDER HAIG, SECRETARY OF STATE

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FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM MAURITANIAN MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, TOURISM AND EMIGRATION?
HEARD WITH GREAT DISMAY THE ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGANS LIFE IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY STOP I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS MY SINCERE WISHES FOR THE PROMPT RECOVERY OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND THREE OTHER PERSONS WOULDED IN THIS MOST UNFORTUNATE INCIDENT HARDLD WALTER MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS TOURISM AND EMIGRATION

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> R 011424Z APR 81 FM SANTIAGO/CHILE

TO THE HONDRABLE ALEXANDER HAIG, SECRETARY OF STATE

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FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL RELATIONS OF CHILET ANTE EL CRIMINAL ATENTADO DE QUE FUERA OBJECTO SU EXCELENCIA EL PRESIDENTE DE LA REPUBLICA DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS DE AMERICA, EXCELENTISIMO SENOR RONALD REAGAN, QUIERO EXPRESARLE NUESTRA MAS ENERGICA CONDENA A ESTE IRRACIONAL ACTO DE VIOLENCIA QUE PUSO EN PELIGRO LA VIDA DEL SENOR PRESIDENTE.

JUNTO CON MANIFESTARLE NUESTRA SOLIDARIDAD EN ESTOS DIFIE CILES MOMENTOS, RUEGOLE HACER LLEGAR AL PRESIDENTE REAGAN MIS MEJORES DESEOS POR SU PRONTA Y TOTAL RECUPERACION.

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TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 7725 AMEMBASSY ROME IMMEDIATE 3623

CONFIDENTIAL MILAN 606

LIMDIS PASS WHITE HOUSE ED 12065: GDS 4/1/87 (JOHNSON, C.K.) DR-M TAGS: ASEC IT SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL ASSINATION ATTEMPT: ITALIAN JOURNALIST BELIEVES SPECTATOR WAS INVOLVED WITH "SOLDIER OF FORTUNE" MAGAZINE 1. GIDVANNI FARNETI, DEPUTY EDITOR OF ITALIAN WEEKLY NEWS MAGAZINE PANDROMA, CALLED ON CONSUL GENERAL APRIL 1 TO CONVEY TO USG HIS IMPRESSION THAT ONE OF THE PERSONS PICTURED IN WIRE PHOTOS FROM SCENE OF ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION AT WISHINGTON HILTON WAS IN FACT INVOLVED WITH U.S. MAGAZINE "SOLDIER OF FORTUNE". FARNETI EXPLAINED THAT EARLY LAST YEAR HE WAS DOING RESEARC ON A SOON-TO-BE RELEASED BOOK ON MERCENARIES AND WENT TO BOULDER, COLORADO TO INTERVIEW EDITORS OF SOLDIER OF FURTUNE, WHICH HE SAYS IS PUBLISHED THERE. HE HAS STRONG IMPRESSION THAT ONE OF PERSONS SHOWN IN WIRE SERVICE PHOTO SEEMINGLY HOLDING ON TOO BELT OF PRESIDENT'S ASSAILANT, IS IN FACT A PERSON FARNETI MET A "SOUDIER OF FURTUNE" OFFICE AND SPENT A DAY WITH IN COLORADO LAST YEAR. PHOTO (BEING POUCHED TO ROME) BEARS IDENTIFICATION WOP 033013 3/10/81 UPI AMK/DON RYJKA. PERSON INDICATED BY FARNETI IS COCATED AT RIGHT OF PHOTO DRESSED IN A LIGHT TRENCH COAT AND IS SEEN IN FULL PROFILE WAIST UP. VIEWER OF WIRE PHOTO WOULD ASSUME HE WAS POLICE OR SECRET SERVICE AGENT. 2. FARNETI THEORIZES THAT EITHER PERSON HE MET LAST YEAR (1) HAS BROKEN HIS CONNECTION WITH "SOLDIER OF FORTUNE"

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AND HAS GONE TO WORK FOR FBI OR CIA, OR (2) WAS AN UNDERCOVER AGENT WHEN HE MET HIM LAST YEAR AND HAS NOW RETURNED TO REGULAR PROTECTIVE WORK, OR (3) WAS IN FACT A PARTICIPANT IN A PLOT TO KILL THE PRESIDENT AND WAS NOT NOTICED BY POLICE OFFICIALS IN CONFUSION, OR (4) IS NOT THE SAME MANE HE MET LAST YEAR AT ALL WHILE ADMITTING THIS LAST POSSIBILITY, FARNETI BASICALLY TRUSTS HE HAS SEEN THE INDICATED PERSON BEFORE AND THE MATTER IS OF SUCH IMPORTANCE HE THOUGHT HE SHOULD REPORT IT TO US. HE SAID HE BROUGHT THE INFORMATION TO US ON A PERSONAL BASIS THOUGH HE IS ALSO HAVING PANDRAMA'S NEW YORK CORRESPONDENT TRY TO IDENTIFY THE MAIN IN THE PHOTOGRAPH. WE ASKED FARNETI IF HE RECALLED THE NAME OF THE MAN HE MET IN COLORADO. HE SAID HE DID NOT (REPEAT NOT), BUT HE WAS TRYING TO RECOVER FROM HIS FILE A LETTER THAT INDIVIDUAL HAD WRITTEN HIM AFTER HIS VISIT TO BOULDER. 3. COMMENT: IN CHECKING DUT FARNETI'S NAME PRIOR TO THE APPOINTMENT; WE WERE TOLD BY ONE ITALIAN JOURNALIST THAT FARNETI WAS AT LEAST "RADICAL CHIC" IF NOT LEFTIST, AND WAS NOT ABOVE SENSATIONALIZING A STORY. SINCE FARNETI'S BOOK ON "WHITE" MERCENARIES IS ABOUT TO BE PUBLISHED HE MAY BE TRYING TO MAKE A CINK BETWEEN HIS PREVIOUS WORK ON RIGHT-WING VIOLENCE AND THE ASSASINATION ATTEMPT. NOMETHELESS. WE BELIEVE HIS ALLEGATIONS SHOULD BE CAREFULLY CHECKED OUT. HE CANE TO US ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF A FORMER U.S. CONSUL GENERAL IN MILAN (PAUL POPPLE, NOW LIVING IN TUSCANY) TO WHOM HE IS RELATED BY MARRIAGE. HE HOLDS A RESPONSIBLE POSITION WITH ONE OF ITALY'S MAJOR PUBLICATIONS, MOREOVER, AS IN THE PAST THERE IS ALWAYS THE POSSIBILITY THAT MINOR UNEXPLAINED CHARGES CAN BLOW UP INTO A MAJOR CONSPIRACY THEORY. WE CONSEQUENTLY BELIEVE IT WOULD BE WISE TO GIVE FARNETTI AS FIRM AND CLEAR A REPLY AS WE CAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO PUT THE MATTER TO REST. JOHNSON

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UNCLAS LAGOS 03902

E.D. 12065 N/A TAGS: PINT, NI SUBJECT: PRESIDENT SHAGARI SENDS CONDOLENCES TO PRESIDENT REAGAN THE APRIL I EDITION OF THE DAILY TIMES HAS PRINTED THE TEXT OF A MESSAGE REPORTEDLY SENT TO PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM PRESIDENT SHAGARI FOLCOWING THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON THE FORMER. TEXT FOLLOWS: "IT HAS BEEN A PERSONAL SHOCK AND SOURCE OF GRIEF TO ME AND TO ALL NIGERIANS TO HAVE LEARNT OF THE SENSELESS AND IRRESPONSIBLE ATTEMPT MADE ON YOUR LIFE DURING ONE OF YOUR NUMEROUS STATE FUNCTIONS AIMED AT IMPROVING THE LOT OF THE AMERICAN WORKERS. ON BEHALF OF MYSELF, MY GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF NIGERIA I EXTEND SINCEREST GOOD WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY. I LOOK FOR-WARD TO RESUMING WITH YOU THE PREPARATORY WORK WE HAVE HAPPILY STARTED TOWARDS CULTIVATING COOPERATION AND CLOSER RELATIONS FOR THE BENEFIT OF DUR TWO COUNTRIES. "KRIEBEL

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4308

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E.O. 12065 N/A

TAGS: PDIP, CF, US
SUBJECT: HIGH-LEVEL CONGOLESE CONDOLENCES ON REAGAN

ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT MADAME ANTOINETTE SASSOU-NGUESSO, SPOUSE OF CONGOLESE PRESIDENT DENIS SASSOU-NGUESSO, EXPRESSED TO THE AMBASSADOR OFFICIAL CONDULENCES ON APRIL 2 IN BEHALF OF THE PRESIDENT, HERSELF AND THE CONGOLESE PEOPLE IN REGARD TO THE MARCH 30 ATTACK ON PRESIDENT REAGAN. TELEVISION AND PRINT MEDIA REP-RESENTATIVES RECORDED THIS PORTION OF THE MEETING. MRS. SASSOU-NGUESSO BEGAN THE ONE-HOUR MEETING AT THE PRESIDENTIAL RESIDENCE BY EXPRESSING THE INDIGNATION AND SHOCK WHICH SHE SAID THAT SHE AND THE PRESIDENT HAD FELT UPON LEARNING OF THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT. SHE SAID THAT THE CONGOLESE LEADERSHIP AND PEOPLE WERE OPPOSED TO VIOLENCE IN ANY FORM AND CONDEMNED THIS VIOLENT ACT. THE PRESIDENT'S SPOUSE SAID THAT SHE AND THE PRESIDENT HAD BEEN GREATLY RELIEVED TO LEARN THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN'S CONDITION WAS NOT SERIOUS AND THAT PROSPECTS WERE EXCELLENT FOR A FULL RECOVERY AND A SPEEDY RETURN TO FULL ACTIVITY AT THE WHITE HOUSE. AMBASSADOR, IN EXPRESSING APPRECIATION, PROMISED TO TRANSMIT THESE SENTIMENTS TO WASHINGTON. 2. EARLIER, IN A FORTY-FIVE MINUTE MEETING ON MARCH 31, THE NEW MILITARY CHIEF OF STAFF, COLONEL ELENGA, ECHOED MRS. SASSOU-NGUESSO'S SENTIMENTS IN DEPLORING THE ATTACK AND ASSURING THE AMBASSADOR OF THE CONGOLESE PEOPLE'S SOLIDARITY IN THE MIDST OF THESE EVENTS (SEE BRAZZAVILLE 809. 3. BESIDES THESE CONGOLESE EXPRESSIONS OF SUPPORT, ABOUT

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UNE-THIRD OF THE TWENTY-FIVE ACCREDITED FOREIGN AMBASSADORS --FRANCE, ITALY, BELGIUM, GABON, EGYPT, ALGERIA, CHINA, YUGOSLAVIA-OFFERED SIMILAR WRITTEN OR VERBAL MANIFESTATIONS OF CONDOLENCE AND SOLIDARITY. THE AMBASSADOR HAS WRITTEN INDIVIDUAL NOTES OF APPRECIATION TO EACH AS WELL, OF COURSE, AS TO MADAME SASSOU-NGUESSO AND COLONEL ELENGA. SWING

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> R 011531Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY MONROVIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4861

UNCLAS MONROVIA 02626

FOR AF/W E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC, LI SUBJECT: TRANSMISSION OF MESSAGE TO THE VICE PRESIDENT 1. FORMER AMBASSADOR AT-LARGE FOR LIBERIA EMMETT HARMON HAS REQUESTED THE FOLLOWING PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM HIM BE PASSED TO VICE PRESIDENT BUSH: QTE: THE HUNDRABLE GEORGE BUSH THE VICE PRESIDENT UNITED STATES SENATE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510
I HAVE BEEN PARTICULARLY SHOCKED BY THE NEWS OF THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND WISH TO SEND YOU, AND THROUGH YOU TO THE PRESIDENT, MY EXPRESSION OF DEEP CONCERN. I TRUST THE PRESIDENT WILL SOON FULLY RECOVER. I AM ALSO PRAYING FOR YOUR CONTINUED PROTECTION AND SUCCESS: WARMEST PERSONAL REGARDS, AMBASSADOR EMMETT HARMON. UNQTE. 2. MANY THANKS. WALKER

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TO THE WHITE HOUSE IMMEDIATE

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E. 0. 12065: GDS 04/02/87 (BENNETT, W. TAPLEY) DR-M TAGS: NATO, PGOV SUBJECT: (C) PERSONAL MESSAGE FOR THE PRESIDENT (C) LET ME EXPRESS ON BEHALF OF ALL AMERICANS AT NATO --AND OUR ALLIED FRIENDS HERE IN BELGIUM AS WELL -- THE JOY WE FEEL OVER YOUR RAPID RECOVERY FROM MONDAY'S OUTRAGEOUS YOUR COURAGE AND STYLE HAVE LIFTED US ALL, AND WE PRAY FOR YOUR RESUMPTION OF FULL ACTIVITY AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE. WE ALSO PRAY FOR THE RECOVERY OF JIM BRADY AND FOR THE TWO SECURITY OFFICERS WHO FELL IN THE LINE OF DUTY. YOURS RESPECTFULLY, TAP BENNETT. BENNETT

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TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 3070

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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE MADRID 04313 E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC. SP SUBJECT: WISHES FROM SPANISH LEADERS FOR PRESIDENT'S SPEEDY RECOVERY IN ADDITION TO THE REACTION TO THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT IN ALL MADRID MEDIA (SEPTEL), EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALLS AND CABLES FROM LARGE NUMBER OF IMPORTANT SPANISH LEADERS AND POLITICIANS. SHORTLY AFTER NEWS OF THE SHOOTING WAS BROADCAST, KING JUAN CARLOS TELEPHONED AMBASSADOR AND EXPRESSED HIS REGRET OVER THE INCIDENT AND HIS WISHES FOR SPEEDY RECOVERY OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND SAID HE WOULD ALSO BE CALLING THE WHITE HOUSE. WE HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT THE QUEEN WISHED TO PLACE A CALL TO MRS. REAGAN ALSO BE CALLING THE WHITE HOUSE. PERSONALLY BUT DECIDED NOT TO BOTHER HER WHEN SHE LEARNED THAT MRS. REAGAN WAS AT THE HOSPITAL WITH THE PRESIDENT! INSTEAD SHE DECIDED TO CALL THE WHITE HOUSE AND LEAVE A MESSAGE. FOREIGN MINISTER PEREZ-LLORCA, FORMER PRIME MINISTER ADOLFO SUAREZ, ANTONIO JIMENEZ BLANCO, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF STATE, JORGE DEL PIND, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF NORTH AMERICAN AFFAIRS IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, AND MANUEL DE PRADO Y COLON DE CARVAJAL, PRESIDENT OF THE INSTITUTE OF IBERIAN-AMERICAN COOPERATION ALSO CALLED AMBASSADOR TO EXPRESS CONCERN AND REST WISHES FOR THE PRESIDENT'S RECOVERY. WE LEARNED LATER THAT PRIME MINISTER CALVO-SOTELO HAD SENT AN IMMEDIATE TELEGRAM TO THE WHITE HOUSE, AND THAT FELIPE GONZALEZ, SECRETARY

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GENERAL OF THE SPANISH SOCIALIST PARTY, HAD ALSO SENT A MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT IN ADDITION TO ONE HE SENT TO THE AMBASSADOR . 2. OTHER CALLS CAME IN TO AMBASSADOR AND OTHER EMBASSY OFFICERS FROM MEMBERS OF THE RULING CENTER DEMOCRATIC UNION PARTY AND THE CONSERVATIVE ALIANZA POPULAR PARTY. LEADING BUSINESS AND CULTURAL FIGURES HAVE ALSO SENT MESSAGES. 3. TELEGRAMS TO AMBASSADOR CONTINUE TO ARRIVE. A SAMPLING -- FROM AGUSTIN RODRIGUEZ SAHAGUN, PRESIDENT OF THE CENTER DEMOCRATIC UNION PARTY, "THE DIRECTORS OF THE PARTY, ITS MILITANTS, AND I ... SEND DUR SINCERE DESIRES FOR A SATISFACTORY RECOVERY FOR MR. REAGAN." -- FROM FELIPE GONZALEZ, SOCIALIST PARTY SECGEN, "I PROFOUNDLY REGRET THE CRIMINAL ATTACK AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND WISH WITH ALL SINCERITY HIS RAPID RECOVERY AS WELL AS THE RECOVERY OF HIS AIDES." -- FROM MARIA VICTORIA FERNANDEZ ESPANA, ALIANZA POPULAR DEPUTY AND VICE PRESIDENT OF CONGRESS OF DEPUTIES, "I ASK YOU TO TRANSMIT TOE PRESIDENT AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES MY PROFOUND SADNESS FOR THE TREACHEROUS ATTACK, PRAYING FOR THE FAST RECUPERATION OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND THE OTHERS HURT DRDER THAT THEY MAY BE ABLE TO CONTINUE THEIR GREAT LABOR IN THE SERVICE OF THE GREAT AMERICAN PEOPLE AND THEIR EUROPEAN ALLIES." 4. ADDITIONAL TELEGRAMS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM ANTON CANELLAS, PRESIDENT OF THE CATALAN CENTER PARTY (A PART OF THE CENTER DEMOCRATIC UNION), NOTED SPANISH COMPOSER FEDERICO MOREND TORROBAT LABOR LEADER MANUEL ZAGUIRRE, AND MANY OTHERS. 5. WHENEVER APPROPRIATE EMBASSY IS SENDING NOTES OF APPRECIATION TO THOSE WHO ARE EXPRESSING CONCERN AND WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY. THE SMALL NUMBER THAT MAY REQUIRE A WASHINGTON RESPONSE -- IF THERE ARE ANY THAT ARE NOT CABLED DIRECTLY TO THE WHITE HOUSE -- WILL BE TRANSMITTED TELEGRAPHICALLY. TODMAN

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIDRITY 6425

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UNCLAS BRIDGETOWN 1580

E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC, MH, SC SUBJECT: MESSAGES RE ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE THE PRESIDENT REF: (A) BRIDGETOWN 1567; (B) BRIDGETOWN 1554; (C) ANTIGUA 216 EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR THE PRESIDENT FROM THE PRIME MINISTER OF DOMINICA. (REF A TRANSMITTED SIMILAR MESSAGES FROM MONTSERRAT AND ST. KİTTS-NEVIS. REF B TRANSMITTED SUCH A MESSAGE FROM ST. VINCENT, WHILE REF C TRANSMITTED A SIMILAR MESSAGE FROM ANTIGUA). FROM MARY EUGENIA CHARLES, PRIME MINISTER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF DOMINICA. BEGIN TEXT. THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF DOMINICA ARE GREATLY DISTRESSED TO LEARN OF THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF PRESIDENT REAGAN. WE VIEW WITH DISMAY THE UPSURGE OF POLITICAL VIOLENCE AND THE THREAT OF VIOLENCE BEING MANIFESTED IN THE WORLD TODAY. TRUST THAT THE UNFORTUNATE INCIDENT WILL NOT DAMPEN THE PRESIDENT'S SPIRIT OR LEAD THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO DESPAIR BUT WILL RATHER ACT AS A CATALYST FOR EVEN GREAT INVOLVEMENT IN AND DEEPER COMMITMENT TO DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL GOOD. WISH TO OFFER OUR PRAYERS, AND BEST WISHES FOR THE UNFORTUNATE VICTIMS! PRIME MINISTER. END TEXT. 3. ACTION REQUESTED. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER DEPARTMENT WILL PROVIDE TEXT FOR REPLY. RANDOLPH

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> P 021302Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

TO SECSTATE WASHOC PRIORITY 9573

UNCLAS KHARTOUM 2874

FOR AF/E KENNETH C. BRILL: PLEASE PASS TO WHITE HOUSE E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP, SU, US SUBJECT: SYMPATHY MESSAGES FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN REF: (A) KHARTOUM 2765; (B) KHARTOUM 2764 1. WE HAVE RECEIVED A STEADY STREAM OF MESSAGES OF CONCERN AND SYMPATHY FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN AND HIS WOUNDED COLLEAGUES FROM PRESIDENT NÍMEIRÍ (REFTELS) AND HIS MÍNISTERS, DOWN TO SHOPA KEEPERS AND CAB DRIVERS. THE COMMON THEME HAS BEEN ONE OF INDIGNATION THAT A WORLD LEADER COULD BE ATTACKED IN SUCH A TREACHEROUS MANNER, RELIEF THAT THE PRESIDENT SURVIVED THE ATTACK IN GOOD HEALTH, AND WARM WISHES FOR HIS SPEEDY RECOVERY. A NUMBER OF SUDANESE EXPRESSED THEIR ADMIRATION FOR THE SMOOTH CONTINUITY OF THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IN SUCH A TIME OF POTENTIAL CONFUSION AND CRISIS. 2. AMONG SUDANESE LEADERS TELEPHONING OR PERSONALLY SEEING THE AMBASSADOR OR THE DCM TO EXPRESS THEIR CONCERN WERE PRESIDENT GAAFAR NIMETRI, FIRST VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL ABDEL MAJID KHALIL, MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS MMDHAMED MIRGANI MUBARAK, MINISTER OF STATE FOR INTERNAL AFFAIRS AHMED ABDEL RAHMAN MOHAMED, ATTORNEY GENERAL DR. HASSAN ABDALLA EL TURABI, PEOPLE'S ASSEMBLY CONTROLLER DR. ABDEL HAMID SALEH AND CHAIR-MAN OF THE AMERICA'S SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COM-MITTEE SALMAN NASR. 3. WE ALSO RECEIVED MESSAGES OR EXPRESSIONS OF CONCERN FROM MOST OF THE RESIDENT AMBASSADORS, INCLUDING THOSE OF THE UK, FRG. PRC, LEBANDN, PAKISTAN AND SPAIN, AS WELL AS THE FRENCH AND EGYPTIAN CHARGES. AMBASSADOR FRANZ FREIHERR VON MENTZINGEN OF THE FRG'S SENTIMENTS WERE TYPICAL WHEN HE WROTET "I WISH TO EX-

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PRESS MY INDIGNATION AND SORROW ON THE VILE ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LIFE BY THIS LITTLE NOTE. THE SHOCK EVERYBODY FELT LISTENING TO THE NEWS THIS MORNING REFLECTS THE SYMPATHY WE HARBOUR FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE RESPECT FOR THE PRESIDENT." 4. CALLING ON BEHALF OF THE SUDANESE MEMBERS OF THE U.S. . SUDAN BUSINESS COUNCIL, VICE CHAIRMAN MOHAMED KHOGALI STATED, "ON BEHALF OF OUR CHAIRMAN. . . MYSELF AND THE SUDANESE MEMBERS . . I WISH TO EXPRESS OUR SHOCK AT THE ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LIFE. WE ARE PLEASED TO FOLLOW THE GOOD PROGRESS HE IS MAKING. WE ALL WISH HIM A SPEEDY RECOVERY." 5. SUDANESE TELEVISION AND RADIOD, AS WELL AS THE KHARTOUM NEWSPAPERS, DEVOTED CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION TO THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AND HIGHLIIGHTED AMBASSADOR KONTOS! CALL UPON PRESIDENT NIMEIRI THE MORNING OF THE ATTACK. THE MEDIA WAS CAREFUL TO NOTE THAT THE AMBASSADOR CALLED AT THE EXPRESS REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT. THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE OF SYMPATHY TO PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS ALSO PROMINENTLY COVERED. NEARLY TWENTY MINUTES OF TELEVISION TIME WAS GIVEN TO AMERICAN NEWS CLIPS, INCLUDING STATEMENTS BY VICE PRESIDENT BUSH, SECRETARY OF STATE HAIG AND A CBS ANALYSIS. SUDANESE NEWS NORMALLY DEVOTES DNLY ABOUT FIFTEEN MINUTES COVERAGE TO ALL INTERNATINAL NEWS. THE EXTENT OF COVERAGE GIVEN PRESIDENT REAGAN, WHICH IS CONTINUING, HAS BEEN EXCEEDED ONLY BY THAT GIVEN TO THE RELFASE OF THE EMBASSY HOSTAGES IN JANUARY. KONTOS

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E.O. 12065: N/A

TAGS: PLOS PPDC

SUBJECT: EXPRESSIONS OF CONCERN FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. IN AN INFORMAL PLENARY MEETING OF THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE ON MARCH 31 THE REPRESENTATIVE OF ISRAEL (ROSENNE) EXPRESSED HIS SHOCK AND DEEP CONCERN AT THE ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LIFE AND EXPRESSED ISRAEL'S SINCERE WISHES FOR HIS SPEEDY AND COMPLETE RECOVERY.

2. THE PRESIDENT OF THE LOS CONFERENCE, TOMMY KOH (SINGAPORE) MADE A SIMILAR STATEMENT AND REQUESTED THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON BEHALF OF ALL DELEGATIONS TO CON-VEY THESE SENTIMENTS TO PRESIDENT REAGAN AND HIS FAMILY. KIRKPATRICK

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COL VP MR SEA, NEA, FARRAR

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SITUATION: PRES SUBJECT CATAGORÝ: ASSASSIN

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MESSAGE: ROUTINE

> R 020341Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6317

UNCLAS PORT MORESBY 0526

TAGS: PGDV, PDIP, PP
SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR VICE PRESIDENT BUSH FROM SOLOMON ISLANDS PRIME
MINISTER KENILOREA
EMBASSY HAS BEEN ASKED TO CONVEY THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE
TO VICE PRESIDENT BUSH FROM SOLOMON ISLANDS PRIME MINISTER
KENILOREA. "SOLOMON ISLANDS GOVERNMENT IS DEEPLY SHOCKED
TO LEARN OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN'S
LIFE AND SHARES WITH YOU AND YOUR GOVERNMENT THESE
MOMENTS OF CONCERN. GRATEFUL YOU CONVEY MY GOVERNMENT'S
CONCERN TO MRS. REAGAN AND FAMILY AS WE PRAY TOGETHER AT
THIS TIME FOR GOD'S GRACE TO SEE THE PRESIDENT THROUGH TO
A SPEEDY RECOVERY, AS WELL AS FOR THE EARLY RECOVERY ALSO
OF THE OTHER INJURED PERSONS".

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> R 020340Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6316

UNCLAS PORT MORESBY 0525

TAGS: PGOV, PDIP, PP
SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR VICE PRESIDENT BUSH FROM SOLOMON ISLANDS
GOVERNOR GENERAL DEVESI
EMBASSY HAS BEEN ASKED TO CONVEY THE POLLOWING MESSAGE
TO VICE PRESIDENT BUSH FROM SOLOMON ISLANDS GOVERNOR—
GENERAL, SIR BADDELEY DEVESI. "IT WAS WITH GREAT SHOCK I
LEARNED OF THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON YOUR ESTEEMED
PRESIDENT, RONALD REAGAN. I SHOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU
WOULD ASSURE MRS. REAGAN THAT OUR THOUGHTS AND FEELINGS
ARE WITH HER IN THIS CRITICAL HOUR AS THE PEOPLE OF
SOLOMON ISLANDS JOIN MY WIFE AND I IN PRAYING FOR THE
PRESIDENT'S EARLY RECOVERY.

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COL VP MR

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> R 020308Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY SUVA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3424

UNCLAS SUVA 1271

ED 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC. XP SUBJ: MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY 1. THE AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MESSAGES FROM GOVERNMENT LEADERS IN THE REGION: 2. FROM G.K. CAKOBAU, GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF FIJI: MY FAMILY AND I WERE MOST SHOCKED TO LEARN OF THE ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND IT WAS A GREAT RELIEF THIS MORNING TO HEAR THAT HE IS RECOVERING. I SHOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU WOULD CONVEY TO THE PRESIDENT AND HIS FAMILY DUR SYMPATHY FOR THE ORDEAL THEY HAVE UNDERGONE AND DUR WARM GOOD WISHES FOR MR REAGAN'S SPEEDY RETURN TO HEALTH. 2. FROM WALTER HADYE LINI, PRIME MINISTER OF VANUATU: IT WAS WITH THE GREATEST CONCERN AND REGRET THAT WE LEARNT OF THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. PLEASE CONVEY TO THE PERSON OF THE PRESIDENT AND MRS REAGAN DUR CONCERN AND VERY BEST WISHES AND OUR PRAYERS FOR THE PRESIDENT'S FULL AND PROMPT RECOVERY. 4. FROM TOARIPI LAUTI, PRIME MINISTER OF TUVALUE IT IS WITH GREAT SHOCK AND A SENSE OF HORROR THAT WE LEARN OF THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN AND OF INJURIES SUSTAINED BY OTHERS. PLEASE CONVEY OUR SENTIMENTS TO THE PRESIDENT TOVETHER WITH THE SINCEREST WISHES OF MY GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF TUVALU THAT HE SHOULD MAKE A SPEEDY AND FULL RECOVERY. BODDE

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> R 020726Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4527

UNCLAS ISLAMABAD 04262

E.D. 12065; N/A TAGS: PPDC. PK SUBJ: MESSAGE FROM FSN EMPLOYEE ASSOCIATION ON ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN 1. THE CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT (PAKISTANI) EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION HAS ASKED THAT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE BE FORWARDED TO THE DEPARTMENT? QUOTE: THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT (PAKISTANI) EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (USGPEA) REPRESENTING ALL PAKISTANI EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. MISSION IN PAKISTAN HAS ASKED ME TO CONVEY THE DEEP SHOCK AND DISMAY AT YESTERDAY'S ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT IN WHICH PRESIDENT REAGAN AND THREE OTHER OFFICIALS WERE WOUNDED. THE EMPLOYEES HAVE EXPRESSED THEIR DEEP CONCERN AND INDIGNA-TION OVER THIS CRIMINAL ACT. QUOTE: WE HAVE RECEIVED THE NEWS OF PRESIDENT REAGAN'S SPEEDY RECOVERY WITH SATISFACTION AND WE WISH AND PRAY THAT HE WILL SOON BE OUT OF THE HOSPITAL AND RESUME HIS NORMAL FUNCTIONS. THE WORLD NEEDS A MAN OF PRESIDENT REAGAN'S COURAGE AND VISION AND WE DO HOPE THAT HE WILL CONTINUE TO GUIDE THE DESTINY OF THE FREE WORLD IN THE YEARS TO COME. UNQUOTE, HUMMEL

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COL VP MR FARRAR

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MESSAGE: ROUTINE

> R 020743Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8923

UNCLAS KUALA LUMPUR 1989

E. D. 12065; N/A TAGS: PPDC, MY SUBJ: GET WELL MESSAGES FOR PRESIDENT KUALA LUMPUR 1959 REF! 1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED ADDITIONAL OFFICIAL GET WELL MESSAGES FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN. CHARGE HAS WRITTEN TO THE SENDERS, THAN-KING THEM FOR THEIR KINDNESS. DIRECT PRESIDENTIAL RESPONSE TO TUNKU ABDUL RAHMAN MESSAGE (REFTEL) WOULD BE APPROPRIATE. 2. BEGIN TEXT (TELEGRAM): WE WISH TO EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY FOR THE UNFORTUNATE INCIDENT WHICH HAPPENED TO HIS EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT RONALD REAGON OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. WE WISH HIM A SPEEDY RECOVERY. DATUK LEE SAN CHOON MINISTER OF TRANSPORT AND PRESIDENT MCA. END TEXT. 3. BEGIN TEXT (TELEGRAM): I WISH TO EXTEND MY SYMPATHY FOR THE UNFORTUNATE INCIDENT OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATE OF AMERICA. I WISH HIM SPEEDY RECOVERY. DATUK DR. NED YEE PAN MINISTER OF HOUSING AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT. END TEXT. 4. CHARGE HAS EXPRESSED GRATITUDE FOR NUMEROUS MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY FROM DIPLOMATIC CROPS IN KUALA LUMPUR. IN ADDITION, THE RAJA MUDA (CROWN PRINCE) OF JOHORE STATE TELEPHONED CHARGE APRIL 1 TO EXPRESS SHOCK AND HOPE FOR THE PRESIDENT'S QUICK RECOVERY. BRECKON

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> P 021400Z APR 81 FM AMEMBAŠSY KAMPALA

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4/7/29

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIDRITY 2803

CONFIDENTIAL KAMPALA 0749

E.O. 12065: RDS-4 4/2/01 (HALSTED, DAVID) DREM
TAGS: APDC
SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT OBOTE
1. (U) EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM PRESIDENT OBOTE TO
PRESIDENT REAGAN. TEXT FOLLOWS:
DEAR MR. PRESIDENT,
IT WAS WITH THE DEEPEST SHOCK AND REGRET THAT I LEARNT OF
THE ATTEMPT ON YOUR LIFE YESTERDAY, BUT GIVE THANKS TO GOD
THAT IT WAS NOT SUCCESSFUL.
ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT OF UGANDA I SEND SYMPATHIES
ON YOUR INJURIES AND WARMEST WISHES FOR A SAFE AND SPEEDY
RECOVERY.
PLEASE CONVEY ALSO, GOOD WISHES FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF UGANDA
TO THOSE OF YOUR STAFF WHO WERE INJURED IN THE DASTARDLY
ATTACK, FOR A COMPLETE RECOVERY.

/\$) A. MILTON OBOTE PRESIDENT

2. (U) LETTER WILL BE POUCHED TO AF/E.

3. Let embassy has also received oral message that yower!
MUSEVENI, president of the uganda patriotic movement and
LEADER OF AN ANTI-GOVERNMENT GUERRILLA GROUP, WISHES PRESIDENT REAGAN TO BE INFORMED OF HIS SYMPATHIES AND BEST
WISHES FOR A QUICK RECOVERY.
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COL VP MR FARRAR AF

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MESSAGE: ROUTINE

> R 020939Z ADR 81 FM AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6687

UNCLAS LIBREVILLE 0939

E.O. 12065: N/A
TAGS: PDIP, PGOV, US, GB
SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT BONGO TO PRESIDENT REAGAN
REF: LIBREVILLE 0929

WE HAVE NOW RECEIVED OFFICIAL COPY OF TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT BONGO TO PRESIDENT REAGAN AND FIND IT TO BE IDENTICAL WITH TEXT THAT APPEARED IN PRESS AS REPORTED REFTEL. FRENCH TEXT FOLLOWS:

"MONSIEUR LE PRESIDENT DES ETATS UNIS D'AMERIQUE.
"C'EST AVEC UNE TRES VIVE EMOTION QUE J'AI APPRIS CETTE
NUIT L'ATTENTAT ODIEUX DONT VOUS AVEZ ETE L'OBJET. IL S'AGIT LA
D'UN ACTE REVOLTANT QUE JE CONDAMNE ET QUI EST REGRETTABLE POUR
UN PAYS QUI EST UN MODECE DE DEMOCRATIE. JE SUIS D'AUTANT PLUS
CONSTERNE QUE JE DEVAIS AVOIR LE PLAISIR DE VOUS RENCONTRER TRES
PROCHAINEMENT. JE FORMULE AU NOM DU PEUPLE GABONAIS, DU PARTI
DEMOCRATIQUE GABONAIS, DE MON GOUVERNEMENT ET AU MIEN PROPRE MES
VOEUX LES PLUS ARDENTS DE PROMPT RETABLISSEMENT.

"TRES HAUTE CONSIDERATION.

"EL HADJ OMAR BONGO."
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COL VP MR

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> D 030945Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY YADUNDE

TO USINFO WASHOC IMMEDIATE

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8477

UNCLAS YADUNDE 2469

USICA FOR: PGM/P: PGM/PP; PGM/RC: VOA/PA. SECSTATE FOR AF/C. E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: N/A SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT AHIDJO TO REAGAN 1. FOLLOWING IS UNDFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF PRESIDENT AHIDJO'S MESSAGE WHICH APPREARED IN CAMEROON TRIBUNE APRIL 2, QUOTE IT IS WITH HEARTFELT EMOTION AND GREAT CONSTERNATION THAT WE HAVE LEARNED THE NEWS OF THE ATTEMPT WHICH WAS PERPE-TRATED AGAINST YOUR ILLUSTRIOUS PERSON. IN VIEW OF THIS ODIOUS ACT, AT LEAST CONDEMNABLE AND WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THE CAMERODNIAN PEOPLE ALL TOGETHER FEEL THE GREATEST INDIGNATION, I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS TO YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, ALL ASSURANCES OF OUR DEEP SYMPATHY AND ASK YOU TO ACCEPT THE WISHES WHICH WE FORMULATE WITH FERVOR, FOR YOUR PROMPT AND COMPLETE RECOVERY. VERY HIGH CONSIDERATION. UNQUOTE. 2. ORIGINAL FRENCHS MONSIEUR LE PRESIDENT. C'EST AVEC UNE VIVE EMOTION ET UNE GRANDE CONSTERNATION DQUE NOUS AVONS APPRIS LA NOUVELLE DE L'ATTENTAT QUI A ETE PERPETRE CONTRE VOTRE ILLUSTRE PERSONNE. DEVANT CET ACTE ODIEUX, POUR LE MOINS CONDAMNABLE ET A L'EGARD DUQUEL LE PEUPLE CAMERDUNAIS TOUT ENTIER EPROUVE LA PLUS GRANDE INDIGNATION, JE VOUDRAIS VOUS TEMOIGNER, MONSIEUR LE PRESIDENT, TOUTES LES ASSURANCES DE NOTRE PROFONDE SYMPATHIE

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ET VOUS PRIE D'ACCEPTER LES VOEUX AU AVEC FERVEUR NOUS FORMULONS POUR VOTRE PROMPT ET PARTAIT RETABLISSEMENT. TRES HAUTE CONSIDERATION. SIMMONDS

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> 0 031236Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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TO SECSTATE WASHOC IMMEDIATE 7983

INFO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM IMMEDIATE 0211

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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE NEW DELHI 06993 E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC. TZ SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR THE PRESIDENT FROM TANZANIAN PRESIDENT NYERERE UNDER COVER OF A DIPLOMATIC NOTE FROM THE TANZANIAN HIGH COMMISSION; EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM TANZANIAN PRESIDENT MWALIMU JULIUS K. NYERERE WHO HAS JUST COMPLETED A FIVE DAY VISIT TO INDIA. UNCLEAR FROM COVERING NOTE WHETHER MESSAGE HAS ALREADY BEEN SENT THROUGH OTHER CHANNELS. BEGIN TEXT. I WAS SHOCKED AND HORRIFIED TO HEAR OF THE ATTACK MADE UPON YOUR LIFE AND OF THE INJURIES SUFFERE ED BY YOURSELF AND YOUR PERSONAL STAFF AS WELL AS POLICE AND OTHER SECURITY PERSONNEL. IT IS SOME RELIEF TO KNOW THAT YOUR DWN INJURIES ARE NOT SO SERIOUS AS TO PREVENT A QUICK AND COMPLETE RECOVERY. THAT IS CERTAINLY MY OWN WISH FOR YOU, AND IN EXPRESS-ING IT I AM JOINED BY THE WHOLE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA. WE WISH FOR YOU PERSON-ALLY A SPEEDY RETURN TO FULL HEALTH, AND THE COMPORT OF KNOWING THAT YOUR INJURED FRIENDS AND SECURITY PERSONNEL ARE ALSO ON THE ROAD TO RECOVERY. WE ALSO EXPRESS OUR SYMPATHY TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ON THIS VERY DISTRESSING ATTACK ON THEIR ELECTED PRESIDENT, AND OUR HOPE THAT THE LEADER THEY HAVE CHOSEN FOR THE NEXT FOUR YEARS WILL NEVER AGAIN BECOME THE VICTIM OF THOSE WHO

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SEEK TO NUCCIFY AMERICA'S DEMOCRATIC PROCESSES. JULIUS K. NYERERE. END TEXT. BLOOD

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> P 031241Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIDRITY 8321

UNCLAS NOUAKCHOTT 01525

E.D. 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP, MR SUBJECT: MESSAGES FROM MAURITANIAN GOVERNMENT TO U.S. VICE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE HAIG FOLLOWING ARE UNDFFICIAL TRANSLATIONS TO TWO MESSAGES SENT FROM MAURITANIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO USG OFFICIALS 1 APRIL 1981. FROM PRIME MINISTER BNEIJARA TO VÍCE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH, BEGIN OUDTE! IT IS WITH PROFOUND EMOTION THAT WE LEARNED OF THE CRIMINAL ATTEMPTOIRECTED AGAINST THE LIFE OF PRESIDENT REAGAN. WHILE STIGMATIZING WITH FORCE AND INDIGNATION THIS SENSELESS ACTION ITS PERPETRTION, WE TAKE THIS SAD OCCASION TO DECLARE TO YOU, AS WELL AS TO PRESIDENT REAGAN, HIS FAMILY AND THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF AMERICA, THE SYMPATHY AND THE SOIDARITY OF THE MAURITANIAN PEOPLE. WE SINCERELY WISH A PROMPT RECOVERY TO PRESIDENT REAGAN, IN ORDER THAT HE MAY RETURN NORMALLY TO HIS ACTIVITIES OF THE HEAD OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE USA. OUR SYMPATHIES ARE EQUALLY WITH THE COLLABORATORS OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AFFECTED BY THIS ATTEMPT OF MURDEROUS MADNESS, TO WHOM WE WISH A SPEEDY RECOVERY! I WISH YOU TO ACCEPT, MR. VICE PRESIDENT, THE EXPRESSION OF MY SYMPATHY, AND MY HIGH CONSIDERATION. END QUOTE. 2. MESSAGE FROM MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND COOPERATION DULD ZAMEL TO SECRETARY OF STATE ALEXANDER HAIG, BEGIN QUOTE! IT IS WITH A PROFOUND BITTERNESS THAT WE LEARNED OF THE

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ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. I WOULD LIKE, IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF MAURITANIA, TO EXPRESS TO YOU ALL OUR SYMPATHY, AND OUR BEST WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY OF THE PRESIDENT AND HIS COLLABORATORS, AS WELL AS OUR SOLIDARITY WITH THE AMERICAN PEOLE DURING THIS PAINFUL TRIAL. END QUOTE. SCHRAGER

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> O 031340Z APRFC2 FM AMEMBASSY YADUNDE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8484

UNCLAS YADUNDE 2482

E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PEPR, CD, US SUBJECT (SYMPATHY MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FROM GUNT 1. NJSFSUAE FRIV PRESIDENT GOUKOUNI ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS RECEIVER IN KOUUSERI FROM CHADIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY MARCH 31 EMBASSY TRANSLATION FOLLOWS: 2. " IT IS WITH INDIGNATION THAT WE HAVE LEARNED OF THE ODIOUS ATTEMPT OF WHICH YOU WERE VICTIM ON MARCH 30. WE ARE HOEFUL THAT THE OPERATION WHICH YOU HAVE UNDERGONE WILL BE CROWNED WITH SUCCESS. IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF CHAD WE SEND OUR WARM WISHES FOR YOUR PROMPT RECOVERY SONXHAT YOU MAY CARRYOUT THE MANDATE WHICH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE EN-TRUSTED TO YOU. WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS OUR WISH TO SEE THE RAPID RESUMPTION AND STRENGTHENING OF PWOPERATIVE RXWATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES. MY VERY HIGH AND FRIENDLY CONSIDERATION. GOUKOUNI WEDDEYE , PRESIDENT OF THE TRANSITION GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNION AND CHIEF OF STATE OFHYHAD.K HORAN

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> R 021619Z APR 81 FM SEDUL/KOREA

TO ALEXANDER HAIG, SECRETARY OF STATE

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FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM COMMODORE SUNGHOON ROK NAVY: GREATLY SHOCKED AND SADDENED BY THE APPALING EVENT CANNOT HELP BEING ENRAGED AT THE TERRIBLE ATTEMPT. SINCEREST WISHES FOR MR REAGAN'S SPEEDY RECOVERY COMMODORE PACK SUNGHOON ROK NAVY

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> R 022009Z APR 81 FM AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8915

INFO AMEMBASSY QUITO 602

UNCLAS GUAYAQUIE 0557

ED 12065: N/A TAGS: PDIP EC SUBJ: EXPRESSIONS OF SUCIDARITY AND SYMPATHY AT ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN 1. CONGEN HAS RECD APPROX 20 CABLES AND LETTERS AND PERHAPS TWICE THAT MANY TELEPHONE CALLS AND PERSONAL EXPRESSIONS OF CONSTERNATION AT ATTACK AND/OR HAPPINESS THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN APPARENTLY IS RECUPERATING WELL. SEVERAL SYMPATHIZERS HAVE INDICATED THEY HAVE ALSO SENT CABLES OR LETTERS TO EMBASSY AND/OR WHITE HOUSE. USICA HAS REPORTED SIMILAR EDITORIAL AND COLUMNIST RESPONSE FROM LOCAL NEWSPAPERS. ALL SUCH COMMUNICATIONS ARE BEING APPROPRIATELY ACKNOWLEDGED. AMONG THOSE EXPRESSING SYMPATHY AND SOLIDARITY ARE PRESIDENTS OF INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL CHAMBERS, LOCAL BUSINESS LEADERS, A FEW POLITICAL FIGURES AND CHIEFS OF LOCAL CONSULATES. MATTHEWS

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> R 030843Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY DAKAR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7964

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON 1000 AMCONSUL MONTREAL 0110 AMEMBASSY MOSCOW 0191 AMEMBASSY DTTAWA 0208

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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE DAKAR 02631 E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PEPR, CAN, UR, US SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM UKRAINIAN EXILED GROUP 1. ON 2 APRIL AN INDIVIDUAL IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS DR. J.B. RUDNYCKJ. THE CANADIAN-BASED "CHARGE D'AFFAIRES" OF THE UKRAINIAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT IN EXITE (LOCATED IN LONDON; CAME TO EMBASSY TO EXPRESS HIS OWN AND HIS ORGANIZATION'S WISHES FOR THE SPEEDY RECOVERY OF PRESIDENT REAGAN. DR. RUDNYCKJ AND SEVERAL OTHER UKRAINS EXILES ARE ON A WORLD CRUISE ABOARD THE S.S. CANBERRA WHICH DOCKED IN DAKAR ON 2 APRIL. FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A LETTER LEFT BY DR. RUDNYCKJ: 2. BEGIN TEXT: ON THE ATLANTIC, APRIL 1, 1981; THZDU.S. EMBASSY IN DAKAR, SENEGAL; YOUR EXCELLENCY, IT WAS WITH SHOCK AND INDIGNATION THAT WE OF THE WORLD CRUISE 1981 LEARNED ABOUT THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT R. REAGAN IN WASHINGTON, D.C. THE OFFICIAL (SIC) OF THIS SAD NEWS IS ENCLOSED FOR YOUR FILES. -- ON BEHALF OF THE UKRANIAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT IN EXILE I WISH HEREWITH TO EXPRESS OUR SINCEREST CONCERN, SYMPATHY AND BEST WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY OF PRESIDENT REAGAN AND FURTHER SUCCESS IN HIS ARDUOUS

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TASK TO KEEP BALANCE AND DRDER IN DUR TROUBLED WORLD OF TOPAY. -- GOD SAVE THE PRESIDENT AND AMERICA. -- YOURS TRULY, J.B. RUDNYCKYJ END TEXT. 3. DR. RUDNYCKJ IS A CANADIAN CITIZEN LIVING IN MONTREAL AND RECENTLY RETIRED FROM TEACHING AT A CANADIAN UNIVERSITY. DEJARNETTE

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> R 030748Z APR 81 FM AMCONSUL SHANGHAI

TO SECSTATE WASHOC 0784

INFO AMEMBASSY BEIJING 1287 AMCONSUL GUANGZHOU 0457 AMCONSUL HONG KONG 0526

UNCLAS SHANGHAI 0557

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PPDC, SOPN, CH
SUBJECT: MESSAGES OF CONCERN ON ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION
THE CONSULATE GENERAL HAS THUS FAR RECEIVED 14 LETTERS AND
TLEGRAMS FROM CHINESE CITIZENS IN THE SHANGHAI AREA EXPRESSING
SHOCK AND CONCERN AT THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
REAGAN. WE ARE ACKNOWLEDGING THEM LOCALLY.
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> R 031354Z APR 81 FM AMEMBASSY NICOSIA

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E.O. 12065: N/A TAGS: PPDC SUBJECT: MESSAGES ON PRESIDENT'S SURVIVAL OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT 1. AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED MANY TELEPHONE CALLS, TELE-GRAMS AND LETTERS CONDEMNING ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON PRESIDENT REAGAN AND EXPRESSING PLEASURE AT PRESIDENT'S SURVIVAL. FOREIGN MINISTER ROLANDIS EXPRESSED "DELIGHT" AT PRESIDENT'S SURVIVAL, AND REQUESTED AMBASSADOR TO CONVEY TO THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE "WARMEST WISHES FOR PERSONAL WELLBEING AND THE CONTINUED PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY OF THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN PEOPLE." 2. FOREIGN MINISTRY DIRECTOR GENERAL PELAGHIAS ALSO ASKED THAT AMBASSADOR TRANSMIT TO THE PRESIDENT HIS "GREAT RELIEF" AND DELIGHT "WITH THE NEWS OF THE EXCELLENT PACE OF YOUR RECOVERY." 3. MESSAGES IN SIMILAR VEIN HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM ALECOS MICHAELIDES, PRESIDENT OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTA-TIVES! LELLOS DEMETRIADES, MAYOR OF NICOSIA! GLAFCOS CLERIDES, PRESIDENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC RALLY PARTY AND FORMER ACTING PRESIDENT OF CYPRUS! AND NICOS DIMITRIOU, FORMER GOC AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S. AND CURRENTLY PRESIDENT OF THE CYPRUS AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. 4. WE UNDERSTAND FROM LOCAL MEDIA THAT PRESIDENT KYPRIANOU, "TESC PRESIDENT" DENKTASH, AND "TESC FOREIGN MINISTER" ATAKOL HAVE SENT TELEGRAMS DIRECTLY TO PRESIDENT REAGAN. STONE

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