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THE WHITE HOUSE
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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 03, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. CESAR ARELLANO

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING ELECTIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8604126

Date March 5, 1986

For: VADM John M. Poindexter
National Security Council
The White House

Reference:

To: The President From: Mr. Cesar Arellano

Date: 1/31/86 Subject: Philippine Elections

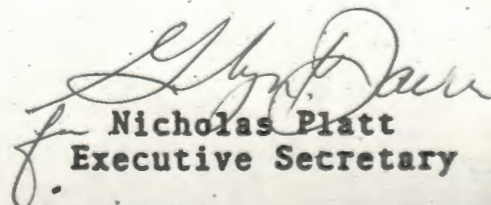
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 The attached item was sent directly to the
Department of State

Action Taken:

- A draft reply is attached.
- A draft reply will be forwarded.
- A translation is attached.
- XXX An information copy of a direct reply is attached.
- We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below.
- The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel.
- Other.

Remarks:


Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 5, 1986

Mr. Cesar Arellano
Chairman,
Movement for a Free Philippines
2825 West Montrose Avenue
Chicago IL 60618

Dear Mr. Arellano:

I am pleased to reply on behalf of the President to your telegram dated January 31 concerning U.S. policy toward the recent Philippine election.

The U.S. maintained strict neutrality in those elections while consistently urging that they be free and fair. Nevertheless, the elections were marred by widespread fraud and violence and the results were not credible to the Filipino people.

The events following the elections and leading to the transition to a new government in the Philippines are now history. The U.S. moved quickly to recognize the new Government of the Philippines. The U.S. now stands ready to assist as appropriate in Filipino efforts to restore peace and prosperity to their country.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of John D. Finney in cursive script.

John D. Finney
Acting Director
Office of Philippine Affairs

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE
REFERRAL

FEBRUARY 7, 1986

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 374736
MEDIA: TELEGRAM, DATED JANUARY 31, 1986
TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN
FROM: MR. CESAR ARELLANO
CHAIRMAN
MOVEMENT FOR A FREE PHILIPPINES
2825 WEST MONTROSE AVENUE
CHICAGO IL 60618

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING ELECTIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN
TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE
UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

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(OR DRAFT) TO:
AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE

SALLY KELLEY
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

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PMS PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN

WHITE HOUSE DC 20500

PHILIPPINE ELECTIONS OUTCOME WILL BE TWO GOVERNMENTS. MARCOS WON BY CHEATING HAVING PREPARED COMPUTERIZED RESULTS OF HIS RE-ELECTION. AQUINO WON BY LANDSLIDE THRU MANDATE OF MASSES. WE MUST EMBRACE THE AQUINO GOVERNMENT BY ANY MEANS FOR DEMOCRACY SAKE.

CESAR ARELLANO CHAIRMAN MOVEMENT FOR A FREE PHILIPPINES

2825 WEST MONTROSE AVE

CHICAGO IL 60618

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

00125

DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 11, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GUS MERCADO

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS
IN THE PHILIPPINES

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)	ACTION		DISPOSITION	
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8605145Date March 5, 1986

For: VADM John M. Ppindexter
National Security Council
The White House

Reference:To: President ReaganFrom: Mr. Gus MercadoDate: 2/9/86Subject: Philippine ElectionsReferral Dated: 2/18/86ID# 375797

(if any)

 The attached item was sent directly to the
Department of State

Action Taken: A draft reply is attached. A draft reply will be forwarded. A translation is attached.

XXX

 An information copy of a direct reply is attached. We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below. The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel. Other.Remarks:

Nicholas Platt
for Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 5, 1986

Mr. Gus Mercado
President,
Filipino Americans for Freedom and Democracy
3928 Medina Drive
Plano TX 75074

Dear Mr. Mercado:

I am pleased to reply on behalf of the President to your telegram dated February 9 concerning U.S. policy toward the recent Philippine election.

The U.S. maintained strict neutrality in those elections while consistently urging that they be free and fair. Nevertheless, the elections were marred by widespread fraud and violence and the results were not credible to the Filipino people.

The events following the elections and leading to the transition to a new government in the Philippines are now history. The U.S. moved quickly to recognize the new Government of the Philippines. The U.S. now stands ready to assist as appropriate in Filipino efforts to restore peace and prosperity to their country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "John D. Finney".

John D. Finney
Acting Director

Office of Philippine Affairs

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

REFERRAL

FEBRUARY 18, 1986

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:

DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 375797

MEDIA: TELEGRAM, DATED FEBRUARY 9, 1986

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM: MR. GUS MERCADO
PRESIDENT
FILIPINO AMERICANS FOR FREEDOM
AND DEMOCRACY
3928 MEDINA DRIVE
PLANO TX 75074

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS
IN THE PHILIPPINES

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PMS PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN

WHITE HOUSE DC 20500

DEAR SIR: RIGHT BEFORE THE EYES OF THE WORLD, FERDINAND MARCOS HAS COMMITTED ALL IMAGINABLE FRAUD AND TERRORISM TACTICS TO KEEP HIMSELF IN POWER IN THE PHILLIPINES. THIS MOCKERY OF DEMOCRACY WAS A SHOCK TO FREE COUNTRIES AND ALL FREEDOM LOVING PEOPLE.

IT WAS VERY CLEAR IN THE EYES OF THE WORLD THAT CORY AQUINO CANNOT BE DENIED HER TRIUMPH. IN SPITE OF ALL THE BLATANT AND MASSIVE FRAUD COMMITTED BY THE MARCOS GOVERNMENT, AQUINO IS STILL LEADING IN THE CITIZENS POLL WATCHERS BODY WHICH IS NOW BEING DISCREDITED BY MARCOS, BUT HEAVILY SUPPORTED BY SENATOR LUGAR IN THE INDEPENDENT OBSERVERS.

AQUINO IS CLEARLY THE POPULAR CHOICE OF THE PHILLIPINO PEOPLE BUT THE MACHINATIONS OF THE FORCES OF EVIL ARE TRYING HARD BY ALTERING VOTE TALLYS TO DENY HER AND THE COUNTRY THE CHANGE WHICH IN THE WORLD OPINION COULD ONLY BENEFIT THE COUNTRY AND THE FREE WORLD.

DEAR SIR, YOU ARE THE ONLY PERSON FERDINAND MARCOS WILL LISTEN TO. PLEASE PREVAIL UPON HIM TO CALL OFF THE EVIL INSTRUMENTS OF HIS MACHINERY AND ACCEPT DEFEAT GRACEFULLY FOR THE SAKE OF PEACE AND TO PREVENT ANYMORE BLOODSHED, AND THE GREAT DANGER OF REVOLT WHICH WILL CREATE TREMENDOUS SUFFERING AMONG THE PHILLIPINO PEOPLE. PLEASE HELP AND TRY TO CONVINCHE HIM BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE. WE ASSURE YOU THAT CORAZON AQUINO WILL BE A BETTER FRIEND OF AMERICA. SHE WILL RESURRECT THE AMERICAN DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES WHICH FERDINAND MARCOS HAS TRAMPLED UPON.

GUS MERCADO, PRESIDENT OF THE PHILLIPINO AMERICANS FOR FREEDOM AND
DEMOCRACY

3928 MEDINA DR

PLANO TX 75074

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 11, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. HEHERSON ALVAREZ

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS
IN THE PHILIPPINES

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT
TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8604862 / 8606546

Date March 6, 1986

For: VADM John M. Poindexter
National Security Council
The White House

Reference:

To: President Reagan

From: Mr. Heherson Alvarez

Date: 2/9/86 and 2/22/86

Subject: 1. Philippine Elections

2. Urge Marcos to leave

WH Referral Dated: 2/14/86 and 2/28/86

NSC ID# 375820 / 377925
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Department of State

Action Taken:

_____ A draft reply is attached.

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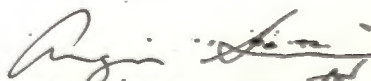
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proposed travel.

_____ Other.

Remarks:


Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary

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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 6, 1986

Mr. Heherson Alvarez
President,
Ninoy Aquino Movement for Freedom,
Justice, Peace and Democracy
141 East 55th Street, Suite 4H
New York NY 10022

Dear Mr. Alvarez:

I am pleased to reply on behalf of the President to your telegrams dated February 9 and February 22, the first concerning U.S. policy toward the recent Philippine election and the second asking the U.S. to intercede to urge former President Marcos to step down.

The U.S. maintained strict neutrality in those elections while consistently urging that they be free and fair. Nevertheless, the elections were marred by widespread fraud and violence and the results were not credible to the Filipino people.

The events following the elections and leading to the transition to a new government in the Philippines are now history. The U.S. moved quickly to recognize the new Government of the Philippines. The U.S. now stands ready to assist as appropriate in Filipino efforts to restore peace and prosperity to their country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "John D. Finney". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J".

John D. Finney
Acting Director
Office of Philippine Affairs

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

REFERRAL

FEBRUARY 13, 1986

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:

DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 375820

MEDIA: MAILGRAM, DATED FEBRUARY 9, 1986

TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN

FROM: MR. HEHERSON ALVAREZ
PRESIDENT
NINYO AQUINO MOVEMENT FOR FREEDOM
JUSTICE PEACE AND DEMOCRACY
SUITE 4H
141 EAST 55TH STREET
NEW YORK NY 10022

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS
IN THE PHILIPPINES

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SALLY KELLEY
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

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PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN
WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON DC 20500

DEAR MR PRESIDENT

IN THE NAME OF THE UNITED DEMOCRATIC OPPOSITION (UNIDO) UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF MRS CORAZON AQUINO WITH DOCTOR SALVATORE LAUREL AND ALL FREEDOM-LOVING FILIPINOS, I WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST YOUR GOOD OFFICE TO GIVE PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE CURRENT PRESIDENTIAL VOTE COUNT IN THE PHILIPPINES. THE TREND, IN SPITE OF REPORTS OF FRAUD AND TERRORISM, INDICATES REASONABLE EXPECTATIONS OF VICTORY FOR THE DEMOCRATIC OPPOSITION.

AMONG MANY FILIPINOS AND FILIPINO-AMERICANS, AND ESPECIALLY WITHIN THE DEMOCRATIC OPPOSITION, THERE IS A WELL FOUNDED CONCERN THAT THE BALLOT TALLY MAY BE CAST ASIDE. SUCH AN ACT COULD PROVOKE CIVIL STRIFE WITH ITS DESTABILIZING LONG-TERM CONSEQUENCES IN THE SOUTHEAST ASIAN REGION. I WOULD LIKE TO ASK YOU MOST RESPECTFULLY TO CONSIDER HAVING YOUR GOVERNMENT INTERCEDE WITH THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT TO CONTINUE THE TALLY OF THE VOTES, TO SAFEGUARD THE INTEGRITY OF NAMFREL (NATIONAL MOVEMENT FOR FREE ELECTIONS) IN THE DISCHARGE OF ITS FUNCTION TO MAKE AN INDEPENDENT COUNT OF THE VOTES.

MORE SPECIFICALLY, PRESIDENT MARCOS CAN BE ASKED TO CONSTITUTE A BI-PARTISAN NATIONAL COUNCIL TO BE COMPOSED OF MEMBERS OF THE PHILIPPINE PARLIAMENT AND REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE MOSLEM COMMUNITY, THE LEADERSHIP OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES AND THE BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS. SUCH A COUNCIL CAN ACT TO STUDY AND ANTICIPATE THE PROBLEMS OF AN ORDERLY AND PEACEFUL TRANSITION OF AUTHORITY THROUGH NEW GOVERNMENT.

THE ORGANIZATION OF THAT COUNCIL WOULD ALLAY THE FEARS AND ANXIETY OF A PEOPLE DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT ITS SOVEREIGN WILL MIGHT BE FRUSTRATED.

DURING THIS CRITICAL MOMENT IN THE PHILIPPINES THE COUNCIL WILL BE AN EFFECTIVE VEHICLE TO AVERT THE HARSH POLARIZATION OF PHILIPPINE SOCIETY AND ITS PLUNGE TOWARDS POLITICAL DISCORD THAT COULD THREATEN THE PEACE IN THE ASIAN PACIFIC REGION.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR RESPONSE TO THIS REQUEST. OUR TELEPHONE NUMBER IS 2126888033 AND THE ADDRESS OF THE NAM ELECTION CENTER IS 141 EAST 55 STREET SUITE 4H NEW YORK CITY, NY 10022. COPY FURNISHED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO MICHAEL ARMACOST AND JOHN MAISTO AND IN THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL GASTON SEGUR AND

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ROBERT F. BROWNE, PRESIDENT
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20000

DEAR PRESIDENT

TO REPLY BY MAILGRAM MESSAGE/PHONE WESTERN UNION ANYTIME, DAY OR NIGHT:
LEADERSHIP OF THE DEMOCRATIC OPPOSITION MOVEMENT WITH A VIEW TO THE
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STAIRS WITH ITS ESTABLISHING LONG-TERM COMMITMENT IN THE
AFTER ACTION, I WOULD LIKE TO ASK YOU MOST HEARTILY TO CONSIDER
HAVING YOUR GOVERNMENT INTERCEDE WITH THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT
CONCERNING THE TALKS OF THE VOTES, TO SAFEGUARD THE INTERESTS OF
GENERAL NATIONAL MOVEMENT FOR THE PHILIPPINES TO MAKE AN
FUNCTION TO MAKE AN INDEPENDENT COURT OF THE VOTES.

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SUCH A COUNCIL CAN ACT TO STUDY AND ANTICIPATE THE PHILIPPINE
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A PEOPLE, EARLY CONCERNED THAT ITS SOVEREIGNTY WAS AT RISK.

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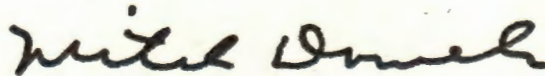
Dear Mr. Brown:

On behalf of the President, I would like to thank you for your recent correspondence regarding the presidential elections in the Philippines.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to the appropriate officials at the Department of State for their benefit and consideration.

I sincerely appreciate your sharing your views with the Administration.

Sincerely,



Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr.
Assistant to the President
for Political and Intergovernmental Affairs

Mr. Jeff Brown
Public Defender
850 40th Avenue
San Francisco, California 94121

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PMS PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN

WHITE HOUSE DC 20500

AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN AND AS AN ELECTED OFFICAL, I AM SHOCKED AND
DISMAYED BY THE PHILIPPINO ELECTIONS. OUR TAX DOLLARS CAN NOT BE
POURED INTO AN ARROGANT DICTATOR WHO VIOLATES CIVIL RIGHTS AND
FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS.

THE TIME TO ACT IS NOW-BEFORE THE COMMUNISTS GAIN GROUND.

CC: ALEX ESCAMADO

JEFF BROWN

PUBLIC DEFENDER
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DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 12, 1986

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JONG KEUN YOU

SUBJECT: WRITES IN REGARD TO THE PHILIPPINES
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

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S/S 8605338Date March 6, 1986

For: VADM John M. Poindexter
National Security Council
The White House

Reference:

To: President Reagan From: Mr. Jong Keun You

Date: 2/11/86 Subject: Philippine Elections

Referral Dated: 2/19/86 ID# 375913
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 The attached item was sent directly to the
Department of State

Action Taken:

- A draft reply is attached.
- A draft reply will be forwarded.
- A translation is attached.
- XXX An information copy of a direct reply is attached.
- We believe no response is necessary for the reason
cited below.
- The Department of State has no objection to the
proposed travel.
- Other.

Remarks:

Katherine M. Fitzgerald
for
Nicholas Platt
Executive Secretary



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 5, 1986

Mr. Jong Keun You
Acting President,
Korean Institute for Human Rights
26 South Warren Street
Trenton NJ 08608

Dear Mr. Jong:

I am pleased to reply on behalf of the President to your telegram dated February 11 concerning U.S. policy toward the recent Philippine election.

The U.S. maintained strict neutrality in those elections while consistently urging that they be free and fair. Nevertheless, the elections were marred by widespread fraud and violence and the results were not credible to the Filipino people.

The events following the elections and leading to the transition to a new government in the Philippines are now history. The U.S. moved quickly to recognize the new Government of the Philippines. The U.S. now stands ready to assist as appropriate in Filipino efforts to restore peace and prosperity to their country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John D. Finney".

John D. Finney
Acting Director
Office of Philippine Affairs

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TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN
FROM: MR. JONG KEUN YOU
ACTING PRESIDENT
KOREAN INSTITUTE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS
26 SOUTH WARREN STREET
TRENTON NJ 08608

SUBJECT: WRITES IN REGARD TO THE PHILIPPINES
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN
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PMS PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN
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MR PRESIDENT, I RESPECTFULLY URGE YOU TO DO YOUR BEST TO PERSUADE
PRESIDENT MARCOS OF THE PHILIPPINES TO ACCEPT THE VERDICT OF HIS
PEOPLE AND VOLUNTARILY STEP DOWN. IF THE U.S. ACQUIESCES MR MARCOS'
BRAZEN ATTEMPT TO STAY IN POWER BY MANIPULATING THE VOTE COUNT, THE
FILIPINOS AND MANY 3RD WORLD NATIONS WILL BE CONVINCED THAT THE U.S.
DOES NOT CARE ABOUT THEIR DEMOCRATIC ASPIRATIONS AND WILL TURN
AGAINST THE U.S. IN PARTICULAR, BOTH THE RULING PARTY AND THE
OPPOSITION IN THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA ARE WATCHING THE PHILIPPINE
ELECTION AND HOW THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT HANDLES IT WITH A GREAT DEAL

OF INTEREST. WHAT YOU HAVE RECENTLY DONE WITH THE HAITIAN GOVERNMENT
HAS INSPIRED ALL DEMOCRATS IN KOREA AND AROUND THE WORLD. PLEASE DO
NOT LET THEM DOWN.

SINCERELY,

JONG KEUN YOU, ACTING PRESIDENT
KOREAN INSTITUTE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS
26 SOUTH WARREN ST
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