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UNCLAS BUENOS AIRES 2342

DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS TO SECRETARY'S AIRCRAFT

E.O. 1265: N/A

TAGS: PBUR, BA UK FA

SUBJECT: GOA INITIATES OAS MACHINERY FOR RIO TREATY INVOCATION

1. FONMIN COSTA MENDEZ APPEARED WITHOUT PRIOR ANNOUCEMENT ON NATION

TV AT ABOUT 8:40 LOCAL APR 19 TO REPORT TO NATION ARGENTINA

IS ASKING FOR A MEETING OF THE OAS TO CONSIDER STEPS FOR INVOCATION

OF RIO TREATY TO DEAL WITH THREAT OF BRITISH NAVAL ATTACK. TERMS
OF ARGENTINE REQUEST TO REGIONAL BODY, AS HEARD, ARE NOT PRECISE.

2. COSTA MENDEZ OPENED OPENED HIS PRESENTATION WITH UPBEAT
DESCRIPTION OF IDEAS SECRETARY IS CARRYING TO WASHINGTON,
CALLING THEM FAIR PROPOSALS, HE SAID THE SHOULD PROVIDE FRAMEWORK
FOR PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE MALVINAS DISPUTE.

3. THE THE FACT IS, HE NOTED, THAT THE BRITISH FLEET IS STILL
PROCEEDING TOWARDS THE ISLANDS AND TO DEAL WITH THE THREAT, GOA
HAD ASKED ITS REPRESENTATIVE IN WASHINGTON TO FORMALLY REQUEST
MEETING OF PERMANENT COUNCIL (AGAIN AS HEARD).

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E.O. 12065: N/A

TAGS: AR, UK, FA

SUBJ: LA RAZON ACCOUNT OF GOA PROPOSALS

1. GOA ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF A DOCUMENT INCORPORATING ARGENTINE PROPOSALS FOR A SETTLEMENT AND TRANSMITTED TO UK FOR CONSIDERATION WAS BANNERED IN LA RAZON OF APR 19. PROVISIONS OF THE ARGENTINE PACKAGE WERE SHIRTTAILED TO A LONG INTERVIEW WITH AF JUNTA MEMBER LAMI-DOZO AT EZEIZA AIRPORT AROUND MID-DAY, WHILE FINAL TALKS IN PROGRESS IN THE NATIONAL PALACE. RAZON'S HEADLINES QUOTE L-D AS SAYING US-ARGENTINE WORKING GROUPS ARE EDITING A "CONCILIATORY DOCUMENT" WHICH "HAIG WOULD CARRY TO RESOLVE CRISIS."

2. SUBHEADS: "WE ARE NEARING A SOLUTION WITH THE HELP OF THE US, PRESERVING ARGENTINE INTERESTS" AND "INSTALLATION OF A TRANSITION ARGENTINE-BRITISH ADMINISTRATION UNTIL THE END OF THE YEAR." FINALLY, "OUR FLAG WILL FLY."

3. THERE FOLLOWS A LONG Q&A WITH L-D SAYING THE QUESTION OF ARGENTINE SOVEREIGNTY OVER THE ISLANDS "IS NOT AND NEVER WAS A SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION" IN THE TALKS. "IT'S MY UNDERSTANDING THAT SOVEREIGNTY NEVER WAS ON THE NEGOTIATING TABLE," ASKED IF THE NEGOTIATIONS COULD LAST LONG, HE SAID "THEY CAN'T GO ON INDEFINITELY; I DON'T BELIEVE IT WILL BE MONTHS; THEY SHOULD COME TO A CLIMAX IN THE COMING DAYS."

4. RAZON'S STORY, ALL ON FRONT PAGE, CONTINUES AS FOLLOWS, ATTRIBUTED TO MILITARY SOURCES:

5. "THE DOCUMENT THE SECRETARY WILL CARRY WITH HIM SYNTHESIZES THE FINAL ARGENTINE POSITION, WHICH INCLUDES THE INSTALLATION IN THE MALVINAS OF A TRANSITORY ARGENTINE-BRITISH ADMINISTRATION UNTIL THE END OF THIS YEAR, DURING WHICH TIME THE NEGOTIATIONS SHOULD CONTINUE."

6. "DURING THIS PERIOD OF TRANSITION, THE FLAGS OF ARGENTINA AND BRITAIN WILL BE FLOWN, BUT ONLY AT THE JOINT ADMINIS-

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TRATION'S HEADQUARTERS SITE. THERE WOULD BE A THIRD FLAG, THAT OF THE US, WHICH WILL BE RAISED OVER THE US DELEGATION HEADQUARTERS THAT WILL ASSUME THE ROLE OF OVERSEER OR GUARANTOR OF THE TRANSITION PERIOD.

7. "IN THE DOCUMENT THERE ALSO IS A REQUEST (INSTANCIA) TO BROADEN THE ISLAND COUNCIL THAT UNTIL NOW HAS BEEN MADE UP OF SEVEN REPRESENTATIVES OF THE POPULATION. ACCORDING TO THE ARGENTINE PROPOSAL, THAT REPRESENTATION WOULD BE DOUBLED, AS THE RESULT OF THE INCORPORATION OF SEVEN ARGENTINE DELEGATES.

8. "IN THE WORKING PAPERS PREPARED BY THE ARGENTINE DELEGATION INTO THE LATE HOURS OF LAST NIGHT, THERE ALSO WAS FEATURED THE DECISION TO INCLUDE IN THE DOCUMENT A PARAGRAPH THAT WILL DETERMINE THAT, STARTING DEC. 31, 1982, WHATEVER THE COURSE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS (ON SOVEREIGNTY), THE ARGENTINE FLAG WOULD BE THE ONLY ONE RAISED OVER THE ISLANDS GOVERNMENT HEADQUARTERS.

9. "BY THESE MEANS, THE DOCUMENT THAT SUMMARIZES THE ARGENTINE POSITION, DRAWN UP AT THE END OF THREE CONSECUTIVE DAYS OF EXHAUSTING DISUCSSIONS WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE, DOES NOT DIFFER SUBSTANTIALLY FROM TERMS SET FORTH BY THE (ARGENTINE) GOVERNMENT AT THE OPENING OF THE TALKS.

10. "AS WAS EXPLAINED, THOSE NEGOTIATING TERMS CANNOT BE ALTERED WHILE ACTS OF AGGRESSION ARE MAINTAINED BY THE THATCHER GOVERNMENT, SUCH AS THE DISPATCH OF THE BRITISH FLEET AND THE NAVAL BLOCKADE OF THE ISLANDS. ONLY IF THERE ARE NEW DEVELOPMENTS COULD THERE BE CHANGES IN THE EGOTIATING POSITIONS (PUNTOS DE NEGOCIACION), SAID THE SOURCE IN OBVIOUS ALLUSION TO THE POSSIBILITY OF SOME SORT OF MILITARY INCIDENT."

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STATE FOR PA AND PA/PRESS DEPARTMENT PASS NCS FOR JUDGE

CLARK, AND WHITE HOUSE FOR MR. SPEAKES

ICA FOR PGM DIRECTOR HUGHES

E.O. 12065: N/A

SUBJECT: PRESS BRIEFING BY STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN DEAN FISHER AT 3:00 A.M. ON APRIL 19. IN BUENOS AIRES

OPENING STATEMENT:

TOMORROW WE HOPE TO CONCLUDE THIS PHASE OF THE TALKS.

I WILL BE GLAD TO TAKE ANY QUESTIONS THAT YOU MAY HAVE.

Q: (INAUDIBLE)... THIS PHASE OF THE TALKS.

A: THIS PHASE OF THE TALKS, MEANING THE TALKS THAT WE HAVE BEEN CONDUCTING IN BUENOS AIRES.

Q: WILL HE BE GOING ON TO LONDON THEN FOLLOWING THAT TOMORROW?

A: I CAN'T AT THIS POINT ANNOUNCE ANY PLANS FOR TRAVEL BUT WE PLAN TO DO SO TOMORROW... TO ANNOUNCE PLANS REGARDING TRAVEL TOMORROW.

Q: DOES THE SECRETARY FEEL THAT THERE HAS BEEN ANY PROGRESS MADE IN THE NEGOTIATIONS?

A: WELL, ONCE AGAIN I JUST CANNOT CHARACTERIZE THE TALKS IN TERMS OF PROGRESS OR LACK OF PROGRESS, BUT I AGAIN REPEAT WE HOPE TO CONCLUDE OUR TALKS, THIS PHASE OF OUR TALKS TOMORROW.

A: AND WHERE ARE THEY GOING TO BE, AT PINK HOUSE?

A: AT CASA ROSADA, THE TALKS WILL BE THERE.

A: (GARBLED)

A: AGAIN I HAD BETTER RESERVE ANY ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING THE NEXT PHASE IN THIS PROCESS UNTIL TOMORROW.

A: DEAN, DID GENERAL WALTERS GO BACK TO WASHINGTON AND IF SO, WHY,

A: NO, HE DID NOT BUT I AM NOT AT LIBERTY TO DISCLOSE

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HIS TRIP PLANS.

Q: BUT HE LEFT THIS EVENING?

A: YES, MY UNDERSTANDING IF HE LEFT THIS EVENING,
IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS PROCESS, BY THE WAY.

Q: (UNINTELLIGIBLE. SOUNDS LIKE IT MAY HAVE BEEN
A QUESTION AS TO WHETHER GEN. WALTERS' TRIP HAD T DO
WITH EL SALVADOR).

A: I HAVE NO COMMENT TO MAKE ABOUT THIS...

Q: (BEGINNING OF THE SENTENCE UNINTELLIGIBLE)...
CAST CHARACTERS BE THE SAME TOMORROW AS TODAY.

A: I BELIEVE THAT THE SAME CAST OF CHARACTERS WILL
BE PRESENT TOMORROW THAT PARTICIPATED TODAY.

Q: HAS THERE BEEN ANY CONTACT WITH LONDON TODAY?

A: YOU SAY HAS THERE BEEN ANY CONTACT WITH LONDON
TODAY, NO, NOT TOMY KNOWLEDGE BECAUSE THE SECRETARY
I BELIEVE HAS BEEN TIED UP IN MEETINGS FOR FULLY
TWELVE HOURS TODAY.

Q: DID HAIG TALK WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM THE PINK
HOUSE? (QUESTION VERY FAINT)

A: NO, I DON'T BELIEVE THERE WERE ANY CONTACTS WITH
PRESIDENT REAGAN.

Q: DEAN, CAN YOU CHARACTERIZE SECRETARY HAIG'S
PERSONAL MOOD, IF YOU CAN'T CHARACTERIZE THE TALKS?

A: AT THIS POINT HE'S QUITE TIRED!

Q: IS HE OPTIMISTIC?

A: NO, AGAIN THIS GETS, THIS TRIES TO PUT ME IN A
POSITION I THINK OF CHARACTERIZING THE TALKS AND THIS I'M
NOT GOING TO DO.

Q: YOU SAID THE CAST OF CHARACTERS DEAN, WHO ARE YOU
TALKING ABOUT?

A: WELL, FROM THE AMERICAN SIDE IT WILL AGAIN BE THE
SECRETARY, TOM ENDERS, NOT GENERAL WALTERS, WHO DID
IN FACT LEAVE THIS EVENING, AMBASSADOR SHLAUDEMAN...

Q: DOES MR. HAIG GO BACK TOMORROW OR NOT?

A: GO BACK TOMORROW?

Q: YES, TO THE STATES...

A: I SAID I COULDN'T AT THIS POINT ANNOUNCE ANY
TRAVEL PLANS FOR TOMORROW.

Q: (QUESTION INAUDIBLE).

A: THERE WERE NONE DURING THE DAY BUT AS USUAL, AS
IS USUAL THE SECRETARY WILL BE KEEPING THE PRESIDENT VERY
CLOSELY INFORMED ON WHAT WENT ON TODAY.

Q: WILL HAIG MEET THE MILITARY JUNTA TOMORROW?
WITH ANAYA AND LAMI DOZO AS WELL AS GALTIERI...

A: I DON'T KNOW SPECIFICALLY IF HE WILL MEET WITH THE
JUNTA TOMORROW OR NOT.

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Q: NO, LET ME JUST ANSWER THIS GENTLEMAN'S QUESTION. IN ADDITION TO THE SECRETARY, I WILL INCLUDE ASSISTANT SECRETARY ENDERS, AMBASSADOR SHLAUDEMANN AND, ALTHOUGH THEY DON'T PARTICIPATE IN EVERY SINGLE SESSION THAT HAS BEEN HELD, THE SECRETARY'S ADVISORS DAVID GOMPERT AND SCOTT GUDGEON ALSO PARTICIPATE.

Q: AND ON THE ARGENTINE SIDE?

A: THOSE NAMES YOU'LL HAVE TO GET FROM THE ARGENTINIANS.

Q: WAS THE ISSUE OF SOVEREIGNTY DISCUSSED?

A: I'M NOT GOING TO SPECIFY WHAT SPECIFIC AREAS WERE DISCUSSED.

Q: IS THE SECRETARY BEING CHECKED BY A DOCTOR AT ALL?

A: CHECKED BY A DOCTOR? Q: TWELVE HOURS OF TALKS, TRIPLE BYPASS OPERATION A

COUPLE OF YEARS AGO, IS HE IN ANY WAY BEING CHECKED BY A DOCTOR? I DON'T MEAN TO IMPLY THAT HE'S SICK, IS THERE A DOCTOR, ANYWAY, WITH YOU ALL?

A: THERE'S A DOCTOR WITH US, BUT THE ANSWER IS HE'S NOT BEING CHECKED.

Q: DEAN, YOU MENTIONED THAT YOU HOPE TO CONCLUDE THIS PHASE TOMORROW-- ARE WE LOOKING AT -- OBVIOUSLY YOU'RE SAYING THE PHASE AS WELL ANOTHER PHASE-- ARE WE LOOKING AT.. ANOTHER PHASE AFTER, THAT WILL BRING YOU BACK HERE AGAIN TO BUENOS AIRES?

A: I REALLY CAN'T PREDICT THAT FAR IN ADVANCE. I DID SAY THAT WE EXPECT THIS PHASE TO BE COMPLETED TOMORROW AND ANY TRAVEL PLANS TOMORROW WE WILL ANNOUNCE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Q: CAN YOU TELL US HOW MANY MORE PHASES THERE ARE?

A: NO, NO I CAN NOT.

Q: DEAN, IS THERE... WITHOUT US EXPECTING YOU TO GIVE US A COMPLETE LIST OF THE ARGENTINES THEY'LL BE TALKING TO, COULD YOU GIVE US A GENERAL IDEA OF WHO HE WILL BE TALKING TO?

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STATE FOR PA AND PA/PRESS, DEPARTMENT PASS NCS FOR JUDGE CLARK,
AND WHILTE HOUSE FOR MR. SPEAKES

ICA FOR PGM DIRECTOR HUGHES

A: WELL, I INDICATED EARLIER TODAY THAT THEY FOREIGN
MINISTER HAS PARTICIPATED IN THE TALKS AS WELL AS OTHER
OFFICIALS OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY.

Q: AND GALTIERI?

A: WHETHER OR NOT GALTIERI PARTICPATED IN THESE TALKS
TODAY I DO NOT KNOW.

Q: MR. FISHER, THE NATIONAL PRESS HERE SEEM TO
INDICATE THIS MORNING THAT THIS AFTERNOON SEEMED TO
INDICATE THAT THERE HAD NOT BEEN A GREAT DEAL OF
PROGRESS IN THE TALKS SO FAR. THERE SEEMS TO BE A
GENERAL FEELING, HOW WOULD YOU ASSESS THAT KIND OF
COVERAGE IN TERMS OF ACCURACY?

A: I THINK WE HAVE TO AWAIT THE OUTCOME OF THE TALKS
BEFORE MAKING VALUE JUDGEMENTS ABOUT HOW THEY ARE
PROGRESSING.

Q: DO YOU EXPECT THE TALKS TO BE WRAPPED UP
WUICKLY TOMORROW OR DO YOU EXPECT TO BE HERE FOR A LONG
TIME?

A: THAT I CANNOT ANSWERE TONIGHT.

Q: WILL THE TALKS TOMORROW AT 9:30 BE UPEN-ENDED AS
THEY WERE TODAY?

A: YES, I'M NOT AWARE THAT THEY HAVE ESTABLISHED ANY
PRESENT DEADLINE FOR THEM.

Q: WERE ANY NEW PROPOSALS DISCUSSED TODAY?

A: WELL, THIS IS A PROCESS IN WHICH IDEAS ARE BEING
DISCUSSED CONSTANTLY. WHEN YOU SPEAK OF NEW PROPOSALS...
IT'S A GIVE AND TAKE KIND OF A PROCESS IN WHICH IDEAS
AND FORMULATIONS AND VARIATIONS OF IDEAS ARE INTRODUCED INTO

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THE DIALOGUE CONSTANTLY.

Q: ARE THESE... THESE ARE NEW SUGGESTIONS AND PROPOSALS FROM GENERAL HAIG RATHER THAN FROM?

A: NO, NO, I WOULDN'T CHARACTERIZE THE DISCUSSIONS IN THAT WAY- IT'S A DIALOGUE.

Q: ARE THESE NEW PEOPLE THAT HE'S TALKING TO?

A: ARE THEY NEW PEOPLE HE'S TALKING TO? I'M SORRY I DON'T QUITE UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU MEAN?

Q: IN TERMS OF THERE ARE DIFFERENT PEOPLE THAT HE'S TALKING TO, FROM IN TERMS OF LAST NIGHT.

A: YEAH, I ADDRESSED THAT EARLIER TODAY.

IN ADDITION TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIALS WITH WHOM HE STARTED THESE MEETINGS, THERE HAVE BEEN REPRESENTATIVES OF THE JUNTA.

Q: DEAN, ARE YOU AWARE OF DISSENT ON THE ARGENTINE SIDE AMONG THE PEOPLE WHO ARE TALKING TO THE U.S. TEAM?

A: NO, I'M NOT.

Q: ARE AWARE OF... THERE BEING A LACK OF CONSENSUS... ARE THEY IN AGREEMENT?

A: THE ARGENTINIANS? NO, I'M NOT AWARE OF DISSENT OR LACK OF DISSENT. I THINK THAT'S A QUESTION THAT SHOULD BE PUT TO THE ARGENTINIANS.

Q: THE PRESS IS USING THE WORD "STALMATE" WHEN TALKING ABOUT THE TALKS, WOULD YOU SAY THERE'S ANYTHING TO THAT OR IS THAT NOT CORRECT?

A: THAT SEEMS TO ME TO BE A CHARACTERIZATION WHICH I'M NOT PREPARED TO MAKE.

Q: THE TALKS WENT ON UNTIL VERY LATE, UNTIL VERY EARLY THIS MORNING

A: INDEED THEY DID

Q: (UNINTELLIGIBLE)

A: OH, I CAN'T SAY SPECIFICALLY WHO DECIDED THEY SHOULD BE STOPPED UNTIL THE RESUMPTION TOMORROW, BUT I THINK, LOOKING AT THE WATCH, IT'S WHAT, TEN PAST THREE, TWELVE HOURS OF TALKS IS A LOT OF TALKING FOR ONE DAY. IT WAS PROBABLY A MUTUAL AGREEMENT THAT THEY DEFER UNTIL TOMORROW.

Q: WERE THEY NONSTOP TALKS, DEAN, DO YOU KNOW OR DID THEY STOP OR WHAT...

A: THERE WERE SOME BREAKS IN THE COURSE OF THE DISCUSSIONS, INsofar AS DINNER IS CONCERNED, MY UNDERSTANDING IS THAT THERE WERE SANDWICHES SERVED AT THEIR CONVENIENCE OR WHOEVER WANTED THEM THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND THE EVENING.

Q: WHEN YOU SAY THAT THERE WERE SOME BREAKS, WERE THEY LONG BREAKS OR...

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A: NO, NO NOT LONG...

Q: SO THE MEETING WENT ON TWELVE HOURS OF VIRTUALLY NON-STOP TALKS.

A: THAT'S CORRECT...

Q: (INAUDIBLE)

A: WELL, I SIMPLY SAID THAT THE TALKS WILL RESUME AT 9:30 IN THE MURNING AND THAT WE EXPECT THAT TOMORROW'S TALKS WILL CONCLUDE THIS PHASE OF THE DISCUSSIONS.

Q: (INAUDIBLE)

A: I'M SORRY.. YOU MEAN FOLLOWING TOMORROW? THAT REMAINS TO BE SEEN BUT WE WILL ADDRESS THAT TOMORROW,

Q: (INAUDIBLE)

A: YEAH, BUT I EXPECT TO BE ABLE TO ANNOUNCE TRAVEL TIMES TOMORROW.

Q: WILL THERE BE AN AIRPORT STATEMENT AT YOUR DEPARTURE TOMORROW?

A: I WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED BECAUSE THAT'S THE SECRETARY'S CUSTOMARY PRACTICE.

Q: DEAN, DID YOU CHARACTERIZE THE TALKS AT ALL?

A: NO: I DID NOT. THEY WERE LONG.

Q: (INAUDIBLE)

A: THAT I HAVE TO DEFER UNTIL TOMORROW.

Q: WHEN YOU TALK ABOUT TOMORROW DO YOU MEAN TODAY?

A: WELL, I BEG YOUR PARDON, IT IS, OF COURSE, LATER TODAY.

THANK YOU.

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SUBJECT: STATEMENT BY SECRETARY AT CARACAS, VENEZUELA
11:25 P.M. LOCAL TIME-AFTER MEETING WITH VENEZUELAN
FOREIGN MINISTER ZAMBRANO

1. BEGIN STATEMENT

MR. ZAMBRANO AND I HAVE JUST HAD A DETAILED EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON THE SITUATION IN THE SOUTH ATLANTIC. I TOLD THE MINISTER, ON THE QUESTION OF BUENOS AIRES, THAT WE WENT TO BUENOS AIRES AT THE INVITATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF ARGENTINA WITH SOME NEW IDEAS WITH WHICH TO DEAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 502. WE HAD DETAILED EXCHANGES THERE; WE RECEIVED SOME ADDITIONAL VIEWS AND IDEAS FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF ARGENTINA WHICH WE HAVE TRANSMITTED TO LONDON. WE'RE IN THE PROCESS OF HAVING COMPLETED THAT STAGE OF THE ACTIVITY WE'VE BEEN INVOLVED IN AND I WILL NOW RETURN TO WASHINGTON TO DISCUSS THE SITUATION WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN AND TO AWAIT FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

2. Q. DO YOU VIEW A POSSIBLE ARGENTINE CALL FOR AN OAS MEETING AS A POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE SIGN?

3. A. I DON'T WANT TO COMMENT ON EITHER THE POSITIVE OR THE NEGATIVE SIDE OF THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT'S ACTIVITY (INAUDIBLE)

4. Q. WHY DID YOU STOP IN CARACAS TWICE?

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5. A. A CLEARLY THIS IS THE PLACE TO STOP FOR REFUELING OF THE AIRCRAFT. IT PROVIDED ALSO A VERY CONVENIENT OPPORTUNITY TO EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH MY COLLEAGUE MR. ZAMBRANO ON THE SITUATION. AND I MUST SAY I NOTED WITH SOME INTEREST THE SPECULATION THAT FOLLOWED OUR INITIAL DISCUSSION HERE ON MY LAST LEG. SOME OF THE SPECULATION WAS TOTALLY DEVOID OF ANY BASIS IN FACT.

WE HAD NO DISCUSSIONS ABOUT ANYTHING AT THAT TIME OTHER THAN THE SITUATION IN THE SOUTH ATLANTIC; PLUS SOME OTHER DISCUSSIONS ABOUT OUR MUTUAL CONCERNS ABOUT THE SITUATION IN CENTRAL AMERICA. SO I AM COMEWHAT PUZZLED AND SURPRISED TO SEE THAT SPECULATION HERE.

6. END STATEMENT. HAIG

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SUBJ: FALKLANDS DISPUTE: PYM TO WASHINGTON

1. MRS. THATCHER ANNOUNCED APRIL 20, TO A PACKED COMMONS THAT QUESTIONED HER ON THE FALKLANDS, THAT FOREIGN SECRETARY PYM WOULD GO TO WASHINGTON ON THURSDAY TO PUT FORWARD BRITISH PROPOSALS TO SECRETARY HAIG. SHE SAID SHE WOULD REPORT IN DETAIL ON THE LATEST "ARGENTINE" PROPOSALS ONLY AFTER PYM'S RETURN. SHE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT THEY FALL SHORT IN SOME IMPORTANT RESPECTS OF BRITISH OBJECTIVES, AND IN PARTICULAR FAIL TO PROVIDE THAT THE FALKLANDERS SHOULD BE ABLE TO DETERMINE THEIR OWN DESTINY. MRS. THATCHER PRAISED THE SECRETARY'S EFFORTS, AND TURNED ASIDE A CALL FOR U.S. SANCTIONS AGAINST ARGENTINA BY NOTING THE NEED FOR THE U.S. TO RETAIN ITS CREDIBILITY THERE WHILE NEGOTIATIONS WERE UNDERWAY.

2. MRS. THATCHER WAS FIRMLY IN COMMAND AND HAD THE HOUSE WITH HER. SHE EMPHASIZED THE DIPLOMATIC PROCESS, BUT NOTED THAT THE FLEET CONTINUES ON ITS WAY, THAT SEEMED TO SATISFY THE HOUSE, WHERE THERE WERE FEW BELLIGERENT

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