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TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S TRIP TO PEKING

FOR AMBASSADOR

1. YOU ARE AUTHORIZED AS OF OCTOBER 4 TO INFORM PRESIDENT PARK CONFIDENTIALLY THAT THE SECRETARY WILL VISIT PEKING OCTOBER 19 THROUGH 23. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT WILL BE MADE AT 12 NOON, WASHINGTON TIME, OCTOBER 6.

2. YOU SHOULD NOT SPECULATE ABOUT OUTCOME OF VISIT WHICH WILL BE PREPARATORY TO PRESIDENT'S TRIP LATER THIS YEAR. AS WE HAVE PREVIOUSLY INFORMED THE KOREANS, THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP WAS AGREED TO BY BOTH SIDES WITHOUT CONDITIONS OR PRIOR UNDERSTANDING AS TO ITS OUTCOME. KISSINGER

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2. NOTING THAT VISIT WOULD BEGIN ON EVE OF SCHEDULED FIRST COMMITTEE DEBATE ON KOREAN QUESTION, CHOE PROBED HARD FOR ANY INDICATION OF SECRETARY'S INTENTION TO DISCUSS KOREAN ISSUES DURING VISIT AND FOR ANY INDICATION THAT SUCH DISCUSSION MIGHT LEAD TO CHANGE IN USG POSITION. IN ACCORDANCE INSTRUCTIONS CHARGE DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON SUBJECT.

3. CHOE THEN ASKED THAT ROKG BE INFORMED SOONEST OF RESULTS OF ANY DISCUSSION ON KOREAN QUESTION WHICH MIGHT TAKE PLACE WHILE SECRETARY IN PEKING. CHARGE SAID HE ASSUMED THAT WOULD BE USG INTENTION, BUT THAT HE WOULD PASS REQUEST TO WASHINGTON, ERICSON

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FOR HABIB FROM AMBASSADOR

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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S TRIP TO EAST ASIA

1. I ASSUME THAT YOU HAVE GIVEN CONSIDERATION TO POSSIBILITY OF REPEATING 1973 PROCEDURE OF HAVING SECRETARY VISIT SEOUL AFTER PEKING TRIP AND THAT EVEN BRIEF STOPOVER DIFFICULT TO ARRANGE. WHILE WE HAVE NOT YET HEARD OFFICIALLY FROM KOREANS, PAST TRACK RECORD INDICATES THEY WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE DISAPPOINTED AND PARTICULARLY SENSITIVE TO DUAL STOPOVER IN TOKYO.

2. AS LESS PREFERABLE ALTERNATIVE TO BRIEF STOP BY THE SECRETARY HERE, I WOULD STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT YOU MAKE QUICK VISIT, EVEN FOR A FEW HOURS, FOLLOWING VISIT TO PRC. IF THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE, ONE ALTERNATIVE IS FOR ME TO BE BRIEFED IN TOKYO ON ANY DISCUSSIONS REPKOREA OR OTHER ASPECTS OF PRC VISIT WHICH WE DESIRE TO TRANSMIT TO PRESIDENT PARK. I REALIZE THAT TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY WILL PROBABLY BE SUFFICIENT TO COVER SUBSTANCE, BUT, FROM VIEWPOINT OF KOREAN LEADERS, PERSONAL BRIEFING WILL HAVE SYMBOLIC IMPACT -- EVEN THOUGH OBVIOUSLY SECOND BEST TO YOUR COMING HERE.
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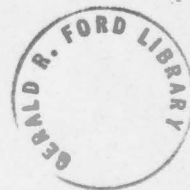
FURTHER TO REFTEL, OUR PLANNING IS TO SEND SOMEONE, POSSIBLY MYSELF, TO SEOUL TO BRIEF THE KOREANS ON THE SECRETARY'S VISIT TO PEKING. WE WILL LET YOU KNOW DEFINITELY AS SOON AS PLANS JELL. KISSINGER

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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM HABIB

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1. VERY MUCH APPRECIATE CONSIDERATIONS REFTEL AND HAVE THEM VERY MUCH IN MIND.

2. THERE IS NO POSSIBILITY THAT SECRETARY WILL BE ABLE TO GO VISIT SEOUL AFTER PEKING. NOR CAN WE, AT THIS TIME, DETERMINE WHAT AVENUE WE WILL USE TO CONVEY TO KOREANS SUBSTANCE OF ANY DISCUSSIONS IN PEKING ON KOREA. WE WILL KEEP THE ALTERNATIVES YOU HAVE SUGGESTED IN MIND AND WILL BE IN TOUCH WITH YOU. KISSINGER

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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO PEKING

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FOR AMBASSADOR ONLY

1. YOU MAY INFORM BLUE HOUSE ON CONFIDENTIAL BASIS THAT
HABIB WILL BRIEF PRESIDENT PARK IN SEOUL AFTER PEKING
VISIT.

2. YOU SHOULD SEEK APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT PARK FOR
MORNING OF OCTOBER 24. HABIB WILL DEPART IMMEDIATELY
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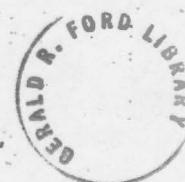
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1. I INFORMED BLUE HOUSE CONFIDENTIALLY ABOUT HABIB'S VISIT TO SEOUL AS SET FORTH REFTL. SENIOR PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY KIM CHONG YUM EXPRESSED GREAT APPRECIATION. HE SAID APPOINTMENT WOULD BE ARRANGED MORNING OCT 24, DESPITE UN DAY HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS THAT DAY. BLUE HOUSE TO PROVIDE EXACT TIME ON OCT 20. I MUCH WELCOME HABIB'S VISIT HERE AND AWAIT FULL ITINERARY.

2. SUBSEQUENTLY DURING MORNING OCT 18 MEETING WITH PRESIDENT PARK AND CONGRESSWOMAN HOLT, PRESIDENT COMMENTED ON FORTHCOMING VISITS BY SECRETARY AND PRESIDENT FORD TO PEKING AS WELL AS RECENTLY REPORTED JAPANESE INTERVENTIONS ON KOREAN PROBLEM. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION BY HOLT, PRESIDENT PARK EMPHATICALLY STATED THAT HE HAD NO RPT NO CONCERNS ABOUT EITHER THE SECRETARY'S OR THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO PEKING. WHILE HE HAS NOT BEEN CONSULTED ON SUBSTANCE OF DISCUSSIONS WITH PRG, HE IS FULLY CONFIDENT THAT BOTH USG AND ROKG ARE AWARE OF EACH OTHER'S VIEWS ON KOREAN ISSUES, INCLUDING UNGA PROBLEM, AND ARE IN FULL AGREEMENT. HE IS ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN USG WILL NOT

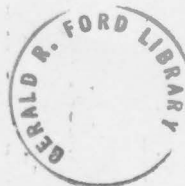
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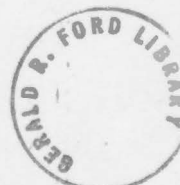
3. PARK, ON THE OTHER HAND, WAS HIGHLY CRITICAL OF REPORTED JAPANESE EFFORTS TO ARRANGE PRIVATE MEETING BETWEEN SECRETARY AND NORTH KOREANS DURING PEKING TRIP. SUCH A MEETING WITH THE NORTH KOREANS, HE VIEWED, WOULD BE NOT ONLY UNPRODUCTIVE, BUT BE USED BY PYONGYANG TO ENHANCE ITS PRESTIGE AND ISOLATE ROKG. I REAFFIRMED TO PRESIDENT OUR COMMITMENT TO CONSULT WITH ROKG IN EVENT WE HAD ANY INTENTION TO TALK DIRECTLY WITH NORTH KOREANS AND ASSURED HIM, AS FAR AS I KNEW, WE HAD NO RPT NO INTENTION TO DO SO AT PRESENT TIME FOR VERY REASONS CITED BY HIM.

4. PARK THEN SHARPLY CRITICIZED REPORTED MIYAZAWA SUGGESTION TO UN SEC GEN WALDHEIM TO FOSTER DIRECT US-NK TALKS (TOKYO 14853). HE CATEGORIZED MIYAZAWA'S STATEMENT AS HARMFUL AND UNHELPFUL PARTICULARLY AT THIS PRESENT JUNCTURE IN UNGA CONSIDERATION OF KOREAN ITEM. HE ADDED JAPANESE HAVE ERRONEOUS IDEA THAT THEY CAN ACT AS GO-BETWEEN FOR US AND OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES BECAUSE THEY ARE LEADER OF ASIAN NATIONS. BUT, IN FACT, ASIANS DO NOT WANT GOJ AS GO-BETWEEN AND SUCH A ROLE WOULD NOT BE USEFUL.

5. IN RESPONSE TO FURTHER QUESTIONS BY CONGRESSWOMAN HOLT, PARK TOLD HER THAT ROKG DID NOT EXPECT MILITARY ASSISTANCE FROM JAPAN AND IN FACT FEARED A REMILITARIZED JAPAN, PARTICULARLY WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS, AS SERIOUS THREAT TO STABILITY AND PEACE OF EAST ASIA. BUT KOREANS AND OTHER ASIANS DID LOOK FOR MORE ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE TO THEM AND SUFFICIENT JAPANESE MILITARY STRENGTH TO DEFEND ITSELF. AGAIN AS LONG AS JAPANESE DO NOT HAVE NUCLEAR WEAPONS. HE ALSO CONSIDERED BASIC COURSE OF JAPANESE FOREIGN POLICY UNCLEAR, CITING GOJ EFFORTS TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS WITH NORTH KOREANS DESPITE ROK-GOJ TREATY RECOGNIZING ROKG AS ONLY LAWFUL GOVERNMENT IN KOREA.

6. COMMENT: INHERENT KOREAN SUSPICIONS ABOUT JAPAN

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