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EYES ONLY FOR AMBASSADOR HELMS FROM ADMIRAL MOORER

1. I TENTATIVELY PLAN TO ARRIVE IN TEHRAN ON ~~THE~~ AFTERNOON OF SUNDAY, 7 APRIL, TO ATTEND CENTO MEETINGS COMMENCING, TUESDAY, 9 APRIL.

2. AS YOU KNOW, KITTY HAWK TASK GROUP WILL BE IN THE ARABIAN SEA. I HAVE UNDER CONSIDERATION INVITING THE SHAM AND GENERAL AZHARI, PLUS OTHER OFFICIALS SUGGESTED BY YOU, ON BOARD FOR A VISIT OF FOUR TO SIX HOURS TO INCLUDE FLIGHT OPERATIONS ON MONDAY, 8 APRIL, WITH POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVE DATE OF 11 OR 12 APRIL. THIS INVITATION SUBJECT TO CLEARANCE WITH SECSTATE WHO IS RETURNING TO WASHINGTON TODAY.

3. I WOULD APPRECIATE VERY MUCH YOUR COMMENTS AND GOOD ADVICE.

4. WARM REGARDS.

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ESD NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER DURING WORKING HOURS ONLY.

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