25 October 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation with Dr. Brzezinski, 24 October 1979 (U)

1. Dr. Brzezinski reported on the Soviet response (presumably in Geneva) to our demarche about the activation of a simultaneous operation of air defense and ABM radars at Sari Shagan between July and September. The Soviets confessed that they had done this. They claimed that it was coincidental, not deliberate. They provided wording in the ABM agreement (and presumably its November 1978 supplement) which they claim made the events not a violation; and they said they would not let it happen again.(S)

<ol><li>Dr. Brzezinski is going to Algiers shortly for the 25th anniversary of the Algerian Revolution. (C)</li></ol>	′ 25X1

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