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## PAKISTAN AND AFGHANISTAN

Feb. 5, 1960

AFGHAN-SOVIET TRADE PROTOCOL SIGNED

TO SOUTHCAST ASIA

Kabul, Afghan International Service in English, Feb. 4, 1960, 1530 GMT--M

(Summary) The protocol on the exchange of goods agreement between Afghanistan and the Soviet Union was signed the afternoon of Feb. 4 at the royal Afghan Ministry of Commerce. Afghan Minister of Commerce Gola Mohammed Shirzad signed the document on behalf of Afghanistan and Kuzmin, deputy minister of foreign trade, signed for the Soviet Union.

After signing the protocol, Kuzmin expressed his satisfaction at the signing of this agreement. He added that the agreement was signed in an atmosphere of cordiality. This is another step for bringing the two neighborly countries closer together. Under the agreement Afghanistan will send wool, cotton, sheepskins, (grapefruit?), linseed, and dried fruit to the Soviet Union, which will send to Afghanistan farming machinery

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## INDIA, CEYLON, AND NEPAL

Feb. 5, 1960

FINAL RESULTS IN KERALA ELECTIONS

Delhi, ISI, in English Morse to Abroad, Feb. 5, 1960, 0830 GMT--B

(Excerpts) With the announcement of the final results in the mid-term elections in Kerale late on the night of Feb. 4, the United front of the Congress, PSP, and Moslem League ended up with a final tally of 94 in the 127 member Kerala state assembly. The final party position will thus be: triple alliance 94--Congress 63, PSP 20, and Moslem League 11, Communist 26 and Communist-sponsored independents 3, RSP, 1, Karnataka Osamiti, 1, and unattached independent one. The assembly also includes an Anglo-Indian to be nominated by the governor to represent the community.

The three parties constituting the alliance had polled over 4,337,000 votes, about 53 percent of the total 8.19 million, while the communists, together with the independents sponsored by them polled 3.55 million votes, working out to 43 percent of the total pooled.

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