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SUBJECT: ARAB-ISRAELI STRAITS EXCHANGE IN COMMITTEE II

1. AT INFORMAL MEETING OF CMTE II, 25 MAR 75 AM, ISRAEL STATED ITS SUPPORT OF FREE TRANSIT FOR ALL STRAITS INCLUDING BOTH THOSE CONNECTING HIGH SEAS TO HIGH SEAS AND THOSE CONNECTING HIGH SEAS TO TERRITORIAL SEA OF FOREIGN STATES. (COMMENT: WITH A 12-MILE TERRITORIAL SEA, TIRAN AND AQABA FALL INTO THE LATTER CATEGORY.) ISREAL ARGUED THAT ART 16(4) OF 1958 TERRITORIAL SEA CONVENTION ESTABLISHED PRINCIPLE OF EQUALITY OF TREATMENT FOR ALL TYPES OF STRAITS AND REMINDED DELEGATES TO BE MINDFUL OF SPECIAL PROBLEMS CREATED BY GULFS WHICH HAVE SEVERAL BORDERING STATES AND WHOSE ENTRANCE IS CONTROLLED BY A STRAIT.
2. PREDICTABLE ARAB REACTION OCCURRED, WITH UAE POINTING OUT THAT ARAB STATES HAD NOT RATIFIED TERRITORIAL SEA CONVENTION AND THAT CONFERENCE SHOULD DEAL ONLY WITH ISSUES WHICH AFFECT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY SUCH AS STRAITS CONNECTING HIGH SEAS TO HIGH SEAS. STRAITS CONNECTING HIGH SEAS TO TERRITORIAL SEAS ARE A SPECIAL CASE THE CONFERENCE SHOULD NOT DEAL WITH.
3. IRAN SUPPORTED UAE AND MADE ADDITIONAL PLEA FOR RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL NEEDS OF STATES BORDERING SEMI-ENCLOSED SEAS, WITH THE FLAG VESSELS OF SUCH STATES ENJOYING FREE TRANSIT WHILE FLAG VESSELS OF STATES NOT BORDERING SUCH SEAS WOULD HAVE RIGHT OF INNOCENT PASSAGE.
4. EGYPT REAFFIRMED ITS POSITION ANNOUNCED AT CARACAS THAT INNOCENT PASSAGE SHOULD APPLY IN ALL

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STRAITS, WITH PASSAGE OF COMMERCIAL VESSELS PRESUMED INNOCENT. AS REGARDS MILITARY VESSELS, EGYPT OPPOSED ANY PRESUMPTION OF INNOCENCE ON GROUNDS LDOS HAVE LIMITED MILITARY CAPABILITY AND SECURITY MUST BE THEIR PRIMARY CONCERN.

5. COMMENT: IT IS UNCLEAR WHETHER EXCHANGE HAS SIGNIFICANCE BEYOND REITERATING ESTABLISHED POSITIONS FOR THE RECORD SINCE ALL INTERVENTIONS WERE RELATIVELY LOW KEY. DALE

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INDIA

Meanwhile, a well-known Soviet oil expert, Professor Kalinin, has said that it has now been proved beyond a doubt that the Bombay High area has big oil deposits. He had expressed the opinion that more regions in the Bombay shelf will yield substantial quantities of oil in the near future. India, he added, has never been so near to its goal of self sufficiency in oil as at present.

LAW OF SEA MEETING 'LIKELY UNPRODUCTIVE'

Bombay TIMES OF INDIA in English 20 Mar 75 p 6 BK

[Editorial: "No Accord in Sight"]

[Text] On present showing, the current round of the International Conference on the Law of the Sea in Geneva is likely to prove as unproductive as the one held in Caracas last August. This is because the task of framing a new maritime law is a matter not so much of legal niceties as of power politics. Despite the rhetoric about exploiting the immense food and mineral wealth of the oceans for the welfare of all the peoples of the world, most countries are pressing the demands which they consider most advantageous in their national interests. The interests of the developed nations and those of Third World countries in particular differ sharply. The main controversial issue is the kind of jurisdiction a coastal state is to have over the 200 mile economic zone next to its shore. The Third World countries want extensive control while the developed nations feel that this will in effect mean the creation of a 200 mile territorial sea. This is not all. Even where there is a 12-mile territorial sea, countries with big shipping interests and large navies will prefer the coastal states concerned to give them total freedom of navigation. The coastal states in turn want to exercise control over their narrow sea-lanes, especially in regard to the passage of warships. Again, the less developed countries are keen on effective anti-pollution safeguards while the more developed nations are at best halfhearted about these. Serious differences also divide the landlocked countries from those which have direct access to the seas.

The consultations that have taken place between the participating countries since the Caracas meeting have failed to produce an agreement on any of the major issues. This is evident from the hint given by a British minister that in the absence of an accord certain countries may choose to go ahead unilaterally to exploit the riches of the oceans. This is not altogether surprising. The technologically advanced countries have already invested vast sums of money in the exploration of off-shore oil resources and have also drawn up ambitious plans to mine for cobalt, copper, nickel and manganese in the deep ocean floor much of which lies in the proximity of the 200-mile economic zones belonging to other nations. The strategic and commercial interests of many small nations are likely to be threatened even more seriously if the big powers insist on exercising some control over straits waters. In view of all this the deliberations at Geneva cannot possibly make much headway unless the advanced countries adopt a more reasonable attitude. The prospects seem none too bright at the moment.

BRIEFS

TEA DELEGATION--New Delhi, Mar 27 (PTI)--A trade delegation led by Mr Vishwanath Pratap Singh, deputy minister of commerce, left for Indonesia yesterday to discuss a common approach to all matters relating to trade of tea. The delegation will also visit Singapore, Malaysia and Thailand. Being the founder chairman of the pepper community, the deputy commerce minister will hold discussions both in Indonesia and Malaysia to sort out various problems about the future of the community. The discussions will include the question of allocation of headquarters of the community and various other matters. [Bombay PTI in English 0133 GMT 27 Mar 75 BK]

MUJIBUR RAHMAN ADDRESSES INDEPENDENCE DAY RALLY

Dacca Domestic Service in Bengali 0958 GMT 26 Mar 75 BK

[Speech by President Sheikh Mujibur Rahman at a public meeting in Suhrawardy Uddan on occasion of the independence day anniversary of Bangladesh--live]

[Summary] Brothers and sisters: On 25 March 1971 the bandit Pakistani forces attacked the people of Bangladesh. They killed millions of people. I prepared the people of the country beforehand and when the actual attack began I asked them to meet the challenge with whatever they had in their possession. The people of Bangladesh fought with their blood and won their freedom. "No country in the world has shed much blood for their freedom as the people of Bangladesh have done. Not only that, but the Pakistanis destroyed everything in order to cripple us. Ten million of my people took shelter in India and we must express our gratitude to them." I pay homage to all my countrymen who sacrificed their lives for the sake of the country in those days.

Before the Pakistani soldiers left Bangladesh, they murdered the Bengali intelligentsia in Dacca and other places. Their belief was that without the intelligentsia and resources Bangladesh would not be able to keep its independence but "Bangladesh's independence has been preserved. Bangladesh has maintained its sovereignty. Its flags are flying all over the world. It is a member of the United Nations, the (?nonaligned group), the Commonwealth, and the Islamic countries. Bangladesh exists in the world, and it will remain so, and no one will be able to destroy it." [applause]

Brother and sisters, I have always tried to keep my promises. "We want friendship with all nations of the world. We believe in the policy of nonalignment, coexistence and world peace. We thought that Pakistan would also (?regret the whole incident) and return our assets." I promised that I would try the war criminals. I did not keep that promise. I released them only because I wanted friendship in the world. But I regret to say that Pakistan did not return a single penny of the assets or the foreign exchange reserves, or a ship or plane and "before leaving it tried to destroy the Bengali community by wrecking ports, highways, railways, and by sinking ships and burning currency notes. The Pakistanis thought that if they could cripple Bangladesh economically, they would be able to show the people of Bangladesh what their independence had brought them."

I reciprocated Bhutto's friendly gestures in Lahore, but now he questions the conditions in Bangladesh. "But today I ask Mr Bhutto: What are the conditions of Pathans in the Northwest Frontier Province? I ask him: What are the conditions of the people in Baluchistan whom he is shooting from the planes? What are the conditions of the people in Sind? Friend, take care of your own house. Think about yourself. You don't have to think about others. You can say big things after looting the wealth of other countries. There cannot be any friendship with you until you return our assets. What have you done for us? I seek friendship with you. I have nothing to say against the people of Pakistan, but they have to return our assets. I want to have friendship with all the nations of the world and ermit with none. I want peace because my people are suffering and starving.

"The day I was released from jail and returned to Bangladesh I found only 75 million people. We did not have any foreign exchange in the bank, or resources in the country. We started the government of 70 million people with only paper. We had no food in our stocks, but with the grace of Allah we have imported within these 3 to 4 years more than 220 maunds of foodgrains into Bangladesh."

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SUBJECT: LOS; ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT ARTICLE FROM USDEL LOS

1. USDEL LOS HAS PROPOSED DRAFT ARTICLE CONCERNING ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS. PROPOSAL HAS BEEN RECEIVED FAVORABLY BY MIX OF DC AND LDC DELEGATIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN INFORMALLY CONTACTED. SOVIETS, HOWEVER, HAVE EXPRESSED RELUCTANCE TO ACCEPT A CONCEPT WHICH THEY CHARACTERIZE AS ALIEN TO SOVIET WAY OF DOING BUSINESS.

2. U.S. TEAM OF MOORE, COOK, AND YOUNG MET MARCH 27 WITH FELIKS KOVALEV OF SOVIET DEL TO DISCUSS PROPOSAL. AFTER MAKING SOME CHANGES TO ACCOMODATE HIS CONCERNS, U.S. DRAFT NOW READS AS FOLLOWS. QUOTE: WITH RESPECT TO PROPOSED ACTIVITIES UNDER THEIR JURISDICTION OR CONTROL WHICH MAY REASONABLY BE EXPECTED TO CREATE A RISK OF SIGNIFICANT POLLUTION OF THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT, STATES SHALL: (A) ENDEAVOR TO PREPARE ASSESSMENTS OF THE POTENTIAL EFFECTS ON THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT OF SUCH ACTIVITIES; (B) COMMUNICATE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS TO THE COMPETENT INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND TO OTHER STATES WHOSE INTERESTS MAY BE AFFECTED BY SUCH ACTIVITIES; (C) UPON REQUEST, CONSULT WITH OTHER STATES CONCERNING THE CONTENTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS; (D) PROVIDE DIRECTLY OR THROUGH COMPETENT INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE IN PARTICULAR TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES CONCERNING THE PREPARATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENTS. UNQUOTE.

3. KOVALEV STATED THAT HE PERSONALLY VIEWS PROPOSAL FAVORABLY, BUT THAT HE HAS NO INSTRUCTIONS ON ISSUE AND MUST CONSULT MOSCOW. HE INDICATED THAT PRIMARY OBSTACLE MAY BE FACT THAT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT IS UNKNOWN IN SOVIET SYSTEM. U.S. TEAM STRESSED THAT PROPOSED OBLIGATION IS TO QUOTE ENDEAVOR UNQUOTE TO PREPARE

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ASSESSMENTS AND THAT BURDENSOME PROCEDURAL OBLIGATIONS ARE THEREFORE NOT ENTAILED. USDEL FURTHER NOTED THRESHOLD OF QUOTE RISK OF SIGNIFICANT POLLUTION UNQUOTE AND LIMITATION TO EFFECTS ON MARINE ENVIRONMENT (THUS EXCLUDING SENSITIVE TRANSFRONTIER PROBLEMS).

4. USDEL UNDERSTANDS THAT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT HAS BEEN SUBJECT OF DISCUSSIONS PURSUANT TO U.S. -U.S.S.R. ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT LEGAL PROJECT. SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENT'S CONCURRENCE, DEL SUGGESTS EMBASSY MOSCOW CONTACT PARTICIPANTS ON SOVIET SIDE, INCLUDING KOLBASOV OF INSTITUTE OF STATE AND LAW, IF IT BELIEVES THAT AN APPROACH WOULD BE APPROPRIATE AND MIGHT RESULT IN USEFUL INFLUENCE ON SOVIET DECISION, DEL ASLO REQUESTS DEPARTMENT TO CABLE IT AND MOSCOW PORTIONS OF TEXTS OF ANY AGREEMENTS OR COMMUNIQUE OF U.S. USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT MEETINGS WHICH ADDRESS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT ISSUE, USDEL WILL INFORM KOVALEV THAT IT HAS ASKED STATE DEPT TO FURNISH SUCH INFORMATION TO APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS IN MOSCOW.

5. IN APPROACHING SOVIETS, EMBASSY SHOULD CONSIDER EMPHASIZING PROPOSAL'S LIMITATIONS AS NOTED PARA 3 ABOVE. OTHER ARGUMENTS COULD INCLUDE FACT THAT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT IS IMPORTANT COMPONENT OF SOUND PLANNING PROCESS AND A NECESSARY PREREQUISITE TO FULFILLING A STATE'S GENERAL OBLIGATION UNDER LOS TREATY TO ENSURE THAT ACTIVITIES UNDER ITS JURISDICTION AND CONTROL DO NOT POLLUTE MARINE ENVIRONMENT. EMBASSY COULD ALSO POINT OUT INTERNATIONAL COOPERATIVE ASPECTS OF CONSULTATION OBLIGATION IN SUBPARAGRAPH (C) OF PROPOSAL.

6. SUGGEST DEPARTMENT CONSULT JOHN BUSTERUD, MEMBER CEQ AND CHAIRMAN U.S. SIDE OF LEGAL PROJECT OF U.S. U.S.S.R. ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT.

7. FOR OTHO ESKIN, D/LOS; PLEASE CLEAR OUTGOING WITH DOD, DEL BELIEVES SUBPARAGRAPHS (B) OF PROPOSAL HAS SUFFICIENT FLEXIBILITY SO AS NOT TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF CLASSIFIED IMPACT STATEMENTS.

8. THIRD COMMITTEE WG MAY REACH U.S. PROPOSAL BY 4 APRIL. DALE

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SUBJECT: LOS: ZAIRIAN INITIATIVE ON OCEAN POLLUTION
WE ARE UNOFFICIALLY INFORMED THAT ON MARCH 26 FONMIN BULA
CONVOKED AMBASSADORS FROM COASTAL STATES OF WEST AFRICA
STATIONED IN KINSHASA AND REQUESTED SUPPORT FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS
FOR A ZAIRIAN INITIATIVE (PRESUMABLY IN LOS CONTEXT) AIMED
AT UNDERSCORING AFRICAN (OR POSSIBLY LDC) CONCERN OVER OCEAN
POLLUTION PRACTICES. BULA CITED RECENT CASE OF FINNISH SHIP
WITH LOAD OF ARSENIC WASTES, AND EVACUATION OF TANKER
BILGES AT SEA. AMBASSADORS UNDERTOOK TO INFORM HOME
GOVERNMENTS. INITIATIVE NOT REPORTED IN LOCAL MEDIA. HINTON

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Geneva
(General)

Commissioner Moore made this statement at a press conference here marking the 15th anniversary of the Sharpeville massacre.

He noted that Ghana has rejected the campaign for a so-called dialogue with South Africa.

Commemorating the brutal shooting in Sharpeville, the GHANAIAN TIMES published an editorial today condemning the South African authorities for enhancing its military buildup. The editorial said there is only one solution to the problem of South Africa and that is an armed struggle of the black people of South Africa to overthrow the Vorster regime at all costs. Mozambique and Angola in the southern part of Africa have shown the way, it added.

It called on countries the world over to give support in all forms to the freedom fighters in South Africa to wipe out racism completely.

NCNA REPORTS ISSUES RAISED AT LAW OF SEA CONFERENCE

Peking NCNA in English 1727 GMT 24 Mar 75 OW

[Text] Geneva, March 23, 1975 (HSINHUA)--During the first week of the third session of the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, intensive consultations got under way at various informal meetings. The representatives were engaged in busy contacts and consultations with each other inside and outside the meeting hall. Defying superpower threats and pressures, the representatives of the Third World countries met the two superpowers head-on over a series of important issues.

The three main committees went into informal meetings on the day following the opening of the session on March 17. They met separately in the mornings to discuss the articles drafted at the second session in Caracas. The afternoons were spent in free consultations.

Active discussions took place among all groupings--the 77-Nation Group, the regional groups and the land-locked group. Their representatives were often seen comparing notes in the meeting hall, in the lobby, in the corridor and in the coffee-room.

The 77-Nation Group was reportedly engaged in discussions on drafting articles for a new law of the sea. They pledged to embody the viewpoints of the 77 nations with one voice.

Conference sources disclosed that the representatives of the two superpowers, the Soviet Union and the United States, though not eager to speak at meetings, were most active in behind-the-scene manoeuvres, applying pressure to rig up their own proposals.

At an informal meeting of the second committee for general aspects of sea law, the representative of Spain noted that a strait within a territorial sea, though used for international navigation, remains a part of the territorial sea of the coastal state. It therefore should retain its legal status as territorial sea and foreign vessels can only enjoy "innocent passage". He urged the inclusion of this principle in the committee's documents for consideration by the representatives.

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Ministers of the 17 member states of the Coordination Bureau attended the meeting which was presided over by Algerian Minister of Foreign Affairs Abdelaziz Bouteflika. Represented were: Algeria, Cuba, Guyana, India, Kuwait, Liberia, Malaysia, Mali, Nepal, Peru, Senegal, Syria, Somali, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Yugoslavia, and Zaire. More than 20 delegations including the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia, the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam, the Palestine Liberation Organization, and the Puerto Rican Socialist Party attended the meeting as observers.

The meeting after discussion adopted a "final declaration" which stresses the unity of non-aligned and Third World countries in the struggle against imperialism and colonialism, and supports the struggle of the Asian, African and Latin American people to obtain and safeguard national independence, state sovereignty and national economic interests. Cuban Premier Fidel Castro spoke at the closing session.

The meeting decided that the foreign ministers conference of non-aligned countries will be held in Lima next 25-29 August when preparations will be made for the 5th summit conference of non-aligned countries scheduled for next year in Sri Lanka.

OAU MEETING IN ETHIOPIA MARKS SHARPEVILLE ANNIVERSARY

Peking NCNA in English 2018 GMT 21 Mar 75 OW

[Text] Addis Ababa, March 1975 (HSINHUA)--A public meeting to mark the fifteenth anniversary of the Sharpeville tragedy was held by the Organization of African Unity and another organization at the Africa Hall here today. Speaking at the meeting, OAU acting administrative Secretary-General Kamanda said, the heroic example of the Sharpeville martyrs is there to remind our children and grandchildren forever that Africa is a continent of free men. Glory to the Sharpeville martyrs who had carpeted the road to freedom with their blood, he added.

"The Organization of African Unity," he went on, "reaffirms its total support for the legitimate struggle of the oppressed people of South Africa for freedom and for the eradication of apartheid." Addressing the meeting, Robert Gardiner, executive secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa, condemned apartheid and racial discrimination and called for intensifying the struggle to eliminate racial discrimination. Diplomatic envoys of a number of countries to Ethiopia attended the meeting.

The Sharpeville tragedy in which Africans were slaughtered in cold blood by the white racist regime in South Africa took place in 1960.

GHANAIAN OFFICIAL, PAPER ASSAIL VORSTER REGIME

Peking NCNA in English 0827 GMT 22 Mar 75 OW

[Text] Accra, March 21, 1975 (HSINHUA)--Ghana is committed to the fight against apartheid by every means within her power, E.N. Moore, commissioner for justice and acting commissioner for foreign affairs, declared yesterday, the GHANAIAN TIMES reported today. He also appealed to the African countries to give every moral and material assistance to the freedom fighters of South Africa.

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His reasonable demand won the support of the representatives of the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen and other countries, but was rejected by the two superpowers. The Soviet representative described it as "very dangerous".

In his speech, the Chinese representative supported the Spanish representative's reasonable demand and refuted the absurd arguments of the two superpowers. He pointed out that all states, big and small, are independent sovereign states and should be equal. Each state should be allowed to fully express its opinion at the conference, otherwise there would be no equal and full consultations. Those who are afraid of dissenting opinions are trying to refuse to consider these opinions, thinking that disagreement would thus be reduced and agreement would be reached in accordance with their wishful thinking. This intention not only runs counter to the conference's principle of equality and the spirit of consultation, but in fact can only create difficulties for reaching agreement. The Chinese representative also pointed out that gone forever are the days when the superpowers and a handful of countries could impose their stand and propositions on others.

Following the Chinese representative, representatives of Nigeria, Fiji, Indonesia, Peru, Jordan, Gambia, Madagascar, Malta, Tanzania and other countries spoke in favour of the stand of the Spanish delegation.

During the first committee's discussion on the exploration and exploitation of international sea-bed resources, the United States held that the principle of "first come, first served" should be applied to applications for exploring resources and that so-called financial and technical conditions should be stressed. These demands were opposed by the Third World countries. The representative of Singapore pointed out that the principle of "first come, first served" is an "arbitrary" one. A Latin-American representative emphasized that it is a just and undeniable regulation that priority should be given to the developing countries and the interests of the administering authority should be taken into account.

At the third committee where the question of maritime scientific research installations was discussed, representatives of Argentina, Kenya and others opposed the Soviet principle of "who installs, who administers". They held that these installations should be administered in principle by the sovereign state which governs the waters where the installations are located, unless other arrangements are agreed upon through consultation among countries concerned. People have noted that the Soviet Union has been trying incessantly to use "freedom of scientific research" as a pretext to infringe upon other country's sovereignty and practise hegemonism.

The course of the conference in the past week showed that in order to preserve their maritime hegemony, the two superpowers are still playing tricks to impede the formulation of a new law of the sea. Some Western papers are spreading rumours that the conference might break down. All this has aroused the attention of most of the participants and heightened their vigilance.

Albanian Paper on Conference

Peking NCNA in English 1534 GMT 22 Mar 75 OW

[Text] Tirana, March 22, 1975 (HSINHUA)--ZERI I POPULLIT voiced support for the struggle of the peoples in defence of their sovereignty over seas and oceans in an editorial yesterday on the current third session of the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea in Geneva.

The two superpowers, the United States and the Soviet Union, are trying their utmost to belittle this session in an attempt to sidetrack the attention of sovereign countries from problems having a vital bearing on their lofty national rights and interests, the editorial says.

While contending and colluding with each other, the editorial goes on, the two superpowers continue to step up the arms race, make a show of force and carry out blackmail everywhere in the world, both on land and on the oceans. At the Geneva sea law conference, the sovereign countries and people oppose the hegemonism and neo-colonialism of the two superpowers and demand the adoption of a new law of the sea in accord with the interests of the peoples. In recent years, the struggle of the developing countries for establishing and defending their sovereignty over the sea and against the plunder of their sea riches, control and blackmail by U.S. imperialism and Soviet social-imperialism has become an integral part of their struggle for national independence and social progress.

The editorial says: "Experience has taught the peoples that, in order to ensure their national sovereignty and undeniable maritime rights, especially in the present conditions when the United States and the Soviet Union pursue a 'gunboat' diplomacy and dispatch their aggressive fleets to the Mediterranean, the Indian Ocean, the Atlantic, the Pacific and every corner of the globe, they must wage a determined and uncompromising struggle against the two imperialist superpowers and their hegemonic and aggressive interests, fight resolutely for the dismantling of foreign military bases on the territories of coastal countries, refuse the two superpowers any port facilities, and turn down visits by U.S. and Soviet warships."

The editorial says in conclusion: Albania firmly supports the struggle of sovereign countries in defence of their freedom and national independence, and against imperialism, social-imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism.

FURTHER REPORTAGE ON UNIDO CONFERENCE IN PERU

General Debate Ends

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[Text] Lima, March 20, 1975 (HSINHUA)--The second general conference of the UN Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) concluded its general debate this morning.

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1. IN COMMITTEE WORKING GROUP MEETING CHAIRED BY PINTO
(SRI LANKA), DELEGATIONS CONSIDERED SUBJECT 11, QTE
SELECTION OF ENTITIES, UNQTE OF CP/WORKING PAPER NO. 2
OF 18 MARCH 1975, QTE PROPOSALS REGARDING CONDITIONS OF
EXPLORATION AND EXPLOITATION, UNQTE. DEBATE CENTERED ON
TWO APPROACHES, FIRST-COME FIRST-SERVED AND SELECTION BY
AUTHORITY ON COMPETITIVE BASIS, LATTER INCLUDING CRITERIA
TAKING INTO ACCOUNT NEED FOR DIRECT PARTICIPATION OF
LDC'S AND BENEFIT OF MANKIND.

2. US (RATINER) STATED NEED FOR BASIC CONDITIONS BOTH
TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE IN FORMULATION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS
AND TO CIRCUMSCRIBE AUTHORITY'S DISCRETION. MORE DETAILED
PROVISIONS WERE ALSO NEEDED IN ORDER TO PERMIT MINING
OPERATIONS TO BEGIN AS SOON AS AUTHORITY WAS ESTABLISHED.
ON SELECTION OF ENTITIES, HE STRESSED NEED FOR NONDIS-
CRIMINATION AMONG QUALIFIED SOVEREIGN STATES AND ARGUED
THAT RIGHT OF AUTHORITY TO SELECT AMONG QUALIFIED STATES
WOULD DENY THOSE STATES ACCESS TO RESOURCES. IN RESPONSE
TO PERU REP'S STATEMENT THAT AUTHORITY SHOULD HAVE RIGHT
TO NEGOTIATE WITH QUALIFIED APPLICANTS IN ORDER TO GET
BEST DEAL, HE PROPOSED THAT BASIC CONDITIONS AND TREATY
WOULD REQUIRE FAIR RETURN TO AUTHORITY SO THAT ALL
QUALIFIED APPLICANTS WOULD BE OFFERING BEST DEAL.

3. SINGAPORE, AFTER AFFIRMING SUPPORT FOR GROUP OF 77
DRAFT, STATED SOLITARY APPLICANT SHOULD AUTOMATICALLY
BE ACCORDED RIGHT TO MINE, BUT WITH MORE THAN ONE APPLI-
CANT, COMPETITIVE SELECTION SYSTEM BASED ON OBJECTIVE
CRITERIA, WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO LANDLOCKED STATES
AND LDC'S SHOULD BE USED. BRAZIL EMPHASIZED THAT SINGLE
APPLICANT SHOULD NOT AUTOMATICALLY BE ACCORDED RIGHT TO
MINE IF ITS ACTIVITIES WOULD NOT MEET INTERESTS OF ALL

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MANKIND. THAILAND AND ZAMBIA ALSO REJECTED FIRST-COME FIRST-SERVED BASIS OF SELECTION AS UNACCEPTABLE AND IMPRACTICABLE.

4. DISCUSSION OF KINDS OF OBJECTIVE CRITERIA THAT MIGHT BE USED IN SELECTION INCLUDED JAMAICA'S PROPOSING AMOUNT OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AND FINANCIAL PAYMENTS INTENDED BY APPLICANT. ALSO UK PROPOSED OBJECTIVE CRITERIA FOR SELECTION IN CASE OF COMPETITION BASED ON PRESENTATION OF DATA, PROGRAM OF WORK, FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL COMPETENCE AND WORK REQUIREMENTS OFFERED.

5. EXCHANGE BETWEEN US (RATNER) AND PERU ON WHETHER AUTHORITY SHOULD HAVE RIGHT TO DECIDE AREAS TO BE OPENED FOR EXPLOITATION INCLUDED US STATEMENT THAT, PARTICULARLY IN EARLY YEARS, AUTHORITY WOULD NOT HAVE SUFFICIENT KNOWLEDGE TO SELECT MOST ECONOMIC AREAS FOR EXPLOITATION AND THAT MOST COUNTRIES USED SYSTEM WHEREBY EXPLORER DESIGNATED AREA HE WISHED TO EXPLOIT. PERU COUNTERED BY EXPLAINING THAT IN HIS VIEW AUTHORITY SHOULD BE EMPOWERED TO DECIDE WHICH PART OF DEEP SEABED TO OPEN, BASED ON INTEREST EXPRESSED BY OPERATORS (SIMILAR TO US OCS PROCEDURE).

6. THAILAND EXPRESSED VIEW THAT LDC'S MIGHT FEEL MORE WILLING TO COMPROMISE ON BASIC CONDITIONS, IF AMENDMENT PROCEDURE FOR THEM WOULD BE MORE RELAXED THAN FOR TREATY.

7. IN CLOSING, PINTO STATED NEED TO HAVE BASIC CONDITIONS IN TREATY TO ENABLE AUTHORITY TO FUNCTION SATISFACTORILY IN ENTERING ARRANGEMENTS WITH PARTICULAR ENTITIES, AND INDICATED DIVERGENCE OF VIEWS WITHOUT ATTEMPTING TO SUMMARIZE THEM IN DETAIL. PINTO INDICATED NEED TO PROCEED MORE QUICKLY AND TO REACH AGREEMENT IN SMALL OPEN-ENDED INFORMAL WORKING GROUPS. DALE

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SUBJECT: LOS, C-I WORKING GROUP, MARCH 21
1. WORKING GROUP MET A.M. MARCH 21 AND DISCUSSED ITEMS 11, 14, AND 20 OF COMPARATIVE TABLE (SELECTION OF ENTITIES, PARTICIPATION IN SUBSEQUENT STAGE OF OPERATIONS, AND FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS). ON SELECTION OF ENTITIES, FRG. REP, SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF SPONSORS OF 8-POWER DRAFT CONDITIONS, PROPOSED THAT APPLICANT SHOULD BE GRANTED EXPLOITATION RIGHTS IF HE SUBMITTED FOLLOWING TO AUTHORITY: EVIDENCE OF FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL ABILITY, WORK PROGRAM, PROSPECTING DATA, AND DESCRIPTION OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRAINING OF LDC PERSONNEL.
2. ON QUESTION OF RIGHT OF OPERATOR TO MOVE FROM ONE PHASE TO ANOTHER, PERU AND COLOMBIA STRESSED PARA. 7 OF GROUP OF 77 DRAFT WHICH WOULD GRANT PRIORITY TO HOLDER OF CONTRACT FOR ONE PHASE TO MOVE TO NEXT. JAMAICA AND KENYA REPS SUGGESTED THAT RELINQUISHMENT CONCEPT MIGHT MAKE INTEGRATED OPERATIONS MORE ACCEPTABLE. US INDICATED THAT RELINQUISHMENT ISSUE WAS QTE OPEN TO DISCUSSION. UNQTE.
3. BOTH JAPAN AND UK REPS INDICATED CERTAIN FLEXIBILITY ON QUESTION OF FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS, THEIR STATEMENTS IMPLYING WILLINGNESS TO ACCEPT JOINT VENTURE FORM OF LEGAL ARRANGEMENTS. UK REP SPECIFICALLY INDICATED DESIRABILITY OF PROFIT SHARING APPROACH AND POINTED OUT SEVERAL DISADVANTAGES WITH PRODUCTION SHARING, NAMELY DIFFICULTY OF ASCERTAINING MARKET VALUE FOR RAW MODULES.
4. IN RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS US STATEMENT THAT WE WOULD BE CONCERNED ABOUT MORE RELAXED AMENDMENT PROCEDURE FOR CONDITIONS OF EXPLOITATION THAN FOR TREATY ITSELF, INDIA REP INDICATED UNDERSTANDING OF US CONCERN AND SAID HIS DELEGATION'S MIND WAS OPEN ON AMENDMENT PROCEDURES FOR BASIC CONDITIONS.

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5. SELECTION OF ENTITIES DISCUSSION GENERATED PRO-
POSAL FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SUPPORTED BY AUSTRIA AND
NETHERLANDS, THAT PREFERENCE BE GIVEN IN OBJECTIVE
CRITERIA TO BOTH DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING LAND-LOCKED
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 SUBJECT: ICAO OBSERVER TO LOS CONFERENCE
 REF: (A) MONTREAL 495
 (B) GENEVA 2004

1. FOR PROCEDURAL REASONS WE DO NOT CONSIDER IT APPROPRIATE FOR ICAO COUNCIL TO NOTE OR APPROVE SECGEN'S INSTRUCTIONS TO ICAO OBSERVER TO LOS CONFERENCE. WE ARE ALSO CONCERNED THAT COUNCIL CONSIDERATION OF THIS ISSUE COULD ULTIMATELY RESULT IN INSTRUCTIONS LESS FAVORABLE TO US/LOS POSITION. THEREFORE, USREP SHOULD TAKE POSITION THAT IT IS INAPPROPRIATE FOR COUNCIL TO TAKE ACTION ON SECGEN PAPER. PRESIDENT AND COUNCIL MEMBERS WILL APPRECIATE RELUCTANCE OF STATES TO DO SO IN VIEW FACT THAT LOS ISSUES HIGHLY COMPLEX AND NEGOTIATIONS ARE ONGOING.
2. IF COUNCIL INSISTS ON TAKING AFFIRMATIVE ACTION ON WORKING PAPER USREP SHOULD GO ON RECORD AS BEING UNDER INSTRUCTIONS QUOTE NOT TO PARTICIPATE UNQUOTE IN SUCH A DECISION FOR PROCEDURAL REASONS.
3. FYI FOR GENEVA. DEPARTMENT CONSIDERED SEEKING CHANGES IN TEXT ALONG LINES REF B BUT CONCLUDED THAT US LOS OBJECTIVES COULD NOT BE OBTAINED BY STARTING A NEGOTIATION IN ICAO COUNCIL. KISSINGER

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SUBJECT: LOS; AUSTRALIAN POSITION ON VESSEL SOURCE POLLUTION 1. FYI. THERE IS A GENERAL TREND DEVELOPING IN THE LOS CONFERENCE AGAINST ANY STANDARD SETTING COMPETENCE BY THE COASTAL STATE WITHIN THE 200 MILE ECONOMIC ZONE WITH RESPECT TO VESSEL-SOURCE POLLUTION. THIS CONFORMS WITH THE US POSITION WHICH SUPPORTS INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS SET THROUGH IMCO, FLAG STATE STANDARDS FOR A STATE'S OWN FLAG VESSELS, AND PORT STATE STANDARDS FOR SHIPS CALLING AT THE PORTS OF A STATE. AUSTRALIA, HOWEVER, CONTINUES TO PUSH COASTAL STATE STANDARD SETTING AUTHORITY WITHIN THE ECONOMIC ZONE EVEN THOUGH HEDGED IN VARIOUS WAYS. THIS OPPOSITION IS VOCAL AND COULD POTENTIALLY PREVENT AGREEMENT ON THE PACKAGE IN THE "EVENSEN NEGOTIATING GROUP" OR IN COMMITTEE III OF THE CONFERENCE. 2. IN VIEW ABOVE, IF DEPT. CONCURS, LOS DEL REQUESTS THAT EMBASSY RAISE WITH GOA AT APPROPRIATELY HIGH LEVEL THAT AVOIDANCE OF COASTAL STATE STANDARD SETTING IN ECONOMIC ZONE IS VITAL INTEREST FOR US AND THAT AUSTRALIAN SUPPORT FOR THIS CONCEPT COULD PREVENT PACKAGE DEAL IN GENEVA. EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO POINT OUT THAT RIGHT OF PORT STATE TO SET STANDARDS FOR VESSELS ENTERING PORTS SHOULD LARGELY MEET AUSTRALIAN NEEDS, THIS RIGHT ALREADY EXISTS UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW AND IS NOT BEING DEALT WITH IN LOS CONFERENCE. EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO STATE THAT PROTECTING NAVIGATIONAL FREEDOM IN THE ECONOMIC ZONE AND STRAITS IS FOR US AS VITAL A CONCERN AS IS CONTINENTAL MARGIN ISSUE FOR GOA. 3. PLEASE REPORT RESPONSE TO US DEL GENEVA. 4. FOR ESKIN D/LOS. PLEASE SEEK DEPT. CONCURRENCE ASAP. DALE

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SUBJECT: LOS: MARINE POLLUTION, GROUP OF 17

1, GROUP OF 17 MARITIME STATES MET TUESDAY AND THURSDAY EVENINGS TO REFINE ARTICLES AND DETERMINE WHICH STATES WILL CO-SPONSOR. ARTICLES ARE ESSENTIALLY IDENTICAL TO THOSE RESULTING FROM FEBRUARY LONDON MEETING, AND INCLUDE MAJOR RESTRICTIONS ON PORT STATE ENFORCEMENT AND REQUIREMENT FOR COASTAL STATE AUTHORIZATION OF DUMPING IN AREA OF UNSPECIFIED MILEAGE.
 2, CO-SPONSORS WILL INCLUDE UK, BELGIUM, BULGARIA, DENMARK, FRG, GDR, GREECE, NETHERLANDS, POLAND AND PROBABLY ITALY AND FINLAND. FRANCE, SWEDEN, NORWAY, USSR, AND US AND PROBABLY JAPAN WILL DECLINE. US GAVE PORT STATE RESTRICTIONS AS REASON FOR NON-SPONSORSHIP. ARTICLES WILL BE POUCHED WHEN INTRODUCED. DALE

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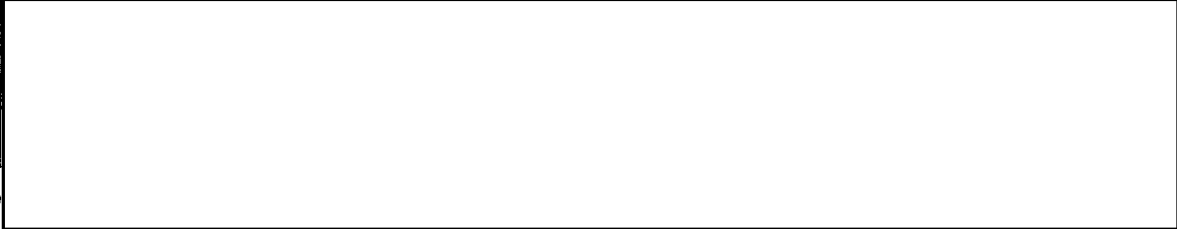
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SUBJECT: LOS: WEEKLY CLASSIFIED SUMMARY WEEK ENDING MARCH 19

1, SUMMARY: IT IS STILL TOO EARLY TO TELL WHETHER OR NOT SUFFICIENT GOVERNMENT DECISIONS HAVE BEEN MADE TO PERMIT AGREEMENT ON BASIC DIFFERENCES AT GENEVA. MOST SUPPORT CONFERENCE PRESIDENT'S VIEW THAT MINIMUM REQUIRED ACCOMPLISHMENT AT GENEVA IS AGREED ARTICLE TEXTS ON COMMITTEE-2 ESSENTIAL ISSUES. SOME HARDLINERS WERE SHOWING SIGNS OF FLEXIBILITY ON SOME C-II ISSUES. MODERATES APPEAR TO BE GAINING GROUND PHILOSOPHICALLY IN C-I BUT THERE IS AS YET NO INDICATION OF SUBSTANTIAL BREAKTHROUGH ON SPECIFICS. EVENSEN GROUP IS PROCEEDING WITH DRAFT ON ECONOMIC ZONE ARTICLES WITH HOPE OF PRODUCING TEXT FOR GENERAL CIRCULATION WITHIN TWO WEEKS. IT IS OBVIOUS TO ALL THAT KEY TO CONFERENCE WILL BE NEGOTIATION DURING FIRST TWO WEEKS, INCLUDING PROBE OF U.S. POSITIONS, TO DETERMINE WHETHER REQUISITE POLITICAL ACCOMMODATION ON KEY ISSUES IS POSSIBLE. END SUMMARY.

2, ORGANIZATION OF WORK: COMMITTEE 1. IN ABSENCE OF CHAIRMAN ENGO, PINTO, WHO WAS CHAIRMAN OF WORKING GROUP IN CARACAS, INDICATED INTENTION TO PROCEED IN WORKING GROUP WITH FOCUS ON DISCUSSION OF BASIC CONDITIONS OF EXPLOITATION WHICH MIGHT ILLUMINATE LATER RECONSIDERATION OF CONTENTS OF ARTICLE 9 (WHO SHALL EXPLOIT). FOR GROUP OF 77 DISCUSSION OF SEABED ITEMS SEE PARA (6).

3, COMMITTEE 2: IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAIRMAN'S SUGGESTION C-2 IS HOLDING FORMAL MEETINGS ONLY IN MORNING TO PERMIT INFORMAL NEGOTIATIONS IN AFTERNOON ORGANIZED BY CHAIRMAN AND EVENSEN GROUP. MORNING MEETINGS SERVE TO OCCUPY CONFERENCE DELEGATES NOT ENGAGED IN INFORMAL

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NEGOTIATIONS. POSSIBLE CONSTRUCTIVE DISCUSSION OF ARTICLES ON LESS CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES HAS NOT COME ABOUT DUE LARGELY TO LACK OF FORCEFUL LEADERSHIP BY CHAIRMAN GALINDO POHL (EL SALVADOR). WHILE ONE INFORMAL GROUP WAS MEETING WITH HIM WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, CONCURRENT INFORMAL COMMITTEE MEETING AT PROMPTING OF SOVS ELECTED AFGHAN REP AS CHAIRMAN OF GROUP. HE SUBSEQUENTLY PRODUCED "COMPROMISE" TEXT ON TERRITORIAL SEA REplete WITH FUNDAMENTAL MISCONCEPTIONS. AFGHAN AMB, AKRAN IS NEW HEAD OF DEL, UNFAMILIAR WITH LOS ISSUES, AND AT INFORMAL MEETING WITH AMB. STEVENSON EXPRESSED SOME PUZZLEMENT AS TO ROLE HE WAS TO PLAY. IN ANY EVENT, IT IS CLEAR THAT DESPITE SOME GRUMBLING MAIN NEGOTIATIONS AND DRAFTING ON ECONOMIC ZONE IS IN EVENSEN GROUP WHICH IS PROCEEDING WITH DAILY AND AFTERNOON MEETINGS.

4. COMMITTEE 31 ORGANIZATION OF WORK OF C-3 IS ALSO SUFFERING FROM PROBLEM OF INTERFACE WITH EVENSEN GROUP SINCE CHAIRMAN YANKOV, U.S. AND SEVERAL OTHERS WANT VESSEL POLLUTION ISSUES NEGOTIATED IN EVENSEN GROUP. MAIN EVENT OF OPENING DAYS WAS INTRODUCTION BY SOVS AFTER WIDESPREAD CONSULTATION, BUT NOT WITH U.S., OF ARTICLES ON SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH WHICH PROVIDE INTERALIA FOR CONSENT ON SHELF RESEARCH, CONSENT ON EXPLORATION IN ECONOMIC ZONE RELATED TO ECONOMIC RESOURCES AND TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS OF RESEARCH DATA. ON QUESTION OF INTRODUCTION OF GROUP OF 17 DRAFT ARTICLES ON MARINE POLLUTION U.S. HAS DECIDED NOT TO CO-SPONSOR SINCE DRAFT DOES NOT PROTECT ADEQUATELY PORT STATE ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY, AND SOVIETS WILL APPARENTLY INTRODUCE THEIR OWN ARTICLES.

5. EVENSEN GROUP: GROUP IS MEETING EVERY AFTERNOON ON ECONOMIC ZONE TEXT WHICH, IF IT CAN BE COMPLETED, AS CONTEMPLATED WITHIN NEXT TWO WEEKS, WILL HAVE GREAT ADVANTAGE OF PRE-EMPTING THE FLOOR IN C-2 DISCUSSIONS.

6. GROUP OF 77: GROUP MET FOR WEEK PRIOR TO OPENING OF CONFERENCE AND SEVERAL TIMES SINCE PRINCIPALLY ON C-1 ISSUES. THEY ARE WORKING INTENSIVELY ON MACHINERY ARTICLES AND INTEND MEET DAILY IN ATTEMPT REACH AGREEMENT. WE UNDERSTAND 77 DRAFT, WHILE PROTECTING LDC



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INTERESTS, IS PERCEIVED BY THEM AS MAJOR STEP TOWARDS U.S., PRINCIPALLY ON COUNCIL COMPOSITION. GROUP DISCUSSION HAS FOCUSED ON FORMULAS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF COUNCIL THAT WOULD ENSURE OVERLAPPING BALANCE OF DEVELOPED, CONSUMER AND PRODUCER DEVELOPING COUNTRY INTERESTS. FONSECA (COLOMBIA) SAID 77 CURRENT DRAFTING EFFORT ON INTERNATIONAL MACHINERY ARTICLES MIGHT TAKE FROM THREE WEEKS TO MONTH. MANY DELS HAVE MADE POINT OF CONVEYING MESSAGE TO USDEL THAT MODERATES HAVE MADE HARD AND SUCCESSFUL FIGHT IN 77 MEETINGS AND NOW FORTHCOMING RESPONSE FROM US IS NEEDED IN EARLY WEEKS OR EXTREMISTS LIKELY TO REGAIN CONTROL OF C-1 NEGOTIATIONS.

7. INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS AND LIAISON REPORTS: INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS HAVE BEEN CONTINUING ON BILATERAL ISSUES INCLUDING DISCUSSIONS ON FISHERIES QUESTIONS, SEPARATELY REPORTED, AND BY AMBASSADOR MOORE AND RADM MORRIS ON STRAITS ISSUES. AMB. STEVENSON HAS HELD SERIES OF MEETINGS DESIGNED PRIMARILY MEET NEW HEADS OF DELEGATION, AND HEADS OF DELEGATION OF COUNTRIES NOT PART OF CONFERENCE LEADERSHIP. IN COURSE OF CONVERSATIONS NUMBER LANDLOCKED COUNTRIES AGAIN STRESSING IMPORTANCE OF ACCESS TO SEA ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF WHAT THEY SEE AS SHRINKING OF COMMON HERITAGE. AFRICAN AND ARAB GROUPS ARE BOTH MEETING IN COURSE OF WEEK, ARAB GROUP CLEARLY STILL DIVIDED ON STRAITS ISSUE ACCORDING TO SADI (JORDAN), A SPLIT WHICH WAS INDICATED IN PARTICIPATION BY OMAN WITH SPANISH AND MOROCCO IN EFFORT IN C-2 TO INCLUDE STRAITS IN TERRITORIAL SEA DEFINITION.

8. COMMENT: USDEL CONCURS WITH GENERAL ASSESSMENT THAT FIRST TWO OR THREE WEEKS OF CONFERENCE WILL BE CRITICAL. UPCOMING GROUP OF 5 MEETING MAY PULL TOGETHER SOME FRAYING EDGES INCLUDING SOMEWHAT PUZZLING ACTIVITIES OF SOVIET DEL WHICH MAY BE DUE TO PRESENCE OF NUMBER OF SENIOR MINISTERS UNFAMILIAR WITH LOS HAMPERING FLEXIBILITY OF REGULAR LOS NEGOTIATORS. DALE

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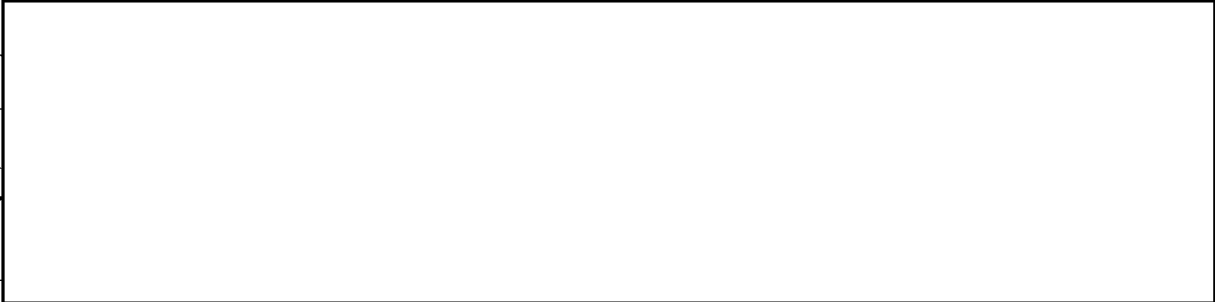
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SUBJECT: LOS; UNCLASSIFIED WEEKLY SUMMARY WEEK ENDING THURSDAY, PM MARCH 20

1. SUMMARY: SECOND SUBSTANTIVE SESSION OF LAW OF SEA CONFERENCE OPENED IN SOBER ATMOSPHERE WITH APPARENT WIDE RECOGNITION THAT FAILURE TO ACHIEVE SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS AT THIS SESSION WILL SUBSTANTIALLY MINIMIZE CHANCES OF ANY WIDELY ACCEPTABLE LOS AGREEMENT. THREE MAIN COMMITTEES MET TO DISCUSS PROGRAM OF WORK WHICH FOR FIRST TWO OR THREE WEEKS WILL INCLUDE ALREADY ESTABLISHED IN MORNING ONLY AND INFORMAL WORKING GROUPS OR SMALL GROUP NEGOTIATIONS IN THE AFTERNOON. OTHER INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS WILL CONTINUE IN TANDEM WITH WORKING GROUPS. DELEGATION PLANS SHORT WEEKLY SUMMARIES WHICH EXCEPT FOR THIS WEEK WILL COVER WEEK ENDING WEDNESDAY NIGHT. CONSOLIDATED DAILY DELEGATION REPORT WILL SUBSTITUTE FOR SEPARATE COMMITTEE REPORT, EXCEPT WHEN EVENTS REQUIRE SEPARATE REPORT. END SUMMARY

2. PRIOR TO OPENING PLENARY SESSION GENERAL COMMITTEE HELD BRIEF MEETING ON MINOR PROCEDURAL MATTERS INCLUDING ADDITION OF ARABIC AS WORKING LANGUAGE, REPLACEMENT OF BELGIUM BY IRELAND AS VICE PRESIDENT OF CONFERENCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH PRIOR AGREEMENT, REPLACEMENT OF AGUILAR OF VENEZUELA BY GALINDO POHL OF EL SALVADOR AS CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE 2 WITH VENEZUELA REPLACING EL SALVADOR ON DRAFTING COMMITTEE, ADOPTION OF PROVISIONAL AGENDA. ALL ITEMS RATIFIED BY PLENARY WITH DIS-

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3. CONFERENCE PRESIDENT AMERASINGHE IN OPENING ADDRESS URGED COMMITTEES TO BEGIN IMMEDIATE NEGOTIATION TO MEET WITH THE CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND OTHER CONFERENCE OFFICERS TO CONSIDER FUTURE COURSE OF ACTION. HIS RECOMMENDATION TO SCHEDULE FORMAL COMMITTEE SESSIONS ONLY IN MORNING TO FACILITATE INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS HAS BEEN FOLLOWED BY ALL THREE COMMITTEES. ADDRESS LISTED AS ESSENTIAL ACHIEVEMENT ARTICLE TEXTS OF C-2 ISSUES INCLUDING TERRITORIAL SEA, STRAITS, AND ECONOMIC ZONE.

4. AT FORMAL MEETING OF COMM. 2 (TERRITORIAL SEA STRAITS, ECONOMIC ZONE) CHAIRMAN'S WORK PROGRAM WAS APPROVED WHICH WILL ENTAIL INFORMAL MORNING MEETINGS TO CONSIDER ARTICLES IN MAIN TRENDS PAPER BEGINNING WITH PROVISIONAL TERRITORIAL SEA WITH VIEW TO REDUCING DIFFERENCES. CHAIRMAN INDICATED THIS INTENTION TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVE ROLE IN INFORMAL WORKING GROUPS AND CONSULTATIONS IN AFTERNOON. IN COMMITTEE 1 VICE CHAIRMAN THOMPSON FLORES OF BRAZIL IN ABSENCE OF CHAIRMAN ENGO (CAMEROON) WHO HAS NOT YET ARRIVED, ANNOUNCED THAT C-1 WORKING GROUP WOULD CONTINUE WITH ARTICLES 1-21 ON REGIME FOR SEARED WITH EMPHASIS ON ARTICLE 9 (WHO SHALL EXPLOIT), AND ON CONDITIONS OF EXPLORITATION. BASIC CONDITIONS, WHICH GIVEN SHORT SHRIFT IN CARACAS BECAUSE OF PREOCCUPATION WITH ARTICLE 9, WILL BE INITIAL SUBJECT FO WORKING GROUP DISCUSSION, AND CONSIDERATION OF REGIME ARTICLE IS SCHEDULED TO END BY APRIL 4. COMMITTEE 3 (SCIENCE, ENVIRONMENT) WILL TAKE UP QUESTIONS OF MARINE ENVIRONMENT, SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, AND TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY FROM POINT LEFT AT CARACAS. INFORMAL SESSIONS WILL ATTEMPT TO REDUCE ALTERNATIVES.

GROUP OF 77, WHICH MET DURING WEEK PRIOR TO OPENING SESSION, HELD ADDITIONAL MEETINGS AS DID LANDLOCKED GROUP, AND OTHER INFORMAL CONSULTATIVE GROUPS. CHAIRMAN OF GROUP OF 77 IS KEDADI (TUNISIA) LAMINE FADIGA, HEAD OF IVORY COAST DELEGATION



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WILL BE AFRICAN GROUP CHAIRMAN IN PLACE OF AMB.
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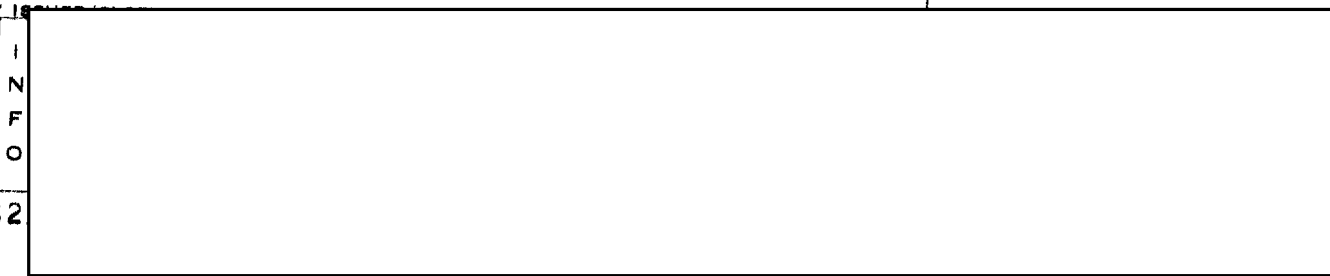
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SUBJECT: LOS; WORKING GROUP ON MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH 1. WORKING GROUP ON MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH UNDER CHAIRMANSHIP OF FRG'S METTERNICH MET FOR FIRST TIME TODAY. FOLLOWING METTERNICH'S REVIEW OF WORK IN CARACAS, NIGERIA PROPOSED MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY BE DISCUSSED SIMULTANEOUSLY. AFTER INDIA CONCURRED, CANADA INDICATED IT WAS DEVELOPING TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY ARTICLES. NIGERIA MODIFIED ITS PROPOSAL TO PROVIDE FOR ALTERNATING SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SESSIONS; INDIA SUPPORTED NIGERIA; IRELAND SUGGESTED DEFERRING DISCUSSION OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER UNTIL DEVELOPED COUNTRIES HAD TABLED PROPOSALS TO ENSURE THAT DEBATE WOULD NOT BE SON-SIDED; PAKISTAN PROPOSED DEADLINE FOR DEVELOPED COUNTRIES' PAPERS; AND CHAIRMAN DEFERRED ISSUE BY RECOMMENDING DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES GET TOGETHER ON ISSUE. PRESSURE WILL, HOWEVER, BE GREAT TO SPEND CONSIDERABLE TIME ON TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER. 2. GROUP THEN TURNED TO QUESTION OF LEGAL STATUS OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH INSTALLATIONS, WHILE DEBATE FOCUSED ON PROPOSED ARGENTINIAN, KENYAN, FRENCH, AND SOVIET ARTICLES SET FORTH IN L.17, MOST SPEAKERS RECOGNIZED DIFFICULTY OF DISCUSSING ARTICLE UNTIL NATURE OF SCIENTIFIC REGIME DETERMINED. ON COURSE OF DEBATE, BRAZIL PROPOSED COMBINING ARGENTINIA AND KENYA ARTICLES; QUOTE THE EMPLACEMENT OF ANY TUPE OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH INSTALLATION IN AREAS OF NATIONAL JURISDICTION AND/OR SOVEREIGNTY OF A STATE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO AUTHORIZATION BY THE COASTAL STATE, AND SUCH INSTALLATIONS SHALL BE UNDER ITS JURISDICTIONS END QUOTE. PAKISTAN SUGGESTED ADDING, QUOTE UNLESS OTHERWISE AGREED BETWEEN THE STATE CONDUCTING THE RESEARCH AND THE COASTAL STATE END QUOTE TO END

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1. IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT OVERFLIGHT ISSUE BE KEPT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF LOS NEGOTIATIONS. A STATEMENT BY THE ICAO REPRESENTATIVE WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL IF IT INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING POINTS: (1) THAT OVERFLIGHT OF INTERNATIONAL STRAITS, ECONOMIC ZONES AND ARCHIPELAGOS WAS WITHIN PURVIEW OF LOS CONFERENCE; (2) SUPPORT FOR THE US OVERFLIGHT POSITION. SUCH AN AFFIRMATIVE STATEMENT IS ENCOURAGED.

2. POINT (1) ABOVE CAN BE ACHIEVED BY EITHER AN EXPLICIT AMENDMENT OF THE ICAO OBSERVER'S REPORT ON CARACAS OR IMPLICITLY BY FAILURE OF ICAO TO OBJECT TO CONSIDERATION IN LOS CONFERENCE. POINT (2) CAN BE ACHIEVED BY THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS TO THE TEXT OF REFERENCED CABLE:

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DELETION OF THE WORD "CIVIL" IS NECESSARY TO AVOID THE NEGATIVE IMPLICATION THAT STATE AIRCRAFT ARE NOT INCLUDED. DELETION OF THE PHRASE "(APPARENTLY NOT)" WILL CORRECT A FACTUAL INACCURACY. THE CLEAR MAJORITY VIEW AT THE LOS CONFERENCE IS THAT THE ECONOMIC ZONE WILL BE HIGH SEAS, WITH THE RIGHTS OF THE COASTAL STATE WITHIN THAT HIGH SEAS ZONE BEING STILL AT ISSUE.

3. IF FAVORABLE STATEMENT IS NOT ACHIEVABLE, ALTERNATIVE OF NO ICAO STATEMENT IS RECOMMENDED. ADVERSE STATEMENT BY ICAO OBSERVER COULD BE DISASTROUS TO LOS NAVIGATION OBJECTIVES.

4. LOS DELEGATION LACKS EXPERTISE IN ICAO COUNCIL POLITICS

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AND PROCEDURES AND THEREFORE REQUIRES CAREFUL ASSESSMENT OF RISKS INVOLVED IN PURSUING EITHER ALTERNATIVE. PLEASE ADVISE ASAP OF ASSESSMENT OF SUCCESS FOR EITHER ALTERNATIVE. DALE



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UNCLAS GENEVA 1969
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SUBJECT: LOS; COMMITTEE I WORKING GROUP MEETING, MARCH 19, 1975

1. IN INITIAL WORKING GROUP MEETING, PINTO (CHAIRMAN) STATED PROGRAM OF WORK WOULD COMMENCE WITH IN-DEPTH DISCUSSION OF BASIC CONDITIONS OF EXPLORATION AND EXPLOITATION OF DEEP SEABED AREA, BASED ON COMPARATIVE TABLE OF FOUR PROPOSALS BEFORE C-1 (USA: A/CONF.62/C.1/L.6; GROUP OF 77: A/CONF.62/C.1/L.7; 8-POWER: A/CONF.62/C.1/L.8; JAPAN: A/CONF.62/C.1/L.9) ISSUED AT CARACAS 22 AUGUST 1974, AND REISSUED 18 MARCH 1975, AS CP/WORKING PAPER NO. 2.

2. PINTO REVIEWED 36 SUBJECTS CONTAINED IN COMPARATIVE TABLE AND APPRAISED NEGOTIATING DIFFICULTIES AND IMPORTANCE OF RESPECTIVE SUBJECTS. OF IMPORTANCE WERE HIS COMMENTS THAT QUESTION OF WHO OWNS RESOURCES (I.E., TITLE TO RESOURCES) SHOULD BE LEFT TO END OF NEGOTIATION; DISCUSSION WAS NEEDED ON MEANING OF TERMS "SERVICE CONTRACTS" AND "JOINT VENTURES"; CRITERIA FOR SELECTING AMONG APPLICATIONS MUST BE ELABORATED; PROVISION ON SECURITY OF TENURE COULD BE AGREED THROUGH MINOR DRAFTING; FRANK DISCUSSION ON MERITS OF ALTERNATIVE REVENUE-SHARING METHODS WAS NEEDED; DIFFERENCES AMONG DEVELOPED COUNTRY DRAFTS ON DETAILS OF BLOCK SIZE, DURATION AND CATEGORIES CALLED INTO QUESTION ADVISABILITY OF INCLUDING THESE IN BASIC CONDITIONS; AND THAT CONCEPT OF MECHANISM FOR DISPUTE SETTLEMENT WAS ALREADY AGREED IN PRINCIPLE.

3. FOR PURPOSE OF PROGRAM OF WORK, PINTO DIVIDED SUBJECTS INTO TWO BROAD CATEGORIES, ONE OF FUNDAMENTAL CONDITIONS FOR IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION AND SECOND OF SUBSIDIARY CHARACTER FOR SUBSEQUENT DISCUSSIONS. SUBJECTS OF COMPARATIVE TABLE OF CRITICAL CONCERN DEMANDING IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION OF WORKING GROUP WERE: (A) ISSUES OF SCOPE OF AUTHORITY'S POWER-SUBJECT 3 (AUTHORITY TO OPEN AREAS); 4 (STAGES OF OPERATIONS, ETC.); 5

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(ARRANGEMENTS RELATING TO ACTIVITIES;) 29 (PRODUCTION CONTROL); (B) METHOD OF ENTERING INTO ARRANGEMENTS-SUBJECT 11 (SELECTION OF ENTITIES); 14 (PARTICIPATION IN SUBSEQUENT STAGE OF OPERATIONS); 20 (FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS); (C) SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES-SUBJECT 35 (SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES); AND BY ASSOCIATION SUBJECTS 15 (SECURITY OF TENURE); 16 (ENFORCEMENT); 17 (FORCE MAJEURE); AND 33 (SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF ARRANGEMENTS ENTERED INTO); (D) SUBJECTS 12 (ASSIGNMENT OR TRANSFER OF RIGHTS UNDER ARRANGEMENTS ENTERED INTO); 13 (MAXIMUM NO. OF ARRANGEMENTS WITH A PARTICULAR ENTITY); 18 (APPLICABLE LAW). SUBJECTS OF SECONDARY CONCERN WERE SUBJECTS 6 (CONFORMITY OF ARRANGEMENTS WITH CONVENTION); 7 (ENTITIES WITH WHOM ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE ENTERED INTO); 8 (QUALIFICATIONS OF ENTITIES); 9 (PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATION); 10 (APPLICATION FEE); 21 (RIGHT UNDER ARRANGEMENTS RESTRICTED TO SPECIFIED CATEGORY OF RESOURCES); 22 (MAXIMUM SIZE OF AREAS ACCORDING TO CATEGORY OF RESOURCES, AND DELIMITATION); 23 (MAXIMUM DURATION OF ARRANGEMENTS ENTERED INTO); 24 (PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS); 25 (RELINQUISHMENT OF AREAS); 26 (RENUNCIATION OF AREAS); 27 (FORFEITURE OF RIGHTS); 28 (APPLICATION OF OPERATIONAL RULES, STANDARDS AND PRACTICES); 31 (NON-INTERFERENCE WITH OTHER ACTIVITIES); 32 (LIABILITY); 34 (OPERATIONAL SAFETY); 36 (INSURANCE.)



4. DELEGATES PRESENT AFFIRMED ABOVE LISTING OF BASIC CONDITIONS FOR ORDERING OF WORK, PINTO'S STATED AIM TO ACHIEVE A BASIC RECONCILIATION OF VIEWS ON ARTICLES 1-21 AND BASIC CONDITIONS BY APRIL 4 (LEAVING TIME FOR COMPLETING DRAFTING AND C-1 CONSIDERATION OF MACHINERY ARTICLES), AND HOLDING OF WORKING GROUP MEETINGS IN MORNINGS AND INFORMAL SMALL MEETINGS IN AFTERNOONS. NEXT MEETING SCHEDULED 20 MARCH, 10:30 A..DALE

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FOR: DEPUTY SECRETARY INGERSOLL AND UNDER SECRETARY MAW FROM
AMB. MOORE AND THOMAS CLINGAN

1. U.S. TEAM OF MOORE, CLINGAN AND MARTIN MET WITH ECUADORIAN
LOS TEAM OF AMB. GARCIA, MR. AYALA, AND CMDR. JARAMILLO AT
ECUADORIAN INITIATIVE ON FIRST DAY OF CONFERENCE TO CONTINUE LOS -
TUNA DISCUSSIONS BEGUN IN QUITO. ECUADOREANS PASSED U.S. TEAM
AN ECUADOREAN REVISION (SEPTTEL) OF U.S. QUITO TUNA CONSERVATION
PROPOSAL ON INFORMAL BASIS FOR USE IN EVENSEN GROUP. ECUADOREAN'S
INDICATED THAT THEY HAD CONSULTED WITH PERU AND CHILE ON THEIR
PROPOSAL, PROPOSAL, WHICH ENVISAGES REGIONAL TUNA CONSERVATION
ORGANIZATION, PRESENTS PROBLEMS CONCERNING DEGREE TO WHICH ORGAN-
IZATION RECOMMENDATIONS COULD BE BINDING ON COASTAL STATES AND
DEGREE OF COASTAL STATE DISCRETION TO RESERVE FISHING AREAS BUT
NEVERTHELESS REPRESENTS SIGNIFICANT MOVEMENT.

2. ECUADOREANS ARE COMFORTABLE IN INFORMAL LOS CONSULTATIONS
SEEKING TO PRODUCE REGIONAL AGREEMENT ON TUNA CONSERVATION ARTICLE
FOR LOS TREATY. ALTHOUGH THERE IS A HINT OF POSSIBILITY FOR
SEPARATE INTERIM REGIONAL TUNA CONSERVATION AGREEMENT BASED ON
TUNA CONSERVATION ARTICLE, ECUADOREANS RESISTED EFFORTS TO PROBE
FLEXIBILITY IN THIS DIRECTION AT THIS TIME, CITING ABSENCE OF
WAIVER OF SANCTIONS AS MAJOR OBSTACLE. AGREEMENT REACHED TO CON-
SULT AGAIN AS OFTEN AS NECESSARY DURING LOS CONFERENCE.

3. ECUADOREANS STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF A REGIONAL FISHING ORGAN-
IZATION INCLUDING U.S. AND POSSIBLY CANADA BUT NOT OTHER DISTANT
WATER FISHING STATES. THEY INDICATED SOME FLEXIBILITY HOWEVER
WITH RESPECT TO OBSERVER STATUS FOR DISTANT WATER FISHING NATIONS.
4. DETAILED MEMCON AND RECOMMENDATION RE WAIVER OF SANCTIONS
FOLLOW.

5. COMMENT: WE HAVE FOUND A FORMAT FOR TALKS WITH ECUADOR WHICH

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COULD GREATLY AID RESOLUTION OF HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES ISSUE IN LOS CONFERENCE AND BE CONVERTED INTO A REGIONAL TUNA CONSERVATION AGREEMENT WHEN AGREEMENT REACHED ON PRAGMATICS OF TUNA CONSERVATION SYSTEM. SUCH AN AGREEMENT WOULD REINFORCE LOS EFFORT WITH RESPECT TO HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES AS WELL AS RESOLVE TUNA DISPUTE WITH ECUADOR, AND OTHERS. THOUGH ECUADOREAN COUNTER-PROPOSAL HAS PROBLEM, IT IS ALSO A CLEAR SIGNAL OF INTEREST AND, ON MERITS, REPRESENTS SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS. DALE



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GENEVA FOR LOS DELEGATION
FOREIGN MINISTRY LOS ADVISOR TOLD EMBOFF MARCH 19
THAT WHILE BRAZIL WAS NOT TAKING NEW POSITION TO GENEVA,
IT WOULD BE PURSUING NEW TACTICS WHICH WOULD BE CHARACTERIZED BY FLEXIBILITY AND ACTIVE SEARCH FOR SOLUTIONS.
HE EXPLAINED THAT WITH 200-MILE-TERRITORIAL-SEA LEGISLATION ON THE BOOKS, BRAZIL HAD PREVIOUSLY FELT CONSTRAINED FROM SPEAKING OUT IN FAVOR OF COMPROMISE,
ADDING THAT PRIVATE MEETINGS WERE EXPECTED TO FIGURE IMPORTANTLY DURING GENEVA CONFERENCE. HE ALSO REFERRED TO DESIRABILITY OF BEING WITHIN THE MAINSTREAM, AND REITERATED, "KEEP AN EYE ON THE BRAZILIAN DELEGATION".
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SUBJ: SOVIET DRAFT ARTICLES ON SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

1. SUMMARY. SOVIET DELOFF CONSTANTIN FEDOROV PASSED COPIES OF ARTICLES WHICH CALL FOR CONSENT FOR SHELF RESEARCH, AND RESOURCE-RELATED RESEARCH. ALL OTHER RESEARCH REQUIRES NOTIFICATION, PARTICIPATION, SHARING OF DATA AND SAMPLES, AND ASSISTANCE IN INTERPRETATION OF RESEARCH RESULTS. END SUMMARY.

2. FEDOROV REQUESTED MEETING TO SUPPLY US WITH A COPY OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH ARTICLES THEY HAD PREPARED. FEDOROV STATED THAT SOVIET MINISTRIES HAD EXAMINED ALL ALTERNATIVES AND FOUND THE TEXT DISCUSSED BELOW WAS THE ONLY ONE ON WHICH AGREEMENT COULD BE REACHED. AFTER EXPLAINING VARIOUS MINOR PROVISIONS IN THE TEXT, HE ASKED THAT WE ARRANGE A MEETING WITH THEM LATER IN THE WEEK TO DISCUSS THEIR ARTICLES IN DETAIL. HE SAID THAT COPIES HAD BEEN GIVEN TO FRANCE, UNITED KINGDOM, SWITZERLAND, ITALY AND CANADA. WE HAVE INDICATIONS THAT SEVERAL DEVELOPING COUNTRIES ARE ALSO AWARE OF THEIR ARTICLES.

3. MAJOR PROVISIONS OF THE SOVIET TEXT FOLLOW:

QUOTE: ARTICLE 4. A. MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH CONCERNING THE CONTINENTAL SHELF, AS DEFINED IN THIS CONVENTION, AND UNDERTAKEN THERE SHALL BE CONDUCTED WITH THE CONSENT OF THE COASTAL STATE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH CONSENT SHALL BE ANSWERED WITHOUT UNDUE DELAY. THE COASTAL STATE HAS RIGHT TO DETERMINE CONDITIONS OF CARRYING OUT SUCH RESEARCH, TO PARTICIPATE OR TO BE REPRESENTED IN IT.

B. ARTICLE 5. WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO ARTICLE 6 BELOW, ALL STATES, WHETHER COASTAL OR LAND-LOCKED, ON AN EQUITABLE BASIS AND WITHOUT ANY DISCRIMINATION, AS WELL AS COMPETENT INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, ENJOY FREEDOM OF CONDUCTING MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH OF THE OPEN SEA INCLUDING THE SEA-BED BEYOND THE LIMITS OF THE ECONOMIC ZONE AND OF

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THE CONTINENTAL SHELF, AS DEFINED IN THIS CONVENTION, C, ARTICLE 6, IN THE ECONOMIC ZONE ESTABLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS CONVENTION, MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH RELATED TO THE EXPLORATION AND EXPLOITATION OF LIVING AND NON-LIVING RESOURCES OF THE ZONE SHALL BE CONDUCTED WITH THE CONSENT OF THE COASTAL STATE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH CONSENT SHALL BE SUBMITTED WELL IN ADVANCE AND SHALL BE ANSWERED WITHOUT UNDUE DELAY. THE COASTAL STATE HAS RIGHT TO DETERMINE CONDITIONS OF CARRYING OUT SUCH RESEARCH, TO PARTICIPATE OR TO BE REPRESENTED IN IT.

D. IN THE ECONOMIC ZONE ESTABLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS CONVENTION, MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH UNRELATED TO THE EXPLORATION AND EXPLOITATION OF LIVING AND NON-LIVING RESOURCES OF THE ZONE SHALL BE CONDUCTED AFTER AN ADVANCE NOTIFICATION OF THE COASTAL STATE CONCERNING THE PROPOSAL RESEARCH PROJECT.

E. THE NOTIFICATION MENTIONED IN PARA. D. ABOVE CONCERNING THE PROPOSED RESEARCH PROJECT SHALL BE TRANSMITTED TO THE COASTAL STATE AT LEAST 2 MONTHS IN ADVANCE. THE COASTAL STATE SHALL BE GIVEN:

(A) A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RESEARCH PROJECT, INCLUDING OBJECTIVES, METHODS AND INSTUMENTATION TO BE USED, LOCATIONS AND TIME SCHEDULE, AS WELL AS INFORMATION ON THE RESEARCH INSTITUTION CONCERNED;

(B) INFORMATION ON ANY MAJOR CHANGES WITH REGARD TO THE PROPOSED RESEARCH PROJECT;

(C) AN OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY IN THE RESEARCH PROJECT ABOARD SHIPS AT THE EXPENSE OF THE STATE CARRYING OUT THE RESEARCH PROJECT BUT WITHOUT ANY REMUNERATION BEING PAID BY IT TO THE SCIENTISTS OF THE COASTAL STATE;

(D) ACCESS TO ALL DATA AND SAMPLES OBTAINED IN THE COURSE OF THE RESEARCH PROJECT WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THE DATA AND SAMPLES DUPLICABLE OR DIVISIBLE WITHOUT ANY LOSS TO THEIR SCIENTIFIC VALUE SHALL BE PROVIDED TO THE COASTAL STATE AT ITS REQUEST;

(E) ASSISTANCE, AT ITS REQUEST, IN THE INTERPRETATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE RESEARCH PROJECT. END QUOTE.

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SUBJ: MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER
1. CORNEL METTERNICH, CHAIRMAN OF THE INFORMAL WORKING GROUP ON SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, CALLED A MEETING OF INTERESTED STATES TO DISCUSS PROGRAM OF WORK. AFTER PROTRACTED DISCUSSIONS IT WAS AGREED THAT INITIAL MEETINGS SHOULD FOCUS ON ITEMS NOT DISCUSSED IN CARACAS, PARTICULARLY QUOTE STATUS OF SCIENTIFIC EQUIPMENT IN THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT END QUOTE AND QUOTE RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY END QUOTE. WHILE MEETINGS ARE CONSIDERING THESE ITEMS, PRIVATE CONSULTATIONS SHOULD CONTINUE AMONG SPONSORS OF THE FOUR MAIN TRENDS SET FORTH IN L,17 TO FURTHER ELABORATE THEIR POSITION AND TO SEEK TO REDUCE THE ALTERNATIVES. INDIA'S SUGGESTION IN THE DISCUSSION THAT L,13, THE PROPOSAL OF THE GROUP OF 77, BE USED AS THE BASIC NEGOTIATING TEXT WAS NOT ACCEPTED BY THE INFORMAL GROUP.
2. METTERNICH SUGGESTED THAT IT MIGHT BE USEFUL TO SET ASIDE SEVERAL MEETINGS TO DISCUSS TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER. FEDOROV FROM USSR SIAD QUESTION OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER IS SOMEWHAT DEPENDENT UPON PROGRESS MADE ON SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH. HE THEN SUGGESTED THAT THE ISSUE OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER BE DEALT WITH AFTER THE ISSUE OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH WAS RESOLVED. INDIA QUICKLY AGREED, POINTING TO L,12 Tabled AT CARACAS. NO OBJECTIONS WERE RAISED TO THE SOVIET SUGGESTION AND IT WAS INFORMALLY AGREED.
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SUBJECT: LOS CONFERENCE; RULES OF PROCEDURE
1. GENERAL COMMITTEE AND PLENARY ADOPTED TODAY FOLLOWING
CHANGES TO RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR LOS CONFERENCE:
A. AMENDMENT TO RULE 56 QUOTE INSERT "ARABIC" AT
BEGINNING OF RULE UNQUOTE. COMMENT: ARABIC NOW IS
ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE OF CONFERENCE. END COMMENT.
B. NEW RULE CHAPTER 10 AS RULE 63 A QUOTE
OBSERVERS INVITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 3
OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3334 (XXIX)
1. REPRESENTATIVES DESIGNATED AS OBSERVERS PURSUANT
TO THE INVITATION EXTENDED BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL UNDER
PARAGRAPH 3 OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3334 (XXIX)
MAY PARTICIPATE, WITHOUT THE RIGHT TO VOTE, IN THE
DELIBERATIONS OF THE CONFERENCE, THE MAIN COMMITTEES
AND, AS APPROPRIATE, THE SUBSIDIARY ORGANS.
2. WRITTEN STATEMENTS OF SUCH OBSERVERS SHALL BE
DISTRIBUTED BY THE SECRETARIAT TO THE DELEGATIONS AT
THE CONFERENCE. UNQUOTE, DALE

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FROM : USUN - New York

DATE: 3/3/75

SUBJECT : Third United Nations Conference on Law of the Sea
Geneva-3/17/75 to 5/10/75 - Request for Names of
US Representatives
REF: USUN 342 of 1/31/75

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Enclosed are notes from the Under-SYG, Special Representative of the SYG to the Third UN Conference on LOS, dated 1/30/75, on the above subject.

Cable sent (1/31) regarding Saipan invitation (Ref).

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REFERENCE: LE 113(3-8)

30 January 1975

Sir,

..... I am directed by the Secretary-General to transmit a copy of General Assembly resolution 3334 (XXIX) of 17 December 1974 relating to the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea.

In pursuance of paragraph 1 of the resolution, the third session of the Conference will be convened at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, on Monday, 17 March, at 3.00 p.m. The closing date of the session has been set for Saturday, 10 May.

The Secretary-General would be grateful if your Government could inform him as soon as possible of the composition of your Government's delegation to this session. It would also be appreciated if corresponding credentials as appropriate in the light of rule 4 of the rules of procedure of the Conference (A/CONF.62/30/Rev.1) could be provided to the Secretariat prior to the opening date of the session.

..... I have the honour to enclose the provisional agenda of the third session, which is being circulated as document A/CONF.62/36.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Bernardo Zuleta

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Special Representative of the Secretary-General
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In accordance with paragraph 3 (c) of the resolution, the Secretary-General has directed me to transmit an invitation to the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands to attend future sessions of the Conference, if independent, as a participating State and, while not independent, as an observer. I would be grateful if you would inform the Executive Secretary of the Conference as soon as possible whether the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands intends to be represented at the third session of the Conference. It would be appreciated if the names of the designated representatives could be provided to the Executive Secretary prior to the opening date of the session. If the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands should achieve independence before or during the session, regular credentials would have to be submitted for its representatives in accordance with rule 4 of the rules of procedure (A/CONF.62/30/Rev.1).

Government of the Trust Territory
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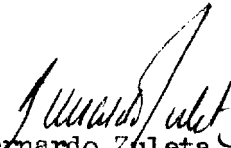
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A/RES/3334 (XXIX)
15 January 1975

Twenty-ninth session
Agenda item 26

RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

/without reference to a Main Committee (A/L.747 and Add.1 and 2)/

3334 (XXIX). Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 3067 (XXVIII) of 16 November 1973,

Noting the letter dated 29 August 1974 from the President of the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea to the President of the General Assembly 1/ regarding the decisions reached at the second session of the Conference, held at Caracas, from 20 June to 29 August 1974,

Noting further the decision of the Conference to invite national liberation movements recognized by the Organization of African Unity or by the League of Arab States operating in their respective regions to participate in its proceedings as observers without the right to vote,

Having considered the decision of the Conference, as contained in the letter of its President to the President of the General Assembly, that its next session should be held at Geneva from 17 March to 3 or 10 May 1975, the closing date to depend upon arrangements to be made with the World Health Organization,

Noting with satisfaction the decision of the World Health Organization, as communicated to the Secretary-General by its Director-General, to postpone the opening of the twenty-eighth World Health Assembly from 6 to 13 May 1975, 2/

1. Approves the convening of the next session of the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea for the period from 17 March to 10 May 1975 at Geneva;

1/ A/9721.

2/ See A/9721/Add.1.

2. Decides to authorize the Conference to include Arabic as an official and working language;

3. Requests the Secretary-General to invite:

(a) Papua New Guinea to attend any future session of the Conference, if independent, as a participating State and, while not independent, to attend as an observer;

(b) The Cook Islands, Netherlands Antilles, Niue, Surinam and the West Indies Associated States to attend any future session of the Conference as observers or, if any of them becomes independent, as a participating State;

(c) The Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands to attend any future session of the Conference as an observer;

4. Notes the decision of the Conference to accept the invitation of the Government of Venezuela to meet at Caracas at an appropriate date for the purpose of signing the Final Act and related instruments adopted by the Conference and authorizes the Secretary-General to make the necessary arrangements to that end.

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Provisional agenda of the third session of the Third United Nations
Conference on the Law of the Sea

1. Opening of the session by the President of the Conference
2. Minute of silence for prayer or meditation
3. Statement by the President
4. Organization of work
5. Consideration of the subject-matter referred to in paragraph 3 of General Assembly resolution 3067 (XXVIII) of 16 November 1973
6. Adoption (at Caracas) of a convention dealing with all matters relating to the law of the sea, pursuant to paragraph 3 of General Assembly resolution 3067 (XXVIII) of 16 November 1973, and of the final act of the Conference
7. Signature of the convention and the final act