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TAGS: PREL, PINS, PGOV, FK, AF, UR

SUBJECT: (C) MFA TO SOVIETS -- LAY OFF THE

- POLITICIANS

1. (U) THE PAKISTAN TIMES REPORTED AUGUST 4 THAT THE MFA HAD PUBLISHED A NOTICE TO DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS CAUTIONING AGAINST THE PARTICIPATION OF DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS IN THE ORGANIZATIONAL MEETINGS OF ANY POLITICAL PARTY.

2. (C) COMMENT: THIS NON-FRATERNIZATION ORDER IS DIRECTED AT THE SOVIETS AND AFGHANS. THE GOP WAS PARTICULARLY MIFFED AT THE WIDELY PUBLICIZED PRESENCE OF THE KARACHI AFGHAN CONSUL GENERAL AT THE JULY 26

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MEETING THERE AT WHICH THE NEW AWAMI NATIONAL PARTY
WAS PROCLAIMED. HIS PRESENCE AND A LATER MEETING
BETWEEN THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR AND ANP PRESIDENT WALI
KHAN PROMPTED CONSIDERABLE PRESS SPECULATION THAT THE
SOVIETS AND AFGHANS WERE BEHIND THE FORMATION OF THE
ANP. THE GOP HAS LONG TRIED TO KEEP A REIN ON THE
SOVIETS, BUT ISLAMABAD'S LEVERAGE IS LIMITED GIVEN
ITS DESIRE NOT TO CHILL FURTHER ALREADY STRAINED
RELATIONS. END COMMENT.

3. KABUL MINIMIZE CONSIDERED.

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