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FOLLOWING LETTER RECEIVED BY L'

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19 FEB 58

Thanks for your help in obtaining a US visa for Mr. GRADINAROV. Some unpleasant things have occurred in connection with STATEV. Our friends, BAHAROFF and GOSPODINOV from Washington, D. C. promised to send necessary money for a ticket to New York (for Statev in Rome). They however, sent only \$300. and STATEV's coming to N. Y. was jeopardized; this STATEV cabled me. Since I believe that STATEV's coming to N. Y. will enable me to arrange our internal matters in such a way that in the future everything connected with our work will depend only on me, I was forced yesterday, to send STATEV \$280. He will sign a receipt for this; therefore I beg you to be so king this month to have _______ give me \$300 when he comes to N. Y. instead of in the middle of the month. If there is any possibility for you to cover this expenditure I will be very thankful and obligated. If not I will be stuck with the expense. I am expecting a call from _______ on 25 Feb to arrange our meeting in New York.

Regards

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