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1.	TRECEIVED FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM CAL	LIDERIS] AIV	. 7
ADDRE	SS BY TELEPHONE CODE STATING SUBSTANTIALLY THA	T THROU	ion [. 7.
VENEZ	UKIAN GOVERNMENT SECRETIN OFFERED TO BUY MATER	IAL POR	THEIR	GROUP.

- 2. CALLIDERIS REQUESTED REPLY BY 21 JANUARY WHETHER OFFER SHOULD BE ACCEPTED AND IF SO SHOULD HEPROCEED TO VENEZUELA TO DISCUSS PLANS. DETAILS BEING MAILED FROM [] TO LINC.
- 3. [] IS OF OPINION OFFER SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FAVORABLY IF NOT TOO MANY STRINGS ATTACHED OWING ADVANTAGE OF CAMOUFLACTING AMERICAN ASSISTANCE.
 - 4. LINC COMMENT:
 - A. PENDING RECEIPT DETAILS BELIEVE SUBJECT SHOULD BE KEPT OPEN.

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B. BELIEVE MERIT IN ACCEPTING ABOVE ALTHOUGH FRAUGHT WITH SERIOUS CONSIDERATIONS SUCH AS COMMITMENTS AFTER ACTION AND TRUE MOTIVES OF OFFER.

C. SUGGEST FURTHER COMMENTS BE EXCHANGED IN TELECON 18 JAN.

END OF MESSAGE

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