

# **THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE CHECKLIST**

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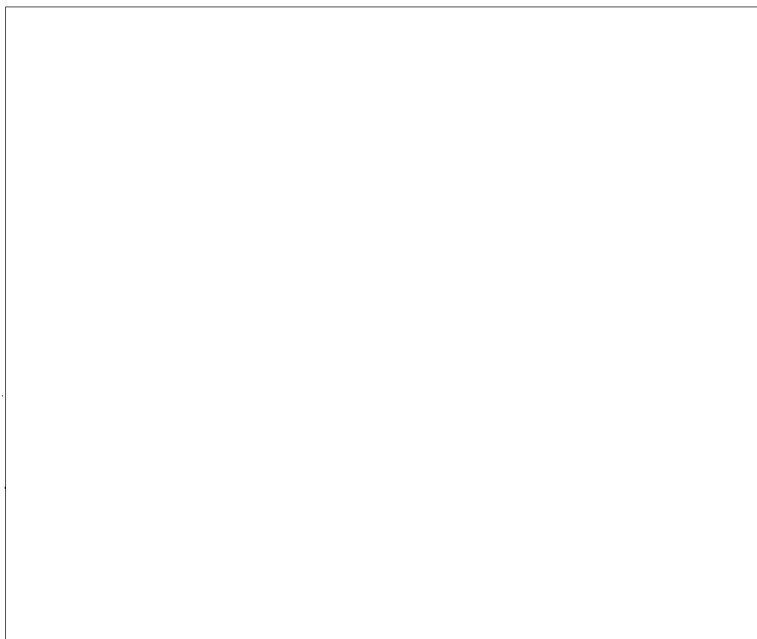
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1. Congo

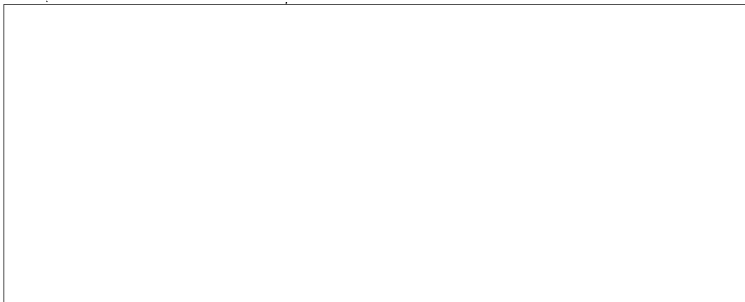
a. The Belgian paratroopers are scheduled to depart Ascension today and arrive in Brussels tomorrow.

b. Van Der Walle remains bogged down in Stanleyville. Rebel snipers are still much in evidence there and are endangering traffic at the airport.



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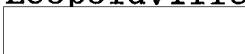
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f. The new Sudanese cabinet has decided to give all possible aid. Khartoum is already providing refuge for the principal rebel leaders.

g. Tshombé, off to see De Gaulle, says he will return to Leopoldville Wednesday.



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## 2. South Vietnam

a. The large, disorderly funeral procession in Saigon yesterday was in defiance of a government order and clearly intended as a show of Buddhist strength.

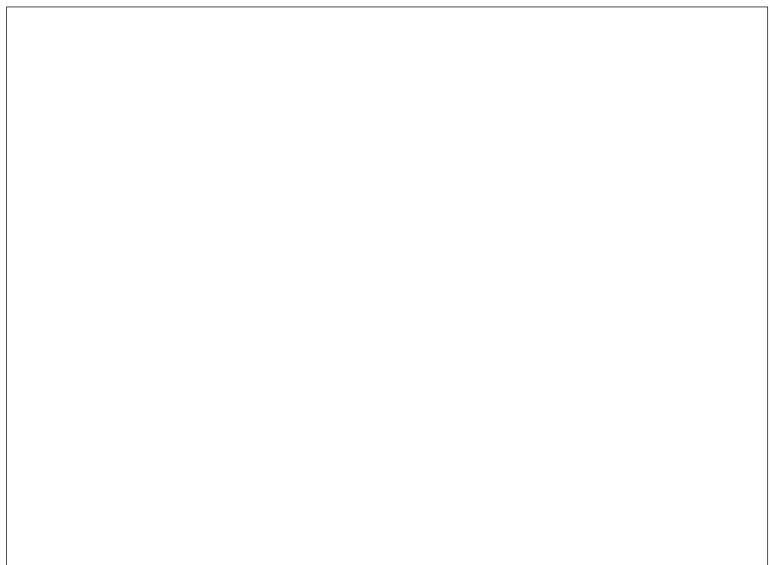
b. It was also a sign to Huong that Buddhist leaders, at least in Saigon, are as determined as ever to force a change in his government.

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c. Incensed by Huong's charge that the demonstrations and grenade throwings last week originated inside a Buddhist institution, Tam Chau says the Buddhists will not now be satisfied with a partial cabinet change. They will begin an "all-out nonviolence and non-cooperation" campaign if the government "continues on the present basis."

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3. Sino-Soviet

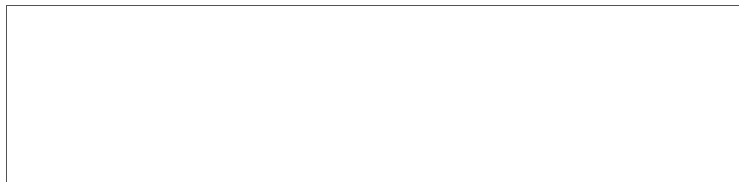


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4. Dominican Republic

a. Dominican leftists, sparked by the Castroite 14th of June movement, are trying to organize a general strike for Wednesday.

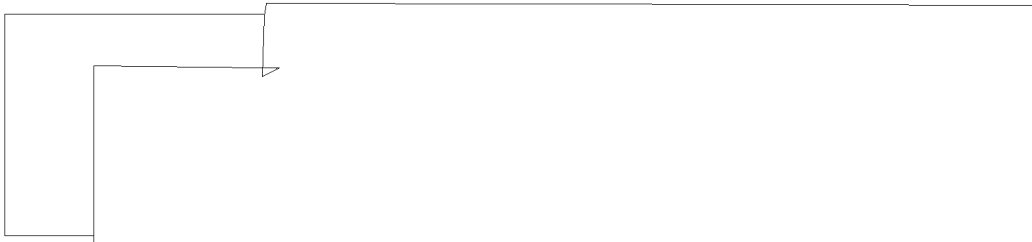
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c. At this juncture, however, Reid seems still to have the bulk of the military behind him. Also, Reid has just announced that Christmas bonuses will be paid, thus undercutting the pretext for the strike.

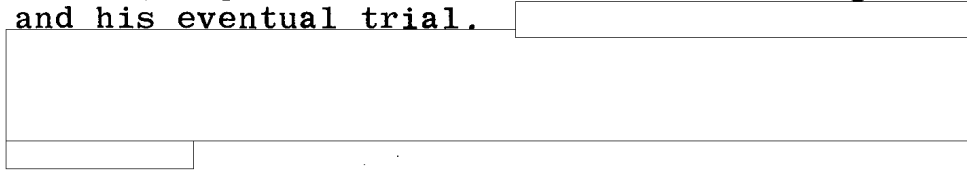
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B. France-US French officials are holding open the possibility that, if, as expected, Britain pulls out of the Concorde program, France may try to salvage it by seeking US help in the way of engines, other equipment, and technical know-how.

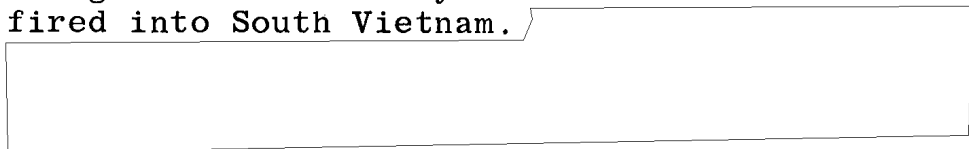
C. Brazil The Brazilian Chamber of Deputies yesterday approved the federal intervention in Goias State. Senate approval is due today. This could open the way for impeachment proceedings against troublesome Governor Borges and his eventual trial.



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D. South Vietnam - Cambodia US officials in Saigon say that there was another incident along the border today in which mortars were fired into South Vietnam.



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F. Iran Prime Minister Mansur, who rode into office eight months ago on a promise to revive the sick Iranian economy, has been unable to do so. His recent austerity moves have in fact generated strong antigovernment feelings and a number of strikes. This could lead the Shah, sensitive to his own prestige, to get rid of Mansur.

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H. Indonesia-Malaysia [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] the Indonesians are keeping their confrontation activities below the level which would provoke a British-Malaysian retaliation. [REDACTED]

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Communist China

a. [redacted] mission [redacted]  
[redacted] turned up evidence  
of early preparatory work at Lop  
Nor for China's second nuclear  
test.

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b. Since the last satellite  
photography [redacted] the  
Chinese have started work on a  
series of instrumentation trenches  
and a bunker in the test circle  
which was not used in October.

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d. Heavy cloud cover re-  
duced the utility of the mission's  
coverage of the USSR and Cuba.

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