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KISSINGER TRIP

WASHINGTON (AP)--PRESIDENT NIXON'S NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER HENRY A. KISSINGER LEAVES THURSDAY ON A 10-DAY FACT FINDING MISSION THAT WILL TAKE HIM TO SOUTH VIETNAM, PARIS AND OTHER FAR EAST COUNTRIES, THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY.

ON THE TRIP, KISSINGER WILL MEET WITH U.S. REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS AND WILL THEN REPORT DIRECTLY TO NIXON AND SECRETARY OF STATE WILLIAM P. ROGERS AT THE WESTERN WHITE HOUSE IN CALIFORNIA ON HIS RETURN AROUND JULY 12.

SAIGON IS LISTED AS THE FIRST STOP. KISSINGER ALSO WILL VISIT THAILAND, INDIA AND PAKISTAN AND STOP ON THE WAY HOME IN PARIS TO CONSULT THERE WITH THE CHIEF U.S. VIETNAM PEACE NEGOTIATOR, AMBASSADOR DAVID K. E. BRUCE

KISSINGER RETURNED EARLIER THIS WEEK FROM A TRIP TO LONDON.

NIXON IS PLANNING TO MOVE HIS OPERATIONS TO CALIFORNIA JULY 6 FOR WHAT IS EXPECTED TO BE A TWO-WEEK STAY. HE HAS ALREADY SCHEDULED TALKS ON THE DOMESTIC ECONOMY THERE WITH HIS CHIEF ECONOMIC SPOKESMAN, SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY JOHN B. CONNALLY AND A MAJOR DISCUSSION OF VIETNAM AND INDOCHINESE AFFAIRS SEEMS EVIDENT WITH TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT KISSINGER WILL MAKE A FACT FINDING REPORT THERE WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ROGERS ON HAND, TOO.

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