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FM AMEMBASSY LUSAKA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1792
INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS
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AMEMBASSY KINSHASA
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI
AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMEMBASSY PARIS

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TAGS: PFDR, PINS, CG, US, ZA

SUBJECT: ABORTIVE COUP; ZAIRE EMBASSY PRESS CONFERENCE

1. MY ZAIROIS DIPLOMATIC COLLEAGUE BANDE NYARENDE, HELD JUNE 24 PRESS CONFERENCE AT WHICH HE STATED THAT PLOTTERS AGAINST MOBUTU WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE BACKING OF CIA AND ALLEGED IT HAS BEEN "PROVED" IN KINSHASA THAT USG WAS INVOLVED IN ABORTIVE COUP. ZAMBIAN PRESS CARRIED REPORT OF PRESS CONFERENCE, THUS FAR WITHOUT EDITORIAL COMMENT.

2. SOME 200 ZAIROIS NATIONALS DEMONSTRATED IN SUPPORT MORUTU OUTSIDE ZAIRE EMBASSY OTHER DAY WITHOUT INCIDENT.
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