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BREMER/RODMAN FOR THE SECRETARY

TO: JERRY BREMER FOR SECRETARY KISSINGER

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT

1. I TALKED TO BUTZ ABOUT HIS PRESS CONFERENCE (HAKT056).
2. HE TOLD ME THAT WHAT HE HAD PLANNED HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE FOOD CONFERENCE. BEFORE THE CONFERENCE HE IS GOING TO BRUSSELS TO MEET WITH LARDANOIS, E.C. COMMISSINER FOR AGRICULTURE. THIS IS A RETURN VISIT FOR ONE LARDANOIS MADE TO THE UNITED STATES AND DISCUSSIONS WILL RELATE TO US-EC BILATERAL AGRICULTURAL ISSUES. WHEN LARDANOIS WAS HERE, HE AND BUTZ HELD A JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE AT THE END OF THEIR SESSION AND THIS IS WHAT HE HAD PLANNED TO DO IN BRUSSELS.
3. BUTZ' POSITION IS THAT SINCE THE PRESS CONFERENCE IS IN BRUSSELS AND UNRELATED TO THE FOOD CONFERENCE HE SEES NO PROBLEM AT ALL. I TOLD HIM I WOULD CONVEY THIS TO YOU. HE DID NOT INDICATE THAT HE WOULD REFUSE TO CANCEL THE PRESS CONFERENCE, ONLY THAT HE DID NOT SEE THAT IT WAS AN ISSUE. WHAT DO WISH ME TO DO?

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