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PANMUNJOM INCIDENT

Final Situation Report as of 0600 Hours, August 22

Situation Remains Calm

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Media Reaction

The latest North Korean media commentary follows along previous lines, calling the tree cutting an unpardonable open challenge carried out under direct instructions of U.S. "ruling circles". Commentary also lists U.S. military moves to support assertion that the U.S. is trying to ignite a war. However, commentary also includes the theme that the U.S. should be aware of North Korean readiness and act "discreetly" and "sensibly".

Yugoslavia Reportedly Urged North Korea to Raise Demands

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Tito reportedly advised Kim to raise in as sharp a manner as possible prior to the Non-Aligned Conference the question of Korean reunification and the presence of U.S. troops in South Korea, and if possible to provoke some clash or violation at the DMZ.

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