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AUGUST 18, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL SCORCROFT

FROM THE SITUATION ROOM

SUBJECT: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ITEMS

SOVIET NAVAL DEPLOYMENT TO THE CARIBBEAN: THE 18TH SOVIET
NAVAL DEPLOYMENT TO THE CARIBBEAN BEGAN LAST WEEK. CARIBBEAN
DEPLOYMENTS NORMALLY CONSIST OF TWO PRINCIPAL SURFACE COMB-
BATANTS, AN AUXILIARY, AND AT LEAST ONE SUBMARINE. HOWEVER,
DURING THE LAST THREE NAVAL DEPLOYMENTS NO SUBMARINES HAVE
BEEN INVOLVED. THE LAST NAVAL DEPLOYMENT TOOK PLACE IN JUNE
1975, MAKING THIS THE LONGEST GAP BETWEEN DEPLOYMENTS SINCE
THEY BEGAN IN 1969.
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