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 ROUTINE  
 IN 19688

TO ( ) INFO DIR CITE ( ) 5304

PSYCH

1. SHORIKI MATSUTARO, PUBLISHER YOMIURI SHIMBUN AND OWNER LEADING TELEVISION STATION, RECENTLY APPROACHED BY THAI SATHIN SOMYANG SARASAS. GIVES ADDRESS AS 205/1 SAWASDI ROAD, BANGKAPI, BANGKOK. DESIRES ESTABLISH THAI TELEVISION COOPERATION WITH SHORIKI'S JAPANESE FIRM. SARASAS TALKING IN GRAND TERMS HIS CONNECTIONS SEA IN GENERAL AND AMONG INDIAN CONGRESS PARTY SECOND RANKERS.
2. SHORIKI, WHO UNCONTROLLED BUT COOPERATIVE STATION CONTACT, REQUESTS ESTIMATE GENUINENESS SARASAS PERSONAL INFLUENCE AMONG PRESENT THAI GOVT AND ANY DATA AVAILABLE HIS FINANCIAL STATUS AND ABILITY PROMOTE FAIRLY HIGH COST CAPITALIZATION.
3. WE WILLING ATTEMPT ADJUST INFO MEET YOUR OPL INTEREST.

END OF MESSAGE

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