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MR HAIG AT AIRPORT

"Only yesterday I had planned to go on to Buenos Aires, the continuation of our effort to help in this crisis, but difficulties developed to change those plans. We have now received some new ideas. I repeat, we have now received some new ideas and while the parties are considering these ideas it will provide an opportunity for me to return to Washington to report to President Reagan prior to proceeding on to Buenos Aires shortly."

Q. As you disappointed at the outcome?

A. Well, I don't describe myself as disappointed or anything else. As I say, we are considering some new ideas.

Q. Can you give any guidance as to what they are, sir?

A. Not at all.

Q. There are reports that Chile has closed its borders with Argentina and is moving its fleet south. Do you think this represents a potentially explosive situation in this area?

A. I think the whole situation in the region is dangerous and increasingly so therefore there is a great urgency in finding a political solution in conformance with UN resolution 502.

Q. Are you going back?

A. I said I am returning to Washington and then to Buenos Aires.

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