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YOUR TELNO.325 : THE FALKLANDS.

- 1. I SPOKE IMMEDIATELY TO DE SOTO, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL, MAKING IT CLEAR THAT I WAS SPEAKING ON INSTRUCTIONS.
- 2. DE SOTO TOOK NOTE. HE SAID THE SECRETARY GENERAL WAS AWARE THERE WAS A DIFFERENCE OF VIEW OVER WHETHER OR NOT HE STILL HAD A MANDATE UNDER SCR 505. BUT WE COULD BE SURE THAT THE SECRETARY GENERAL WOULD PRESENT A REPORT AND THAT IT WOULD BE TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. IT WOULD NECESSARILY BE SHORT. DE SOTO DID NOT DISCLOSE WHETHER THE REPORT WOULD BE COUCHED IN TERMS OF SCR 505, GA RESOLUTION 37/9, OR BOTH

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THIS TELEGRAM WAS NOT, ADVANCED

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