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FROM GIBRALTAR 160840Z DEC 82

TO IMMEDIATE FCO TEL NO 118 OF 16 12 82 AND IMMEDIATE MADRID INFO RABAT

MY TELNO 116 GIBRALTAR FRONTIER

IN THE SECOND TWELVE HOURS 6554 PEOPLE CROSSED FROM SPAIN TO GIBRALTAR THROUGH THE LAND FRONTIER AND 5263 PASSED FROM GIBRALTAR TO SPAIN

- 2. 46 PERSONS WERE REFUSED ENTRY INTO SPAIN BY THE SPANISH AUTHORITIES
- 3. ONLY A MINIMUM OF HAND BAGGAGE (EG A PLASTIC SHOPPING BAG) IS BEING PERMITTED BY THE SPANIARDS WHO SPECIFICALLY REJECT SUITCASES. WILLIAMS

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ADDITIONAL DISTRIBUTION GIBRALTAR

> THIS TELEGRAM WAS NOT ADVANCED

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FROM GIBRALTAR 151540Z DECEMBER
TO IMMEDIATE FCO TEL NO 116 OF 15.12.82
AND INFO IMMEDIATE MADRID AND ROUTINE RABAT



GIBRALTAR FRONTIER

DURING THE FIRST TWELVE HOURS OF OPENING 1635 PEOPLE CROSSED FROM SPAIN TO GIBRALTAR THROUGH THE SPANISH FRONTIER AND 732 FROM GIBRALTAR TO SPAIN. IT IS EXPECTED THAT LATER TODAY THESE FIGURES WILL COME INTO BALANCE AS SPANIARDS RETURN HOME.

2. EIGHTEEN PERSONS WERE REFUSED ENTRY INTO SPAIN BY THE SPANISH AUTHORITIES ON THE GROUNDS THAT THEY COULDNOT PROVE RESIDENCE INGIBRALTAR

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