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Seen by PM
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PS
PS/MR HURD
PS/MR ONSLOW
PS/PUS
MR BULLARD
SIR I SINCLAIR
MR GIFFARD
MR WRIGHT
MR ADAMS
LORD N G LENNOX
LORD BRIDGES
MR URE
MR GILLMORE
HD/PUSD
HD/S AM D
HD/DEF DEPT
HD/NEWS DEPT
HD/ERD
HD/ECD(E)
HD/UND
HD/PLANNING STAFF
MR ANTHONY WILLIAMS W60
~~EMERGENCY ROOM~~
RESIDENT CLERK

PS/NO 10 DOWNING ST (2)
PS/S OF S FOR DEFENCE
MR J STEWART AUSD STAFF MOD
PS/CHANCELLOR)
MR ILETT) TREASURY
MR LITTLER)
SIR R ARMSTRONG)
SIR M PALLISER) CABINET
MR WADE-GERY) OFFICE
MR FULLER SAPU/DIO)
DIO)
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FROM MONTEVIDEO 141412Z MAY 82
TO ROUTINE FCO
TELEGRAM NUMBER 306 OF 14 MAY 1982.

ARGENTINA : SANCTIONS.

1. URUGUAYAN PRESS OF 12 MAY REPORTS THAT SANCTIONS AGAINST ARGENTINA ARE AFFECTING URUGUAY'S DEVELOPING FISHERIES INDUSTRY. IT STATES FIRST THAT SANCTIONS ARE RESTRICTING SPACE FOR SHIPMENTS TO EUROPE AS THIS IS NORMALLY AVAILABLE ON VESSELS WHOSE MAIN PORT OF CALL IS BUENOS AIRES. IT GOES ON TO SAY THAT, WITH THE LOSS OF EUROPEAN MARKETS, ARGENTINA IS PURSUING THE UNITED STATES MARKET MORE AGGRESSIVELY AND OFFERING PRICES WITH WHICH OTHER FISH EXPORTING COUNTRIES (INCLUDING URUGUAY) CANNOT COMPETE. WE HAD PREVIOUSLY HEARD FROM A LOCAL CONTACT THAT SIMILAR ARGENTINE POLICY WAS AFFECTING URUGUAYAN CORNED BEEF SALES TO UNITED STATES.

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