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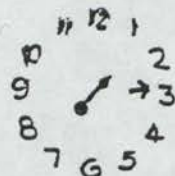
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INFO IMMEDIATE TOKYO, DUBLIN, KAMPALA, KINSHASA, AMMAN,
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YOUR TELNO 33: FALKLANDS: SECURITY COUNCIL

FOLLOWING FROM PRIVATE SECRETARY



1. THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S INSTRUCTIONS TO POSTS ON
THE FOUR POINTS IN YOUR T.U.R. ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. JAPAN. THE PRIME MINISTER AND HE SPOKE STRONGLY TO
THEIR JAPANESE OPPOSITE NUMBERS HERE ON 5 JUNE. THEY
GOT NO CLEAR EXPLANATION AND NOT MUCH IN A WAY OF
APOLOGY. HM AMBASSADOR TOKYO SHOULD SPEAK APPROPRIATELY
AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, EXPRESSING ASTONISHMENT THAT
JAPAN SHOULD HAVE PREFERRED THE COMPANY OF THE SOVIET
UNION, POLAND AND PANAMA, TO THAT OF EG FRANCE AND
JORDAN, NOT TO SPEAK OF BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.
HE SHOULD ALSO SAY THAT IT DOES NOT APPEAR TO US THAT
ANY EFFORT WAS MADE TO RECONSIDER THE JAPANESE POSITION
EVEN AFTER THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S PERSONAL TELEPHONE
CONVERSATION WITH THE JAPANESE FOREIGN MINISTER HERE
LATE ON 4 JUNE.

B. IRELAND. SIR L FIGG SHOULD TAKE THE LINE THAT IT IS
BECOMING HARDER AND HARDER TO RECONCILE THE PERFORMANCE
OF THE IRISH DELEGATION AT THE UN WITH IRELAND'S COMMIT-
MENTS UNDER THE BASIC DOCUMENTS OF POLITICAL COOPERATION
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C. UGANDA AND ZAIRE. POSTS SHOULD ACT AS YOU SUGGEST. KAMPALA SHOULD SAY THAT OUR DISAPPOINTMENT IS PARTICULARLY STRONG IN THE CASE OF UGANDA, WHICH HAD HITHERTO SHOWN SUCH A CLEAR-SIGHTED UNDERSTANDING OF THE BASIC ISSUES AT STAKE IN THE FALKLAND CRISIS.

D. JORDAN ETC. THIS IS COVERED BY UKDEL VERSAILLES TELNO 1 TO GEORGETOWN OF 5 JUNE.

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