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YOUR TELNO 142 TO BRUSSELS: ARGENTINA: ECONOMIC SANCTIONS

1. IN REPLY TO YOUR COMMUNICATION I HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING
COMMENT FROM STATE SECRETARY BERG WHICH HE HAS ASKED ME TO
CONVEY TO YOU ON BEHALF OF THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT.

2. NORWEGIAN ECONOMIC SANCTIONS WERE IMPOSED AS A MEANS OF
FOLLOWING UP AND GIVING EFFECT TO SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION
502 FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF ARGENTINE FORCES AND A NEGOTIATED
SETTLEMENT. AS LONG AS THE CONDITIONS OF RESOLUTION 502 ARE NOT
FULFILLED THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT SEES NO REASON TO MAKE ANY
CHANGE IN THEIR SANCTIONS.

FULFILLED THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT SEES NO REASON TO MAKE ANY CHANGE IN THEIR SANCTIONS ARRANGEMENTS, BUT IF THE SITUATION DEVELOPED AFTER THE ARGENTINES HAD BEEN FORCED TO LEAVE THE FALKLAND ISLANDS NORWAY WOULD HAVE TO CONSIDER THE QUESTION AGAIN. ANY DECISION WOULD DEPEND INTER ALIA ON WHAT OTHER COUNTRIES DECIDED TO DO AS WELL AS NORWAY'S OWN ASSESSMENT OF WHAT SEEMED THE WISEST COURSE. IF THERE WERE TO BE ANY QUESTION OF CONTINUING SANCTIONS BEYOND FULFILLMENT OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF RESOLUTION 502 THE GOVERNMENT WOULD NEED TO CONSULT THE STORTING AGAIN, BUT BERG EMPHASISED, AT PRESENT NORWAY ENVISAGED NO CHANGE IN THEIR POLICY. HE ALSO MADE IT PLAIN TO ME THAT ALTHOUGH THE PARLIAMENT RISES TOMORROW FOR THE SUMMER RECESS MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE WILL BE AVAILABLE AT ANY TIMEV.

3. BERG ADDED THAT HE READ BETWEEN THE LINES THAT THE UNITED KINGDOM SAW A RISK OF THE ARGENTINES CONTINUING HOSTILITIES AFTER THEY HAD BEEN FORCED OUT AND THIS WAS RATHER OMINOUS. I SAID THAT THIS INDEED HOW I READ THE MESSAGE BEARING IN MIND THAT THE FALKLAND ISLANDS WERE WITHIN AIR REACH OF THE ARGENTINE MAINLAND NOR SHOULD WE FORGET IN TALKING ABOUT PORT STANLEY THAT THERE WAS ALSO THE QUESTION OF WEST FALKLAND.

4. THIS REPLY IS A BIT OPAQUE, BUT I DO NOT THINK IT SHOWS ANY INCLINATION TO BE UNHELPFUL. THE QUESTION HAS HAD TO BE CONSIDERED VERY RAPIDLY, TOGETHER WITH THEIR PROBLEMS OVER UNIFIL FOLLOWING STRAY'S RETURN FROM THE NATO SUMMIT AND HIS NEED TO DEPUTISE FOR WILLOCH AT THE SPECIAL SESSION IN NEW YORK BECAUSE THE LATTER HAS 'FLU.

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