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HIPT: FALKLANDS

- 1. FOLLOWING IS OUR SUMMARY/TRANSLATION OF THE ARGENTINE NOTE OF 18 JUNE.
- 2. THE FIRST FEW PARAGRAPHS OF THE NOTE DEAL WITH THE MILITARY OPERATIONS ON EAST FALKLAND, THE ARGENTINE SURRENDER ON 14 JUNE, CUR ALLEGED REFUSAL TO IMPLEMENT OPERATIVE PARAGRAPHS 1 AND 3 OF SCR 502, OUR VETO ON 4 JUNE AND ARGENTINA'S REFUSAL TO ACCEPT THE PERPETUATION OF A SITUATION OF COLONIAL DOMINATION IN THE SOUTH ATLANTIC.
- 3. THE NEXT PARAGRAPH READS:
- "ARGENTINA COMES BACK AGAIN TODAY TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO ESTABLISH CLEARLY, AS IT HAS ON PREVIOUS OCCASIONS, ITS FULL READINESS TO IMPLEMENT RESOLUTIONS 582 AND 585. MY COUNTRY HOPES AT THE SAME TIME THAT THE COUNCIL WILL PURSUE ITS EFFORTS TO GET THE UNITED KINGDOM TO IMPLEMENT THOSE PESCLUTIONS IN FULL".
- 4. THE NOTE THEN REFERS TO OUR EXCLUSION ZONES AND THE EC SANCTIONS, AND TO YESTERDAY'S NOTE FROM THE ARGENTINE MISSION ABOUT THE SITUATION IN SOUTHERN THE PROPERTY THE ARGENTINE MISSION

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5. THE NOTE CONTINUES:

"THERE EXISTS DE FACTO IN PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES A CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES WHICH ARGENTINA IS OBSERVING. BUT THIS CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES WILL BE PRECARIOUS AS LONG AS THE BRITISH ATTITUDE, AS SHOWN BY THE MILITARY OCCUPATION, THE BLOCKADE AND THE ECONOMIC AGRESSION, CONTINUES. THE COMPLETE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES WILL ONLY BE ACHIEVED WHEN THE UNITED KINGDOM LIFTS ITS SEA AND AIR BLOCKADE AND THE ECONOMIC SANCTIONS ALREADY REFERRED TO AND WHEN IT WITHDRAWS ITS MILITARY OCCUPATION FORCES ON THE ISLANDS, THE NAVAL TASK FORCE AND THE MUCLEAR SUBMARINES WHICH IT HAS DEPLOYED IN THE WATERS OF THE REGION.

ARGENTINA INDICATES ONCE AGAIN THAT ONLY A REGOTIATION CONDUCTED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS, FOR WHICH ARGENTINA HAS ALWAYS BEEN READY, CAN LEAD TO THE DEFINITIVE SCLUTICH OF THE DISPUTE, REMOVING THE SITUATION OF ILLEGAL COLONIAL DOMINATION, SUSTAINED BY FORCE AND WHICH IN ITSELF CONSTITUTES A PERMANENT THREAT TO PEACE."

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