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TELNO 1350 OF 19 APRIL 1982.

FOLLOWING FOR GILLMORE

MY TELNO 1345: EQUIPMENT

1. EAGLEBURGER HAS JUST TELEPHONED MINISTER TO REINFORCE THIS MESSAGE. HE WILL TAKE STEPS HIMSELF TO TRY TO ENSURE THAT THIS DOES NOT LEAK HERE. HE UNDERLINED THAT IF ONE WORD OF IT LEAKED OUT, IT WOULD PUT PAID TO ANY CHANCES OF HELPING US WITH FURTHER REQUESTS.

2. GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD UNDERLINE THIS MESSAGE WITH THE MOD. IT WILL PRESUMABLY BE NECESSARY TO TAKE PRECAUTIONS NOT ONLY IN LONDON BUT ON ASCENSION ISLAND AND ON THE SHIPS THEMSELVES.

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1. BURT HAS JUST TOLD US THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAVE GOT THE PRESIDENT'S AUTHORITY TO RELEASE THE EQUIPMENT WE HAVE BEEN SEEKING. BURT ADDED THAT, IF HAIG'S NEGOTIATING EFFORTS FAILED, THERE WOULD NO DOUBT BE FURTHER REQUESTS. US OFFICIALS WOULD WANT TO HELP US OVER THESE BUT WOULD BE TOTALLY UNABLE TO DO SO IF ANY WORD LEAKED OUT THAT THE PRESENT EQUIPMENT WAS BEING SUPPLIED. HE EMPHASIZED THAT ALL DEALINGS ON THIS SUBJECT MUST BE CONDUCTED WITH HIM, EAGLEBURGER AND THE US CHIEFS OF STAFF AND WITH NO ONE ELSE IN THE PENTAGON. WE SAID THAT THE POINT WAS TAKEN: WE HOPED HE HAD MADE THIS EQUALLY CLEAR TO THE PENTAGON. BURT SAID THAT HE HAD DONE SO. GENERAL BOAM IS NOW IN TOUCH WITH THE CHIEFS OF STAFF ABOUT DESPATCH ARRANGEMENTS.

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