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MYTELNO 158: ANGLO-ITALIAN SUMMIT: PROGRAMME AND ADMINISTRATION
DETAILS.

PROGRAMME

1. REVISED TIMINGS FOR THE MORNING PROGRAMME NOW AGREED WITH
THE ITALIANS, AS FOLLOWS:-

0700 PRIME MINISTER'S PARTY DEPART HEATHROW (SOUTH SIDE)

1005 ARRIVE PISA

1015 LEAVE FOR FLORENCE BY HELICOPTER

1045 ARRIVE FLORENCE (PERETOLA AIRPORT)

1105 PARTY ARRIVES PALAZZO PITTI. FORMAL GREETING BY CRAXI

1115 PRIME MINISTER'S TETE A TETE WITH CRAXI AND INDIVIDUAL
MEETINGS BETWEEN MINISTERS

1215 PRIME MINISTERS JOINED BY FOREIGN MINISTERS

1245 PLENARY SESSION

C. 1330 PLENARY ENDS. FOREIGN MINISTERS SIGN EXTRADITION AGREEMENT.

PROGRAMME THEN CONTINUES AS IN TUR. SINCE WE HAVE NOW BEEN
INFORMED THAT THE HELICOPTER JOURNEY TO PISA TAKES 30 MINUTES
A DEPARTURE TIME FROM FLORENCE AIRPORT OF 1715 WOULD MEAN,
ALLOWING 10 MINUTES FOR TRANSFER TO THE VC10, A DEPARTURE
FROM PISA AT 1755.

GREETING ARRANGEMENTS AT PISA AIRPORT

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2. SEN. PAOLO BARSACCHI, UNDER SECRETARY (IE JUNIOR MINISTER) OF THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR WILL MEET THE PRIME MINISTER OFF THE VC10, ACCOMPANIED BY MINISTER RIZZO VENCI OF MFA PROTOCOL. BARSACCHI (WHO DOES NOT SPEAK ENGLISH) WILL TRAVEL IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S HELICOPTER AND RIZZO VENCI IN THE SECOND HELICOPTER TO FLORENCE. BOTH WILL GO BY SEPARATE CAR FROM FLORENCE AIRPORT TO PALAZZO PITTI. BARSACCHI WILL ALSO SAY FAREWELL TO THE PRIME MINISTER AT PISA AIRPORT. THE SAME ARRANGEMENTS AS FOR ARRIVAL WILL APPLY IN REVERSE.

DEPARTURE ARRANGEMENTS AT PALAZZO PITTI

3. PALAZZO CHIGI HAVE SAID THAT CRAXI WILL NOW FORMALLY BID FAREWELL AT 1615 FROM THE MAIN COURTYARD. ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE SIMILAR TO THOSE ON ARRIVAL (A GUARD OF HONOUR AND THE NATIONAL ANTHEM). THE PRIME MINISTER WILL THEN WALK FROM THE COURTYARD TO THE BEGINNING OF THE VASARI CORRIDOR.

SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS

4. THE ITALIANS HAVE UNDERTAKEN TO ORGANISE A SYSTEM OF IDENTIFICATION BADGES FOR THE DELEGATION MEMBERS AND ACCREDITED JOURNALISTS. DETAILS TO FOLLOW.

GIFTS

5. HIS OFFICE SAY THAT CRAXI WILL WISH TO PRESENT HIS GIFT TO THE PRIME MINISTER DURING OR AT THE END OF THE TETE A TETE. WE SUGGEST THAT THE PRIME MINISTER BE READY TO DO THE SAME.

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