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1. FOLLOWING, AS WELL AS EARLIER, CABLES THIS SERIES INTENDED
 PRIMARILY AS OPERATIONAL AID FOR ESTABLISHING CONTACT IN DEVELOPMENTAL
 CONVERSATIONS WITH SOVIETS FOR PURPOSES OF ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION.
 INTELLIGENCE SHOULD BE REGARDED AS USEFUL BY-PRODUCT. PER PARA 1 REF,
 THIS GUIDANCE (SLIGHTLY GEARED TO UPCOMING HOLIDAYS) MAY BE OFFERED TO
 ODACID AND OTHER COLLEAGUES OR USED IN SUITABLE OPERATIONAL SITUATIONS.
 MUST BE BORNE IN MIND SOVIETS ATTEMPT DISINFORM THRU SOCIAL CONTACTS WITH
 WESTERNERS. DETAILS OF CONTACTS SHOULD NORMALLY BE REPORTED THROUGH OPS
 CHANNELS. HQ WILL SCREEN FOR VALID INTEL.

2. a) SMOOTH TRANSITION OF POWER IN U.S. TO JOHNSON HAS AROUSED WORLD-
 WIDE ADMIRATION. DO YOU SEE ANY IMPLICATIONS OR LESSONS IN THIS FOR SOVIET
 UNION AND UPCOMING TRANSITION TO KHRUSHCHEV SUCCESSOR. HOW SOVIET TRANSITION
 LIKELY TAKE PLACE AND WHAT ARE LEGAL MECHANICS OF TRANSITION?

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REHABILITATION OF THOSE WHO OPPOSED SUCH STALIN PROGRAM, SUCH AS BUKHARIN? IN DRIVE FOR CHEMICALIZATION IS NOT KERUSHELEV AGAIN REPEATING THIS FUNDAMENTAL STALIN ERROR OF IDEALANCE? OR DOES HE FEEL HE HAS ADEQUATE BASE IN RESEARCH, PRECISION INSTRUMENTATION, MITS, RAW MATERIALS, SKILLED LABOR AND TRANSPORTATION, ETC THAT LARGE SCALE CHEM INDUSTRY INEXORABLY DEMANDS.

e) AT KERUSHELEV-STALIN LEVEL, WHAT IS "ECONOMIC ERROR" AND "ECONOMIC CRIME CRIME?" STALIN HAS BEEN ACCUSED OF BOTH.

f) SOME EUROPEAN WRITERS READ INTO SOV-CHINESE CONFLICT AND MOSCOW INABILITY TO CONVOKE WORLD COMMUNIST CONF. FOR ANNIVERSARY OF REVOLUTION AS EVIDENCE IRREVERSIBLE FRAGMENTATION AND DECLINE OF COMMUNIST MOVEMENT UNDER IMPACT OF EVENTS INCREASING HUMAN DESIRES, AND SPECTACULAR WORLD PROGRESS IN TECHNOLOGY, PARTICULARLY WEAPONS, TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS. DO YOU THINK THERE'S ANY TRUTH IN THIS? IF NOT, WOULD YOU SAY THAT COMMUNISM IS COPING WITH WORLD PROBLEMS ADEQUATELY; HOW IS COMMUNIST MOTTO NOW "WORKERS OF WORLD, DISUNITE?"

g) FROM MOSCOW POINT OF VIEW, SOVIET OR EAST GERMAN OFFICIALS WHO LITERALLY KNOCKED HOLE IN BERLIN WALL FOR INFLOX OF XMAS VISITORS TO EAST BERLIN SHOULD BE FIRED FOR COMMITTING DISASTROUS PROPAGANDA BLUNDER BEFORE

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WORLD OPINION. HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT IT? THEY REAWAKENED EVERY FEELING OF REVULSION AND HUMAN DEGRADATION THE WALL REPRESENTS, BY FORCING PEOPLE TO CRAWL THROUGH A HOLE IN ORDER TO VISIT KIN ON SENTIMENTALLY MOST MEANINGFUL RELIGIOUS HOLIDAY. IS THIS THE KIND OF THING TO BE EXPECTED OF A MATURE NATION AND ONE THAT CLAIMS TO VALUE SENTIMENT AND CHILDREN AS MUCH AS INDIVIDUAL RUSSIANS DO? HOW DO YOU EXPLAIN IT?

b) IN ALL RUSSIAN WRITINGS - OLD AND NEW - MOST FREQUENT SIGNIFICANT WORD IS "INTELIGENTSIA." WHAT DOES IT ACTUALLY MEAN AND WHO CONSTITUTES SOVIET INTELIGENTSIA NOW. ARE YOU MEMBER INTELIGENTSIA AUTOMATICALLY BY VIRTUE YOUR DIPLOMATIC SERVICE? WHO ARE ITS FOREMOST SPOKESMEN?

1) RUSSIAN WRITER TYUTCHEV HAS SAID: "NOT WITH MIND IS RUSSIA COMPREHENDED, -- IN RUESIA YOU MUST JUST BELIEVE." WOULD YOU CARE TO COMMENT ON THIS AND RUSSIAN QUALITIES LEADING THE POET TO SUCH CONCLUSION?

3. SEPARATE ^{MESSAGE} ~~MESSAGE~~ FOLLOWS WITH DETAILED GUIDANCE ON LATEST SOVIET ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS.

4. IN ORDER MAKE THIS GUIDANCE AS USEFUL AS POSSIBLE, REQUEST ADDRESSEES INFORM HQ OF WAYS IN WHICH IT IS USED AND/OR MIGHT BE IMPROVED FOR LOCAL USE. ALSO ADVISE IF NOT NEEDED YOUR SECTION.

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