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FOIA CASE # 12-F-1306

FOR U/S KANTER FROM THE AMBASSADOR

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SUBJECT: ~~SECRET~~

REF: STATE 339762

1. ~~SECRET~~ ENTIRE TEXT

2. THE REFERENCED MESSAGE WAS WAITING FOR ME AT THE  
OPENING OF BUSINESS ON 15 OCTOBER AND I BRIEFED KIM CHONG  
WNI AT 1430 THIS AFTERNOON.

3. ON THE BASIS OF A VERY HELPFUL O-1 FROM THE DESK  
RECEIVED ON THE MORNING OF 12 OCTOBER INDICATING THAT

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GAVE HIM A PRELIMINARY ALERT THAT IT WAS HIGHLY LIKELY  
THAT HE WOULD BE FORMALLY NOTIFIED OF A DECISION SOON. ON  
THE BASIS OF THAT HE HAD BRIEFED PRESIDENT ROH ON THE  
12TH. ROH'S REACTION HAD BEEN BASICALLY POSITIVE; THE  
PRESIDENT COMMENTED THAT IT WOULD BE EASIER TO GET A

DASD(LM)5 U.S.C. 552 (b)(1);  
E.O. 13526 & 14176(A)

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RESOLUTION THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL  
CALLING ON NORTH KOREA TO ABOLISH ITS NUCLEAR PROGRAM

4. KIM'S REACTION TO THE FORMAL NOTIFICATION TODAY WAS SMOOTH AND UNRUFFLED. HE SAID HE WOULD MEET WITH THE FOREIGN AND DEFENSE MINISTERS (AS WELL AS THE HEAD OF THE NSP) ON THURSDAY TO GET THEIR REACTIONS. HE DID NOT SIGNAL THAT HE EXPECTED ANY PARTICULARLY NEGATIVE VIBRATIONS. I WILL MEET WITH KIM ON THE 21ST AFTER HE HAS HAD DEALT WITH THE TOP OF THE KOREAN BUREAUCRACY.

5. [REDACTED] HE NOTED THAT PRESIDENT ROH "IS PARTICULARLY HIGH ON THE PATRIOT MISSILE" AND MADE NO OTHER REFERENCE TO POSSIBLE SECURITY AUGMENTATIONS IN KOREA.

6. POLCOUNS WILL BRIEF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS LATER TODAY. KIM CHONG WHI IS AWARE OF THIS.

GREGG DASD(NM) 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(1);  
E.O. 13526 § 1.4(d)  
OUSD(P) 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(1); E.O. 13526 § 1.4(b)(d)

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