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DIA SITUATION REPORT

DATE: 15 July 1974
TIME: 1500 EDT

SUBJECT: Coup in Cyprus (S)

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1. (S) [Redacted] No significant military activity has been noted since 0900 EDT; however, a few dissident police [Redacted] have taken refuge in some foreign embassies. UN forces continue to monitor the situation to prevent fighting between Turkish and Greek Cypriot forces. Turkish Cypriots have established a reserve force in Nicosia, but have indicated to the UN that they will not move without orders from Turkish Cypriot leaders.

2. (S) [Redacted] There is no other information to substantiate these reports and most reports indicate that Makarios is dead. The Bishop of Paphos, in the name of the President, has called for a UN Security Council meeting to condemn Greek intervention in Cyprus.

3. (U) Several Turkish Defense Department and Foreign Ministry officials have been called to Ankara to confer

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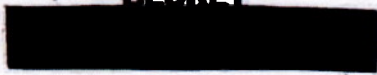
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on the situation. No decisions are known to have been made and the Turkish government appears intent on remaining out of the conflict at this time. Turkish authorities, however, remain concerned about possible action against Turkish Cypriots and have emphasized the right to intervene should international agreements concerning Cyprus be violated. There has been no official statement of policy from the Greek government concerning the coup in Cyprus.

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