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INVITATION TO VISIT THE U.S. (U)

1. WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE AMBASSADOR, CONVEY ON MY BEHALF THE

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FOLLOWING INVITATION TO ADM EDUARDO EMILIO MASSERA:

QUOTE: "DEAR ADM MASSERA: I TAKE GREAT PLEASURE IN EXTENDING A CORDIAL INVITATION TO YOU AND MRS. MASSERA TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES AS MY GUESTS. SUCH A VISIT, I AM SURE, WOULD DO MUCH TOWARD ENHANCING THE TIES OF FRIENDSHIP WHICH BIND OUR NAVIES. IN THE HOPE THAT YOU ARE IN A POSITION TO ACCEPT MY INVITATION, MAY I SUGGEST A 10 DAY PERIOD, OR LESS IF YOU PREFER, BEGINNING IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ON OR ABOUT 15 FEBRUARY 1975. YOUR SCHEDULE WOULD INCLUDE TWO DAYS IN WASHINGTON FOR CALLS, DISCUSSIONS AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENTS, FOLLOWED BY A VISIT TO VARIOUS NAVAL INSTALLATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES.

I WOULD BE HAPPY TO WELCOME TWO MEMBERS OF YOUR STAFF AS AN ACCOMPANYING PARTY, AND I WILL DESIGNATE A U.S. NAVAL OFFICER TO ACT AS YOUR ESCORT. AN ITINERARY WILL BE PLANNED WHICH, I TRUST, YOU WILL FIND REWARDING AND OF PROFESSIONAL INTEREST. THE U.S. NAVAL ATTACHE IN ARGENTINA IS PREPARED TO DISCUSS DETAILS OF THE VISIT WITH YOUR STAFF TO INSURE INCLUSION OF AREAS OF YOUR PARTICULAR INTEREST.

I EARNESTLY HOPE THAT YOU AND MRS. MASSERA ARE ABLE TO MAKE THE TRIP AND ALLOW ME THE HONOR OF HOSTING YOUR VISIT. SINCERELY,

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J.L. HOLLOWAY III, ADMIRAL, U.S. NAVY, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS. UNQUOTE

2. {U} PARAGRAPH 1 ABOVE UNCLASSIFIED UPON DELIVERY OF INVITATION. DELIVER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND NOTIFY CNO BY MESSAGE WHEN DELIVERED AND AGAIN WHEN RESPONSE IS MADE. INTERIM REPLY DESIRED IF NO RESPONSE IS RECEIVED WITHIN FIVE DAYS OF DELIVERY.

3. {U} FOLLOWING FOR YOUR GUIDANCE.

A. IF MRS. MASSERA ACCOMPANIES SHE WILL BE INCLUDED AS A MEMBER OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY DURING TOUR OF U.S. WHEN APPROPRIATE, SEPARATE SCHEDULE WILL BE ARRANGED FOR HER. IN THE EVENT SHE DOES NOT COME, ACCOMPANYING OFFICERS MAY BE INCREASED TO THREE. IN ANY CASE, TOTAL NUMBER IN PARTY, INCLUDING U.S. ESCORT OFFICER, MUST NOT EXCEED FIVE.

B. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS INVITATION, RADM DAVID DE LA RIVA, WASHINGTON, D.C., WILL BE COUNTED AS ONE OF THE TWO OR THREE ACCOMPANYING OFFICERS, SHOULD ADM MASSERA DESIRE HIS PRESENCE OUTSIDE THE WASHINGTON D.C. PORTION OF THE TRIP.

4. {U} FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUESTED WITHOUT DELAY TO INITIATE PLANNING FOLLOWING ACCEPTANCE OF INVITATION:

A. RECOMMENDED ITINERARY, INCLUDING DESIRED INSTALLATIONS TO BE VISITED. WHERE FEASIBLE, A FIRM ITINERARY WILL BE ESTABLISHED BASED

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ON THE RECOMMENDED ITINERARY.

B. SUBJECTS ADM MASSERA WISHES TO DISCUSS WITH CNO AND DESIRED CALLS IN WASHINGTON. IN ADDITION, INCLUDE YOUR OWN BEST ESTIMATE OF ANY OTHER TOPICS THAT MAY COME UP FOR DISCUSSION.

C. NUMBER AND COMPOSITION OF ACCOMPANYING PARTY.

D. DOES ADM DESIRE ARGENTINE NAVATT, WASHINGTON, D.C., TO ACCOMPANY ON ENTIRE TOUR?

5. {U} FOLLOWING SHOULD BE PROVIDED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO COMPLETE DETAILED PROCESSING:

A. TIME AND PLACE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE CONUS AND FLIGHT NUMBERS.

B. FULL NAMES, CORRECT PRONUNCIATIONS, POSITIONS, TITLES, UNCLASSIFIED BIO DATA, AND PHOTOS OF ALL MEMBERS OF ACCOMPANYING PARTY, INCLUDING PERSONAL RESTRICTIONS AND PREFERENCES OF ADM AND MRS. MASSERA IN DIETARY AND RECREATIONAL AREAS. ALSO DESIRE INFORMATION AS TO WHETHER MEMBERS OF PARTY HAVE VISITED THE UNITED STATES.

C. WHETHER ADM MASSERA DESIRES TO USE PERSONAL FLAG ON AUTO DURING OFFICIAL CALLS; OTHERWISE U.S. EQUIVALENT WILL BE USED.

D. ADM MASSERA'S DESIRES CONCERNING PAO COVERAGE OF VISIT IN*

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INCLUDING PRESS RELEASES, PRESS CONFERENCES, AND NEWS MEDIA COVERAGE.

E. ~~CC~~ COMMENTS OF THE COUNTRY TEAM REGARDING THE DESIRABILITY AND FEASIBILITY OF PRESENTING THE LEGION OF MERIT, DEGREE OF COMMANDER, TO ADM MASSERA. RECOMMENDATION SHOULD INCLUDE A REMARK THAT THE INDIVIDUAL HAS NOT MADE STATEMENTS OR ENGAGED IN ACTIVITY THAT MIGHT EMBARRASS THE U.S. GOVERNMENT SHOULD THE AWARD BE PRESENTED. IF YOU AND THE AMBASSADOR CONCUR IN THE PRESENTATION OF THE AWARD, REQUEST YOU PROVIDE A DRAFT, UNCLASSIFIED PROPOSED CITATION ASAP, ALONG WITH INFO ON U.S. DECORATIONS AWARDED ADM MASSERA IN THE PAST; MESSAGE PROVIDING DRAFT CITATION SHOULD ALSO INCLUDE STATEMENT THAT AMBASSADOR AND DATT CONCUR IN THE AWARD.

F. ~~CU~~ TRAVEL TO AND FROM THE US WILL BE AT THE EXPENSE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF ARGENTINA. ALL IN CONUS FLIGHTS WILL BE BY CNO AIRCRAFT.

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