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Summary:

US Ambassador to Moscow Charles Bohlen reports that he is sending a personal note to Foreign Affairs Minister Gromyko.

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SENT DEPARTMENT 1129, REPEATED INFORMATION LONDON NIACT 241,
MUNICH NIACT 5, BUDAPEST NIACT 25.

DEPTEL 562 RECEIVED EARLY THIS MORNING. CODE ROOM INFORMS
ME IT IS NOT IN ONE-TIME SYSTEM AND THEREFORE VERBATIM
DELIVERY WOULD COMPROMISE CODE USED. IN CIRCUM-
STANCES AND TO AVOID DELAY REQUIRED IN RECEIPT COMPLETELY
(REPEAT COMPLETELY) NEW NOTE IN ONE-TIME SYSTEM, I AM
SENDING REQUEST IN FORM PERSONAL LETTER TO GROMYKO
WHICH WILL PERMIT ADEQUATE PARAPHRASING. I AM USING
THIS METHOD IN ORDER TO ENSURE EXPEDITIOUS DELIVERY SINCE
IT IS BY NO MEANS CERTAIN THAT GROMYKO OR OTHER HIGH
OFFICIAL FOREIGN OFFICE WOULD, FOLLOWING BOYCOTT NATIONAL
HOLIDAY, BE DISPOSED TO RECEIVE ME QUICKLY. I SEE NO
OBJECTION TO INCLUDING ORAL INFORMATION IN MY LETTER TO
GROMYKO.

ALTHOUGH REFTTEL REFERS TO ACTION EMBASSY VIENNA IT WAS NOT
REPEATED TO THAT MISSION. ALSO BELIEVE ADDRESSEES SHOULD
BE INFORMED CRYPTOGRAPHIC ASPECT.

BOHLEN

NOTIFIED BY NIACT SERVICE THAT DEPTEL 562 TO MOSCOW
INSTANTANEOUSLY TO VIENNA AS DEPTEL 1438. (C/O-NOL)

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