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1. WE ARE RECALLING RADM FEIGHTNER AND CMDR FARARRO TO WASHINGTON WHILE ADDITIONAL DATA ARE GATHERED CONCERNING SUBJECT PROBLEM. M/GEN BRETT WAS INFORMED BY PHONE.

2. WE EXPECT TO DEVELOP ADDITIONAL OPTIONS IN THE NEXT WEEK OR SO AND YOU WILL BE KEPT INFORMED.

3. DICK HALLOCK WHO IS RETURNING TO TEHRAN NIGHT OF 12 MAY IS CURRENT ON THE SITUATION AND WILL BRIEF YOU. WARM REGARDS -- JIM.

SSO NOTE: DELIVER DURING DUTY HOURS. XGDS-2 160 #0031

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