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TO: GENERAL ALEXANDER HAIG, WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON

FROM: AMB. HELMS, TEHRAN

DEAR AL,

AS YOU WOULD SURMISE, YOUR NEW APPOINTMENT IS MOST ENTHUSIASTICALLY AND WARMLY APPLAUDED BY THIS OLD FRIEND. HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS! HOWEVER MIXED YOUR OWN EMOTIONS MAY BE, YOU WILL HAVE TO ADMIT THAT THE NATION IS THE GAINER AND WILL BE EXTRAORDINARILY WELL SERVED. BLESS YOU AND GOOD LUCK!

CYNTHIA JOINS IN WARMEST GOOD WISHES TO PAT AND YOU,

DICK E2, IMPDET

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