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TO: IMMEDIATE TEHRAN.

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TO AMBASSADOR HELMS FROM JOHN WARNER

1. SPECIAL PROSECUTOR STAFF MAN RICHARD BEN-VENIXBE JUST TELEPHONED ME ASKING WHEN YOU COULD BE AVAILABLE TO GO BEFORE GRAND JURY. HE STATED THIS IS AT SPECIFIC REQUEST OF JAWORSKI. UNFORTUNATELY JAWORSKI HAS NOT BEEN AVAILABLE FOR ME TO TALK TO PERSONALLY TO SHOW HIM THE 6 NOVEMBER 1973 MEMORANDUM FROM COLBY TO SYMINGTON. I SHALL STILL ATTEMPT TO SEE JAWORSKI ANA STILL ATTEMPT TO TALK HIM OUT OF HAVING YOU BACK.

2. BEN-VENISTE WAS INSISTENT THAT WE GET FROM YOU SOME IDEA OF TIMING. *FROM THEIR VIEWPOINT THEY WOULD PREFER THIS FOR SOME TIME NEXT WEEK BUT APPARENTLY WOULD BE WILLING TO LET THIS SLIP TO WEEK OF 26 NOVEMBER.* I MERELY ADVISED HIM I WOULD CHECK WITH YOU AS TO YOUR OWN TIMING PROBLEMS. I FURTHER ADVISED HIM THAT ONCE WE GET YOUR VIEWS AS TO TIMING THEY WILL HAVE TO GO TO DEPARTMENT OF STATE TO REQUEST OFFICIALLY THAT YOU BE RETURNED.

3. FOR YOUR SAKE I AM SORRY IT IS GOING THIS WAY. PLEASE

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