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REPORT ON MEETING BETWEEN U.S. PRESIDENT AND PAKISTANI AND INDONESIA
MINISTERS

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1. President JOHNSON met with both ABDUL NASUTION, the Defense Minister of Indonesia and Pakistan's Foreign Minister, ZULFIQAR BHUTTO, separately. NASUTION, in response to the concern expressed by the President about Indonesia's attitude toward Malaysia, replied that Indonesia herself would not attack, but would defend herself if attacked. I understand that the meeting was profitable. The President expressed his concern to BHUTTO saying that he hoped to reaffirm friendly relations between America and Pakistan and asked that both Presidents get together soon.

2. At the time of President KENNEDY's death, President AZIKIWE of Nigeria wrote to President JOHNSON saying that this assassination indicates that there are deeply rooted feelings against the "American Negro, and that there is a need for serious consideration by the African people as to whether or not they can trust the U.S. because of the strong elements which discriminate against the Negro, and whether or not the UN should be moved to another country. I understand that President JOHNSON without answering the criticism directly made a written reply on the 29th of November to the effect that the U.S. would keep trying to promote equal human rights.

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