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TO: DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER, WASHINGTON

FROM: AMB. RICHARD HELMS, TEHRAN

SUBJECT: NOBEL PEACE PRIZE

1. COURT MINISTER ALAM CALLED 19 APRIL TO SAY THAT REQUEST IN TEHRAN [] WAS IN ERROR. APPARENTLY HE HAD NOT CORRECTLY UNDERSTOOD PROCEDURES RE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE. THEREFORE PLEASE DISREGARD.

2. IT APPEARS THAT AT THIS STAGE PROMINENT INDIVIDUALS IN PUBLIC LIFE OUTSIDE OF GOVERNMENT WRITE TO MEMBERS OF NORWEGIAN PARLIAMENT SUPPORTING SPECIFIC NOMINEE. ALAM IS ASKING CERTAIN IRANIANS TO DO THIS ON BEHALF OF PRESIDENT NIXON.

3. WARM REGARDS.

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