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TO: IMMEDIATE TEHRAN.

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FOR AMBASSADOR HEIMS FROM HOUSTON

REF: TEHRAN [ ]

1. AS OF 1700 HOURS LOCAL, 20 NOVEMBER, WIRE SERVICES HAVE NOT CARRIED ANY REFERENCES TO YOUR TRAVEL. WASHINGTON STAR NEWS EDITIONS DO NOT HAVE ANY REFERENCE. WILL, HOWEVER, ANSWER INQUIRIES BY NEITHER CONFIRM NOR DENY."

2. PREPARATION OF MATERIAL GOING WELL. KARAMESSINES HAS REVIEWED MATERIAL INCLUDING TRANSCRIPTS AND CABLE TRAFFIC WITH YOU TO BRING HIMSELF UP TO SPEED. IN TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH BEN-VENISTE 20 NOVEMBER HE STATED THAT YOUR MEETING WITH JAWORSKI WOULD BE DELAYED UNTIL 1700 HOURS, 26 NOVEMBER, AS PRESIDENTIAL TAPES HEARINGS BEFORE JUDGE SIRICA SET FOR THAT DAY. BEN-VENISTE INDICATED THAT IN ADDITION TO THE 28 JUNE 1972 MEMO HE WAS ANXIOUS TO QUESTION YOU ABOUT ROBERT F. BENNETT WHO IS A PARTNER IN THE ROBERT R. MULLEN COMPANY. THE ONLY SPECULATION THAT WE HAVE RELEVANT TO BENNETT AND YOURSELF IS THE HANDWRITTEN REPORT FROM MARTY LUKOSKIE DATED

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10 JULY 1972 IN WHICH BENNETT DISCUSSED WITH LUKOSKIE HOWARD HUNT'S FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH MULLEN COMPANY AND ALSO THE REFERENCE TO THE WATERGATE FIVE MISSION GOING BACK INTO THE DEMOCRATIC EQS TO REJUVENATE THE BATTERIES.

3. PLEASE SEND FLIGHT ITINEPARY SO THAT ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO MEET YOU UPON ARRIVAL. PREPARATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR WORKING SESSIONS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY WITH STRATEGY SESSION PLAN MONDAY MORNING TO INCLUDE HOUSTON, MAURY AND KARAMESSINES. E2 IMPDET.

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