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1. THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT WILL PROBABLY SEVER DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES WITHIN THREE MONTHS, DESPITE THE TEMPORARY ALLEVIATION OF STRAIN BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES RESULTING FROM THE MISSION OF AMBASSADOR ELLSWORTH BUNKER. THE RUPTURE WILL BE PRECEDED BY FURTHER DETERIORATION IN OVERALL RELATIONS. THE INDONESIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, WHICH IS RAPIDLY INCREASING IN STRENGTH, WILL BRING CONTINUAL PRESSURE TO BEAR ON INDONESIAN PRESIDENT SUKARNO TO BREAK RELATIONS, AND IN THE ABSENCE OF U.S. SUPPORT FOR HIS MALAYSIAN POLICY SUKARNO WILL PROBABLY YIELD TO THIS PRESSURE.

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