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CITE: DIR.

1. FOLLOWING REPRESENTS RESULTS PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION REF WITH ODACID PLUS OUR OWN VIEWS.
2. RE PARA 1, WE AGREE YOU SHOULD REFRAIN FROM ACTION WHICH IN YOUR JUDGMENT WOULD HAZARD ODYOKE NONINTERVENTION POSITION AND COVER. SUGGEST THAT IF NAVAL ATTACHE STILL IN TEGU WITH PLANE HE MIGHT PROCEED ~~ENK~~ WSBURNT CITY WHERE HE ALSO ACCREDITED AND FLY THENCE OVER PORT AREA.
3. SOME QUESTION AT MOMENT AS TO NECESSITY FOR AERIAL RECONNAISSANCE IN VIEW ADDITIONAL REPORTS RECEIVED FROM JMBLUG AND CONFIRMED BY DIRECT [] TO EFFECT THAT SHIP IS IN FACT AT PUERTO BARRIOS UNLOADING TWO THOUSAND REPEAT TWO THOUSAND TONS OF ARMS..
4. IN NO CASE WOULD WE AUTHORIZE CONTINUATION BLACK FLIGHT AFTER [] DELIVERY AS SUGGESTED PARA 2B OF REF.
5. ONI HAS ADVISED INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED LATE YESTERDAY TO NAVAL ATTACHE PROCEED TO PUERTO BARRIOS FOR PURPOSE ASCERTAINING STATUS OF SHIPMENT AND

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CARGO AND MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS WITH REGARD THERETO.

6. RE PARA 5 OF REF ODACID WILL CONTINUE WORKING ON YOUR POINTS BUT WISH POINT OUT THAT ACCORDING INFORMATION THERE ARE NO PROPER DOCUMENTS COVERING SHIPMENT. IN FACT LACK OF INVOICES HAS PROVIDED PRETEXT FOR RAILROAD DELAY UNLOADING AND FORWARD SHIPMENT ~~IN~~ IN ORDER TO WEIGH EVERY ITEM OF SHIPMENT. WE HAVE ONE REPORT EVALUATED F-2 INDICATING UNLOADING OF VESSEL WILL BE FINISHED BY NINETEEN MAY.

FRANK G. WISNER
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