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[] - [] contacts

1. We just learned from [] that [] does not intend to return to WSBURNT before the first week of June, apparently due to the illness of his child - even though we had requested [] beforehand to impress upon [] the need for his return at the earliest possible date.

2. In view of the above, we wonder whether you can promote [] contacts even during [] absence, in order not to lose valuable time. We are particularly anxious to see such contacts developed and utilized for two major purposes (which we discussed already in previous communications):

- a. mobilizing [] influence among labor union officials, at least preventing the use of the labor unions by the regime in a move to counteract the final phase of PBSUCCESS - better still, mobilizing active labor support for our side;
- b. using such influence among Army officers for the same reasons.

3. Please keep us informed about further developments along these lines.

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