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LINC 1650 (IN 34992)

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OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE  
PRECEDENCE

TO: DIR

CITE: SLINC

RYBAT PBSUCCESS

RE: LINC 1605 (IN 34034)

1. [ ] SENDING SAFFRON-1 (IDEN FOLLOWS) TO SEE [ ] POSSIBLY NOW ON WAY TO DTFROGS. SAFFRON-1 IS CLOSE AND LOYAL SUPPORTER CALLIGERIS THUS FEEL CERTAIN WILL URGE [ ] FULL COOPERATION. HOWEVER LACK OF ODYOKE NOB (ALSO RECEIVED NOD) BY ODACID TO [ ] MAY STILL PRESENT SERIOUS OBSTACLE.

2. VIEW ABOVE RECOMMEND RECONSIDERATION LINC 1605 AND SUGGEST CHIEF ODACID OR APPROPRIATE DEPUTY CABLE CHIEF ODACID DTFROGS TOP SECRET EYES ALONE TO EFFECT SITUATION WARRANTS HIS ACCEPTANCE VERBAL BRIEFING FROM SKILLET AND COOPERATION TO EXTENT OBJECTIVE ACHIEVED AND ODYOKE POSITION PROTECTED. THEN FOLLOW WITH REQUEST RETURN PBPRIME FOR MORE GENERAL BRIEFING AS ENVISAGED IN REF MSG.

3. IF ABOVE AGREED THEN SIMULTANEOUSLY SEND BY SAME ODACID AUTHORITY A TOP SECRET PRIORITY MSG TO SKILLET AUTHORIZING HIM TO PROCEED SOONEST TO DTFROGS FOR CONSULTATION WITH LOCAL ODACID CHIEF RE PBSUCCESS.

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4. SKILLET SHOULD BE GUIDED TO BRIEF ABOVE ONLY ON ODYOKE POSITION VIA (RECEIVED VIZ) SKIMMER/SYNCRAP POINTING OUT [ ] POSITION AND URGENT IMPORTANCE [ ] COOPERATING TO ENSURE SUCCESS AND AVOID POST-COUP PROBLEMS. DTFROGS ODACID CHIEF SHOULD BE URGED TO CALL ON [ ] TO DISCUSS WSBURNT SITUATION AND INDICATE CONCERN AND SYMPATHY FOR ANTI-COMMUNIST EFFORTS MENTIONING CALLIGERIS BY NAME. ERRATIC SHOULD BE DISCREDITED IF MENTIONED BY [ ] BELIEVE SKILLET CAPABLE GUIDING DTFROGS ODACID CHIEF AND WASH MSG SHOULD PROVIDE SUFFICIENT AUTHORITY AND DIRECTION TO ACCOMPLISH IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVE.

END OF MESSAGE

CABLE SECRETARIAT COMMENT:

A TEMPORARY COPY OF THIS MESSAGE WAS DELIVERED TO THE WHD MAIL ROOM AT 1230 HOURS, 7 APRIL 54.

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