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TAGS: SHUM SA UR
SUBJ: VISIT TO US OF WALLENBERG FAMILY MEMBER
REF: STOCKHOLM 2108

1. MRS NINA LAGENGHEN, SISTER OF RAUL WALLENBERG, WAS INFORMED EMBASSY SHE WILL VISIT WASHINGTON FOR TEN DAYS BEGINNING JULY 15 TO SEEK USC SUPPORT FOR CONTINUED EFFORTS TO DETERMINE FATE OF HER BROTHER RAUL WALLENBERG. SHE SAID MFA SEC GEN LEIF LEIFLAND HAD ASSURED HER AMBASSADOR WACHTMEISTER AND HIS STAFF WOULD ASSIST HER TO EXTENT POSSIBLE WITH APPOINTMENTS. SHE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT EMBASSY AND DEPARTMENT WOULD ALSO SUPPORT HER EFFORTS BY FACILITATING MEETINGS WITH APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS. MRS LAGENGHEN SAID SHE WOULD ATTEMPT TO MEET WITH THE PRESIDENT, SENATOR CHURCH AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, EUR/NE DIRECTOR ROBERT FUNSETH, AND POSSIBLY OFFICERS IN EUR/SOV.

2. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, SENATOR CHURCH HAS EXPRESSED A SERIOUS INTEREST IN WALLENBERG CASE. HIS LETTER TO AMBASSADOR IN APRIL REQUESTING A SUMMARY OF STATUS OF CASE WAS REPLIED TO ON MAY 7 WITH COPY TO EUR/NE (THOMPSON).

3. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPARTMENT PLEASE PROVIDE COPY OF

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THIS CABLE TO OFFICE OF SENATOR CHURCH, CANNEY

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