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1 OF 4 NYT/JNL 1970-10-23 1 8 6/WGT 12/LIN
 296-70-28 PHO/ILS 76353/IDN
 PRES-NIXON AND SOVIET MIN GROMYKO MEET FOR OVER 2 HRS AT WHITE
 HOUSE IN TALKS BOTH SIDES DESCRIBE LATER IN POSITIVE TERMS; NO
 SPECIFIC PROGRESS DISCLOSED; NIXON EVIDENTLY MAKES POINT THAT 2
 SUPERPOWERS MUST REFRAIN FROM TRYING TO SEIZE TACTICAL
 ADVANTAGES IN SUCH AREAS AS MIDEAST, BERLIN OR CUBA IN INTEREST
 OF BROADER GOAL OF MAINTAINING WORLD PEACE; TALKS JOINED BY
 ROGERS, KISSINGER AND DOBRYNIN; WHITE HOUSE DISCLOSES US TOOK
 INITIATIVE OF ENCOURAGING GROMYKO TO CALL ON NIXON; NIXON AND
 GROMYKO ILLUS; IF TALKS WENT AS PLANNED, NIXON MADE IT CLEAR US
 ATTITUDE TOWARD EUR SECURITY CONF WILL BE LARGELY DETERMINED BY
 PROGRESS IN BERLIN TALKS; STRESSES SINCERITY OF HIS PEACE
 PROPOSALS

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 298-70-42 76719/IDN
 US AND USSR HAVE BEEN ENGAGING IN BEHIND-THE-SCENES DIPLOMACY
 ON URGENT ISSUES IN ADDITION TO PUBLICIZED MEETINGS GROMYKO HAS
 HELD WITH ROGERS AND NIXON; SOVIET AND AMER SOURCES RELUCTANTLY
 CONFIRM THAT KISSINGER MET IN NYC WITH GROMYKO AND DOBRYNIN FOR
 ALMOST 2 HRS AFTER NIXON'S TO ASSEMBLY; WILL NOT DISCLOSE
 SUBJECT OF TALKS; ROGERS, IN WASHINGTON, SAYS HIS AND NIXON'S
 MEETINGS WITH GROMYKO HAVE CERTAINLY FORMED BASIS FOR IMPROVED
 RELATIONS; THANT ANNOUNCES BIG 4 FOREIGN MINS HAVE AGREED TO
 PRESS FOR RENEWAL OF INDIRECT TALKS AND TO WORK TOWARDS
 EXTENDING MIDEAST CEASE-FIRE

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3 OF 4 NYT/JNL 1970-11-15 1 8 6/WGT 24/LIN
 319-70-18 MAP/ILS 66823/IDN
 US OFFICIALS REPT SECRET DIPLOMACY UNDERWAY FOR 7 WKS TO
 PREVENT USSR FROM BASING NUCLEAR MISSILE SUBMARINES OR
 INSTALLING NUCLEAR WEAPONS IN HEMISPHERE (B WELLES REPT);
 BELIEVE UNDERSTANDING HAS BEEN REACHED, AWAIT REMOVAL OF
 SUBMARINE TENDER FROM CIENFUEGOS AS EVIDENCE OF USSR
 ACCEPTANCE; MAP; DISPUTE REPTS THAT TENDER WILL LEAVE IN 2-3
 DAYS; WARN TALKS ARE SO DELICATE THAT US NATL INTEREST WOULD BE
 JEOPARDIZED IF USSR MISINTERPRETS EVEN PRESS REPTS AS
 ULTIMATUM; CONFIRM US HAS WARNED THAT ANY SORT OF PERMANENT
 NUCLEAR FACILITY WOULD SERIOUSLY DAMAGE RELATIONS; INDICATE
 UNDERSTANDING IS UNWRITTEN USSR PLEDGE NOT TO BASE NUCLEAR
 SUBMARINES; STORE NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR INSTALL REPAIR AND
 SERVICING FACILITIES ANYWHERE IN HEMISPHERE; US, IN TURN, WOULD
 CLOSELY WATCH BUT NOT OBSTRUCT PERIODIC USSR FLEET VISITS TO
 CUBAN OR OTHER PORTS FOR CREW LEAVES AND ROUTINE MAINTENANCE;
 USSR EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON AND WHITE HOUSE DECLINE COMMENT;
 UNDERSTANDING REPTDLY WAS REACHED IN KISSINGER TALKS WITH
 GROMYKO AND AMB DOBRYNIN; ONLY FEW OFFICIALS BESIDES
 PARTICIPANTS AND NIXON REPTDLY KNOW FACTS; POSSIBLY INCLUDE

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LAIRD AND ROGERS; UNDER SEC JOHNSON; CIA DIR HELMS; ADM MOORER
 AND SOME SUBORDINATES; SECRECY COMPOUNDED BY CASTRO'S UNUSUAL
 SILENCE ON AMER FUROR OVER CIENFUEGOS; '62 KENNEDY-KHRUSHCHEV
 UNDERSTANDING REPTD USED AS BASIS FOR NEW AGREEMENT; CHRONOLOGY
 OF BASE ISSUE; EVIDENCE OF SECRET TALKS REVD

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 STATE DEPT OFFICIALS SAY US HAS RECEIVED PRIVATE ASSURANCES
 FROM USSR THAT OFFENSIVE WEAPONS, UNDERSTOOD TO BE NUCLEAR
 WEAPONS, WILL BE KEPT OUT OF WESTERN HEMISPHERE; SAY ASSURANCES
 REINFORCE TASS DENIAL OF BASE BLDG BUT DECLINE TO GIVE
 SPECIFICS OF ACCORD; AVOID CHALLENGING REPTS OF MEETING BY
 KISSINGER, GROMYKO AND AMB DOBRYNIN IN NYC; STRESS ADM IS
 CONFIDENT OF UNDERSTANDING WITH USSR ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO
 RECORD OF ACCORD; US PART OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS COMMITMENT
 NOT TO INVADE CUBA; CITE J F KENNEDY '62 PLEDGE TO THAT EFFECT;
 STATE DEPT OFFICIAL R MCCLOSKEY ASSUMES COMMITMENT IS STILL
 VALID; SAYS USSR TENDER AND 2 BARGES ARE STILL IN CIENFUEGOS
 BUT THEIR CONTINUING PRESENCE WILL NOT BE CONSTRUED AS
 VIOLATION OF UNDERSTANDING ALTHOUGH THEY WILL REQUIRE CLOSE
 SCRUTINY; AFFIRMS THAT IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT USSR WILL NOT
 BUILD OWN MIL BASE, AS SPECIFIED IN TASS STATEMENT; OR USE ANY
 BASE IN CUBA OR OTHER COUNTRY; SAYS UNDERSTANDING ON PART OF US
 COVERS ENTIRE WESTERN HEMISPHERE; CASTRO GOVT HAS NOT BEEN
 PARTY TO PRIVATE EXCH OF ASSURANCES

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