

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

DATE : 06 OCT 54

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TO : DIRECTOR
 FROM : GUATEMALA CITY
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GUAT 310 (IN 12259)

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TO: DIR

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RE: DIR 19875 (OUT 81205)

1. ON AUGUST 18 LOCAL ODACID MISSION RECEIVED CABLE FROM FOLLOWING COMPANY: BIGHAM, ENGLER, JONES AND HOUSTON, 99 JOHN STREET NEW YORK. CABLE REQUESTED ASSISTANCE OF ODACID IN ASCERTAINING FACTS SURROUNDING BOMBING OF SPRINGFJORD. CABLE STATED COMPANY REPRESENTED GROUP OF UNIDENTIFIED AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANIES WHICH HAVE PAID OVER MILLION DOLLARS FOR LOSS CARGO. ODACID REPLIED AUGUST 25 SUGGESTING COMPANY TURN MATTER OVER TO LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE. NO REPLY FROM COMPANY TO DATE.

2. COMPANY NOT THROUGH IN ITS INVESTIGATION AS EVIDENCED BY REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE FROM ODACID.

3. LLOYDS BELIEVED INVOLVED TO EXTENT OF HANDLING REINSURANCE OF BOTH CARGO AND SHIP. END OF MESSAGE

CABLE SECRETARIAT COMMENT:

[] NOTIFIED OF RECEIPT OF THIS MESSAGE AT 1830 6 OCT.

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