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UNCLAS RABAT 4875

SECTO 13
C O R R E C T E D C O P Y - INSERTING CAPTION SECTO 13
E.O. 11652: XGDS
TAGS: OGEN
SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT
FOR EAGLEBURGER AND VEST, PASS TO SCOWCROFT FROM MCCLOSKEY

1. FOLLOWING ONE HOUR PLUS MEETING SECRETARY HAD WITH KING
HASSAN MCCLOSKEY TOLD PRESS CORPS THAT CONVERSATION WAS DEVOTED
ENTIRELY TO MIDDLE EAST SITUATION AND WAS WIDE-RANGING AND
FRIENDLY. NO FURTHER BACKGROUND PROVIDED.

2. EARLIER ON PLANE BEFORE ARRIVING RABAT ACCOMPANYING NEWSMEN
WERE TOLD ON BACKGROUND THAT SECRETARY DID NOT EXPECT ANYTHING
"DRAMATIC" TO OCCUR DURING CURRENT TRIP THROUGH MIDDLE EAST.
PRINCIPAL THRUST OF HIS EFFORT WOULD BE SEEKING TO ESTABLISH
PROCESS FOR NEGOTIATIONS AND THIS WOULD REQUIRE INTENSIVE
DIPLOMATIC EXCHANGES. ACKNOWLEDGED THERE IS A LINK BETWEEN
SITUATION ON GROUND AND PROSPECTS FOR NEGOTIATION OF OVERALL
ISSUES IN DISPUTE.
LASTLY, IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION WHETHER HE WOULD BE CONVEYING
MESSAGES TO HEADS OF STATE HE WILL BE MEETING, ANSWERED YES.
KISSINGER
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