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SUBJECT: INCREASED COMBAT FORCES IN EUROPE

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ON BASIS OF DISCREET SOUNDINGS WITH ISA AND AIR FORCE
WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT PROPOSED DEPLOYMENT OF USAF
WING, CONSTRUCTED FROM PERSONNEL RESOURCES SALVAGED
FROM SUPPORT UNITS PER NUNN AMENDMENT, IS STRICTLY MATTER
OF INTERNAL AIR FORCE PLANNING AT THIS JUNCTURE. IT IS
OUR FURTHER UNDERSTANDING THAT PREFERRED STANDBY BASE IN
QUESTION, IN EVENT PUNATIVE WING MATERIALIZES, IS GREENHAM
COMMON. IN VIEW OF FOREGOING YOU SHOULD INFORM THIRD AIR
FORCE THAT WE SHARE YOUR JUDGMENT THAT BRITS PROBABLY
WOULD BE RECEPTIVE TO DEPLOYMENT OF ANOTHER USAF WING IN
THE UK BUT, PENDING DEVELOPMENT OF DOD POSITION ON THIS
MATTER AND DEPARTMENT'S FORMAL REVIEW OF SAME, WE DO NOT
WISH SUBJECT DISCUSSED WITH HMG. KISSINGER

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