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1. REV COUNCIL ARRIVED SUAT CITY QUIETLY AND PROCEEDED TO BREAKFAST WITH ESVEHICLE-1 AT 1000 LOCAL. HE GENERALLY FOLLOWED SCRIPT AND APPARENTLY IMPRESSED GROUP FAVORABLY. ON ONE OR TWO OCCASIONS WAS MILDLY CRITICAL OBYONE POLICY RE SOVIETS AND LATIN AMERICA. MEETING WAS TEMPORARILY INTERRUPTED BY CRASH OF C-46 (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED) WHICH RESULTED IN DEATH ONE SUAT. ESVEHICLE CARRIED SITUATION WELL HOWEVER AND QUICKLY DEVISED COVER STORY ON SPOT TO COVER FACT PILOTS WERE POPULAR.

2. GROUP PROCEEDED TO BELVEFIA AT 1300 AND HAD LUNCH WITH BRIGADE LEADERS. THE SPICED CONVERSATION BUT GENERALLY PLEASANT. PRESENCE MIROS SON HELPFUL SINCE HE ENTHUSIASTIC TRAINEE.

3. 1530 GROUP PROCEEDED TO FILING DEMONSTRATION WHICH RIGHTFULLY IMPRESSED REV COUNCIL. THIS FOLLOWED BY BRIGADE REVIEW AND SPEECHES BY MIRO VARONA ARTINE AND HEVIA. SPEECHES WERE PATRIOTIC, STRESSED UNITY AND WERE WELL RECEIVED. MIRO SPOKE LAST. SURPRISINGLY RECEIVED MOST APPLAUSE INCLUDING ONE SPONTANEOUS OUTBURST DURING SPEECH. AFTER SPEECH GROUP WITHDREW TO OFFICERS QUARTERS WHERE REV COUNCIL MET WITH OLD FRIENDS. DURING MEETING BRIGADE SERENADED

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KEY COUNCIL WITH THEIR MARCH 12E COMMS.

4. COMMENTS:

A. "ESPRITE DE CORPS" BRIGADE APPEARS VERY HIGH. INDICATION OF THIS NO AWOLS LAST 2 WEEKS.

B. ANTICIPATE SOME BACKWASH FROM SPEECHES BUT PRESENT INDICATIONS ARE THEY SHOULD NOT BE TOO SERIOUS.

C. MORN 5/3 MARCH WILL BE SPENT MADD AIRBORNE AND FLYING DEMONSTRATIONS. THIS TO BE FOLLOWED BY ADDRESSES. DEPARTURE TIME WILL DEPEND ON WHETHER HERO CAN BE FLOWN ON HARP VIA PBY.

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