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WEEKLY MEET (MOPORI IN CHARTA: ~~_____~~ ~~_____~~)

~~REORGANIZATION OF CUBAN AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM: MISSILE~~

SITE BY SIGHTINGS AND FIGHTER redeployments suggest a shift from island-wide coverage to point defense of major installations before transferring the system to Cuban control. The change to more sophisticated SAM guidance radar equipment, apparently being made before Cubans begin field training, has reduced range capability. MIG-21s have been departed from the training base to three other airfields, possibly as part of the overall reorganization of the air defense system.

1. Sino-Soviet relations may be approaching new climax. There are growing indications that Soviet leaders are considering convening a new international communist meeting, presumably to exploit peiping's abdication of the nuclear test ban treaty. Decision to call such a

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CONFERENCE, ORGANIZED ALONG LINES THE CHINESE COULD NOT ACCEPT, WHICH INDICATE A DELIBERATE EFFORT TO PROVOKE SOME CHINESE ACTION WHICH THE USSR COULD REACT AS PRCING'S FORMAL VOLUNTARY SEPARATION FROM THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT.

2. CHINESE COMMUNIST NATIONAL DAY: FOR THE FOURTH CONSECUTIVE YEAR, THE CELEBRATIONS AVOIDED GOATS OF MILITARY AND ECONOMIC STRENGTH. SPEECHES WERE Cautious ABOUT DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN POLICIES AND CAUTIOUS ABOUT DOMESTIC PROGRESS AND PROSPECTS.

3. COMMUNIST CHINA - NORTH KOREA: LIU SHAO-CHI'S VISIT TO NORTH KOREA WAS A ~~NET~~ EFFORT TO TIGHTEN POLITICAL, MILITARY AND ECONOMIC TIES. HE APPARENTLY FAILED IN HIS ATTEMPTS TO EMBROIL THE KOREANS EVEN MORE DEEPLY IN THE CHIO-SOVIET STRUGGLE. THE COMPOSITION OF HIS DELEGATION SUGGESTS MAJOR SUBSTANTIVE MATTERS WERE ON THE AGENDA.
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4. SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE DEVELOPMENTS IN COMMUNIST CHINA: THE FINISHED CONSTRUCTION OF 21729, DESPITE LACK OF SOVIET AID, SUGGESTS CHINA IS DEVELOPING A CAPABILITY TO PRODUCE SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILES AND RELATED EQUIPMENT WHICH WILL BE INSTALLED AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE. THIS FAR, ONLY ONE OF THE 14 COMPLETED SITES IS KNOWN TO HAVE HAD THE

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EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO FIRE A MISSILE.//

5. DEVELOPMENTS IN COMMUNIST GRAIN PURCHASES: IT NOW SEEMS CERTAIN THAT THE USSR WILL IMPORT AT LEAST 10 MILLION TONS OF WHEAT. CHINA HAS NOT YET STARTED NEGOTIATING CONTRACTS FOR 1966 DELIVERY, BUT IT WILL PROBABLY NEED ABOUT 5 MILLION TONS. THE EUROPEAN SATELLITES HAVE BEGUN BREWING WHEAT IN THE WEST. SOVIET NEWSPAPERS ARE POINTING TO A MOUNTING PROBLEM OF WIND EROSION OF THE SOIL IN THE NEW LANDS. (CONT)

6. PETR IVANOVICH // NEW SOVIET MILITARY INTELLIGENCE CHIEF: THE APPOINTMENT OF A DEPUTY SECRET POLICE CHIEF TO REPLACE IVAN SEROV WHO WAS SACKED AFTER THE PARAVOY CASE, PROBABLY EXAGGER SIGNALS A SECURITY CRACK-DOWN WHICH COULD LOWER MORALE AND HAMPER MOSCOW'S INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION EFFORT AT LEAST TEMPORARILY.

7. LAOS:// WITH THE ADVENT OF THE DRY SEASON, COMMUNIST FORCES HAVE RESUMED LARGE-SCALE CONVOY OPERATIONS INTO LAOS ALONG THE RECENTLY REOPEND ROUTE 7. A SUBSTANTIAL INFUSION OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES FROM NORTH VIETNAM IS INDICATED DURING THE PAST TWO WEEKS. REMAINED CONVOY ACTIVITY HAS ALSO BEEN REPORTED ALONG ROUTE 12 IN SOUTH-CENTRAL LAOS. THESE MOVEMENTS MAY PREAGE A RESUME OF MILITARY

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PRESUMING NOW THAT THE WEATHER HAS IMPROVED AND SINCE THE POLITICAL
MANEUVERS OF THE PATRIOT LAO WERE FUGITIVE, PRINCE SOUANNAH PLANNED
TO VISIT CHINA, LAOS AND VIETNAM BEFORE RETURNING TO THE VIENTIANE
LATER THIS MONTH. HIS SUPPORTER, MARY THIEF, KEE KONG LE, IS
SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO THE COUNTRY AFTER A TWO-MONTH STAY IN THE USA.

8 BRITISH POLITICS: THE CONSERVATIVES WITH NEW ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON 9-12 OCTOBER IN MORE TRANQUIL POLITICAL CIR-
CUMSTANCES THAN SOONER WOULD HAVE BEEN AND THE POSSIBILITY OF A
AUTUMN ELECTION HAS RETREATED, AND THE OPENING REPORT THAT HAS
ELIMINATED THE THREAT OF FURTHER MINISTERIAL SCANDALS. IT ALSO
PARTY STRATEGIST HAS TOLD ENQUIRY GRAPHIC THAT MACMILLAN'S GOAL IS
NOT TO GET THE 17-20% VOTE AGAINST THE PARTY IN HIS SUCCESSOR
WHAT HEDE IS AS YET NO SUCH AGREEMENT // (CONT)

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THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC UNION (CDU), POLLED 28.9 PERCENT OF THE VOTE FOR A GAIN OF NINE SEATS IN THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE. THE TRADITIONALLY DOMINANT SOCIAL DEMOCRATS DROPPED THREE SEATS EVEN THOUGH THEY HELD THEIR OWN MAJORITY OF THE VOTE AT ABOUT THE SAME LEVEL--54 PERCENT--AS IN THE LAST ELECTION. THE PRINCIPAL REASON FOR THE CDU SUCCESS APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN THE DETERIORATION OF THE SPLINTER GERMAN PARTY, AND THE RALLYING OF CONSERVATIVE VOTERS BEHIND THE CDU. (CONF)

10. FRANCE: //THE FRENCH NAVY CONTINUES TO GIVE HIGHEST PRIORITY TO THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A NUCLEAR-POWERED, POLARIS-TYPE SUBMARINE, A PROJECT ABSORBING OVER HALF OF THE NAVY'S 1968-69 RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FUND. DESPITE PUBLIC CLAIMS THAT THE FIRST SUBMARINE WILL BE AVAILABLE IN 1969, DELAYS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SOME COMPONENTS MAKE IT UNLIKELY THAT THE FIRST NUCLEAR BOAT CAN BE DEPLOYED ON STATION BEFORE 1971. //

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