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CYPRUS: SECRETARY GENERAL'S INITIATIVE

1. HAASS (STATE DEPARTMENT) TOLD MINISTER ON 15 NOVEMBER THAT A DECISION HAD NOW BEEN TAKEN TO SEND MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT TO EVREN AND KYPRIANOU. SHULTZ WILL BE SENDING MESSAGES TO OTHER PARTIES INVOLVED, INCLUDING ONE TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL PLEDGING CONTINUED AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR HIS EFFORTS. HAASS ASKED MOST PARTICULARLY THAT WE SHOULD BE DISCREET ABOUT THIS INFORMATION, PARTLY BECAUSE THE MESSAGES MIGHT NOT YET HAVE BEEN DELIVERED AND PARTLY BECAUSE THE ONE TO EVREN, WHICH WAS COINED IN PRETTY FIRM LANGUAGE, WOULD BE JEOPARDISED IF PREMATURE PUBLICITY WERE GIVEN TO IT. HAASS INDICATED THAT THE DECISION TO SEND HIGH LEVEL MESSAGES HAD BEEN AS MUCH AS ANYTHING PRECIPITATED BY RUMOURS BEING PUT ABOUT BY THE GREEK CYPRIOTS THAT THE PROBABLE FAILURE OF THE NEXT ROUND OF TALKS WAS DUE TO U.S. UNWILLINGNESS TO WEIGH IN WITH EVREN.

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