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TO PRIORITY FCO
TELEGRAM NUMBER 115 OF 10 JUNE 1982
INFO PRIORITY PARIS
INFO SAVING UKMIS GENEVA, BRASILIA AND MODUK (DS 11 AND SCPL)

MY TEL NO 113 (NOT TO ALL) : CAPTAIN ASTIZ

1. FOREIGN MINISTER ULLSTEN MADE FOLLOWING STATEMENT ON 9 JUNE.

BEGINS:

QUOTE THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAS NOW INFORMED US THAT THE ARGENTINE CAPTAIN ALFREDO ASTIZ REFUSES TO ANSWER THE QUESTIONS REGARDING THE FATE OF DAGMAR HAGELIN WHICH THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT, VIA THE BRITISH, PUT TO HIM YESTERDAY. WE MUST NATURALLY REGRET THE FACT THAT ASTIZ HAS ASSUMED THIS ATTITUDE, AS HE IS OBVIOUSLY IN POSSESSION OF INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT SHED A GREAT DEAL OF LIGHT ON THE FATE OF DAGMAR HAGELIN.

THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS ITS GRATITUDE TO THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT FOR MAKING IT POSSIBLE TO PUT THE QUESTIONS. WE SHALL NATURALLY CONTINUE OUR WORK TO ESTABLISH THE FATE OF DAGMAR HAGELIN. UNQUOTE ENDS.

FCO PLEASE PASS SAVING ADDRESSEES.

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