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REF: USNATO 5865, 5874; USDAO BUCHAREST 0393; WARSAW 5198 (NOTAL)

SUBJECT: RUMOR OF WARSAW PACT INVASION OF ROMANIA NOV 22

1. AS ALREADY REPORTED IN REFTEL FROM USDAO BUCHAREST, WE HAVE NO RPT NO INFO WHICH WOULD SUPPORT RUMOR OF INVASION OR OF JOINT MANEUVERS OTHER THAN POSSIBILITY OF WP MANEUVERS IN ROMANIA NEXT YEAR.

2. IN MONTHLY MTG OF NATO AMBS NOV 19 (DUTCH REPORT PER SE NOT DISCUSSED) GENERAL CONSENSUS WAS THAT SITUATION

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IN ROMANIA APPEARED CALM. MOREOVER BRITAMB IN FAREWELL CALL ON CEASESCU MORNING NOV 20 DESCRIBED HIS MOOD AS RELAXED AND UNPERTURBED THOUGH FORMER EVIDENTLY DID NOT RAISE DIRECTLY SUBJECT OF THIS PARTICULAR RUMOR OR OF ANY POSSIBLE MANEUVERS. BRITAMB WAS SEEING FONMIN MANESCU SHORTLY AFTER CONCLUSION HIS TALK WITH CEASESCU AND WE MAY HAVE FURTHER INFO LATER TODAY.

3. I HAVE ASKED FOR APPOINTMENT WITH FIRST DEPFONMIN MACOVESCU AND HAVE DATE TO SEE YUGO AMB MORNING NOV 21.  
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