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BRITISH CHARGE DESIGNATED QUEEN'S PERSONAL REP FOR DEJ FUNERAL AND NO RPT NO OTHER REP EXPECTED FROM LONDON. FRENCH AMB BELIEVES SAME WILL APPLY HIS CASE BUT SO FAR WITHOUT INSTRUCTIONS AND WILL ADVISE ON RECEIPT.

SOME QUESTION WHETHER WREATH WILL BE LAYED IN NAME DIPLOMATIC CORPS AS CORPS DIVIDED ON INSCRIPTION WITH SOCIALIST BLOCK INSISTING ON REF TO PARTY FIRST SECRETARY AS WELL AS PRESIDENT STATE COUNCIL. BRITISH CHARGE HAS AUTHORITY LAY WREATH ON QUEEN'S BEHALF IF OTHER INDIVIDUAL WREATHS LAYED IN NAMES CHIEFS OF STATE. AS SITUATION MAY REQUIRE ME DO LIKEWISE, URGENTLY REQUEST DISCRETIONARY AUTHORITY LAY WREATH ON PRESIDENT'S BEHALF. POST FUNDS INADEQUATE TO FUND HIGH COST OF WREATH. REQUEST OBLIGATION DATA FOR ADDITIONAL DOLS 250. MUST HAVE AUTHORIZATION TODAY TO MAKE FOLORAL ARRANGEMENTS. CRAWFORD

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