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USIA 1. Please deliver following message to President Soglo:

NSC " On behalf of the people and Government of the United States,
CPR I thank you for your good wishes on the occasion of the 191st anniversary
RSC of the independence of the United States of America.

Sincerely,

Lyndon B. Johnson"

2. Message will not be released here but no objection ^{if} ~~is~~ GOD

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