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25X1X SUBJECT

1. COMMENTS [REDACTED] ON SOVIET THREAT TO RUMANIA  
2. POSITION OF RUMANIAN LEADERSHIP ON WARSAW PACT MANEUVERS ON RUMANIAN TERRITORY

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IN A RECENT CONVERSATION [REDACTED] THE SITUATION IN RUMANIA CONTINUES TO BE THREATENED BY THE DANGER OF A SOVIET INVASION. [REDACTED] "RUMANIA MUST, AT PRESENT, FORMULATE AND IMPLEMENT ITS FOREIGN POLICY NOT ONLY IN TERMS OF WHAT COULD OR COULD NOT OFFEND THE SOVIET UNION IN A LOGICAL WAY, BUT TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE FACT THAT PRESENTLY THIS PARTNER, THE SOVIET UNION, NO LONGER THINKS LOGICALLY."

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25X1X 2. [REDACTED] ILLUSTRATED THE ABOVE WITH THE FOLLOWING EXAMPLE: "A  
NORMAL WOLF EATS A LAMB, WHICH HE PICKS OUT OF A FLOCK, WHEN HE  
IS HUNGRY. HOWEVER, WHEN THE WOLF IS MAD ONE NO LONGER KNOWS  
HIS REACTIONS. THIS IS HOW THE SOVIETS ARE NOW." [REDACTED]  
"WE MUST NOT GIVE THE SOVIETS ANY KIND OF PRETEXT TO MOVE  
AGAINST US AND WE MUST FIND A WAY TO GAIN TIME."

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3. ACCORDING TO MANESCU THE SOVIET UNION HAS NOT ASKED OR DEMANDED  
THAT WARSAW PACT MANEUVERS BE HELD ON RUMANIAN TERRITORY. SUCH  
A REQUEST OR DEMAND, HOWEVER, IS NOT EXCLUDED. AT ANY RATE,  
THE RUMANIAN COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERSHIP HAS DECIDED NOT TO ALLOW  
THE ENTRANCE OF FOREIGN TROOPS INTO RUMANIA AND IS DETERMINED TO  
RESIST ANY PRESSURE OF A MILITARY NATURE.

25X1A 4. [REDACTED] DISSEM: NONE.

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