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TO IMMEDIATE FCO
TELEGRAM NUMBER 661 OF 25 JULY
INFO ANKARA, BRUSSELS, ATHENS,
INFO SAVING TEHRAN, UKDEL NATO.

YOUR TELNO 108, AND TELECON MACRAE/RESIDENT CLERK: ARMENIAN
TERRORISM.

1. AT 0925 HRS LOCAL, AN ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL WAS RECEIVED BY ONE OF OUR TELEPHONISTS. SPEAKING IN BROKEN ENGLISH, THE CALLER SAID: "I HAVE 3 BRITISH TOURISTS AND WILL KILL THEM. SIGNED ASALA." HE REPEATED THIS A SECOND TIME: THEN, DESPITE EFFORTS BY THE TELEPHONIST TO ENGAGE HIM IN CONVERSATION, HE RANG OFF.

2. WE NOTIFIED THE FRENCH AUTHORITIES AT ONCE.

3. IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE MORE DETAILS OF THE CALENDAR FOR THE RETRIAL OF BEDROS ON THE FIRST COUNT (WHICH HAS NOT BEEN REPORTED IN THE FRENCH PRESS).

FCO PLEASE PASS SAVING ADDRESSEES.

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