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The Department of State acknowledges the receipt of note No. 70/534.2 dated March 17, 1972, from the Brazilian Embassy concerning the desire of the Government of Brazil to purchase military equipment for use by its Navy.

The Department of State has approved the request and has forwarded it to the Department of Defense for processing.

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BRAZIL CASE NO. 274

BR - Mr. McLain

PM/MAS - Mr. Pappas

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The Brazilian Embassy presents its compliments to the Department of State and would greatly appreciate the Department's good offices with the proper authorities with a view to authorizing the United States Department of the Navy to proceed with the sale to the Brazilian Government of the munitions specified below, for the use of the Brazilian Navy:

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>TSN</u>	<u>SPECIFICATIONS</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
01	1320-921-6722	Proj. 6" NC MK-34 All Mods W/PD Fuse MK-20 F/SF.	600

2. The Embassy informs that the aforementioned order has already been designated by the United States Navy, in preliminary arrangements between the Brazilian Naval Commission in Washington and the Department of the Navy, for purposes of ascertaining the availability of the munitions, payment to be made pursuant to method T/A 4 (Dependable Undertaking), through the Brazilian Naval Commission in Washington.

The Brazilian Embassy avails itself of the opportunity to renew to the Department of State the assurances of its highest consideration.

Washington, D.C., March 17, 1972

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