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Should Brazil defeat Yugoslavia Sunday in football finals, Embassy

requested deliver following message from President Kennedy to President Goulart:

QUOTE: My warmest congratulations to the national football team of Brazil on the occasion of its successful defence of the World Championship at Santiago yesterday. The people of Brazil should be justly proud of their champions and of the courageous manner in which they achieved their victory. John F. Kennedy. END QUOTE. No White House release planned.

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