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Early this afternoon following meeting between Goulart and Prime Minister Moura Andrade, President's press office issued statement that Prime Minister had submitted his resignation "pointing out that action taken because had not found receptivity for formation new Cabinet". Statement concludes President will proceed accordance Constitutional provisions make new nomination.

Despite carefully worded statement in effect disclaiming presidential responsibility, source President's office informs Embassy Officer resignation resulted refusal President transmit Cabinet selected by Prime Minister. Source added since military supported President Prime Minister Andrade had no other recourse than resign.

Reports from Rio indicate general strike called but presumed will be called off view Andrade resignation.

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