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C O N F I D E N T I A L 0111 FEB 67 FM USAIRA. DELIVER DURING NORMAL DUTY HOURS. CSAF FOR AFNICBA. REFERENCE YOUR CONF SAF-OS 79704 FEB 67 NOTAL, UR CONF AFNICBA 79759 JAN 67 NOTAL, MY UNCLASS EFTO 0074 JAN 67 AND MY CONF 0101 FEB 67 NOTAL. INVITATION FROM SECAF DELIVERED BY AIRA TO AIR MIN GOMES AT 1700L ON 2 FEB 67. AIR MIN EXPRESSED GREAT PLEASURE DERIVED FROM RECEIPT OF INVITATION AND VERBALLY ACCEPTED, STATING THAT HE WOULD LATER REPLY FORMALLY IN WRITING. COMPOSITION OF PARTY WILL BE:
1(1) AIR MINISTER EDUARDO GOMES ED-WAR-DOE GO-MEZ, AIR MARSHAL (RETIRED), AIR MINISTER, ENGLISH EXTREMELY LIMITED, CLEARED TOP SECRET (BAF). (2) JOSE DE CARVALHO, JOE-ZAY DEE CAR-VOL-YOE, LT. COL. AVIATOR, COMMANDER, 1ST EMBARKED AVIATION GROUP SANTA CRUZ, ENVAISH GOOD, N LEARED TOP SECRET (BAF). PRIMARY FIELD OF INTEREST SUPPLY SUPPORT FOR S-2A ACFT. (3) WANDYR BINATO NOGUEIRA, VON-DER BEE-NOT-TOE NO-GAY-RA, LT. COLONEL AVIATOR, OFFICER OF CABINET OF AIR MINISTER (TRIP PROJECT OFFICER), ENGLISH EXCELLENT. CLEARED TOP SECRET (BAF). (4) AURO JOSE DE MIRANDA GANDRA, MAW-ROE JOE-ZAY DEE ME-RON-DA GON-DRA, CAPTAIN AVIATOR, 1-833-DE-CAMP TO AIR MINISTER. ENGLISH FAIR TO GOOD, CLEARED TOP SECRET (BAF). NO DIETRARY RESTRICTIONS. AS WITH MOST BRAZILIANS THEY EAT LIGHT BREAKFAST (JUICE, TOAST, COFFEE, FRUIT), HEAVY MI

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-DAY MEAL AND NORMAL DINNER HOUR 2000. AIR MINISTER IS CATHOLIC, DEEPLY RELIGIOUS AND PROVISIONS SHOULD BE MADE FOR HIM TO ATTEND EARLY MASS EACH MORNING IF POSSIBLE (0630; 0700). HE WOULD ALSO ENJOY A VISIT TO LARGE CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OR RELIGIOUS MUSEUM. AIR MINISTER IS ALSO VERY COMPASSIONATE AND INTERESTED ALL FORMS OF CHARITY. A VISIT TO ORPHANAGE OR OTHER TYPE WELFARE AGENCY OR TO TRAINING INSTITUTION FOR BLIND OR OTHERWISE HANDICAPPED MIGHT BE ARRANGED. AIR MINISTER DISLIKES EXCESSIVE FORMALITY AND LATE HOURS. HE DRINKS VERY LITTLE BUT WILL TAKE ONE OR TWO SCOTCH DRINKS IN AN EVENING AND WINE WITH HIS MEALS. AIR MINISTER STATED THAT HE PREFERS TO TRAVEL BY VARIG AND PRESENTLY PLANS TO ARRIVE NEW YORK ON FLIGHT NO. 854 AT 0630L ON 27 FEBRUARY DEPARTING NEW YORK ON FLIGHT NO. 855 AT 1930L ON 5 MARCH (AT NO EXPENSE U.S.). INDICATIONS HERE THAT LOCKHEED MARIETTA WOULD APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITY TO FLY AIR MINISTER AND PARTY FROM MARIETTA TONENY YORK ON 5 MARCH USING COMPANY OWNED LOCKHEED JET STAR. AIR MINISTER STATES DESIRE TO SEE MAJ GEN WALSH WHO WAS IN BRAZIL DURING WW II, BELIEVE TO BE MAJ. GEN. ROBERT L. WALSH (RETIRED). AIR MINISTER WILL WITH TO DISCUSS SUPPLY SUPPORT FOR THE S2A, TRAINING EQUIPMENT FOR AF SPECIALIST TRAINING SCHOOL (NCO), EXPORT LICENSE FOR CF-5 (CANADAIR), FUTURE OF MAP, OBTAINING A SUBSTITUTE AIRCRAFT FOR THE P2E'S AT SALVADOR AND THE CONTRACT FOR HUGHES 500 HELICOPTERS. HE CAN BE EXPECTED HAMMER HARD ON FACT BRAZIL SENT SIZABLE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE TO EUROPE IN WW II, PARTICIPATED IN CONGO CRISIS, PRESENTLY HAS TROOPS IN GAZA STRIP, PARTICIPATED STRONGLY IN SUPPORT OF U.S. IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND STRONGLY BACKS U.S. POSITION IN VIET NAM. HE WILL THEN POINT OUT FACT THAT BRAZIL IS LARGEST AND MOST POPULOUS COUNTRY IN SOUTH AMERICA, HAS AIR FORCE EQUIPPED WITH ARMED T-33'S WHILE ARGENTIA EQUIPPED WITH A-4B'S. HE MAY OR MAY NOT MENTION CHILE, PERU AND VENEZUELA. ASSUME THAT YOUR HQ WILL COORDINATE AS REQUIRED WITH LOCKHEED-MARIETTA. AIR MINISTER HAS NOT INDICATED SPECIFIC ITEMS OF INTEREST IN MARIETTA BUT ASSUME HE WILL BE INTERESTED IN PLANT, FACILITIES, C-130 AND C-5A PRODUCTION LINES AND VISIT CREW TRAINING FACILITIES WHICH TRAINED BAF CREWS. AIR MINISTER WOULD APPRECIATE LIMITED MILITARY HONORS UPON ARRIVAL WASHINGTON OTHERWISE MINIMUM PROTOCOL. BIOGRAPHIC DATA CONTAINED MY IR'S AS FOLLOWS: AIR MINISTER GOVES: IR'S: 1 809 002 65; 1 809 0085 65; 1 809 0148 65. LT. COLONEL CARVALHO, IR 1 809 0098/66. LT. COL. NOGUEIRA, IR 1809 0047 67. CAPTAIN GANDRA, IR 1 809 0016 66. GP-3

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