



Department of State

TELEGRAM

SAO PAULO

ACTION: ECON INFO: UNCLASSIFIED
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R 271740Z APR 71
FM AMEMBASSY RIO DE JANEIRO
TO RUEVDES/USDOC WASHDC
INFO SEC/STATE
RUESUP/AMCONSUL SAO PAULO 6816
ZEN/AMCONSUL PORTO ALEGRE BHYUE
BT
UNCLAS RIO DE JANEIRO 2815

SUBJECT: EDP TRADE MISSION

REF: CA-1758 OF APRIL 10, 1971

1. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT MISSION MEMBERS NOT RPT NOT CARRY SAMPLES SINCE CLEARANCE OUT OF CUSTOMS TAKES LONG TIME. IF SAMPLES DEEMED ESSENTIAL, WE SUGGEST THAT THEY BE SHIPPED CONSIGNED TO EMBASSY REACHING RIO WITH RESPECTIVE DOCUMENTS AT LEAST TEN DAYS BEFORE MISSION ARRIVAL. AFTER MISSION VISIT TOTORTO ALEGRE SAMPLES COULD BE SHIPPED BACK TO US. MISSION MEMBERS SHOULD BE PREPARED PAY ALL CHARGES INVOLVED IN CUSTOMS CLEARANCE AND FREIGHT COSTS TO U.S.

2. SINCE MISSION WILL VISIT THREE CITIES EMBASSY BELIEVES \$1000 BUDGET AUTHORIZATION FOR BRAZIL INADEQUATE AND RECOMMENDS FUNDING BE INCREASED TO AT LEAST \$2000. POST'S INDICATION OF THE LENGHT OF TIME AND RATES FOR HIRING SECRETARIES AND TRANSLATORS FOLLOWS.
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