

Kopie Telegramm vom 9.10.73

Ambasuisse New Delhi Nr. 442-IE
 Ambasuisse Islamabad Nr. 426-IE
 Ambasuisse Dacca Nr. 1-IE

Wollet bitte nachstehenden Text bezüglich der uns laut Abkommen von New Delhi vom 28.8. übertragenen Aufgaben per Note ans MAE richten:

Quote The Embassy of Switzerland in New Delhi (Islamabad, Dacca) refers to the talks which Mr. Arthur Bill, on special mission for the Federal Political Departement, had recently in New Delhi, Islamabad and Dacca (alternate) in order to define the function which the Governments of India, Pakistan and Bangla Desh wish to entrust to Switzerland in accordance with article 3 (9) of the Agreement of New Delhi concluded between the Governments of India and Pakistan on 28th August 1973.

The Embassy, by order of its Government, has the honoir to bring the following to the attention of the Ministry:

The Government of Switzerland agree to concur in the implementation of the aforesaid Agreement. In this connection, it is prepared to forward by diplomatic channels all communications between the Governments of India, Pakistan and Bangla Desh which relate to the fulfillment of the Agreement. Apart from that and upon request of one of the Governments, it is willing to lend its good offices, in view of facilitating, as far as necessary, the settlement of those particular cases which may occur in relation with the fulfillment of said Agreement and which may not have found a satisfactory solution.

To this effect, the Swiss Government have decided, on 1st October 1973, to reinforce the staff of the Embassies of Switzerland in New Delhi, Islamabad and Dacca and to develop their wireless transmission network with Switzerland and the other capitals concerned. While holding its good offices at the disposal of the Governments

of India, Pakistan and Bangla Desh, the Swiss Government do not mean to interfere with the functions of the United Nations' High Commissioner for Refugees and of the International Committee of The Red Cross in connection with the accomplishment of the tasks which were entrusted to them by those Governments and which are thereby reserved.

The Swiss Government, the HCR and the ICRC will regularly consult each other both in Switzerland and in the three countries of the Asian-sub-continent.

Identical notes are delivered to the Ministry of External Affairs of India, Pakistan and Bangla Desh. Unquote.

IKRK überreicht Aide-Mémoire über seine Aufgaben an entsprechende 3 Vertreter heute Genf. HCR überreicht keine Noten oder Aide-Mémoire. Rossi