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He/Am. UdSSR 821

Anastassi Iwanowitch Mikoyan, Peoples
Commissar,
M o s c o w

EIT via
Radio suisse

-- for foreign trade of the USSR

Inform you that my uninterrupted efforts concerning departure of sovjet buying and receiving commissions have been successfull the governments of respective countries having guaranted the free transit stop The transport is starting August twelfth evening in two sleepings from Baden via Milano Beograd Sofia until Bulgarian Turkish frontier stop I have charged a Swiss to accompany transport furnished with recommendation of respective governments stop Twentyfivethousand Swissfrancs cash have been advanced to Mr.Artemjey I therefore should be pleased by your advising Swiss bank corporation to pay the above amount to my order stop Please invite your Ambassador Ankara to secure transport facilities beyond Turkish frontier stop Mr. Artemjev has necessary fund for this part of travel stop I may expect that you will in accordance with your wire 498 of 21 July take now the necessary steps for return of Swiss citizens whose names are enumerated in my wire of July 18th.

by order of Doctor Ebrard

Delegate for commercial treaties.

