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commissariat for Foreign Trade  
of Union of SSR,  
K o u i b y c h e v .

After long absence abroad acknowledge your telegram 17th May  
stop confirm my previous telegrams according which blocked  
Sowjet balances in Switzerland represent as with other  
countries only a provisory measure in order to liquidate  
reciprocal liabilities stop From this point of view there  
exists a possibility to compensate reciprocal liabilities if  
I may admit that Union of SSR would send at the same time  
to a central Swiss institution orders of payments for all  
Swiss trade liabilities and make an adequate reserve for  
amounts not yet due stop urgently renew offer my telegram  
23rd april refering personal negotiations for which I am  
at your disposal

Ebrard

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