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## IPS PRIORITIES

### WEST GERMANY SIMULATES NUCLEAR DETONATION IN NOVEMBER MANEUVERS

DEC. 10 (IPS)—WEST GERMAN ARMY GENERALS AND THE DEFENSE MINISTER GEORGE LEBER ALLOWED THE SIMULATED DETONATION OF TWO ATOMIC WARHEADS DURING NATO MILITARY MANEUVERS IN THE NORTH WEST GERMAN PROVINCE OF LOWER SAXONY, NOV. 20-22.

THE MANEUVER, NAMED "COLORFUL WOODPECKER" WAS BASED ON A RAND CORPORATION SCENARIO WHICH IS INTEGRAL TO THE BROADER HILEX '75 MANEUVER NOW UNDERWAY. SOVIET ARMY FORCES DEPLOYING OUT OF EAST GERMANY SUPPOSEDLY USED CHEMICAL WARFARE TECHNIQUES TO PROVOKE WESTERN FORCES. THE IMMEDIATE WEST GERMAN RESPONSE WAS THE RELEASE OF A LIMITED TACTICAL NUCLEAR WARHEAD TO INTIMIDATE THE EAST BLOC FORCES INTO TEMPORARY RETREAT.

ACCORDING TO WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST PARTY DAILY, UNSERE ZEIT, WHICH FEATURED THE "COLORFUL WOODPECKER" MANEUVER ON THE FRONT PAGE, THE NUCLEAR WAR GAME TOOK PLACE ONLY 100 KILOMETERS FROM THE EAST GERMAN BORDER.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR HELMUT SCHMIDT REVIEWED THE TROOPS PARTICIPATING IN THE WAR "GAME," ACCORDING TO THE NOV. 23 BRITISH DAILY TELEGRAPH.

### PODGORNYI IN AFGHANISTAN CALLS FOR ASIAN SECURITY

DEC. 10 (IPS)—SOVIET PRESIDENT NIKOLAI PODGORNYI, ON A STATE VISIT TO AFGHANISTAN, YESTERDAY CALLED FOR EXTENDING THE HELSINKI EUROPEAN SECURITY PRINCIPLES TO ASIA.

RADIO MOSCOW REPORTED THAT PODGORNYI ACCUSED THE PEKING LEADERSHIP OF THREATENING SOVEREIGN STATES IN THE REGION.

CZECHOSLOVAK FOREIGN MINISTER B. CHNOUPEK ALSO ARRIVED IN AFGHANISTAN YESTERDAY, ON A SUBCONTINENT TRIP THAT HAS ALREADY TAKEN HIM TO INDIA AND NEPAL.

### LEVI TIGHTENS HIS CONTROL OVER FEDERAL BUREAUCRACY

DEC. 10 (IPS)—U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL EDWARD LEVI YESTERDAY CREATED THE OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AN INTERNAL INVESTI-

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GATION OF THE FBI, LEAA, DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE (INS) AND MARSHALS SERVICE "TO INSURE THAT DEPARTMENTAL EMPLOYEES CONTINUE TO PERFORM THEIR DUTIES IN ACCORD WITH THE PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS EXPECTED," REPORTS TODAY'S NEW YORK TIMES. WASHINGTON OBSERVERS POINT OUT THAT THIS AGENCY WILL CREATE A CLIMATE OF TERROR AMONG CAREER GOVERNMENT BUREAUCRATS AT A TIME WHEN LEVI IS REPORTEDLY ATTEMPTING TO CONSOLIDATE PERSONAL CONTROL OVER A NUMBER OF FEDERAL AGENCIES.

ACCOUNTABLE DIRECTLY TO LEVI, THE OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY WILL ESTABLISH DIRECT "COMMAND AND CONTROL" OVER LEVI-CONTROLLED AGENCIES CREATING A CLIMATE OF TERROR AMONG CAREER AND FEDERAL OFFICIALS AS PART OF ROCKEFELLER'S PRE-INSURRECTION TYPE DEPLOYMENT UNDER THE HILEX-75 SCENARIO.

COMMUNISTS SWEEP YESTERDAY'S MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN NAZARETH

DEC. 10 (IPS)—WITH A RECORD 75 PERCENT VOTER TURNOUT IN THE NORTHERN ISRAELI CITY OF NAZARETH, RAKAH, THE ISRAELI COMMUNIST PARTY GAINED CONTROL OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT IN YESTERDAY'S ELECTIONS.

TOUFIK ZAYAD, A MEMBER OF THE ISRAELI PARLIAMENT AND LEADING MEMBER OF RAKAH WON A RESOUNDING 70 PERCENT OF THE VOTE FOR MAYOR. RAKAH ALSO TOOK A MAJORITY OF THE 16 CITY COUNCIL SEATS.

TODAY'S NEW YORK TIMES REPORTS THAT THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT WILL "REAPPRAISE" ITS POLICY ON NAZARETH IN THE WAKE OF THE ELECTIONS> THERE HAD BEEN HEAVY-HANDED HARASSMENT AGAINST RAKAH PREVIOUS TO THE ELECTIONS BY A NUMBER OF GOVERNMENT MINISTERS INCLUDING LABOR MINISTER BARAM WHO HAS REPORTEDLY THREATENED THAT IF THE COMMUNISTS WON, BADLY NEEDED FUNDS FOR THE NECESSARY MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS WOULD BE CUT OFF.

HILL NORTON FUELS NUCLEAR WAR, BLAMES SOVIETS

DEC. 10 (IPS)—BRITISH ADMIRAL SIR PETER HILL NORTON, CHAIRMAN OF NATO'S MILITARY COMMITTEE, TOLD A MEETING OF EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTERS IN BRUSSELS THIS WEEK THAT UNLESS ALLIANCE COUNTRIES WERE PREPARED TO STEP UP ARMS PROCUREMENT, NUCLEAR WAR COULD BECOME A DISTINCT POSSIBILITY. NEW YORK TIMES SCRIBBLER DREW MIDDLETON QUOTED HILL NORTON'S REMARKS WHICH RETAILED THE LIE THAT SOVIET MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID TO KEY AFRICAN COUNTRIES WAS EVIDENCE THAT THE SOVIETS WANT TO CUT THE "LIFELINE BETWEEN NORTH AMERICA AND EUROPE AND BETWEEN EUROPE AND THE OIL-PRODUCING AREAS."

HILL NORTON FURTHER DEMANDED THE INTEGRATION OF CIVIL TRANSPORT SYSTEMS INTO THE NATO MILITARY COMMAND STRUCTURE, ACCORDING TO EAST GERMAN RADIO.

IRAQ, ALGERIA SET STRATEGY FOR UPCOMING NORTH-SOUTH CONFERENCE

DEC. 10 (IPS)--A HIGH POWERED DELEGATION HEADED BY SADDAM HUSSEIN, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE IRAQI REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL, ARRIVED IN ALGERIA YESTERDAY FOR PLANNING CONSULTATIONS WITH ALGERIAN PRESIDENT HOUARI BOUMEDIENNE IN PREPARATION FOR THE UPCOMING NORTH - SOUTH CONFERENCE, REPORTS PRENSA LATINA. HUSSEIN MADE THE UNEXPECTED TRIP TO ALGERIA AFTER MEETING WITH EAST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER OSKAR FISCHER IN BAGHDAD WHO IS NOW IN INDIA.

SAUDIS THREATEN TO DESTROY IRAQI OIL MARKET

NEW YORK, DEC. 10 (IPS)--AN EXPERT ON ENERGY AND OIL SAID IN AN INTERVIEW TODAY THAT IRAQ, "THE ONLY COUNTRY IN OPEC EXPANDING ITS OIL BUSINESS BY JUDICIOUS PRICE SHAVING, IS PLAYING A DANGEROUS GAME" AND REPRESENTS A "NAGGING PROBLEM" TO OPEC. "IRAQ IS THE FLY IN THE OINTMENT TO NOT ONLY SAUDI ARABIA, BUT ALSO IRAN AND ABU DHABI," THE EXPERT STATED. "IF ABU DHABI WERE DOING WHAT IRAQ IS DOING THE SAUDIS WOULD SIMPLY MOVE IN...BUT THE PROBLEM WITH IRAQ IS ITS CLOSE TIES TO THE SOVIET UNION," MAKING IT MILITARILY DANGEROUS.

ANOTHER SOURCE REPORTED TODAY THAT SAUDI ARABIA "THE FATHER OF OPEC" MAY CHOOSE TO PUNISH IRAQ, "OPEC'S UNRULY CHILD," BY UNDERCUTTING IRAQ'S PRICES AND "TAKING OVER ALL ITS FOREIGN MARKETS."

JUDGE CONTINUES TRO AGAINST ROCKEFELLER DESTRUCTION OF STATE POLICE FILES

NEW YORK, DEC. 10 (IPS)--A FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE HERE TODAY CONTINUED A TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER BARRING NELSON ROCKEFELLER, HUGH CAREY AND NEW YORK STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS FROM DESTROYING STATE POLICE FILES CONTAINING EVIDENCE OF THEIR CRIMINAL HARRASSMENT OF THE U.S. LABOR PARTY AND NATIONAL CAUCUS OF LABOR COMMITTEES.

SOUTHERN DISTRICT COURT JUDGE CHARLES L. BRIANT CONTINUED THE RESTRAINING ORDER PENDING THE OUTCOME OF THE HEARING TOMORROW, AFTER THE LABOR PARTY HAD PRODUCED TWO WITNESSES WHO CONTRADICTED SWORN AFFIDAVITS FROM STATE OFFICIALS CONCERNING THE IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE FILES. THE JUDGE TOLD STATE ATTORNEY HAMMER, REPRESENTING THE DEFENDENTS, THAT UNLESS THEY PRODUCED EVIDENCE CONTRADICTING THE LABOR PARTY TESTIMONY, THAT BASED ON THE EVIDENCE PRESENTED SO FAR HE WOULD GRANT A PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION PREVENTING THE DESTRUCTION OF THE FILES.

AT THE BEGINNING TO TODAY'S HEARING, STATE ATTORNEY HAMMER, SUBMITTED A SERIES OF AFFIDAVITS WHICH CLAIMED THAT THE FILES WOULD BE DEALT WITH UNDER NORMAL STATE PROCEDURE FOR DOCUMENT DESTRUCTION. UNDER SUCH PROCEDURES, THE AFFIDAVITS ALLEGED, THE

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FILES WOULD NOT BE "DESTROYED" BEFORE 1978 AT THE EARLIEST" WHILE MANY OF THE FILES WOULD BE KEPT FOR "HISTORICAL PURPOSES."

THE LABOR PARTY ATTORNEY DAVID HELLER PRESENTED TWO WITNESSES WHO HAD BEEN TOLD BY STATE POLICE PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER DOUGLAS DALES YESTERDAY THAT THE NON-CRIMINAL PORTIONS OF THE FILES WERE BEING DESTROYED ON ORDER FROM THE GOVERNOR. THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO WOULD LIKE TO GET RID OF THEM (THE FILES), DALES TOLD ONE OF THE LABOR PARTY WITNESSES. THE STATE POLICE PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER SPECIFIED THAT THE TYPES OF FILES BEING DESTROYED WERE THOSE PERTAINING TO POLITICAL DISSIDENTS.

STATE ATTORNEY HAMMER, WHO APPEARED NERVOUS AFTER HIS FAILURE TO BLOCK THE RESTRAINING ORDER, ATTEMPTED TO ARGUE THAT WHAT DALES HAD IN FACT MEANT WAS THAT THE FILES WERE BEING DESTROYED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE AFFIDAVITS.

JUDGE BRIANT HOWEVER REPLIED THAT THE STATE'S AFFIDAVITS MENTIONED ONLY "CRIMINAL FILES." IN ADDITION, HE MENTIONED THAT THE FILES MAY HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED ILLEGALLY, INFERRING THAT THEY WERE THE POLITICAL ENEMIES LIST OF STATE OFFICIALS INCLUDING NELSON ROCKEFELLER. IN SWORN TESTIMONY BEFORE SENATE HEARINGS ON HIS CONFIRMATION AS VICE-PRESIDENT, NELSON ROCKEFELLER HAD DENIED THE EXISTENCE OF SUCH STATE POLICE FILES.

THE HEARING WILL RESUME TOMORROW.

PPIKE WITHDRAWS CONTEMPT CITATIONS UNDER PRESSURE OF STATE DEPARTMENT LOBBYING

WASHINGTON, D.C., DEC. 10 (IPS)—REP. OTIS PIKE (D-NY), CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT HE IS WITHDRAWING THE REMAINING CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CITATION AGAINST SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER. PIKE TOOK THE MOVE AFTER HE CHARGED BITTERLY ON AN EARLY MORNING CBS TELEVISION INTERVIEW TODAY THAT A MASSIVE DEPLOYMENT OF WHITE HOUSE AND STATE DEPARTMENT AIDES INTO THE HALLS OF CONGRESS HAD CAUSED AN "EROSION" OF SUPPORT FOR THE CONTEMPT CITATIONS AMONG MEMBERS OF HIS COMMITTEE.

THIS AFTERNOON, PIKE TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT THE WHITE HOUSE HAD EFFECTIVELY COMPLIED WITH A SUBPOENA, WHICH HAD SOUGHT INFORMATION FROM KISSINGER'S STATE DEPARTMENT, REMOVING THE CAUSE FOR CONTEMPT.

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