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TOLD ENVOY ON SEPTEMBER 15TH, THAT PAKISTAN IS LEADING EFFORTS TO NEGOTIATE A NUCLEAR COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE IAEA. THE AGREEMENT IS DESIGNED TO PREVENT PAKISTAN FROM acq uiring NUCLEAR WEAPONS. PAKISTAN AND THE IAEA HAVE AGREED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

1. The agreement would be based on the IAEA's safeguards system.
2. Pakistan would agree to allow inspections of its nuclear facilities.
3. Pakistan would limit its enrichment capabilities.
4. Pakistan would not develop nuclear weapons.
5. Pakistan would work with other countries on nuclear safety.

THE AGREEMENT WOULD BE Signed WITH OTHER COUNTRIES AND PROVIDE FOR COOPERATION IN THE FIGHT AGAINST NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION. THE AGREEMENT WOULD INCLUDE EXCHANGES OF INFORMATION AND COORDINATION ON NUCLEAR SAFEGUARDS. THE AGREEMENT WOULD BE DRAFTED TO BE SIGNED IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.

AMERICAN INTERESTS IN ASIA WOULD BE SERVING FROM THIS AGREEMENT. IT WOULD HELP TO STABILIZE THE REGION AND REDUCE THE THREAT OF PAKISTAN DEVELOPING NUCLEAR WEAPONS.
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TO RESTATE CHINA'S POLICY OF NEITHER ADVOCATING NOR ENDORSENG NUCLEAR WEAPONS AT THE SAME TIME HE REPEATED THE FRC'S CRITICISM OF THE NPT'S POLICY OF NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. AT THE SAME TIME HE REPEATED THE FRC'S CRITICISM OF THE NPT'S POLICY OF NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. THE CHINESE MINISTER KHAH HALLING THE AGREEMENT AS OPENING A NEW CHAPTER IN CHINA-PASSISTAN BILATERAL RELATIONS AND CRIING THE AGREEMENT WOULD HELP TO ELIMINATE "IRRESPONSIBLE RUOMED" AND TESTIFY TO CHINA'S POLICY OF NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND RAILING THE FRC'S POLICY OF NON-PRODUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

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COMMENTED THAT THE CHINESE
WIRE CONCERNED WITH THE U.S. REACTION TO THE
AGREEMENT, PARTICULARLY IN THE U.S. CONGRESS AND
THE INCLUSION OF STATEMENTS IN
REITERATING THE FRC'S POLICY OF NON-PROLIFERATION.

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COMMENTED: THE U.S. REACTION BY FOREIGN
MINISTER KHAH AND PREMIER ZHAO AT THE SIGNING CEREMONY
INDICATES THE IMPORTANCE BOTH SIDES PLACE IN TROTH
AGREEMENT. CHINA AND PASSISTAN ARE CLEARLY
CONCERNED WITH THE U.S. REACTION TO THE AGREEMENT
AND ARE EMPHASIZING THE PEACEFUL AND PROACTIVE NATURE
OF THEIR BILATERAL NUCLEAR COOPERATION. HOWEVER,
THE PRECISE DEGREE OF IAEA SUPERVISION AND SAFE-
GUARDS IS UNCLEAR. WE HAVE INFORMALLY REQUESTED
A COPY OF THE AGREEMENT AND ARE WAITING FOR AN MFA
RESPONSE TO OUR REQUEST.

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