IIA media giving moderate, factual treatment developments Iran GOVT crisis, avoiding (REPT avoiding):

1) all unofficial comment,
2) speculation on stability, composition, policies of new GOVT
3) indication of connection between Mossadegh's resignation, and Anglo-Iranian oil controversy,
4) speculation that new GOVT might open way for oil settlement, and
5) discussions of probable more pro-Western orientation of new GOVT.

In order not to embarrass new GOVT every effort being made keep output completely neutral in tone.

EMB's comments and continuing suggestions RE guidance this matter urgently requested.

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