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FROM : Embassy MOSCOW

DATE: June 21, 1972

SUBJECT : Sino-Soviet Military Balance (C-SR-2-50545)

REF : Moscow 2676, March 25, 1972; Department's A-4285, April 28, 1972

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1. Opportunity to discuss reference request with Swiss DCM arose in May. Unfortunately, he could add nothing to what was previously reported and generally did not recall conversation with any clarity. He also could not identify name of Chinese DCM with any assurance. In short, for him it was simply passing conversation of mild interest which he passed on at time but has subsequently forgotten.

2. Embassy will keep question in mind should opportunity arise to question the Chinese in the future discreetly through a third-party.

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