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1. Assistant Secretary Leddy called in Ambassador Dobrynin morning, November 11, and made following oral statement:

QTE The United States collected outside of the Soviet Union radioactive debris directly associated with the Soviet nuclear explosion of October 27, 1966.

In view of Article I(b) of the Treaty Banning Nuclear Weapon Tests in the Atmosphere, in Outer Space and Under Water, the Government of the United States requests further information concerning this explosion. END QTE

Dobrynin said ~~XXXXX~~ he would cable it to Foreign ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Ministry.

2. Department plans inform press only that Dobrynin called in and Soviet Government requested provide information on Soviet nuclear test of October 27, 1966.

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