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TAGS: PINT, SHUM, KS
SUBJECT: CONVERSATION WITH YUJONGHOE LEADER T'AE WON-SON
1. [REDACTED] ENTIRE TEXT.

2. DURING THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF CALLS ON POLITICAL LEADERS
I TOLD YUJONGHOE CHAIRMAN T'AE WON-SON ABOUT MY WASHINGTON
VISIT, STRESSING THE DEEP CONCERN OF CONGRESSMEN AND SENATORS
WHO COUNT THEMSELVES FRIENDS OF KOREA. I URGED THAT THE
GOVERNMENT TAKE LIBERALIZING STEPS AND EXPRESSED HOPE
THAT ALL OPPOSITION RESIGNATIONS WOULD BE REJECTED...T'AE SAID [REDACTED]

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3. AS THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF CALLS ON PARTY LEADERS,
I CALLED ON YUJONGHOE CHAIRMAN T'AE WON-SON AND OTHER
PARTY MEMBERS OCTOBER 21. I TOLD HIM THAT I HAD TRIED
TO PRESENT PEOPLE IN WASHINGTON WITH A BALANCED PICTURE
OF WHAT WAS GOING ON IN KOREA, EXPLAINING TO THEM, AMONG
OTHER THINGS, THAT I DIDN'T THINK THAT KIM YONG-SAM'S
EXPULSION FROM THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY HAD BEEN INTENDED
AS THE BEGINNING OF A MASSIVE WAVE OF REPRESSION. I
SAID I HAD FOUND MOST PEOPLE REALISTIC IN THEIR REACTION,

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