



TELECON
Secretary General Waldheim/Kissinger
October 7, 1973
12:55 pm

W: Good Morning.

K: How are you.

W: Worried and busy. I wonder if you can tell me about your affairs and decisions?

K: I was going to call you. We have been exchanging thought with the Soviets to see what could be done. The Soviets are not willing to do very much.

W: My impressions to. Most of the members are... not having a Security Council today.

K: What worries me is here is a major military conflict and if the Security Council can't meet what is it for.

W: This is why I thought I should ring you up. We can explain it to our experts but what do we say to the public..

K: We are expecting a communication from the Soviets. I would like to call you around 4:00 and see about moving the Security Council.

W: Good

K: We could ask for it tomorrow morning.

W: Then we could avoid debate on the General Assembly under the rules of procedure the G.A. can't meet on it if the Security Council is meeting..

K: Zayat told me he wasn't that insistent.

W: If there is a meeting of the Security Council easier to avoid debate in the General Assembly especially if Zayat doesn't want to speak.

K: If you can use your influence with the President to keep Middle East debate from breaking open into an inflammatory... (They were disconnected and the call was placed again.)



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K: You haven't had any requested from anyone else to do anything.

W: I just got a report that West German and Britian have called immediately for a Security Council meeting. By chance I had the British Ambassador here when it came in. I am trying to verify the matter.

K: We should stay in touch. We are prepared as soon as possible . . we get the other communication. I will be helpful if you use your influence to keep the debate out of the General Assembly. We will call for a Security Council meeting tomorrow.

W: We'll be able to clarify the West Germany and British move. I don't know if this is true. Thank you very much. I'll keep you informed.

K: Are you reachable.? I will call you. no later than 4:00.

W: Good, Mr. Secretary.

K: Goodbye Mr. Secretary General

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