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USCINCEUR FOR NORSTAD AND PALMER. SIGNED LIGHTNING, OCTOBER 31, 6 PM. BONN FOR ANBASSADOR. POLAD USAREUR FOR CLARKE ONLY FROM CLAY.

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In connection with our suspension of assistance vehicles on Autobahn, I would like to continue for some time the kind of documented through movement of lightly armed convoys now set up for three days out movement and three days in movement of replacement with one day interval. Regular unarmed movements do not serve same purpose. General Clarke does not like this program which interferes with his troop disposition. It may not be necessary after present movement is completed. However, I recommend discretionary authorization for this movement be given to Berlin Command to be undertaken in such a way as not to involve a recognizable reduction in Berlin Garrison. I believe this a political and a military decision.

ACTION: OSACEUR (US ELEMENT) SUS: 3 Nov 61

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