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BODY

COUNTRY: (U) INDONESIA (ID).

IPSP (U) [REDACTED] (b)(3):10 USC 424

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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EVALUATED INTELLIGENCE. REPORT CLASSIFIED -~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ [REDACTED] (b)(3):10 USC 424-----  
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REQS: (U) [REDACTED] (b)(3):10 USC 424

SOURCE: (U) A. OPEN SOURCES, VARIOUS, DATED 991016.

B. [REDACTED] (b)(3):10 USC 424

SUMMARY: (C) AS OF 1600L 16 OCT 1999, JAKARTA IS QUIET WITH  
ONLY A SMALL SCALE DEMONSTRATION IN FRONT OF THE HOTEL  
INDONESIA. GENERAL WIRANTOS REPEATS HIS COMMITMENT TO  
SAFEGUARD AND FACILITATE THE ELECTION PROCESS.TEXT: 1. (C) DURING THE MORNING THROUGH EARLY AFTERNOON  
OF 16 OCT 1999, JAKARTA WAS QUIET WITH VERY LITTLE ACTIVITY  
NOTED AT THE USUAL HOTSPOTS (ATMA JAYA UNIVERSITY,  
TRISAKTI UNIVERSITY, AND THE DPR BUILDING). SECURITY FORCES  
IN THE VICINITY OF THE SENAYAN STADIUM AND SEMANGGI  
APPEARED RELATIVELY RELAXED. [REDACTED] OBSERVED AN ARMY OFFICER  
LEADING A GRO UP OF APPROXIMATELY 100 SOLDIERS (COMPANY  
LEVEL) IN MILITARY SONGS WHILE THE TROOPS WERE SEATED IN  
THE SHADE AT SENAYAN.

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2. (C) BY 1500L 16 OCT 1999, [REDACTED] OBSERVED A SMALL  
DEMONSTRATION IN FRONT OF THE HOTEL INDONESIA.  
APPROXIMATELY 100 SUPPORTERS OF PRESIDENTIAL CONTENDER  
AND CHAIRPERSON OF THE INDONESIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY  
STRUGGLE (PDI-P) MEGWATI ((SOEKARNOPUTRI)) CARRIED  
BANNERS THAT CALLED ON ALL INDONESIAN PEOPLE TO REJECT  
PRESIDENT B.J HABIBE. PDI-P SUPPORTERS WERE ALSO  
ATTEMPTING TO INCITE A DEMONSTRATION AT ATMA JAYA  
UNIVERSITY, HOWEVER THEIR EFFORTS APPEARED LESS THAN  
SUCCESSFUL.

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3. (U) TODAY'S ACTIVITY WAS IN MARKED CONTRAST TO THE  
EVENTS OF THE LAST TWO DAYS. LOCAL PRESS REPORTS  
INDICATED THAT 170 PROTESTERS WERE INJURED DURING THE  
LAST TWO DAYS. IN ADDITION, 25 POLICE OFFICERS AND FIVE  
MILITARY PERSONNEL WERE INJURED. A POLICE SPOKESMAN  
COMMENTED THAT APPROXIMATELY 73 PROTESTERS WERE  
ARRESTED IN THE PAST TWO DAYS.4. (U) ALSO IN THE LOCAL PRESS, GENERAL WIRANTO INSISTED  
SECURITY FORCES WOULD GO ALL OUT TO FACILITATE AND  
SAFEGUARD THE ELECTION PROCESS. THESE COMMENTS  
APPEARED TO BE IN RESPONSE TO CALLS BY VARIOUS GROUPS TO  
OPEN THE ELECTION PROCESS TO THE PUBLIC.COMMENTS: [REDACTED] (b)(3):10 USC 424 1. FOR THE MOMENT, THE  
SITUATION IN JAKARTA IS CALM. HOWEVER THIS COULD CHANGE

QUICKLY. THE FACT THAT THREE OF THE SEVEN FACTIONS IN THE MPR HAVE ANNOUNCED THEY WILL REJECT PRESIDENT HABIBE'S ACCOUNTABILITY SPEECH PROBABLY HELPED DIFFUSE A POSSIBLE THIRD DAY OF DEMONSTRATIONS.

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