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8. ~~TL~~ SUMMARY: THERE ARE INDICATIONS THAT THE  
CHINESE ARE MOVING CLOSER TO IRAQ AS RESULT OF A  
REPORTED COOLING OF RELATIONS BETWEEN IRAQ AND THE USSR.

9A. ~~46~~ DETAILS: ON 820119, (b)(1),1.4 (c) REPORTED THAT  
CHINESE ARE MAKING A CONCENTRATED EFFORT TO IMPROVE  
RELATIONS WITH IRAQ TO THE POINT OF EXPANDING SIGNIFICANT-  
LY THE PROVISION OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT. ONE OF THE  
REASONS IS DUE TO THE USSR'S RELUCTANCE TO CONTINUE  
PROVIDING SOME CRITICAL REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT/PARTS,

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I.E. SPARE PARTS FOR MIG-21 AIRCRAFT. EARLY IN JANUARY  
AN IRAQ DELEGATION WITH CONSIDERABLE MILITARY REPRESENTATION WAS IN BEIJING AND THE CHINESE NOW HAVE A  
RETURN GROUP IN BAGHDAD.

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