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SUBJECT: MARSHALLESE RADIATION PATIENTS  
FOLLOWING MSG REC'D FROM AMCONSUL FUKUOKA AND FORWARDED HEREWITH  
FOR YOUR INFO. QUOTE.

ACCORDING TO THE NAGASAKI ATOMIC BOMB HOSPITAL AND MR. SHIGETOSHI  
IWAMATSU, PROFESSOR OF THE NAGASAKI UNIVERSITY ALSO SECRETARY  
GENERAL OF NAGASAKI PREFECTURAL PEOPLE'S COUNCIL OF ALL JAPAN  
NATIONAL PEOPLE'S ANTI ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN BOMB COUNCIL, BOTH  
" AND " WERE HOSPITALIZED AT THE NAGASAKI  
ATOMIC BOMB HOSPITAL ON AUGUST 4, 1980, FOR DETAILED MEDICAL  
EXAMINATION, AND LEFT THE HOSPITAL ON AUGUST 11, 1980.  
ALL EXPENSES WERE PAID BY THE ALL-KYUSHU PEOPLE'S ANTI-ATOMIC  
AND HYDROGEN BOMB COUNCIL. RESULT OF THE EXAMINATION SHOWS NO  
IMMEDIATE HOSPITALIZATION IS NEEDED BUT FURTHER OBSERVATION WAS

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RECOMMENDED FOR CARDIAC PROBLEMS IN BOTH MEN. IN NEITHER CASE  
DID THE DOCTORS CONSIDER THE PROBLEMS SERIOUS. THERE WAS NO  
INDICATION OF RADIATION-RELATED ILLNESS. ALTHOUGH EXAMINING  
PHYSICIAN HOPED BOTH OF THEM COULD STAY IN JAPAN TO HAVE FURTHER  
MEDICAL EXAMINATION, APPARENTLY THEY HAD TO LEAVE JAPAN BECAUSE  
LACK OF FUNDS. HASTINGS UNQUOTE.  
HIGH COMMISSIONER ADRIAN P. WINKEL SENDS.

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