

MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION
WITH SYG LUNS
JULY 16, 1974

After the first portion of the Council meeting this morning, July 16, I told Luns ^{privately} ~~that~~ I thought we shouldn't allow a double standard to ^{exit} ~~result here~~ in the Council on consultation. We had just completed a meeting on the subject of Cyprus where Greeks and Turks had sat there silent. I said ~~that~~ here is an instance where everyone agrees there should be consultation in the Council, ~~and~~ ^I in the case of the Middle East there was a good deal of criticism of the US as to our performance, and ~~it~~ ^{it} seemed to me that in this instance some pressure ought to be put on the Greeks and the Turks to see that they come into the Council and discuss this question.

Luns, and de Staercke, who was standing nearby, both agreed. Luns then indicated to the Greeks and ^{privately} ~~the~~ Turks ~~that~~ ^{they should consult.} ~~he felt that and the result was~~ ^{Later,} he called a meeting for tonight to try to put pressure on them.

