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Some days ago I dictated a memo on the brief meeting Chorafas had with me after a Permrep lunch. He called me today, Monday the 8th, and reminded me of the conversation where he had raised the matter of the pre-conference on the Law of the Sea, and his suggestion to me that the two items that had been proposed by the Chairman of the Political Committee, namely, the Continental Shelf and the Passage Through Straits would create difficulties with respect to the relationships between the Greeks and the Turks.

He then went on to say that the U.S. rep, on the Political Committee, Mr. Smith, had recently told the Greek representative that the U.S. wouldn't object to inclusion of those two matters.

He then asked me if I agreed that it would not be constructive for the Alliance and he would like me to talk to Smith about it. Would you trace back on that and see what is going on, and see me about it by Tuesday, April 9.

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