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MOON DUST/Space Fragments: Nepa1 SUBJ:

SP 16 Kathmandu 762 NOTAL; A. REFS:

> (DTG 282123Z Dec 71). State 231792

Restored space fragment will be on board Embassy support flight 115 arriving Kathmandu on or about March 10. Fragment is packed in shipping crate (cargo no. 72-33365) marked in care of DAO.

State and Defense representatives examined fragment prior to shipment finding restoration acceptable and

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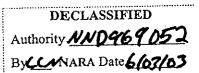
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fragment in good condition. Restored fragment does not vary significantly from its appearance prior to removal of sample.

- 3. Report on fragment for Embassy to share with GON will be forwarded soon under separate cover.
- 4. Please confirm satisfactory condition of fragment upon receipt and report GON reaction when fragment returned.

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