

SEPTEMBER 20 1967

No Objection To Declassification in Full 2010/08/30 : HIA-R JONES HO

1. SECONDARY STUDENT WARD P-2D-10-48-1 MAND (KAPPI) STAGED RALLY OF 3 TO 4 THOUSAND TODAY AT "PANTJASILA SQUARE" (FORMER BRITISH CLUB GROUNDS), ACCORDING UPI REPORTER (STONE) WHO WAS PRESENT. RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT NOISY MEETING DEMANDED THAT SUKARNO STEP DOWN VOLUNTARILY, BEFORE HE IS PULLED DOWN, ALL THOSE WHO WERE AT LUBANG BUAJA (WHERE PKI DISPOSED OF BODIES OF MURDERED GENERALS) LAST OCT. 1 BE INVESTIGATED, HARTINI BE TRIED, SUKARNO MAKE NO MORE SPEECHES, AND CHINESE BE ALLOWED LEAVE INDONESIA IF THEY WISH. CROWD THEN PILED INTO TRUCKS FOR TOUR OF CITY UNIMPEDED BY POLICE.

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2. TODAY'S HARIAN KAMI HEADLINES DEMAND BY KAMI DJAKARTA THAT ALL WHO WERE AT HALIM LAST OCT. 1 BE TRIED BY MAHMILLUB, WHILE ADJACENT STORY NOTES THAT SUKARNO WAS AT HALIM OCT. 1. THIS IS MUCH LESS DIRECT ATTACK ON BUNG THAN IS KAMI'S CUSTOM, SUGGESTING ARMY INFLUENCE.

3. KAMI CHAIRMAN COSMAS BATUBARA TOLD UPI'S STONE THAT HIS ORGANIZATION PLANNING ALL-NIGHT VIGIL LUBANG BUAJA NIGHT OF SEPT. 29, FOLLOWED BY MASS RALLY ON 30TH TO INCLUDE MARCH ON PLACE WITH, HOPEFULLY, ONE AND ONE HALF MILLION PARTICIPANTS. STUDENT PAPER EDITOR PREVIOUSLY TOLD EMBOFF HE WAS HOPING STUDENTS WOULD HOLD DOWN TORCHLIGHT PARADE FROM LUBANG BUAJA TO PALACE SEPT. 30.

4. COMMENT: SEVERAL EMBASSY SOURCES HAVE MENTIONED EVENING SEPT. 28 AS DATE OF VIGIL, POSSIBLY REFLECTING CONFUSION IN PLANNING. ALTERNATIVE EXPLANATION IS THAT ARMY MAY HAVE ORDERED STUDENTS DEMONSTRATE EARLIER TO DEFUSE SOME EMOTIONS AND PREVENT INTERFERENCE WITH ARMY PLANS COMMEMORATE MURDER OF GENERALS SEPT 30-OCT 1. ARMY WILL IN ANY EVENT PROBABLY SCALE DOWN STUDENTS' MORE AMBITIOUS PLANS, BUT THERE EVERY INDICATION PERIOD AROUND SEPT 30 WILL BE ONE OF INTENSE EMOTIONALISM.

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