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016. cable	re Kim Dae Jung (3 pages)	08/24/1989	P1/b(1)
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TO: SCOWCROFT

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SUBJECT: KIM-DAE JUNG

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September 11, 2006

By W NARA, Date 02/24/15
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OPPOSITION LEADER VOWS TO FIGHT IF INDICTED
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SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG UNDERWENT QUESTIONING WEDNESDAY BY PROSECUTORS WHO HAVE LINKED HIM TO A NORTH KOREAN SPY CASE, AND HE VOWED TO FIGHT THE ACCUSATIONS IN COURT IF NECESSARY.

GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS HAVE NOT FILED FORMAL CHARGES AGAINST HIM, BUT THEY HAVE SAID THEY HAVE ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO DO SO.

NEWSPAPERS QUOTED UNIDENTIFIED PROSECUTION OFFICIALS AS SAYING KIM WOULD SOON BE INDICTED WITH TWO OTHER LAWMAKERS OF HIS PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY. THE REPORTS SAID THEY WOULD BE ACCUSED OF VIOLATING NATIONAL SECURITY LAWS.

'SHOULD THE PROSECUTION INDICT ME, I WILL FIGHT SQUARELY IN COURT,' KIM, 64, SAID AFTER THE QUESTIONING. 'I AM INNOCENT, AND I EXPECT TRUTH TO BE ESTABLISHED.'

HE ALSO HAS DENIED WRONGDOING IN THE PAST. HE HAS SAID THE GOVERNMENT IS HARASSING HIM AND TRYING TO EMBARRASS THE POLITICAL OPPOSITION.

KIM, THE LEADER OF THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY, HAS TWICE BEEN INDICTED ON CHARGES OF VIOLATING NATIONAL SECURITY LAWS. THE TWO-TIME PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE HAS SPENT ALMOST SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON FOR SEDITION AND ANTI-GOVERNMENT ACTIVITY IN 1976 AND 1980.

HE WAS ALLOWED TO LEAVE EARLY WEDNESDAY AFTER A 15-HOUR INTERROGATION BY PROSECUTORS. IT WAS THE SECOND TIME IN THREE WEEKS HE HAS FACED QUESTIONING ABOUT THE ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA BY THEN-LAWMAKER SUH KYUNG-WON.

SUH WAS ARRESTED ON JUNE 28 AND OUSTED FROM KIM'S PARTY BECAUSE OF THE PUBLICITY. HE HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE, MAKING THE UNAUTHORIZED TRIP TO NORTH KOREA IN AUGUST 1988, AND RECEIVING MONEY FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

THE OPPOSITION LEADER IS SUSPECTED OF RECEIVING \$10,000 FROM SUH, WHO ADMITTED TO INVESTIGATORS THAT HE WAS GIVEN \$50,000 AFTER MEETING WITH NORTH KOREAN LEADER KIM IL SUNG.

KIM DAE-JUNG ALSO IS ACCUSED OF KNOWING OF SUH'S TRIP TWO MONTHS BEFORE THE CASE WAS MADE PUBLIC IN JUNE 1988. FAILURE TO REPORT SUCH A CASE TO AUTHORITIES IS A CRIME UNDER KOREAN LAW.

UNAUTHORIZED VISITS TO NORTH KOREA ARE ALSO OUTLAWED.

PROSECUTORS HAVE INDICATED THEY WILL ALSO INDICT FLOOR LEADER KIM WON-KI AND REP. LEE CHUL-YONG, BOTH OF KIM'S PARTY, ON CHARGES OF FAILING TO REPORT SUH'S CASE. THE TWO LAWMAKERS HAVE DENIED THE ACCUSATION.

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SEOUL INDICTS KIM DAE-JUNG FOR ALLEGED ROLE IN SPY SCANDAL
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SEOUL, AUG 25, REUTER - SOUTH KOREAN PROSECUTORS ON FRIDAY FORMALLY CHARGED OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG WITH INVOLVEMENT IN A SPY SCANDAL, A MOVE THAT COULD TAKE THE VETERAN DEMOCRACY CAMPAIGNER BACK TO JAIL AND SPARK A POLITICAL CRISIS.

KIM, HEAD OF THE LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, WAS INDICTED UNDER A DRACONIAN ANTI-COMMUNIST LAW FOR FAILING TO TURN IN A PARTY COLLEAGUE, LEGISLATOR SUH KYUNG-WON, FOR MAKING AN ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.

YONHAP NEWS AGENCY SAID THE ALLEGED SECURITY OFFENCE, AND ANOTHER CHARGE OF FAILING TO DECLARE FOREIGN CURRENCY IN HIS POSSESSION, COULD LAND HIM IN PRISON FOR UP TO 15 YEARS.

KIM, 63, DENIES ALL THE CHARGES AND SAYS PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO'S GOVERNMENT HAS FABRICATED THE CASE TO DISCREDIT HIM POLITICALLY.

HE HAS BEEN LEADING A CAMPAIGN TO PUNISH ALLIES OF FORMER STRONGMAN CHUN DOO HWAN FOR ALLEGED CORRUPTION AND HUMAN-RIGHTS ABUSES DURING CHUN'S 1979-1988 RULE. SOME OF THOSE ALLIES RETAIN HIGH POSITIONS UNDER ROH.

NO DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR THE TRIAL AND KIM REMAINS FREE. KIM SAID ON FRIDAY HE DID NOT THINK THE GOVERNMENT WOULD DARE PUT HIM IN THE DOCK.

"I BELIEVE ROH'S REGIME, WHICH HAS FABRICATED CHARGES AGAINST ME, KNOWS IT CAN'T WIN IN COURT," KIM TOLD MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY (PPD).

"SO I SUSPECT THE REGIME MAY NOT PUT ME ON TRIAL EVEN IF I HAVE BEEN INDICTED," HE SAID.

ROH'S GOVERNMENT AND HIS RULING DEMOCRATIC JUSTICE PARTY MAINTAINED THE DECISION TO INDICT KIM WAS NOT POLITICAL AND AID THE PROSECUTION HAD ACTED WITH COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE.

A PARTY STATEMENT SAID KIM'S INDICTMENT WAS "THE PROSECUTION'S PROPER RIGHT AND CANNOT BECOME A POLITICAL ISSUE."

PROSECUTORS SAID ON FRIDAY THEY HAD ABANDONED A CONTROVERSIAL PLAN, LEAKED TO THE PRESS EARLIER THIS WEEK, TO PUT KIM AND SUH ON TRIAL TOGETHER. SUH IS IN CUSTODY FACING MULTIPLE CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE AND COULD APPEAR IN COURT AS EARLY AS NEXT MONTH.

KIM, SEEN BY RIGHTWINGERS AT BEST AS A POPULIST FIREBRAND AND AT WORST A CRYPTO-COMMUNIST, ONLY REJOINED SOUTH KOREA'S POLITICAL MAINSTREAM IN 1987 AFTER YEARS OF JAIL, EXILE AND HOUSE ARREST.

IN 1980 KIM WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH BY A MILITARY COURT FOR ALLEGEDLY MASTERMINDING A POPULAR REVOLT AGAINST MARTIAL LAW IN HIS HOME TOWN, KWANGJU. HE WAS REPRIEVED ONLY AFTER HEAVY INTERNATIONAL PRESSURE AND WAS GIVEN AN AMNESTY JUST TWO YEARS AGO.

POLITICAL ANALYSTS SAID THE INDICTMENT OF KIM, A FOE OF SUCCESSIVE STRONGMAN RULERS, COULD HAVE FAR-REACHING POLITICAL EFFECTS.

ALREADY, KIM'S PARTY, AFTER A PERIOD OF ARMS-LENGTH COOPERATION WITH ROH EARLIER THIS YEAR TO CALM POLITICAL TENSIONS, HAS SUSPENDED ALL DIALOGUE WITH THE RULING CAMP.

IN RECENT WEEKS KIM HAS ACCUSED THE GOVERNMENT OF USING THE SUH CASE TO STIFLE THE COUNTRY'S FLEDGELING DEMOCRACY AND TO PUT A BRAKE ON EFFORTS TO DISMANTLE THE AUTHORITARIAN APPARATUS PUT IN PLACE BY CHUN.

WESTERN AND ASIAN DIPLOMATS SAID THEY SAW THE INDICTMENT

OF KIM AS A POWER PLAY BY HARDLINERS IN THE RULING CAMP EAGER
TO DISCREDIT HIM AND CHOKE THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST CHUN-ERA
HOLDOVERS.

IN A RARE SHOW OF SOLIDARITY WITH ITS OPPOSITION RIVAL,
THE REUNIFICATION DEMOCRATIC PARTY ISSUED A STATEMENT URGING
THE PROSECUTION TO WITHDRAW KIM'S INDICTMENT.

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OPPOSITION LEADER INDICTED IN LAWMAKER'S SECRET TRIP TO NORTH
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SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG WAS
INDICTED TODAY ALONG WITH TWO OTHER MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY ON CHARGES
CONNECTED WITH A LEGISLATOR'S SECRET TRIP TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

KIM, HEAD OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY, DENOUNCED THE
INDICTMENTS AS POLITICAL PERSECUTION, AND SAID ALL THE CHARGES
AGAINST HIM AND OTHERS WERE FABRICATED TO DISCREDIT HIS OPPOSITION
GROUP.

'I HAVE NOTHING TO FEAR. I WILL SQUARELY FACE TRIAL,' HE TOLD
SUPPORTERS.

PROSECUTORS CHARGED IN THE INDICTMENTS THAT KIM AND TWO PARTY
LAWMAKERS FAILED TO REPORT NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN SUH KYUNG-WON'S
SECRET TRIP TO NORTH KOREA LAST YEAR IN VIOLATION OF NATIONAL
SECURITY LAWS.

THE THREE INDICTED POLITICIANS WILL NOT BE DETAINED, PROSECUTORS
SAID. IF CONVICTED, KIM, PARTY FLOOR LEADER KIM WON-KI AND REP. LEE
CHUL-YONG COULD BE SENTENCED TO UP TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON.

KIM, WHO RAN FOR PRESIDENT IN 1971 AND 1987, SAID HIS TRIAL MAY
NEVER TAKE PLACE BECAUSE THE GOVERNMENT KNOWS IT HAS NO CHANCE OF
WINNING THE CASE.

LEGAL EXPERTS SAID SUH'S TRIAL, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN NEXT MONTH,
SHOULD BE FINISHED WITHIN SIX MONTHS, BUT THE CASE INVOLVING KIM
AND THE TWO OTHER PARTY LAWMAKERS HAS NO TIME LIMIT UNDER SOUTH
KOREAN LAW BECAUSE THEY ARE TO STAND TRIAL WITHOUT PHYSICAL
DETENTION.

SUH WAS EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY ON JUNE 28, THE SAME DAY HE WAS
ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE, VIOLATING A BAN ON UNAUTHORIZED
TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA AND RECEIVING \$120,000 FROM NORTH KOREAN
AGENTS BEFORE AND DURING HIS SECRET TRIP TO PYONGYANG LAST AUGUST.

PROSECUTORS SAID THEY HAVE EVIDENCE THAT KIM KNEW ABOUT SUH'S
TRIP TWO MONTHS BEFORE THE CASE WAS MADE PUBLIC. KIM HAS DENIED IT,
SAYING HE LEARNED OF THE TRIP SHORTLY BEFORE SUH TURNED HIMSELF IN
TO AUTHORITIES.

KIM, 64, ALSO WAS CHARGED WITH VIOLATING THE FOREIGN CURRENCY
CONTROL LAW FOR ALLEGEDLY RECEIVING \$10,000 FROM SUH, WHO IS SAID
TO HAVE RECEIVED IT FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

HOWEVER, PROSECUTORS SAID THE OPPOSITION LEADER APPARENTLY DID
NOT KNOW THE MONEY CAME FROM NORTH KOREA, SO THE CHARGE WAS LIMITED
TO A MINOR VIOLATION THAT SAYS ANYONE RECEIVING FOREIGN CURRENCY
MUST REPORT IT WITHIN 10 DAYS.

IN AN INTERVIEW THURSDAY, KIM SAID THE INDICTMENT WOULD BE 'A
TURNING POINT IN SOUTH KOREAN POLITICS' AND AN INDICATION THAT
PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO'S GOVERNMENT HAD STALLED DEMOCRATIC REFORM.

KIM SAID HIS PARTY WILL HOLD A MAJOR PUBLIC RALLY IN THE WESTERN
INDUSTRIAL CITY OF BUPYONG SATURDAY TO PROTEST WHAT HE CALLED
'DELIBERATE POLITICAL PERSECUTION' OF HIM AND HIS PARTY.

SUH, A 52-YEAR-OLD FARMER AND FORMER DISSIDENT ELECTED TO THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY IN APRIL 1988, WAS EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY AFTER
HIS TRIP WAS MADE PUBLIC.

THE SEOUL GOVERNMENT PROHIBITS UNAUTHORIZED TRAVEL TO NORTH
KOREA, AN ENEMY COUNTRY SINCE THE KOREAN PENINSULA WAS DIVIDED IN
1945. THE TWO KOREAS FOUGHT A BLOODY WAR IN 1950-53, BUT A PEACE
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KIM DAE-JUNG, 64, SPENT ALMOST SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON FOR A 1976
CONVICTION ON ANTI-GOVERNMENT ACTIVITY AND A 1980 CONVICTION ON
SEDITION CHARGES. OPPOSITION SUPPORTERS ARGUE THAT KIM'S PAST
CONVICTIONS WERE BASED ON TRUMPED-UP CHARGES BY REPRESSIVE
GOVERNMENTS.

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THE REUNIFICATION DEMOCRATS SAID THE CONTROVERSIAL CLAUSE IN THE NATIONAL SECURITY LAW THAT PUNISHES THOSE FAILING TO REPORT SPY SUSPECTS SHOULD BE ABOLISHED.

"IT IS REGRETTABLE AND INCOMPREHENSIBLE THAT...KIM DAE-JUNG WAS INDICTED ON SUCH A CHARGE," THE STATEMENT SAID.

KIM'S PARTY HAS ANNOUNCED A RALLY IN PUCHON, WEST OF SEOUL, ON SATURDAY TO DENOUNCE WHAT THEY CALLED GOVERNMENT HARASSMENT. TWO OTHER PPD LAWMAKERS AND SUH'S DRIVER WERE ALSO FORMALLY CHARGED ON FRIDAY WITH CONCEALING KNOWLEDGE OF SUH'S TRIP.

IT IS A CRIME UNDER THE NATIONAL SECURITY LAW, DESIGNED TO REPRESS ALL CONTACTS WITH PYONGYANG, NOT TO REPORT A CITIZEN'S VISIT TO NORTH KOREA.

SUH, FORMER LEADER OF A DISSIDENT FARMERS' ASSOCIATION, MADE HIS ILLEGAL TRIP IN AUGUST, 1988. HE SURRENDERED TO SECURITY AUTHORITIES IN JUNE AT THE URGING OF THE PPD.

A PROSECUTION STATEMENT SAID SUH CONFESSED HE TOLD KIM OF HIS VISIT IN MID-APRIL THIS YEAR. SUH LATER RECANTED, TELLING HIS LAWYERS THE CONFESSION WAS EXTRACTED UNDER DURESS. KIM SAYS HE LEARNED OF THE TRIP IN JUNE AND IMMEDIATELY PERSUADED SUH TO TURN HIMSELF IN.

SUH ALSO CONFESSED TO PAYING KIM LAST SEPTEMBER 10,000 DOLLARS FROM A TOTAL OF 50,000 DOLLARS HE RECEIVED FROM NORTH KOREAN POLITBURO MEMBER HO DAM.

PROSECUTORS SAID THEY HAD BEEN UNABLE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE PPD LEADER KNEW THE MONEY CAME FROM THE NORTH.

BUT THEY DECIDED TO CHARGE KIM WITH VIOLATING THE FOREIGN-EXCHANGE LAW THAT STIPULATES THAT ANYONE POSSESSING MORE THAN 3,000 DOLLARS' WORTH OF FOREIGN CURRENCY MUST REPORT IT TO A BANK WITHIN 10 DAYS. KIM SAYS HE HAS NEVER RECEIVED MONEY FROM SUH.

SUH HAD ADMITTED TRAVELLING TO THE NORTH TO MEET GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND RECEIVING 50,000 DOLLARS FROM HO, BUT DENIES THE ESPIONAGE CHARGES.

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OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG INDICTED IN SPY CASE
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SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - THE GOVERNMENT ON FRIDAY INDICTED KIM DAE-JUNG, LEADER OF SOUTH KOREA'S LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY, AND TWO LAWMAKERS ON CHARGES OF FAILING TO REPORT A LEGISLATOR'S SECRET TRIP TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

PROSECUTORS ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING THE THREE WERE ACCUSED OF FAILING TO REPORT THE VISIT OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN SUH KYUNG-WON TO THE NORTH IN AUGUST 1988. THE STATEMENT SAID THEY WOULD NOT BE DETAINED.

IF CONVICTED, KIM, HEAD OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY; KIM WON-KI THE PARTY'S PARLIAMENTARY FLOOR LEADER, AND REP. LEE CHUL-YONG COULD BE SENTENCED TO A MAXIMUM FIVE YEARS EACH IN PRISON.

KIM DAE-JUNG, WHO RAN FOR PRESIDENT IN 1971 AND 1987, HAS STRONGLY DENIED ALLEGATIONS HE HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH SUH'S TRIP OR ESPIONAGE AND ACCUSED THE GOVERNMENT OF TRYING TO UNDERMINE HIS PARTY.

THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE SAID THE INDICTMENTS WERE BEING SENT BY REGISTERED MAIL AND THE FIRST COURT HEARING PROBABLY WILL BE HELD WITHIN A MONTH.

SUH WAS ARRESTED ON JUNE 28 AND CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE, WITH VIOLATING A BAN ON UNAUTHORIZED TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA AND WITH RECEIVING \$120,000 FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS BEFORE AND DURING HIS SECRET TRIP TO PYONGYANG.

PROSECUTORS SAID KIM DAE-JUNG WOULD BE CHARGED WITH VIOLATING THE LAW GOVERNING FOREIGN EXCHANGE FOR ALLEGEDLY RECEIVING \$10,000 FROM SUH, WHO THEY SAID GOT THE MONEY FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

THE PROSECUTION SAID KIM DAE-JUNG APPARENTLY DID NOT KNOW THE MONEY CAME FROM NORTH KOREA SO THE CHARGE WAS LIMITED TO A MINOR VIOLATION, WHICH SAYS ANYONE RECEIVING FOREIGN CURRENCY MUST REPORT IT WITHIN 10 DAYS

IN AN INTERVIEW ON THURSDAY, KIM DAE-JUNG ACCUSED INVESTIGATORS OF USING TORTURE TACTICS ON SUH AND TWO OF THE NINE OTHERS JAILED SINCE THE CASE BECAME PUBLIC AT THE END OF JUNE.

ANTICIPATING THE INDICTMENT AGAINST HIM, KIM DAE-JUNG SAID IT 'WOULD BE A TURNING POINT IN SOUTH KOREAN POLITICS. IT'S AN INDICATION THE ROH REGIME HAS GIVEN UP PROMISES FOR DEMOCRATIZATION.'

ROH HAS INTRODUCED WIDESPREAD DEMOCRATIC REFORMS SINCE HE TOOK OFFICE LAST YEAR BUT CRITICS COMPLAIN HE HAS NOT DONE ENOUGH TO INTRODUCE FULL DEMOCRACY.

THE PRESIDENT'S FOES ALSO CHARGE THAT ROH IS RENEGING ON HIS CAMPAIGN PROMISE TO CLEAR UP MISDEEDS AND CORRUPTION COMMITTED UNDER HIS DISGRACED PREDECESSOR, CHUN DOO-HWAN.

PROSECUTORS SAY THEY HAVE EVIDENCE KIM DAE-JUNG KNEW ABOUT SUH'S TRIP TWO MONTHS BEFORE THE CASE WAS MADE PUBLIC IN JUNE. HE DENIED IT, SAYING HE LEARNED OF THE TRIP SHORTLY BEFORE SUH TURNED HIMSELF IN TO AUTHORITIES IN LATE JUNE.

SUH, A 52-YEAR-OLD FARMER ELECTED TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY IN APRIL 1988, WAS EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY AFTER HIS TRIP WAS MADE PUBLIC.

THE SEOUL GOVERNMENT PROHIBITS UNAUTHORIZED TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA, AN ENEMY COUNTRY SINCE THE KOREAN PENINSULA WAS DIVIDED IN 1945. THE TWO KOREAS FOUGHT A BLOODY WAR IN 1950-53 AND NEVER SIGNED A PEACE TREATY.

KIM DAE-JUNG, 64, SPENT ALMOST SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON AFTER A 1976 CONVICTION ON ANTI-GOVERNMENT ACTIVITY AND A 1980 CONVICTION ON SEDITION CHARGES. OPPOSITION SUPPORTERS SAY THESE CONVICTIONS WERE BASED ON TRUMPED-UP CHARGES BY REPRESSIVE GOVERNMENTS.

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A PROSECUTION STATEMENT SAID SUH HAD CONFESSED HE TOLD KIM AS EARLY AS MID-APRIL ABOUT HIS TRIP TO THE NORTH. THAT IS TWO MONTHS EARLIER THAN KIM SAYS HE LEARNED OF THE VISIT.

SUH, WHO DENIES CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE, CONFESSED TO RECEIVING 50,000 DOLLARS FROM NORTH KOREAN POLITBURO MEMBER HO DAM AND PAYING KIM 10,000 DOLLARS FROM THE NORTHERN FUNDS IN SEPTEMBER LAST YEAR.

HOWEVER, IT HAS YET TO BE DETERMINED WHETHER KIM KNEW THE MONEY CAME FROM THE NORTH, THE STATEMENT SAID.

THE PROSECUTION SAID KIM VIOLATED THE FOREIGN EXCHANGE LAW WHICH STIPULATES THAT ANYONE POSSESSING MORE THAN 3,000 DOLLARS' WORTH OF FOREIGN CURRENCY MUST REPORT IT TO A BANK WITHIN 10 DAYS.

KIM SAYS HE HAS NEVER RECEIVED ANY MONEY FROM SUH.

HIS PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY (PPD) PLANS A BIG RALLY IN PUCHON, WEST OF SEOUL, ON SATURDAY TO DENOUNCE WHAT THEY CALLED GOVERNMENT HARASSMENT.

TWICE A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, KIM WAS GIVEN AN AMNESTY IN 1987 THAT ALLOWED HIM TO RESUME MAINSTREAM POLITICAL LIFE AFTER YEARS OF DISSIDENT ACTIVITY, PUNCTUATED BY PERIODS OF JAIL OR HOUSE ARREST.

KIM HAS REPEATEDLY SAID PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO'S GOVERNMENT WAS USING SUH'S CASE TO STIFLE DEMOCRACY AND PUT A BRAKE ON HIS PARTY'S DRIVE TO DISMANTLE THE AUTHORITARIAN APPARATUS PUT IN PLACE BY ROH'S PREDECESSOR, FORMER ARMY STRONGMAN CHUN DOO HWAN.

CHUN, A CLOSE ARMY COLLEAGUE OF ROH, STEPPED DOWN IN FEBRUARY 1988 AFTER EIGHT CONTROVERSIAL YEARS IN POWER.

THE FORMER PRESIDENT HAS LIVED AN AUSTERE LIFE IN A BUDDHIST MONASTERY IN THE MOUNTAINOUS EAST SINCE APOLOGISING IN NOVEMBER FOR CORRUPTION AND HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS.

KIM, AFTER UNDERGOING 15 HOURS OF INTENSIVE INTERROGATION BY PROSECUTORS ON TUESDAY, SAID HE DID NOT MIND BEING INDICTED AND WOULD FIGHT IN COURT TO PROVE HIS INNOCENCE.

KIM ALSO SAID THAT THE PROSECUTION FAILED TO PRESENT EVIDENCE DURING THE INTERROGATION THAT HE HAD PLAYED ANY PART IN SUH'S ILLEGAL TRIP.

THE RADICAL HANGYOREH SHINNMUN, A DAILY NEWSPAPER STAFFED BY FORMER POLITICAL DISSIDENTS, SPECULATED THE GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT PUT KIM ON TRIAL BUT HOLD THE INDICTMENT OVER HIS HEAD AS A POLITICAL THREAT.

THE PPD HAS SAID SUH WAS FORCED TO MAKE A FALSE CONFESSION IMPLICATING KIM, WHICH PROSECUTORS DENY.

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REUTER WORLD NEWS SCHEDULE AT 0300 GMT FRIDAY AUGUST 25
SEOUL - SOUTH KOREAN OPPOSITION LEADER KIM
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ALLEGED ROLE IN A SPY SCANDAL INVOLVING A PARTY COLLEAGUE
(PM-KOREA-KIM, BY LEE SU-WAN, MOVED)

ALSO EXPECT KIM MAN-IN-THE-NEWS, MOVING ABOUT 0400 GMT)

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TOKYO - CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY TAKUO YAMASHITA, NUMBER
TWO MAN IN JAPAN'S NEW GOVERNMENT AND THE FOCUS OF TOKYO'S
LATEST SEX SCANDAL, SAYS HE INTENDS TO RESIGN
(PM-JAPAN-CABINET 1STLD, BY JEFF STEARNS, MOVING NOW, EXPECT
PIX)

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WARSAW - TADEUSZ MAZOWIECKI, ADVISER TO POLAND'S
SOLIDARITY UNION, BECOMES FIRST NON-COMMUNIST PRIME MINISTER
IN EASTERN EUROPE SINCE SOVIET DICTATOR JOSEF STALIN INSTALLED
COMMUNIST RULERS AFTER WORLD WAR TWO (PM-POLAND, BY TIMOTHY
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BEIRUT - FRENCH WARSHIPS CRUISE CAREFULLY OUT OF RANGE OF
ARTILLERY FIRE FROM LEBANON AFTER SYRIAN AND IRANIAN-BACKED
SHI'ITE MOSLEMS THREATEN TO SHELL THEM (PM-LEBANON, BY MICHAEL
KULI, MOVED)

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PASADENA, CALIFORNIA - VOYAGER 2, ON TARGET AFTER 12 YEARS
IN SPACE, RACES TO NIGHT RENDEZVOUS WITH GIANT PLANET NEPTUNE
BEFORE HEADING INTO OBLIVION; SPACECRAFT DUE TO FLY OVER
PLANET'S CLOUD TOPS AT 0356 GMT (PM-SPACE-VOYAGER, BY RONALD
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MEDELLIN, COLOMBIA - COLOMBIA'S GOVERNMENT, DEFYING AN
UNPRECEDENTED "DECLARATION OF WAR" BY POWERFUL DRUG BARONS,
SAYS MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF CONFISCATED ASSETS AND PROPERTY
WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO GOVERNMENT BODIES (PM-COLOMBIA, BY
ALBERTO AREBALOS, MOVED)

BOGOTA - COLOMBIAN DRUG MAFIA'S DECLARATION OF WAR AGAINST
ESTABLISHMENT WILL SEND SHIVERS DOWN THE SPINE OF MANY
POLITICIANS AWARE OF TRAFFICKER'S ABILITY TO KILL AT WILL
(PM-COLOMBIA-WAR, NEWS ANALYSIS, BY GILLES TREQUESSER, MOVED)

WASHINGTON - JOSE GONZALO RODRIGUEZ GACHA, A LEADER OF THE
MEDELLIN DRUG CARTEL RESPONSIBLE FOR MUCH OF THE WORLD'S
COCAINE, HAS BEEN NAMED IN A 12-COUNT INDICTMENT IN NEW YORK
ALLEGING HEROIN AND MONEY LAUNDERING OFFENCES
(PM-COLOMBIA-AMERICAN, BY DEBORAH ZABARENKO, MOVED)

JERUSALEM - ALLEGATIONS THAT ISRAELI INSTRUCTORS ARE
TRAINING PRIVATE ARMIES FOR COLOMBIAN DRUG BARONS COULD DAMAGE
ISRAEL'S IMAGE BY EXPOSING SEAMIER SIDE OF ITS VAUNTED DEFENCE
EXPERTISE (PM-COLOMBIA-ISRAEL, BY JONATHAN KARP, MOVED)

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JOHANNESBURG - ACTING SOUTH AFRICAN PRESIDENT DE KLERK,
SEEKING A SPRINGBOARD FOR A DIPLOMATIC DRIVE AMONG
JOHANNESBURG'S FIERCEST CRITICS, IS GOING TO ZAIRE FOR TALKS
WITH PRESIDENT MOBUTU, THE MAN HE BELIEVES COULD HELP HIM WIN
FRIENDS IN AFRICA AND THE WEST (PM-SAFRICA-ZAIRE, BY ANDREW
STEELE, MOVED)

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BONN - EAST GERMAN REFUGEES BEGIN NEW LIVES IN WEST AFTER
ENDING OCCUPATION OF WEST GERMANY EMBASSY IN BUDAPEST, BUT
DIPLOMATIC STAND-OFF BETWEEN TWO GERMAN STATES REMAINS
UNRESOLVED (PM-GERMANY-EAST, BY RICHARD MURPHY, MOVED)

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250722 POL :PM-KOREA-DEFECTOR (PIX SEO01)

NORTH KOREAN INTERPRETER DEFECTS TO SOUTH AFTER LOVE AFFAIR
SEOUL, AUG 25, REUTER - A NORTH KOREAN DEFECTOR SAID ON
FRIDAY HE SOUGHT ASYLUM IN THE SOUTH AFTER A SUPERIOR LEARNED
HE WAS HAVING AN AFFAIR WITH AN AFRICAN WOMAN.

KO UN-GI, AN INTERPRETER FOR A NORTH KOREAN AGRICULTURAL
DELEGATION TO MOZAMBIQUE, ARRIVED IN SEOUL EARLIER THIS MONTH
AFTER SECRETLY BOARDING A FOREIGN VESSEL IN BEIRA, A PORT CITY
IN MOZAMBIQUE.

"THE DELEGATION CHIEF REPRIMANDED ME SEVERAL TIMES ABOUT
MY LIBERAL CONDUCT WITH WOMEN AND SAID HE WOULD REPORT ME TO
AUTHORITIES (IN PYONGYANG)," HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

KO, WHO HAD WORKED IN MOZAMBIQUE FOR NEARLY FIVE YEARS
SINCE 1982, SAID EVEN BEFORE HIS AFFAIR WITH THE MOZAMBIQUE
WOMAN, WHOM HE HAD MET IN A HOTEL DISCOTHEQUE, HE HAD PLANNED
TO DEFECT TO SOUTH KOREA.

"IN FEBRUARY, WESTERN SAILORS IN MOZAMBIQUE TOLD ME THAT
SOUTH KOREA WAS ON THE THRESHOLD OF BECOMING AN ADVANCED
NATION AFTER HOSTING THE 1988 OLYMPIC GAMES AND THAT PEOPLE
WERE FREE AND RICH," HE SAID.

"FROM THEN ON I KNEW WOULD RATHER DIE THAN RETURN TO THE
WORLD'S MOST FORMIDABLE DICTATORSHIP IN PYONGYANG," HE SAID.

A MEMBER OF PYONGYANG'S WORKER'S PARTY, KO HAD ALSO WORKED
BRIEFLY IN NORTH KOREA'S EMBASSIES IN PEKING AND PRAGUE. HE
LEFT BEHIND A WIFE AND FOUR CHILDREN IN PYONGYANG.

KO IS THE SECOND NORTH KOREAN DEFECTOR TO BE PUT ON SHOW
IN SEOUL THIS MONTH. TWO WEEKS AGO A 19-YEAR-OLD ARMY CORPORAL
CROSSED THE HEAVILY FORTIFIED BORDER AND SOUGHT REFUGE HERE.

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250120 POL :PM-KOREA-KIM URGENT

SOUTH KOREAN OPPOSITION LEADER INDICTED

SEOUL, AUG 25, REUTER - SOUTH KOREAN OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG WAS FORMALLY INDICTED ON FRIDAY AND WILL BE TRIED FOR HIS ALLEGED ROLE IN A SPY SCANDAL INVOLVING A PARTY COLLEAGUE, OFFICIALS SAID.

GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS CHARGED KIM, HEAD OF THE LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, WITH VIOLATING A TOUGH ANTI-COMMUNIST LAW BY FAILING TO DISCHARGE A CITIZEN'S DUTY TO DENOUNCE LEGISLATOR SUH KYUNG-WON FOR HIS ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.

KIM, WHO HAS ANGRILY DENIED THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM, WILL BE AT LIBERTY PENDING TRIAL.

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(MAY BE BYLINED LEE SU-WAN)

THE 63-YEAR-OLD VETERAN DEMOCRACY CAMPAIGNER REJOINED SOUTH KOREA'S POLITICAL MAINSTREAM ONLY TWO YEARS AGO AFTER YEARS OF DETENTION AND HOUSE ARREST FOR HIS OPPOSITION TO FORMER STRONGMAN CHUN DOO HWAN.

SOME SEOUL NEWSPAPERS SAID KIM'S OFFENCES COULD LAND HIM IN JAIL FOR SEVEN YEARS.

STATE PROSECUTORS SAID THEY HAD DROPPED A PLAN TO ASK A COURT TO TRY KIM AT THE SAME TIME AS SUH, WHO HAS BEEN ARRESTED AND INDICTED ON MULTIPLE CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE STEMMING FROM HIS SECRET VISIT TO THE NORTH IN AUGUST 1988.

SUH'S FIRST HEARING IS EXPECTED TO TAKE PLACE NEXT MONTH, BUT IT WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY KNOWN WHEN KIM'S TRIAL WOULD BEGIN.

POLITICAL ANALYSTS SAID THE INDICTMENT OF KIM, A CONSISTENT FOE OF SUCCESSIVE STRONGMAN RULERS, COULD HAVE FAR-REACHING POLITICAL EFFECTS.

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ROK: KIM TAE-CHUNG DENIES NATIONAL SECURITY CHARGES

SK2308034489 SEOUL YONHAP IN ENGLISH 0305 GMT 23 AUG 89

[TEXT] SEOUL, AUG. 23 (YONHAP)--A FIERCE COURT BATTLE IS EXPECTED IF OPPOSITION LEADER KIM TAE-CHUNG IS INDICTED BY THE PROSECUTION DESPITE HIS DENIAL OF ALL CHARGES AGAINST HIM IN CONNECTION WITH A SECRET TRIP TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BY A FORMER MEMBER OF HIS PARTY.

PROSECUTORS, EMERGING FROM A 14-HOUR INTERROGATION OF THE LEADER OF THE NO. 1 OPPOSITION PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY, SAID THEY WOULD TAKE "LEGAL ACTION" AGAINST KIM BECAUSE THEY HAVE STATEMENTS AND OTHER EVIDENCE THAT "SUFFICIENTLY BACK UP" THEIR CHARGES.

ON THE BASIS OF A "DETAILED CONFESSION" BY REP. SO KYONG-WON, WHO HAS BEEN ARRESTED AND INDICTED ON ESPIONAGE AND OTHER NATIONAL SECURITY CHARGES FOR SECRETLY VISITING PYONGYANG A YEAR AGO, THE SEOUL DISTRICT PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE HAS CHARGED KIM WITH RECEIVING 10,000 U.S. DOLLARS FROM SO AND FAILING TO REPORT SO'S TRIP.

KIM REPEATEDLY DENIED BOTH CHARGES AFTER THE QUESTIONING, SIGNALING A FIERCE BATTLE IN COURT IF THE PROSECUTION INDICTS HIM ON THE BASIS OF "CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE" LIKE STATEMENTS BY SO AND OTHER SUSPECTS IN THE CASE.

KIM HAS BEEN BOOKED ON CHARGES OF RECEIVING PART OF THE 50,000 DOLLAR FUND SO WAS GIVEN BY NORTH KOREAN OFFICIALS DURING HIS STAY IN PYONGYANG AND OF KNOWING OF SO'S TRIP IN MID-APRIL, TWO MONTHS EARLIER THAN HE CLAIMS, AND NOT REPORTING IT, ALL VIOLATIONS OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY LAW.

THREE LAWMAKERS OF KIM'S PARTY WHO WERE APPOINTED DEFENSE COUNSEL FOR REP. SO ACCUSED PROSECUTORS OF FORCING HIM TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT AFTER MEETING WITH HIM IN SEOUL PRISON ON SATURDAY.

KIM, SUBPOENAED FOR INTERROGATION FOR THE SECOND TIME IN THREE WEEKS IN CONNECTION WITH THE SO CASE, WAS GRILLED BY INTELLIGENCE AGENTS ON AUG. 2 ABOUT WHETHER HE HAD PRIOR KNOWLEDGE OF SO'S TRIP AND WHETHER HE HAD SENT A PERSONAL MESSAGE TO NORTH KOREAN LEADER KIM IL-SONG THROUGH SO.

KIM DENIED BOTH CHARGES AND ACCUSED THE GOVERNMENT OF ATTEMPTING TO UNDERMINE HIS POLITICAL CREDIBILITY AND TO DESTROY HIS PARTY.

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PROSECUTORS SAY THEY HAVE EVIDENCE TO INDICT OPPOSITION LEADER
EDS: LEADS THRUOUT TO UPDATE WITH WEDNESDAY DEVELOPMENTS. NO
PICKUP

BY KELLY TUNNEY=
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER=

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - PROSECUTORS SAID WEDNESDAY THEY HAVE
ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO INDICT THE LEADER OF SOUTH KOREA'S LARGEST
OPPOSITION PARTY IN CONNECTION WITH A LEGISLATOR'S SECRET TRIP TO
NORTH KOREA.

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE SAID IT WILL
DECIDE WHETHER TO BRING FORMAL CHARGES AGAINST KIM DAE-JUNG AFTER
FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

PROSECUTION SOURCES SAID KIM, HEAD OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND
DEMOCRACY, WOULD NOT BE PHYSICALLY DETAINED.

'SHOULD THE PROSECUTION INDICT ME, I WILL FIGHT SQUARELY IN
COURT,' KIM TOLD REPORTERS. 'I AM INNOCENT AND I EXPECT TRUTH TO
BE ESTABLISHED.'

KIM WAS RELEASED EARLY WEDNESDAY FOLLOWING 15 HOURS OF
INTERROGATION, THE SECOND TIME IN THREE WEEKS HE HAS FACED
QUESTIONING ABOUT THE ILLEGAL TRIP TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BY
NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN SUH KYUNG-WON.

PROSECUTORS SAID THEY HAVE ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO INDICT KIM ON
GROUNDS HE KNEW ABOUT SUH'S AUGUST 1988 TRIP TO NORTH TWO MONTHS
BEFORE THE CASE WAS MADE PUBLIC IN JUNE 1989. THEY SAID THEY ALSO
HAVE EVIDENCE HE RECEIVED \$10,000 FROM SUH WHO HAD RECEIVED THE
MONEY FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

KIM HAS VIGOROUSLY DENIED THE ALLEGATIONS AND ACCUSED THE
GOVERNMENT OF HARASSMENT AND TRYING TO EMBARRASS AND DISCREDIT HIS
PARTY.

THE STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE SAID KIM WON-KI,
THE PARTY'S FLOOR LEADER WHO WAS QUESTIONED TUESDAY, MAY ALSO BE
INDICTED IN THE SUH CASE.

SUH, WHO WAS ARRESTED JUNE 28, HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE,
VIOLATING A BAN ON UNAUTHORIZED TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA AND RECEIVING
\$120,000 FROM COMMUNIST AGENTS.

SUH, A 52-YEAR-OLD FARMER ELECTED TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY IN
APRIL 1988, WAS EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY
AFTER HIS TRIP TO THE NORTH WAS MADE PUBLIC. THE SEOUL GOVERNMENT
PROHIBITS UNAUTHORIZED VISITS TO THE NORTH AND FAILURE TO REPORT
KNOWLEDGE OF SUCH A TRIP IS ALSO A CRIME.

PROSECUTORS QUOTED SUH AS ADMITTING HE MET WITH NORTH KOREAN
PRESIDENT KIM IL SUNG IN PYONGYANG IN AUGUST 1988 AND GIVING
\$10,000 TO KIM DAE-JUNG IN SEOUL.

THE PROSECUTORS ALSO CLAIMED THAT SUH IN MID-APRIL TOLD KIM
DAE-JUNG ABOUT HIS SECRET TRIP. THAT WOULD BE TWO MONTHS EARLIER
THAN KIM SAID HE WAS INFORMED.

LAWYERS WHO BELONG TO THE OPPOSITION PARTY SAID SUH WAS FORCED
TO MAKE A FALSE CONFESSION TO INCRIMINATE THE PARTY LEADER.

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"I REBUTTED ALL POINTS OF SUSPICION RAISED BY THE PROSECUTORS," KIM TOLD REPORTERS.

ANOTHER LEADING POLITICIAN FROM KIM'S PARTY, KIM WON-KI, WAS ALSO INTERROGATED OVERNIGHT OVER ALLEGATIONS HE TOO CONCEALED KNOWLEDGE OF SUH'S ILLEGAL AUGUST 1988 TRIP.

STATE RADIO SAID THE PROSECUTION WOULD DECIDE SOON WHETHER TO INDICT THE TWO KIMS. PROSECUTION SOURCES SAID EVEN IF THE OPPOSITION LEADER WERE FORMALLY CHARGED, HE WOULD REMAIN AT LIBERTY UNTIL A COURT CONVICTED HIM.

REPRESENTATIVE SUH WAS PLACED UNDER FORMAL ARREST ON JUNE 27, A FEW DAYS AFTER HE SURRENDERED TO THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING, SOUTH KOREA'S COUNTER-ESPIONAGE AGENCY.

SUH, FORMER LEADER OF A DISSIDENT FARMERS' ASSOCIATION, HAS ADMITTED TRAVELLING TO THE NORTH AND RECEIVING MONEY FROM A POLITBURO MEMBER, BUT DENIES THE ESPIONAGE CHARGES.

ABOUT A DOZEN PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ARRESTED IN THE SUH CASE ON VARIOUS CHARGES, INCLUDING FAILING TO REPORT THE ILLEGAL VISIT.

THE OPPOSITION PARTY ALLEGES SUH WAS FORCED TO MAKE A FALSE CONFESSION IMPLICATING KIM.

SUH TOLD HIS LAWYERS HE UNDERWENT FIVE DAYS OF HARSH INTERROGATION IN CONDITIONS OF EXTREME PHYSICAL AND MENTAL STRESS. "HE WAS FORCED TO GIVE FALSE TESTIMONY CONCERNING KIM SIMPLY TO ESCAPE THE AGONY," A PARTY SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS ON SUNDAY.

ANGRY AT THE PROSECUTION MOVE TO LINK HIM WITH THE SCANDAL, KIM ANNOUNCED HE WOULD END ALL COOPERATION WITH ROH'S GOVERNMENT.

SOUTH KOREA BANS ALL UNAUTHORISED TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA, ITS BITTER ENEMY SINCE THE 1950-53 KOREAN WAR, AND INSISTS THAT DIALOGUE OR CONTACTS MUST GO THROUGH OFFICIAL CHANNELS.

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230248 POL :PM-KOREA-KIM (EXPECT PIX)

PROSECUTOR HINTS KIM DAE-JUNG WILL BE CHARGED

SEOUL, AUG 23, REUTER - SOUTH KOREAN STATE PROSECUTORS STRONGLY HINTED ON WEDNESDAY THAT OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG WOULD BE INDICTED FOR HIS ALLEGED ROLE IN A SPY SCANDAL INVOLVING A PARTY COLLEAGUE.

"THE PROSECUTION INTENDS TO TAKE LEGAL ACTION AGAINST KIM BECAUSE THERE IS SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE BACKING UP HIS OFFENCE," PROSECUTOR LEE SANG-HYONG TOLD REPORTERS.

KIM WITHSTOOD ABOUT 15 HOURS OF INTENSIVE INTERROGATION AT THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE OVERNIGHT IN CONNECTION WITH CHARGES THAT SUH KYONG-WON, A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FROM THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY, ILLEGALLY VISITED COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA AND ENGAGED IN ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES.

LEE SAID KIM DENIED ANY WRONGDOING.

THE PROSECUTION SAYS KIM WAS CALLED FOR QUESTIONING AFTER SUH CONFESSED TO GIVING HIM 10,000 DOLLARS OUT OF FUNDS RECEIVED FROM THE NORTH.

SUH WAS ALSO ALLEGED TO HAVE CONFESSED HE TOLD KIM AS EARLY AS MID-APRIL ABOUT HIS SECRET TRIP TO THE NORTH. THAT IS TWO MONTHS EARLIER THAN KIM SAYS HE LEARNED OF THE VISIT.

IT IS A CRIME UNDER SEOUL'S NATIONAL SECURITY LAW, WHICH PUNISHES SEVERELY ALL CONTACTS WITH PYONGYANG, NOT TO REPORT A CITIZEN'S VISIT TO NORTH KOREA.

AFTER THE INTERROGATION, KIM SAID THE PROSECUTION FAILED TO PRESENT EVIDENCE THAT HE HAD ANY PART IN SUH'S ILLEGAL TRIP.

"I DON'T MIND BEING INDICTED BY THE PROSECUTION. I WILL FIGHT IN COURT TO PROVE MY INNOCENCE," KIM SAID.

KIM ACCUSED PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO'S GOVERNMENT OF POLITICAL HARASSMENT AIMED AT DISCREDITING HIS PARTY.

THE RADICAL HANKYOREH SHINMUN, A DAILY NEWSPAPER STAFFED BY FORMER POLITICAL DISSIDENTS, CLAIMED THE GOVERNMENT PLANNED NOT TO ANNOUNCE A DECISION ON INDICTING KIM IMMEDIATELY BUT WOULD KEEP THE CASE OPEN, HOLDING THE THREAT OF CRIMINAL CHARGES OVER THE OPPOSITION LEADER'S HEAD.

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OPPOSITION LEADER UNDERGOES QUESTIONING ON LEGISLATOR'S TRIP
BY KELLY TUNNEY=
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER=

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - THE LEADER OF THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST
OPPOSITION PARTY REPORTED TO PROSECUTORS TUESDAY FOR MORE
INTERROGATION ABOUT A PARTY MEMBER'S ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.

FOR THE SECOND TIME IN THREE WEEKS, INVESTIGATORS CALLED IN KIM
DAE-JUNG, HEAD OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY TO BE
QUESTIONED ABOUT THE TRIP TO PYONGYANG BY NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN SUH
KYUNG-WON.

KIM ARRIVED AT THE SEOUL PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE IN A CAR ESCORTED
BY 12 NATIONAL LEGISLATORS FROM HIS PARTY.

PROSECUTORS SAID QUESTIONING WOULD CENTER ON SUSPICIONS THAT KIM
KNEW OF THE LAWMAKER'S TRIP BEFORE THE CASE WAS MADE PUBLIC AND
THAT HE RECEIVED \$10,000 FROM SUH. THEY SAID THE LAWMAKER RECEIVED
THE MONEY FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

KIM HAS DENIED THE CHARGES AND SAID HE WOULD BE PROVEN INNOCENT.

PROSECUTORS ALSO SAY THEY WILL QUESTION KIM WON-KI, FLOOR LEADER
OF THE OPPOSITION PARTY.

SUH, WHO WAS ARRESTED JUNE 28, HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE,
VIOLATING A BAN ON UNAUTHORIZED TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA, AND
RECEIVING \$120,000 FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

PROSECUTORS QUOTED SUH AS CONFESSING TO MEETING PRESIDENT KIM IL
SUNG IN NORTH KOREA IN AUGUST 1988 AND GIVING \$10,000 TO KIM
DAE-JUNG IN SEOUL.

THE PROSECUTORS ALSO QUOTED SUH AS SAYING THAT IN MID-APRIL, HE
REPORTED TO KIM DAE-JUNG ABOUT HIS SECRET TRIP. THAT WOULD BE TWO
MONTHS EARLIER THAN KIM SAID HE WAS INFORMED.

HOWEVER, LAWYERS WHO BELONG TO THE OPPOSITION PARTY SAY SUH
CLAIMS HE WAS FORCED TO MAKE A FALSE CONFESSION TO INCRIMINATE THE
PARTY LEADER.

KIM DAE-JUNG, WHO RAN FOR PRESIDENT IN 1971 AND 1987, WAS
QUESTIONED BY GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATORS FOR 22 HOURS ON AUG. 3. THEY
ASKED HIM IF HE KNEW OF SUH'S TRIP IN ADVANCE OR HAD SENT A SECRET
MESSAGE TO NORTH KOREAN LEADERS THROUGH SUH OR OTHER CHANNELS.

KIM HAS ACCUSED AUTHORITIES OF USING THE CASE TO DISCREDIT AND
EMBARRASS HIS PARTY.

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OPPOSITION LEADER SURRENDERS FOR QUESTIONING
BY KELLY TUNNEY=
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER=

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - KIM DAE-JUNG, THE LEADER OF THE LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY, SURRENDERED TO PROSECUTORS TUESDAY FOR INTERROGATION INVOLVING A LEGISLATOR'S SECRET TRIP TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

FOR THE SECOND TIME IN THREE WEEKS INVESTIGATORS CALLED KIM, HEAD OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY, FOR QUESTIONING ABOUT THE ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA BY NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN SUH YUNG-WON.

KIM ARRIVED AT THE SEOUL PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE BY CAR ESCORTED BY 12 NATIONAL LEGISLATORS FROM HIS PARTY. AFTER A NOD TO DOZENS OF PHOTOGRAPHERS HE WENT INSIDE WITH AIDES.

PROSECUTORS SAID QUESTIONING WOULD CENTER AROUND ALLEGATIONS THAT KIM KNEW OF THE BANNED TRIP TO NORTH KOREA BY SUH WELL BEFORE THE CASE WAS MADE PUBLIC AND THAT HE RECEIVED \$10,000 FROM SUH WHO HAD RECEIVED THE MONEY FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS.

KIM HAS DENIED THE CHARGES.

SUH, WHO WAS ARRESTED JUNE 28, HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE, VIOLATING A BAN ON TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA AND WITH RECEIVING \$120,000 FROM COMMUNIST AGENTS.

PROSECUTORS CLAIM SUH HAS ADMITTED HE RECEIVED \$50,000 AFTER MEETING NORTH KOREAN PRESIDENT KIM IL SUNG IN PYONGYANG IN AUGUST OF 1988 AND THAT HE GAVE \$10,000 TO KIM DAE-JUNG AFTER RETURNING TO SEOUL.

LAWYERS WHO ALSO BELONG TO KIM DAE-JUNG'S PARTY VISITED SUH SATURDAY AND SAID HE HAD BEEN FORCED TO MAKE A FALSE CONFESSION TO INCRIMINATE KIM.

KIM DAE-JUNG SAID RECENTLY, ''L'VE NEVER RECEIVED A PENNY OF MONEY FROM HIM (SUH). THE PROSECUTOR'S DISCLOSURES ARE 100 PERCENT UNTRUE.''

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S. KOREAN AGENTS REMOVE STUDENT FROM HOSPITAL BED DURING NIGHT
BY SONYA HEPINSTALL

SEOUL, AUG 18, REUTER - COUNTER-ESPIONAGE AGENTS REMOVED A
RADICAL SOUTH KOREAN STUDENT FROM HER HOSPITAL BED EARLY ON
FRIDAY AND TOOK HER TO A FORTRESS-LIKE BUILDING IN SEOUL FOR
QUESTIONING ABOUT HER ILLEGAL VISIT TO THE NORTH, STATE RADIO
SAID.

THE RADIO SAID THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING
(NSP) CAME BEFORE DAWN TO REMOVE 21-YEAR-OLD IM SU-KYUNG, WHO
CROSSED THE NORTH-SOUTH BORDER ON TUESDAY ACCOMPANIED BY A
ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST, MOON KYU-HYON. SHE WAS DRIVEN TO AN NSP
CENTRE ON A WOODED MOUNTAIN IN CENTRAL SEOUL.

IM, WHO STAGED A FIVE-DAY PROTEST HUNGER STRIKE WHILE IN
NORTH KOREA, HAD SPENT NEARLY THREE DAYS AT A SEOUL UNIVERSITY
HOSPITAL WHILE DOCTORS DETERMINED WHETHER SHE WAS FIT TO
WITHSTAND INTENSIVE INTERROGATION BY THE NSP.

DOCTORS SAID SHE SEEMED TIRED AND NERVOUS, BUT HEALTHY.

IM, A FRENCH LANGUAGE STUDENT, DEFIED A SEOUL GOVERNMENT
BAN TO ATTEND A WORLD YOUTH FESTIVAL IN PYONGYANG IN JULY. SHE
FACES SERIOUS CHARGES UNDER THE COUNTRY'S NATIONAL SECURITY
LAW, WHICH BANS UNAUTHORISED CONTACT WITH THE NORTH.

SEVERAL PROMINENT SOUTH KOREANS, INCLUDING DISSIDENT
PASTOR MOON IK-HWAN AND OPPOSITION MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT SUH
KYUNG-WON, WERE FORMALLY CHARGED EARLIER THIS YEAR FOR MAKING
ILLEGAL TRIPS TO PYONGYANG.

STATE RADIO SAID THE NSP PLANNED TO BRING FORMAL CHARGES
AGAINST IM ON SATURDAY. IT SAID SHE WAS RESPONDING TO
QUESTIONS ABOUT FUNDING FOR HER TRIP AND HER LINKS TO
DISSIDENT GROUPS IN THE SOUTH.

THE SEOUL GOVERNMENT REPEATEDLY WARNED IT WOULD ARREST IM
AS SOON AS SHE CAME BACK FROM PYONGYANG, WHERE SHE ACQUIRED
STAR STATUS FOR BEING THE ONLY SOUTH KOREAN TO RISK ARREST BY
ATTENDING THE YOUTH FESTIVAL.

IM AND MOON, WHO WAS SENT TO THE NORTH TO ACCOMPANY HER
HOME, SURRENDERED TO AUTHORITIES AS SOON AS THEY CROSSED THE
DEMARCATIION LINE AT THE BORDER VILLAGE OF PANMUNJOM. MOON WAS
IMMEDIATELY TAKEN INTO POLICE CUSTODY.

THE TWO DEFIED REPEATED WARNINGS FROM SEOUL AND THE
U.S.-LED UNITED NATIONS COMMAND (UNC) GUARDING THE AREA AROUND
PANMUNJOM THAT THE CROSSING WAS A VIOLATION OF THE 1953
ARMISTICE AGREEMENT THAT ENDED THE THREE-YEAR KOREAN WAR.

A UNC PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER SAID IT WAS POSSIBLE A
PROTEST LETTER WOULD BE SENT DIRECTLY TO NORTHERN PRESIDENT
KIM IL-SUNG OVER THE BREACH.

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PROSECUTORS ISSUE SUBPOENA FOR OPPOSITION LEADER IN SPY CASE

BY KELLY TUNNEY=

ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER=

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - PROSECUTORS SAID MONDAY THEY HAVE OBTAINED A SUBPOENA TO QUESTION OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG IN CONNECTION WITH CHARGES THAT TWO MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY SPIED FOR NORTH KOREA.

KIM ANGRILY DENIED ANY WRONGDOING AND SAID HE WOULD COMPLY WITH THE SUBPOENA TO PROVE HIS INNOCENCE.

HE SAID HIS PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY HAS DECLARED POLITICAL WAR ON THE GOVERNMENT OF PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO, WHICH HE SAID WAS OUT TO DESTROY THE COUNTRY'S LEADING OPPOSITION.

'OUR PARTY EFFORTS TO COOPERATE WITH THE REGIME OF PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO ARE OVER,' KIM SAID. 'THERE CAN BE NO DIALOGUE WITH PEOPLE OUT TO DESTROY US.'

PROSECUTORS SAID KIM WOULD BE ASKED TO APPEAR FOR QUESTIONING AUG. 22 IN CONNECTION WITH A SECRET THREE-DAY VISIT TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BY PARTY LAWMAKER SUH KYUNG-WON IN AUGUST 1988.

SUH, 52, AND AN AIDE, PANG YANG-KYUN, 34, WERE INDICTED SATURDAY ON CHARGES OF BEING NORTH KOREAN AGENTS. IF CONVICTED, THEY FACE LIFE IMPRISONMENT.

PROSECUTORS QUOTED SUH AS CONFESSING HE HAD RECEIVED \$50,000 AFTER MEETING WITH NORTH KOREAN PRESIDENT KIM IL SUNG AND HAD GIVEN \$10,000 TO THE PARTY LEADER AFTER RETURNING TO SEOUL.

THEY ALSO QUOTED SUH AS CONFESSING THAT HE REPORTED BACK IN MID-APRIL TO KIM DAE-JUNG ABOUT HIS SECRET TRIP. THAT WOULD BE TWO MONTHS EARLIER THAN KIM SAID HE WAS INFORMED OF THE TRIP.

'I NEVER RECEIVED A PENNY OF MONEY FROM HIM,' KIM SAID. 'THE PROSECUTORS' DISCLOSURES ARE 100 PERCENT UNTRUE. HE NEVER TOLD ME ANYTHING OF A SECRET TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.'

KIM HAS NEVER DENIED SUH MADE THE ILLEGAL TRIP. HOWEVER, HE SAYS HIS PARTY WAS NOT INVOLVED AND HE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT IT UNTIL SUH INFORMED PARTY OFFICIALS SHORTLY BEFORE TURNING HIMSELF IN JUNE 25.

THE PARTY LEADER SAID HE WAS ASKING AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL AND THE HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTE IN WASHINGTON TO INVESTIGATE CHARGES THE SOUTH KOREAN INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND PROSECUTORS WERE TRYING TO DISCREDIT THE OPPOSITION.

A SUBPOENA ALSO WAS ISSUED FOR THE PARTY'S FORMER FLOOR LEADER, KIM WON-KIE. PROSECUTORS SAID HE ALSO KNEW OF SUH'S TRIP IN APRIL BUT FAILED TO REPORT IT AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

KIM DAE-JUNG, WHO WAS DEFEATED IN PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS IN 1971 AND 1987, WAS QUESTIONED BY GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATORS LAST WEEK ABOUT WHETHER HE KNEW OF SUH'S TRIP IN ADVANCE OR SENT A SECRET MESSAGE TO NORTH KOREAN LEADERS THROUGH SUH OR OTHER CHANNELS.

AFTER THE 22-HOUR INTERROGATION, KIM SAID HE HAD BEEN CLEARED OF ALL ALLEGATIONS INVOLVING HIM, BUT OFFICIALS SAID THEIR INQUIRY WAS INCOMPLETE AND WOULD CONTINUE.

PRO-WESTERN SOUTH KOREA ONLY ALLOWS AUTHORIZED VISITS TO NORTH KOREA, ITS BITTER ENEMY SINCE THE PENINSULA WAS DIVIDED AT THE END OF THE KOREAN WAR.

ALSO ON MONDAY, THE OFFICIAL NORTH KOREA NEWS AGENCY SAID A DISSIDENT SOUTH KOREA STUDENT PLANNED TO TRY AGAIN TUESDAY TO CROSS THE BORDER AT PANMUNJOM TO RETURN HOME AFTER AN ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.

THE KOREAN CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY, MONITORED IN TOKYO, SAID THE PYONGYANG GOVERNMENT HAD AGAIN ASKED THAT U.N. OFFICIALS STATIONED AT THE BORDER ALLOW IM SU-KYONG TO CROSS. THE U.N. COMMAND HAS SAID THE NATIONS MUST WORK OUT THE DISPUTE.

MS. IM, WHO HAS SAID SHE WANTS TO MAKE HER TRIP A SYMBOLIC ACT FOR REUNIFICATION, ORIGINALLY PLANNED TO CROSS ON JULY 27, BUT SHE SAYS SOUTH KOREAN OFFICIALS REFUSED.

THE 20-YEAR-OLD STUDENT TRAVELED TO NORTH KOREA VIA JAPAN AND EAST GERMANY FOR AN INTERNATIONAL YOUTH FESTIVAL JULY 1-8. SHE FACES ARREST UPON HER RETURN. ALSO MONDAY, THE REV. ALLAN BOESAK OF SOUTH AFRICA TOLD DELEGATES TO AN INTERNATIONAL CHURCH CONFERENCE IN SEOUL THAT THEY SHOULD WORK FOR REUNIFICATION.

''SUPPORTING THE RECONCILIATION AND REUNIFICATION OF KOREA IS A CATCHY PHRASE, BUT WE NEED TO CALL FOR ACTION,'' HE SAID AT THE CONFERENCE OF THE WORLD ALLIANCE OF REFORMED CHURCHES.

BOESAK, A PROMINENT CRITIC OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT AND PRESIDENT OF THE ALLIANCE, ALSO SAID THE DELEGATES SHOULD ''PAY SPECIAL ATTENTION'' TO THE CASES OF MS. IM AND A CLERGYMAN ON TRIAL FOR AN ILLEGAL TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.

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KIM THREATENS STREET CAMPAIGN IF GOVERNMENT CRACKDOWN GOES ON
BY LEE SU-WAN

SEOUL, AUG 14, REUTER - SOUTH KOREAN OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG, FURIOUS AT GOVERNMENT MOVES TO TIE HIM IN WITH A SPY SCANDAL, SAID ON MONDAY HE WAS ENDING ALL COOPERATION WITH PRESIDENT ROH TAE-WOO.

CALLING PROSECUTION ALLEGATIONS OF HIS COMPLICITY IN THE SPY CASE A COMPLETE FABRICATION, THE VETERAN DEMOCRACY CAMPAIGNER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE: "I FIRMLY BELIEVE PRESIDENT ROH'S REGIME HAS LAUNCHED A FULL-FLEDGED ATTACK TO DESTROY ME AND MY PARTY."

"THEREFORE, WE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO LIQUIDATE THE PARTIAL COOPERATION MAINTAINED SO FAR WITH THE REGIME AND TAKE A RESOLUTE OFFENSIVE POSITION," HE SAID.

IF ROH DID NOT SPEED UP DEMOCRATIC REFORMS AND END THE CURRENT CRACKDOWN ON DISSENT, KIM WENT ON, HIS PARTY WOULD LAUNCH A STREET CAMPAIGN TO TOPPLE THE GOVERNMENT.

KIM, HEAD OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY (PPD), FLATLY DENIED THE PROSECUTION ALLEGATION MADE ON SATURDAY THAT A PPD COLLEAGUE NOW CHARGED WITH SPYING FOR NORTH KOREA PAID HIM 10,000 DOLLARS OUT OF FUNDS RECEIVED FROM PYONGYANG.

STATE PROSECUTORS SAID ON MONDAY THEY HAD ISSUED A SUMMONS FOR KIM TO APPEAR ON AUGUST 22 FOR QUESTIONING ABOUT THE FUNDS AND ABOUT THE ILLEGAL TRIP TO THE NORTH MADE BY PPD LEGISLATOR SUH KYONG-WON IN AUGUST 1988.

THE PROSECUTION CLAIMED KIM LEARNED OF SUH'S VISIT THIS APRIL BUT FAILED TO DENOUNCE HIM TO THE AUTHORITIES AS LAID DOWN BY THE NATIONAL SECURITY LAW. THE LAW PROVIDES STERN PUNISHMENT FOR ANYONE HAVING CONTACTS WITH THE COMMUNIST NORTH.

IT WAS NOT UNTIL JUNE THAT SUH SURRENDERED TO THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING (NSP), THE GOVERNMENT'S INTERNAL SECURITY ARM, AT THE PPD'S REQUEST.

IF KIM WERE PROVED TO HAVE KEPT NEWS OF SUH'S VISIT SECRET FOR MONTHS, HE WOULD BE FORMALLY ARRESTED. SEOUL NEWSPAPERS SAID HE COULD FACE SEVEN YEARS IN JAIL.

EIGHT PEOPLE HAVE ALREADY BEEN INDICTED FOR FAILING TO REPORT SUH'S TRIP TO AUTHORITIES.

"I DECLARE ONCE AGAIN HERE THAT I AM INNOCENT. OUR PARTY WILL JOINTLY STRUGGLE WITH THE PEOPLE TO DEFEAT THE ROH REGIME'S PLOT TO SHATTER THE PPD," KIM SAID.

"OUR PARTY'S FATE IS AT STAKE IN THE FIGHT. BUT WE WILL KEEP THE PRINCIPLE OF NON-VIOLENT AND PEACEFUL STRUGGLE," HE SAID.

TWICE A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, KIM SAID ROH'S GOVERNMENT WAS USING SUH'S CASE TO DIVERT PUBLIC ATTENTION AND MUTE CALLS TO DISMANTLE THE AUTHORITARIAN APPARATUS PUT IN PLACE BY ROH'S PREDECESSOR, FORMER ARMY STRONGMAN CHUN DOO HWAN.

"ROH TAE-WOO'S REGIME IS NOW MOBILISING EVERY POSSIBLE MEANS TO RETURN TO THE REGIME OF (CHUN'S) FIFTH REPUBLIC," HE SAID.

CHUN WAS A CLOSE ARMY COLLEAGUE OF ROH'S WHO STEPPED DOWN IN FEBRUARY LAST YEAR AFTER EIGHT CONTROVERSIAL YEARS IN POWER. HE HAS WITHDRAWN TO A REMOTE BUDDHIST TEMPLE AFTER APOLOGISING FOR MASSIVE CORRUPTION AND HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS.

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[REPORT BY REPORTER KIM CHONG-WON FROM THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE--
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[TEXT] TODAY, THE PROSECUTORS' OFFICE REVEALED THAT KIM TAE-CHUNG, PRESIDENT OF THE PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY [PPD], RECEIVED 10 THOUSAND DOLLARS OUT OF NORTH KOREA'S OPERATIONAL FUNDS FROM LAWMAKER SO KYONG-WON, WHO IS UNDER ARREST ON SUSPICION OF BEING A SPY.

LET ME REPORT THE SUMMARY OF THE ANNOUNCEMENT.

TODAY, THE PUBLIC SECURITY DEPARTMENT OF THE SEOUL DISTRICT PROSECUTORS' OFFICE RELEASED THE ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE FINAL RESULTS OF THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE ESPIONAGE SUSPICIONS INVOLVING LAWMAKER SO KYONG-WON.

THE PROSECUTORS' OFFICE REVEALED IT HAS BEEN CONFIRMED THAT PPD PRESIDENT KIM TAE-CHUNG, WHEN HE WAS GETTING A REPORT FROM SO KYONG-WON ON HIS RETURN IN EARLY SEPTEMBER, A MONTH AFTER HIS VISIT TO NORTH KOREA IN AUGUST 1988, RECEIVED 10 THOUSAND DOLLARS OUT OF THE 50 THOUSAND DOLLARS WHICH LAWMAKER SO RECEIVED AS OPERATIONAL FUNDS FROM HO TAM OF NORTH KOREA.

IN ADDITION, IT HAS BEEN REVEALED THAT SHORTLY AFTER HE HAD BEEN INTERVIEWED IN MID-APRIL BY REPORTER YUN CHAE-KOL OF HANGYORE SINMUN ON HIS SECRET VISIT TO NORTH KOREA, LAWMAKER SO KYONG-WON VISITED PARTY PRESIDENT KIM TAE-CHUNG AT HIS OFFICE, AND REPORTED TO HIM THAT HE HAD SECRETELY VISITED THE NORTH, HAD MET KIM IL-SONG AND HO TAM IN NORTH KOREA, AND HAD DISCUSSED WITH THE NORTH KOREAN SIDE THE QUESTION OF CARDINAL KIM SU-HWAN'S VISIT TO THE NORTH AND THE QUESTION OF EXCHANGING SEEDS BETWEEN THE NORTH AND THE SOUTH.

THUS, THE PROSECUTORS' OFFICE HAS DISCLOSED THAT PARTY PRESIDENT KIM TAE-CHUNG KNEW OF LAWMAKER SO'S SECRET VISIT TO THE NORTH AROUND MID-APRIL, LONG BEFORE HE RECEIVED A REPORT FROM FLOOR LEADER KIM WON-KI, ON 21 JUNE.

IN ADDITION, THE PROSECUTORS' OFFICE HAS REVEALED THAT WHEN HE RECEIVED A REPORT FROM LAWMAKER SO ON HIS DEPARTURE IN CONNECTION WITH THE SAFETY OF A NUCLEAR REACTOR AND THE COLLECTION OF AGRICULTURAL MATERIALS IN HIS OFFICE IN YUIDO, PRESIDENT KIM TAE-CHUNG GAVE LAWMAKER SO \$1,000 IN TRAVEL EXPENSES IN EARLY AUGUST JUST BEFORE HE DEPARTED THE COUNTRY TO VISIT THE NORTH.

THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING ALSO ALLEGES THAT PARTY PRESIDENT KIM TAE-CHUNG HAD OFFERED HIM \$1,000. HOWEVER, PRESIDENT KIM TAE-CHUNG HAS DENIED THIS.

AS FOR FLOOR LEADER KIM WON-KI, HE DID NOT RECEIVE A REPORT ON LAWMAKER SO'S SECRET VISIT TO THE NORTH FROM YI KIL-CHAE, CHAIRMAN THE COMMITTEE OF EXTERNAL COOPERATION, IN JUNE. THE PREVIOUS APRIL, HE ASKED LAWMAKER SO TO SEE HIM, AND TOLD HIM THAT THE PARTY PRESIDENT TALKED ABOUT HIS SECRET VISIT TO THE NORTH AND ASKED HIM WHETHER HE HAD SECRETELY VISITED THE NORTH. ANSWERING HIS QUESTION, LAWMAKER SO TOLD HIM THE FACTS, WHICH INDICATES THAT FORMER FLOOR LEADER KIM WON-KI KNEW ABOUT LAWMAKER SO'S SECRET VISIT TO THE NORTH IN APRIL AS EARLY AS LAST APRIL.

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THE PPD DENIED THAT ITS CHIEF HAD RECEIVED NORTH KOREAN FUNDS AND ACCUSED THE GOVERNMENT OF SCHEMING TO UNDERMINE THE PARTY.

"THE GOVERNMENT IS RESORTING TO WHATEVER MEANS IT CAN TO DESTROY THE PPD," A PARTY STATEMENT SAID. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE PPD WOULD HOLD A GENERAL MEETING ON SUNDAY TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO COMPLY WITH THE SUMMONSES FOR WEDNESDAY.

THE STATEMENT EQUATED THE CHARGES WITH THOSE MADE AGAINST KIM WHEN HE WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH FOR ORGANISING A 1980 CIVIL UPRISING IN KWANGJU AGAINST THEN-MILITARY STRONGMAN CHUN DOO HWAN, WHO LATER BECAME PRESIDENT.

KIM'S SENTENCE WAS SUSPENDED UNDER A PRESIDENTIAL AMNESTY IN 1982.

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120300 POL LAW SPY :PM-KOREA-KIM (EXPECT PIX)

S.KOREAN POLITICIAN CHARGED WITH SPYING

SEOUL, AUG 12, REUTER - SEOUL PROSECUTORS SAID ON SATURDAY THEY HAVE CHARGED AN OPPOSITION POLITICIAN WITH SPYING FOR NORTH KOREA AND WILL SUMMON HIS PARTY BOSS KIM DAE-JUNG FOR QUESTIONING ABOUT FUNDS THE MAN BROUGHT BACK FROM PYONGYANG.

THE SEOUL PROSECUTORS' OFFICE SAID SUH KYUNG-WON, A PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY (PPD) LEGISLATOR ARRESTED LAST MONTH *June 89* FOR SPYING FOR PYONGYANG AND RECEIVING 100,000 DOLLARS FROM NORTH KOREAN AGENTS, WAS FORMALLY CHARGED ON FOUR COUNTS OF BREAKING THE NATIONAL SECURITY LAW.

THE MAXIMUM PENALTY UNDER THE LAW IS DEATH.

SUH, A FORMER LEADER OF A DISSIDENT FARMERS' GROUP, HAS ADMITTED TRAVELLING TO NORTH KOREA IN AUGUST 1988, WHICH IS ITSELF AGAINST THE LAW, BUT DENIES THE SPYING CHARGES AND SAYS HE TOOK ONLY 50,000 DOLLARS FROM A PYONGYANG AGENT.

PROSECUTORS SAID SUH AND PANG YANG-GUN, A POLITICAL SECRETARY, WERE CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE, MAKING UNAUTHORISED VISITS TO AND ACTING ON ORDERS FROM NORTH KOREA, HAVING ILLEGAL CONTACT WITH PYONGYANG, AND RECEIVING ILLEGAL FUNDS.

THEY ARE ALSO CHARGED WITH VIOLATING THE FOREIGN EXCHANGE LAW BY BRINGING IN THE MONEY RECEIVED FROM PYONGYANG.

THE PROSECUTORS INDICTED ANOTHER EIGHT PEOPLE FOR HAVING ADVANCE KNOWLEDGE OF SUH'S VISIT.

PROSECUTORS STOPPED SHORT OF ARRESTING KIM, WHOM THEY CLAIMED KNEW OF SUH'S VISIT AT LEAST TWO MONTHS BEFORE SUH SURRENDERED TO THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING (NSP) AT THE PPD'S REQUEST. THEY SAID SUH PAID KIM 10,000 DOLLARS FROM THE NORTHERN FUNDS IN SEPTEMBER LAST YEAR.

THE PROSECUTORS SAID THEY WOULD SUMMON KIM DAE-JUNG AND KIM WON-KI, A FORMER PPD PARLIAMENTARY LEADER, TO APPEAR FOR QUESTIONING ON WEDNESDAY. FOREMOST AMONG THEIR QUERIES IS WHETHER OR NOT KIM KNEW THE 10,000 DOLLARS HE RECEIVED IN SEPTEMBER CAME FROM NORTH KOREA.

IF THAT WERE PROVED, KIM DAE-JUNG AND KIM WON-KI WOULD BE FORMALLY ARRESTED FOR RECEIVING ILLEGAL FUNDS IN VIOLATION OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY LAW.

THE NSP TOOK KIM INTO CUSTODY BRIEFLY EARLY IN AUGUST TO FIND OUT WHAT HE KNEW ABOUT THE SUH VISIT. A COURT ORDER TO DETAIN HIM WAS ISSUED AFTER HE DEFIED THREE SUMMONSES FROM THE NSP.

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CLAIMS OPPOSITION LEADER RECEIVED \$10,000 FROM COMMUNIST SPY
SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - PROSECUTORS SAID SATURDAY THAT
OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG RECEIVED \$10,000 FROM A LAWMAKER
ACCUSED OF BEING A SPY FOR COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

THEY MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE FORMAL INDICTMENT OF REP. SUH
KYUNG-WON, 52, AND HIS AIDE, BANG YANG-KYUN, 34. IF CONVICTED OF
SPYING, SUH AND BANG COULD BE SENTENCED TO LIFE IN PRISON.

THE PROSECUTION CLAIMS THAT SUH, A MEMBER OF KIM DAE-JUNG'S
PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY, SECRETLY VISITED NORTH KOREA IN
AUGUST 1988 AND RECEIVED \$50,000 FROM COMMUNIST LEADERS.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT FROM KIM DAE-JUNG. KIM WON-KEE, A
SENIOR MEMBER OF THE OPPOSITION PARTY, CALLED THE ALLEGATIONS
'COMPLETE FABRICATIONS.'

THE PROSECUTION'S CLAIM THAT KIM DAE-JUNG RECEIVED MONEY FROM
SUH FOLLOWED ALLEGATIONS LINKING THE LEADER OF THE LARGEST
OPPOSITION PARTY TO THE SPY CASE. KIM DAE-JUNG HAS DENIED THE
ALLEGATIONS.

AN EARLIER PROSECUTION STATEMENT SAID THAT SUH WAS RECRUITED BY
NORTH KOREAN AGENTS OPERATING IN WEST GERMANY IN 1985 AND THEY GAVE
HIM \$70,000 OVER A THREE-YEAR PERIOD. IT SAID SUH INFORMED NORTH
KOREA ABOUT THE POLITICAL SITUATION AND DISSIDENT MOVEMENTS IN
SOUTH KOREA.

THE PROSECUTION SAID SUH HAS CONFESSED. IT SAID SUH CLAIMED KIM
DAE-JUNG GAVE HIM \$1,000 A FEW DAYS BEFORE HE MADE THE TRIP TO
NORTH KOREA AND WHEN SUH RETURNED HE GAVE KIM DAE-JUNG \$10,000.

PROSECUTION OFFICIALS SAID THEY WOULD SUBPOENA KIM DAE-JUNG TO
DETERMINE IF HE HAD RECEIVED \$10,000 AND KNEW IT WAS FROM THE NORTH
KOREANS.

THE PROSECUTION CLAIMS THAT BOTH KIM DAE-JUNG AND KIM WON-KEE
KNEW IN APRIL 1988 ABOUT SUH'S PLANNED TRIP TO NORTH KOREA.

UNDER SOUTH KOREA'S SECURITY LAWS, IT IS A CRIME NOT TO INFORM
AUTHORITIES ABOUT PLANNED CONTACTS WITH NORTH KOREA.

KIM DAE-JUNG, WHO RAN FOR PRESIDENT IN 1971 AND 1987, WAS
QUESTIONED BY GOVERNMENT INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS LAST WEEK ABOUT
POSSIBLE INVOLVEMENT IN THE SPY CASE.

AFTER THE INTERROGATION, KIM DAE-JUNG SAID HE HAD BEEN CLEARED
OF ALL ALLEGATIONS BUT THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING
(NSP) SAID THE INVESTIGATION WOULD CONTINUE. OFFICIALS SAID THE NSP
WAS TRYING TO DETERMINE IF KIM DAE-JUNG HAD SENT A MESSAGE TO NORTH
KOREAN LEADERS THROUGH SUH.

SIX PEOPLE HAVE BEEN INDICTED IN THE SPY CASE BUT THEY HAVE NOT
BEEN ARRESTED. THEY WERE CHARGED WITH FAILING TO REPORT SUH'S
ACTIVITIES TO AUTHORITIES.

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OPPOSITION LEADER: INTERROGATION DIDN'T LINK HIM TO TRIP

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SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA (AP) - OPPOSITION LEADER KIM DAE-JUNG SAID THURSDAY A 22-HOUR INTERROGATION BY SECURITY AGENTS FAILED TO IMPLICATE HIM IN A SECRET TRIP TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BY A LAWMAKER CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE.

KIM TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE AT THE HEADQUARTERS OF HIS PARTY FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY THAT HE WAS CLEARED OF ANY SUSPICION AND CHARGED THAT HIS QUESTIONING BY SECURITY AUTHORITIES WAS A WELL-CONCEIVED GOVERNMENT PLAN TO UNDERMINE HIS PARTY'S IMAGE.

BUT THE AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING, THE MAIN GOVERNMENT INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATION, SAID THAT SINCE QUESTIONING WAS LEGALLY LIMITED TO 24 HOURS AND KIM ISSUED ''ADAMANT DENIALS,'' THEY RAN OUT OF TIME AND THAT KIM MIGHT BE QUESTIONED AGAIN.

''THEY DETAINED ME FOR QUESTIONING WITHOUT ANY EVIDENCE,'' KIM TOLD SUPPORTERS AFTER RETURNING FROM THE INTERROGATION THAT LASTED UNTIL EARLY THURSDAY.

THE HEAD OF THE LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY SAID INVESTIGATORS COULD NOT PRESENT EVIDENCE THAT HE HAD ANY PART IN A TRIP TO NORTH KOREA LAST YEAR BY NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN SUH KYUNG-WON.

SUH WAS EXPELLED FROM KIM'S PARTY AFTER THE LAWMAKER WAS ARRESTED JUNE 28.

SOUTH KOREA BANS UNAUTHORIZED TRAVEL TO NORTH KOREA AND MAINTAINS THAT DIALOGUE OR CONTACTS MUST GO THROUGH OFFICIAL CHANNELS. VIOLATORS CAN BE SENTENCED TO PRISON TERMS UNDER TOUGH NATIONAL SECURITY LAWS.

KIM AND SENIOR PARTY LAWMAKER MOON TONG-HWAN WERE INTERROGATED AFTER BEING DETAINED ON A COURT WARRANT WEDNESDAY.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SAID KIM WAS INVESTIGATED TO DETERMINE WHETHER HE FUNDED A TRIP TO NORTH KOREA A YEAR AGO BY SUH, WHETHER KIM SENT A MESSAGE TO NORTH KOREAN LEADER KIM IL SUNG, AND HOW SUH BECAME INVOLVED IN PARTY POLITICS.

SUH IS JAILED ON CHARGES OF SECURITY VIOLATIONS AND ESPIONAGE AND ACCEPTING \$120,000 FROM COMMUNIST AGENTS. NINE PEOPLE ALSO WERE ARRESTED IN THE CASE.

KIM, WHO HAS RUN TWICE FOR PRESIDENT, HAS DENIED ANY INVOLVEMENT IN SUH'S TRIP. HE ACCUSED THE GOVERNMENT OF POLITICAL HARASSMENT AIMED AT DISGRACING HIS PARTY.

''I REBUTTED POINT-BY-POINT ALL POINTS OF SUSPICION RAISED BY THE NSP (AGENCY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING),'' KIM SAID. ''I DEPLORE OUR POLITICAL ATMOSPHERE IN WHICH THE HEAD OF THE LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY WAS DETAINED WITHOUT SUFFICIENT GROUNDS.''

KIM SAID HE HAD NO PRIOR KNOWLEDGE OF SUH'S TRIP AND SO COULD NOT HAVE SENT A MESSAGE TO THE NORTH. THE OPPOSITION LEADER ADMITTED HE HAD GIVEN SUH \$1,000 BUT IT WAS CUSTOMARY FOR HIM TO GIVE SOME MONEY TO PARTY MEMBERS MAKING OVERSEAS TRIPS.

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FBI SAID TO BELIEVE BLOCH WAS SPY FOR 15 YEARS

WASHINGTON, AUG 3, REUTER - U.S. INVESTIGATORS NOW BELIEVE SUSPENDED STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL FELIX BLOCH BEGAN SPYING FOR THE SOVIET UNION WHEN HE SERVED IN EAST BERLIN 15 YEARS AGO, NBC NEWS REPORTED ON THURSDAY.

IN ADDITION, BLOCH HAD MUCH GREATER ACCESS TO U.S. SECRETS THAN ORIGINALLY REPORTED, THE NETWORK QUOTED HIGH-LEVEL SOURCES CLOSE TO THE ESPIONAGE INVESTIGATION AS SAYING.

BLOCH, THE NUMBER TWO OFFICIAL IN THE U.S. EMBASSY IN VIENNA FROM 1983 TO 1987, WAS SUSPENDED WITH PAY BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON JUNE 22. HE SURRENDERED HIS DIPLOMATIC PASSPORT, BUT NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN BROUGHT AGAINST HIM.

NBC SAID BLOCH HAD HAD ACCESS TO TOP-SECRET TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE, "INCLUDING THAT PRODUCED BY U.S. SPY SATELLITES AND EAVESDROPPING SITES AROUND THE WORLD."

BLOCH ALSO WAS DESCRIBED AS HAVING BEEN PRESENT DURING TOP-SECRET DISCUSSIONS OF U.S. STRATEGY. THE REPORT DID NOT SPECIFY WHICH DISCUSSIONS HE WAS SAID TO HAVE SAT IN ON.

NBC SAID BLOCH WAS ONE OF THOSE WHO HEARD THE CONFESSION OF MARINE SERGEANT CLAYTON LONETREE, AN EMBASSY GUARD, IN A CASE INVOLVING SECURITY BREACHES AT THE U.S. EMBASSY IN MOSCOW. LONETREE WAS SENTENCED IN AUGUST 1987 TO 30 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT, LATER REDUCED TO 25.

NBC SAID INVESTIGATORS WANTED TO KNOW WHETHER BLOCH HAD PROVIDED AN EARLY WARNING TO MOSCOW ABOUT THE EMBASSY CASE.

THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION (FBI) DID NOT IMMEDIATELY RETURN TELEPHONE CALLS SEEKING COMMENT ON THE REPORT. A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID ANY QUERIES ON THE INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE MADE TO THE FBI.

BLOCH, WHO REMAINS UNDER HEAVY FBI SURVEILLANCE, HAS NOT MADE ANY PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE CASE.

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