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BACKGROUND NOTE FOR THE PRESS

DECEMBER MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL

DATE AND PLACE

The forthcoming Ministerial Meeting of the North Atlantic Council will take place in NATO Headquarters, in Brussels, on 3rd, 4th and 5th December 1969. The Defence Planning Committee (DPC) will meet in ministerial session on the 3rd December, and the North Atlantic Council on the 4th and 5th December.

ACCREDITATIONS

Throughout the Meeting, correspondents will be admitted to the Press Zone on presentation of numbered individual NATO press passes.

Application for accreditation cards and windscreen stickers should be made in writing as soon as possible by directors of agencies, newspapers, radio-television, photos, etc. to :

Head of Press Service
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Brussels, 39

Please fill in and return the enclosed form. Further forms may be obtained from the NATO Press Service.

NATO passes will not be mailed to applicants but may be collected from the Accreditation Desk in the Press Service, Office Nb 146, as from Wednesday, 26th November, between 9.30 and 18.00 hours.

PRESS CONFERENCE AND RECEPTION

The Chairman of the North Atlantic Council and Secretary General of NATO, Mr. Manlio Brosio, will give a press conference at NATO Headquarters on 2nd December at 18.00 hours. This press conference is to be followed by a reception for all accredited representatives of the press.

The head of the NATO Press Service will give briefings after each morning and afternoon session of the Council.

ENQUIRIES

General press arrangements : 41.00.40 — Ext. 2221
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Head of the NATO Press Service : Mr. J. de Vries — 15.66.67

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