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Jan 28, 5 p.m.

Have just had two-hour conversation with Gov Gen Khorasan during which time he informed me that he has recd instrs close all info and cultural centers. He has directed gov Meshed inform orgs concerned and work out details. His understanding is that this applies all such centers outside Tehran.

Gov Gen implied this action directed against Brit Council and VOKS but Amer activities will be included.

I told him gen supervision but small org here is under cultural center Tehran and that after receipt formal notification it wld be necessary await final instrs from there. Tehrani said he understood this sitn and regretted restrictions included Amers. He gave me assurances that reasonable time wld be granted close down operations and take other necessary steps.

Tomorrow I have appointment with Gov Meshed, who will probably discuss same problem.

Convs with Tehrani were on most friendly basis as his interests being more in scientific than polit matters.

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