

January 13, 1950 Cable, Mao Zedong to Liu Shaoqi

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Summary:

Mao Zedong gives instructions on Sino-Soviet military cooperation and makes personnel appointments to the Chinese armed forces.

Original Language:

Chinese

Contents:

- English Translation
- Chinese Transcription

[...]

Comrade [Liu] Shaoqi:

(1) I will depart for Leningrad today (the 13th) in the evening and will be back to Moscow in two days.

(2) I have arranged for Liu Yalou, Soviet advisor Kotov and two other men to come here. Please inform Nie Rongzhen of this matter.

(3) Xiao Jinguang can now be appointed as commander of the navy; please also inform Nie Rongzhen about this appointment.

Mao Zedong

13 January [1950]

[...]

于任命肖光^[1]海司令等事 少奇的

(一九五零年一月十三日)

少奇同志:

(一) 我今(十三)晚去列宁格勒, 天可返莫斯科。(二) ^[2]及 柯托夫等四人已交涉好可以此, 通知 臻^[3]。(三) 可即任命肖光海司令, 此点亦告 臻。

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- 月十二日

根据手稿刊印

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