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Respectfully forwarded to the Director, Weather Bureau, Manila.

The Secretary is very much gratified with the interest being shown by the nations who are sending, scientific delegations to the Philippines to make observations of the coming eclipse and desires that everything possible under existing regulations of the Philippine Government should be done to make the stay of the scientists in the country as comfortable and profitable as possible both for themselves and for the local observatory.

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