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--- YOURTEL THIRTEENTH FINDING MAHIDA CONTESTING AND AS
KNOWLEDGEABLE OBSERVERS THINK VAIDYA HAS LOWEST CHANCE
HAVE FILED MY NOMINATION STOP AGREEABLE WITHDRAW FOR PARTY
SOLIDARITY IF MAHIDA DOES SAME STOP ALTERNATIVELY
REQUEST CONSIDER GIVING ME SECOND PREFERENCE VOTES AS THIS WILL
NOT DAMEGE VAIDYAS CHANCES ----- SHENOY -

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PROFESSOR BR SHENOY
GUJARAT UNIVERSITY
AHMEDABAD 9

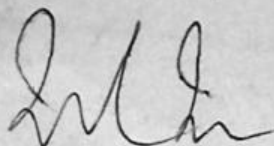
YOUR TELEGRAM ELEVENTH PARLIAMENTARY SUBCOMMITTEE HAS TODAY
REAFFIRMED NOMINATION OF BABUBHAI VAIDYA AS PARTYS CANDIDATE
STOP DANDEKER AND I THEREFORE ~~WILL~~ HOPE YOU WILL KINDLY DESIST
FROM FURTHER INTEREST IN THE ELECTION

MASARI

2 Tughlak Road,
New Delhi 11

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A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'L. L. L.' or similar, written in a cursive style.

Telex Message

From Mr. M.R. Masani to Mr. N. Dandekar

Have received disappointing reply from Shenoy in reply my telegram which he says he did not receive till after your departure from Ahmedabad stop He alleges that our Party's sentiment is against Babubhai Vaidya and therefore wants guidance from you and me stop I would like to send him a telegram saying that he is being misled by interested parties and reiterating our advice to withdraw from the scene but before doing so would like to know what happened in Ahmedabad on the 10th and what the latest position is stop Please reply immediately by telex

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MASANI MEMBER LOKSABHA NEW DELHI:

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X 1350 A 32 AHMEDABAD N 11 33

YCURTEL RECEIVED MONDAY COULDN'T CONTACT DANDEKAR STOP
AS PARTYS CONTINENT AGAINST VAIDYA KINDLY CONSULT DANDEKAR AND
ADVICE WHAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR ME TO DC: SHENOY::

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PROF SHENOY
GUJARAT UNIVERSITY
AHMEDABAD

Understand you interested Rajya Sabha election stop. Central
Parliamentary Board has taken firm decision nominating Babubhai
Vaidya on basis Gujarat Party's pledged word stop Any change now
impossible stop Sure you unaware of commitment stop Would
appreciate your intimating those concerned you no longer interested
as otherwise it would harm our cause stop Dandekar in Ahmedabad tomorrow
Sunday

Masani

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 PROFESSOR SHENOY WANTING TO CONTEST RAJYA SABHA ELECTIONS STOP THIS
 IS LIKELY TO ENDANGER BABUBHAI VAIDYAS PROSPECTS STOP SUGGEST YOU WIRE
 SHENOY IMMEDIATELY GIVING BACKGROUND AND REQUESTING HIM NOT TO PRESS HIS
 CLAIM FOR NOMINATION AS FIRST PREFERENCE CANDIDATE STOP THIS IS IMPORTANT
 AS OTHERWISE I FEAR THE WORST -RAJU-

Swatantra Party

CENTRAL OFFICE

PHONE 29687

GRAMS SURAJYAM



MASANI

2 TUGHLAK ROAD

NEW DELHI 11

SASSOON BUILDING,
143, MAHATMA GANDHI ROAD,
BOMBAY 1.

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REGARDING PROFESSOR SHENOY WANTING TO CONTEST RAJYA SABHA ELECTIONS
AND THAT THIS IS LIKELY TO ENDANGER BABUBHAI VAIDYA'S PROSPECTS
STOP SUGGEST YOU WIRE SHENOY IMMEDIATELY GIVING BACKGROUND AND
REQUESTING HIM NOT TO PRESS HIS CLAIM FOR NOMINATION AS FIRST
PREFERENCE CANDIDATE STOP THIS IS IMPORTANT AS OTHERWISE I FEAR
THE WORST

RAJU

Mr. S.V. Raju

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Swatantra Party, 143, M.G.Road, Bombay-1.

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March 9, 1968