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X/9/13 E/W -- TURKISH FOREIGN MINISTER NOT TO VISIT POLAND

ANKARA, SEP 5 (RFE SPECIAL/OPPER)-- THE CHIEF SPOKESMAN FOR THE TURKISH FOREIGN MINISTRY CONFIRMED TODAY THAT FOREIGN MINISTER IHSAN SABRI CAGLAYANGIL WILL NOT RPT NOT VISIT POLAND THIS MONTH AS HAD BEEN EXPECTED.

OKKTAY ICSEN, MINISTRY SPOKESMAN, SAID IN A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH ATHENS THAT THE VISIT WAS NEVER ANNOUNCED OFFICIALLY AND THAT NOT DATE HAD BEEN SET BY THE TWO GOVERNMENT.

"SO YOU CANNOT REALLY SAY IT HAS BEEN CANCELLED," HE SAID.

ASKED WHEN MR. CAGLAYANGIL WOULD GO TO WARSAW, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, "NOT RPT NOT FOR THE TIME BEING."

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