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Marginal Note by Mao Zedong on Indian Report on Tibetans in India

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Summary:

Marginal note written by Mao Zedong, implying that Indian authorities are feigning ignorance of illegal activities perpetrated by Tibetans in India.

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[This marginal note was written onto a report by MAO ZEDONG at the point where the Indian Foreign Ministry spokesman stated on 29 March 1959 that Tibetans in India had not undertaken "illegal activities."]

Note: Dear Indian friends: Don't be credulous with the Tibetans. Their direction of the Tibet uprising is secret. Maybe we know what you don't know! [1]

[1] Mao's tone seems to imply that he suspects the Indians of feigning ignorance.