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Announcer:..... The AP says that a ranking House member said Thursday that he has been told that there is a movement afoot in the State Department to terminate U.S. relations with Taiwan after the November elections and to establish full diplomatic relations with Peking.

The person who said this was Rep. Clement Zablocki, who is a Democrat from Wisconsin. This man apparently is in line to become chair of the House International Relations Committee next year. He said that he got the information from Taiwanese diplomats.

The State Department naturally refuses to confirm what at this time is still a rumor.
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