

**July 31, 1958**  
**Conversation of N.S. Khrushchev with Mao Zedong,  
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**Summary:**

At the airport in Beijing, Mao and Khrushchev agree on how to organize their meetings over the next several days.

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N.S. KHRUSHCHEV WITH MAO ZEDONG

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MAO ZEDONG proposes to discuss the sequence of the meetings and suggests the expediency of a small group meeting initially.

N.S. KHRUSHCHEV agrees.

They concur that Cdes. Khrushchev, Mao Zedong, Ponomarev, and Deng Xiaoping will take part in the conversation.

MAO ZEDONG expressed the view that after the small group meeting, they convene a larger group.

N.S. KHRUSHCHEV accepted the proposal.

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<sup>[1]</sup> Written in pencil.