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E.O. 12065 RDS-1 8/28/11 (STREATOR, E.J.) DR-M

TAGS: UK, WA, XA, OAU

SUBJECT: ~~15~~ NAMIBIA - NEW UK DRAFT OF PRINCIPLES

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1. FCO NAMIBIA DESK OFFICER RICHARD EDDIS SUMMONE REPRESENTATIVES OF CONTACT GROUP EMBASSIES IN LONDON AUGUST 28TH TO BRIEF ON THE OAU FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING WITH LORD CARRINGTON AUGUST 27TH, AND TO PRESENT NEW UK DRAFT OF CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES FOR A NAMIBIAN SETTLEMENT (TEXT IN PARA 4 BELOW). EDDIS ALSO PASSED ON UK PROPOSAL FOR A MEETING OF EXPERTS FROM AFRICAN DEPARTMENTS OF CONTACT GROUP MINISTRIES ON SEPTEMBER 2, A PROPOSAL HE SAID HAD ALREADY BEEN MADE DIRECTLY TO CAPITALS.
2. IN BRIEFING ON OAU MEETING, EDDIS READ FROM CABLE WHICH HE SAID HAD BEEN GIVEN TO APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON. HE EMPHASIZED THAT THE RELATIVE MODERATION OF THE OAU FOREIGN MINISTERS PRESENTATION BODED WELL FOR FUTURE EXCHANGES.
3. IN PRESENTING MEETING PROPOSAL, EDDIS NOTED THAT UK FELT GREAT URGENCY IN GETTING CONCRETE WORK GOING AGAIN. UK UNDERSTOOD THAT SECRETARY HAIG WAS WAITING FOR GENSCHER'S REPLY TO HIS LETTER OF EARLIER THIS MONTH, BUT HOPED THAT ONCE THAT REPLY WAS RECEIVED THERE WOULD BE NO OBJECTION TO RESUMPTION OF DISCUSSIONS OF THE WORKING GROUP. HE ADDED THAT THE UK WAS INDIFFERENT TO THE LOCALE OF THE MEETING.
4. CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES WERE ACCOMPANIED BY A LETTER SIGNED BY EDDIS TO ROGER HARRISON. TEXT OF LETTER AND OF PRINCIPLES FOLLOW:
BEGIN TEXT:
28 AUGUST 1981
IN BRIAN BARDER'S ABSENCE ON LEAVE, I AM WRITING TO LET

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YOU HAVE, FOR THE INFORMATION OF YOUR GOVERNMENT, A REVISED VERSION OF THE PAPER ON CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS FOR NAMIBIA ORIGINALLY CIRCULATED BY THE UK TEAM AT THE MEETING OF OFFICIALS OF THE FIVE IN WASHINGTON IN MAY. NOW THAT THE FIVE ARE CONTEMPLATING THE PREPARATION OF PROPOSALS FOR CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES RATHER THEN DRAFT CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS AS SUCH, THE CONTENTS AND SCOPE OF THE UK PAPER HAVE BEEN SUBSTANTIALLY RE-CAST. OUR INTENTION AND HOPE ARE THAT THE PAPER MAY PROVE USEFUL FOR THE WORKING GROUP OF OFFICIALS OF THE FIVE WHICH WAS TO HAVE MET IN WASHINGTON ON 24 AUGUST. DESPITE THE POSTPONEMENT OF THAT MEETING, WE THOUGHT YOUR GOVERNMENT MIGHT FIND IT USEFUL TO HAVE THE PAPER NOW. WE SHOULD OF COURSE WELCOME YOUR GOVERNMENT'S COMMENTS IN ADVANCE OF THE WASHINGTON MEETING AS A MEANS OF RESOLVING SOME OF THE QUESTIONS THAT NEED TO BE CONSIDERED. I SHOULD EMPHASIZE THAT THE SUGGESTIONS IN THE PAPER ARE INTENDED FOR PURPOSES ONLY OF DISCUSSION WITHIN THE FIVE AT THIS STAGE, AND THAT THEY DO NOT CONSTITUTE FIRM PROPOSALS TO WHICH THE UK IS IN ANY WAY COMMITTED. THEY ARE MEANT TO ASSIST DISCUSSION BY TRYING TO IDENTIFY SOME OF THE QUESTIONS AND PROBLEMS THAT WE THINK MAY NEED TO BE TACKLED, WITH SOME PRELIMINARY IDEAS ABOUT POSSIBLE WAYS IN WHICH WE MIGHT APPROACH THEM. ONE OF THE PRELIMINARY MATTERS WHICH WE SUGGEST THE FIVE MIGHT CONSIDER WHEN THE WORKING GROUP MEETS IS THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE FIVE SHOULD PUT SPECIFIC PROPOSALS TO THE NAMIBIAN PARTIES, SWAPO, THE FRONT LINE STATES, ETC, AT THE OUTSET; OR HOW FAR THE FIVE SHOULD INSTEAD START OFF THE DISCUSSIONS BY IDENTIFYING THE PROBLEMS AND SEEKING REACTIONS BEFORE PUTTING FORWARD SUGGESTIONS FOR RESOLVING THEM. THE UK HAS AN OPEN MIND ON THIS; AND OUR PAPER NEEDS TO BE READ WITH THE UNDERSTANDING IN MIND THAT THIS PRELIMINARY QUESTION IS NOT YET SETTLED. (SIGNED) RICHARD EDIS, SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEPARTMENT. END TEXT.

BEGIN TEXT OF CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES:
NAMIBIA - CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES FOR EVENTUAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT, SWAPO, THE INTERNAL PARTIES AND THE FRONT LINE STATES
(NAME OF NAMIBIAN POLITICAL PARTY) DECLARES THAT ITS POLICIES AND ACTIONS BEFORE AND AFTER THE ELECTIONS TO BE HELD UNDER SCR 435 WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPLES WHICH IT HAS FREELY ADOPTED AND WHICH IT COMMENDS TO THE NAMIBIAN PEOPLE:

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A. CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY

1. THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY WILL BE SO ELECTED AS TO ENSURE FAIR REPRESENTATION OF ALL (SECTORS OF) THE POPULATION OF NAMIBIA.

2. IN FORMULATING THE CONSTITUTION FOR AN INDEPENDENT NAMIBIA, THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY WILL TAKE DECISIONS ON MAJOR CONSTITUTIONAL MATTERS BY A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY OF ALL ITS MEMBERS. MAJOR CONSTITUTIONAL MATTERS COMPRISE THOSE REFERRED TO IN PARAGRAPHS (5-7, 9-10, 13-14) BELOW. THE DECISION ON THE ADOPTION OF THE CONSTITUTION AS A WHOLE SHALL ALSO BE ADOPTED BY A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY OF ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY.

3. IN FORMULATING THE CONSTITUTION FOR AN INDEPENDENT NAMIBIA, THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY WILL ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES IN SECTION B BELOW.

B. PRINCIPLES FOR A CONSTITUTION FOR AN INDEPENDENT NAMIBIA

4. THE STATE

- NAMIBIA WILL BE A UNITARY DEMOCRATIC STATE. THE CONSTITUTION WILL BE THE SUPREME LAW OF THE STATE.

5. THE EXECUTIVE

- THERE WILL BE A HEAD OF STATE WHO WILL BE ELECTED EITHER BY THE LEGISLATURE, OR IN A POPULAR ELECTION HELD SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH A GENERAL ELECTION TO THE LEGISLATURE. THE EXECUTIVE WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO THE LEGISLATURE.

NOTE: SEPARATION OF HEAD OF STATE/LEGISLATURE ELECTION (CF ZIMBABWE)

PURPOSE OF SECOND SENTENCE IS TO ALLOW FOR PARLIAMENT TO BE ABLE TO THROW OUT THE GOVERNMENT.

6. THE LEGISLATURE

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE FOR A BICAMERAL LEGISLATURE, WITH A SECOND CHAMBER BROADLY REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL

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SECTORS OF THE POPULATION ON A GEOGRAPHICAL BUT NOT AN ETHNIC BASIS.

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE FOR PERIODIC ELECTIONS BY UNIVERSAL ADULT SUFFRAGE, FOR FREEDOM OF PEACEFUL ELECTORAL CAMPAIGNING AND FOR SECRECY OF THE BALLOT.

7. PARTICIPATION BY MINORITIES

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE TO SECURE PARTICIPATION BY MINORITIES IN THE POLITICAL PROCESS - FOR EXAMPLE, BY EQUAL REPRESENTATION IN A SECOND CHAMBER OF GIVEN AREAS REGARDLESS OF POPULATION SIZE; BY PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION OR BY APPROPRIATE DELIMITATION OF CONSTITUENCIES OR BY A COMBINATION OF BOTH; OR BY NOMINATION OR ELECTION OF SOME MEMBERS REPRESENTING SPECIFIC SECTORS OF THE POPULATION.

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE TO ENABLE FREE ACCESS BY THE DIFFERENT GROUPS OF THE POPULATION TO RECRUITMENT INTO THE PUBLIC SERVICE, THE POLICE AND THE DEFENCE FORCES.

NOTE: THIS DRAWS ON AN IDEA IN THE FRENCH PAPER, PARAGRAPH 1.1.3, PAGE 3; AND IS REFLECTED IN THE ZIMBABWE CONSTITUTION, SECTIONS 75(2) AND (3), 74(2) AND (3), AND 90(2) AND (3).

8. THE JUDICIARY

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE TO SECURE THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE JUDICIARY, INCLUDING SAFEGUARDS AS TO THE APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES, AS TO THEIR TENURE OF OFFICE AND AS TO THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR FUNCTIONS WITHOUT INTERFERENCE BY THE EXECUTIVE OR FOR PARTY POLITICAL REASONS.

9. DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

- THERE WILL BE A DECLARATION OF FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS, WHICH WILL INCLUDE THE RIGHTS TO LIFE AND PERSONAL LIBERTY; TO FREEDOM OF CONSCIENCE; TO FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION (INCLUDING FREE PRESS AND OTHER MEDIA FREE FROM GOVERNMENT OR OTHER POLITICAL DIRECTION); TO FREEDOM OF ASSEMBLY AND ASSOCIATION (INCLUDING TRADE UNIONS INDEPENDENT OF GOVERNMENT AND EMPLOYERS); TO EQUALITY BEFORE THE LAW; TO FREEDOM FROM SLAVERY AND FORCED LABOUR; TO PROTECTION FROM THE ARBITRARY DEPRIVATION OF PROPERTY; AND TO FREEDOM FROM RACIAL, ETHNIC, RELIGIOUS

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OR SEXUAL DISCRIMINATION. THE DECLARATION OF RIGHTS WILL BE ENFORCEABLE BY A SUPERIOR COURT WHICH COULD BE A SPECIAL CONSTITUTIONAL COURT, AT THE INSTANCE OF AN AGGRIEVED INDIVIDUAL.

NOTE: THE NOTION OF A SPECIAL COURT (RATHER THAN ALLOWING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THE DECLARATION OF RIGHTS THROUGH THE NORMAL COURTS) IS TO ADMIT THE POSSIBILITY - IF ONLY FOR DISCUSSION - OF NON-NAMIBIANS SITTING ON IT, OR BEING CONSULTED AS TO ITS FORMATION (SWAPO CONSTITUTION DOCUMENT PARAS 74-76).

10. ENTRENCHMENT

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE TO ENSURE THAT BASIC DEMOCRATIC PROCEDURES, THE ELECTORAL SYSTEM, SAFEGUARDS FOR THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE JUDICIARY, THE CIVIL SERVICE, THE POLICE AND THE DEFENSE FORCES, THE DECLARATION OF RIGHTS AND THE SAFEGUARDS FOR MINORITIES (4 ABOVE) CAN BE AMENDED ONLY BY A SPECIAL MAJORITY OF BOTH CHAMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE.

11. LOCAL ADMINISTRATION COUNCILS

- PROVISION WILL BE MADE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF REPRESENTATIVE COUNCILS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES RELATING TO PARTICULAR LOCALITIES. THESE WILL NOT BE ETHNICALLY BASED EXCEPT INsofar AS ETHNIC AND GEOGRAPHICAL FACTORS COINCIDE.

12. MISCELLANEOUS

- PROVISIONS WILL ALSO BE MADE ON CITIZENSHIP, THE PUBLIC SERVICE, THE DEFENCE FORCES, THE POLICE, ETC. APPROPRIATE INDEPENDENT BODIES WILL BE ESTABLISHED TO DEAL WITH APPOINTMENTS, DISCIPLINE AND REMOVAL OF PUBLIC SERVANTS AND TO SUPERVISE SUCH MATTERS WITH REGARD TO THE POLICE AND DEFENCE FORCES.

NOTE: THE SWAPO PAPER (PARAS 78-79) INCLUDES PROVISIONS FOR INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONS.

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13. FIRST LEGISLATURE AND GOVERNMENT

- THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY COULD BE THE FIRST LEGISLATURE FOR AN INTERIM PERIOD (OF ONE OR 2 YEARS) AFTER INDEPENDENCE. FOR THE SAME INTERIM PERIOD THE FIRST EXECUTIVE GOVERNMENT WOULD BE DRAWN FROM MEMBERS OF THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY, INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL POLITICAL GROUPS, IN PROPORTION TO THEIR REPRESENTATION IN THE ASSEMBLY.

NOTE: THIS SUGGESTION REFLECTS THE IDEA OF THE GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNITY IN PARAGRAPH 1.1.3 OF THE FRENCH PAPER. IT IS FOR CONSIDERATION WHETHER THESE PROPOSALS SHOULD FORM PART OF THE FIVE'S PROPOSALS FOR 'CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES' OR WHETHER THEY SHOULD BE DISCUSSED UNDER THE HEADING OF 'PROCEDURAL QUESTIONS'.

14. FOREIGN POLICY

- IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN ITS INDEPENDENCE AND THE PROTECTION OF THE INVIOABILITY OF ITS TERRITORY, NAMIBIA WILL BE NON-ALIGNED IN ITS EXTERNAL RELATIONS AND THE PRINCIPLES OF NON-ALIGNMENT WILL BE EMBODIED IN THE CONSTITUTION. THESE PRINCIPLES WILL INCLUDE A COMMITMENT THAT NAMIBIA WILL NEITHER BELONG TO ANY MILITARY ALLIANCE, NOR PERMIT WITHIN ITS TERRITORY THE INSTALLATION OF FOREIGN MILITARY BASES OR THE STATIONING OF FOREIGN MILITARY UNITS, NOR PERMIT THE USE OF NAMIBIAN TERRITORY FOR HOSTILE ACTION AGAINST NEIGHBOURING STATES.

C. OTHER QUESTIONS TO BE ADDRESSED BY THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY.

15. THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY WILL ALSO MAKE PROVISIONS INTER ALIA FOR:

(A) THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A BOUNDARY COMMISSION, TO BE INDEPENDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE;

(B) THE FREQUENCY OF ELECTIONS;

(C) THE ROLE OF POLITICAL PARTIES IN AN INDEPENDENT NAMIBIA;

(D) THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH, FOR EXAMPLE IN A STATE OF EMERGENCY, CERTAIN PARTS OF THE CONSTITUTION MAY BE SUSPENDED.

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SUBJECT: ~~SECRET~~ WEINBERGER-NOTT MEETING: POLARIS RE-MOTORING

1. ~~SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.~~

2. DURING COURSE OF HIS TALKS WITH SECRETARY WEINBERGER AUGUST 21, UK DEFMIN JOHN NOTT COMMENTED THAT UK HAD DECIDED TO GO AHEAD WITH POLARIS RE-MOTORING, AT A COST OF SOMETHING OVER 400 MILLION POUNDS. HE NOTED THAT INCREASING UNRELIABILITY OF EXISTING MOTORS HAD MADE THE DECISION NECESSARY, BUT THAT IT WOULD INCREASE THE BUDGET SQUEEZE SINCE FUNDS HAD NOT BEEN BUDGETED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

3. SECRETARY WEINBERGER ASKED HOW THE CHEVALINE PROGRAM WAS GOING. NOTT RESPONDED THAT THE TEST PROGRAM WOULD BEGIN IN FEBRUARY, AND THAT DEPLOYMENTS SHOULD START IN JULY OF NEXT YEAR.

4. THIS CABLE WAS SEEN AND APPROVED BY ASD PERLE. LOUIS

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2. WITH FCO NEAR EAST/NORTH AFRICA DEPARTMENT HEAD OLIVER MILES PRESENTLY ON LEAVE, WE CONTACTED ACTING DEPARTMENT HEAD JEREMY GREENSTOCK EVENING AUGUST 20 TO BRIEF HIM ON REF A. GREENSTOCK SAID HE WOULD SEND CABLE SAME NIGHT TO UK CHARGE IN AMMAN (AMBASSADOR URWICK IS NOT AT POST) AUTHORIZING HIM TO GIVE AMBASSADOR VIETS FULL READOUT ON RAPIER PROGRAM.
3. GREENSTOCK THEN SAID WE MAY BE INTERESTED TO KNOW THAT HMG'S HEAD OF DEFENSE SALES HAD BEEN IN JORDAN EARLIER THIS WEEK AND HELD A LONG TALK WITH "A VERY THOUGHTFUL AND SOBERED" KING HUSSEIN ON MONDAY, AUGUST 17 ABOUT THE RAPIER. GREENSTOCK OBSERVED THAT, ON THE BASIS OF THE REPORT OF THIS TALK WHICH HE HAS READ, IT IS UNLIKELY THAT THE JORDANIANS HAVE PUT THE FINAL SEAL ON THE SOVIET SALE. HOWEVER, GREENSTOCK DID NOT PROFESS OPTIMISM THAT THE BRITISH WOULD ULTIMATELY SECURE THE RAPIER CONTRACT.
4. DEPARTMENT PLEASE REPEAT TO AMMAN, LOUIS

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TAGS: WA, PEPR, US, AQ

SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S MESSAGE TO LORD CARRINGTON RE

NAHIBIA

REF: STATE 214221

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE REPTEL WAS DELIVERED TO LORD
CARRINGTON'S OFFICE ON AUGUST 13 AT 11:30, FOR
IMMEDIATE TRANSMISSION TO LORD CARRINGTON, WHO IS ON
LEAVE, LOUIS

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E.O. 12065 RDS-1 8/5/11 (MORRIS, R.J.) DR-M

TAGS: PINS, PINT, PEPR, GA

SUBJECT: ~~TS~~ STRATEGY TO SECURE SURRENDER OF GAMBIAN
DISSIDENTS

REF: STATE 205569

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1. CHRISTOPHER MCRAE, WHO IS COORDINATING FCO ACTION ON THE SITUATION IN THE GAMBIA, TELLS US THAT ACCORDING TO BRITISH INFORMATION, SENAGALESE PLAN TO CLEAR OUT AN AREA AROUND THE FIELD FORCE HEADQUARTERS, AND WILL THEN DEFER TO PRESIDENT JARAWA, WHO WILL ATTEMPT TO NEGOTIATE RELEASE OF THE HOSTAGES. THE BRITISH HAD HEARD NO DEADLINE FOR STORMING OF THE HEADQUARTERS IF THESE NEGOTIATIONS ARE UNSUCCESSFUL.
 2. THE SAS COMMANDER IN THE AREA REPORTS TO THE FCO THAT HE NOW HAS 56 SENAGALESE SOLDIERS WITH A DEGREE OF TRAINING IN HOSTAGE RELEASE SITUATIONS. FOR POLITICAL REASONS, SAS PERSONNEL WILL REMAIN IN AN ADVISOR ROLE AND WILL NOT DIRECTLY PARTICIPATE IN ACTION TO RELEASE HOSTAGES.
 3. ACTING SENAGALESE CHIEF OF STAFF CISSE HAS TOLD THE BRITISH THAT HE DOES "NOT ENVISION" CIVILIAN AIRCRAFT BEING ABLE TO OPERATE TO BANJUL AIRPORT FOR THE NEXT FEW DAYS. MCCRAE WAS HIMSELF CONCERNED -- ALTHOUGH IT IS NOT CLEAR ON WHAT BASIS -- THAT THERE MAY ALSO BE DIFFICULTY WITH OBTAINING SENAGALESE PERMISSION FOR OPERATION OF MILITARY AIRCRAFT TO BANJUL.
 4. SECSTATE PLEASE PASS TO SECDEF WASHDC AND USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN AND REQUEST THAT MILITARY ADDRESSEES HANDLE AS SPECAT EXCLUSIVE. MORRIS
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8578

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E.O. 12065 GDS 7/17/87 (STREATOR, E.J.) DRGM

TAGS: PEPR, XG, UK, MPUL, MASS

SUBJECT: ~~TS~~ THE PRESIDENT'S BILATERAL WITH MRS. THATCHER

REF: LONDON 13269

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PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY FOR DEFENSE PROCUREMENT,
GEOFFREY PATTIE, TOLD THE DCM JULY 16 THAT THE MOD HAS
RECOMMENDED THAT MRS. THATCHER RAISE WITH THE PRESIDENT
IN OTTAWA U.S. ACQUISITION OF RAPIER FOR THE RDF.
PATTIE NOTED THE BRITISH HAVE RAISED THIS PREVIOUSLY
AT DOD'S HIGHEST LEVELS AND THEY HOPE PERSONAL INTER-
VENTION BY MRS. THATCHER WILL INCREASE BRITISH TRAFFIC
ON THE TWO-WAY PROCUREMENT STREET, LOUIS

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O 280049Z JUN 81
FM AMEMBASSY LONDON

TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO IMMEDIATE 3005
AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV IMMEDIATE 3534

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7899
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FROM STERNER

FOR AMBASSADORS AHERTON AND LEWIS

E.O. 120651 RDS-3 6/28/01 (STREATOR, E.J.) OR-M

TAGS: MILI, US, IS, EG

SUBJ: SINAI NEGOTIATIONS

REF: CAIRO 15176

1. ~~SECRET ENTIRE TEXT.~~

2. APPRECIATE ROY ACTING AS PROMPTLY AS HE HAS IN SEEING THE EGYPTIANS ON THE SINAI PROTOCOL PROBLEM. I AM PREPARED TO GO TO GENEVA AT ANY TIME TO SEE ALI BUT AM LEFT WONDERING IF THIS WOULD BE OF MUCH USE UNLESS WE HAVE A CLEARER IDEA OF WHAT BEGIN CAN AND CANNOT ACCEPT AS A SOLUTION. EVEN WHEN WE DO IT SEEMS UNLIKELY THAT WE CAN BE SURE OF RESOLVING THE ISSUE UNLESS KIMCHE APPEARS IN GENEVA AT THE SAME TIME. THE FIRST STEP IS FOR SAM TO HAVE ANOTHER CONVERSATION WITH KIMCHE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER THE SHABBAT TO FIND OUT WHAT THE PARAMETERS ARE ON THE ISRAELI SIDE. IS BEGIN IN EFFECT SAYING THERE ARE ONLY TWO SOLUTIONS: (1) IF THERE IS ANY REFERENCE AT ALL TO THE UN

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

THERE MUST BE THE "ENDORSE PEACE TREATY AND CAMP DAVID " PHRASEOLOGY; (2) OTHERWISE THERE MUST BE NO LANGUAGE IN THE PROTOCOL ABOUT THE UN? OR, ARE SOME OF THE ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS WE DISCUSSED AT THE MENA HOUSE WHICH KIMCHE WILL RECALL POSSIBILITIES? IS PUTTING THE SECOND SENTENCE OF PARAGRAPH ONE IN THE EXCHANGE OF LETTERS A POSSIBILITY AS THE ISRAELI CHARGE IN CAIRO PERSONALLY SUGGESTED? KIMCHE MUST HAVE GIVEN SOME THOUGHT TO THIS OVER THE WEEKEND AND HAVE SOME SUGGESTIONS ABOUT HOW TO PROCEED.

3. I TAKE IT FROM CAIRO'S SILENCE ON THE POINT THAT SHASH DID NOT REACT ONE WAY OR THE OTHER TO THE ISRAELI CHARGE'S SUGGESTION. DID YOU GET THE IMPRESSION THAT SHASH WOULD TRY THIS IDEA OUT ON ALI?

4. I WILL STAY PUT IN LONDON UNTIL I HEAR FROM BOTH OF YOU.
LOUIS

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FROM STERNER

E.O. 120651 RDS-3 6/26/01 (STREATOR, E.J.) OR-M

TAGS: MILI, US, IS, EG

SUBJ: SINAI NEGOTIATIONS

REF: TEL AVIV 10148

I AM NATURALLY KEENLY DISAPPOINTED THAT BEGIN HAS
REFUSED TO ACCEPT THE WORDING OF PARA. 1 OF THE PROTOCOL
BUT IT DOES NOT COME AS A TOTAL SURPRISE. IT MAY PROVE
NECESSARY FOR KIMCHE AND ME TO RESUME TALKS WITH THE
EGYPTIANS ON THIS POINT. BUT BEFORE DECIDING TO RETURN,
I WOULD LIKE TO SEE WHETHER THE EGYPTIANS WOULD NOT
READILY AGREE TO DROP THE SECOND SENTENCE OF PARA. 1 AS
THE FM DESIRES. I WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF AMB. ATHERTON
COULD CALL ON FOREIGN MINISTER ALI AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
TO SEE WHETHER THE EGYPTIANS WOULD AGREE. IF WE WANT
TO WRAP THIS UP QUICKLY I SEE NO READY SOLUTION EXCEPT
TO ACCEDE TO BEGIN'S WISHES ON THIS POINT. IF THE
EGYPTIANS PROVE DIFFICULT ONE POSSIBILITY MIGHT BE TO
TRY TO GET THIS LANGUAGE BACK IN THE EXCHANGE OF LETTERS,
BUT I AM INCLINED TO THINK BEGIN WON'T ACCEPT THAT
EITHER. BUT I BELIEVE KIMCHE SHOULD TRY IT OUT ON BEGIN

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

WHILE WE SEE WHAT THE EGYPTIAN REACTION TO THIS NEWS IS.
ROY SHOULD NOT MENTION THE EXCHANGE OF LETTERS POSSI-
BILITY TO HASSAN ALI UNTIL WE KNOW THE ISRAELIS CAN AGREE
TO IT. I WILL HOLD IN LONDON UNTIL WE HEAR THE RESULTS
OF ROY'S MEETING WITH ALI. LOUIS

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AMEMBASSY JIDDA IMMEDIATE 4716
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FROM H. BIB.
E.O. 12065: RDS-1, 3, 4 6/25/01 (HABIB, PHILIP)
TAGS: PEPR, MOPS, MILI, LE, IS, SY, SA, SF
SUBJECT: HABIB MISSION - FINAL TALKS IN BEIRUT

1. ~~SECRET ENTIRE TEXT.~~

2. SUMMARY: SARKIS AND BOUTROS REMAIN HIGHLY CONCERNED
OVER THE PRESENT SYRIAN POSITION AND HAVE ASKED THAT WE
URGE THE SAUDIS TO APPLY FURTHER PRESSURE TO THE SYRIANS.
END SUMMARY.

3. I STAYED IN BEIRUT UNTIL 2 P.M. ON JUNE 25 IN HOPE
THAT I COULD REVIEW WITH FOREIGN MINISTER BOUTROS THE
RESULTS OF THE JIDDA QUADRIPARTITE MEETING. ON HIS RETURN,
HOWEVER, BOUTROS DECIDED THAT A MEETING TOGETHER COULD

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

CAUSE COMPLICATIONS IN THE INTER-ARAB CONTEXT. HE AND SARKIS SENT PRESIDENTIAL CONFIDANTE HADDAD TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING POINTS:

- A. AT THE JIDDA QUADRIPARTITE MEETING, SYRIAN FOREIGN MINISTER KHADDAM HAD REFUSED TO DISCUSS SERIOUSLY THE ISSUES OF ZAHLE, THE SANNIIN RIDGE, AND CHANGES IN SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BEIRUT DEMARCATION LINES.
- B. THE SAUDI AND KUWAITI REPRESENTATIVES, HOWEVER, HAD MET ALONE WITH KHADDAM IN AN EFFORT TO APPLY SOME PRESSURE BUT KHADDAM HAD STILL AVOIDED SPECIFICS.
- C. THE QUADRIPARTITE CONFERENCE HAD DISCUSSED ADDING TROOPS FROM OTHER ARAB COUNTRIES TO THE ADF, AND KHADDAM HAD FINALLY ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE.
- D. THERE HAD BEEN A LONG DISCUSSION IN THE QUADRIPARTITE CONFERENCE ON THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RECONSTITUTING THE LEBANESE ARMY AND FOR THE RELATED WITHDRAWAL OF SYRIAN ELEMENTS OF THE ADF WHEN THE LEBANESE ARMY WAS READY TO TAKE OVER ITS DUTIES. AGAIN, KHADDAM FINALLY ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE THE CONCEPT OF SETTING A TIME TABLE FOR SYRIAN WITHDRAWAL.
- E. SAUDI AMBASSADOR SHA'IR WILL BE GOING TO DAMASCUS ON JUNE 27, FOR FOLLOW-UP DISCUSSIONS OF THE ABOVE ITEMS.
- F. THE SAUDI AND KUWAITI REPRESENTATIVES WILL GO TO DAMASCUS ON JULY 3, IMMEDIATE PRIOR TO THE QUADRIPARTITE SESSION SCHEDULED FOR LEBANON ON JULY 4, TO DISCUSS INTER ALIA THE RECOMPOSITION OF THE ADF (SEE REQUEST BELOW).

4. HADDAD THEN PASSED ON TO ME THE FOLLOWING REQUESTS FROM SARKIS:

- IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT WE CONTINUE TO URGE THE SAUDIS TO APPLY MORE PRESSURE TO THE SYRIANS BEFORE THE JULY 4 QUADRIPARTITE MEETING.
- SPECIFICALLY, THE SAUDIS SHOULD URGE THE SYRIANS TO BE ACCOMMODATING WITH REGARD TO ZAHLE AND THE CHANGES ON THE DEMARCATION LINES IN BEIRUT.
- SAUDI ARABIA SHOULD BE URGED TO PUT SOME OF THEIR OWN TROOPS INTO THE ADF FOR THE TRANSITIONAL PERIOD. IF THE SAUDIS DO NOT GREE, THEN THERE WILL BE NO HOPE THAT OTHER ARAB STATES WILL CONTRIBUTE TROOPS.
- THE SAUDIS SHOULD DO ALL THEY CAN WITH THE SYRIANS IN SUPPORT OF A REVITALIZED LEBANESE ARMY AND FOR A TIME TABLE FOR WITHDRAWAL OF THE SYRIAN FORCES.

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MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

5. IN RESPONSE, I ASKED THAT SARKIS AND BOUTROS BE INFORMED THAT -- EARLIER THAT DAY -- I HAD SENT PRIVATE MESSAGES TO ASSAD AND TO FAHD (SEPTELS). I SAID THAT I MADE A STRONG PITCH TO ASSAD ABOUT THE NEED TO CALM THE ZAHLE SITUATION AND THAT I HAD ENCOURAGED FAHD TO CONTINUE HIS STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE BAYT AD-DIN PROCESS.

6. I ALSO EXPLAINED THAT I WAS EXPECTING A MESSAGE FROM FAHD ON THE RESULTS OF THE JIDDA QUADRIPARTITE MEETING. WHEN I RECEIVED IT, I WOULD USE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SEND A MESSAGE IN REPLY ALONG THE LINES WHICH SARKIS HAD URGED

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UPON ME (ABOVE).

7. COMMENT: THIS EXCHANGE TOOK PLACE AFTER A MORNING IN WHICH AMBASSADOR DILLON AND I HAD RECEIVED STRONG EXPRESSIONS OF CONCERN AND ALARM FROM VARIOUS PEOPLE -- INCLUDING THE BISHOP OF ZAHLE, INTELLIGENCE CHIEF JOHNNY ABDU, AND BASHIR GEMAYEL -- ABOUT THE HEAVY SYRIAN BOMBARDMENT OF ZAHLE ON THE NIGHT OF JUNE 24-25, WHICH CONTINUED THROUGH THE MORNING ON THE 25TH. WE WERE INFORMED THAT A CEASE-FIRE HAD BEEN AGREED -- AS A RESULT OF A TELEPHONE CALL FROM SARKIS TO ASSAD -- FOR 1215 P.M. ON JUNE 25.

8. JIDDA: FOR AMBASSADOR MEUMANN: I TRUST THAT FAHD (OR SAUD) WILL BE SENDING ME A MESSAGE THROUGH YOU FAIRLY SOON ABOUT THE JIDDA CONFERENCE. IN THE EVENT THAT NO SUCH MESSAGE IS FORTHCOMING, I SUGGEST YOU INQUIRE THROUGH MOHAMMAD SULEIMAN AS TO WHEN I MIGHT EXPECT TO HEAR FROM FAHD. HABIB

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9419

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E.O. 12065: RDS-1 8/8/11 (LOUIS, JOHN J. JR) OR-M

TAGS: MPOL, MNUC

SUBJ: ERW: MESSAGE TO PM THATCHER

REF: STATE 30407

1. SECRET/SENSITIVE - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. PRIME MINISTER THATCHER ON HOLIDAY IN CORNWALL. CONSEQUENTLY, I SENT TALKING POINTS IN REFTEL IN FORM OF A LETTER TO HER, DELIVERED TO THE DUTY OFFICER AT NUMBER 10 MORNING OF AUGUST 8. EMBASSY OFFICER ALSO BRIEFED FCO DRAWING FROM STATE 210411 SAME DAY. LOUIS

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