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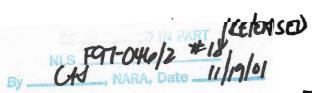
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REF: A) ATHENS 11071, B) CAIRO 15780, C) CAIRO 15485

- 1. REGRET DELAY IN PROVIDING PASSENGER MANIFEST LIST. FIRST LIST PROVIDED BY TWA WAS BASED ON PASSENGER RESERVATIONS. IT WAS ONLY IN RECONFIRMING THIS LIST WITH TWA PRIOR TO TRANSMITTING CABLE TO WASHINGTON THAT IT DID NOT REPRESENT ACTUAL BOARDING. THIS REQUIRED SENDING EMBASSY CAR TO AIRPORT AND RETYPING LIST FROM SCRATCH.
- 2. TWA INDICATES THAT OF THE 145 PASSENGERS ALL BUT TWO BOARDED AIRCRAFT IN ATHENS. THE TWO PASSENGERS CONTINUING ON THE FLIGHT FROM CAIRO WERE MCCARTY AND AMBURGY (REF B).
- 3. SO FAR WE BELIEVE WE MAY HAVE IDENTIFIED TWO USG PERSONNEL WHO ARE ON THE PLANE MANIFEST. ONE IS J. INGALLS

FOIA (b) (b)

WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN MORE
INFORMATION ON THIS INDIVIDUAL. WE ALSO UNDERSTAND
THAT KIRK CARLSON

(b)(b)

WE WILL REPORT

FURTHER INFORMATION WHEN AVAILABLE.

4. TWO U.S. EMBASSY CAIRO FAMILIES, KEMP AND ERVIN DEPARTED ATHENS ON TWA 885 AT 1515 LOCAL

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DIRECT FOR NEW YORK. WE ARE STILL CHECKING ON NELSON FAMILY AND AID GRANTEE SELAIT (REF C).

5. PASSENGER LIST

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SMITH/P. MS

BROWN/ROBE

MURRAY/T. M

SUMMERS/A.

LANHAM/K. M

HERZBERG/S

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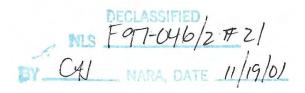
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- (CONFIDENTIAL-ENTIRE TEXT.)
- 2. AT 1330 GMT TUNIS AND BIZERTE AIRPORTS WERE CLOSED.
- 2. TUNIS AIRPORT CONTROL TOWER HAS INFORMED US THAT THE HIJACKED PLANE HAS BEEN DENIED PERMISSION TO LAND AT ALL ITALIAN AIRPORTS INCLUDING PALERMO.
- 3. BEIRUT MINIMIZE CONSIDERED. ANDERSON вт



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- (B) BEIRUT 3493,
- __ (C) BEIRUT 3494,
- (D) BEIRUT 3495
- (E) BEIRUT 3506
- 1. CONFIDENTIAL ENTIRE TEXT.
- 2. AMAL CONTACT GHASSAN SIBLANI CALLED AMBASSADOR 1535 HOURS LOCAL (1235Z), AFTER REVIEWING EVENTS TO THAT POINT, SIBLANI SAID THAT THOUGH AIRCRAFT HAD DEPARTED BEIRUT, "WE ARE EXPECTING IT BACK." HE SAID AMAL WAS STUDYING WHAT IT COULD DO IN THAT EVENT --- "WHAT FACILITIES AND TALK WE CAN USE TO PREVENT ANYTHING FROM HAPPENING."
- 3. SIBLANI SAID AMAL THOUGHT THAT THE HIJACKERS WERE CONNECTED TO THE DAVA PRISONERS IN KUWAIT BUT WERE NOT SURE AND WERE TRYING TO GET MORE INFORMATION.
- 4. IN RESPONSE TO AMBASSADOR'S QUERY, SIBLANI SAID AMAL HAD ONLY A FEW REPRESENTATIVES AT THE AIRPORT AND SOME UNITS OF THE LAF 6TH BRIGADE WERE THERE "WHICH ARE NOT VERY EFFECTIVE." BUT, SAID SIBLAN!, IF THE AIRPLANE RETURNS TO BEIRUT AIRPORT, "WE WILL BE THERE HEAVILY. "

5. AMBASSADOR STRESSED NEED IF PLANE RETURNED TO BEIRUT TO GET PASSENGERS AND CREW SAFELY OFF AIRCRAFT, ENSURE THEIR SECURITY AT AIRPORT, AND FACILITATE THEIR TRANSPORTATION OUT OF COUNTRY. SIBLARI UNDERTOOF TO REMAIN IN CLOSE CONTACT. BARTHOLOME'S



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- WE NOW UNDERSTAND THAT EMBASSY EMPLOYEE FRANK NELSON AND FAMILY DID NOT RPT NOT DEPART CAIRO THIS MORNING ON BOARD TWA 887 AS WE HAD EARLIER REPORTED TO EMBASSY ATHENS (REF B).
- 2. AS CONVEYED BY TELEPHONE, EMBASSY EMPLOYEE THOMAS QUINZIO AND FAMILY DID DEPART FROM CAIRO ON TWA 887 THIS MORNING AND WE PRESUME THAT THEY ARE NOW ON THEIR WAY TO NEW YORK. WE APPRECIATE ATHENS' EFFORTS TO ASSIST IN THIS MATTER. VEL TOTES ВŤ

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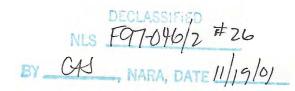
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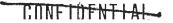
1. CONFIDENTIAL ENTIRE TEXT.

- 2. AMBASSADÓR SPOKE TO PRES GEMAYEL AND INTERIOR MINISTER SKAFF, AND EMBOFF SPOKE TO ASSISTANT AIRPORT MANAGER SA'AB, AT 1800 LOCAL CONCERNING THE POSSIBLE RETURN OF TWA AIRCRAFT TO BEIRUT.
- 3. THE FOLLGWING MESSAGE WAS PASSED: WHILE WE DO NOT WANT THE AIRCRAFT TO RETURN TO BEIRUT, AND WHILE WE HAVE NO INFORMATION THAT IT WILL DO SO, ITS RETURN REMAINS A POSSIBILITY. IF THE AIRCRAFT DOES ATTEMPT TO RETURN, WE ASK GOL, IN THE INTEREST OF THE SAFETY OF ITS PASSENGERS AND CREW, TO PERMIT IT . TO LAND . If IT LANDS, WE URGE ALL CONCERNED TO DO EVERYTHING PUSSIBLE TO SECURE THE SAFE AND PROMPT RELEASE OF PISSENGERS AND CREW, AND TO ENSURE THEIR SAFETY AT THE AIRPORT. WE FURTHER URGE ALL CONCERNED TO FACILITATE THEIR RAPID TRANSPORT OUT OF BEIRUT VIA MIDDLE EAST AIRLINES.
 - 4. PRES GEM/YEL SAID HE WOULD DO ALL POSSIBLE, BUT NOTED THAT HE HOPED THE AIRCRAFT WOULD NOT RETURN BECAUSE GOL (AN DO LITTLE TO PROTECT IT OR ITS

PAUSENGERS. CHAFF UNDERTOOK TO FOLLOW UP ON OUR CONCERNS. LOUISTANT AIRPORT MANAGER SHI AB RE TERATED THAT HIS ORDERS WERE TO PREVENT PLANE FROM LANDING. BUT, HE ADDED, "WHO KNOWS WHAT WILL HAPPEN BETWEEN THEN AND NOW."

5. PUBLIC WORKS MINISTER JUMBLATT IS UNREACHABLE IN MUMHTARA. JUMBLATT LIEUTENANT MARWAN HAMADAH IS RETURNING TO BEIRUT AND SHOULD BE REACHABLE WITHIN AN HOUR. IN THE FINAL ANALYSIS, JUMBLATT'S ORDERS WILL BE DECISIVE. BARTHOLOMEW ВΤ





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SUBJECT: TWA HIJACKING INTSUM NBR 1 (AS OF 1417882 JUN 85) 1. (C) CURRENT SITUATION: AT APPROXIMATELY Ø345L THIS MORNING, Ø845 ATHENS TIME, TWA FLIGHT 847, DEPARTING FROM ATHENS TO ROME, WAS HIJACKED 28 MINUTES AFTER TAKEOFF. THE HIJACKERS INITIALLY DEMANDED TO BE FLOWN TO ALGIERS, BUT INSTEAD, LANDED AT BEIRUT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. SEVENTEEN AMERICAN WOMEN AND TWO INFANTS WERE SUBSEQUENTLY RELEASED. APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED AND TYENTY-SIX PASSENGERS AND EIGHT CREWMEN REMAIN ON BOARD. IT IS BELIEVED THAT AT LEAST SIX US GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL MAY STILL BE ON THE PLANE. THE HIJACKERS ARE ARMED WITH AT LEAST ONE HAND GRENADE AND SOME SMALL ARMS. UMCONFIRMED REPORTS INDICATE THE HIJACKERS MAY ALSO BE ARMED WITH AUTOMATIC WEAPONS TO INCLUDE MACHINE GUNS. AT 1827Z, THE AIRCRAFT DEPARTED BEIRUT AND IS CURRENTLY ON THE GROUND AT BOUNEDIENE AIRPORT IN ALGIERS. ONE PASSENGER, PROBABLY AMERICAN, HAS BEEN SHOT AND AT LEAST TWO OTHER PASSENGERS (NFI) HAVE BEEN BEATEN.

- 2. (U) IDENTITY OF HIJACKERS: ACCORDING TO TWA IN LONDON, THE TWO HIJACKERS ARE SALOM SAMIR AND AL KOBB! HOSTLEB (SPELLING NOT VERIFIED). A THIRD INDIVIDUAL MAY BE INVOLVED. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE HIJACKERS CLAIM TO BELONG TO THE AL-HUSAYN SUICIDE BRIGADES - ABU ARAB GROUP. THE ISLAMIC JIHAD ORGANIZATION HAS ALSO CLAIMED RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE HIJACKING. THE HIJACKERS HAVE ISSUED A DEMAND FOR THE RELEASE OF ALL DETAINEES IN ISRAELI PRISONS. IN ADDITION. THE HIJACKERS ALSO MADE A STATEMENT CONTAINING THE
- FOLLOWING POINTS. "CONDEMNATION OF AMERICAN PRACTICES IN THE ARAB STATES AND GOVERNMENTS; CONDEMNATION OF AMÉRICAN ATTEMPTS TO URGE KINGS AND SHEIKHDOMS TO GIVE MILITARY SUPPORT AND ALSO CONDEMNS FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO ISRAEL; CONDEMNATION OF THE OPERATION TO BLOW UP BIR AL-ABD (8 MARCH BOMBING OF FADL ALLPH'S RESIDENCE) IN WEST BEIRUT; REQUESTED ARABS TO STOP PROVIDING US WITH OIL; AND ATTACKED THE ARAB LEAGUE AND THE PALESTINIANS." PRESS REPORTS FROM BEIRUT ALSO INDICATE THE HIJACKERS HAVE DEMANDED MUMAIT RELEASE THE 17 DAWA PRISONERS AND RETURN THEM TO BEIRUT BY 1804 HOURS BEIRUT TIME. IF THE DEMAND IS NOT HET, THE HIJACKERS THREATEN TO RETURN THE PLANE TO BEIRUT AND BLOW IT UP.
 - (S/NF/WN) ANALYSIS/COMMENT: BASED ON INFORMATION N

AVAILABLE, THE HIJACKERS ARE MOST LIKELY LEBANESE SHIA AFFILIATED WITH THE ISLAMIC JIHAD ORGANIZATION. GIVEN THAT ORGANIZATION'S LINKAGE WITH NUMEROUS PREVIOUS TERRORIST ACTS, IT IS HIGHLY LIKELY THE HIJACKERS WILL CARRY OUT THEIR THREATS IF THEIR DEMANDS ARE NOT MET.

(C) MATIONALITY OF PASSENGERS ON FLIGHT 847 AT TIME OF DEPARTURE FROM ATHENS:

114 US NATIONALS

8 GREEK

1 MEXICAN

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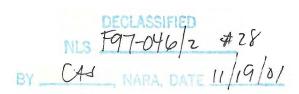
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- IN ADDITION TO USG PERSONNEL IDENTIFIED PARA 3 REF B, EMBASSY HAS BEEN NOTIFIED BY THE NAVAL COMMUNICATIONS STATION IN NEA MAKRI (NEAR ATHENS) THAT IN ADDITION TO JEFFREY J. INGALLS, FIVE OTHER NAVY NCO'S WERE ON TWA 847. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THIS GROUP HAD COMPLETED TWO WEEKS TOY IN NEA MAKRI AND THAT THE PARENT NAVAL COMMAND FOR THESE PERSONNEL IS UST-1 IN NORFOLK, VIRGINIA. THE NAMES OF THE FIVE ADDITIONAL INDIVIDUALS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

L. J. DAHL, E A - 1 TONY D. WATSON, CE-2 CLINTON D. SUGGS, CE-2 KENNETH M. BOWEN, SW-2 ROBERT D. STETHAM, SW-2 STEARNS вт



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- 1. (S) REQUEST MOVE USS NIMITZ FROM PRESENT LOCATION, THRU STRAITS OF MESSINA, TO MODLOC VICINITY SIGONELLA, IT.
- 2. (S) BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS ASSOCIATED

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1. (C - ENTIRE TEXT)

2. AS REPORTED REF TELCON, WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DETERMINE THROUGH GOG IMMIGRATION PERSONNEL THAT THE VAST MAJORITY OF PASSENGERS ON TWA 847 ARE AMCITS. GOG IMMIGRATION IS UNABLE TO FIND DEPARTURE CARDS OF 12 INDIVIDUALS:

BERHANU, H. BARZAK, J. BAMEORD, P. ATALDO, J. (CATALDO ON PASSENGER MANIFEST) MCDONALD, M. NOVACK, J. (2 PASSENGERS) PALMER, J. AND S. (2 PASSENGERS) PORTER, D. SUMMERS, A. SŁOWOSKY, A.

AND 12 OTHER INDIVIDUALS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS NOW AMERICAN:

GARIA, RMA, MEXICO HENDERSON (3 PASSENGERS), AUSTRALIA MOHAMEDABD, SUDAN THANOU. M.M. AND I.M., GREECE LAGOU. E., GREECE MINGOS, D. M., GREECE TARTAS, E., GREECE SALWAN, S., LEBANON ELKOBBI, S., LEBANCN

THIS WOULD LEAVE A TOTAL OF 121 PASSENGERS IDENTIFIED STEARNS вТ

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SUBJ: TWA FLT 847 HIJACKING

- 1. (S) AS OF 1945 HRS LOCAL, TWA FLT 847 STILL AT HOUARI BOUMEDIENNE INT'L AIRPORT. THE ONLY DIRECT CONTACT WITH HIJACKERS WAS AT 1715 HOURS, BY THE ALGERIAN NATIONAL POLICE DIRECTOR GENERAL AND THE DIRECTOR OF MILITARY SECURITY. AT THAT TIME IT WAS DETERMINED THERE WERE AT LEAST TWO HIJACKERS, BOTH YOUNG MALES, IN THEIR EARLY 20'S, SPEAKING ARABIC WITH A DISTICNT LEBANESE ACCENT. EACH HIJACKER WAS ARMED WITH A GRANADE, AND ONE WITH A SILVER PLATED HANDGUN. THEY APPEARED NEVOUR. IT IS NOT KNOWN EXACTLY TO WHICH GROUP, IF ANY, THE HIJACKERS BELONG.
- 2. (S) THE HIJACKETS DEMANDED, VIA THE GOA REPS, THE RELEASE OF LEBANESE PRISONERS HELD IN AN ISRAELI CAMP (THE CAMP'S IDENTITY IS NOT YET KNOWN), AND US\$15 MILLION.
- 3. (S) THE AIRCRAFT IS AT THE EXTREME WESTERN AND ISOLATED END OF THE AIRPORT. THERE ARE NO STEPS NEAR THE AIRCRAFT. NOR OTHER SUPPORT SERVICE EQUIPMENT. THE GOA HAS STATIONED A POLICE INTEVENTION UNIT WEST OF THE AIRCRAFT. OFF OF THE RUNWAY. THERE ARE ADDITIONAL POLICE AND AIRPORT SECURITY PERSONNEL SEVERAL HUNDRED METERS FROM THE AIRCRAFT.
- 4. (S) THE INITIAL REACTION BY THE GOA REPS TO THE COM'S OFFER OF A US RESCUE TEAM, IF NECESSARY. WAS NEGATIVE. AS OF 1945 HOURS, THE GOA OFFICIALS WERE STILL IN CONFERENCE DECIDING WHETHER TO DENY DEPARTURE OF THE AIRCRAFT.

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