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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4449

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NPDI
E.O. 12065: RDS-1 9/3/81 (BOVIS, H. EUGENE)
TAGS: PPDC
SUBJECT: LETTER FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. (A - ENTIRE TEXT.)

2. ON SEPTEMBER 2, THE EMBASSY RECEIVED A LETTER FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN. FOLLOWING IS AN UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF THE MESSAGE:

BEGIN TEXT.

THE HONORABLE RONALD WILSON REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF AUGUST 19 WHICH AMBASSADOR RICHARD MURPHY DELIVERED TO ME, AND FOR YOUR CARE AND ESTEEM FOR MAINTAINING THE STRONG BONDS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES.
YOUR EXCELLENCY:

THE FRIENDLY AND CONSTRUCTIVE EFFORTS WHICH MY COUNTRY IS PURSUING FOR THE SAKE OF THE PEACE AND WELL-BEING OF THE WORLD IS RATHER A DUTY IMPOSED UPON US AS A MEMBER OF THE WORLD COMMUNITY. THESE EFFORTS STEM FROM A CONSTANT DESIRE TO SEARCH FOR WAYS TOWARDS PEACE AND PROSPERITY. THE SINCERE EFFORTS WHICH WE HAVE MADE TOWARDS FINDING A PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO THE LEBANESE CRISIS IS BASED ON OUR PERCEPTION OF THE AGONY AND TRAGEDY WHICH OUR BROTHERS IN LEBANON ARE SUFFERING. HOPEFULLY, ALL OF US WILL BE ABLE TO CONTINUE THE SOLIDIFICATION OF FRIENDLY EFFORTS AIMED AT A SOLUTION WHICH WILL RETURN SECURITY AND TRANQUILLITY NOT ONLY TO LEBANON BUT TO PALESTINE AND ITS PEOPLE. THE LATTER HAVE CONTINUED TO SUFFER FOR A LONG TIME FROM THE AGONY OF EXPULSION AND PERSECUTION. AND WE ALSO HOPE THAT WE WILL BE SUCCESSFUL IN GRANTING A JUST PEACE, WITH STABILITY AND SECURITY, TO ALL CORNERS OF THE REGION.

SIT: RVA NAN JP COL VP
FOB: KEMP
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I HOLD IN HIGH ESTEEM YOUR EFFORTS TO SUPPLY MY COUNTRY WITH AIR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT. FOR YOU, MORE THAN ANYONE ELSE, REALIZE THE EXTENT OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS EQUIPMENT FOR STRENGTHENING MY COUNTRY'S SECURITY AND PROTECTING IT, A MATTER WHICH I MUST EMPHASIZE. ALSO, I WISH THAT YOU WOULD INCREASE YOUR EFFORTS TO CONVINCE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS OF THE GREAT IMPORTANCE OF THE KINGDOM'S OBTAINING THIS EQUIPMENT. THIS SHOULD BE SOMETHING WHICH IS OBVIOUS TO THEM.

I HOPE THIS LETTER FINDS YOU IN GOOD HEALTH AND HAPPINESS, AND I WISH FOR THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN PEOPLE ALL THE BEST OF PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY.

KHALID BIN ABD AL'AZIZ

TAIF, 3 DHU AL-QIDA 1401 A.H.

(SEPTEMBER 1, 1981) END TEXT.

3. ORIGINAL AND TRANSLATION ARE BEING POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT. MURPHY

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~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~ STATE 267654
E.O. 12065: GDS 10/7/87 (STERNER, M.)

TAGS: PPDC, PEPR, PINS, SA, US

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO KING KHALID ON DEATH OF SADAT

1. PLEASE CONVEY THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE
PRESIDENT TO KING KHALID AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

2. BEGIN TEXT: AMBASSADOR MURPHY WILL HAVE TRANSMITTED
TO YOUR GOVERNMENT MY STATEMENT AND THAT OF SECRETARY HAIG
ON THE TRAGIC DEATH OF PRESIDENT SADAT. I HAVE COMMITTED
THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE THE
CONSTITUTIONAL SUCCESSION IN EGYPT AND THE NEW EGYPTIAN
GOVERNMENT. I WOULD HOPE THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF SAUDI
ARABIA WOULD ALSO LEND ITS GENEROUS SUPPORT TO THE PEOPLE
OF EGYPT AND ITS GOVERNMENT DURING THIS CRITICAL PERIOD.
THIS IS A TIME TO MARK NEW
BEGINNINGS IN RELATIONS AMONG THOSE IN THE MIDDLE EAST
WHO ARE DEDICATED TO PEACE AND STABILITY EVEN THOUGH WE
MAY HAVE DIFFERENCES IN OUR APPROACH TO THE PROBLEMS OF
THE AREA. END TEXT. HAIG

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END OF MESSAGE FOOTER

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY JIDDA NIACT IMMEDIATE 3190
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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ STATE 267654
E.O. 12065: GDS 10/7/87 (STERNER, M.)

TAGS: PPDC, PEPR, PINS, SA, US

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO KING KHALID ON DEATH OF SADAT

1. PLEASE CONVEY THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO KING KHALID AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.
2. BEGIN TEXT: AMBASSADOR MURPHY WILL HAVE TRANSMITTED TO YOUR GOVERNMENT MY STATEMENT AND THAT OF SECRETARY HAIG ON THE TRAGIC DEATH OF PRESIDENT SADAT. I HAVE COMMITTED THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE THE CONSTITUTIONAL SUCCESSION IN EGYPT AND THE NEW EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT. I WOULD HOPE THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF SAUDI ARABIA WOULD ALSO LEND ITS GENEROUS SUPPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF EGYPT AND ITS GOVERNMENT DURING THIS CRITICAL PERIOD. THIS IS A TIME TO MARK NEW BEGINNINGS IN RELATIONS AMONG THOSE IN THE MIDDLE EAST WHO ARE DEDICATED TO PEACE AND STABILITY EVEN THOUGH WE MAY HAVE DIFFERENCES IN OUR APPROACH TO THE PROBLEMS OF THE AREA. END TEXT. HAIG
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MESSAGE:

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DE RUEHC #9561 2811609
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O 081600Z OCT 81 ZFF4
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY JIDDA NIACT IMMEDIATE 3214
BT
~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ STATE 269561
E.O. 12065: GDS 10/7/87 (STERNER, MICHAEL)

TAGS: PPDC, PEPR, PINS, SA, US

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO KING KHALID ON DEATH OF SADAT

REF: (A) STATE 267654; (B) JIDDA 7085

1. ~~(X)~~ ENTIRE TEXT.

2. FOLLOWING IS REVISED TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT WHICH YOU SHOULD DELIVER TO KING KHALID AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

3. BEGIN TEXT:

AMBASSADOR MURPHY WILL HAVE TRANSMITTED TO YOUR GOVERNMENT MY STATEMENT AND THAT OF SECRETARY HAIG ON THE TRAGIC DEATH OF PRESIDENT SADAT. I HAVE COMMITTED THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE THE CONSTITUTIONAL SUCCESSION IN EGYPT AND THE NEW EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT. I WOULD HOPE THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF SAUDI ARABIA WOULD ALSO LEND ITS GENEROUS SUPPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF EGYPT AND ITS GOVERNMENT DURING THIS CRITICAL PERIOD. AS MY GOVERNMENT PROCEEDS TO MOVE FORWARD IN THE PEACE PROCESS, I FEEL THIS IS A TIME TO MARK NEW BEGINNINGS IN RELATIONS AMONG THOSE IN THE MIDDLE EAST WHO ARE DEDICATED TO PEACE AND STABILITY EVEN THOUGH

WE MAY HAVE DIFFERENCES IN SOME ASPECTS OF OUR APPROACH TO THE PROBLEMS OF THE AREA. I BELIEVE IT IS CRUCIAL THAT OUR GOVERNMENTS STAY IN CLOSE TOUCH IN THE DAYS AHEAD AS WE CONTINUE TO WORK TOWARD OUR MUTUAL OBJECTIVE OF STRENGTHENING STABILITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST. END TEXT. HAIG
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DE RUEHC #8857 2810417
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O 080347Z OCT 81 ZFF4
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY JIDDA NIACT IMMEDIATE 3204
BT
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LIMITED OFFICIAL USE STATE 268857
E.O. 12065: N/A

TAGS: PPDC, SA

SUBJECT: ID AL ADHA MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN
TO KING KHALID AT APPROPRIATE TIME. -

2. QUOTE: HIS MAJESTY, KHALID IBN ABD AL-AZIZ AL-SAUD,
KING OF SAUDI ARABIA, JIDDA. YOUR MAJESTY, ON THIS HOLY
CELEBRATION OF ID AL-ADHA, I SEND TO YOU MY WARMEST PERSONAL
GREETINGS AND THOSE OF MY FAMILY AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. -
MAY YOU, THE ROYAL FAMILY AND ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE-KINGDOM
BE BLESSED WITH PROSPERITY, HAPPINESS AND HEALTH IN THE
COMING YEAR. MAY OUR TWO PEOPLES CONTINUE TO-STRENGTHEN
THEIR TRADITIONS OF FRIENDSHIP, APPRECIATION AND UNDERSTAN-
DING FOR EACH OTHER. WITH BEST WISHES, RONALD REAGAN.
UNQUOTE. - -

3. WHITE HOUSE AND DEPT. DO NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT BUT
HAVE NO OBJECTION IF SAG WISHES TO DO SO. HAIG

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By CH NARA, Date 5/7/02

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DE RUEHC #7672 2902026
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INFO RUQMYA/USLO RIYADH IMMEDIATE 6392
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E.O. 12065: N/A

TAGS: PSDC, SA, US

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO KING KHALID FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT
WHICH YOU SHOULD DELIVER TO ROYAL PROTOCOL FOR TRANSMITTAL
TO KING KHALID AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY

2. BEGIN TEXT:

YOUR MAJESTY: I HAVE ONLY RECENTLY LEARNED THAT YOU HAVE
ENTERED THE HOSPITAL. MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU FOR A FULL
AND COMPLETE RECOVERY AND I SINCERELY HOPE THAT YOU WILL
SOON RETURN HOME. PLEASE BE ASSURED THAT IF THERE IS
ANYTHING I CAN DO FOR YOU, I AM AT YOUR DISPOSAL. WITH
DEEPEST PERSONAL REGARDS. SINCERELY, RONALD REAGAN. END
TEXT.

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By C43 NARA Date 5/7/12

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RUQMYA/USLO RIYADH NIACT IMMEDIATE 6478
INFO RUEADWW/ WHITE HOUSE IMMEDIATE 6945
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E.O. 12065: RDS-3 10/28/01 (BREMER, L. P.)

TAGS: MASS, PEPR, SA, US

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO KING KHALID FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. ~~SECRET~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.
2. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING LETTER FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN TO KING KHALID AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
3. BEGIN TEXT:
 - YOUR MAJESTY:
 - I WANT YOU TO KNOW HOW GRATIFIED I AM THAT THE U.S. CONGRESS, IN EXERCISING ITS RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER OUR LAWS, HAS SUPPORTED MY PROPOSAL TO PROVIDE THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA WITH AIR DEFENSE ENHANCEMENT EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING AERIAL RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT.
 - I HAVE MADE QUITE CLEAR, ON THE PUBLIC RECORD, THE IMPORTANCE THE UNITED STATES ATTACHES TO THE SECURITY AND STRENGTH OF THE KINGDOM AND MY PERSONAL DESIRE TO CONTINUE WORKING WITH YOU AND YOUR GOVERNMENT TO STRENGTHEN THE KINGDOM'S DEFENSES, MODERNIZE ITS ARMED FORCES, AND BEGIN TO BUILD GREATER SECURITY COOPERATION BETWEEN US. THIS IS IMPORTANT NOT ONLY FOR SAUDI ARABIA BUT FOR THE SECURITY AND STABILITY OF THE ENTIRE MIDDLE EAST REGION.
 - OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS FACE ENORMOUS CHALLENGES--POLITICAL, SECURITY, AND ECONOMIC--IN WHICH OUR CONTINUED CLOSE

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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

COOPERATION IS ESSENTIAL IF WE ARE TO MEET OUR RESPONSIBILITIES TOWARD THE PURSUIT OF PEACE, SECURITY AND PROSPERITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND IN THE WIDER INTERNATIONAL ARENA. BE ASSURED OF THE VALUABLE PLACE ON THE STRONG AND SOLID COOPERATIVE RELATIONSHIP WHICH HAS DEVELOPED OVER THE YEARS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND OF MY DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE WORKING WITH YOU TO BUILD ON THAT CLOSE RELATIONSHIP. IN THIS RESPECT, WE APPRECIATE THE KINGDOM'S RECENT DECISIONS TO EXTEND ADDITIONAL SUPPORT TO PAKISTAN AND THE SUDAN. GIVEN THE INCREASED THREAT IN THE REGION MUCH MORE WILL BE REQUIRED OF US BOTH. SIMILARLY, WE WILL NEED, AS I DISCUSSED WITH CROWN PRINCE FAHD AT CANCUN, TO CONTINUE THE CLOSE COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS IN WORKING FOR PEACE AND NATIONAL INTEGRATION IN LEBANON.

-- WHILE THERE ARE MANY IMPORTANT PROBLEMS WHICH WE MUST FACE TOGETHER, ONE OF THE MORE CRITICAL ONES INVOLVES ACHIEVING STEADY AND SOUND PROGRESS TOWARD A COMPREHENSIVE, JUST, AND LASTING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE TO WORK DILIGENTLY AND EFFECTIVELY TOWARD ACHIEVING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. I REMAIN CONFIDENT THAT OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS CAN WORK TOGETHER IN HARMONY AND CLOSE COOPERATION IN THIS ENDEAVOR. SINCERELY, RONALD REAGAN. END TEXT. HAIG

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TO RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5074
INFO RUOMYA/USLO RIYADH 9020
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E.O. 12065: N/A

TAGS: PPDC, PEPR, SA, US, MASS

SUBJECT: CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FROM
- KING KHALID AND CROWN PRINCE FAHD ON AWACS
1. THE FOLLOWING LETTERS FROM KING KHALID AND CROWN
PRINCE FAHD TO THE PRESIDENT HAVE BEEN DELIVERED TO THE
EMBASSY. KING'S MESSAGE WAS QUOTED ON SAUDI RADIO
OCTOBER 29. WE UNDERSTAND MESSAGES MAY ALSO HAVE BEEN
SENT DIRECTLY TO WASHINGTON. ORIGINALS WILL BE POUCHED.
QUOTE, THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
WASHINGTON

IT IS WITH THE GREATEST OF PLEASURE THAT I EXTEND TO YOU
MY SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS OVER THE FAVORABLE OUTCOME OF
THE SENATE DEBATES ON THE SALE OF THE AWACS AND THE
ENHANCEMENT PACKAGE TO THE KINGDOM. THANK YOU FOR YOUR
LONG AND TIRELESS EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THIS (TRANSACTION)
AND YOUR CLARIFICATION OF THE PEACEFUL INTENT OF THIS
SALE OF DEFENSIVE EQUIPMENT. I WISH TO AFFIRM TO YOU THAT
THE KINGDOM HAS AND DOES NOW AFFIRM THAT THEMUM OF THIS
(TRANSACTION) IS TO PRESERVE ITS INTEGRITY, ITS SECURITY,
AND ITS SELF-DEFENSE. WISHING YOU THE BEST OF HEALTH
AND HAPPINESS AND FOR THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN PEOPLE
CONSTANT PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY.

KHALID BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD

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QUOTE, THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
WASHINGTON

I AM HAPPY TO CONVEY TO YOU MY SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS ON
THE OCCASION OF THE FAVORABLE OUTCOME OF THE SENATE
DEBATES AND THEIR CONSENT TO SELL AWACS AND KTHIR

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DEFENSIVE EQUIPMENT TO THE KINGDOM. I WISH TO THANK YOU
FOR YOUR EXCELLENT EFFORTS AND WHAT YOU HAVE DONE TO
EXPLAIN AND CLARIFY THE PEACEFUL PURPOSES OF THIS
EQUIPMENT. I WANT TO REAFFIRM THAT THE KINGDOM HAS
MAINTAINED, AS IT STILL DOES, THAT THE AIM OF THIS
(TRANSACTION) IS TO PROTECT ITS SECURITY AND AID IN ITS
SELF-DEFENSE. MY REGARDS TO YOU FOR HEALTH AND HAPPINESS
AND FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE INCREASED PROSPERITY.
FAHD BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD
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DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS AMEMBASSY JIDDA
E.O. 12065: RDS-3, 11/2/01 (GERLACH, FREDERICK H.) OR-M
TAGS: MASS, PEPR, SA, USO
SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM KING KHALID
REFERENCE: STATE 288579

1. (SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.)

2. FOLLOWING LETTER FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN
RECEIVED NOVEMBER 2. THE ORIGINAL LETTER IN ARABIC
WILL BE POUCHED.

QUOTE:
IN THE NAME OF GOD, THE MERCIFUL, THE COMPASSIONATE HIS
EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA,
GREETINGS. I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR EXCELLENCY'S LETTER OF
OCTOBER 29, 1981, IN WHICH YOU EXPRESSED YOUR GRACIOUS SENTI-
MENTS ABOUT THE CONSENT OF THE U.S. CONGRESS TO SUPPLY THE
KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA WITH AIR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING AIR
RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT. I THANK YOUR EXCELLENCY FOR YOUR
PERSONAL EFFORTS IN EXPLAINING AND MAKING CLEAR THE PEACEFUL
PURPOSE OF THOSE DEFENSE MATERIALS.
WE IN THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA HAVE FOLLOWED YOUR EXCELLENCY'S
EFFORTS ON ALL LEVELS, AND REALIZED THAT YOUR PERSONAL CON-
VICTION WAS WHAT PERSUADED THE OPPONENTS OF THE IMPORTANCE OF
THIS ISSUE TO BOTH OUR COUNTRIES, IN FURTHERANCE OF THE LONG-
STANDING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THEM -- A FRIENDSHIP WHICH HAS BEEN
AND CONTINUES TO BE A MODEL OF UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION.
I WISH TO REAFFIRM YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT THE KINGDOM HAS
ALWAYS BELIEVED AND CONTINUES TO BELIEVE THAT THE AIR DEFENSE
EQUIPMENT PACKAGE WILL REMAIN A SOURCE OF STRENGTH IN DEFENSE
OF THE KINGDOM'S SECURITY AND A MEANS OF DEVELOPING ITS ARMED
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TAGS: PPDC, PEPR, SA, US, MASS

SUBJECT: CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FROM
KING KHALID AND CROWN PRINCE FAHD ON AWACS

THE FOLLOWING LETTERS FROM KING KHALID AND CROWN
PRINCE FAHD TO THE PRESIDENT HAVE BEEN DELIVERED TO THE
EMBASSY. KING'S MESSAGE WAS QUOTED ON SAUDI RADIO
OCTOBER 29. WE UNDERSTAND MESSAGES MAY ALSO HAVE BEEN
SENT DIRECTLY TO WASHINGTON. ORIGINALS WILL BE POUCHED.

QUOTE. THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON

IT IS WITH THE GREATEST OF PLEASURE THAT I EXTEND TO YOU
MY SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS OVER THE FAVORABLE OUTCOME OF
THE SENATE DEBATES ON THE SALE OF THE AWACS AND THE
ENHANCEMENT PACKAGE TO THE KINGDOM. THANK YOU FOR YOUR
LONG AND TIRELESS EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THIS (TRANSACTION)
AND YOUR CLARIFICATION OF THE PEACEFUL INTENT OF THIS
SALE OF DEFENSIVE EQUIPMENT. I WISH TO AFFIRM TO YOU THAT
THE KINGDOM HAS AND DOES NOW AFFIRM THAT THEMUM OF THIS
(TRANSACTION) IS TO PRESERVE ITS INTEGRITY, ITS SECURITY,
AND ITS SELF-DEFENSE. WISHING YOU THE BEST OF HEALTH
AND HAPPINESS AND FOR THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN PEOPLE
CONSTANT PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY.

KHALID BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD

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QUOTE. THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON

I AM HAPPY TO CONVEY TO YOU MY SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS ON

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THE OCCASION OF THE FAVORABLE OUTCOME OF THE SENATE
DEBATES AND THEIR CONSENT TO SELL AWACS AND OTHER
DEFENSIVE EQUIPMENT TO THE KINGDOM. I WISH TO THANK YOU
FOR YOUR EXCELLENT EFFORTS AND WHAT YOU HAVE DONE TO
EXPLAIN AND CLARIFY THE PEACEFUL PURPOSES OF THIS
EQUIPMENT. I WANT TO REAFFIRM THAT THE KINGDOM HAS
MAINTAINED, AS IT STILL DOES, THAT THE AIM OF THIS
(TRANSACTION) IS TO PROTECT ITS SECURITY AND AID IN ITS
SELF-DEFENSE. MY REGARDS TO YOU FOR HEALTH AND HAPPINESS
AND FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE INCREASED PROSPERITY.
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E.O. 12065: RDS-3 11/2/01 (GERLACH, FREDERICK H.) OR-M
TAGS: MASS, PEPR, SA, USU
SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT REAGAN FROM KING KHALID
REFERENCE: STATE 288579
1. ~~(SECRET)~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.)
2. FOLLOWING LETTER FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN
RECEIVED NOVEMBER 2. THE ORIGINAL LETTER IN ARABIC
WILL BE POUCHED.

QUOTE:

IN THE NAME OF GOD, THE MERCIFUL, THE COMPASSIONATE HIS
EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA.
GREETINGS, I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR EXCELLENCY'S LETTER OF
OCTOBER 29, 1981, IN WHICH YOU EXPRESSED YOUR GRACIOUS SENTI-
MENTS ABOUT THE CONSENT OF THE U.S. CONGRESS TO SUPPLY THE
KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA WITH AIR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING AIR
RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT. I THANK YOUR EXCELLENCY FOR YOUR
PERSONAL EFFORTS IN EXPLAINING AND MAKING CLEAR THE PEACEFUL
PURPOSE OF THOSE DEFENSE MATERIALS.
WE IN THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA HAVE FOLLOWED YOUR EXCELLENCY'S
EFFORTS ON ALL LEVELS, AND REALIZED THAT YOUR PERSONAL CON-
VICTION WAS WHAT PERSUADED THE OPPONENTS OF THE IMPORTANCE OF
THIS ISSUE TO BOTH OUR COUNTRIES, IN FURTHERANCE OF THE LONG-
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YOUR EXCELLENCY, THE GOOD RELATIONS THAT EXIST BETWEEN US REAFFIRM OUR GROWING CONFIDENCE THAT SINCERE EFFORTS WILL BE PURSUED, FOR THE SAKE OF RE-ESTABLISHING PEACE AND NATIONAL INTEGRITY IN LEBANON. YOU WILL ALWAYS FIND THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA WILLING TO ASSIST AND TAKE THE INITIATIVE TOWARD ACCOMPLISHING THAT NURLE, PEACEFUL GOAL, BECAUSE OUR BELIEF IN LEGITIMATE RIGHTS ALWAYS MAKES US HAPPY TO DO GOOD TO OTHERS. I WISH YOUR EXCELLENCY CONTINUED GOOD HEALTH AND HAPPINESS AND I WISH THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN PEOPLE CONTINUED PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY.

PLEASE ACCEPT, YOUR EXCELLENCY, MY SINCERE GREETINGS AND APPRECIATION. SIGNED KHALID IBN ABDUL AZIZ, RIYADH, 1 NOVEMBER 1981 AD.

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TAGS: PPDC, SA
SUBJECT: LETTERS FROM KING KHALID AND CROWN PRINCE
FAHD TO PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. ~~10~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.)
2. ON FEBRUARY 13, WE RECEIVED LETTERS FROM KING KHALID AND CROWN PRINCE FAHD TO PRESIDENT REAGAN. FOLLOWING ARE UNOFFICIAL EMBASSY TRANSLATIONS OF THE TWO LETTERS (ORIGINALS ARE BEING POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT).
3. LETTER FROM KING KHALID:
BEGIN TEXT
THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEAR SIR:
I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR MESSAGE OF FEBRUARY 4 WHICH WAS DELIVERED BY MR. WEINBERGER, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE. THANK YOU FOR THE KIND AND THOUGHTFUL WORDS IN IT. THE VISIT OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WAS AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP AND STRENGTHEN THE GOOD RELATIONS WHICH CURRENTLY BIND OUR TWO COUNTRIES, BASED ON MUTUAL RESPECT. IT ALSO EVINced THE DESIRE TO EXAMINE AND EXCHANGE POINTS OF VIEW ON MATTERS OF COMMON CONCERN TO OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES, AND TO GUARANTEE SECURITY.

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

AND STABILITY TO THE REST OF THE PEOPLES AND STATES OF THE MIDDLE EAST.
I WISH YOU AN ABUNDANCE OF HEALTH AND HAPPINESS AND TO THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN PEOPLE CONTINUING PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY. PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCEREST REGARDS AND HIGHEST ESTEEM.
KHALID BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD
RIYADH, 16 RABI' AL-THANI 1402
10 FEBRUARY 1982
END TEXT

4. LETTER FROM CROWN PRINCE FAHD:
BEGIN TEXT
THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEAR SIR:

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I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR MESSAGE OF FEBRUARY 4 WHICH MR. WEINBERGER, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE DELIVERED. I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR THE KIND EXPRESSIONS AND SINCERE THOUGHTS CONTAINED IN IT.

THE VISIT OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE TO THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA PROVIDED THE OPPORTUNITY FOR HIGH-LEVEL EXCHANGE OF POINTS OF VIEW CONCERNING MATTERS OF COMMON INTEREST. IT WAS ALSO AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO AFFIRM THE EXISTING RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES, RELATIONS WHICH THE KINGDOM IS ENDEAVORING TO PROMOTE AND DEVELOP FOR THE GOOD OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES. SUCH VISITS ARE OCCASIONS TO STRENGTHEN EFFORTS EXERTED TO CREATE OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE EXCHANGE OF VIEWS AND FOR PARTICIPATION IN SEEKING SOLUTIONS BENEFICIAL TO SECURITY AND STABILITY IN THE REGION.

I WISH YOU THE BEST OF HEALTH AND HAPPINESS. PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCEREST REGARDS AND HIGHEST ESTEEM.

FAHD BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD
CROWN PRINCE AND DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER
RIYADH 16 RABI' AL-THANI 1402

10 FEBRUARY 1962

END TEXT.

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E.O. 12065: RDS-1 5/18/82 (MURPHY, RICHARD W.) OR-M

TAGS: PPDC

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN
ON IRAN-IRAQ WAR

REF: STATE 120325

1. ~~1~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.)

2. ON MAY 17, WE RECEIVED A MESSAGE FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN ON THE IRAN-IRAQ WAR. THE MESSAGE WAS IN RESPONSE TO PRESIDENT REAGAN'S RECENT MESSAGE TO THE KING (REFTEL). FOLLOWING IS AN UNOFFICIAL EMEASSY TRANSLATION OF THE MESSAGE:

BEGIN TEXT:

THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR MESSAGE OF MAY 5 CONTAINING YOUR THOUGHTS ON THE WAR BETWEEN IRAQ AND IRAN.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU FOR THE MESSAGE'S KIND THOUGHTS AND SINCERE REGARDS. ALSO, I WISH TO AFFIRM TO YOU THAT THE GREAT DESIRE TO END THIS WAR IS A GOAL FOR ALL OF

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

THOSE WHO LOVE PEACE AND PROGRESS. ISLAMIC MEDIATORS HAVE EXERTED AND CONTINUE TO EXERT THEIR FULL ENERGY TO ACHIEVE THE AIMS ESPOUSED BY THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE AND ENTRUSTED TO THE ISLAMIC GOOD OFFICES COMMITTEE.

I APPRECIATE THE POSITION OF YOURSELF AND YOUR COUNTRY IN REGARD TO THE WAR, AS WELL AS YOUR DESIRE TO SUPPORT EVERY BENEFICIAL EFFORT WHICH COULD LEAD TO AN END OF THE WAR.

NEVERTHELESS, ALL OF OUR HOPES WILL REMAIN POINTED TOWARDS EXHAUSTING EVERY POSSIBILITY TO RECONCILE THE DIFFERENT POINTS OF VIEW, REDUCE CONFLICT, AND PUT CONTROLLING FACTORS IN PLACE DESIGNED TO ASSIST THE IMPLANTING OF PEACE.

THE CONTINUING COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO FRIENDLY COUNTRIES IS BASED ON MUTUAL RESPECT AND JOINT ENDEAVORS IN ALL FIELDS OF INTEREST IMPORTANT TO BOTH OUR COUNTRIES. THIS COOPERATION AFFIRMS THE STRONG RELATIONS BETWEEN US

AND STRENGTHENS THEM, AND IT WILL MAKE FOR THE CONTINUATION OF PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY. IN WISHING FOR YOUR CONTINUED GOOD HEALTH, I SEND MY BEST REGARDS.

KHALID BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD

RIYADH

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(MAY 13, 1982)

END TEXT.

3. ORIGINAL WILL BE POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT.
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E.O. 12065: RDS-1 5/19/82 (MURPHY, RICHARD W.) OR-M

TAGS: PPDC

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN
ON PALESTINIAN ISSUE

REF: STATE 113315

1. ~~1~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.)

2. ON MAY 17, WE RECEIVED A MESSAGE FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN IN ANSWER TO THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO THE KING (REFTEL). FOLLOWING IS AN UNOFFICIAL EMBASSY TRANSLATION OF THE MESSAGE. (ORIGINAL IS BEING POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT):

BEGIN TEXT

THE HONORABLE RONALD REAGAN

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

I RECEIVED WITH THANKS YOUR MESSAGE DATED APRIL 28, 1982 WHICH CONTAINED YOUR PLANS FOR MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO PUSH TOWARDS PEACE AFTER THE SINAI WAS RETURNED TO EGYPT. THE MESSAGE ALSO SPOKE OF YOUR REALIZATION OF THE SPECIAL CONCERN WHICH WE ATTACH TO THE QUESTION OF JERUSALEM

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

AND YOUR DESIRE TO HAVE SOME CONSULTATIONS WITH US IN THE MONTHS AHEAD ALONG THE DIFFICULT PATH WHICH WILL LEAD TO A PERMANENT PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

I WISH TO EXPRESS TO YOU MY ESTEEM AND APPRECIATION OVER YOUR DESIRE TO CONSULT WITH US DURING THIS CRITICAL TIME IN THE MIDDLE EAST SO AS TO PRECLUDE THE CHANCE OF ANY MISUNDERSTANDING. LIKE YOU, I ALSO VIEW AS IMPORTANT THE ROLE YOUR GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE REGARDING THE CONCLUSION OF A JUST AND COMPREHENSIVE PEACE IN THE REGION. THIS IS ESPECIALLY TRUE SINCE, IN OUR ESTIMATION, THE UNITED STATES HAS GREATER CAPABILITY OF MAKING PROGRESS TOWARDS THIS PEACE NOW THAT THE WITHDRAWAL FROM EGYPTIAN SINAI IS FINISHED.

IN OUR ESTIMATION -- AND THE YEARS THROUGH WHICH OUR REGION HAS PASSED CONFIRM THIS -- THE CORE OF STRIFE IN THE REGION LIES IN THE PALESTINIAN PROBLEM. A JUST,

COMPREHENSIVE PEACE CANNOT POSSIBLY BE ACHIEVED UNLESS THERE IS A RECOGNITION OF THE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE IN THE WEST BANK, INCLUDING ARAB JERUSALEM, AND THE GAZA STRIP, AN EXERCISING OF THEIR RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION, AND A WITHDRAWAL BY ISRAEL FROM ARAB AND PALESTINIAN LANDS OCCUPIED SINCE JUNE 5, 1967. AND, BY THE VERY NATURE OF THE CASE, NOTHING AT ALL CAN OCCUR IF THE MAIN PARTICIPANTS IN THE ISSUE AND THEIR LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVES, THE PALESTINIAN LIBERATION ORGANIZATION, ARE KEPT FROM THE SCENE.

AS REGARDS ARAB JERUSALEM, IN WHICH WE AND THE ENTIRE ISLAMIC WORLD PLACE SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE, IT, AS IS WELL KNOWN TO YOU, IS AN UNDIVIDED PART OF THE WEST BANK AND INEVITABLY MUST HAVE THE SAME STATUS AS IS TO BE GIVEN TO THE WEST BANK, EACH PART INSEPARABLE FROM THE OTHER.

FINALLY, I WILL FOLLOW WITH GREAT INTEREST THE SITUATION, AS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BEGINS TAKING STEPS WHICH WILL MOVE IN THE PROPER DIRECTION TOWARDS A JUST AND COMPREHENSIVE RESOLUTION OF THE ISSUE, A RESOLUTION BASED UPON INTERNATIONAL LAW AND ONE WHICH WILL FIND VISIBLE EXPRESSION IN CONTACTS WITH THE PALESTINIAN LIBERATION ORGANIZATION, RECOGNITION OF IT, AND ITS PARTICIPATION IN THE PROCESS OF A DESIRED PEACE.

PLEASE ACCEPT MY HIGHEST REGARDS.

KHALID BIN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD

RIYADH

19 RAJAB 1402

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

(MAY 12, 1982)

END TEXT

2. COMMENT: SENIOR SAUDI OFFICIALS, IN ACCEPTING OUR REPEATED REPRESENTATIONS EARLIER THIS YEAR THAT NO ACTIONS SHOULD BE TAKEN ON ARAB-ISRAELI MATTERS THAT WOULD COMPLICATE THE APRIL 25 SINAI WITHDRAWAL, NOTED THAT, WHILE AGREEING WITH OUR POSITION, THEY WOULD BE LOOKING CAREFULLY AT THE U.S. POSITION AFTER APRIL 25, WHEN THE

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U.S., IN SAUDI EYES, WOULD NO LONGER HAVE ANY EXCUSE
FOR NOT "RESTRAINING" ISRAEL. THE KING'S LETTER, WHILE
A REPLY TO THE PRESIDENT'S EARLIER MESSAGE, IS UNUSUALLY
POINTED FOR ROYAL CORRESPONDENCE AND, IN OUR VIEW,
REFLECTS SAUDI CONCERN THAT THE USG MAKE A RENEWED EFFORT
TO SOLVE THE MIDDLE EAST PROBLEM IN THE WAKE OF OUR
DISAGREEMENTS OVER VARIOUS UNITED NATIONS DRAFT
RESOLUTIONS. MURPHY

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SUBJECT: LETTER FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. FOLLOWING LETTER DELIVERED TO EMBASSY DURING EARLY
MORNING HOURS JUNE 7.

2. HIS EXCELLENCY RONALD REAGAN, PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

EXCELLENCY:

WE ARE GREATLY CONCERNED OVER THE INTENSIFIED WAR
OPERATIONS LAUNCHED BY ISRAEL AGAINST LEBANON WHICH HAS
KILLED MANY INNOCENT WOMEN, OLD PEOPLE, AND CHILDREN.
THIS WILL OBSTRUCT EFFORTS TO MAINTAIN CALM AND FIND A
PEACEFUL SOLUTION FOR THE REGION. UNDOUBTEDLY, YOUR
EXCELLENCY CONDEMNS ISRAEL'S VAST AGGRESSION LAUNCHED
AGAINST LEBANON ON GROUND, AIR, AND SEA HAVING PREPARED
FOR IT THE TWO PREVIOUS DAYS BY CONCENTRATED AIR BOMBING

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

OF THE TOWNS, VILLAGES AND CAMPS. ISRAEL IS CHALLENGING
THE WORLD'S CONSCIENCE, THE PRINCIPLES AND CHARTER OF
THE UNITED NATIONS AND IS DISREGARDING THE RESOLUTION OF
THE SECURITY COUNCIL WHICH WAS ISSUED LAST NIGHT AND WAS
ACCEPTED AND OBSERVED BY THE PLO.

EXCELLENCY:

WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT YOUR EXCELLENCY REALIZES THAT SUCH
A MILITARY ACTION IS NOT THE WAY TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM,
RATHER IT IS A FACTOR MAKING IT MORE COMPLEX. THE ONLY
MEANS TO ABDLISH TENSION IS TO REMOVE ITS CAUSES AND TO
WORK FOR ESTABLISHING A COMPREHENSIVE PEACE BASED ON RIGHT
AND JUSTICE WHICH RETURNS THE RIGHTS TO THEIR PEOPLE.
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SUBJECT: LETTER FROM KING KHALID TO PRESIDENT REAGAN

1. FOLLOWING LETTER DELIVERED TO EMBASSY DURING EARLY
MORNING HOURS JUNE 7.

2. HIS EXCELLENCY RONALD REAGAN, PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

EXCELLENCY:

WE ARE GREATLY CONCERNED OVER THE INTENSIFIED WAR
OPERATIONS LAUNCHED BY ISRAEL AGAINST LEBANON WHICH HAS
KILLED MANY INNOCENT WOMEN, OLD PEOPLE, AND CHILDREN.
THIS WILL OBSTRUCT EFFORTS TO MAINTAIN CALM AND FIND A
PEACEFUL SOLUTION FOR THE REGION. UNDOUBTEDLY, YOUR
EXCELLENCY CONDEMNS ISRAEL'S VAST AGGRESSION LAUNCHED
AGAINST LEBANON ON GROUND, AIR, AND SEA HAVING PREPARED
FOR IT THE TWO PREVIOUS DAYS BY CONCENTRATED AIR BOMBING

MESSAGE (CONTINUED):

OF THE TOWNS, VILLAGES AND CAMPS. ISRAEL IS CHALLENGING
THE WORLD'S CONSCIENCE, THE PRINCIPLES AND CHARTER OF
THE UNITED NATIONS AND IS DISREGARDING THE RESOLUTION OF
THE SECURITY COUNCIL WHICH WAS ISSUED LAST NIGHT AND WAS
ACCEPTED AND OBSERVED BY THE PLO.

EXCELLENCY:

WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT YOUR EXCELLENCY REALIZES THAT SUCH
A MILITARY ACTION IS NOT THE WAY TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM,
RATHER IT IS A FACTOR MAKING IT MORE COMPLEX. THE ONLY
MEANS TO ABOLISH TENSION IS TO REMOVE ITS CAUSES AND TO
WORK FOR ESTABLISHING A COMPREHENSIVE PEACE BASED ON RIGHT
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--- SINCERELY, RONALD REAGAN. STOESSEL

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THE FOLLOWING DRAFT REPLY TO KING KHALID'S LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT (REFTEL) HAS BEEN CLEARED BY THE VICE PRESIDENT AND THE NSC, AND IS FORWARDED WITH OUR RECOMMENDATION THAT IT BE TRANSMITTED TO THE PRESIDENT'S PARTY TO BE APPROVED AND SENT TO KING KHALID:

YOUR MAJESTY:

--- AMBASSADOR MURPHY HAS CONVEYED TO ME YOUR LETTER CONCERNING THE CURRENT HOSTILITIES IN LEBANON. I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL COMMENTS AND FOR THE DEEP SPIRIT OF FRIENDSHIP THAT UNDERLIES THEM.

--- I SHARE YOUR ANGUISH AT THE DEATH AND SUFFERING BEING INFLICTED ON INNOCENT PERSONS IN LEBANON AND BELIEVE, WITH YOU, THAT MILITARY ACTION IS NOT THE WAY TO SOLVE THE REGION'S PROBLEMS. I HAVE INSTRUCTED SECRETARY HAIG

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--- TO THIS END, MY GOVERNMENT HAS SUPPORTED UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 508 CALLING FOR AN IMMEDIATE CEASEFIRE, AND SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 509 DEMANDING IMMEDIATE AND UNCONDITIONAL ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL FROM LEBANON. WE HAVE BEEN IN TOUCH NOT ONLY WITH THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT BUT ALL GOVERNMENTS AND QUARTERS WHICH HAVE INFLUENCE ON THE SITUATION, AND ARE CONSTANTLY AND INTENSELY URGING RESTRAINT AND CAUTION.

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