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SUBJ: CONTROVERSY OVER U.S. USE OF LARNACA AIRPORT

CONTINUES.

REF: NICOSIA 3264

1. SUMMARY: ALTHOUGH MOST JUNE 20 GREEK CYPRIOT NEWSPAPERS GAVE MAJOR COVERAGE TO THE GREEK GOVERNMENT'S RESPONSE TO THE U.S. TRAVEL ADVISORY ON

TRAVEL VIA ATHENS AIRPORT, THE AKEL-GOC CONTROVERSY OVER THE USE OF LARNACA AIRPORT BY AMERICAN FORCES

CONTINUED TO RECEIVE ATTENTION. END SUMMARY.

2. THE GOC SPOKESMAN REITERATED JUNE 19 THAT THE U.S. IS NOT ALLOWED TO USE LARNACA AIRPORT FOR MILITARY

PURPOSES, BUT FOR HUMANITARIAN REASONS AND TRANSPORT OF MAIL. HE ALSO SAID THAT THE HOUSE OF

REPRESENTATIVES HAD BEEN NOTIFIED ABOUT THE U.S. USE

OF LARNACA AIRPORT IN THE PAST AND WILL BE CONSULTED AGAIN ON THE CURRENT SITUATION.

3. ON JUNE 20, COMMUNIST "HARAVGHI" STATED "THAT THE CYPRUS GOVERNMENT STILL REMAINS SILENT ON WHETHER THE

SENSITIVE

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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

AMERICANS ARE USING THE FACILITIES AT LARNACA AIRPORT." ACCORDING TO AKEL'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE. CYPRUS, A NONALIGNED COUNTRY, IS NOW BEING USED BY THE U.S. ARMED FORCES AS A BASE AND TRANSIT STATION FOR NEW INTERVENTIONS IN NEIGHBORING LEBANON. AKEL DEMANDED THAT ALL "FACILITIES" GIVEN TO NATO COUNTRIES TWO YEARS AGO (DURING THE MULTINATIONAL FORCE OPERATIONS IN LEBANON) SHOULD BE ABOLISHED, ALL FOREIGN TROOPS SHOULD LEAVE AND THEIR BASES BE EXPROPRIATED. ACCORDING TO MOSCOW-LINE COMMUNIST AKEL, "CYPRUS IS FOR THE CYPRIOTS!" 4. ON JUNE 20 CENTRIST "AGON" EXPRESSED ITS FEAR THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN, AFTER VERBALLY ATTACKING AND THREATENING GREECE, MIGHT RESORT TO VIOLENCE IF CYPRUS DID NOT LET THE USS USE THE AIRPORT FACILITIES IN LARNACA. THEREFORE, "AGON" SAID, "THE ATTITUDE OF THE CYPRUS GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN WISE IN ITS DECISION TO PROVIDE THE U.S. WITH FACILITIES AT LARNACA AIRPORT." 5. LOCAL REACTION TO PRESIDENT REAGAN'S STATEMENT ON ATHENS AIRPORT: CENTRIST "AGON" CALLED PRESIDENT REAGAN'S COMMENTS "UNACCEPTABLE, INCONCEIVABLE, AND PROVOCATIVE. . . THE UNITED STATES IS SEEKING TO PUT RESPONSIBILITIES WHERE THEY DO NOT EXIST. IT SEARCHES FOR EXCUSES TO HARM GREECE. BECAUSE IT WANTS TO PUNISH PAPANDREOU." RIGHTIST "SIMERINI" AGREED THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN'S STATEMENTS ABOUT GREECE WERE "WRONG, UNFAIR, AND VINDICTIVE." BOEHM BT

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SUBJECT: DANISH STATEMENT ON BEIRUT HIJACKING

REFS: (A) COPENHAGEN 4322 (NOTAL);

- (B) STATE 187103

T. THERE FOLLOWS AN INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS THE AFTERNOON OF JUNE 20. WE ARE INFORMED THAT THE EC-10 ARE ALSO CONSIDERING A STATEMENT ON THE HOSTAGE SITUATION.

2. BEGIN TEXT.

IT FILLS US WITH THE DEEPEST CONCERN THAT THE HOSTAGETAKING IN BEIRUT HAS STILL NOT BEEN RESOLVED. THE
GOVERNMENT SHARES THE VIEW, EXPRESSED BY THE U.S.
GOVERNMENT, THAT ONE SHOULD NOT GIVE IN TO INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM. IT IS TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE THAT
THIS TYPE OF INHUMAN METHOD OF EXTORTION IS USED TO
PROMOTE POLITICAL GOALS.

THE AIRPLANE HIJACKERS' TERRORIST ACTIONS ARE DIRECTED AGAINST INNOCENT CIVILIANS WITHOUT ANY TIE TO THE MATTER OF WHICH THEY HAVE BECOME THE VICTIM. THE DANISH GOVERNMENT WISHES TO EXPRESS ITS UNEQUIVOCAL

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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:
CONDEMNATION OF THIS TERROR.

EVERY COMMUNITY FOUNDED ON THE RULE OF THE LAW IS DIRECTLY AFFECTED BY THE WAY THAT THIS HOSTAGE-TAKING HAS DEVELOPED. LEBANON'S JUSTICE MINISTER HAS DECLARED THAT FOR THE TIME BEING HE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE HOSTAGES' SECURITY. WE HAVE UNDERSTANDING FOR THE FACT THAT THE GOVERNMENT IN THIS BELEAGUERED COUNTRY IS OPERATING UNDER DIFFICULT CONDITIONS. BUT AFTER THE STATEMENT BY JUSTICE MINISTER BERRI, WE MUST INSIST ON THE IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF THE HOSTAGES. AS THE UN'S SECRETARY GENERAL HAS STATED, THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS MATTER MUST UNDERSTAND THAT THEIR CONDUCT IS CRIMINAL. THIS MATTER MUST BE BROUGHT TO AN END WITHOUT FAIL IN SUCH A WAY THAT FURTHER LOSS OF HUMAN LIFE IS AVOIDED. END TEXT. TODMAN BT #4360 NNNN

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