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(COMPLETE WRITETHRU AMAL OFFICER SAYS WAITE HELD HOSTAGE)@  
BEIRUT, LEBANON (UPI) A TOP SHIITE MOSLEM AMAL MILITIA OFFICIAL  
SAID TODAY HOSTAGE NEGOTIATOR TERRY WAITE HAS BEEN KIDNAPPED AND EFFORTS  
ARE UNDER WAY TO FREE HIM.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND ENVOY DISAPPEARED IN MOSLEM WEST BEIRUT 12  
DAYS AGO ON A SECRET MISSION TO NEGOTIATE THE RELEASE OF WESTERN  
HOSTAGES.

'WE AS (THE) AMAL MOVEMENT CONDEMN THE KIDNAPPING OF FOREIGNERS  
AND ESPECIALLY (THE) ABDUCTING (OF) TERRY WAITE BECAUSE THE MAN HAS  
PLAYED A GOOD ROLE. ... HE HAS PLAYED A MEDIATION ROLE,' SAID THE  
RANKING AMAL MILITIA OFFICIAL, WHO DEMANDED HIS NAME BE WITHHELD.

'OUR SECURITY NETWORKS HAVE FOLLOWED UP THE TERRY WAITE MATTER. WE  
ARE SEEKING TO FREE ALL THE HOSTAGES AND PARTICULARLY TERRY WAITE. BUT  
THIS MATTER WILL TAKE SOME TIME,' HE SAID.

HE SAID AMAL MILITIA LEADER NABIH BERRI 'HAS GIVEN US INSTRUCTIONS  
TO PLAY A HUMANITARIAN ROLE CONCERNING THE HOSTAGE AFFAIR, AND WE WILL  
USE DIPLOMATIC AND OTHER MEANS AND TRY AND PRESSURE THE ABDUCTORS.'

HE DID NOT ELABORATE ON WHAT 'OTHER MEANS' MIGHT BE EMPLOYED.  
ASKED IF AMAL WOULD CONSIDER USING FORCE, THE MILITIA OFFICIAL REPLIED,  
'THIS DEPENDS ON THE CIRCUMSTANCES AND CONDITIONS.'

IN LONDON, THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SAID SUNDAY IT HAD NO CONFIRMATION  
WAITE HAD BEEN SEIZED DESPITE WIDEPREAD FEARS FOR HIS SAFETY.

ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY ROBERT RUNCIE SAID WAITE, IN A LETTER LEFT  
WITH A JOURNALIST IN BEIRUT JUST BEFORE HE DISAPPEARED, SAID THAT IF HE  
WAS KIDNAPPED, HE WANTED NO EXCHANGES OR RANSOM TO BE PAID FOR HIS  
RELEASE,

KUWAITI REPORTS LAST MONDAY SAID WAITE HAD BEEN PLACED UNDER HOUSE  
ARREST BY KIDNAPPERS WITH WHOM HE WAS NEGOTIATING. REPORTS FROM LEBANON  
LATER IN THE WEEK SAID HE WAS SEEN BLINDFOLDED IN EASTERN LEBANON'S  
BEKAA VALLEY, A HOTBED OF MOSLEM EXTREMISM.

CONFUSION GREW SUNDAY OVER WAITE'S FATE WITH AN UNCONFIRMED REPORT  
IN AL ITTIHAD, A SEMI-OFFICIAL UNITED ARAB EMIRATES NEWSPAPER, THAT  
WAITE HAD NOT BEEN KIDNAPPED AND WAS CONTINUING NEGOTIATIONS IN WEST  
BEIRUT.

OF 28 FOREIGNERS MISSING IN LEBANON, 13 HAVE BEEN ABDUCTED SINCE  
WAITE CAME TO BEIRUT FOR HIS FIRST MISSION SINCE THE SECRET U.S.  
ARMS-FOR-HOSTAGES DEAL WITH IRAN SURFACED IN NOVEMBER.

MOST OF THE KIDNAPPINGS APPARENTLY WERE TRIGGERED BY WEST GERMANY'S  
ARREST OF MOHAMMED ALI HAMADEI, A LEBANESE WANTED BY THE UNITED STATES  
FOR THE JUNE 1985 HIJACKING OF A TWA JETLINER IN THE MIDDLE EAST. A U.S.  
NAVY DIVER WAS KILLED IN THE HIJACKING AND 39 AMERICAN PASSENGERS OF THE  
PLANE WERE HELD CAPTIVE FOR AS LONG AS 17 DAYS.

AMONG THE RECENT KIDNAP VICTIMS ARE FOUR BEIRUT UNIVERSITY COLLEGE  
PROFESSORS THREE AMERICANS AND AN INDIAN U.S. RESIDENT ABDUCTED JAN.  
24 BY GUNMEN DISGUISED AS POLICE.

THE ISLAMIC JIHAD FOR THE LIBERATION OF PALESTINE, A PREVIOUSLY  
UNKNOWN ORGANIZATION, SATURDAY THREATENED TO KILL THE FOUR UNLESS ISRAEL  
FREES 400 PALESTINIAN PRISONERS. IT SET A ONE-WEEK DEADLINE.

BUT ISRAELI DEFENSE MINISTER YITZHAK RABIN SUNDAY DISMISSED THE  
TERRORIST THREAT.

'AT FIRST GLANCE IT IS DIFFICULT FOR ME TO SEE ISRAEL TURNING INTO  
AN 'INTERNATIONAL BANK' FOR PRISONERS,' RABIN SAID.

HE SAID ISRAEL HAS NOT RECEIVED 'ANY REQUESTS FROM ANYONE CLAIMING  
RESPONSIBILITY FOR THESE KIDNAP VICTIMS' EXCEPT FOR NEWS REPORTS FROM  
THE BEIRUT.

THE FOUR HOSTAGES ISLAMIC JIHAD FOR THE LIBERATION OF PALESTINE  
CLAIMS TO BE HOLDING ARE ALANN STEEN, 47, OF NEW YORK; JESSE JONATHAN  
TURNER, 39, AN IOWA NATIVE; ROBERT POLHILL, 52, A UTAH NATIVE, AND  
MITHILESHWAR SINGH, AN INDIAN-BORN PROFESSOR WITH U.S. RESIDENT STATUS.

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