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C O N F I D E N T I A L DAMASCUS SY 06002

SUBJ: [Redacted] 25x1 / SYRIA/LEBANON/ISRAEL/BRIEF RECON

INTO THE BIQA' ON 820819/(U)

WHITE HOUSE FOR SITUATION ROOM.

THIS IS AN INFO REPORT, NOT FINALLY EVALUATED INTEL.

- 1. (U) CTRY: SYRIA (SY); LEBANON (LE); ISRAEL (IS)
- 2. (U) [Redacted] 25x1
- 3. (U) TITLE: BRIEF RECON INTO THE BIQA' ON 820819 (U)
- 4. (U) DATE OF INFO: 820819
- 5. (U) [Redacted] 25x1
- 6. (U) REQ REFS: K-3CX-00043; T-3C1-42517; U-UED-49218

[Redacted] 25x1

8. [Redacted] 25x1  
AS CHTAURA AND RETURNED EARLY AFTERNOON OF 19 AUG 82, HE MADE SOME MINDR TROOP AND EQUIPMENT OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTED ON THE CONTINUING DEPRESSION FELT BY SOME OF THE MERCHANTS OF CHTAURA.

9A. ~~(C)~~ DETAILS: SOURCE'S OBSERVATIONS FOLLOW:

(1) ~~(C)~~ FORMER ARTILLERY AND MRL POSITION TO NORTHWEST OF THE SYRIAN IMMIGRATION STATION HAS BEEN VACATED. ALL THAT REMAINED WERE ONE BM-21 AND TWO EMPTY TANK TRANSPORTERS. SITE FORMERLY CONTAINED AN APPROXIMATE BATTERY EACH OF

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BM-21 AND M-46.

(2) (C) SEVERAL 1ST AND 3D DIVISION TROOP BUSES WERE OBSERVED ENTERING SYRIA FROM NO MAN'S LAND AND POINTS BEYOND. BUSES CARRIED LOADS OF TROOPS PRESUMABLY BOUND FOR THEIR WEEKEND FURLOUGH.

(3) (C) JUST WEST OF MASNA, SOURCE OBSERVED AN EMPTY PALESTINIAN WATER TRUCK ENTER HIGHWAY ONE FROM THE SOUTH VIA HIGHWAY SIX. SOURCE SUGGESTED THAT THIS COULD INDICATE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF PALESTINIAN POSITIONS SOUTH OF HIGHWAY ONE AT LEAST IN THE EASTERN BIQA'. FURTHER ALONG HIGHWAY ONE, SOURCE NOTED PRESENCE OF TWO 68TH BDE SUPPLY/ TRANSPORT TRUCKS.

(4) (C) HAVING TALKED TO A COUPLE OF GROCERS AND MERCHANTS IN CHTAURA, SOURCE NOTED AN OVERALL SENSE OF PESSIMISM AND DEPRESSION ON THEIR PART OVER ELECTION PROSPECTS AND PARTICULARLY OVER THE PROSPECT OF RENEWED ISRAELI ACTION IN THE BIQA'. IN THEIR ESTIMATE, THE ULTIMATE RESOLUTION OF THE BEIRUT CRISIS WOULD ONLY SET THE STAGE FOR AN ISRAELI PUSH FURTHER UP THE BIQA' IN PURSUIT OF ADDITIONAL PALESTINIAN FIGHTERS AS WELL AS TO EASE THE SYRIANS OUT. ADDITIONALLY, SOURCE'S ACQUAINTANCES IN CHTAURA RECOUNTED THE BIQA' CEASE-FIRE VIOLATIONS OF THE SEVERAL PREVIOUS NIGHTS AS "HEAVY ARTILLERY DUELS".

9B. (C) ORIG CMTS: SOURCE'S OBSERVATIONS ARE TRUE. AS FOR THE MERCHANTS OF CHTAURA, SOME OF THEM SUFFERED PHYSICAL LOSSES AS WELL AS CONTINUING FINANCIAL LOSSES DUE TO THE CURRENT CONFLICT. THEIR FRUSTRATION AND PESSIMISM IS PROBABLY WIDELY FELT. SOURCE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THE MERCHANTS' SENTIMENTS OVER ELECTION PROSPECTS.

- 10. (U) PROJ NO: N/A
- 11. (U) COLL MGMT CODES: NONE
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- 15. (U) REQ EVAL: NO; REL TO: NONE
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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

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INFO RUEADWW/WHITEHOUSE WASHDC IMMEDIATE  
RUSNDDA/USEUCOM AIDES VAHINGEN IMMEDIATE  
RUEAHOA/CSAF WASHDC PRIORITY  
RUENAAA/CNO WASHDC PRIORITY  
RHFPAAB/USAFE COIC RAMSTEIN AB PRIORITY  
RHFRAAB/HQUSAFE RAMSTEIN AB PRIORITY  
RUCIPBA/HO TAC LANGLEY AFB PRIORITY  
AIG NINE ONE ONE PRIORITY  
RUFMDA/CTF SIX ZERO PRIORITY  
RUFMDA/CTG SIX ZERO PT TWO PRIORITY  
RUFGLU/CTG SIX ZERO PT THREE PRIORITY  
RUFRLSQ/CTG SIX EIGHT PT THREE PRIORITY  
RUFRAHM/CTG SIX EIGHT PT FOUR PRIORITY

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FOR DIA/INFO AT-6, CNO/DP-009, USAF/INRM, HQUSAFE/INOCR,  
TAC/INYC, NAVFUR/N-2, 6THFLT/N-2  
SUBJ: [REDACTED] 25x1 ISRAEL/LEBANON/SYRIA/CEASEFIRE  
X VIOLATION IN LEBANON AND GOLAN HEIGHTS (U)  
THIS IS AN INFO REPORT NOT FINALLY EVALUATED INTEL  
1. (U) CTRY: ISRAEL (IS), LEBANON (LE) SYRIA (SY)  
2. (U) REPORT NUMBER: [REDACTED] 25x1  
3. (U) TITLE: CEASEFIRE VIOLATIONS IN LEBANON AND  
X GOLAN HEIGHTS  
4. (U) DATE OF INFO: 820820  
5. (U) ORIG: [REDACTED] 25x1  
6. (U) REQ REFS: U-UEO-49218, U-UEO-42150, T-3C1-42517,  
X Z-DI3-IS001, Z-DI3-IS015, Z-DI3-IS050

[REDACTED] 25x1

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8A. (S/NP) SUMMARY: [REDACTED] 25x1 A SECOND ATTACK IN  
TWO DAYS ON SETTLEMENTS IN THE GOLAN, BUT THE IDF WILL  
NOT, FOR THE PRESENT, BE PUBLICIZING EITHER EVENT. MOST  
OF THE OTHER VIOLATIONS [REDACTED] 25x1

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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

AREA [REDACTED] SEEM CONCERNED ABOUT THEM.

9A. (U) DETAILS: 1. (S/NF) [REDACTED] AUG TWO (2) SHELLS WERE FIRED BY PLO AT AN AREA WEST OF RAMAT MAGSHIMIM (3251N3548E). [REDACTED] IT WAS FIRED BY PLO AND NOT SYRIAN FORCES. HE HAD NO ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE OR TYPE OF SHELL. [REDACTED] WAS THE SECOND TIME IN TWO DAYS THAT THERE WAS FIRING AGAINST ISRAELI SETTLEMENTS ON THE GOLAN [REDACTED] FOR 1ST TIME). HE STATED THAT THERE WAS TO BE NO ISRAELI PUBLICITY OF THIS ATTACK, JUST AS THEY WERE NOT PUBLICIZING -- AT THIS TIME -- THE ATTACK ON EL AL SETTLEMENT MENTIONED IN CITED IR.

X 2. (U) [REDACTED]  
 CEASE-FIRE VIOLATIONS 19-20 AUG:  
 X A. (C/NF) 191948Z AUG - SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM BURJ ALBARAJENFH ON IDF FORCES IN HAI ASSALAAM AREA OF BEIRUT.  
 X B. (C/NF) THERE WERE A NUMBER OF BURST IN THE AMMIQ AREA (3343N3535E) AT 191030Z AUG.  
 X C. (C/NF) 191605Z AUG - SMALL ARMS FIRE AT IDF POSITIONS FROM THE KATIL GROVE AREA, ABOUT ONE MILE NNE OF BEIRUT AIRPORT.  
 X D. (C/NF) 192055Z AUG - SMALL ARMS FIRE ON IDF FORCES IN THE BEIRUT AIRPORT AREA.  
 X E. (C/NF) 192230Z AUG - SIX (6) SHELLS FIRED AT IDF FORCES AT EL ASHRAFIAH (3353N3531E).  
 X F. (C/NF) 192100Z AUG - TERRORISTS IDENTIFIED AT A LOCATION 2 KM SE FROM KAMID AL LAWJ (3337N3549E).  
 X G. (C/NF) 191710Z AUG - UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS FIRED ON IDF FORCES FROM A WHITE VEHICLE 2KM E. OF DIR AL KAMAR (UNKNOWN L.,T.,)(UNKNOWN COORDINATES)  
 X H. (U) 200715Z IN THE EASTERN SECTOR, UNIDENTIFIED LOCATION, RPG FIRED ON A TRACTOR AND THE CIVILIAN LEBANESE DRIVER WAS KILLED. AT 201336Z AUG IDF SPOKESMAN CONFIRMED

[REDACTED] AS THE LOCATION (3340N3549E) AND ADDED IDF FORCES RETURNED FIRE.  
 X 3. (C/NF) THE AGI "KORS" IS LOCATED 30NM WEST OF TYRE ON 19 AUG 82.

X 4. [REDACTED] NEWSPAPER, "EL RIYAD", THAT THERE IS SOME KIND OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PLO AND THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT THAT A SIGNIFICANT REPRESENTATION OF THE PLO WILL REMAIN IN BEIRUT WHICH WILL INCLUDE VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS SUCH AS HOSPITALS, SCHOOLS AND A PALESTINIAN CENTER OF RESEARCH. [REDACTED] THAT THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT HAS AGREED TO A "DIPLOMATIC NATURE" GIVEN TO THESE ORGANIZATIONS.

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SUBJECT CATAGORY: SIT XVI

MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

98. (S/NF) ORIG CMTS: SOURXMW  
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GOVERNMENT AND ASKED THAT PREP OFF PUT A HIGHER LEVEL OF  
CLASSIFICATION ON THIS INFORMATION. OF ALL THE INFORMATION  
GIVEN ABOVE, IT WAS OBVIOUSLY THE ONLY ITEM THAT CONCERNED  
SOURCE.

10. (U) PROJ NO: N/A  
11. (U) COLL MGMT CODES: NONE  
12. (U) SPEC INST: DIRC NU  
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13. (U) [REDACTED]

14. (U)

15. (U) REQ EVAL: NO

16. (U) ENCL: N/A

17. (U) DIST BY GRIG: N/A

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BY CDP NARA DATE 1/10/19

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SUBJ: 25x1 / ISRAEL/LEBANON/MINING OF BEIRUT  
X BEACHES AND WATERS (U)

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  2. (U) 25x1
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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

[REDACTED]

RECENTLY SAID THAT THE IDF HAD MINED THE WATERS ADJACENT TO WEST BEIRUT. SOURCE STATED IT WAS NOT HIS POLICY TO COMMENT ON IDF OPERATIONS.

9A. (U) DETAILS: NONE  
 9B. ~~IC/NFT~~ ORIG CMTS: MUD SHARON STATES THE WATERS ARE MINED WHILE THE INF WHO WOULD HAVE CONDUCTED SUCH OPERATIONS DENY THE PRESENCE OF MINES. RO BELIEVES THE MINES IN THE WATER STATEMENT WAS MADE TO: (A) DISCOURAGE PLU ATTEMPTS TO RESUPPLY OR ESCAPE THROUGH ACROSS THE BEACH OPERATIONS (B) ENSURE THE WITHDRAWAL THROUGH THE HARBUR AT BEIRUT (3353N-3530E).  
 10. (U) PROJ NO: N/A  
 11. (U) COLL MGMT CODES: NONE  
 12. (U) SPEC INST: DIRC NO  
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TAGS: PEPR, MOPS, LE, US, IT, FR

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL LETTER ON DEPLOYMENT OF U.S. TROOPS  
TO BEIRUT

REF: STATE 233870

1. ~~SECRET~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. PLEASE DELIVER LETTER FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN TO  
SECRETARY GENERAL PEREZ DE CUELLAR, TEXT OF WHICH WAS  
TRANSMITTED TO YOU BY REFTEL. SHULTZ

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TAGS: LE, SOPN  
SUBJECT: LEBANON CRISIS--PRESIDENTIAL STATEMENT

1. THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT WAS MADE FINAL BY THE PRESIDENT IN THE WHITE HOUSE ROSE GARDEN AT 0930 EDT, 20 AUGUST 1982.

2. BEGIN STATEMENT: AMBASSADOR HABIB HAS INFORMED ME THAT A PLAN TO RESOLVE THE WEST BEIRUT CRISIS HAS BEEN AGREED UPON BY ALL THE PARTIES INVOLVED. AS PART OF THIS PLAN, THE GOVERNMENT OF LEBANON HAS REQUESTED, AND I HAVE APPROVED, THE DEPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES FORCES TO BEIRUT AS PART OF A MULTINATIONAL FORCE.

THE NEGOTIATIONS TO DEVELOP THIS PLAN HAVE BEEN EXTREMELY COMPLEX AND HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED IN THE MOST ARDUOUS CIRCUMSTANCES. AT TIMES, IT WAS DIFFICULT TO IMAGINE HOW AGREEMENT COULD BE REACHED, AND YET IT HAS BEEN REACHED.

THE STATESMANSHIP AND COURAGE OF PRESIDENT SARKIS AND HIS COLLEAGUES IN THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT DESERVE SPECIAL RECOGNITION, AS DOES THE MAGNIFICENT WORK OF AMBASSADOR HABIB. PHIL NEVER LOST HOPE, AND IN THE END HIS SPIRIT

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AND DETERMINATION CARRIED THE DAY. WE ALL OWE HIM A DEEP  
DEBT OF GRATITUDE.

THE PARTIES WHO MADE THIS PLAN POSSIBLE HAVE A SPECIAL  
RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENSURING ITS SUCCESSFUL  
IMPLEMENTATION. I EXPECT ITS TERMS TO BE CARRIED OUT IN  
GOOD FAITH AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREED TIMETABLE.  
THIS WILL REQUIRE METICULOUS ADHERENCE TO THE -- --  
CEASE-FIRE. VIOLATIONS BY ANY PARTY WOULD IMPERIL THE  
PLAN AND BRING RENEWED BLOODSHED AND TRAGEDY TO THE -  
PEOPLE OF BEIRUT. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST THAT BE  
ALLOWED TO HAPPEN. -

AS YOU KNOW, MY AGREEMENT TO INCLUDE UNITED STATES FORCES  
IN A MULTINATIONAL FORCE WAS ESSENTIAL TO OUR SUCCESS.  
IN THE DAYS AHEAD, THEY AND FORCES FROM FRANCE AND ITALY  
WILL BE PLAYING AN IMPORTANT BUT CAREFULLY LIMITED -  
NON-COMBATANT ROLE. THE PARTIES TO THE PLAN HAVE AGREED  
TO THIS ROLE AND HAVE PROVIDED ASSURANCES ON THE-SAFETY  
OF OUR FORCES. OUR PURPOSE WILL BE TO ASSIST THE  
LEBANESE ARMED FORCES IN CARRYING OUT THEIR -  
RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENSURING THE DEPARTURE OF PLO LEADERS,  
OFFICERS AND COMBATANTS IN BEIRUT FROM LEBANESE TERRITORY  
UNDER SAFE AND ORDERLY CONDITIONS. THE PRESENCE OF  
UNITED STATES FORCES ALSO WILL FACILITATE RESTORATION OF  
THE SOVEREIGNTY AND AUTHORITY OF THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT  
IN THE BEIRUT AREA. IN NO CASE WILL OUR TROOPS STAY  
LONGER THAN 30 DAYS.

THE PARTICIPATION OF FRANCE AND ITALY IN THIS EFFORT IS  
FURTHER EVIDENCE OF THE SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY OF THOSE  
GOOD FRIENDS OF THE U.S. -

SUCCESSFUL RESOLUTION OF THE WEST BEIRUT CRISIS BY  
RESPONSIBLE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN NOW AGREED WILL  
SET THE STAGE FOR THE URGENT INTERNATIONAL ACTION --  
REQUIRED TO RESTORE LEBANON'S FULL SOVEREIGNTY, UNITY,  
AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, OBTAIN THE RAPID WITHDRAWAL OF  
ALL FOREIGN FORCES FROM THAT COUNTRY, AND HELP ENSURE-THE  
SECURITY OF NORTHERN ISRAEL. WE MUST ALSO MOVE QUICKLY -  
TO RESUME OUR NEGOTIATIONS UNDER THE CAMP DAVID  
AGREEMENT, TO RESOLVE THE PALESTINIAN ISSUE IN ALL ITS  
ASPECTS, AS WELL AS THE OTHER UNRESOLVED PROBLEMS IN THE  
ARAB-ISRAELI CONFLICT. ONLY WHEN ALL THESE STEPS ARE  
ACCOMPLISHED CAN TRUE AND LASTING PEACE AND SECURITY BE

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ACMIEVED IN THE MIDDLE EAST. END STATEMENT.

3. FOLLOING ARE TALKING POINTS FOR YOUR USE IN DISCUSSIONSWITH THE MEDIA AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS:

--AFTER LONG, COMPLEX NEGOTIATIONS, A PLAN TO RESOLVE THE WEST BEIRUT CRISIS THROUGH THE DEPARTURE OF THE PLO PERSONNEL HAS BEEN AGREED UPON.

--CREDIT FOR THIS SUCCESSFUL EFFORT GOES TO ALL OF THE PARTIES INVOLVED, THOSE WHICH WERE DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN THE NEGOTIATIONS AS WELL AS THOSE WHICH AGREED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR A SOLUTION.

--AMBASSADOR HABIB DESERVES SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR HIS PERSONAL DEDICATION AND COURAGE, AS DO HIS NEGOTIATING PARTNERS IN THE GOVERNMENT OF LEBANON, WHO OFTEN PERFORMED THEIR DUTIES AT THE RISK OF THEIR LIVES.

--FRANCE AND ITALY HAVE ALSO, THROUGH THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE MULTINATIONAL FORCE, DEMONSTRATED A HIGH SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY IN THIS ENDEAVOR, AS WELL AS THEIR DEVOTION TO THE CAUSE OF PEACE.

--WHILE WE CAN DERIVE SOME COMFORT FROM THE FACT THAT AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED, THE SITUATION IN BEIRUT AND ELSEWHERE IN LEBANON REMAINS EXTREMELY DELICATE. THE PARTIES TO THE PLAN MUST ENSURE THAT NOTHING INTERRUPTS ITS COMPLETE AND TIMELY IMPLEMENTATION.

--IT IS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT THAT THE CEASE-FIRE BE MAINTAINED. FAILURE TO ADHERE TO IT WOULD JEOPARDIZE THE PLAN AND ENDANGER THE LIVES OF INNOCENT CIVILIANS.

--IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN WILL BE A COMPLEX PROCESS. IT WILL REQUIRE THE GOOD WILL AND COOPERATION OF ALL, AT EVERY STAGE, IF IT IS TO SUCCEED. THE U.S. WILL DO EVERYTHING IT CAN TO ASSIST.

--THE PRESIDENT'S DECISION TO MAKE U.S. TROOPS AVAILABLE TO THE MULTINATIONAL FORCE WAS ESSENTIAL TO IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN. THEIR DEPLOYMENT AND CONTINUED PRESENCE WILL, OF COURSE, BE DEPENDENT ON THE FULL COOPERATION OF ALL OF THE PARTIES. WE HAVE RECEIVED ASSURANCES CONCERNING THEIR SAFETY, AND WE DO NOT EXPECT THEM TO BECOME INVOLVED IN ANY HOSTILITIES.

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--THE DEPLOYMENT OF U.S. TROOPS DEMONSTRATES OUR DETERMINATION TO EMPLOY OUR MILITARY STRENGTH IN THE CAUSE OF PEACE. THERE SHOULD BE NO DOUBT ABOUT OUR OBJECTIVES IN THIS DEPLOYMENT. OUR SOLE AIM IS TO PROMOTE THE RESOLUTION OF THE WEST BEIRUT CRISIS. IT IS IN THE HIGHEST TRADITIONS OF THE U.S. ARMED FORCES, AND WE CAN JUSTIFIABLY BE PROUD OF OUR CONTRIBUTION.

--OUR DEPLOYMENT OF FORCES IS LIMITED BOTH IN PURPOSE AND DURATION. THE MULTINATIONAL FORCE WILL ASSIST THE LEBANESE ARMED FORCES IN CARRYING OUT THEIR RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENSURING THE SAFE AND ORDERLY DEPARTURE OF PALESTINIAN LEADERS, OFFICES, AND COMBATANTS IN A MANNER THAT WILL PROTECT THE SAFETY OF OTHER PERSONS IN THE AREA AND FURTHER THE SOVEREIGNTY AND AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF LEBANON OVER THE BEIRUT AREA. WE EXPECT OUR FORCES TO DEPART WITHIN 30 DAYS, OR SOONER IF THEIR MISSION IS COMPLETED.

--IN ADDITION TO OUR CONTRIBUTION TO THE MULTINATIONAL FORCE, WE WILL ALSO BE WORKING THROUGH U.S. AND INTERNATIONAL RELIEF AGENCIES TO HELP RESTORE THE INFRASTRUCTURE NECESSARY TO RELIEVE THE HUMAN SUFFERING OF THE PEOPLE OF BEIRUT.

--A SUCCESSFUL RESOLUTION OF THE WEST BEIRUT CRISIS WILL SET THE STAGE FOR THE URGENT INTERNATIONAL ACTION NEEDED TO RESTORE LEBANON'S FULL SOVEREIGNTY, UNITY, AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, OBTAIN THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN FORCES, AND HELP INSURE THE SECURITY OF NORTHERN ISRAEL.

--WE MUST ALSO MOVE QUICKLY IN THE CONTEXT OF CAMP DAVID TO RESOLVE THE PALESTINIAN ISSUE IN ALL ITS ASPECTS, AS WELL AS THE OTHER UNRESOLVED PROBLEMS IN THE ARAB-ISRAELI CONFLICT. ONLY WHEN ALL THESE STEPS ARE ACCOMPLISHED CAN TRUE AND LASTING PEACE AND SECURITY BE ACHIEVED IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

5. THE TRANSCRIPT OF SECRETARY SHULTZ'S PRESS CONFERENCE, SCHEDULED TO BE HELD AT 1300 EDT 20 AUGUST WILL BE CABLED AS SOON AS AVAILABLE.

6. MINIMIZE CONSIDERED FOR BEIRUT AND DAMASCUS. SHULTZ  
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(20AUG) WAS TAKING "SOME STEPS" TO ASSURE THE EVACUATION  
OF THE PLO FROM BEIRUT STARTING 21 AUG. THESE STEPS IN-  
CLUDE REPOSITIONING SOME TROOPS IN THE BEIRUT AREA, SUCH  
AS THE PURT AREA, 25x1  
DEPLOYMENT.

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TER ABOUT IDF TROOPS MOVEMENTS IN THE BEIRUT PORT AREA,  
WE ARE SURE THAT THE IDF THINKS THAT THEY ARE HELPING TO  
ASSURE PEACEFUL EVACUATION OF THE PLO TROOPS AND TO GUARD  
AGAINST THE POSSIBLE ATTEMPTS OF THE PHALANGE TO DISRUPT  
THE EVACUATION IN ORDER TO APPLY LEVERAGE ON MEMBERS OF  
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- B-4 Release would disclose trade secrets or confidential or financial information [(b)(4) of the FOIA]
- B-6 Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy [(b)(6) of the FOIA]
- B-7 Release would disclose information compiled for law enforcement purposes [(b)(7) of the FOIA]
- B-8 Release would disclose information concerning the regulation of financial institutions [(b)(8) of the FOIA]
- B-9 Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells [(b)(9) of the FOIA]

C. Closed in accordance with restrictions contained in donor's deed of gift.



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BY KAB NARA DATE 7/10/07

~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~ BEIRUT 5563  
AID FOR ADMINISTRATOR AND UFDA  
E.O. 12356: DECL: 8/20/88  
TAGS: EAIN, SWEL, SHUM, SREF, IS, LE  
SUBJECT: LEBANON RELIEF: GOI APPROACHES DECISION ON SHELTER FOR  
PALESTINIANS

REF: TEL AVIV 12668

1. ~~C O N F I D E N T I A L~~ -ECTIRE TEXT.
2. INFORMATIVE REFTEL NOTES THAT THE GOI STATED THE IOF HAS BEEN UNABLE TO OBTAIN MAPS FROM THE LEBANESE SHOWING PUBLIC LANDS WHICH WOULD BE CONSIDERED AS ALTERNATIVZPSITES FOR SHELTERING PALESTINIANS.
3. [REDACTED]

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THE IOF REQUESTED AND RECEIVED ALL AVAILABLE MAPS AND DOCUMENTS ON GOVERNMENT-OWNED LAND IN SOUTH LEBANON LAST WEEK, THE MATERIALS CAME FROM THE FILES OF "THE OFFICE OF OWNERSHIP" IN LEBANON'S GOVERNMENT BUILDING IN SIDON, WHICH THE ISRAELIS OCCUPY. NOT INCLUDED WERE MATERIALS ON NABITIEH, MARJAYEN, AND HASBAYUH, WHICH WERE TRANSFERRED TO BEIRUT SOME TIME AGO FOR SAFE-KEEPING.

4. [REDACTED] THE IOF ALSO REQUESTED ALL DOCUMENTS SHOWING OWNERSHIP OF PRIVATE LANDS LARGER THAN 10,000 SQUARE METERS. LEBANESE AUTHORIEIES SUCCESSFULLY REFUSED, AS THEY DID SOME WEEKS AGO WHEN THE ISRAELIS ASKED TO EXAMINE PRIVATE CUSTOMER ACCOUNTS IN LEBANON'S BANKS OPERATING IN OCCUPIED TERRITORY.

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5. COMMENT: [REDACTED] IT MAY WELL BE THAT SPECIAL ASSISTANT GRAVINSKY DID NOT KNOW OF IT WHEN HE SPOKE WITH EMB TEL AVIV'S ECONOFF. THE GOI MAY BE GATHERING INFORMATION

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MESSAGE / ANNOTATION:

PRIMARILY FOR FUTURE USE TO PRESS ITS POLICY, NOTED  
IN PARA 7 RFFTEL, OF INTEGRATING PALESTINIANS INTO  
LEBANESE COMMITTEES AND NOT ALLOWING FURTHER RESTORATION  
OF THE CAMPS. END COMMENT. DILLON  
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E.O. 12356: N/A  
TAGS: PEPR, IS, LE, US  
SUBJECT: MESSAGE FOR AMB, HABIB FROM THE PRESIDENT

DEAR PHIL:

YOURS IS TRULY A STERLING ACHIEVEMENT. YOU HAVE SUCCEEDED AGAINST STAGGERING ODDS. IT IS AMERICA'S BLESSING TO HAVE MEN OF YOUR CALIBER AND PATRIOTISM IN ITS SERVICE. YOUR SKILL, COURAGE AND DETERMINATION HAVE BEEN AN INSPIRATION TO US ALL. IT WAS A PERFORMANCE WHICH WAS IN THE BEST TRADITION OF THE TIRELESS PROFESSIONALISM WE EXPECT OF OUR FOREIGN SERVICE. YOU HAVE YOUR COUNTRY'S GRATITUDE FOR A GREAT AND DIFFICULT JOB WELL DONE.

RONALD REAGAN.

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