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ED 12356: DECL DADR TAGS: PEPR US TS XF

SUBJ: TUNISIAN REACTION TO PRESIDENT REAGAN'S STATEMENT ON BEIRUT

REF: STATE 263789
1. (2-ENTIRE TEXT)

2. DURING MEETING SEPT 20, ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER MESTIRI TOLD ME THAT WITHIN THE TUNISIAN GOVERNMENT REACTION HAS BEEN DECIDEDLY POSITIVE TO PRESIDENT REAGAN'S STATEMENT ON BEIRUT AND TO THE ADDITIONAL POINTS MADE IN SECRETARY SHULTZ'S LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER MZALI (REFTEL). MZALI PERSONALLY TELEPHONED THE TEXT OF BOTH TO BOURGUIBA IN PARIS. ACCORDING TO MESTIRI, BOURGUIBA HAD BEEN ENCOURAGED BY THE PRESIDENT'S STRONG REACTION TO THE MASSACRES AND HIS INSISTENCE ON ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL. BOURGUIBA HAD ALSO APPRECIATED OUR DETERMINATION NOT TO BE DIVERTED FROM PURSUING THE MIDDLE EAST PEACE PROCESS. MESTIRI COMMENTED THAT A STIFFENED U.S. POSITION VIS-A-VIS ISRAEL WOULD BE AN IMPORTANT ELEMENT IN ENABLING TUNISIA TO MAINTAIN ITS MODERATE POSTURE ON THE ARAB-ISRAELI ISSUE.

3. ON OTHER ASPECTS OF THE LEBANESE SITUATION, I SAID I WAS PLEASED THE TUNISIAN GOVERNMENT HAD REFRAINED FROM JOINING CERTAIN OTHER PARTIES IN BLAMING THE U.S. FOR THE MASSACRES BY VIRTURE OF THE ALLEGEDLY PREMATURE WITHDRAWAL OF OUR FORCES FROM BEIRUT. MESTIRI THOUGH WE HAD IN FACT PULLED OUT TOO SOON, BEFORE THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT WAS ABLE TO ASSERT EFFECTIVE CONTROL THROUGHOUT THE CITY; HOWEVER, HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE MULTINATIONAL FORCE (MNF) HAD NOT BEEN SENT IN FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAINTAINING INTERNAL SECURITY AND THAT DECISIONS ON MAF DURATION HAD BEEN

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MADE TOGETHER WITH THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT. MESTIRI SAID HE PERSUNALLY BELIEVED ELEMENTS OF UNIFIL SHOULD BE MOVED PROMPTLY INTO BEIRUT AS THE MOST EXPEDITIOUS WAY TO HEAD OFF FURTHER BLOODSHED. I ASSURED MESTIRI THAT THE QUESTION OF HOW BEST TO RESTORE SECURITY IN BEIRUT WAS UNDER INTENSIVE REVIEW IN WASHINGTON AND DECISIONS COULD BE EXPECTED SHORTLY.

4. BEIRUT MINIMIZE CONSIDERED.

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FROM DRAPER

E.D. 12356: DECL: DADR

TAGS: PINT, PINS, PEPR, LE, IS

SUBJECT: DRAPER: GOL FORMAL REQUEST FOR MNF

1. (CONFIDENTIAL-ENTIRE TEXT)

2. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A NOTARIZED EXCERPT OF THE

MINUTES OF THE CABINET MEETING HELD TODAY. THIS CON-

STITUTES CONFIRMATION OF THE GOL'S FORMAL REQUEST FOR AN MNF.

3. THE EMBASSY'S INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF THE ARABIC TEXT IS AS FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT:

REPUBLIC OF LEBANON, COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, THE SECRETARY

GENERAL

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

UF MINISTERS HELD IN BAABDA, MUNDAH, SEPTEMBER 20, 1982.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR MULTINATIONAL FURCES

DECISION OF THE COUNCIL: THE COUNCIL STUDIED

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE SECURITY SITUATION IN THE COUNTRY,

ESPECIALLY IN THE WESTERN SECTOR OF THE CAPITAL,

BEIRUT, AND ITS SUBURBS, IN THE LIGHT OF THE RECENT

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EVENTS WHICH HAVE TAKEN PLACE AND RESULTED IN A NUMBER OF CASUALTIES, BOTH DEAD AND WOUNDED. FOLLOWING DISCUSSION, THE COUNCIL DECIDED TO AGREE TO REQUEST MULTI-NATIONAL FORCES FOR A LIMITED PERIOD TO BE DEFINED BY THE GOVERNMENT TO HELP THE LEBANESE ARMY IN THE MISSION OF MAINTAINING SECURITY AND THE SAFETY OF THE INHABI-TANTS OF THE WESTERN SECTOR OF THE CAPITAL, BEIRUT, AND ITS SUBURBS. THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS. UMAR MUSAYKT BEIRUT, SEPTEMBER 20, 1982. END TEXT.BARRETT BT #6424 NNNN

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SUBJECT: STRONG PAKISTANI REACTION TO MASSACRE OF

PALESTINIANS

FOLLOWING GUP LEAD, PAKISTANI PRESS HAS GIVEN 1. SUMMARY: EXTENSIVE AND DRAMATIC COVERAGE TO SEPTEMBER 18 MASSACRES OF PALSTINIANS IN BEIRUT. RESPONSIBILITY IS WIDELY ATTRIBUTED TOPHALANGE AND/OR HADDAD'S MILITIA AND SEVERAL COMMENTATURS ALSO PROMINENTLY HIGHLIGHT US-ISRAELI RELATIONSHIP; AND VIEW US POSITION ON UNSC SANCTIONS RESOLUTION (ASSUMING SUCH A RESOLUTION IS IN THE OFFING) TO BE ACID TEST. ALTHOUGH PAKISTAN ISMOMENTARILY QUIET AFTER MONTH-LONG SRATE OF VIOLENT INCIDENTS, POTENTIAL FOR DEMONSTRATIONS OR OTHER ANII-US ACTIONS IS VERY REAL. END SUMMARY. IN A STATEMENT ISSUED SEPTEMBER 19, PRESIDENT ZIA, UN BEHALF OF GOP AND PAKISTANI PEOPLE, CONDENNED "THE PRE-MEDIATED ATROCITIES ... WHICH CONSTITUTE A CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY" AND SAID THAT ISRAEL'S "BARBARISM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONTINUING GENUCIDE OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE AND DEMANDS THE UNRESERVED CONDEMNATION OF THE ENTIRE WORLD COMMUNITY." ZIA CALLED FOR THE UN TO FULFILL ITS OBLIGATIONS TO UPHOLD BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS, MAINTAIN WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY, AND SAID THAT THE FIVE PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL SHOULD TAKE "IMMEDIATE AND EFFECTIVE STEPS TO PREVENT FURTHER SHEDDING OF PALESTINIAN BLOOD" AND TO "RESTRAIN ISRAEL FURCES FROM FLOUTING ALL PRECEPTS OF HUMAN CONDUCT AND INTERNATIONAL LAW."

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- 3. THE MASSACRE OF THE PALESTINIANS IN BEIRUT IS THE HEADLINE STORY IN ALL MAJOR NEWSPAPERS IN PAKISTAN WITH ESTIMATES IN THE PAPERS OF THE NUMBERS OF DEAD RANGING FROM "HUNDREDS OF BODIES STREWN IN THE STREETS" "TO THOUSANDS KILLED."
- "THE PAKISTAN TIMES" SEPTEMBER 19 REPORTED THAT THE MASSACRE HAD BEEN CONDUCTED BY ISRAELI FORCES AND THE CHRISTIAN HADDAD MILITIA, WITH ISRAELI ARMOR CONTROLLING ACCESS TO THE CAMP WHILE THE CHRISTIAN MILITIA MASSACRED THE INHABITANTS. ISRAELI TANKS WERE PICTURED AS CRUSHING ALL OPPOSITION AND THEIR TROOPS AS FIRING AT RANDOM. "THE MUSLIM" HEADLINE FOR ITS ARTICLE WAS "CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY" AND IT LINKED THE KILLINGS TO THE NAZI POGROMS AND ACCUSED THE ISRAELIS OF SUPPORTING THE "GENOCIDE" IN THE REFUGEE CAMPS. THE ARTICLE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY WHAT APPEARED TO BE FILE PHOTOGRAPHS OF GROTESQUELY MAIMED BOMBING VICTIMS.
- PRESS IS DIVIDED ON QUESTION OF WHETHER U.S. SHARES ANY BLAME. URDU LANGUAGE "NAWA-I-WAQT" SEPTEMBER 19, WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING PRESIDENT REAGAN'S SHOCK OVER THE INDISCRIMINATE KILLINGS, STATED THAT ALL OF ISRAEL'S MILITARY, ECONOMIC, AND POLITICAL SUPPORT CONTINUES TO COME FROM THE UNITED STATES. "JANG" CHARACTERIZED THE KILLINGS AS "THE LAST ACT IN A BLOUDY DRAMA PRE-PARED UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF THE UNITED STATES". THE NORMALLY STRIDENTLY ANTI-AMERICAN "MUSLIM" SEPTEMBER 20. HOWEVER, REFERRED TO THE FACT THAT "FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE HISTORY OF ITS RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL, THE U.S. ON FRIDAY NIGHT JOINED ... IN CONDEMING ISRAELI THRUST INTO WEST BEIRUT AND DEMANDED WITHDRAWAL OF SOVIET TROOPS", AND SAID THAT IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN WHAT THE U.S. WOULD DO WHEN THE CRUNCH COMES -- I.E., WHEN SANCTIONS ARE DEMANDED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL. "PAKISTAN TIMES" DID NOT ATTRIBUTE ANY RESPONSIBILITY TO U.S. DIRECTLY, BUT DID RECALL THAT "PEACEMAKERS" HAD GIVEN GUARANTEES THAT ISRAELIS AND OTHERS WOULD NOT ENTER WEST BEIRUT AND WENT ON TO SAY THAT IT IS TIME THE U.S., THE WESTERN BLOC, AND THE UNITED NATIONS TOOK SOME CONCRETE STEPS TO REIN IN THE TEL AVIV "WARLDRDS".
- PAKISTAN TV SEPTEMBER 19 SHOWED INTERVIEWS WITH 6.

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YASSAR ARAFAT AND THE LEBANESE PRIME MINISTER, IN WHICH BOTH ACCUSED U.S. OF RESPONSIBILITY, SINCE IT HAD GIVEN GUARANTEES THAT NO SUCH MASSACRE WOULD OCCUR.

7. COMMENT: THE SITUATION IN PAKISTAN COULD RAPIDLY BECOME EXPLOSIVE. ALTHOUGH EVERYTHING IS QUIET SO FAR, THERE ARE RUMORS ABOUT POSSIBLE DEMONSTRATIONS. UNIVERSITIES, COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS ARE BACK IN SESSION. BT #4223

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LEBANON TO CRITICIZE THE GOVERNMENT'S RELATIONSHIP
WITH THE UNITED STATES AND TO PRESSURE THE GOP TO
DO MORE FOR THE PLO.

8. ACTION REQUESTED: WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING ASAP
DEPARTMENT'S ANALYSIS OF WHAT ACTUALLY DID HAPPEN IN
WEST BEIRUT, AND WHO WERE THE PERPETRATORS, AS WELL AS
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