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IT IS AUTHORITATIVELY CONFIRMED THAT THIS FACT PROVOKED AN AMERICAN DEMARCHE LAST WEEK TO ATHENS WHICH EXPRESSED THE 'DISSATISFACTION' OF WASHINGTON OVER THE 'UNWILLINGNESS' OF THE GOVERNMENT TO APPEAR COOPERATIVE TO THE AMERICAN REQUEST.

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SPECIFICALLY, ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, THE GREEK AUTHORITIES ARE HOLDING A PALESTINIAN BY THE NAME OF MOHAMED RASHID, WHO IS SAID TO BE INVOLVED IN THE HIJACKING OF THE PAN-AM PLANE IN 1982 AND IN THE TWA EXPLOSION IN 1986, WHILE THE PLANE WAS FLYING THE ROME-ATHENS-CAIRO ROUTE.

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GREECE SEIZES TERROR SUSPECT, BUT DELAYS EXTRADITION

WASHINGTON (AP) THE UNITED STATES IS PRESSING RELUCTANT GREEK OFFICIALS TO PERMIT EXTRADITION OF A PALESTINIAN SUSPECTED OF INVOLVEMENT IN THE BOMBINGS OF A PAN AM JUMBO JET IN 1982 AND OF A TWA AIRLINER IN 1986, U.S. OFFICIALS SAY.

GREEK OFFICIALS TOLD THE UNITED STATES THEY DID NOT THINK THE EVIDENCE AGAINST MOHAMMED RASHID WAS SUFFICIENT AND ASKED FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO JUSTIFY EXTRADITION PROCEEDINGS, A U.S. OFFICIAL SAID MONDAY, SPEAKING ONLY ON CONDITION OF ANONYMITY.

HE SAID RASHID WAS ARRESTED IN GREECE AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES.

A REPORT ABOUT RASHID'S ARREST AND U.S. ANNOYANCE OVER GREECE'S HESITANCY TO EXTRADITE HIM APPEARED MONDAY IN ELEFTHERTOTYPIA, A LEFT-WING GREEK DAILY NEWSPAPER.

U.S. INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION ON RASHID INDICATES HE WAS INVOLVED IN A 1986 BLAST ABOARD A TRANS WORLD AIRLINES AIRLINER OVER GREECE, IN WHICH FOUR PEOPLE, INCLUDING A BABY, WERE KILLED, THE U.S. OFFICIAL SAID.

RASHID ALSO IS SUSPECTED OF PLAYING A ROLE IN PLANTING THE BOMB THAT EXPLODED AS A PAN AMERICAN AIRWAYS JET WAS HEADING TOWARD HONOLULU IN AUGUST 1982 ON A FLIGHT FROM TOKYO. A JAPANESE TEEN-AGER WAS KILLED AND 15 PEOPLE WERE INJURED, NONE SERIOUSLY.

A SECOND SOURCE TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS GREECE HAS NOT YET MADE A DECISION ON THE EXTRADITION REQUEST. THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID ITS COUNTER-TERRORISM OFFICE MAY HAVE A STATEMENT TUESDAY.

THE FIRST OFFICIAL SAID AMBASSADOR L. PAUL BREMER, THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S TOP ANTI-TERRORISM OFFICIAL, FLEW TO ATHENS LAST WEEK TO PRESS THE GREEK GOVERNMENT TO PERMIT THE EXTRADITION OF RASHID TO THE UNITED STATES.

ROBERT KEELEY, THE U.S. AMBASSADOR TO GREECE, ALSO ASKED FOR RASHID'S EXTRADITION DURING A MEETING LAST THURSDAY WITH GREEK PREMIER ANDREAS PAPANDEU, SAID A THIRD SOURCE, ALSO SPEAKING ON CONDITION OF ANONYMITY.

THE EXTRADITION REQUEST COMES AT A SENSITIVE TIME IN U.S.-GREEK RELATIONS. THE TWO COUNTRIES ARE NEGOTIATING THE EXTENSION OF THE LEASES ON FOUR AMERICAN BASES IN GREECE. THE LEASES EXPIRE DEC. 31.

PAPANDEU, UNDER PRESSURE FROM LEFTIST GROUPS, IS SEEKING TO NEGOTIATE FAVORABLE TERMS FOR EXTENDING THE LEASES, INCLUDING AN INCREASE IN U.S. AID.

THE SOCIALIST LEADER IS ALSO ON GOOD TERMS WITH THE PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANIZATION, AND EARLIER THIS YEAR HE MET IN ATHENS WITH PLO CHIEF YASSER ARAFAT. GREEK NEWSPAPERS REPORTED AT THE TIME THAT ARAFAT HAD PROMISED PAPANDEU TO REFRAIN FROM TERROR ATTACKS ON GREEK SOIL. ]\*\*

U.S. OFFICIALS HAVE IN THE PAST ACCUSED GREECE OF BEING LAX ON TERRORISM. RELATIONS WITH ATHENS WERE STRAINED IN 1984, AFTER GREECE FREED A SUSPECTED JORDANIAN HIJACKER WHO REPORTEDLY WAS ARRESTED ON THE BASIS OF U.S. INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION.

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pean coverage, came by plane.

We saw and heard:

► Mitterrand tell the crowd of 10,000: "This monument commemorates the suffering of war. But its real purpose is to teach that peace is possible through brotherhood."

► En route, the president reflect on the anxiety and exhilaration of his D-day. He was with the French Resistance, having escaped from a German prison camp on his third try. He fought with the French infantry, was wounded and captured in 1940.

► Some 150 old U.S. soldiers reminiscing "I still get a lump in my throat when I see the graves of my friends," said Ted Linka, 70, from Chicago.

► 282 young U.S. paratroopers float down as part of the



MITTERRAND: Was with French Resistance on D-day

two-day ceremony. The cliffs near here and hedgerows of Normandy were bathed in brilliant sunshine, peacefully different from the precarious parachuting in the stormy pre-dawn of D-day.

Contributing were David Mazzarella and Jack Kelley

bility: taking a recommendation from Vice President George Bush.

Former civil rights commission staff director Linda Chavez credited Pendleton with shifting the commission's focus.

"The Pendleton years ... marked the return of the commission to its original purpose. He opposed any form of racial preference."

National Urban League President John Jacob called Pendleton a "formidable political adversary" despite their often "forceful" disagreement over key issues. "I respected his right to his opinions and he respected my right to differ."

It was Pendleton's adversarial approach that left its mark, said Equal Employment Opportunity Commission Chair-

town. I say to America's black leaders, open the plantation gates and let us out."

On opposition to quotas: "Quotas can be used against you as much as they can be used for you. When you get your percentage according to population, you don't get any more."

On his outspokenness: "I don't want to be the center of attention and be called Stepin Fetchit and a lackey. I want the issues to be the center of attention."

man Clarence Thomas.

"People think a commission should be composed of people who agree with each other, but he made sure the commission was balanced."

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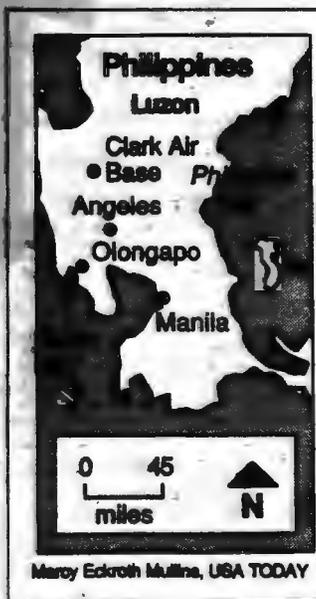
# AROUND THE WORLD . . .

**TERROR SUSPECT HELD:** Greece is holding Palestinian Mohammed Rashid — suspected in the bombings of a Pan Am jumbo jet in 1982 and a TWA airliner in 1986 — but won't release him to the United States, The Associated Press says.

**SOUTH AFRICA PROTEST:** Bombs exploded on buses and trains Monday in South Africa as a three-day strike by hundreds of thousands of black workers and students began in defiance of government regulations.

**CARLUCCI IN JAPAN:** Defense Secretary Frank Carlucci, visiting Japan, said Monday Soviet social reforms have not reduced its military threat to the West. "Summitry is no substitute for security," Carlucci said.

**'SHARPEVILLE SIX':** A judge in Pretoria, South Africa, is expected to decide today whether to set aside the decision against the "Sharpeville Six," five black men and



Mary Eckroth Mullins, USA TODAY

## PHILIPPINES CLOSER TO ANTI-NUKE LAW

The Philippines moved closer Monday to approving a strong anti-nuclear measure that could force problems over the future of two important U.S. military installations, Clark Air Base and Subic Bay Naval Base.

The Philippine Senate passed a bill that bans nuclear weapons and warships. Similar legislation is pending in the House of Representatives.

President Corazon Aquino says she'll honor the bases pact. The United States called the bill inflexible.

a black woman sentenced to death in March in the slaying of a black public official.

**SPANNING THE GLOBE:** Contra and Sandinista leaders meet today through Thursday in Managua, Nicaragua, in their latest round of peace

talks. **AND IN STOCKHOLM:** Deserts will be hotter in coming decades and tropical storms more severe because of climate changes caused by the greenhouse effect, international scientists said.

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# U.S. Negotiating to Extradite Suspect in Greece

## *Palestinian Allegedly Linked to 1986 TWA Bombing Fatal to Four Americans*

By David B. Ottaway  
Washington Post Staff Writer

The United States is negotiating with Greece for the extradition of a Palestinian terrorist suspected of involvement in the 1986 bombing of a TWA plane that killed four Americans, U.S. officials said yesterday.

The negotiations are so touchy that State Department officials at a press briefing yesterday refused to discuss them except to say the situation is "very delicate" and to suggest the issue will be resolved soon.

But they did not dispute a report in this week's issue of U.S. News and World Report that relations between the two governments have become "tense" over a U.S. demand for the extradition of the suspect, Mohammed Rashid.

U.S.-Greek relations became equally strained last July over U.S. allegations that the Greek government had held talks with Abu

Nidal's Palestinian terrorist group, reaching an accommodation with it not to attack targets inside Greece. Counterterrorism experts believe Rashid belongs to the Abu Nidal group.

The dispute was settled only after Undersecretary of State Michael H. Armacost went to Athens to deliver a note withdrawing the allegations that Greece had used as an excuse for holding up the start of negotiations on the fate of U.S. military bases there.

U.S. News and World Report said U.S. officials suspect Rashid was involved in placing a bomb aboard TWA Flight 840, which blew up while the plane was flying from Rome to Athens on April 2, 1986. The blast tore a large hole in the plane's fuselage through which four passengers, all of them Americans, were sucked out to their deaths, and nine others were injured.

An obscure group calling itself

the Arab Revolutionary Cells, which Palestinian sources at the time said was associated with Abu Nidal, took responsibility for the bombing.

Greek authorities arrested Rashid in late May on a tip from U.S. intelligence, but were on the point of freeing him because they were not convinced by the U.S. allegations of his involvement in that bombing or another one aboard a Pan American plane near Honolulu in 1982, the magazine reported.

A spokesman at the Greek Embassy here said Greece was "dedicated to the fight against terrorism" and is ready to cooperate with other governments for its eradication. "It imposes the strictest possible penalties against terrorists according to the Greek law," said Achilles Paparsenos.

But he did not specifically confirm or deny the report that his government was holding extradition talks with the United States.

U.S. officials believe the Abu

Nidal terrorist group is involved in the current upsurge of terrorism worldwide against U.S. and other Western interests.

It was not immediately clear whether Rashid is the same Mohammed Hussein Rashid who was convicted as an accomplice in the April 1983 assassination in Portugal of Issam Sartawi, a top representative of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO).

The Abu Nidal organization said it had "executed" Sartawi because of his contacts with leftist Israelis and advocacy of direct Arab-Israeli talks.

A Portuguese court sentenced a Mohammed Rashid to three years in prison in January 1984 for using a forged passport but found him not guilty of murdering Sartawi after he confessed to serving as a decoy to draw attention away from the real assassin, who was never caught. He also admitted he belonged to the Abu Nidal group.

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**Strained interlude.** Relations between the U.S. and Greece are once again tense following charges that the leftist regime of Premier Andreas Papandreu is coddling suspected terrorists. The latest case involves Mohammed Rashid, a Palestinian picked up in late May by Greek police on a tip from U.S. intelligence. Rashid is wanted in connection with both a bomb explosion on a Pan American jetliner near Honolulu in 1982 that killed one person and a 1986 blast on a TWA flight between Cairo and Athens that killed four Americans. However, after arresting Rashid, the Greeks balked at his extradition to the U.S., claiming the evidence was not strong enough. Now it appears they may actually release him despite angry protests from Washington. A year ago, the U.S. turned up proof that Papandreu was negotiating with the notorious Abu Nidal. The deal called for the release of three of his henchmen held by Athens in return for a pledge that Greece would not be a target of Palestinian attacks.

**Author! Author!** Ronald Reagan's memorable speech at Moscow State University last week—one of 18 addresses he delivered during the summit trip—was written by Josh Gilder, 34, cousin of conservative economic guru George Gilder. Acclaimed as one of the best speeches the President has given during his eight years in office, it was crafted by Gilder over a 10-day span, with input from Soviet émigré humorist Yakov Smirnoff and historian James Billington, the Librarian of Congress. Gilder is leaving the White House to return to George Bush's campaign staff.

**Say "Yes" to Colombia?** Worried about a growing impression that Colombia is run by drug lords, Bogotá has hired a prominent New York political consultant to convince the American public that Colombia needs financial and military aid for its war on drugs. The consultant—who pleaded that his name not be used for fear of retaliation from the drug cartels—has designed a series of TV spots and ads in major dailies to run before this week's visit by President Virgilio Barco to the White House. Barco is appealing for a major expansion of Washington's \$10 million antidrug aid program.

**Admirable qualities.** Although Adm. William Crowe, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, has been called a reluctant warrior, Pentagon associates now reveal that twice last year he risked confrontations

U.S., Greece at odd again over terrorism

Neighbor tackles Duke in 'border war'

Seat squeeze for Europe-bound Yanks

with the Chinese when he recommended that U.S. warships intercept ships carrying Silkworm missiles and other arms to Iran. The sources say Crowe also began urging a U.S. strike against an Iranian naval vessel last fall—six months before the President finally gave permission. While the scholar Crowe views the Gulf war as one in which U.S. military power can play a role, he continues to oppose the use of force to resolve what he sees as essentially political problems—for instance, in Panama.

PATRICIA CULLEN CLARK



Adm. William Crowe  
Tougher than you think

**Vienna's new homeless.** Austria—which has experienced a 20 percent increase this year in refugees from economically depressed and politically unstable Eastern Europe—fears that the Vienna visit of Pope John Paul II at the end of this month will lead to a still greater number of tourists who apply for asylum or who simply extend their stays indefinitely. From neighboring Hungary alone, the Austrians expect 200,000 pilgrims to

Edited by Charles Fenyvesi

cross the open border, prompting concern that as many as 10,000 of them may refuse to return home.

**Governor vs. governor.** The longtime economic rivalry between New Hampshire and Massachusetts has been extended into politics with the emergence of the Granite State's feisty governor, John Sununu, as Bush's point man to demolish Michael Dukakis's gubernatorial record. Bush advisers say Sununu—one of the inner circle that met during the Memorial Day weekend at the Vice President's summer home in Maine to revive his sagging campaign—resents the suggestion that Dukakis is the region's leading governor, a distinction Sununu claims for himself. The tart-tongued Sununu, who successfully counseled Bush to be tough with rival Bob Dole in the New Hampshire primary, urges the same tactic with Dukakis.

**Unholy terror.** Saudi Arabia, alarmed by the Ayatollah Khomeini's threat to dispatch 150,000 pilgrims for the annual hajj to Mecca that begins this month, has tightened security arrangements in order to head off the sort of violence that resulted in more than 400 deaths during the 1987 pilgrimage. This year, Saudi border police and customs officials are under instructions to size up incoming Iranian pilgrims and to send home those who give the impression of being potential troublemakers. The Saudis are also worried because intelligence reports suggest that the Iranians have trained Moslems from countries such as Pakistan, Indonesia and the Philippines in the techniques of smuggling weapons and turning peaceful demonstrations into riots.

**Unfare to Americans.** The dollar has sunk so low in the estimate of airlines plying the lucrative transatlantic route that some have started subtly discriminating against travelers who pay for their tickets with U.S. currency. Rather than openly refusing to accept dollars, the airlines have reserved a large number of seats for Europeans expected to flood America this summer—and pay for their tickets in "hard" currencies such as marks, pounds and francs. While airline officials publicly deny they are trying to limit their dollar-based traffic, the North American marketing director for one major European carrier admits that his home office has instructed him not to sell too many tickets for dollars. "If only 40 percent of the people in the planes this summer are Americans," he says, "I can be happy."

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ARAB SUSPECTED OF BOMBING TWO U.S. JETS FACES PASSPORT CHARGE IN GREECE

ATHENS, GREECE (AP) A PALESTINIAN SUSPECTED OF PLACING BOMBS ABOARD TWO U.S. JETLINERS THAT KILLED FIVE PEOPLE WILL BE TRIED IN ATHENS ON CHARGES OF ENTERING GREECE ON A FORGED PASSPORT, A SECURITY OFFICIAL SAID TODAY.

THE PALESTINIAN, MOHAMMED RASHID, 34, HAS BEEN HELD AT GREEK SECURITY POLICE HEADQUARTERS SINCE A TIP FROM THE U.S. EMBASSY LED TO HIS ARREST JUNE 1 AT ATHENS AIRPORT.

THE UNITED STATES IS SEEKING RASHID'S EXTRADITION FOR HIS ALLEGED INVOLVEMENT IN THE BOMBINGS OF THE U.S. JETS OVER HAWAII IN 1982 AND OVER GREECE IN 1986.

'WE UNDERSTAND THAT RASHID IS TO BE TRIED FOR COMING INTO GREECE WITH FALSE TRAVEL DOCUMENTS. THE QUESTION OF HIS EXTRADITION THEREFORE DOESN'T ARISE AT THIS STAGE,' SAID THE OFFICIAL, WHO SPOKE ON CONDITION OF ANONYMITY.

ACCORDING TO POLICE, RASHID ENTERED GREECE ON A FAKE SYRIAN PASSPORT. IF CONVICTED, HE COULD RECEIVE AN 18-24 MONTH SENTENCE FOR TRAVELING ON FORGED DOCUMENTS, THE SECURITY OFFICIAL SAID.

'UNDER NORMAL PRACTICE, IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE FOR EXTRADITION PROCEEDINGS TO BE STARTED AFTER HE HAS FINISHED SERVING THE PRISON TERM,' THE SECURITY OFFICIAL SAID.

THE OFFICIAL SAID HE WAS NOT AWARE THAT ANY DATE HAD BEEN SET FOR RASHID'S TRIAL. IN THE CROWDED ATHENS JUDICIAL SYSTEM, SUSPECTS MAY BE HELD FOR UP TO 10 MONTHS BEFORE THEIR CASE IS HEARD.

GREECE HAS FOLLOWED SIMILAR PROCEDURES IN THE PAST WHEN FACED WITH EXTRADITION REQUESTS FOR ALLEGED TERRORISTS.

A JORDANIAN ARRESTED IN GREECE IN 1982 IS STILL AWAITING EXTRADITION TO ITALY, WHERE HE IS WANTED FOR ALLEGEDLY PLOTTING AN ATTACK AGAINST THE ROME SYNAGOGUE THAT KILLED A SMALL BOY.

RASHID, BELIEVED TO BE AN EXPLOSIVES EXPERT, IS SUSPECTED OF PLACING A SOPHISTICATED DEVICE THAT WENT OFF ABOARD A TWA JET ON A ROME-ATHENS FLIGHT IN APRIL 1986 AS IT FLEW OVER SOUTHERN GREECE. FOUR PEOPLE, INCLUDING A BABY, DIED WHEN THEY WERE BLASTED OUT OF THE AIRCRAFT.

RASHID ALSO ALLEGEDLY PLACED A BOMB ABOARD A PAN AM JUMBO JET THAT EXPLODED AS THE PLANE WAS COMING IN TO LAND AT HONOLULU ON A FLIGHT FROM TOKYO IN 1982. A JAPANESE TEEN-AGER WAS KILLED AND 15 PASSENGERS WERE INJURED.

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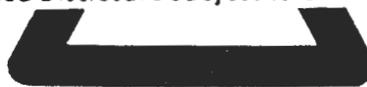
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PALESTINIAN JAILED FOR SEVEN MONTHS IN GREECE

BY COSTAS PARIS

ATHENS, JULY 14, REUTER - A PALESTINIAN HIJACK SUSPECT, WHOSE DETENTION IN GREECE MAY HAVE PROMPTED A BLOODY ATTACK ON A TOURIST SHIP, WAS SENTENCED TO SEVEN MONTHS IN JAIL ON THURSDAY FOR ENTERING THE COUNTRY WITH A FALSE PASSPORT.

A COURT HANDED DOWN THE SENTENCE ON MOHAMMED RASHID, 34, WHO IS WANTED BY THE UNITED STATES FOR A BOMB ATTACK ON A PAN AMERICAN AIRLINES PLANE IN 1982 WHICH KILLED ONE PERSON.

GREEK POLICE HAVE BEEN INVESTIGATING THE POSSIBILITY THAT A GUERRILLA ASSAULT ON A GREEK TOURIST SHIP ON MONDAY WAS STAGED TO BLACKMAIL AUTHORITIES INTO RELEASING RASHID.

NINE PEOPLE WERE KILLED AND 80 WOUNDED WHEN GUERRILLAS OPENED FIRE WITH SUB-MACHINE GUNS AND THREW GRENADES ON THE PLEASURE BOAT CITY OF POROS AS IT NEARED ATHENS.

LAWYERS FOR RASHID SAID THEY WOULD APPEAL AGAINST THE VERDICT AND THAT HE WOULD STAY IN PRISON PENDING THE APPEAL. GREEK OFFICIALS HAVE SAID THEY ARE STUDYING AN AMERICAN REQUEST FOR EXTRADITION.

RASHID IS ALSO SUSPECTED OF INVOLVEMENT IN A BOMB ATTACK ON A TRANS WORLD AIRLINES PLANE OVER GREECE IN 1986 WHICH KILLED FOUR PEOPLE.

RASHID TOLD THE COURT: "I AM A FIGHTER FOR A GROUP THAT BELONGS TO THE PLO (PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANISATION). MY STRUGGLE IS CONFINED TO THE OCCUPIED LANDS." HE WAS REFERRING TO TERRITORY OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL DURING THE 1967 ARAB-ISRAELI WAR.

A POLICE OFFICER TOLD THE COURT RASHID WAS ARRESTED LAST MAY. AFTER CHECKING HIS FINGER-PRINTS THEY FOUND HE HAD BEEN ARRESTED IN ATHENS IN NOVEMBER 1973 FOR TRYING TO SMUGGLE IN 15 KG (35 LB) OF HASHISH.

HE WAS SENTENCED THEN TO 10 YEARS IN JAIL BUT RELEASED IN 1976 AND LEFT THE COUNTRY, THE POLICE OFFICER SAID.

THE PALESTINIAN INSISTED THAT HE HAD NEVER BEEN IN GREECE BEFORE AND THAT HIS NAME WAS THAT GIVEN ON THE FORGED PASSPORT -- MOHAMMED HADDAD HALLIL.

"EVEN IF THE PASSPORT IS FORGED, THE NAME IS RIGHT," HE TOLD THE COURT. "IT IS ONLY NATURAL THAT MY PASSPORT WAS FALSE. WE PALESTINIANS DO NOT HAVE A COUNTRY."

RASHID SAID: "I WAS GIVEN THE PASSPORT BY MY SUPERIORS. I CAME TO GREECE ON MAY 26 WITH A FOUR-DAY TRANSIT VISA AND THEN I WAS TO TRAVEL TO A CAMP. I HAVE NEVER BEEN IN GREECE BEFORE."

HE GAVE NO FURTHER DETAILS ABOUT THE CAMP.

HEAVY SECURITY SURROUNDED THE COURT IN CENTRAL ATHENS AND ONLY JOURNALISTS WERE ALLOWED TO ENTER.

RASHID TOLD THE COURT HE LEARNED OF THE ATTACK ON THE CITY OF POROS IN THE NEWSPAPERS. HE SAID THE ATTACK WAS AN AMERICAN PLAN AIMED AT DISCREDITING THE PLO AND THEIR CAUSE.

"IT WAS AN AMERICAN PLAN THAT THE SHIP ATTACK WOULD BE CONNECTED TO REQUESTS FOR MY RELEASE," HE SAID. GREEK OFFICIALS HAVE NEVER SAID PUBLICLY THAT THEY RECEIVED SUCH REQUESTS.

RASHID SPOKE IN ARABIC DURING THE TRIAL AND AN OFFICIAL FROM THE PLO DIPLOMATIC MISSION IN ATHENS TRANSLATED. ANOTHER OFFICIAL FROM THE PLO MISSION WAS PRESENT DURING THE TRIAL.

THERE HAVE BEEN TWO CLAIMS OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ATTACK

ON THE TOURIST SHIP, ONE IN PARIS AND ONE IN BEIRUT. GREEK OFFICIALS HAVE DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THEIR AUTHENTICITY.

BUT FOREIGN MINISTER KAROLOS PAPOULIAS SAID ON THURSDAY THAT OTHER CALLS HAD BEEN MADE.

"THERE ARE TWO CLAIMS OF RESPONSIBILITY," HE TOLD REPORTERS, APPARENTLY REFERRING TO THE CALLS IN PARIS AND BEIRUT. "BUT I MUST TELL YOU THAT CALLS ARE BEING MADE FROM SOURCES THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED OUTSIDE GREECE."

IN BUDAPEST, THE FOREIGN MINISTRY SAID TWO HUNGARIANS WHO WERE ABOARD THE CITY OF POROS WERE STILL MISSING.

IT SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT A HUNGARIAN WHO WAS ON THE SHIP TOLD THE HUNGARIAN EMBASSY IN ATHENS THAT TWO OF HIS RELATIVES WHO HAD BEEN WITH HIM HAD DISAPPEARED.

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Greek police escort Rashid, wanted by U.S. authorities, into Athens courtroom.

# Suspected Terrorist Is Sentenced in Greece

By Loren Jenkins  
Washington Post Foreign Service

ATHENS, July 14—A 34-year-old Palestinian wanted by the United States on charges of planting a bomb on a U.S. jetliner was sentenced here today by a Greek court to seven months in prison for entering Greece on a forged Syrian passport.

The ruling means that the United States will have to wait until the sentence has been served before the Greek judiciary will take up a U.S. request to extradite the Palestinian, Mohammed Rashid, to the United States to stand trial for his alleged terrorist acts.

U.S. prosecutors want to try Rashid, who today claimed he was a "fighter" in the PLO's Palestine Liberation Army, on charges of placing a bomb on a Pan Am jet flying from Tokyo to Honolulu in 1982. The bomb detonated over Hawaii, resulting in the death of a Japanese teen-ager and the wounding of 15 other passengers.

Knowledgeable foreign officials here said that Rashid, who was picked up at Athens airport in late May on a tip from the U.S. Embassy, may also have been responsible for a bomb placed under the seat of a TWA jet flying from Rome to Athens in 1986, which resulted in the death of four Americans.

Rashid's trial before three judges in a sweltering courthouse in central Athens drew a considerable amount of attention here. It came only three days after a group believed to be Arab terrorists staged a murderous grenade and automatic rifle attack on a Greek cruise ship, the City of Poros, which was loaded with hundreds of foreign tourists on a day trip in the Aegean Sea.

Both Greek and western officials speculated that the raid, which left nine dead and about 98 wounded by the latest official count, might have been an attempt to gain hostages to barter for Rashid's freedom. The officials said they suspected that Rashid might be a member of a terrorist group run by renegade Palestinian Sabri Banna, known as Abu Nidal.

But that theory was deflated by the vigor with which the Palestine Liberation Organization, which opposes Abu Nidal, stood by Rashid at his hour-long trial here today.

The PLO diplomatic mission hired the Greek lawyer who defended Rashid, provided a PLO Arabic-Greek interpreter to facilitate the legal proceedings and sent its deputy chief of mission to the court to provide support for Rashid.

Sources said U.S. intelligence agencies believe that Rashid is a key operative in a shadowy group run by Mohammed Abdel Ali Labib, who is said to operate under the code name "Colonel Hawari." The U.S. government believes the group placed the bomb on the TWA jet in 1986, the sources said.

Rashid denied today having placed bombs on either the Pan Am or the TWA jet, said he was not linked to the attack on the City of Poros earlier this week and insisted his name was not Mohammed Rashid.

"I am a member of the PLO and the Palestine Liberation Army," Rashid told the court, adding that he "was passing through Greece in transit on a secret mission" when he was arrested.

Rashid said his name is Mohammed Hamdan, the name in the Syrian passport he was carrying when he was arrested at Athens airport May 30. He admitted, however, that the passport was forged, declaring that as a Palestinian he could not get his own legal passport.

He said that his PLO superiors had supplied him with the passport to allow him to travel to what he called his "camp."

The court ruled that he was Mohammed Rashid after Greek police testified he had been arrested for smuggling hashish in Greece in 1973 and had served three years of a six-year prison term. Police said his fingerprints matched those taken in 1973.

*NY Times 15.7.88*

*File Rashid*

## TERRORIST SUSPECT IS JAILED IN GREECE

### Palestinian Sought by U.S. Gets 7 Months for Using Forged Syria Passport

Special to The New York Times

ATHENS, July 14 — A Palestinian sought by the United States on charges of involvement in two midair bomb attacks was sentenced today to seven months' imprisonment on charges of entering Greece with a forged Syrian passport.

At the same time, Greece charged the United States with orchestrating a press campaign on the terrorism issue to undermine the Greek Government and to force it to sign an agreement on American military bases here.

The Palestinian, Mohammed Rashid, who is 35 years old, is awaiting an extradition hearing. He was also convicted on a hashish-trafficking charge in Greece in 1973.

The defendant, who was arrested at Athens airport May 30 on a tip by the American authorities, is sought by the United States on charges that he was involved in bomb attacks against American passenger planes, one in 1982 and the other in 1986, that left five people dead and dozens wounded. At his trial he denied the charges.

If the evidence is found to be inadequate for extradition, he will be expelled to a country of his choice.

#### Describes P.L.O. Ties

Mr. Rashid said he belonged to an organization called Palestinian Liberation, which he described as a branch of the Palestine Liberation Organization. He added that officials of the organization had provided him with the Syrian passport.

On the issue of criticizing Greece, a Government spokesman, Sotiris Kostopoulos, said: "The truth is being fabricated against Greece. Always, whenever we are in the midst of negotiations over the U.S. bases, the usual circles try to pass on blackmail messages to overcome the determination of the Greek Government."

The statement was made to the Greek and foreign press as the Greek authorities continued to search for the perpetrators of an attack on a Greek excursion ship Monday that left 9 people dead and 98 wounded.

#### 2 Groups Claim Responsibility

Police officials said today that they believed that a 21-year-old French woman, originally mistakenly believed to be a member of a terrorist group, might be among the victims. They also said that a young Moroccan woman, originally listed as a suspect, had been found and was no longer believed to have been involved.

Two groups, Islamic Holy War and Martyrs of the Palestinian People's Revolution, have so far claimed responsibility.

In Washington, the Director of Central Intelligence, William H. Webster, said the attack had the hallmarks of the Palestinian group led by Abu Nidal, which he said had three members in Greek jails.

In an attempt to curb damage to Greek tourism, Merchant Marine Minister Evangelos Yannopoulos told Parliament late last night that from now on all Greek passenger vessels will carry 5 to 10 Greek commandos.

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