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UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1558 FIELDSERV X SECCEN CMA MALANIA CMA RANALLO

DEPARTED BEIRUT / NEWYORK AND IVANSMITH BEIRUT/PARIS 1300Z

SIX DECEMBER STOP ALL ON PANAM FLIGHT 65

ANDERSON.

CFM 1558 1300Z 65.

04 SSSSS JERUSALEM 24 05 1635Z

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1557 TO JORDIER FROM LEARY STOP FOLLOWING RECEIVED
FROM IVAN SMITH QUOTE ETD FRIDAY DAMASCUS 0800Z STOP MALIK
NOW 0900Z UNQUOTE

CFM 1557 0800Z 0900Z

27 JERUSALEM 18 5 1036Z

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1556 CORDIER FROM ACT; COS X SCOPUS CONVOY COMPLETED AT
051025Z X SECRETARY GENERAL INFORMED.

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CORDIER

5 DEC 1956

26 S DAMASCUS 69 5 1000Z

UNATIONS NY

CORDIER FROM SMITH STOP ARRIVED ON SCHEDULE STOP FOREIGN
MINISTER AND HEADS DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS AT AIRPORT STOP VERY
FULL SCHEDULE INCLUDING FORMAL CALLS FOREIGN OFFICE TALKS
CMA LUNCH PRESIDENT AND DINNER FOREIGN MINISTER STOP SINCE
DIPLOMATIC CORPS INVITED ATTEND AIRPORT DEPARTURE FRIDAY
1000 LOCAL TIME WE ENDEAVOURING MOVE

P2/19

PROGRAMME TO MAKE BEIRUT TALK 1100 INSTEAD OF 1000Z STOP
WILL ADVISE STOP NO REPEAT NO PRESS STATEMENTS MADE.

CFM: 1000 1100 1000Z

13 SSS JERUSALEM 16 05 0815

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1554 CORDIER FROM LEARY STOP SECGENERAL AND PARTY
HAVE ARRIVED DAMASCUS

CFM 1554

101 SSS JERUSALEM 186/133 4 2043Z

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UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1543 CORDIER AND FOOTE FROM EVANSMITH STOP IT WAS
DECIDED THAT EYE SHOULD MEET PRESS ISRAELI SIDE THIS EVENING
STOP NO PROBLEMS STOP MAIN POINTS IN ANSWER QUESTIONS
STOP PARA LEARY STOP REFERRED TO THAT PART OF LAST AMMAN
COMMUNIQUE CONCERNING COOPERATION UNTSO AND SECGENS PREVIOUS
PUBLISHED

P2

LETTER QUOTE FULL PERSONAL CONFIDENCE UNQUOTE AND SAID
QUOTE NOTHING TO ADD UNQUOTE STOP PARA ANNOUNCED DEPARTURE
FOR DAMASCUS TOMORROW ETA 1000 LOCAL AND UNDER PRESENT
PLANS LEAVE FOR BEIRUT FRIDAY MORNING STOP SHORT TALK
DOCTOR MALIK DURING TRANSIT AND ONWARD NEWYORK STOP PARA
ADDED NO AGENDA FOR SYRIAN TALKS

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WHICH IN SOME CATEGORY AS IN ISRAEL QUOTE EXCHANGING VIEWS
UNQUOTE WHILE IN AREA AS AYE RESULT OF PRIMARY MISSION
STOP EMPHASIZED TALKS PROBABLY CENTERING ON ISRAEL SYRIAN
ARMISTICE LINE IN SAME WAY AS SIMILAR QUESTIONS RAISED
DURING ISRAEL TALKS STOP IF OTHER QUESTIONS WER TO BE RAISED
IT WOULD

P4/35/33

NOT BE BY SECGEN STOP PARA ON BENZINE DETAILED COMPOSITION
OF CONVOY NOT MATTER FOR SECGEN STOP UNTSO OFFICER RESPONSIBLE
FOR MOUNT SCOPUS HAS RESPONSIBILITY STOP PARA AS USUAL
DECLINED EVALUATE RESULTS MISSION

CFM 1548 1000

84 SSSSS JERUSALEM 8 3 1841Z

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1541 CORDIER INFO FOOTED FROM LEARY STOP FOLLOWING
IS TEXT PRESS RELEASE ISSUED TODAY STOP QUOTE STOP A MEETING
TOOK PLACE BETWEEN THE SECRETARY GENERAL AND THE PRIME MINISTER
OF ISRAEL AT THE OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER FROM 5.30
TO 7.00 PPM CMA THREE DECEMBER 1957

P2/38

STOP PARA STOP THE DISCUSSION EXTENDED OVER THE MAIN CURRENT
PROBLEMS AFFECTING THE ISRAEL DASH JORDAN ARMISTICE SITUATION
STOP THESE INCLUDED MOUNT SCOPUS AND SPECIFICALLY THE CONVOY
CMA AS WELL AS IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENT STOP
UNQUOTE.

CFM: 1541 5.30 7.00.

34 SSS JERUSALEM 17 3 1110Z

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1539 X CORDIER FROM LEARY X SECRETARY GENERAL AND PARTY
NOW AT GOVT HOUSE JERUSALEM.

CFM 1539.

81 SSS JERUSALEM 222 2 1950Z

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1535 STOP CORDIER FOOTE FROM SMITH STOP FOLLOWING IS TEXT
PRESS RELEASE ISSUED TWO DECEMBER AMMAN STOP QUOTE STOP THE MINISTER
OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN AND THE
SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS CONTINUED TODAY THEIR
DISCUSSION OF THE STRENGTHENING OF THE

P2

POSITION OF THE UNTSO STOP THE STUDY AIMED AT CLARIFYING THE
CONSTITUTIONAL AND OTHER ASPECTS OF THIS PROBLEM STOP PARA STOP IN
THE LIGHT OF THE EXCHANGE OF VIEWS THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE
HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN ASSURED THE SECRETARY GENERAL THAT IT
WAS THE WISH OF THE GOVERNMENT

P3

OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN CMA WHICH RECOGNIZED THE
SCOPE AND NATURE OF THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL
WITH RESPECT OF THE UNTSO CMA TO MAINTAIN THE FULLEST COOPERATION
WITH THAT ORGANIZATION STOP PARA STOP ATTENTION WAS GIVEN BY THE
SECRETARY GENERAL AND THE FOREIGN MINISTER TO ARRANGEMENTS

P4

WITHIN THE MACHINERY OF UNTSO BY WHICH SUCH COOPERATION COULD
BE ENSURED PARA STOP THE DISCUSSION OF THE SPECIFIC ISSUES ON THE
AGENDA HAS ALSO COVERED THE DIFFICULTIES WHICH HAVE RECENTLY
ARISEN IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONVOY TO MOUNT SCOPUS STOP THE
VIEWS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM

P5/22

OF JORDAN HAVING BEEN FULLY CLARIFIED CMA THE SECRETARY GENERAL
WILL NOW UNDERTAKE FURTHER STEPS INTENDED TO RESOLVE THE PROBLEM
STOP UNQUOTE.

33 JERUSALEM 210 2 1230Z

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1533 FOOTED FROM SMITH STOP QUOTE BACKGROUND ONLY STOP
ON ARRIVAL SUNDAY FOUND LARGE AND REPRESENTATIVE PRESS CORPS
READY TO SPECULATE WILDLY BECAUSE THEY IMAGINED MISSIONS SCOPE
WENT FAR BEYOND ITS SPECIFIC PURPOSES STOP DIFFICULT INFORMAL BACK-
GROUNDERS SEEMED TO HELP FOCUS ATTENTION MORE ACCURATELY AND
SUNDAYS COMMUNIQUE

P2

WHICH WE CABLED YOU CMA FINALLY SET BALANCE RIGHT STOP PARA STOP
SUNDAYS PROGRAMME SECCEN ALONE HOUR WITH FOREIGN MINISTER FOLLOWED
BY SHORTER MEETING PRIME MINISTER DURING MORNING STOP SUNDAY
AFTERNOON AUDIENCE WITH KING FOLLOWED BY THREE HOURS FOREIGN OFFICE
MEETING INCLUDING VIGIER CMA MALANIA STOP SUNDAY NIGHT
KINGS DINNER

P3

TO SECCEN FIFTY GUESTS INCLUDING DIPLOMATIC CORPS STOP MONDAY
MORNING SECCEN ALONE FOREIGN MINISTER ONE HOUR 10 AM STOP
ELEVEN AM MEETING JOINED BY VIGIER CMA MALANIA AND COL GEORGE
FLINT FROM OUR SIDE STOP FLINT WEARS TWO HATS AND IS HERE AS CHIEF
OF STAFFS REPRESENTATIVE ON MOUNT SCOPUS

P4

RATHER THAN AS CHAIRMAN JORDAN MAC STOP PROBABLY AFTERNOON MEETING
FOLLOWED BY COMMUNIQUE AND PRESENT EXPECTATION LEAVE FOR ISRAEL
TUESDAY MORNING STOP FOREIGN MINISTER GIVING OFFICIAL DINNER FOR
SECCEN MONDAY NIGHT CMA EIGHTY GUESTS STOP SIMILAR FRIENDLY
PUBLIC EMPHASIS CMA ALL QUARTERS FULL PICTURE COVERAGE ETC STOP
LOCAL PAPERS CONTINUE

P5/10

CORDIAL WELCOME AND LEAD AND SECCENS WORK OF NOVEMBER UNQUOTE.

JERUSALEM 1 December 1957

UNATIONS NY

UNTSO 1530 CORDIER FROM LEARY INFO FOOTE STOP FOLLOWING IS TEXT
PRESS RELEASE ISSUED ONE DECEMBER STOP QUOTE STOP THE FOREIGN
MINISTER OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN AND THE SECRETARY
GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS STARTED THE DISCUSSION OF PROBLEMS
RELATING TO THE STRENGTHENING OF THE POSITION OF THE UNITED
NATIONS TRUCE SUPERVISION ORGANIZATION STOP THE AGENDA IS LIMITED
TO SPECIFIC PROBLEMS CONNECTED WITH UNTSOS AUTHORITY IN AREA
UNDER UNITED NATIONS RESPONSIBILITY, PARTICULARLY IN THE MOUNT
SCOPUS DEMILITARIZED AREA STOP PARA STOP THE DISCUSSION WILL
BE RESUMED TOMORROW STOP UNQUOTE

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UNTSO 1527 CORDIER FROM LEARY STOP SEC GEN ARRIVED AMMAN 0656+
ONE DECEMBER.

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HIS EXCELLENCY

MR SAMIR ERRIFAI

MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

AMMAN (JORDAN) =

3 EXCELLENCY I THANK YOU FOR YOUR REPLY TO MY MESSAGE AND NOTE THAT YOU WOULD CONSIDER IT USEFUL WITH A PERSONAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS WITH HIS MAJESTY AND THE JORDAN GOVERNMENT STOP THANKING YOU FOR YOUR WELCOME I WISH =

P2 =

TO INFORM YOU THAT I CAN ARRANGE LEAVING NEWYORK FRIDAY AFTERNOON WITH ARRIVAL AMMAN SUNDAY AND WILL ACT ACCORDINGLY IF I DO NOT HEAR ANYTHING FROM YOU TO THE CONTRARY STOP I WILL RESERVE THE WHOLE OF THE FOLLOWING WEEK FOR THESE TALKS IN AMMAN AND OTHER CAPITALS CONCERNED STOP =

P3/28 =

I MAY REVERT SHORTLY TO ONE OR TWO QUESTIONS WHICH MAY USEFULLY BE TAKEN UP BEFORE MY VISIT STOP WITH KIND REGARDS =

DAG HAMMARSKJOLD SECRETARY GENERAL UNATIONS NEWYORK +

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HISEXCELLENCY MR DAG HAMMARSKJOLD SECRETARY GENERAL UNITED
NATIONS NEWYORK

WITH MY SINCERE THANKS FOR YOUR
MESSAGE OF YESTERDAY IN WHICH YOU INFORMED ME
THAT YOU HAVE PLANNED TO ARRIVE IN AMMAN NEXT
SUNDAY I ONCE AGAIN EXTEND TO YOU OUR HEARTY WELCOM
AND LOOK FORWARD TO THE PLEASURE OF SEEING YOU THEN MY
KINDEST REGARDS

SAMIR ERRIFAI MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

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HIS EXCELLENCY MR DAG HAMMARSKJOLD SECRETARY GENERAL UNITED NATIONS NEWYORK

I THANK YOUR EXCELLENCY FOR YOUR PROMPT REPLY STOP HIS MAJESTY TND THE JORDAN GOVERNMENT SHARE YOUR VIEW THAT THE MATTER WITH OTHER IMPORTANT RELATIVE ASPECTS SHOULD BE FULLY AND EXTENSIVELY DISCUSSED BETWEEN YOU PERSONALLY AND THE JORDAN GOVERNMENT STOP

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WE THEREFORE WARMLY WELCOME YOUR OFFER TO VISIT AMMAN WHICH VISIT WE EARNESTLY HOPE COULD BE ARRANGED VERY SOON STOP PLEASE INFORM ME DATE OF YOUR ARRIVAL STOP WE SINCERELY HOPE THAT YOUR VISIT WILL BE PLANNED SO AS TO PERMIT NOT ONLY DISCUSSIONS IN AMMAN BUT ENOUGHT TIME FOR

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YOU TO REVIEW ALL PHASES OF UNITED NATIONS RESPONSIBILITIES ON THE SAMIR ERRIFAI MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS ^{SPOT}

IN PAGE 1 NEXT TO LAST WD MAKE GOVERNMENT PAGE 2 2ND LINE LAST TEXT DATE RPT DATE

PAGE 3/ 1ST/ LINE END MAKE READ RESPONSIBILITIES ON THE SPOT SAMIR ETC

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JERUSALEM =

601 FOR LEARY I HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM AMMAN QUOTE F AMMAN 209 24 1805 J GOVT HE DAG HAMMARSKJOLD SECRETARY GENERAL UNITED NATIONS NEWYORK I HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT COLONEL BYRON LEARY ACTING CHIEF UNITED NATIONS TRUCE SUPERVISION ORGANIZATION HAS REPEATEDLY TAKEN AN OBVIOUSLY BIASSED ATTITUDE IN CARRYING OUT HIS DUTIES IN HIS CAPACITY AS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND EXECUTOR OF ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AND INSTRUCTIONS IN VIEW OF HIS PARTIALITY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN HAS WITH REGRET DECIDED NOT TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH HIM AND NOT TO GIVE ANY DUE CONSIDERATION TO HIS DECISIONS WHICH WILL NO LONGER BE BINDING ON JORDAN MY GOVERNMENT REGRETS TO FIND ITSELF COMPULLED TO TAKE SUCH A DECISION AFTER IT HAS BEEN PROVED TO US THAT HIS RULINGS WERE BIASSED IN SEVERAL CASES I THEREFORE REQUEST YOUR EXCELLENCY TO NOTIFY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL OF THIS DECISION CONFIDENT OF YOUR EXCELLENCYS APPRECIATION OF THE SITUATION ON THE JORDANIAN ISRAELI DEMARCATION LINES AND OF YOUR PERSONAL INTEGRITY AND IMPARTIALITY I TRUST THAT YOU WILL TAKE IMMEDIATE MEASURES TO SUBSTITUTE COLONEL LEARY BY THE APPOINTMENT OF A NEW REPRESENTATIVE WHO WOULD INSURE PROPER COOPERATION WITH THE JORDAN GOVERNMENT PLEASE ACCEPT YOUR EXCELLENCY THE RENEWED ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION SAMIR ERRIFAI MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS UNQUOTE IN REPLY I HAVE SENT THE FOLLOWING CABLE QUOTE H.E. MR. SAMIR ERRIFAI MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AMMAN, JORDAN EXCELLENCY I HAVE JUST RECEIVED YOUR CABLE OF TODAY REGARDING THE INTENTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN NOT TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH COLONEL LEARY IN HIS CAPACITY AS ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNTSO. THIS FARREACHING STEP CANNOT BUT SURPRISE ME, BEING TAKEN WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE THROUGH WHICH MY ATTENTION COULD HAVE BEEN DRAWN TO YOUR CONCERN. IT MAY BE POINTED OUT THAT THE ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNTSO, WHO IS A RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT, SERVES ALL OF THE PARTIES TO THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS AS WELL AS THE UNITED NATIONS. I DEEPLY REGRET TO NOTE IN YOUR MESSAGE THAT YOU CONSIDER THAT COLONEL LEARY HAS QUOTE REPEATEDLY TAKEN AN OBVIOUSLY BIASSED ATTITUDE UNQUOTE. YOU WILL UNDERSTAND THAT I PERSONALLY HAVE FOLLOWED CLOSELY COLONEL LEARY'S ACTIVITIES AND THEREFORE

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COULD HAVE BEEN DRAWN TO YOUR CONCERN. IT MAY BE POINTED OUT THAT THE ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNTSO, WHO IS A RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT, SERVES ALL OF THE PARTIES TO THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS AS WELL AS THE UNITED NATIONS. I DEEPLY REGRET TO NOTE IN YOUR MESSAGE THAT YOU CONSIDER THAT COLONEL LEARY HAS QUOTE REPEATEDLY TAKEN AN OBVIOUSLY BIASED ATTITUDE UNQUOTE. YOU WILL UNDERSTAND THAT I PERSONALLY HAVE FOLLOWED CLOSELY COLONEL LEARY'S ACTIVITIES AND THEREFORE SPEAK ON THE BASIS OF INTIMATE KNOWLEDGE WHEN I STATE THAT I AM UNAWARE OF GROUNDS WHICH MAY HAVE LED YOU TO THIS CONCLUSION. COLONEL LEARY CONTINUES TO ENJOY MY FULL PERSONAL CONFIDENCE AS AN OBJECTIVE AND IMPARTIAL OFFICER OF THIS ORGANIZATION. PENDING A CLARIFICATION OF THE REASONS FOR YOUR STAND, I OBVIOUSLY MUST BASE MY JUDGMENT ON MY OWN PERSONAL EXPERIENCE. THUS I MUST NOW APPEAL TO YOU TO CONTINUE YOUR COOPERATION WITH COLONEL LEARY ON THE BASIS OF MY ASSURANCE OF UNWAVERING CONFIDENCE IN HIS IMPARTIALITY. IN CASE OF AN UNFAVOURABLE REPLY TO THIS APPEAL, I WOULD ASK YOU TO PROVIDE ME WITH AN ELABORATION OF THE SPECIFIC REASONS FOR YOUR STAND SO AS TO ENABLE US TO EVALUATE THEM IN THE LIGHT OF FULL KNOWLEDGE. I WOULD PROPOSE THAT, THEREAFTER, THE DISCUSSION OF THE MATTER BE PURSUED IN PERSONAL CONTACT BETWEEN YOUR GOVERNMENT AND THE SECRETARIAT. WERE YOU TO CONSIDER IT TO BE NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE, I WOULD, OF COURSE BE HAPPY TO DISCUSS THIS MATTER PERSONALLY IN AMMAN AT THE CONVENIENCE OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING AND YOUR GOVERNMENT

DAG HAMMARSKJOLD SECRETARY GENERAL UNATIONS UNQUOTE

WE HAVE MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO THE PRESS QUOTE

24 NOVEMBER 1957 A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SECRETARY-GENERAL CONFIRMED TONIGHT THAT THE SECRETARY-GENERAL HAD RECEIVED A MESSAGE FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF JORDAN, MR. SAMIR ERRIFAI, TO THE EFFECT REPORTED IN NEWSDESPATCHES FROM AMMAN TODAY (REGARDING ITS INTENTION NOT TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH COLONEL LEARY, ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE UNITED NATIONS TRUCE SUPERVISION ORGANIZATION). THE SECRETARY-GENERAL HAS SENT AN IMMEDIATE REPLY IN WHICH HE HAS POINTED OUT THAT HE IS UNAWARE OF GROUNDS WHICH MAY HAVE LED THE JORDANIAN GOVERNMENT TO ITS CONCLUSION AND THAT COLONEL LEARY CONTINUES TO ENJOY THE FULL PERSONAL CONFIDENCE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL. HE APPEALS TO THE JORDANIAN GOVERNMENT TO CONTINUE ITS COOPERATION WITH COLONEL LEARY. IF FURTHER DISCUSSION WERE TO BE FOUND NECESSARY, THE SECRETARY-GENERAL PROPOSES THAT THE MATTER BE PURSUED IN PERSONAL CONTACTS BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF JORDAN AND THE SECRETARIAT. UNQUOTE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR URGENT COMMENTS =

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H.E. MR. SAMIR ERRIFAI
MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
AMMAN (JORDAN) =

2 EXCELLENCY I HAVE JUST RECEIVED YOUR CABLE OF TODAY REGARDING
THE INTENTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF
JORDAN NOT TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH COLONEL LEARY IN HIS
CAPACITY AS ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNTSO STOP =

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THIS FARREACHING STEP CANNOT BUT SURPRISE ME COMMA BEING TAKEN
WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE THROUGH WHICH MY ATTENTION COULD HAVE BEEN
DRAWN TO YOUR CONCERN STOP IT MAY BE POINTED OUT THAT THE
ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNTSO COMMA WHO IS A RESPONSIBLE
OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT COMMA =

P3 =

SERVES ALL OF THE PARTIES TO THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS AS WELL AS THE
UNITED NATIONS STOP I DEEPLY REGRET TO NOTE IN YOUR
MESSAGE THAT YOU CONSIDER THAT COLONEL LEARY HAS QUOTE REPEATEDLY
TAKEN AN OBVIOUSLY BIASSED ATTITUDE UNQUOTE STOP YOU WILL UNDERSTAND
THAT I PERSONALLY HAVE FOLLOWED CLOSELY COLONEL =

P4 =

LEARY'S ACTIVITIES AND THEREFORE SPEAK ON THE BASIS OF
INTIMATE KNOWLEDGE WHEN I STATE THAT I AM UNAWARE OF GROUNDS
WHICH MAY HAVE LED YOU TO THIS CONCLUSION. COLONEL LEARY
CONTINUES TO ENJOY MY FULL PERSONAL CONFIDENCE AS AN OBJECTIVE
AND IMPARTIAL OFFICER OF THIS ORGANIZATION STOP
PENDING A =

P5 =

CLARIFICATION OF THE REASONS FOR YOUR STAND, I OBVIOUSLY
MUST BASE MY JUDGMENT ON MY OWN PERSONAL EXPERIENCE STOP
THUS COMMA I MUST NOW APPEAL TO YOU TO CONTINUE YOUR
COOPERATION WITH COLONEL LEARY ON THE BASIS OF MY ASSURANCE
OF UNWAVERING CONFIDENCE IN HIS IMPARTIALITY STOP IN CASE =

P6 =

OF AN UNFAVOURABLE REPLY TO THIS APPEAL COMMA I WOULD ASK YOU
TO PROVIDE ME WITH AN ELABORATION OF THE SPECIFIC REASONS
FOR YOUR STAND SO AS TO ENABLE US TO EVALUATE THEM IN THE LIGHT
OF FULL KNOWLEDGE STOP I WOULD PROPOSE THAT COMMA THEREAFTER

THIS FARREACHING STEP CANNOT BUT SURPRISE ME COMMA BEING TAKEN WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE THROUGH WHICH MY ATTENTION COULD HAVE BEEN DRAWN TO YOUR CONCERN STOP IT MAY BE POINTED OUT THAT THE ACTING CHIEF OF STAFF OF UNTSO COMMA WHO IS A RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT COMMA =

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SERVES ALL OF THE PARTIES TO THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS AS WELL AS THE UNITED NATIONS STOP I DEEPLY REGRET TO NOTE IN YOUR MESSAGE THAT YOU CONSIDER THAT COLONEL LEARY HAS QUOTE REPEATEDLY TAKEN AN OBVIOUSLY BIASED ATTITUDE UNQUOTE STOP YOU WILL UNDERSTAND THAT I PERSONALLY HAVE FOLLOWED CLOSELY COLONEL =

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THE MATTER BE PURSUED IN PERSONAL CONTACT BETWEEN YOUR GOVERNMENT AND THE SECRETARIAT STOP WERE YOU TO CONSIDER IT TO BE NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE COMMA I WOULD COMMA OF COURSE BE HAPPY TO DISCUSS THIS MATTER PERSONALLY IN AMMAN AT THE CONVENIENCE OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING AND YOUR GOVERNMENT =

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