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Mahmoud Fawzi (Perm. Mission of the United Arab Rep.)

- to Sec. Gen.

PERMANENT MISSION OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC  
TO THE UNITED NATIONS

NEW YORK, July 1st., 1958.

Personal and Confidential

Dear Dag,

Your welcome and timely visit to Cairo and letter from Beyrouth have marked two important questions on what we should and hope to be the road of peace and fairness.

The outline of thought and approach, procedure which you made in Cairo and from Beyrouth coincides, as you know, with our way of looking at and into the Lebanese situation regarding which we believe, as you do, that, without international complications, the Lebanese have to make their own decisions and adopt their own line of action for the settlement of their internal problems. The President, who sends you his best greetings, and the Cairo government, are firm in their determination to give full support to your present efforts in behalf of common sense and constructiveness.

This has been applied also to the, Voice of the Arabs, broadcasts mentioned in your letter to me from New York which came to my notice while on board the boat. The necessary demarches have immediately been made upon order from the President, and it is to be expected that this matter will cease to cause any serious worry..

Our present trip will end around the 15th. of July or a little later but you can reach me any time through Loutfi.

I conveyed your greetings to my wife who is here and who wishes you well and extends to you her sincere thanks.

Cordial greetings,

Mahmoud Fawzi