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## ISRAELI UNITS PATROLLING SOUTH LEBANON AREA TO FORESTALL FURTHER TERRORIST INCURSIONS INTO ISRAEL

By Yitzhak Shargil

TEL AVIV, April 9 (JTA) -- A military spokesman confirmed this evening that Israeli army units are patrolling an area of south Lebanon in what he described as preventive action to forestall terrorist incursions into Israel. The move into Lebanon followed by two days the terrorist attack on Kibbutz Misgav Am in upper Galilee in which three Israelis were killed and 16 wounded.

News reports from Lebanon today said Israeli forces, estimated at between 60-100 troops, though possibly more, had set up positions and encampments at at least four sites 3-4 miles inside Lebanese territory. The Israeli force was said to include a number of troop carriers and one bulldozer. It was reported to have surrounded the villages of Tiri, Taibeh, Shakra and El Bar, in the region controlled by the Irish units of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL).

The Israeli troops apparently entered Lebanon early this morning. Reports of their presence there, from Beirut and UNIFIL headquarters initially drew no comment from Israeli authorities. The reports said the Israelis were setting up tents and erecting barbed wire fences. Beirut radio said they also set up road blocks in the area.

There were no indications whether any further moves were planned in south Lebanon or retaliatory action for the Misgav Am outrage. But MK Moshe Arens, chairman of the Knesset's Foreign Affairs and Security Committee, said during a visit to Misgav Am today that the terrorist raid was made possible by the inaction of the Israeli army. He said an offensive policy was needed to keep the terrorists off balance and prevent them from organizing attacks on Israel.

Some Knesset members were sharply critical of UNIFIL because the terrorists had managed to infiltrate its lines. They charged that the UN force not only allows the terrorists to operate and pass through the areas under its control but constitutes a problem for Israel should it decide to retaliate for terrorist assaults.

Meanwhile, a team of army experts and civilian engineers investigating why the electronic alarm system failed when the terrorists penetrated the security fences surrounding Misgav Am, concluded that the failure was mechanical and not due to human error.

## NO DECISION REACHED IN CARTER, SADAT TALKS UNTIL ISRAEL IS CONSULTED

By Joseph Polakoff

WASHINGTON, April 9 (JTA) -- President Carter and President Anwar Sadat of Egypt completed their discussions today, after four meetings in 24 hours, without indicating publicly what proposals on the autonomy negotiations will be made to Israeli Premier Menachem Begin when he comes here next week for the second round of Carter's dual summit talks.

At a White House dinner last night and in their remarks to reporters this morning following their final session, the two leaders spoke of "full autonomy" for the Palestinians and the essentiality of a "comprehensive" settlement in the Mideast.

But Carter said, "No decision could be reached because Israel must be consulted as well." He said that Begin has been kept informed of the discussions that took place here and will be provided with a "full report" following Sadat's departure. The President added that Sadat, in turn, will be kept fully informed of his discussions with the Israeli leader next week.

Although he did not indicate what transpired in his talks with Sadat, Carter said today "We have had, perhaps, the most far-reaching discussions these last two days in my own experience as President concerning the many issues that effect our two nations." He said the meetings were "a good exploratory opportunity for us" to "detect differences between us (the U.S.) and the people of Egypt." He did not elaborate.

Neither Carter nor Sadat referred, in their public statements, to substantive issues discussed or likely to come up in the autonomy negotiations, such as the status of Jerusalem, Israel's security needs or a Palestinian state, the latter officially opposed by the U.S. as well as by Israel.

## Carter Stresses Full Autonomy

In his toast at the White House dinner last night, Carter spoke of the "organization of a self-governing authority" on the West Bank and Gaza Strip. He said:

"The people of those two territories are granted autonomy and, as Prime Minister Begin said many times, in the presence of President Sadat and me, not just autonomy, full autonomy -- full autonomy, he said many, many times. It is important for us to know that the (Camp David) agreement calls for a strong local police force and for that local police force to be interrelated with law enforcement officials in Jordan and in Egypt and in other surrounding countries."

Carter hinted that the U.S. may help in the resettlement of Palestinian refugees when he said: "The nations involved, that is Egypt, Israel, we and others, should provide for the resolution of the problem of the Palestinian refugees."

## Sadat Underlines Drive For 'Genuine Change'

In his response, Sadat said, "If a comprehensive settlement was a necessity at the time we began our endeavor, it is an absolute must today." He declared: "We shall spare no effort in our concerted drive to effect a genuine change in the West Bank and Gaza. A real transfer of authority must take place and a new era of reconciliation should begin. This would be in the interests of all nations, not the Palestinian people alone."

The Egyptian leader added, "No one benefits from the continuation of occupation and the perpetuation of conflict. No one profits from the escalation of tension and the deepening of suspicion and distrust among those who live in the same region."

Addressing reporters in the White House Rose Garden today, Carter spoke of elements "spelled out so plainly and specifically in the Camp David accords" including "realization of security for Egypt," "recognition of sovereign rights," Israel's "security within recognized borders, recognition of Palestinian rights" and "recognition that the Palestinians must have a voice in the determination of their own future."

Sadat, in his parting comments, said "At this moment there are lots of difficulties and new developments in the area where we live -- namely Afghanistan, Iran, the threat to the (Persian) Gulf -- all this, in my view, should enhance the efforts for finding an agreement of full autonomy for the Palestin-

ians" as set forth in the Camp David documents.

Sadat emphasized that the "Palestinian question is the core and crux of the whole problem in the Middle East and the Arab-Israeli conflict." He credited President Carter's "decision to act as a full partner" in the discussions as "a turning point in the history of the conflict and behind all the achievements in the last two years." Sadat concluded, "As I promised before, I shall never let you down."

#### DULZIN PREDICTS DRASTIC CUTS IN SOVIET JEWISH EMIGRATION

By David Landau

JERUSALEM, April 9 (JTA) — Leon Dulzin, chairman of the Jewish Agency and World Zionist Organization Executives, has predicted a drastic reduction toward the end of the year in the number of Jewish emigrants from the Soviet Union. His prediction came in a bitter report to the WZO Executive here on the visit he made to the transit facilities in Vienna during Passover.

Dulzin stressed that Soviet authorities were refusing to receive family reunion requests emanating from relatives in Israel in cases where closer relatives were known to have left the USSR ostensibly for Israel but then settled in the United States.

In recent months, he said, the dropout rate had fallen to 35 percent for this reason, and at the same time the overall figure of Soviet Jewish emigration was dropping. The "compromise" proposal suggested by Premier Menachem Begin, whereby American Jewish organizations would offer aid only to those emigrants who have close relatives already in the U.S. was "no longer relevant," Dulzin said.

The dropouts he had met with in Vienna knew that by going to the U.S. and Canada they were "preventing their families still in the USSR from leaving there," Dulzin said. He termed their attitude "egocentric cruelty," and said this pattern of thinking was apparently a product of their growing up in Soviet society. The WZO Executive is to look into a proposal by its treasurer Akiva Levinsky to cut down the time the Soviet Jews spend in Vienna as a way of discouraging dropouts.

#### VANDALS DESECRATE GRAVES OF 22 CANADIAN JEWISH SOLDIERS WHO DIED IN THE BATTLE OF NORMANDY

By Edwin Eytan

PARIS, April 9 (JTA) — The graves of 22 Canadian Jewish soldiers who were killed in World War II during the Allied landings in Normandy and were buried in the military cemetery at Chateau-Bretteville in Normandy were desecrated Monday night. The tombstones were overturned and smashed and vandals scrawled anti-Semitic slogans on them, including, "Against the Jewish invasion — It is only the beginning." No organization has claimed responsibility for this outrage and police say they have no clues as to who is responsible. The cemetery is on an isolated hilltop and is unguarded.

There are 1000 graves in the cemetery of Canadian soldiers who were killed in the 1944 Allied landings which heralded the liberation of France from Nazi occupation. Today, a delegation of French Jews led by the rabbi of Chateau-Bretteville laid wreaths on the graves of the 22 Jewish Canadian soldiers. The town's mayor, Michel Lebaron, said that repairs would be completed as soon as possible.

#### VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION DISPERSED

JERUSALEM, April 9 (JTA) — Security forces broke up violent demonstrations in Abu Dis village and in Ramallah today. A number of arrests were made and the demonstrators were charged with disturbing the peace.

Students at the UNRWA school in Ramallah threw stones and burned tires in a demonstration marking the anniversary of the destruction of the Arab village of Deir Yassin by Irgun forces during Israel's War of Independence. They were also expressing solidarity with Mayor Kharim Khalaf of Ramallah and Mayor Ibrahim Tawil of El-Bireh who went on trial today for allegedly assaulting an Israeli policeman more than a year ago.

Both mayors were acquitted by the magistrate who accepted the testimony of defense witnesses that the defendants did not deliberately strike the policeman but were knocked against him during a fracas in the Supreme Court building.

The demonstration in Abu Dis was staged by students protesting the shutdown of the seminary there. They waved Palestinian flags and placards.

#### DENY TALKS WITH COLOMBIAN TERRORISTS

JERUSALEM, April 9 (JTA) — The Foreign Ministry denied today a report that Israel was negotiating separately with the terrorists holding diplomats as hostages in the Dominican Embassy in Colombia. According to a report, Brazil and Switzerland are also conducting separate negotiations with the M-19 group holding the Ambassadors. The Foreign Ministry said it was acting to free the Israeli Ambassador being held hostage in full coordination with the other countries whose diplomats are also being held in the occupied Embassy.

#### SALES TO IRAQ

WASHINGTON, April 9 (JTA) — Whether Congress will approve the sale of eight General Electric jet turbine engines for four warships being built for Iraq in Italy was a controversial issue here today. Some members of Congress said that the sale violates a U.S. law preventing transfers of such equipment to countries that have backed terrorism. The Commerce Department approved the \$11 million sale last Jan. 23.

The Congress reportedly was not informed of the sale. State Department spokesman Hoddin Carter said yesterday that he was seeking information on a final decision and he would not comment on it. Congress was informed of the sale Monday, the day when five Palestinian terrorists, members of an Iraqi-sponsored terrorist group calling itself the Arab Liberation Front, stormed the children's house in Kibbutz Misgav Am near the Lebanese border and killed three Israelis, including a 2 1/2-year-old child.

NEW YORK (JTA) — The commemoration of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising and memorial service for the six million Jewish victims of the Holocaust will be held at Temple Emanu-El Sunday even if the New York City transit strike continues. "Nothing will stop our memorial to the heroes and martyrs of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising," it was stressed by Benjamin Meed, chairman of the United Commemoration Committee. Meed, who is also president of the Warsaw Ghetto Resistance Organization, urged those driving to the ceremony to offer rides to others. He praised the New York City police and parks departments for designating special parking areas near the temple for the ceremony. Similar ceremonies will be held throughout the country on Sunday.