ISRAELI TRAINING FOR TURKISH HERON UAS OPERATORS CEASES FOLLOWING FREE GAZA FLOTILLA (U/FOUO)
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SUBJ: ISRAELI TRAINING FOR TURKISH HERON UAS OPERATORS CEASES FOLLOWING FREE GAZA FLOTILLA

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SOURCE: A.

1. (U/FOUO) DESCRIPTION -- OPEN SOURCE/FIRAT NEW AGENCY.
TURKISH-LANGUAGE KURDISH COVERAGE PRO PKK ONLINE NEWSPAPER. DATE OF SOURCE: 2100611.

2. (U/FOUO) CONTEXT STATEMENT -- PRO-KURDISH NEWS AGENCY THAT CLOSELY TRACKS TURKISH MILITARY ACTIONS IN THE SOUTHEAST OF TURKEY.
SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.
TEXT: 1. (U/FOUO) EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. FOLLOWING THE FREE GAZA FLOTILLA ON 31 MAY 2010, THE ISRAELI TRAINING FOR TURKISH AIR FORCE HERON UAS OPERATORS CEASED. IN ADDITION, A TURKISH DELEGATION THAT WAS SUPPOSED TO TRAVEL TO ISRAEL TO TEST HERON UASS HAS CANCELLED ITS VISIT.

2. (U/FOUO) FOLLOWING THE FREE GAZA FLOTILLA, THE TWO ISRAELI HERON UAS OPERATORS WHO WERE TRAINING THE TURKISH AIR FORCE HOW TO OPERATE THE HERON UAS IN BATMAN, TURKEY HAVE LEFT TO RETURN TO ISRAEL. ADDITIONALLY, A TURKISH DELEGATION THAT WAS SCHEDULED TO TRAVEL TO ISRAEL OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS TO TEST ADDITIONAL HERON UASS HAS CANCELLED ITS VISIT TO ISRAEL. TO DATE, ISRAEL HAS DELIVERED SIX OF
SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

TEXT: 1. (U) EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES (IDF) WILL INTRODUCE PUBLIC RELATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL WORLD MEDIA OPINION INTO FUTURE WAR GAME SCENARIOS.

2. (U) AS OF NEXT YEAR, THE SENIOR ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES (IDF) COMMAND WILL HOLD STRATEGIC EXERCISES AT THE MILITARY, DIPLOMATIC AND PUBLIC RELATIONS-INFORMATION LEVELS. THIS SPECIAL TRAINING, AimED AT BETTER COOPERING WITH THE OPERATIONAL RAMIFICATIONS ON THE INTERNATIONAL ARENA, WILL UTILIZE THE NEWLY MAFAT-DEVELOPED SIMULATOR. MAFAT IS AN ACRONYM IN BOTH ENGLISH AND HEBREW, USING THE FIRST LETTERS OF THE WORDS IN HEBREW WHICH ARE TRANSLATED AS ADMINISTRATION OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF FIGHTING MEANS AND TECHNOLOGICAL INFRASTRUCTURE, OR KNOWN BY ITS SHORTER NAME IN
ENGLISH DEFENSE RD. THE FIRST SYSTEM HAS BEEN INTRODUCED INTO THE DADO INSTITUTE FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY MILITARY THINKING TO REFINISH CERTAIN ASPECTS AMONG SENIOR STRATEGIC OFFICERS.

ISRAELI SPECIAL FORCES MEMBERS BOARD THE SHIP HAMYAR MARMARA ON 31 MAY 2010 AS IT WAS ATTEMPTING TO BREAK THE BOMB ON QADA DIAMOND. THE EVENT WHERE NINE ACTIVISTS WERE KILLED AT THE END OF THE TURKISH DURING THE ENDING INCIDENT.
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SERIAL: (U) [REDACTED]

****** THIS IS A COMBINED MESSAGE ******

BODY

COUNTRY: (U) TURKEY (TUR); ISRAEL (ISR).

IPSP: (U) [REDACTED]

SUBJ: TURKISH ACADEMIC'S ARTICLE ON TURKEY AND ISRAEL - STRATEGIC PARTNERS IN DISCORD (U/FOUO).

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REQS: (U) [REDACTED]

SOURCE: SOURCE A.

1. (U) DESCRIPTION -- OPEN SOURCE. DEFENSE TURKEY IS AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE PUBLICATION THAT INTRODUCES DEFENSE SALES, CONTRACTS AND DEVELOPMENTS PERTAINING TO TURKEY. IT IS AIMED FOR AN INTERNATIONAL AUDIENCE. DATE OF SOURCE: 20100801.

2. (U) CONTEXT STATEMENT -- RECEIVED OPEN SOURCE PUBLICATION THROUGH OFFICIAL DUTIES.

SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

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RELIABLE AND POWERFUL FRIEND IN ITS REGION. THE BILATERAL AND BROADER CONSEQUENCES OF THE LOSS OF TRUST AND MUTUALITY BETWEEN TURKEY AND ISRAEL WILL BE FAR-REACHING AND ENDURING UNLESS REVERSED WITH A SUSTAINED EFFORT BY BOTH COUNTRIES.

2. (U/FOGA) TURKEY WAS THE FIRST MUSLIM COUNTRY TO RECOGNIZE ISRAEL'S STATEHOOD AND MAINTAINED UNINTERRUPTED DIPLOMATIC TIES WITH ISRAEL DESPITE THE PRESSURE OF ARAB STATES AND THE STRAINS OF VICISSITUDES EXPERIENCED OVER TIME IN THEIR OWN RELATIONS. IN THE 1990S THE RELATIONSHIP BEGAN TO FLOURISH IN THE POLITICAL, MILITARY, ECONOMIC, AND COMMERCIAL SPHERES. AFTER THE SIGNING OF A FREE TRADE AGREEMENT IN 1997, TRADE VOLUME INCREASED BY SEVEN FOLD TO A LEVEL OF MORE THAN 3 BILLION USD PER YEAR. ISRAELI TOURISTS CAME TO TURKEY IN LARGE NUMBERS, AND HIGH-LEVEL DIPLOMATIC VISITS WERE FREQUENT BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. THIS POSITIVE TRENDS CONTINUED UNTIL THE 2008 ISRAELI MILITARY OPERATION AGAINST HAMAS IN THE GAZA STRIP.


4. (U/FOGA) ACCORDING TO DR. LOGOGLU, THE REASON THE RELATIONSHIP HAS REGRESSED SO DEEPLY HAS A LOT TO DO WITH THE QUESTIONABLE POLICIES PURSUED BY ISRAEL. HOWEVER, IT ALSO HAS A LOT TO DO WITH THE PARADIGM SHIFT IN TURKISH SOCIETY, PROPELLED AND GUIDED BY THE PARTICULAR OUTLOOK OF THE RULING JUSTICE AND DEVELOPMENT PARTY (AKP) ON DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS. THIS SHIFT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN BEING CRITICAL OF ISRAEL ON THE ONE HAND AND BEING ANTI-ISRAEL ON THE OTHER.

5. (U/FOGA) ONE DIMENSION THAT IS LIKELY TO SUFFER THE MOST FROM THIS DOWNWARD SPIRAL IN THE RELATIONS BETWEEN TURKEY AND ISRAEL IS
THE DEFENSE-MILITARY COMPONENT OF THE BI-LATERAL RELATIONSHIP. THE DEFENSE COOPERATION STARTED IN EARNEST IN MID-1990 WHEN TURKEY AND ISRAEL SIGNED TWO SEPARATE AGREEMENTS. THE FIRST (FEB 96) WAS ON MILITARY AND THE SECOND (AUG 96) WAS ON COOPERATION IN DEFENSE INDUSTRIES. BOTH AGREEMENTS SET UP THEIR OWN FOLLOW-UP AND MONITORING MECHANISMS THAT MET REGULARLY. IN THE YEARS FROM 1996 ON, HUNDREDS OF ISRAELI OFFICERS CAME TO TURKEY AND MANY TURKISH OFFICERS RECEIVED TRAINING IN ISRAEL.

6. (U/FOCO) DURING THE PERIOD OF 1996 TO 2008, THE MILITARY-TO-MILITARY EXCHANGES BLOSSOMED INTO A ROBUST AND COMPLEX RELATIONSHIP, DUBBED AS A "STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP". THERE WERE MORE THAN TWENTY MAJOR PROJECTS, INCLUDING THE MODERNIZATION AND UPGRADING OF F-4 AND F-5 JET AIRCRAFT, M-60 TANKS AND HELICOPTERS. TURKEY BECAME A LUCRATIVE MARKET FOR ISRAELI MILITARY PRODUCTS SUCH AS ROCKETS AND UNMANNED AIRCRAFT AS WELL AS ADVANCED MILITARY TECHNOLOGY. BOTH SIDES BENEFITED FROM THIS RELATIONSHIP—TURKEY WAS GETTING HIGH QUALITY PRODUCTS; ISRAEL WAS EARNING MONEY. ONE PARTICULAR ADVANTAGE FOR TURKEY WAS THAT ISRAEL WAS PROVIDING CRITICAL HIGH-TECH PRODUCTS THAT THE U.S. AND OTHER ALLIES WERE UNWILLING TO SELL TO TURKEY. A GAIN OF SPECIAL IMPORTANCE FOR ISRAEL WAS THAT IT WAS ENJOYING THE PSYCHOLOGICAL COMFORT OF HAVING SUCH A STRONG BOND IN DEFENSE MATTERS WITH A HEAVYWEIGHT LIKE TURKEY, REDUCING ITS SENSE OF ISOLATION IN THE REGION.


8. (U/FOCO) THE TURKISH RESPONSE TO THE FLOTILLA ATTACK HAS BEEN PRIMARILY IN THE MILITARY DEFENSE FIELD. TURKEY IMMEDIATELY CANCELLED THREE DIFFERENT JOINT MILITARY EXERCISES AND CALLED OFF A LONG-PLANNED AIR DRILL AT THE LAST MINUTE TO PREVENT ISRAEL'S
PARTICIPATION. A NUMBER OF MILITARY CONTRACTS IN THE PIPELINE HAVE BEEN PUT IN DEEP FREEZE, IF NOT ALTOGETHER CANCELLED. CONSULTATIVE MECHANISMS HAVE COME TO A HALT. INTELLIGENCE COOPERATION MAY HAVE ENDED, EVEN BEFORE THE FLOTILLA ATTACK I WAS TOLD (MAY 6, 2010) BY AN ISRAELI GENERAL AT A CONFERENCE AT NETANYA COLLEGE THAT THE LEVEL OF MILITARY COOPERATION HAD ALREADY BEEN REDUCED TO A MINIMUM IN THE LAST TWO YEARS. FROM A PROJECTED VOLUME OF ABOUT 2 BILLION USD, THE DEFENSE CONTRACTS SHRUNK TO LESS THAN 100 MILLION USD IN 2007 AND 2008.


10. (U) THE ATTACHED ENCLOSURE CONTAINS THE ORIGINAL, COMPLETE ARTICLE.

COMMENTS OF INTEREST WAS DR. LOGOGLU'S STATEMENT THAT "EVEN BEFORE THE FLOTILLA ATTACK I WAS TOLD (MAY 6, 2010) BY AN ISRAELI GENERAL AT A CONFERENCE AT NETANYA COLLEGE THAT THE LEVEL OF MILITARY COOPERATION HAD ALREADY BEEN REDUCED TO A MINIMUM IN THE LAST TWO YEARS." THIS INFORMATION CORROBORATES OTHER REPORTING (SEE NEXT PARAGRAPH FOR THE LISTING OF IIRS) THAT TURKEY'S RULING JUSTICE AND DEVELOPMENT PARTY (AKP) INTENTIONALLY TRIGGERED THE FLOTILLA INCIDENT WITH ISRAEL IN ORDER TO DEVELOP A
"Turkey and Israel: Strategic Partners in Discord"

The strategic link between Turkey and Israel has been badly broken to the detriment of peace, security and stability in the critical region of the Middle East. With the deterioration of their relationship, Turkey has in effect removed itself from the equation of the Middle East peace process while Israel has deprived itself of the help of perhaps the most reliable and powerful friend in its region. The bilateral and broader consequences of the loss of trust and mutuality between Turkey and Israel will be far-reaching and enduring, unless reversed with a sustained effort by both countries.

The shared history of the Turkish and Jewish peoples is rich and singularly positive. They have enjoyed friendly ties throughout history and the Turks have helped the Jewish people in their times of difficulty and hardship. Turkey was the first Muslim country to recognize Israel's statehood and maintained uninterrupted diplomatic ties with Israel despite the pressure of the Arab states and the straits and vicissitudes experienced over time in their own relations. In the 1990s, the relationship began to flourish in the political, military, economic and commercial spheres. After the signing of a free trade agreement in 1997, trade volume increased by seven fold to a level of more than 3 billion US dollars per annum. Israeli tourists came to Turkey in large numbers. There were frequent high-level diplomatic visits between the two countries. This positive trend prevailed until about 2008.

However, things began to deteriorate rapidly in the aftermath of the Israeli military operation against Hamas in the Gaza Strip in late 2008. From that point on, the Turkish Government exhibited an increasingly critical attitude toward Israel. There was the well-known "one-minute" outburst in Davos. Following Israel's attack at the end of May (2010) on the aid flotilla, Turkey withdrew its Ambassador and relations hit their lowest point. It conditioned the resumption of normal relations on a series of demands. Turkey is asking for an apology from Israel, compensation to the families of those killed, Israel agreeing to the establishment of an UN-led international investigation of the incident, the return of the detained ships and the lifting of the naval blockade against Gaza. So far, Israel has only taken some limited steps towards the loosening of the blockade in response to the pressure from the international community. There is no indication now that Israel intends to meet any of Turkey's demands. Given the current domestic political configurations in the two countries, the chances of normalization in the near future are quite dim. At present, the political atmosphere is acrimonious.

Why the relationship has regressed so deeply has a lot to do with the questionable policies pursued by Israel.
However, it also has a lot to do with the paradigm shift in Turkish society, propelled and guided by the particular outlook of the ruling Justice and Development Party (AKP) on domestic and foreign affairs. This shift is responsible for the difference between being critical of Israel on the one hand and being anti-Israel on the other.

One dimension that is likely to suffer the most from this downward spiral in the relations between Turkey and Israel is the defense-military component in the bilateral relationship. The defense cooperation started at the beginning of the 1990s when Turkey and Israel signed two separate agreements. The first (February 1996) was on military training. The second (August 1996) was on cooperation in defense industries.

Both agreements set up their own follow-up and monitoring mechanisms that met regularly. In the years from 1996 onwards, hundreds of Israelis officers came to Turkey and many Turkish officers received training in Israel.

During the period 1996-2008, the military-to-military exchanges blossomed into a robust and complex relationship, dubbed as a "strategic partnership". There were more than twenty major projects, including the modernization and upgrading of F-4 and F-4 jet aircraft, M-60 tanks and helicopters. Turkey became a lucrative market for Israeli military products such as rockets and unmanned aircraft as well as advanced military technology. Both sides benefited from this relationship.

Turkey was getting high quality products; Israel was earning money. A particular advantage for Turkey was that Israel was providing critical high-tech products that the US and other allies were unwilling to sell to Turkey.

A gain of special importance for Israel was that it was enjoying the psychological comfort of having such a strong bond in defense matters with a heavyweight like Turkey, reducing its sense of isolation in the region.

The military cooperation encompassed a range of different activities. There were joint naval exercises and search and rescue operations in the eastern Mediterranean with the participation of the US and observers from Jordan. In addition, Israeli air force enjoyed the privilege of training its air force pilots at facilities offered by Turkey. An important privilege for Israel with its extremely limited airspace. In the same vein, Turkey invited Israel to participate in joint tours with NATO members. On the other hand, while we cannot know the exact extent of intelligence cooperation between the armed forces of the two countries, we can safely say that two sides have over the years engaged in a healthy exchange of intelligence over a wide range of issues. Israel purchased uniforms, boots and similar supplies from Turkey. Turkey and Israel also worked together in joint research and development projects concerning defense-related issues.

The Turkish response to the flotilla attack has been primarily in the military-defense field. Turkey immediately cancelled three different joint military exercises and called off a long-planned air drill at the last minute to prevent Israel's participation. A number of military contracts in the pipeline have been put in deep freeze, if not altogether cancelled. Consultative mechanisms have come to a halt. Intelligence cooperation may have ended. Even before the flotilla attack I was told (May 6, 2010) by an Israeli general at a conference at Netanya College that the level of military cooperation had already been reduced to a minimum in the past two years. From a projected volume of about 2 billion US dollars, the defense contracts shrank to less than 100 million in 2007-2008.

What is clear is that the Turkish-Israeli military and defense connection has already suffered severe damage, a component dependent on the state of political relations between the two countries. The Turkish Government has painted itself into a corner (though it could and should have managed the tensions with Israel with wisdom and moderation, rather than emotion and anger). On the other hand, Israel made the mistake of not responding more flexibly to Turkish demands after the flotilla incident and wrongly assumed it could afford to alienate Turkey. Under the circumstances, the prospect of recovery of trust and mutualism between Turkey and Israel is very distant indeed.

The Turkish-Israeli strategic partnership provided a cushion of stability for the whole area. Now that comfort zone is gone. This does not augur well for the region. A functional Turkish-Israeli strategic partnership is perhaps of greater importance for the Arab states of the region than it is for the two countries themselves. With Israel no longer enjoying the good will of Turkey, Iran might feel more emboldened with its activities in the region, which in turn might trigger a radical response from Israel. Turkey is unfortunately no longer an arbiter in the Middle East conflict, but almost a party to it. Hence, the Middle East region is today pregnant to further instabilities. This makes a rapprochement between Turkey and Israel all the more urgent.
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HE LACKS EXPERIENCE BECAUSE THIS IS HIS FOREIGN POSTING. INTERESTINGLY, HE LIVES FROM NORTHERN ISRAEL AND IS A THE ISRAELI DEFENSE ATTACHE (DAAT) WAS IN ISRAEL FOR PRE-PLANNED CONSULTATIONS WHEN THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE, AND HAS NOT RETURNED TO TURKEY. NEGOTIATIONS ARE UNDERWAY TO RE-DESIGNATE HIM SO THAT HE CAN RETURN TO ANKARA.
Subject: ISRAELI NAVAL FORCES FORCEFULLY BOARD SIX-SHIP FLÓTTILA CARRYING HUMANITARIAN AID ON 31 MAY 2010; NINE DEAD, NUMEROUS WOUNDED. (U).
SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

TEXT: 1. (U/FOUO) EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. ON 31 MAY 2010, ISRAELI NAVAL FORCES BOARDED A FLOTTILLA OF SIX VESSELS WHOSE STATED GOAL WAS TO BREAK THE ISRAELI BLOCKADE OF GAZA. THE BOARDING TURNED VIOLENT WHEN PASSENGERS ON A FERRY ATTACKED THE BOARDING NAVAL FORCES WHO RESPONDED WITH DEADLY FORCE WHICH RESULTED IN NINE DEAD PASSENGERS, AND NUMEROUS WOUNDED ON BOTH SIDES.

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PASSENGERS ATTACKED THE BOARDING PARTY WITH METAL PIPES, KNIVES, AND CHAINS. THE NAVAL FORCES RESPONDED WITH DEADLY FORCE WHICH RESULTED IN NINE PASSENGERS KILLED, AND NUMEROUS PASSENGERS AND NAVAL FORCES WOUNDED. SIGNIFICANT RESISTANCE WAS ONLY ENCOUNTERED ON ONE OF THE SIX VESSELS.

3. (U/FOUO) UPON ESTABLISHMENT OF CONTROL OVER THE SHIPS, PASSENGERS, AND CREW, THE NAVAL FORCES SAIRED THE SHIPS TO ASHDOD PORT WHERE THEY DOCKED EARLY ON 31 MAY 2010. THE FLOTTILLA CONSISTED OF ONE PASSENGER FERRY, ONE MEDIUM-SIZED YACHT (NO FURTHER INFORMATION) AND FOUR CARGO SHIPS WITH MOSTLY CREW ON BOARD IN ADDITION TO THE REPORTED SUPPLIES. UPON ARRIVAL AT ASHDOD PORT, ALL PERSONNEL WERE MADE TO DISEMBARK WHERE THEY WERE SCREENED BY SECURITY PERSONNEL FOR WEAPONS OR OTHER CONTRABAND, THEN PROCESSED BY IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS TO DETERMINE THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS. FOREIGN PASSENGERS AND CREW NOT SUSPECTED OF VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NAVY STATED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO DEPART ISRAEL PEACEFULLY AFTER COMPLETING STATEMENTS, WERE PROCESSED AND TRANSPORTED TO THE AIRPORT FOR DEPARTURE TO THEIR HOME COUNTRIES. THOSE WHO WERE UNCOOPERATIVE OR WERE SUSPECTED OF VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NAVY
COMMANDOS WERE PROCESSED AS CRIMINALS AND TRANSPORTED TO THE ELA DETENTION FACILITY IN BEER SHEVA (GEOCOORD:3114N/03447E), ISRAEL. ISRAEL LATER BEGAN DEPORTATION PROCEDURES FOR THESE PERSONNEL AS WELL AND EXPECTED ALL FOREIGN PASSENGERS AND CREW FROM THE FLOTILLA TO HAVE DEPARTED ISRAEL BY 04 JUNE 2010 AT THE LATEST. ISRAELI CITIZENS WHO WERE ON BOARD THE SHIPS WERE PROCESSED AS NORMAL ENTRY INTO THE COUNTRY, EXCEPT THOSE SUSPECTED OF VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NAVY COMMANDOS, WHO WERE PROCESSED AS CRIMINALS. SHEIKH RAED SALAH, A PROMINENT ARAB ISRAELI LEADER, WHO WAS ON BOARD AND INVOLVED IN THE VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NAVY COMMANDOS, WAS ARRESTED AND INTERROGATED, BUT WAS NOT BEING TREATED AS OTHER CRIMINALS DUE TO HIS HIGH PROFILE AND THE DESIRE NOT TO INFLAME THE ARAB ISRAELI POPULACE. NO CREW REMAINED WITH ANY OF THE SHIPS. ALL CREW MEMBERS WERE PROCESSED ALONG WITH THE PASSENGERS AND WILL BE DEPORTED BY 04 JUNE 2010. BY 1300 ON 01 JUNE 2010, ALL PERSONNEL FROM THE FLOTILLA HAD DEPARTED ASHDOD PORT VIA ONE OF THE MEANS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

4. (U/FOUO) UPON COMPLETION OF PERSONNEL PROCESSING, CUSTOMS AND SECURITY PERSONNEL BEGAN INSPECTION OF THE SHIPS AND CARGO TO INCLUDE PERSONAL EFFECTS OF THE PASSENGERS AND CREW. DURING THE INSPECTION, A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF ITEMS USED AS WEAPONS AGAINST THE NAVY CREWS WERE FOUND ON THE PASSENGER FERRY AND WERE SECURED. THE ITEMS INCLUDED LARGE MACHETE-TYPE KNIVES, METAL PIPES, WOODEN CLUBS, LARGE WRENCHES, AND CHAINS. MEMBERS OF THE PRESS WERE BEING ALLOWED TO PHOTOGRAPH THE SECURED ITEMS. AS OF 1400 ON 01 JUNE 2010, BESIDES THE ABOVE WEAPONS, NO OTHER CONTRABAND (TO INCLUDE EXPLOSIVES) HAD BEEN FOUND ON ANY OF THE SHIPS.

5. (U/FOUO) THE SHIPS OF THE FLOTILLA ARE LIKELY TO REMAIN IN ASHDOD FOR THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE AS THEIR FINAL DISPOSITION IS DEBATED AND NEGOTIATED. THERE ARE DISCUSSIONS WITHIN THE GOI THAT ISRAEL MAY SEIZE THE SHIPS PERMANENTLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH MARITIME LAW (NOT FURTHER SPECIFIED).

COMMENTS: (FIELD COMMENTS) 1. (U/FOUO)

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COUNTRY: (U) ISRAEL (ISR), PALESTINIAN TERRITORY, OCCUPIED (PSE).

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BACKGD: 1. (U) NON-LETHAL WEAPONS (NLW) FALL INTO COUNTER
PERSONNEL (CP) OR COUNTERMATERIAL (CM) CATEGORIES. NLW USED AGAINST PERSONNEL USUALLY INFlict NON-PERMANENT INJURIES, IN WHICH THE TARGETED PERSON RECOVERS FULLY IN HOURS OR DAYS TYPICALLY REQUIRING ONLY GEL, FAD OR BRIEF CARE TO RECOVER. NLW ANTI-MATERIAL EFFECTS ARE EXPECTED TO BE REVERSIBLE OR FIELD REPARABLE. THE IDEAL NON-LETHAL WEAPON ENABLES A COMMANDER TO ACHIEVE HIS OBJECTIVES WITH MINIMAL LOSS OF LIFE AND MINIMAL DESTRUCTION OF INFRASTRUCTURE.

2. INCREASED USE OF NON-LETHAL WEAPONS BY BOTH CIVILIAN AND MILITARY AGENCIES CONTINUES TO INCREASE. WITH THE GREATEST USE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN DEVELOPED COUNTRIES, THE EMPLOYMENT OF NLW IS DEPENDENT ON SEVERAL FACTORS, TO INCLUDE INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOLS, NATIONAL AND LOCAL LAWS.

2A. AS AN EXAMPLE, LASER WEAPONS WHICH ARE INTENTIONALLY DESIGNED TO CAUSE PERMANENT BLINDNESS ARE PROHIBITED BY INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOL BUT MAY BE USED FOR COUNTER ELECTRO-OPTICS OPERATIONS. EVEN THOUGH OC/TEAR GAS OR PEPPER SPRAY MIGHT ADEQUATELY BLIND SYSTEM OPERATORS, THEY MAY OCCUR SIMILARLY, THEIR USE IS PROHIBITED BY INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOL, NIGHT-VISION WEAPONS WHICH ARE INTENTIALLY DESIGNED TO CAUSE PERMANENT BLINDNESS ARE PROHIBITED BY INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOL, BUT MAY BE USED FOR COUNTER ELECTRO-OPTICS OPERATIONS. EVEN THOUGH OC/TEAR GAS OR PEPPER SPRAY MIGHT ADEQUATELY BLIND SYSTEM OPERATORS, THEY MAY OCCUR SIMILARLY, THEIR USE IS PROHIBITED BY INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOL. LASER WEAPONS WHICH ARE INTENTIALLY DESIGNED TO CAUSE PERMANENT BLINDNESS ARE PROHIBITED BY INTERNATIONAL PROTOCOL BUT MAY BE USED FOR COUNTER ELECTRO-OPTICS OPERATIONS.

2B. INTERPRETATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL TREATIES AND CONVENTIONS VARIES BY NATIONS AND THE GOVERNMENTS THAT ARE CURRENTLY IN POWER. THE POLICY AND TACTICS FOR FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC NLW USE MAY DIFFER RADICALLY AND SHOULD BOTH BE COLLECTED AGAINST.

2C. NLW ARE ALSO KNOWN BY THE TERMS SOFT-KILL, ANTI-MATERIAL, LESS-THAN-LETHAL, LESS LETHAL, AND DISABLING TECHNOLOGIES.


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1. (S/N) DESCRIPTION -- MEBJ-0421//A LOCAL NATIONAL WITH DIRECT ACCESS TO THE REPORTED INFORMATION BY VIRTUE OF ATTENDING THE REPORTED EVENT.
2. (S/N) CONTEXT STATEMENT -- SOURCE IS A DEVOUT MUSLIM WHO REGULARLY ATTENDS IMAM SADEQ MOSQUE IN DRAZ ON FRIDAYS. REPORTING OFFICER (RO) AND SOURCE HAVE AN ESTABLISHED RELATIONSHIP. SOURCE IS AWARE OF RO'S AFFILIATION WITH THE U.S. NAVY AND FORCE PROTECTION ROLE. SOURCE APPEARS TO BE MOTIVATED BASED ON DESIRE TO SHARE FORCE PROTECTION RELATED INFORMATION. SOURCE IS NOT TASKED. SOURCE IS...
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SOURCE B:

2. Source Context Statement — WITH DIRECT ACCESS TO THE INFORMATION BY VIRTUE OF ATTENDING THE REPORTED EVENT DURING OFFICIAL DUTIES.

SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

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3. (U) ACCORDING TO SOURCE B, ON 4 JUNE 2010, AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF LOCAL NATIONALS HELD A DEMONSTRATION NEXT TO BAHRAIN MALL IN SUPPORT OF GAZA AND THE PERSIAN CAUSE. THE EVENT WAS ATTENDED BY A NUMBER OF SHIA CLERICS AND ACTIVISTS FROM BAHRAIN INCLUDING "ABDULLAH RASILI (HASSCN) FROM AL-WAFQ AL-ISLAM, AND HASSAN (HASSCN) FROM HAM MOVEMENT. THE CROWD CHANTED ANTI-U.S. AND ANTI-ISRAEL SLOGANS INCLUDING "DEATH TO AMERICA, DEATH TO ISRAEL." DURING THIS PEACEFUL EVENT, MEMBERS OF THE CROWD RAISED HIZBOLLAH FLAGS AND PICTURES OF HASSAN (NASRALLAH), THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF HIZBOLLAH. AT THE END OF THE EVENT, A SMALL GROUP OF DEMONSTRATORS BURNED TIRES AND TRASH BINS NEXT TO THE MARMARIZ RESTAURANT LOCATED ACROSS THE STREET FROM BAHRAIN MALL. (SOURCE COMMENT: THE PROTEST WAS PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY, POLICE WERE PRESENT NEARBY AT A DISCREET DISTANCE, BUT THEY DID NOT INTERVENE.)

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1. DIGITAL PHOTO - (U) DEMONSTRATION IN DURAZ, CROWD BURNING A US FLAG DURING DURAZ DEMONSTRATION ON 04 JUNE 2010; 20JUN04 (U/KOU)
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1. DIGITAL PHOTO: (U) DEMONSTRATION IN DURAZ, CROWD BURNING A US FLAG DURING DURAZ DEMONSTRATION ON 04 JUNE 2010 - 20100614 (U/FOLIO)

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ISRAEL, AS A SOVEREIGN NATION, DECLARED SHIPS SHOULD NOT CROSS A PARTICULAR LINE. A TURKISH FLOTILLA DID CROSS THE LINE AND ISRAEL

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REACTED AS IT SAID IT WOULD WITH AN ATTACK

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TEXT: 1. (U) EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: SECRET DIPLOMACY TO REPAIR
RELATIONS BETWEEN ANKARA AND TEL AVIV COMES TO LIGHT AFTER A HIGH-LEVEL TURKISH DIPLOMATIC VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES, WHICH COUNTS BOTH COUNTRIES AS KEY ALLIES IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AS THE U.S. URGES TURKEY TO RECOGNIZE ISRAEL'S RECONCILIATORY MOVES, A TURKISH DIPLOMAT SAYS ANKARA IS SEEKING WASHINGTON'S ASSISTANCE ON ITS KEY DEMANDS.

2. ACCORDING TO OPEN PRESS, DIPLOMATIC SOURCES HAVE STATED THAT INTENSE U.S. PRESSURE HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THE TAKING OF SLOW RECIPROCAL STEPS BY TURKEY AND ISRAEL TO EASE TENSIONS IN THE SEVERELY DETERIORATED RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO REGIONAL POWERS. THOUGH TURKEY'S MESSAGE WAS CONVEYED TO U.S. OFFICIALS LAST WEEK BY A TURKISH DIPLOMATIC DELEGATION HEADED BY FOREIGN MINISTRY UNDERSECRETARY FERIDUN (SINIRLIOGLU), IT WAS NOT THE FIRST ATTEMPT TO MEND FENCES BEHIND THE SCENES SINCE ISRAEL'S DEADLY 31 MAY 2010 ATTACK ON A TURKISH AID FLOTILLA TO GAZA.


4. PRESS REPORTING CLAIMS THE U.S. IS CALLING ON TURKEY, THROUGH ITS EMBASSY IN ANKARA AND OTHER CHANNELS, TO SEND SOME POSITIVE SIGNALS TO ISRAEL IN APPRECIATION OF THE STEPS IT HAS ALREADY TAKEN. TURKEY HAS LAID DOWN TWO CONDITIONS FOR RESORTING TIES WITH ISRAEL: AN APOLOGY AND COMPENSATION FOR THE VICTIMS. ISRAEL HAS TAKEN DIFFERENT STEPS TO NORMALIZE RELATIONS, INCLUDING AGREEING TO A UN INQUIRY PANEL, RETURNING THE THREE TURKISH SHIPS THAT WERE BOARDED IN THE RAID, TRANSFERRING THE AID THE VESSELS WERE CARRYING TO GAZA, EASING ITS BLOCKADE ON THE GAZA STRIP, AND REMOVING THE TRAVEL WARNING TO ISRAELI VISITORS TO TURKEY. THE TURKISH DIPLOMAT SAID, "WE TOLD THE AMERICANS THE DIMENSIONS THEY DID NOT KNOW. THEY THINK WE HAVEN'T EXERTED ANY EFFORT. WE DID EXERT EFFORTS, BUT DEVELOPMENTS TOOK AN UNDESIRABLE TURN. WE TOLD THEM THIS IS A PROBLEM BETWEEN TWO FRIENDS. MAYBE THIS IS THE REASON IT CANNOT BE SOLVED."

5. ANKARA INFORMED WASHINGTON OF ITS WILLINGNESS TO OVERCOME ITS PROBLEMS WITH ISRAEL, BUT EMPHASIZED THAT ISRAEL NEEDS TO TAKE FURTHER STEPS TOWARD AN APOLOGY AND COMPENSATION. "NINE PEOPLE DIED IN THE END. IF THE STEPS WE ASK FROM ISRAEL ARE TAKEN, WE ARE READY FOR A THAW, BUT ISRAEL IS NOT DOING ANYTHING. WE TOLD THE AMERICANS TO HELP US," THE TURKISH DIPLOMAT SAID. TURKEY INSISTS THE SAME TWO CONDITIONS ARE REQUIRED BEFORE TURKEY RETURNS ITS AMBASSADOR, WHO WAS RECALLED TO ANKARA AFTER THE ISRAELI RAID, TO TEL AVIV. "NOTHING CAN HAPPEN UNLESS THEY ARE MET," THE TURKISH DIPLOMAT SAID.

6. TURKEY IS NOW PINNING ITS HOPE ON THE UN PANEL ESTABLISHED TO INVESTIGATE THE FLOTILLA CRISIS, WHICH THE DIPLOMAT SAID COULD COME UP WITH A FORMULA TO MEET TURKISH DEMANDS.
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SOUTH ASIA BASED ACTIVISTS ATTEMPTING TO Bring Aid Supplies from Syria into Gaza

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. A South Asia-based activist group intends to travel from India to Gaza via Egypt with humanitarian aid.

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The group, currently in Lebanon, Syria, and Jordan, is gathering supplies and intends to travel to Egypt in order to bring humanitarian aid to Gaza via Egypt. The group is awaiting permission to sail to the Egyptian port of al-Arish where its cargo will then be transferred by land across the Egypt-Gaza border. The effort was organized by several charitable organizations, mostly from India. More than 100 activists are participating in the effort, mostly from India, Pakistan, Japan, Afghanistan and Iran. The humanitarian cargo is worth more than one million USD and is comprised of food, medicine, toys, four buses (NFI) and ten generators for use by Gazan hospitals.
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The Netherlands/ACOR. Turkish Islamist NGO banned. ILUR: NGO supports Hamas; links to planned 2nd Gaza flotilla attempt to break Israeli blockade. On 27 April, authorities banned the Netherlands-based branch of the Turkish Islamist NGO International Humanitarian Help (IHH) after investigations by the Dutch General Intelligence and Security Service (AVD) established financial links between the Dutch IHH and the banned Germany-based IHH. The Netherlands-based IHH regularly transferred funds to IHH Germany which were then sent to Turkey and used to support Hamas operations in Gaza. German authorities banned the Frankfurt-based IHH on 12 July 2010 for its clandestine funding of Hamas and its suspected ties to the May 2010 Gaza flotilla incident which resulted in the Israeli slaying of the ship "Mavi Marmara" and the deaths of nine civilians. IHH provided financial support to Hamas relief organizations for social projects intended to increase Hamas influence in Gaza and allow Hamas to dedicate its own resources to terrorist activities against Israel. A portion of the clandestine IHH funding is used to provide financial relief to families of Hamas martyrs and suicide bombers. Despite denials, Netherlands IHH is linked to the Turkey-based Foundation for Human Rights (IHH) which is a member of the Free Gaza Movement that orchestrated the May 2010 relief flotilla incident which attempted to break Israel's blockade of Gaza. The same organization is planning a second flotilla of 15 ships to challenge Israel on or about 31 May. The Turkish IHH openly supports flotilla operations in Chechnya, Afghanistan, Iraq and is tolerated by the Islamist government of Turkish Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdogan and his governing Justice and Development Party (AKP). ISAREUR G2 Analyst Comment: The Netherlands-based IHH and Turkey-based IHH are organizations controlled behind the scenes by the Germany-based IHH (Gorus Islamic) Inherited Organization. The banning of the Netherlands IHH and freezing of its assets will result in a minor disruption of Turkey-based IHH's current financial operations and necessitates the establishment of another front organization to channel funds from Dutch Muslims to the main organization in Turkey. (Medir, 29 Apr 11)
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(U) 23 JUNE 2011 - 24 JUNE 2011 - EUROPE, MEETING - SUMMIT OF EUROPEAN UNION (EU) HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT IN BRUSSELS, BELGIUM.

(U) 24 JUNE 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - JASHN-E-SADEH (FIRE FESTIVAL) 'YAZD' IS A CELEBRATION IN COMMEMORATION OF THE ZOROASTRIANS' DISCOVERY OF FIRE, CONSIDERED AS A HOLY SYMBOL BETWEEN GOD AND HUMANS; SMALL ZOROASTRIAN COMMUNITIES IN IRAN AND SOUTH ASIA WILL OBSERVE THIS DAY.

(U) 24 JUNE 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - MUSLIMS MARK 22 RAJAB AS 'KHOOGAB NAZR,' AND DONATE TO THE POOR IN HONOR OF ALLAH.


(U) 26 JUNE 2011 - 4 JULY 2011 - WORLDWIDE, MEETING - SPECIAL OLYMPICS IN ATHENS, GREECE.

(U) 26 JUNE 2011 - 1 JULY 2011 - CHINA, MEETING - 60TH ANNUAL SESSION OF ASIAN AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION (ALCO) IN COLOMBO, SRI LANKA; NEARLY 250 DELEGATES FROM 47 COUNTRIES WERE EXPECTED TO ATTEND.

(U) 26 JUNE 2011 - 30 JUNE 2011 - PAKISTAN/INDIA, MEETING - INDIAN FOREIGN SECRETARY NIRUPAMA RAJ'S VISIT TO PAKISTAN TO MEET PAKISTANI FOREIGN SECRETARY SALMAN BASHIR FOR TALKS ON DISPUTED TERRITORY OF KASHMIR, PEACE AND SECURITY; THIS WILL BE THE FIRST SUCH MEETING SINCE FEBRUARY 2011 AND IT COMES AHEAD OF VISIT TO INDIA IN JULY 2011 BY YET-TO-BE-APPOINTED PAKISTANI FOREIGN MINISTER. INDIA BROKE OFF PEACE NEGOTIATIONS WITH PAKISTAN AFTER THE 2008 MUMBAI ATTACKS, BUT THE TWO SIDES AGREED EARLIER THIS YEAR TO RESUME TALKS.

(U) 26 JUNE 2011 - 27 JUNE 2011 - AZERBAIJAN/EUROPE, MEETING - AZERBAIJANI PRIME MINISTER KARIM AHMEDOV'S VISIT TO FRANCE FOR TALKS ON COOPERATION, INCLUDING EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - TAJIKISTAN, HOLIDAY - NATIONAL UNITY DAY; PUBLIC HOLIDAY MARKING ANNIVERSARY OF 1977 PEACE ACCORD THAT ENDED THE CIVIL WAR.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - QATAR, HOLIDAY - ANNIVERSARY OF QATAR'S 1977 INDEPENDENCE FROM FRANCE. IT IS ALSO THE ANNIVERSARY OF AMIR HAMAD'S 1995 ASCENSION TO THE THRONE AND IS A PUBLIC HOLIDAY. CROWN PRINCE HAMAD BIN KHALIFA AL THANI OUSTED HIS FATHER, AMIR SHEIK KHALIFA BIN HAMAD AL THANI, IN A BLOODLESS COUP IN 1995. MILITARY PARADES CAN BE EXPECTED.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - EUROPE/RUSSIA, MEETING - UKRAINIAN PRESIDENT VIKTOR YANUKOVYCH AND RUSSIAN PRESIDENT DMITRY MEDVEDEV CO-CHAIR A MEETING OF INTERSTATE COMMISSION IN KIEV, UKRAINE, WHICH WILL DISCUSS THE DELIMITATION OF BORDER IN THE KERCH STRAIT AND THE SEA OF AZOV.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - 30 JUNE 2011 - SUDAN/CHINA, MEETING - SUDANESE PRESIDENT UMAR AL-BASHIR'S VISIT TO CHINA FOR TALKS WITH CHINESE PRESIDENT HU JINTAO ON BILATERAL RELATIONS, NORTH-SOUTH PEACE PROCESS IN SUDAN; AL-BASHIR IS WANTED BY INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT FOR ALLEGED GENOCIDE IN DARFUR.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - 29 JUNE 2011 - EUROPE/U.S., MEETING - BELGIAN FOREIGN MINISTER VANACKERE'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON, D.C.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - 1 JULY 2011 - EGYPT/U.S., MEETING - U.S.-EGYPT BUSINESS AND TRADE FACILITATION INITIATIVE FORUM IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - CHINA, MEETING - FOUR TOP KHMER ROUGE LEADERS GO ON TRIAL ON CHARGES OF WAR CRIMES, CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY, AND GENOCIDE COMMITTED IN 1975; THIS IS THE COURT'S SECOND TRIAL FOLLOWING LANDMARK JULY 2010 CONVICTION OF FORMER KHMER ROUGE PRISON CHIEF KANG GUIH.
(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - AFGHANISTAN, MEETING - PREPARATORY MEETINGS HELD IN KABUL, AFGHANISTAN AHEAD OF SECOND HIGH-PROFILE BONN CONFERENCE ON AFGHANISTAN SCHEDULED FOR 5 DECEMBER 2011.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - 30 JUNE 2011 - SUDESTECH, MEETING - SUDESTECH PRESIDENT LUIS AL-BASSH'S VISIT TO CHINA TO MEET WITH CHINESE PRESIDENT HU JINTAO.

(U) 27 JUNE 2011 - US/INDIA, MEETING - INDIAN FINANCE MINISTER PRANAB MUKHERJEE'S VISIT TO THE US TO ADDRESS THE US/INDIA ECONOMIC CONFERENCE. HE WILL MEET WITH US TREASURY SECRETARY TIMOTHY GEITHNER.

(U) 28 JUNE 2011 - IRAN, HOLIDAY - JUDICIAL DAY AND ANNIVERSARY OF ASSASSINATION OF TZ HIGH-RANKING IRANIAN OFFICIALS (INCLUDING AYATOLLAY BEHESHI).

(U) 28 JUNE 2011 - 1 JULY 2011 - US, MEETING - CHILE DEFENSE CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

(U) 29 JUNE 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - LAYLAT AL-MIRAJ (B? HAJAB ON THE ISLAMIC CALENDAR) CELEBRATES MUHAMMAD'S VISIT BY TWO ANGELS WHO PURIFIED HIS HEART AND FILLED HIM WITH KNOWLEDGE AND FAITH. IT IS BELIEVED TO HAVE TRAVELED FROM MECCA TO JERUSALEM IN ONE NIGHT ON THE BACK OF A CREATURE NAMED BURAQ FROM JERUSALEM, HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN, MET EARLIER PROPHETS, AND MET GOD. WHILE IN HEAVEN, HE WAS OFFERED THE DUTY OF MUSLIM'S TO READ SALAT (RITUAL PRAYER) FIVE TIMES A DAY.

(U) 29 JUNE 2011 - 3 JULY 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - MAJID SHAHEM, THE ZORASTRIAN MID-SUMMER FEAST; AN ESTIMATED 17,000 IRANIANS ARE ZORASTRIAN.

(U) 29 JUNE 2011 - 1 JULY 2011 - AFRICA, MEETING - AFRICAN UNION SUMMIT IN MALABO, EQUATORIAL GUINEA.

(U) 29 JUNE 2011 - 1 JULY 2011 - EUROPE, MEETING - COMMUNITY OF DEMOCRACIES HIGH LEVEL MEETING AND PARLIAMENTARY FORUM IN VILNIUS.

(U) 29 JUNE 2011 - IRAQ, HOLIDAY - NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY DAY WAS INITIALLY CELEBRATED IN 2010 WHEN THE US TURNED OVER THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR IRAQ SECURITY AND THE COUNTRY'S WELFARE TO THE IRAQ MILITARY AND GOVERNMENT RESPECTIVELY.

(U) 30 JUNE 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - SHIA MUSLIMS MARK 26 RAJAB AS THE DAY IMAM HUSAYN LEFT MEDINA FOR MECCA.

(U) 30 JUNE 2011 - EGYPT, HOLIDAY - AIR DEFENSE DAY.

(U) 30 JUNE 2011 - 1 JULY 2011 - EUROPE, MEETING - US SECRETARY OF STATE HILLARY CLINTON'S VISIT TO LITHUANIA.

(U) 30 JUNE 2011 - EGYPT, MEETING - VERDICT EXPECTED IN TRIAL OF TWO POLICE OFFICERS ACCUSED OF BEATING BLOGGER KHALID SAID TO DEATH IN 2011. THE CASE WAS SEEN AS A LANDMARK IN CAMPAIGNING AGAINST POLICE BRUTALITY UNDER FORMER PRESIDENT HUSNI MUBARAK. SENTENCING WAS DELAYED FROM THE PREVIOUS TRIAL SESSION ON 21 MAY 2011.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - EUROPE, MEETING - POLAND TAKES OVER THE EUROPEAN UNION (EU) PRESIDENCY FROM HUNGARY.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - US, MEETING - CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY (CIA)

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - IRAQ, MEETING - Robert Gates was expected to take over from Robert Gates as the US SECRETARY OF DEFENSE; US COMMANDER IN AFGHANISTAN GENERAL DAVID PETRAUS WAS EXPECTED TO SUCCEED PANETTA AS THE CIA CHIEF.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - BAHRAIN, MEETING - START OF NATIONAL DIALOGUE MEETINGS CALLED BY KING HAMAD BIN ISA AL-KHALIFA FOLLOWING PROTESTS IN 2011.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - 2 JULY 2011 - SUDAN, MEETING - REFERENDUM ON WHETHER DARFUR'S SEPARATE STATES SHOULD BE Merged.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - AFRICA, MEETING - REFERENDUM ON A NEW DRAFT CONSTITUTION IN MOROCCO.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - WORLDWIDE, PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT - SOLAR ECLIPSE: TERRORISTS MIGHT SEE THIS AS A PROPITIOUS DATE FOR AN ATTACK.

(U) 1 JULY 2011 - 7 JULY 2011 - INDIA, TERRORISM - INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTER S.M. KRISHNA'S VISIT TO BANGLADESH TO DISCUSS WATER SHARING AND BORDER ISSUES.

(U) 2 JULY 2011 - US, HOLIDAY - US ARMY AIR CORPS ESTABLISHED IN.
1936.

(U) 3 JULY 2011 - IRAQ, NUJ, MEETING - ANNIVERSARY OF SHOOTING DOWN OF IRANIAN PASSENGER JET BY USS VINCENNES OVER STRAIT OF HORMUZ IN 1988 DURING THE IRAN-IRAQ WAR. AFTER THE WARSHIP MISTOOK THE AIRLINER FOR A FIGHTER JET, 289 PEOPLE ON BOARD THE AIRCRAFT DIED.

(U) 5 JULY 2011 - RUSSIA/NATO, MEETING - RUSSIA/NATO Council/Conference in Sochi; Russian President Dmitry Medvedev and Nato Secretary-General Anders Fogh Rasmussen will attend. European Missile Defense and the fight against terrorism are on the agenda.

(U) 8 JULY 2011 - EGYPT, MEETING - TRIAL STARTS OF 48 DEFENDANTS ACCUSED OF INVOLVEMENT IN CLASHES BETWEEN MUSLIMS AND CHRISTIANS IN CAIRO'S MINA DISTRICT IN EARLY MAY, 2011, IN WHICH AT LEAST 12 PEOPLE DIED AND MORE THAN 200 WERE INJURED.

(U) 9 JULY 2011 - PAKISTAN, TERRORISM - ANNIVERSARY OF RED MOSQUE SIEGE IN ISLAMABAD IN 2007 WHEN TROOPS SURROUNDED RADICAL MOSQUE AFTER CLASHES WITH ARMED STUDENTS CALLING FOR IMPOSITION OF ISLAMIC LAW. A WEEK OF INTENSIVE FIGHTING FOLLOWED AS MILITANTS LED BY ABDUL RASHID GHAZI REFUSED TO SURRENDER.

(U) 14 JULY 2011 - JORDAN, HOLIDAY - SIGNAL CORPS DAY.

(U) 14 JULY 2011 - UN/EUROPE, MEETING - UN SECRETARY-GENERAL BAN KI-MOON HOSTS REUNIFICATION TALKS IN GENEVA, SWITZERLAND BETWEEN OVIEDO PRESIDENT DIMITRIS CHRISTOFIAS AND TURKISH CYPRUS LEADER DERYS ERSOGLU.

(U) 18 JULY 2011 - EUROPE, MEETING - FORMER BOSNIAN SERB MILITARY COMMANDER RATKO MLADIC MAKES HIS SECOND APPEARANCE IN THE HAGUE-BASED INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR FORMER YUGOSLAVIA (ICTY). HE IS FACING CHARGES OF GENOCIDE AND WAR CRIMES.

(U) 22 JULY 2011 - CHINA, SAUDI ARABIA, MEETING - SAUDI MILITARY OFFICIALS VISIT TO CHINA.

(U) 25 JULY 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - THE THIRD SHIA IMAM, HUSSEIN, WAS BORN IN MEDINA, SAUDI ARABIA; HE IS ENSHRINED IN KARBALA, IRAQ. (3 SHABAN ON MUSLIM CALENDAR).

(U) 28 JULY 2011 - AFGHANISTAN/KYRGYZSTAN/RUSSIA/UZBEKISTAN/KAZAKHSTAN, MEETING - COLLECTIVE SECURITY TREATY ORGANIZATION (CSTO) RAPID REACTION FORCE WILL CONDUCT AN EXERCISE IN KYRGYZSTAN; CSTO MEMBER STATES ARE ARMENIA, BELARUS, KAZAKHSTAN, KYRGYZSTAN, RUSSIA, TAJIKISTAN, AND UZBEKISTAN.


(U) 1 JULY 2011 - IRAQ, HOLIDAY - ANNUAL COMMEMORATION OF THE 1892 MORTDOM OF THE BAB, AFTER DECLARING THAT THE MESSENGER OF GOD'S APPEARANCE WAS IMMINENT, THE BAB WAS ARRESTED, BEATEN, AND IMPRISONED. ON 9 JULY 1892, HE WAS EXECUTED IN TABRIZ'S PUBLIC SQUARE. APPROXIMATELY 20,000 FOLLOWERS WERE KILLED IN A SERIES OF MASSACRE THROUGHOUT PERSIA. THE BABS REMAINS WERE ENTOMBED AT THE SHRINE OF THE BAB IN HAIFA, ISRAEL.

(U) 16 JULY 2011 - PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY, MEETING - LOCAL PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY ELECTIONS.
(U) 9 JULY 2011 - IRAN, MEETING - ANNIVERSARY OF 1999 CLASHES BETWEEN REFORMIST STUDENTS AND SECURITY FORCES AT TEHERAN UNIVERSITY. IRANIAN SECURITY FORCES WITH LIKELY SQUASH ANY DEMONSTRATIONS COMMEMORATING THE 1999 CLASH.

(U) 9 JULY 2011 - SUDAN, MEETING - UNDER THE TERMS OF THE 2005 COMPREHENSIVE PEACE AGREEMENT (CPA), THE EARTHLY POSSIBLE DATE, SOUTHERN SUDAN COULD BECOME AN INDEPENDENT STATE.

(U) 10 JULY 2011 - CHINA, MEETING - EAST ASIA SUMMIT (EAS) - INFORMAL FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONSULTATIONS, ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHEASTERN ASIAN NATIONS (ASEAN) POST-MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE (PMC), AND ASEAN REGIONAL FORUM (ARF) MINISTERIAL IN BALI.

(U) 11 JULY 2011 - IRAN, MEETING - 2011 PREPARATORY COMMITTEE MEETING ON ARMS TRADE TREATY (ATT) IN NEW YORK.

(U) 11 JULY 2011 - TURKMENISTAN, HOLIDAY - TURKMEN MELON DAY IS AN ANNUAL PUBLIC HOLIDAY THAT HONORS THE NATIONAL FRUIT. TURKMENISTAN GROWS OVER 500 VARIETIES OF MELONS. TURKMEN MELON IS IN A POPULAR DAY FOR WEDDINGS AND A PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

(U) 11 JULY 2011 - SYRIA, HOLIDAY - NAVY DAY.

(U) 14 JULY 2011 - UNUS, MEETING - 2011 PREPARATORY COMMITTEE MEETING ON ARMS TRADE TREATY (ATT) IN NEW YORK.

(U) 13 JULY 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY - LAILAT AL BARAA (MISFUH SHABAN, 8th MABAT BARAAT, NIGHT OF FORGIVENESS). SHABAN IS ON THE ISLAMIC CALENDAR. 28 APRIL (JANAH,T) IS A PUBLIC HOLIDAY IN IRAQ.

(U) 15 JULY 2011 - U.S., MEETING - U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE HILLARY CLINTON WILL ATTEND THE ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN NATIONS (ASEAN) REGIONAL FORUM DIALOGUE IN BALI, INDONESIA.


(U) 20 JULY 2011 - U.S., HOLIDAY - FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF FIRST MOON LANDING BY APOLLO 11.


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   (U) 5 JULY 2011 - WORLDWIDE, HOLIDAY: "THE THIRD SHIA IMAM, HUSSEIN, WAS BORN IN MEDINA, SAUDI ARABIA. HE IS ENBRUNED IN KARBALA, IRAQ.
   (U) 6 JULY 2011 - MUSLIM CALENDAR: THE THIRD SHIA IMAM, HUSSEIN, WAS BORN IN MEDINA, SAUDI ARABIA. HE IS ENBRUNED IN KARBALA, IRAQ.
   (U) 6 JULY 2011 - TAJIKISTAN/KYRGYZSTAN/RUSSIA/UKR/EASTERN EUROPE, MEETING: THE SEPARATIST SOUTHERN MOVEMENT TO LIBERATE THE SOUTH (SOMALIA) EACH YEAR CALLS FOR SOUTHERNERS TO MARK A "DAY OF RAGE" ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE FALL OF THE SOUTHERN TROOPS.
   (U) 6 JULY 2011 - ISLAM: THE DAY OF RAGE IS A PROTEST AGAINST THE TERRORIST ATTACKS.
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

TEXT: 1. **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY.** On 31 May 2010, Israeli Naval Forces boarded a flotilla of six vessels whose stated goal was to break the Israeli blockade of Gaza. The boarding turned violent when passengers on a ferry attacked the boarding naval forces who responded with deadly force which resulted in nine dead passengers, and numerous wounded on both sides.

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2. **During the week of 31 May 2010, a coalition of groups the Free Gaza Movement announced their intention to lead a flotilla of six vessels to Gaza with the intention of breaking the Israeli-imposed blockade of Gaza. The flotilla consisted of six ships, led by the Turkish-flagged ship Mavi Marmara. The ships carried over 60 activists of various nationalities from around the world, over half of whom were Turkish citizens. Organizers of the flotilla stated the ships were carrying humanitarian aid for the citizens of Gaza, which included building materials, food, medicine, and other humanitarian supplies. Despite several attempts to settle the event diplomatically, which included offers by the Government of Israel, MSG to receive the ships in Ashdod port and secure their passage, the delivery to Gaza via established means currently used by the United Nations and the International Red Cross, flotilla organizers continued on their course and reiterated their intention to break the blockade. During the early morning hours of 31 May 2010, as the flotilla approached Israel, the ships were intercepted by Israeli naval forces and boarded after negotiations with the crews of the ships failed. The boarding turned violent on the passenger ferry as passengers attacked the boarding party with metal pipes, knives, and chains. The naval forces responded with deadly force, which resulted in nine passengers killed, and numerous passengers and naval forces wounded. Significant resistance was only encountered on one of the six vessels.

3. **Upon establishment of control over the ships, passengers, and crew, the naval forces sailed the ships to Ashdod port where they docked early on 31 May 2010. The flotilla consisted of one passenger ferry, one medium-sized yacht, and four cargo ships with mostly crew onboard. In addition to the cargo ships, all personnel were made to disembark where they were screened by security personnel for weapons on other contraband, then processed by Immigration officials to determine their immigration status. Foreign passengers and crew not suspected of violence against the navy were allowed to disembark and depart Israel peacefully after completing statements. Those who were noncooperative or were suspected of violence against the navy were transferred to the airport for departure to their home countries. Those who were noncooperative or were suspected of violence against the navy were transferred to the airport for departure to their home countries.**
CRIMINALS AND TRANSPORTED TO THE ELA DETENTION FACILITY IN BEER SHEBA FOR QUESTIONING AND INTERROGATION. ISRAELI OFFICIALS WERE CONSIDERED THE ARMED FENCING AROUND THE COUNTRY, AMONG THOSE INTERROGATED WERE THE NAVY COMMANDER, WHOSE NAME WAS REVEALED AS MOHAMMED AL ALI, A PROMINENT ARAB ISRAELI LEADER, WHO WAS ON BOARD AND INVOVED IN THE VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NAVY COMMANDER, WAS ARRESTED AND INTERROGATED, BUT WAS NOT BEING TREATED AS OTHER CRIMINALS DUE TO HIS HIGH PROFILE AND THE DESIRE NOT TO HARM THE ARAB ISRAELI POPULATION. NO CRIMINALS WERE REMOVED FROM ANY OF THE SHIPS. ALL CREW MEMBERS WERE Processed ALONG WITH THE PASSENGERS AND WILL BE DEPORTED BY 21 JUNE 2010. BY 10:00 ON 1 JUNE 2010, ALL PERSONNEL FROM THE FLOTILLA HAD BEEN DETAINED ASHDOD PORT VIA ONE OF THE MEANS DESCRIBED ABOVE.


5. (U) THE SHIPS OF THE FLOTILLA ARE LIKELY TO REMAIN IN ASHDOD FOR THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE AS THEIR FINAL DISPOSITION IS DEBATED AND NEGOTIATED. THERE ARE DISCUSSIONS WITHIN THE GOI THAT ISRAEL MAY SEIZE THE SHIPS PERMANENTLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH MARITIME LAW (NOT FURTHER SPECIFIED).

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- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/KOSOVO: KOSOVO: SALAFIST HUSAMEDIN ABAZI ALLEGEDLY SENDING STUDENTS ABROAD FOR EXPLOSIVES TRAINING (S/NF) (PARA 2)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/KOSOVO: KOSOVO: ZEKERIA QAZIMI LECTURES AT REALITY: NGO MEETING (S/NF) (PARA 3)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/ISRAEL/PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY/NAMAS: ISRAEL/PHAMAS: EFFECTS OF REVISED GAZA IMPORT POLICY (PAGE 4) (PARA 4)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/ISRAEL: LEVANT I & W INDICATOR MATRIX (REL TO USA, GBR) (PARA 5)

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- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/ROMANIA: ROMANIA: PROSPECTS FOR GOVERNMENT STABILITY (REL) (PARA 6)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/TURKEY: TURKEY: NEW BORDER SECURITY AGENCY INITIATED (S/NF) (PARA 7)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/KOSOVO: KOSOVO: PRIME MINISTER THACI APPOINTS NEW KOSOVO POLICE GENERAL DIRECTOR (S/NF) (PARA 9)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/RUSSIA: RUSSIA: VOV CONTINUES TO CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDING (PARA 9)

2. (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/KOSOVO: KOSOVO: SALAFIST HUSAMEDIN ABAZI ALLEGEDLY SENDING STUDENTS ABROAD FOR EXPLOSIVES TRAINING (S/NF)

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3. (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/KOSOVO: KOSOVO: ZEKERIJA QAZIMI LECTURES AT REALITETI NGO MEETING [SINFO]

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4. (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/ISRAEL/PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY/HAMAS:
ISRAEL/HAMAS: EFFECTS OF REVISED GAZA IMPORT POLICY (S)

   (b)(1) EO 13526 Section 1.4(c)

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MAY INCIDENT AID CONVOYS AND FLOTILLAS APPEAR TO BE DECLINING IN FREQUENCY AND HAVE REMAINED PEACEFUL AND COOPERATIVE, POSSIBLY DUE TO A PERCEPTION THAT GAZA IS NOW IN LESS NEED OF HUMANITARIAN GOODS.

5. (U) EUCOM AOR/ADO/ISR: LEVANT I & W INDICATOR MATRIX (W/REL TO USA, GBR)

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6. (U) EUCOM AOR/AO/Romania: Romania: Prospects for Government Stability
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- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOKOSOVO; KOSOVO; SALAFIST HUSA MEDIN ABAZI ALLEGEDLY SENDING STUDENTS ABROAD FOR EXPLOSIVES TRAINING (S/NIP) (PARA 3)

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- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOLATVIA; LATVIA: GROUND FORCES OVERVIEW (S/NIP)

- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOIRADIO/TURKEY/KONGRA GEL (KOK OR PKK); TURKEY/KONGRA GEL: 16 NOVEMBER 2010 MAJOR CBC I & W (S/NIP) (PARA 6)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOISRAEL: LEVANT I & W INDICATOR MATRIX (S/REL TO USA, GBR) (PARA 7)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOISRAEL; PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY/HAMAS; ISRAEL/HAMAS: EFFECTS OF REVISED GAZA IMPORT POLICY (S/REL) (PARA 8)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOIROMANIA: ROMANIA: PROSPECTS FOR GOVERNMENT STABILITY (S/REL) (PARA 9)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOITURKEY; TURKEY: MILITARY COURT ARRESTS GENERAL (S/REL) (PARA 10)
- (U) EUCOM AOR/AOITURKEY: TURKEY: ANKARA WELCOMES EU REPORT (S/REL)
(Para 11)
(U) EUCOM AOR/AO/TURKEY: TURKEY: NEW BORDER SECURITY AGENCY INITIATED

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Since the May incident, aid convoys and flotillas appear to be declining in frequency and have remained peaceful and cooperative, possibly due to a perception that Gaza is now in less need of humanitarian goods.
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11. (U) EUCOM AOR/AOI/TURKEY: TURKEY: ANKARA WELCOMES EU REPORT (GS)

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Action: DNA WASHINGTON DC/RUINTE

Captions: (b)(3):10 USC §424 Location, Pictures, Current ACTIVITY AND POSSIBLE SCHEDULE FOR POSSIBLE GAZA Freedom Flotilla II Participants IVO Piraeus, Greece—Update One

Reference: (b)(3):10 USC §424

Subject: (U) CONSUMER IIR EVALUATION/OIC-621

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TEXT: (U)

CONGRESS: 1. (U) This evaluation is from the Office of Naval Intelligence Global Maritime information and Analysis Division which is responsible for providing all source analysis of the maritime environment through management of the national maritime databases. This division requires information to support ONI's mission for maritime domain intelligence integration.

2. (U) This report provided information and enclosures of the possible GAZA Freedom Flotilla II vessels near Piraeus, Greece and in vital to ONI's operational mission. The images of the sailing yacht BELLA will be a new record and was verified not to be the same yacht as the BELLA STELLA, IMO: 1003059. The photograph of the cargo ship ELEFTHERI MESOGEICS was verified as the same ship previously named TAMARA, IMO: 7422532. The information and photographs of the short sea passenger boat AUDACITY OF HOPE, registration number DL28840F, AMANDA and ARION will support further analysis for correlation and identification.

GUID: 1. (U) Please continue to support the Navy ICRs (N-NAV-2050-0075-10) and (N-NAV-2050-0038-10) which encompass requirements on worldwide commercial ships, fishing vessels, mobile offshore drilling platforms and dhows. Ship blueprints are highly valued by ONI due to the difficulty to obtain them and restrictive access. These blueprints and drawings are critical for surveying the hull construction and compartments for operational

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missions and boarding teams. The national maritime database aids military planning and operations and SEALINK supports customers that conduct analytical research on technology transfers, counter narcotics/terrorism, smuggling, sanctions, weapons proliferation and criminal activity.

2. For questions or comments, contact Carmen Lamneck at commercial (301) 699-2841, DSN 699-2841, or SIPRNET email: lamneck@nmi.navy.mil.

VALUE: (U) B - High Value

EVALNME: (U) Carmen Lamneck, QIC-821

PRODUSE: (U//FOOU)-A - Update Database, B - Confirm analytical judgment, D - Oral Briefing, F - Support Law Enforcement

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Turkish Reaction to Israel Raid on Gaza Flotilla (U/FOOU)

From: CIA
Sent: 6/10/2010, 11:57 PM
To: -
Subject: TURKISH REACTION TO ISRAEL RAID ON GAZA FLOTILLA (U/FOOU)

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SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

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TEXT: 1. (U) EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. FOLLOWING THE 31 MAY VIOLENT INCIDENT WHERE ISRAEL'S COMMANDO FORCES ATTACKED A HUMANITARIAN AID FLOTILLA, TURKEY'S MEDIA HAS PROVIDED EXTENSIVE COVERAGE WHILE THOUSANDS HAVE TAKEN TO THE STREETS IN PROTEST. THE TURKISH PRIME MINISTER IS RETURNING EARLY FROM A TRIP TO CHILE AND THE GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY HAS CANCELED ANY UPCOMING MILITARY EXERCISES WITH ISRAEL IN A MONDAY MAY 31 PHONE CONVERSATION WITH HIS ISRAELI COUNTERPART, TURKISH CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF (TGS), GEN (BAŞBUG). REPORTEDLY STATED THE DEADLY RAID WAS "GRAVE AND UNACCEPTABLE". AS OF TUESDAY JUNE 1, 2010 ORGANIZERS OF THE GAZA FLOTILLA ARE NOW SENDING TWO MORE SHIPS TO THE AREA WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

2. (U) ON 31 MAY, 2010 ISRAELI COMMANDO FORCES BOARDED THE TURKISH FLAGGED SHIP "BLUE MARMARA", THE FLAGSHIP OF A HUMANITARIAN AID FLOTILLA CARRYING ACTIVISTS AND AID TO GAZA. THE SHIP WAS IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS, BETWEEN 69 AND 70 MILES FROM ISRAEL'S SHORE. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTING THERE WERE 10 FATALITIES (MEDIA REPORTS CLAIMING NINE OF THOSE KILLED ARE TURKISH CITIZENS) AND 35 WOUNDED.

3. MEANWHILE, ON MAY 31, 2010 TURKISH CITIZENS PROTESTED IN THOUSANDS. THERE WERE SEVERAL PROTESTS IN VARIOUS CITIES IN TURKEY AGAINST THE ISRAELI CONSULATE AND EMBASSY. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTING, AN AGITATED CROWD GATHERED OUTSIDE THE ISRAELI CONSULATE BUT WAS CONTAINED BY TURKISH POLICE USING WATER CANNONS AND PEPPER GAS. CONTINUED PROTESTS ARE EXPECTED.
5. (b)(1), (c), (d) According to open source reporting, Turkey is cancelling three future joint exercises with Israel. One of the exercises is the search and rescue exercise Reliant Mermaid scheduled to occur in August 2010.

6. (U//FOUO) According to June 1, press reporting, Greta Berlin of the Free Gaza Movement said a cargo boat was already on the way to challenge Israel's blockade of the Gaza Strip. A second boat carrying approximately three dozen passengers is expected to join it.
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Take a look at theCENTCOM Update below, under the target paragraph. Obviously, someone reported significant information regarding intentions of QOT and TURNAV regarding recent Gaza Freedom Flotilla. We never got to review the report but it looks like something we should try to verify. If TURNAV was planning on escorting this flotilla then it would appear the Gaza Freedom Flotilla had full backing of Turkish Government.

RIS
All,

Attached please find the EUCOM LNO to CENTCOM Executive Operational Summary for 03 June 2010. It contains pertinent information for the EUCOM leadership concerning operations in the CENTCOM AOR specifically OIF, OEF and ISAF. All information is current as of 031631Z June 2010.

**Salient Points:**

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Gaza Flotilla: The Turkish National Security Council (MAG) was to meet late 2 June to recommend a new course for Turkey’s bilateral relationship with Israel after the flotilla interception. The Parliament unanimously denounced the interception as a violation of the UN Charter and international law, and called for sanctions against Israel. This statement distinguishes the GoI from the Israeli people as the target of Turkish national anger. Ministry of Justice contracts told the Embassy PM Erdogan is interested in pursuing a possible criminal case against Israeli officials. In Ankara, protests continued 2 June, but their size has diminished. In Kuwait, the PM, National Assembly Speaker and large crowds hailed as heroes Kuwaiti 16 "Freedom Flotilla" participants on their 2 June return from Israel. Reportedly condemned the Israelis as "terrorists," and accused them of abuse and intense interrogations. Of ships still believed to be outside Gaza, the RACHEL CORRIE is expected to arrive at a safe port near Cyprus early 4 June. The CHALLENGER II and Greek-registered DIMITRIOS K are docked in Cyprus. IDF officials have not informed the Embassy of specific actions, but have confirmed the ships will not be allowed to reach Gaza. (Ankara 800; Kuwait 399).
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SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1, BELOW.

2. (U) THE TURKISH HUMAN RIGHTS ORGANIZATION (HHR) AND THE FREE GAZA ORGANIZATION ARE PLANNING TO SAIL A FLOTILLA OF EIGHT TO TEN VESSELS TO THE GAZA CITY PORT IN THE GAZA STRIP. THE VESSELS ARE CURRENTLY SCHEDULED TO SET SAIL ON 24 MAY 2010 AND WILL ORIGINATE FROM PORTS IN TURKEY, GREECE AND CYPRUS. THE VESSELS WILL INCLUDE APPROXIMATELY 500 PASSENGERS AND 500 TONS OF CARGO WHICH IS ADVERTISED TO INCLUDE CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, EDUCATION SUPPLIES AND FOOD.

3. (U) VESSELS INVOLVED:
   -- TURKISH FLAGGED MERCHANT VESSEL Mavi Marmara
   -- TURKISH FLAGGED MERCHANT VESSEL GAZZE
   -- TURKISH FLAGGED MERCHANT VESSEL YUNIS SIRIN
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Michael,

Just in case Jerry didn't point out that you can monitor 8th fleet for this kind of heads up.

R/

Mark

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TWO" ANTI-BLOCKADE VOYAGE TO GAZA THAT WILL REPORTLY DEPART LEBANON IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

MARITIME DATABASES AND IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE A CURRENT LOCATION AT THIS TIME.

JFMCC EUR WILL CONTINUE TO COORDINATE WITH ONI, JAC MOLESWORTH,
AND EUCOM AS THE SITUATION DEVELOPS.

5. UN LAW REFS A AND B, JFMMC EUR DES IATES UN VESSEL NAJI AL ALI AS A CONTACT OF INTEREST (COI).
6. OPEN SOURCE AND AMEMB IRUT REPORTING CORROBORATES ISRAELI CLAIMS THAT UN VESSEL NAJI AL ALI HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS ONE OF THE VESSELS SUPPORTING THE "FREEDOM FLOTILLA TWO" ANTI-BLOCKADE VOYAGE TO GAZA THAT WILL REPORTLY DEPART LEBANON IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS. JFMMC EUR IS UNCERTAIN WHETHER THE TERM "NAJI AL ALI" REFERS TO PARTICULAR SHIP OR IS ANOTHER TERM TO DESCRIE THE "FREEDOM FLOTILLA TWO".
7. UN VESSEL NAJI AL ALI IS REPORTEDLY IDENTIFIED AS A FERRY-TYPE VESSEL. JFMMC EUR HAS BEEN UNABLE TO LOCATE THE UN VESSEL NAJI AL ALI IN MARITIME DATABASES AND IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE A LOCATION AT THIS TIME.
8. JFMMC EUR WILL CONTINUE TO COORDINATE WITH ONI, JAC MOLESWORTH, AND EUCOM AS THE SITUATION DEVELOPS.

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To: Gaza Flotilla Monitoring Group
Subject: Gaza Flotilla

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2300Z Gaza Flotilla SITREP

According to open source information, more vessels carrying aid to attempt to break the blockade of the Gaza Strip later this week. These vessels are MV RACHEL CORRIE, currently underway in the Eastern Mediterranean, and possibly CHALLENGER II, a smallboat/yacht located in an unknown port in Cyprus.

Once this is cleared up we will send the most up to date information we have.

We will continue to provide

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Subject: Rachel Corrie Boarding.

Sir,

Rachel Corrie boarding as reported by YNET:

Takeover ended in 5 minutes

Ron Ben-Yishay reports from the field: Five days after bloody sea battle near Gaza, Navy stages peaceful transfer of Gaza flotilla members on Rachel Corrie. Rights group says Israeli Navy violated international law.

Gaza News

Just five minutes - this is the estimated time it took Israel's Navy to commandeer the Rachel Corrie Ship en route to the Gaza Strip.

The Israel Navy boarded the vessel roughly 23 miles west of the Gaza Strip, says an eyewitness of the naval blockade imposed on the ship. Israeli flotilla ship commander Elazar Biran received the order of the naval operation shortly before 12:30 GMT. The order was given by the commander of the naval base in Haifa, according to Biran.

The boat's captain told Ben-Yishay that just before 12:30 GMT the Israeli Navy boarded his ship and took control of the vessel.

The boarders reportedly threw a lifeboat to the sheen, who then transferred the Rachel Corrie's passengers to their own vessels. The signal was given by the commander of the naval base in Haifa, Biran said.

The navy commander reportedly told the captain of the Rachel Corrie that his passengers would be transferred to other naval vessels.

The passengers were reportedly taken by the Israel Navy to a port in the Gaza Strip, where they were later transferred to other vessels. The Israeli navy reportedly used force to board the ship and transfer its passengers to other vessels.
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VALUE: (U) B - High Value

EVALNME: (U)(b)(6)

PRODUSE: (U) A - Update Database, B - Confirm analysis,
judgment, D - Oral Briefing, F - Support Law Enforcement

CUSTOM: (LI) CONOE

(b)(3) 10 USC §424

DRV FROM: MULTIPLE SOURCES.

DECL: 25X1-human
CLASSIFICATION: NON
CAVEATS: NON
REL TO: NONE

This is a revised version. Same up to date information simply formatted differently.

1800Z Gaza Flotilla SITREP

From: [Redacted]
Sent: Thursday, June 03, 2010 2:38 PM
To: Gaza Flotilla Monitoring Group
FW: Gaza Flotilla

SUBJ: fuselage repairs. Safe up to date information simply formatted differently.

1800Z Gaza Flotilla SITREP

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The Free Gaza Movement commented on its website that [Redacted] is currently receiving repairs but will be ready to transit when [Redacted] to the Gaza Strip.

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Let us know if you have any questions or need any additional information.

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CLASSIFICATION: [REDACTED]
CAVEATS: [REDACTED]
REL TO: NONE
From: [Redacted]  
Sent: Thursday, June 03, 2010 7:31 PM  
To: Gaza Flotilla Monitoring Group  
Subject: Gaza Flotilla

CLASSIFICATION: SECRET
CAVEATS: NONCQC
REL TO: NONE

Same up to date information (with updated position for [B](1), Sec. 1.4(c)) OF NOTE: if you have a JWICS email account, please send it to me. We have updated information which can only be sent on the JWICS terminal.

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CLASSIFICATION:  
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REL TO: NONE
Israel: Gaza Flotilla Update

- 18 Jun: Israeli Navy rehearses Gaza "Freedom Flotilla II" interception

- 19 Jun: First Gaza Flotilla vessel scheduled to leave port from Hamburg, GE (U)
  - Up to 22 ships, 1000 participants possible in Flotilla (U)
  - 27 Jun: Flotilla to rendezvous south of Cyprus (U)

- Turkish NGO, IHH, sending mixed messages about Flotilla sailing (U)

- Ankara discouraging Flotilla participation, but states it cannot block participation (U)

16 Jun 11
From: [Name Redacted]  
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2011 8:35 AM  
To: [Name Redacted]  
Subject: RE: FREEDOM FLOTILLA II GAZA AID CONVOY UPDATE (SITREP #6a)  

CATEGORIES: Working

Sensitivity: [Redacted]
Classification: [Redacted]
Derived From: DSCG 05-1 (b), (d)
Declassify On: 2039/06/30

[Redacted]
Subject: FW: "FREEDOM-FLOTILLA II" GAZA AID CONVOY UPDATE (SITREP #8e)

Classification: LIM

Caveats: LIM

Sir,

The Gaza Flotilla update is attached. ICOT was 1200Z. This is an update to our 0500Z report. We will continue to publish on a 05-1700Z schedule. Blue text indicates new or updated information since SITREP #7.

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13-L-0013/Gallagher/DoS/000029
DeptOfDefense000266
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Free Gaza Flotilla

All Parties: Provide OCMC an update on Israeli Defense Forces engagement with the Free Gaza Flotilla on 31 May 10 in preparation for phone call from LTC Hunsicker.

- 10 USC 424f-b and CH 9022, 424f annexe press release.
- "We express our deep regret in this incident, our respect for the people and the situation which is fully understood.
- "We hope peace, don't allow incidents to disrupt peace - just talk"
- "Violence encountered near Gaza is of self-defence".

Background: The Free Gaza Flotilla was established to deliver humanitarian aid to Gaza as well as protest the wall across the region. This is the 2nd Free Gaza Movement Flotilla to challenge the Israeli Navy.

(b)(1), Sec. 1.4(b), Sec. 1.4(d)

- (1) OCMC and ISF released statement determined no basis for action by ISF forces as no humanitarian were being violated.
- (2) ISF Protests CV, was to attempt contact with US consulates and carriers to avoid the situation and recommend to comply with all levels from appropriate authorities. OCMC and ISF exchange via CV.

(b)(3) 10 USC 424f-b

- (1) ISG has stated from the beginning they would not allow the ships to enter Gaza but would allow to move the flotilla in the open sea, where the goods would be off-loaded, security checked and transported to Gaza by other means (provisions).
- (2) The CV operation is aimed at preventing any unauthorized movement of people and goods in Gaza.

Current Situation:

- 10 USC 424f-b: May, Israeli Defense Forces boarded Turkish ship Mavi Marmara, held this in open sea, removed the consignments, exchanged the ISF with 40 km of Gaza. OCMC communique boarder of Mavi Marmara had captures and reported that OPD Commando, started shooting the crew from their boat.

(b)(3) 10 USC 424f-b: Working with ISF to determine status of Mavi Marmara.

- Express concern for possible 3rd and 4th order militia for Israel (e.g. Hamas, Hezbollah, Bakij, etc.) in Gaza, which has been taken by ISF. Also, call to play the Indian and Egyptian consulates in Gaza.

(b)(3) 10 USC 424f-b: Encourage ISF to work with Turkish official relationship is already secured.


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Israel: Freedom Flotilla II Update

- Four candidate vessels for Gaza "Freedom Flotilla II" will not participate (U)
  - MV Mavi Marmara under repair; withdrawal possibly also due to Turkish gov't pressure (U)
  - MV Freedom Flotilla II and MV Discovery II cite cost and possible pressure from lobbyists for cancellation (U)

- 22-25 Jun: Remaining candidate vessels scheduled to depart Med ports, en route rendezvous point south of Cyprus (U)
  - 22 Jun: MV Saoirse, scheduled to depart; could arrive at rendezvous by 26 Jun (U)
  - 24 Jun: Remaining vessels expected to depart (U)

- 27 Jun: Vessels scheduled to begin transit to Gaza (U)
Good morning:)

Conventional Blue is new.

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SITREP follows:

13-L-0013/Gallagher/DoS/000078  DeptofDefense000274
(U) **Political Developments:**

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(U) On 23 Jun, the Republic of Cyprus Ministry of Communications and Works said that the Government's decree, which forbids ships from sailing from Cyprus to Gaza, remains in force. The Ministry also recalled the joint initiative of Cyprus and Greece to send humanitarian aid to Gaza from Cyprus, which is still in force. The Government's decision to forbid the sailing of ships from Cyprus to Gaza seeking to break the siege was announced on May 28, 2010. The Government said the decision was taken with a view to serving the vital interests of the country. (STATE)

(U) On 23 Jun, Israeli UN-AMID Ron Prosor said "Israel is determined to stop the flotilla seeking to break Israel's naval blockade of the Gaza Strip." Riyad Mansour, Permanent Observer of Palestine to the UN, refuted Prosor's remarks saying that the flotilla is "neccasitated by the blockade that Israel has imposed since Hamas took over the area in 2007." He went on to call the blockade "humanitarian" and "illegal." (FPCNS, 23 Jun)

(U) On 22 Jun, US STATE Dept warned US citizens against taking part in the flotilla and to avoid all travel to the Gaza Strip, citing threats to themselves as well as US interests. (STATE)

Assessment: In spite of US and European official warnings against travelling to Gaza or challenging Israel's blockade, determined activists continue their plans to depart for Gaza. (JAC, DNI)
Subject: Attoct J2
Attaching: Classification: C:
Caveats: Need OCA

Good morning J2 –

Convinced: Blue is new.

(b)(1), Sec. 1.4(c)

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JAC Medsworwh will continue to keep ALCON informed.

Respectfully request info addressee continue to feed pertinent information to JIOCEUR Senior Watch Officer

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[Redacted]
Subject: Aftermath of Brits: Classification "top secret"

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FBI reporter: The Contractor's World will continue to provide daily updates.

Request all addresses continue to forward updates to USEUCOM Theater all-source fusion analysis center at leadership at all levels.

Consequence: Blue is now.

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From: 10 USC §136b,(b)(8)
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2011 8:17 AM
To: Hayes, Norman R, RDML
Subject: FW: "FREEDOM FLOTILLA II" GAZA AID CONVOY UPDATE (SITREP #6)
Attachments: FREEDOM FLOTILLA II 30 JUN 11 (updated).ppt

Classification: C/O/S/DE
Caveat: E/E/FO

Sir,

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(b)(1)( Sec. 1A(c)

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FREEDOM FLOTILLA
Photos of Participating Ships

MV TARANAA
Type: Cargo
Length: 64m
COMPLETED: 1978

MV CHALLENGER (AVONIAN)
Type: Yacht
Length: 19m
COMPLETED: 1982

MV OCEANIA
Type: Passenger
Length: 75m
COMPLETED: 1978

MV AKAHAI
Type: Cargo
Length: 51m
COMPLETED: 1978

SECRET INFORMATION
13-L-0013/Gallagher/DoS/000108
DeptofDefense000298
Below please find the Gata Flotilla SITREP #9 update by LT Timothy O'Connor from our IDE Section. Blue text indicates new or updated information.

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(U) According to USG publicly available maritime databases, the MV AUDACITY OF HOPE has been confirmed as a US flagged vessel, licensed in Delaware, registration number DL2884AF. The vessel has been assigned SCONUM R33479. The vessel is not US Coast Guard documented, nor has it been inspected by USCG.

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Type: Frigate

MV 'BURLINGTON (LSD 17)'
Type: Amphibious Assault Ship

MV 'CHAMONIX'
Type: Submarine

MV 'LONE STAR'
Type: Hydrofoil
From: SWO [sworldwatch@ac.eucom.mil]
Sent: Monday, July 04, 2011 5:01 AM
To: Hayas, Norman R. RDML
Subject: FREEDOM FLOTILLA II GAZA AID CONVOY UPDATE 4 Jul (1124EDT)
Attachments: FREEDOM FLOTILLA II_04 JUL 11.pptx

Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Caveats: FREDOM

Sir,

Please find today's FF2 update.

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SITREP follows:

13-L-0013/Gallagher/DoS/000119 DeptOfDefense000309
- (U) According to open-source information, passengers onboard MV AUDACITY OF HOPE, sponsored by the US Boat to Gaza, followed through on their claim that the vessel could set sail even if it did not receive permission to leave port from Hellenic officials. On July the vessel did, in fact, attempt to depart Piraeus, Greece although was stopped by the Hellenic Coast Guard and forced to return to port. Earlier, complaints were lodged against the vessel necessitating proof of seaworthiness. (CBS News, Twitter, A US Boat to Gaza website)

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Assessment: As of this writing, Israel continues to apply diplomatic pressure to prevent the flotilla from setting sail. FGM organizers will likely pursue efforts to get the ships underway at varying times. In spite of US and European official warnings against traveling to Gaza or challenging Israel's blockade, determined activists are continuing their training and plans to depart for Gaza. (WREL TO USA, GBR)

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FREEDOM FLOTILLA

Photos of Participating Ships

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Photos of Participating Ships

**SY Adela**
Type: Powerboat
Length: 30'3"
Builder: 30'3"

**M/V Ariadne**
Type: Aluminum
Length: 70'1"
Builder: 70'1"

**M/V Dan**
Type: Popper Crafts
Length: 20'6"
Builder: 20'6"
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JAC Moxesworth will continue to keep ALCON informed.
FREEDOM FLOTILLA

Photos of Participating Ships

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   Type: Tugboat
   Length: 96'
   SGNR: OREGON

2. "WADAN" TUG
   Type: Tugboat
   Length: 96'
   SGNR: MAINE

3. H/Y VELLESTELLA ("LUSEMIHIL")
   Type: Tugboat
   Length: 96'
   SGNR: NEW HAVEN

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   Type: Tanker
   Length: 200'
   Capacity: 2000'

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   Type: Tanker
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3. L/'A/STELLA (UNISHE MACHIT)
   Type: Passenger
   Length: 100'
   Capacity: 500'

4. AMINU SOOM (FAMY)
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