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P 090831Z

Basic report is [redacted] 082015Z JUN 67, on file.

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TO JULIETT 15/BRAVO

Note: Originally transmitted as [redacted] 082230Z JUN 67, on file.

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2/ [redacted] R24-67 (RETRANSMITTED TO INCLUDE PERT TIMES)

FOLLOW-UP NR ONE AND FINAL TO [redacted] SPOT REPORT

USA 556
091422Z JUN 67
[redacted] R27-67
is Follow-up NR2

2/ [redacted] R23-67 DTG 082015Z, POSS REFLECTIONS OF ISRAELI

ATTACK AGAINST USS LIBERTY.

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BETWEEN 081231 AND 081321Z JUN 67 HATSON RADAR NAVIGAT-

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TIONAL CONTROL WAS NOTED IN COMMUNICATIONS WITH ACF 810

AND 815 AS FOLLOWS:

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TIME TO FROM TEXT

1231Z (815) [REDACTED]

PAY ATTENTION: HERE IS A WAR-SHIP
THERE WHICH WE ATTACKED. THE MEN
JUMPED INTO THE WATER FROM IT. YOU
WILL TRY TO RESCUE THEM.

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RGR. I UNDERSTAND IT WAS HIT AND
UNABLE TO FIRE.

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--- [REDACTED]

NO FIRE WAS OBSERVED FROM IT AND
ALSO THOSE ON BOARD DID NOT FIRE
AT THE ONES ATTACKING; HEAVY SMOKE
(KIS COMING)) FROM HER.

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1234Z 815 [REDACTED]

AT THE MOMENT IT IS STRAIGHT AHEAD
AT A RANGE OF ABOUT 50 MILES. PAY
ATTENTION: THIS SHIP IS NOW ((ID-
ENTIFIED)) AS EGYPTIAN. YOU ((CAN))
RETURN HOME NOW.

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[REDACTED] 815

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1238Z 810 []

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MEANWHILE, YOU WILL CONTINUE ON A
HEADING OF 250 FROM ASHOD. YOU
WILL HEAD TOWARD THE SHIP.

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[]

CONTINUE ON 250 FROM ASHOD. YOU

WILL GO TOWARD THE AT ALTITUDE 1

[] BOTH OF YOU.

1239Z

815, 810

[]

YOU ARE GOING TO THE SHIP. 280)

TRY TO RESCUE THE MEN FROM THE

WATER. FOR YOUR INFORMATION, THE

SHIP IS ([] LISTING)). YOU WILL

TAKETHE MEN TO AL'ARISH.

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1247Z

[]

815

I AM OVER THE COAST OF AL'ARISH.

HOW MANY MEN ARE THERE?

1250Z

(815)

[]

I DON'T KNOW AT THE MOMENT. THE

RANGE IS ABOUT 30 MILES. WHAT IS

THE DISTANCE FROM AL'ARISH?

1256Z

[]

(815)

I DON'T HAVE VISUAL WITH []

[]

THE SHIP IS NOW AT A RANGE OF 19

MILES. AT THE MOMENT YOU BEGIN TO

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SEE THE MEN, CLARIFY THE FIRST MAN
THAT YOU (BRING UP) AS TO WHAT
NATIONALITY HE IS.

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[REDACTED]

THE RANGE IS NOW 13 MILES. DO YOU
HAVE VISUAL CONTACT WITH THE SHIP
NOW?

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I HAVE VISUAL CONTACT WITH THE SHIP

A BIT TO THE RIGHT OF THE SMOKE.

SMOKE IS NOT RISING.

1301Z

--- ---

THE RANGE IS NOW 10 MILES.

1302Z

--- ---

9 MILES NOW.

815

[REDACTED]

I REQUEST A REPORT REGARDING THE
SHIPS.

--- 815

I SEE A BIG VESSEL AND BESIDE IT

THERE ARE ABOUT THREE ARE ABOUT

THREE SMALL VESSELS ABOUT 1 MILE

FROM ME.

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ARE THE VESSELS OURS?

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1307Z --- 810 I DON'T SEE ANYONE.

[] [] PAY ATTENTION: IF THEY SPEAK []

[] AND ARE EGYPTIANS TAKE

THEM TO AL' ARISH. IF THEY SPEAK

ENGLISH AND ARE NOT EGYPTIANS, TAKE

THEM TO [] DO YOU SEE MEN?

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1308Z 815 [] WHO DOES THE BIG ONE BELONG TO?

815 (8) 10 DON'T LEAVE THE CHANNEL, IF YOU DO

REPORT.

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--- (815) RGR, I DON'T HEAR ON THIS CHANNEL.

I AM SPEAKING ON 186 (3 G)

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[] (810) WHAT SHOULD BE DONE?

--- (815) (TWO) DIVRS SEARCHED BUT FOUND

NOTHING.

1308Z --- 810 RGR, CAN YOU GO A LITTLE BIT HIGHER

TO (SEE THE SPOT)?

IQTH [] DID YOU FIND (2 G)

(ANSWER NOT HEARD)

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RGR, THE FIR T ZHPNG IS FOR YOU TO
CLARIFY WHAT NATIONALITY THEY ARE.
NOTIFY ME IMMEDIATELY.

[redacted]

RGR, CLEAR

815 [redacted]

PAY ATTENTION TO THE MASTS THERE.

815 [redacted]

AKE 810 WITH YOU AND RETURN HOM
(BEARING) 070 AT A RANGE 60 MILES.

1302Z --- [redacted]

RGR, I RECIEVED. THIS IS CLEA

[redacted]

RGR, THIS IS CLEAR, DID IT CLEARLY

SIGNAL AN AMERICAN FLAG?

--- [redacted]

THANKS, REMAIN MEANWHILE OVR THE
REGION.

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[redacted]

REQUESTING THAT YOU MAKE ANOTHER
PASS AND CHECK AGAIN WETHER IT IS

REALLY AN AMERICAN FLAG.

--- (815) #

--- [redacted]

MEANWHILE, REMAIN WA TING, I WILL
REPORT TO YOU.

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1314Z --- [redacted]

THIS IS CLEAR

[redacted]

TAKE 810 AND RETURN HOME. 065 AT

A RANGE OF 60 MILES.

[redacted]

(DID) YOU RECIEVE?

--- [redacted]

THIS IS CLEAR.

--- [redacted]

I RECIEVD, I WILL NOTIFY IMMED-

IATELY WHAT TO DO.

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1316Z [redacted]

RGR

[redacted]

PAY ATTENTION. THE ONE OF YOU WHO

HAS THE MOST FUEL. RGR THIS IS CLR.

ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS.

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1317Z --- (815)

RGR, CHECKING

815 [redacted]

PAY ATTENTION, THE ONE OF YOU WHO

HAS THE MORE FUEL WILL RETURN HOME,

THE ONE OF YOU WHO LEAST GO TO

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AL 'ARIUH.

AT THE MOMENT 23&58:3, APPARENTLY

THE ONE WHO IS GOING TO AL 'ARISH

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WILL RETURN LATER.

--- [redacted]

THEN WHO WILL RETURN HOME.

--- [redacted]

WHO IS GOING HOME?

[redacted]

OK

--- [redacted]

RGR, THIS IS KNOWN, I RECIEVD A
NOTICE AND I KNOW THAT THERS ARE
THE INSTRUCTIONS FROM ABOV.

132 1Z

810

[redacted]

RETURN HOME ON 70

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