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E.O. 12065: RDS-1 11/26/99 (ATHERTON, ALLRED L., JR.), OR-M
TAGS: PEPR, EG, SA, US
SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM VICE PRESIDENT MUBARAK TO ORINCE
- FAHD

1. CONFIDENTIAL-ENTIRE TEXT.
2. VICE PRESIDENT MUBARAK CALLED ME MONDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 26, TO ASK THAT AMBASSADOR WEST PASS THE FOLLOWING TO CROWN PRINCE FAHD:

--HE (MUBARAK) HAS BEEN INFORMED ABOUT A REPORT IN THE KUWAITI PRESS ON MONDAY THAT EGYPT IS PLEASED ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED AT THE GRAND MOSQUE IN MECCA.

--MUBARAK WANTS PRINCE FAHD TO KNOW THE TRUE EGYPTIAN POSITION; EGYPT IS AGAINST WHAT HAPPENED IN SAUDI ARABIA AND WOULD NEVER SUPPORT SUCH A THING.

--THE EGYPTIAN POSITION IS WELL-KNOWN. PRESIDENT SADAT AGAIN ON MONDAY MADE A STATEMENT CRITICIZING THE INCIDENT IN MECCA. ALTHOUGH EGYPT HAD INFORMATION THAT THERE WERE
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INCIDENTS IN SEVERAL PLACES IN SAUDI ARABIA, IT NEVER MADE ANY PUBLIC REFERENCE TO THIS.

--WHATEVER HAPPENS, EGYPT WILL NEVER DO ANYTHING

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CONTRARY TO THE SECURITY INTERESTS OF SAUDI ARABIA
AND WILL INFORM SAUDI ARABIA OF ANY INFORMATION IT RECEIVES
AFFECTING SAUDI SECURITY. FOR EXAMPLE, ABOUT TWO MONTHS
AGO, EGYPT RECEIVED INFORMATION ABOUT THE SMUGGLING OF
ARMS INTO SAUDI ARABIA. WHILE IT WAS NOT CERTAIN ABOUT THE
ACCURACY OF THIS INFORMATION, EGYPT HAD PASSED IT ON
IMMEDIATELY TO THE SAUDIS. ATHERTON

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