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INCOMING:

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 24, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. ALI

SUBJECT: URGES THE PRESIDENT TO ACCEPT IRAQ'S OFFER TO NEGOTIATE A SETTLEMENT IN THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS

ROUTE TO:

OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Mr. William F. Sittmann
Executive Secretary
National Security Council Staff
The White House

To: President Bush
From: Dr. Ali
Date: August 23, 1990
Subject: Urges President to accept offer to negotiate a settlement in Mid-East Crisis

WH Referral Dated: August 24
NSCS ID# (if any): 169152

The attached item was sent directly to the Department of State.

ACTION TAKEN:

☑️ A draft reply is attached.
☐ A draft reply will be forwarded.
☐ A translation is attached.
☐ An information copy of a direct reply is attached.
☒ We believe no response is necessary for the reason cited below.

☒ The Department of State has no objection to the proposed travel.
☐ Other (see remarks).

REMARKS: We believe no response is necessary to this cable from a Canadian Muslim group that puts the onus on the President to negotiate a solution to the Kuwait crisis.

Director
Secretariat Staff
TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 169152

MEDIA: MAILGRAM, DATED AUGUST 23, 1990

TO: PRESIDENT BUSH

FROM: DR. ALI
PRESIDENT
COUNCIL OF MUSLIM COMMUNITIES OF CANADA
547 GALAXY COURT
SUDBURY, ONTARIO P3E 5K6 CANADA

SUBJECT: URGES THE PRESIDENT TO ACCEPT IRAQ'S OFFER TO NEGOTIATE A SETTLEMENT IN THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

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WASHINGTON DC 20500

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HON. PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH
WHITEHOUSE
WASHINGTON DC
WE APPEAL TO YOU TO EXERCISE RESTRAINT, LIKE YOU HAVE SO FAR,
PLEASE ACCEPT IRAQ'S OFFER TO NEGOTIATE,
YOU WILL ACHIEVE SUCCESS WITHOUT WAR AND LOSS OF INNOCENT LIVES,
MAY WE SUGGEST KING HUSSEIN OF JORDAN TO MEDIATE?

YOURS SINCERELY,

DR ALI, PRESIDENT COUNCIL OF MUSLIM COMMUNITIES
OF CANADA - 547 GALAXY COURT, SUDBURY, ONTARIO
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12:54 EST

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