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UNTSO 1802. GUYER/ZURQUHART FROM BUNWORTH.

PARA ONE: IN WAKE OF YESTERDAYS INCIDENT ALONG SUEZ CANAL THE FOLLOWING PRESS COMMENTARY APPEARED HERE TODAY:

AAA. FROM THE JERUSALEM POST:

QUOTE. EGYPT FIRED SIX SURFACE TO AIR MISSILES AT TWO ISRAELI AIRCRAFT OVER SINAI =

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AT 3.45 PM YESTERDAY. THE PLANES DID NOT RETURN FIRE AND RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE. PARA

(AN EGYPTIAN MILITARY SPIKESMAN SAID THAT EGYPT HAD SHOT DOWN AN ISRAELI PHANTOM.) PARA IT WAS THE FIRST AERIAL INCIDENT BETWEEN ISRAEL AND EGYPT IN MORE THAN A MONTH. PARA =

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ISRAEL LODGED A COMPLAINT WITH THE UN TRUCE COMMISSION OVER THE MISSILE ATTACK. PARA RON BEN-YISHAI, MILITARY CORRESPONDENT FOR ISRAEL BROADCASTINGEN SAID SUBQUOTE MILITARY OBSERVERS UNSUBQUOTE SAW A DEFINITE CONNECTION BETWEEN SADAT'S SPEECH AND THE FIRING OF THE MISSILES ALONG THE SUEZ CANAL. PARA SUBQUOTE.

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THE EGYPTIANS SOUGHT TO UNDERScore SADAT'S WORDS WITH A TANGIBLE DEMONSTRATION UNSUBQUOTE. PARA SUBQUOTE IT WAS DISTINCT AMBUSH, UNSUBQUOTE MR YISHAI TOLD THE RADIO. SUBQUOTE THE EGYPTIANS APPARENTLY MOVED A MISSILE BATTERY INTO PLACE THAT WAS CLEAN BEFORE AND THUS EXTENDED THEIR AERIAL

UMBRELLA DEEPER INTO =

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