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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Honorable Henry A. Kissinger
Assistant to the President for
National Security Affairs

SUBJECT: Message for the President from
President Sadat

1. The following message No. 10, marked very urgent,
from President Sadat to President Nixon [redacted]

"In accordance with Dr. Kissinger's message to
Mr. Hafiz Ismail on October 27th, informing him of
Israel's acceptance in toto of the Egyptian position
with respect to the Israeli proposals conveyed through
the United States, the Egyptian representative pro-
ceeded at the agreed time towards the meeting place
agreed upon.

"Up till now -- 1730 Cairo local time -- the
Egyptian party is being held by Israeli troops at
a distance of 15 kilometers from the site of the
rendezvous and prevented from proceeding under the
pretext that these Israeli troops have received no
orders to let them proceed.

"On the other hand, elements of the International
Force are since noon today stopped outside the city
of Suez prevented from entering the city.

"Thus, while the Egyptian side has kept to its
word, the Israeli side is still resorting to dilatory
methods and reneging its commitments in the hope of
allowing itself time to achieve more territorial
gains which it imagines are within hand.

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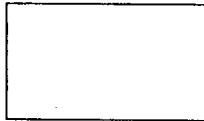
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"Such actions destroy any basis for confidence in Israeli commitments and constitute a precedence of the methods Israel intends to resort to in the face of Egypt's good faith.

"I therefore request you to take a firm and clear stand with respect to these continued Israeli methods of deceit.

"I am informing the Soviet Union of the contents of this message."



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