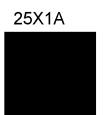
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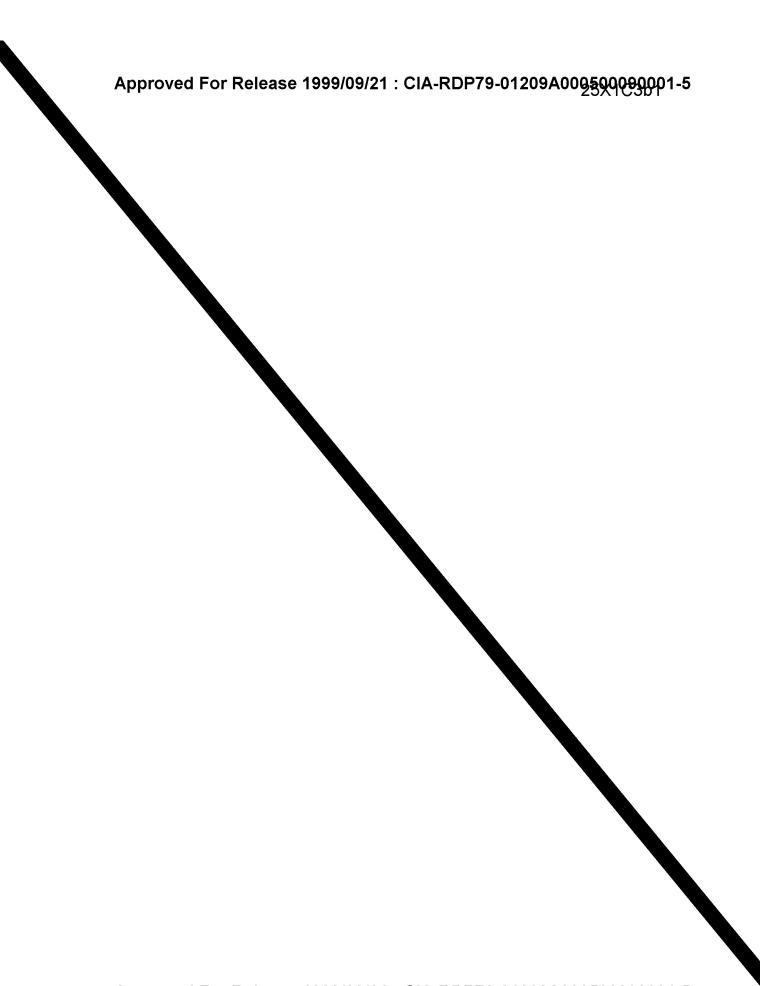


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#### ARTICLES

#### French Envoy Finally Freed

After three days of hectic negotiations, Jean Gueury, the French Ambassador to Somalia who was abducted by four members of the Somali Coast Liberation Front on 23 March, was released on 28 March in the port city of Aden, the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen (PDRY). Gueury's release was delayed for all FGIB variety of reasons. The SCLF not only made demands upon the French government but on the Somali government as well. They demanded that Somalia provide hostages, preferably Somali nationals, to accompany the kidnappers from their villa to thei final destination, that a Somali Airlines plane be furnished for their escape, and finally that the Somali government publish a statement that it would not punish the four kidnappers. The Somalis accepted the first two demands but balked at accepting the third. Finally, they agreed to all demands.

On 27 March the plane carrying Ambassador Gueury plus the Somali Ambassador to France, who volunteered to act as a hostage, left Mogadiscio for Aden, where it was joined by a French military aircraft carrying the two prisoners released from French jails and the \$100,000 in gold bullion. When both planes were over Aden, the PDRY government reneged on its promise, stating that it did not wish to be involved in international political blackmail, and refused to let both planes land. Gueury's plane was diverted to the small northern Somali town of Bassaso and the French military plane went to Cairo.

The PDRY's rejection set off a search to find a country that would accept the terrorists. When it first appeared that the PDRY might not accept them, the Arab ambassadors in Mogadiscio formed a committee to examine alternate sites and proposed to Gueury's abductors that either Baghdad or Tripoli serve as an alternate. After the PDRY rejection these plans were pursued again. Finally, the PDRY agreed to accept the terrorists on condition that the Somali government publish in its official daily newspaper, and announce over Radio Mogadiscio, its appeal to the PDRY government to serve as a transfer point and provide sanctuary for the kidnappers. The Somali government complied, and the exchange was made in Aden during the evening of 28 March. Gueury was then flown to Djibouti and on to Paris.

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In the wake of this incident, and the early March arrival in Aden of the anarchists released from West German prisons in the Lorenz kidnapping operation (see the 4 March issue), the PDRY government has announced that in the future it will refuse to let any hijacked aircraft land and will deny facilities to terrorists regardless of any pressure brought to bear. This announcement underscores the fact that many Middle East countries that have traditionally provided refuge for perpetrators of terrorist operations are increasingly reluctant to grant sanctuary to terrorists. This dearth of safe havens could influence the type of operations undertaken by terrorists in the future. (CONFIDENTIAL)

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Released German Anarchists May Go to Syria

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released from West German prisons in the Lorenz kidnapping case will settle in Syria. (The Lorenz kidnapping was described in the 4 March issue.) He said the five Germans, who were given refuge in the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, would be transferred to Syria for ultimate settlement in a Syrian-Lebanese border area controlled by Sa'iqa.

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In mid-March there was a flurry of press stories about the Germans' rumored departure from Aden (see the 18 March issue). These stories were never confirmed, however, nor is there any confirmation that the five anarchists have arrived in Syria. (SECRET/NO FOREIGN DISSEM/CONTROLLED DISSEM)

Cuban Exiles Damage Latin American Installations in U.S.

The Costa Rican Consulate and the Panamanian Tourist Bureau in Los Angeles were slightly damaged on the morning of 27 March by bombs that failed to explode fully. In both cases pipe bombs were used, and although the detonators exploded the main dynamite charges were not set off. No personal injuries were reported. Some press stories indicated that a man who called a radio station regarding the bomb at the Panamanian Tourist Bureau claimed to be a member of a pro-Castro Cuban group. According to a State Department report, however, an anti-Castro group called Cuban Action Commandos is believed responsible for both bombings. They could be the work of the National Liberation Front of Cuba (FLNC), which is known to use various cover names for its terrorist acts in the U.S. Another exile group, Accion Cubana (Cuban Action), has previously bombed Cuban consulates in Latin America but is not known to have carried out bombings in the U.S. The Los Angeles police and the FBI have not completed their investigation.

On 24 March two fires were ignited at the Colombian Consulate in New York at about 11:30 p.m. One fire, apparently ignited with gasoline, caused extensive damage to the second

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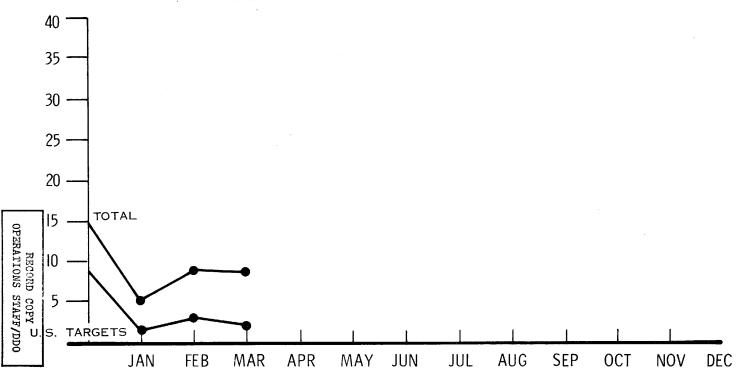
floor, and a separate fire caused minor damage on the third floor. The Colombian Consul General reported that threats had been made against the Consulate, one by an anonymous caller claiming to belong to a Cuban organization. (CONFIDENTIAL)

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## INCIDENCE OF SIGNIFICANT INTERNATIONAL TERRORIST ACTS AS LISTED IN WEEKLY SITUATION REPORTS—1975



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#### CHRONOLOGY OF SIGNIFICANT INTERNATIONAL TERRORIST ACTS

Date:

24 March 1975

Place:

United States,

New York

Two Fires at Colombian Consu-

late in New York.

On the evening of 24 March two fires were ignited at the Colombian Consulate in New York. One fire caused extensive damage to the second floor and a separate fire caused minor damage to the third floor. The Consulate had received threats from a Cuban exile group. (See

Notes.) (UNCLASSIFIED)

Date:

27 March 1975

Place:

United States,

Los Angeles

Costa Rican Consulate and Panamanian Tourist Bureau

Bombed in Los Angeles.
The Costa Rican Consulate
and the Panamanian Tourist.
Bureau were damaged slightly
by separate bomb blasts. No
injuries were reported. A
Cuban exile group is believed
responsible. (See Notes.)

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Date:

30 March 1975

Place:

France, Lyon

Yugoslav Vice Consul Wounded

in Lyon.

The Yugoslav vice consul in Lyon was shot and severely wounded as he got out of his car in a garage near his home. Belgrade newspapers attributed the shooting to a right-wing Croatian extremist group. (See article in the 25 March issue on Croatian activities.)

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### I. Terrorist Threats and Plans:

### Western Hemisphere, Including the United States

Target: Yugoslav Airlines

Place: United States

Date: Spring 1975

Target: Yugoslav Official

Croatian Emigre

Leader

Place: United States,

Chicago Pittsburgh

Date: Unspecified

Target: Yugoslav Foreign

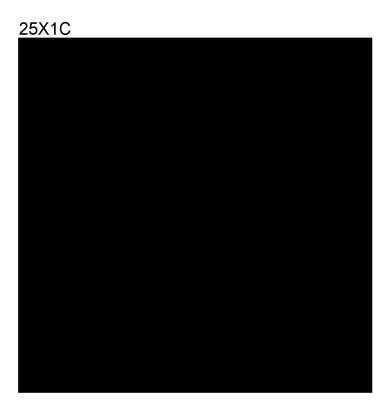
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Place: United States,

New York

Date: Spring 1975

Serbo-Croatian groups in the U.S. may be planning to hijack or otherwise disrupt Yugoslav Airline charter flights coming to the U.S. this spring. (See 18 March issue, page B-I-1.) (CONFIDENTIAL)



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II. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Europe

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#### IV. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Africa

Target: Cabinda Gulf Oil

Company

Place: Angola, Cabinda

Date: Unspecified

\*\* The Front for the Liberation of the Enclave of Cabinda has threatened to blow up Cabinda Gulf Oil Company installations if the company does not stop paying royalties to the provisional Angolan government, according to an FBIS item taken from Jeune Afrique of 21 March. (UNCLASSIFIED)

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#### V. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Far East

Target: U.S. and Korean

Consulates

Place: Japan, Fukuoka

Date: Current

The Marxist Youth League reportedly plans to attack Japanese government offices and the U.S. and Korean consulates in Fukuoka to gain the release of imprisoned colleagues. (See 18 March issue, page B-V-1.) (SECRET)

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VI. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Worldwide

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Target: Cambodian

President Lon Nol

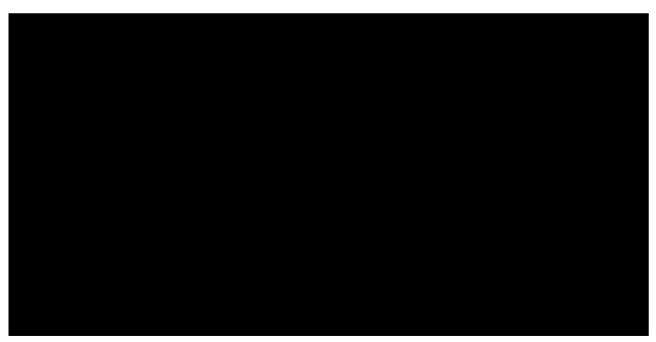
Place: Indo

Indonesia

Date: Current

\*\* Cambodian President Lon No1 has left Phnom Penh for Indonesia and may go on to some other destination. While he is not a likely target for terrorist attack, the present situation in Cambodia could conceivably lead to violent demonstrations or some other extremist action against him. (UNCLASSIFIED)

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### Two Iraqi Hijackers Executed by Iran

Two Iraqis who hijacked an Iraqi Airways Boeing 737 on 1 March and forced the plane to land in Tehran were executed by an Iranian firing squad on 7 April, according to press reports. (See the 4 March issue for information on the hijacking.)

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Although hijackers in the past have received sentences for air piracy, these executions are believed to be the first death penalties carried out for hijacking. (UNCLASSIFIED)

### Indonesian Terrorists Arrested in The Hague

Dutch authorities arrested on 2 April ten South Moluccan terrorists who admitted they planned to kidnap Queen Juliana and members of her family from the royal palace. According to Dutch authorities, the terrorists possessed firearms and a map of the palace on which they had traced an entry route. The men planned the kidnapping in order to call attention to the fact that some South Moluccans continue to protest the incorporation of the Moluccans into the Indonesian Republic in 1949.

South Moluccans were also responsible for the December 1974 firebombing of The Hague Peace Palace which is the seat of the International Court of Justice. During this incident the South Moluccans were protesting the alleged torture of their comrades in Indonesia. (See the 30 December issue, page A-3.) (UNCLASSIFIED)

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Datė:

5 April 1975

Place:

United States,

Hollywood

Iraqi Airlines Office Bombed in Hollywood.

The Iraqi Airlines office in Hollywood was damaged by a bomb explosion the evening of 5 April. An anti-Arab message was telephoned to a news agency in Los Angeles after the blast. An unexploded bomb was found in Beverly Hills that same evening, but it is not known if it was placed by the same person or group. (UNCLASSIFIED)

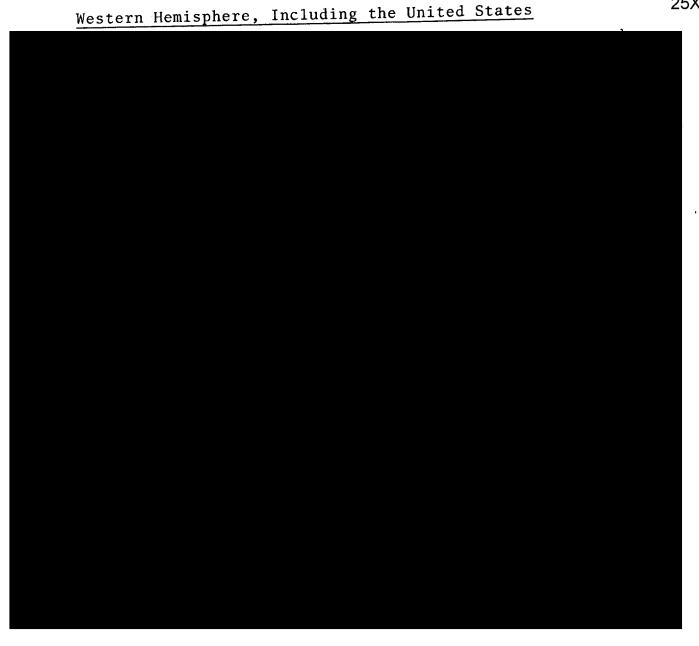
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#### IV. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Africa

Cabinda Gulf Oil Target:

Company

Place: Angola, Cabinda

Date: Unspecified

The Front for the Liberation of the Enclave of Cabinda has threatened to blow up Cabinda Gulf Oil Company installations if the company does not stop paying royalties to the provisional Angolan government. (See 1 April issue, page B-IV-1.) (UNCLASSIFIED)

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V. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Far East

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President Lon Nol

Place: Indonesia

Date: Current

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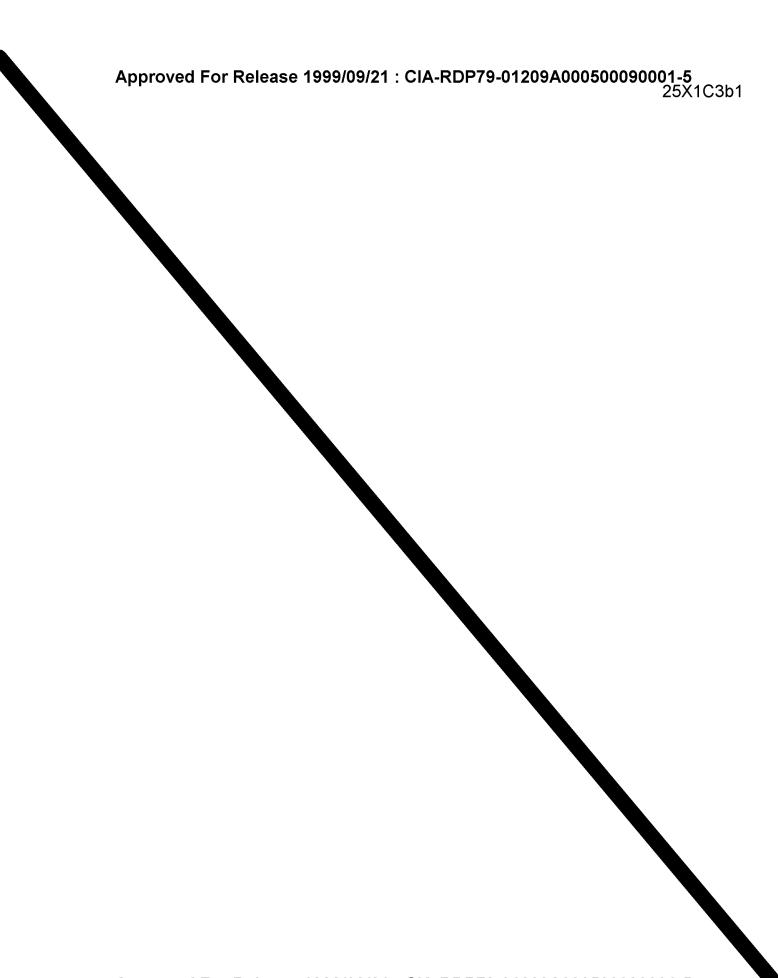
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### France Rejects U.S. Request for Extradition of Hijackers

On 14 April a Paris special court rejected the U.S. Justice Department's request for the extradition of two U.S. citizens accused of hijacking a Western Airlines jetliner in 1972. (See the 28 January issue.) The French court ruled against the extradition to the U.S. of William R. Holder and Catherine Marie Kerkow because it said their hijacking of the jetliner was politically motivated. Holder and Kerkow were remanded into French custody, however, pending their trial for illegally residing in France with false identity papers after having arrived from Algeria in 1974. (UNCLASSIFIED)

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TAB A—Chronology of Significant International Terrorist Acts

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Date:

10 April 1975

Place:

United States,

New York

Iraqi Mission to the United

Nations Firebombed.

The Iraqi Mission to the United Nations was firebombed on 10 April with only minor damage. Police believe members of the Jewish Defense League are responsible.

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Date:

10 April 1975

Place:

France, Paris

Bomb Explosion Outside Algerian

Consulate in Paris.

A right-wing underground organization has claimed responsibility for a bomb explosion outside the Algerian Consulate in Paris on 10 April. There were no injuries. In a letter to Reuters, the "Charles Martel Club" said it planted the bomb in a car to protest the French President's visit to Algeria. The Club claimed responsibility for a number of blasts, including one last month at the Air Algerie office in Toulouse, according to

Reuters. (UNCLASSIFIED)

Date:

11 April 1975

Place:

Kuwait, Kuwait

Bomb Explosion at American Life Insurance Company in

Kuwait.

A bomb exploded at the American Life Insurance Company in Kuwait on 11 April causing considerable damage. There were no injuries. The Kuwaiti press reported that the Communist Labor Organization

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Western Hemisphere, Including the United States



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#### IV. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Africa

Target: Cabinda Gulf Oil

Company

Place: Angola, Cabinda

Date: Unspecified

The Front for the Liberation of the Enclave of Cabinda has threatened to blow up Cabinda Gulf Oil Company installations if the company does not stop paying royalties to the provisional Angolan government. (See 1 April issue, page B-IV-

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V. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Far East

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Target:

Moshe Dayan

Place:

United States

Date

Current

\*\* Moshe Dayan, former Israeli
Defense Minister, is on a
speaking tour of the U.S. A
radical leftist group picketed
his speech at Emory University,
Atlanta, and a bomb threat was
received, but no violence occurred. (UNCLASSIFIED)

Target:

U.S. Delegation

Place:

Taiwan, Taipei

Date:

15 April 1975

\*\* U.S. Vice President Rockefeller heads a delegation to Chiang Kai-shek's funeral in Taiwan scheduled for 15 April. Stringent security measures are planned, but it is not considered likely that any anti-American acts will occur during the visit. The Secret Service has protective responsibility. (UNCLASSIFIED)

Target:

U.S. Secretary

of State

Kissinger

Place:

Latin America

Date:

23-27 April 1975

\*\* U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger will be on an of-

ficial visit to Buenos Aires, Brasilia, and Caracas during 23-27 April. There are no re-

ports of specific threats

directed against him personally, but terrorists might try to

but terrorists might try to disrupt his visit or embarrass

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their government. The Secret Service has protective responsibility. (UNCLASSIFIED)

Target: Israeli Foreign

Minister

Place: United States

Date: 15-30 April 1975

is opening a two-week U.S. speaking tour for the United Jewish Appeal. He will meet with Secretary Kissinger on 21 April. (UNCLASSIFIED)

\*\* The Israeli Foreign Minister

Target: Cambodian

President Lon Nol

Place: Indonesia

Date: Current

Cambodian President Lon Nol is still in Hawaii. While he is not a likely target for terrorist attack, the present situation in Cambodia could conceivably lead to violent demonstrations or some other extremist action against him. (UNCLASSIFIED)

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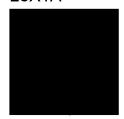
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#### ARTICLES

Terrorist Activities of the Arab Communist Organization and Arrest of Members

On the afternoon of 11 April a bomb exploded in the Kuwait office of the American Life Insurance Company, causing considerable damage but no injuries as the office was closed at the time. According to Kuwait press reports, authorities speculated that the "Communist Labor Organization (Lebanon)" was responsible for the bombing, because that organization had claimed credit for similar acts in Syria and Lebanon against U.S.-owned firms. The bomb, described as crude but

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The group which the press called the "Communist Labor Organization (Lebanon)" is probably the Beirut-based "Arab Communist Organization" (ACO), which has claimed credit for bombing the American Life Insurance Company office in Tyre, Lebanon on 11 February, for a series of bombing attacks against American interests in Syria and Lebanon in 1974, for bombings of the British-owned Spinney's store in Beirut in December 1974 and January 1975, and for a Beirut bank robbery on 19 February. Some sources have reported that the ACO has ties with the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine and the PFLP - General Command, but PFLP leader George Habbash denied in a press interview that there is any organizational connection between the ACO and the PFLP. The ACO appears to be dedicated to an Arab socialist revolution with activity aimed against "imperialist interests" in general and U.S. interests in particular, rather than focused on support for the Palestinian cause, and it is not currently believed to be closely linked to the fedayeen.

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claimed responsibility for the attack on the Bank of America in Beirut in October 1973 (see the 16 October 1973 issue), the July 1974 attack on the Chilean Ambassador to Lebanon (see the 24 July 1974 issue), and other Beirut bombings and robberies.

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The ACO claimed in a letter left at the scene of the First National Bank of Chicago bombing in Beirut on 11 October 1974 that the explosion was in honor of a member of the Shibbu gang sentenced to death for the October 1973 Bank of America attack. This indicates at least an ideological sympathy between the groups.

The Beirut press reported in mid-April 1975 that Lebanese authorities had arrested and formally charged a number of persons for various acts of violence. Some of these attacks were originally claimed by the ACO and others by the Lebanese Revolutionary Socialist Organization. According to one newspaper, three persons confessed to the Spinney bombings (claimed by the ACO), and another newspaper said these three are suspected of belonging to the Lebanese Socialist Revolutionary Organiza-

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No significant international terrorist incidents occurred during 16-22 April 1975

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Target:

Turkish Diplomatic Installations

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No terrorist threats were reported in Africa during 16-22 April 1975

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V. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Far East

No terrorist threats were reported in the Far East during 16-22 April 1975

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VI. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Worldwide

No terrorist threats worldwide were reported during 16-22 April 1975

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### POTENTIAL TERRORIST TARGETS IN THE U.S. AND ABROAD

This is a list of persons and events which might attract terrorist attack. The following symbols are used when applicable: \*\* Reported for the first time. \* Revision of report in previous issue.

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personality. (See B-II.) (SECRET/NO FOREIGN DISSEM/CONTROLLED DISSEM)

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### Assassination Attempt Against Yemeni Diplomat in Beirut

Ahmed Shami, roving ambassador of the Yemen Arab Republic, was shot by unidentified assailants on 22 April while en route by automobile from his Beirut residence to the Yemeni Embassy. He suffered severe head wounds and was taken to the American University of Beirut hospital. On 24 April the YAR announced it would close its Beirut embassy "because there is no guarantee for the safety of the embassy staff." This attempt was the fourth in a series of Beirut terrorist attacks on prominent Yemenis, three of whom have been killed. (See the issue of 5 September 1973.) YAR authorities are convinced, according to the U.S. Embassy, that these attacks are inspired by the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, using either its own goon squads or members of extremist Palestinian groups. (CONFIDENTIAL)

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### CHRONOLOGY OF SIGNIFICANT INTERNATIONAL TERRORIST ACTS

Date:

18 April 1975

Place:

Argentina, Mar del Plata Bomb Explosion at Chilean Con-

sulate in Argentina.

A bomb exploded at the door of the Chilean Consulate in Mar del Plata on 18 April, causing serious damage to part of the building. Argentine officials think the explosion might be linked to the recent visit of the Chilean President. Articles.) (UNCLASSIFIED)

Date:

21 April 1975

Place:

Greece, Athens

U.S. Embassy Attacked in Athens. The U.S. Embassy in Athens was attacked by part of a crowd of leftist demonstrators protesting U.S. support of the military junta which governed Greece until July 1974. siderable damage was done to the Consular section, and fifteen Greek police were injured. (UNCLASSIFIED)

Date:

24 April 1975

Place:

Sweden, Stockholm

West German Embassy in Stock-

holm Attacked.

West German terrorists, identifying themselves as members of the Holger Meins Commando, seized the German Embassy in Stockholm on 24 April and demanded that 26 imprisoned comrades be released and flown from Germany with \$520,000. When the German government rejected these demands, the terrorists dynamited the third floor of the embassy. The

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police captured five terrorists after a gun battle. The Military and Economic attaches were killed and one terrorist committed suicide. Thirteen people were injured. Four terrorists have been extradited from Sweden and are now in German jails; a fifth will follow. The police are looking for other Germans who were involved in the attack. (See Articles.) (UNCLASSIFIED)

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IV. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Africa

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V. Terrorist Threats and Plans: Far East

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Target: U.S. Ambassador

and Embassy

Place: Venezuela,

Caracas

Date: 3 May 1975

\*\* The new U.S. Ambassador to Venezuela arrives in Caracas on 3 May 1975. Extremist

groups might take the opportunity to express their resentment at the recent U.S. Trade Bill affecting oil-producing nations or at the appointment of the ambassador. (UNCLASSI-

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Target: Shah of Iran

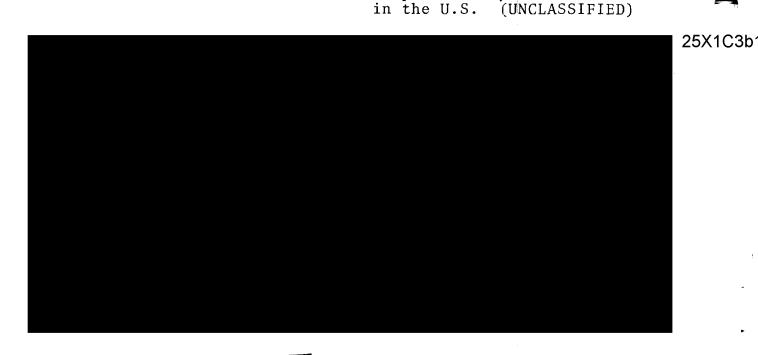
Place: Venezuela

Mexico

United States

Date: 6-19 May 1975

\*\* The Shah of Iran will visit
Venezuela 6-11 May, Mexico
11-14 May, and the United
States 14-19 May. While
there are no current threats
directed against him, he has
been the target of extremist
threats in the past. The Secret Service has protective
responsibility while he is



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