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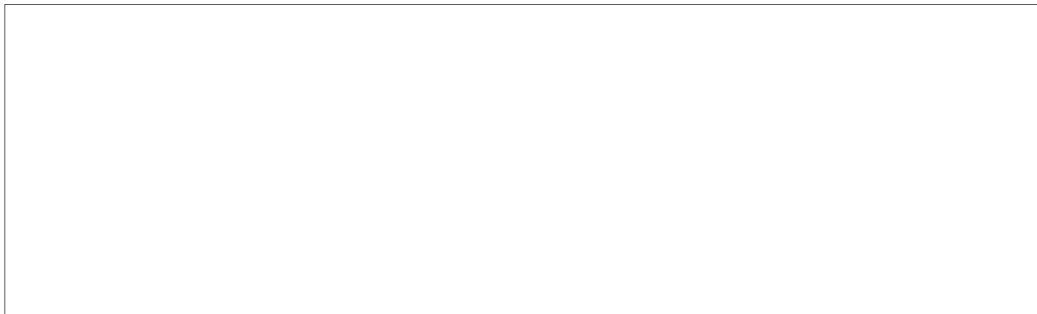
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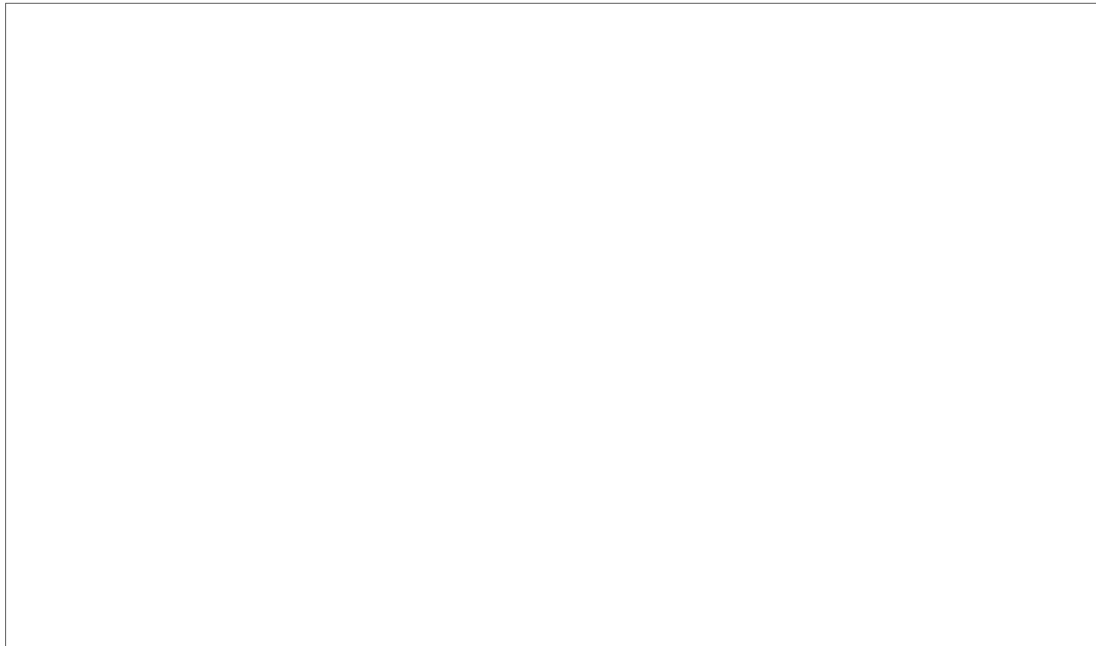
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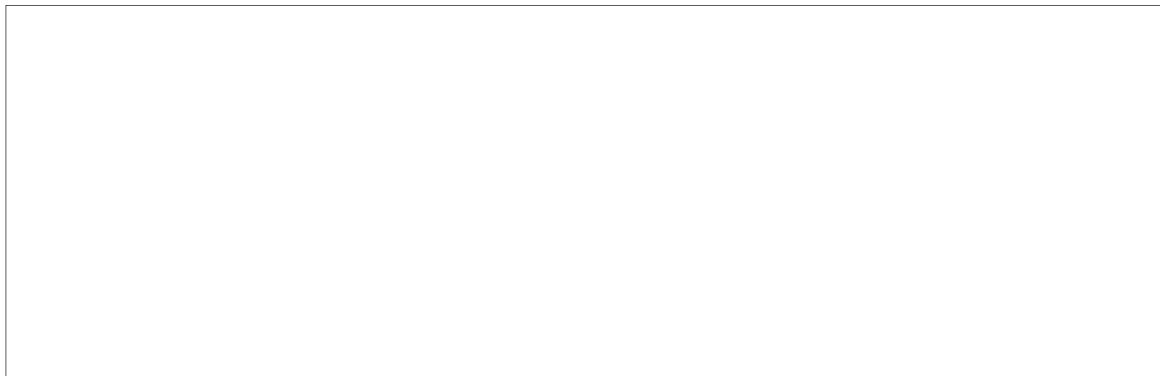
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CYPRUS: Increased activity by forces loyal to General Grivas has created concern in the Greek Cypriot community, but President Makarios maintains that there is no reason for alarm.

Last week Greek Cypriot authorities uncovered a new underground organization known as EOKA B, believed to be headed by Grivas, a persistent campaigner for enosis--union with Greece. Authorities have since intensified security precautions and increased police patrols around the island.

Makarios, in a conversation with a US Embassy official, played down the significance of groups such as EOKA B, claiming he can control any moves by Grivas supporters. At least some of his outward confidence may be for popular consumption; he may feel expressions of concern would only add to tensions within the Greek Cypriot community. In recent months, the community has seemed unusually united in its willingness to end differences with the Turkish Cypriots, and this has led to a more forthcoming attitude in the intercommunal talks.

In an attempt to undermine the talks by destroying this unity, Grivas could decide on a campaign of violence. The effects of such tactics would depend largely on the ability and willingness of Greek Cypriot security forces to ferret out Grivas supporters. Pro-Grivas sentiment is known to exist among some elements of the security forces. The outcome of Grivas' effort would also depend upon Makarios' success in turning the considerable support he enjoys within the Greek Cypriot community against Grivas.

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