

WASHINGTON, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. WILLIAM J. CASEY, DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL
INTELLIGENCE

SUBJECT: Need for Man-portable Weapons Captured by Israeli
Forces in Lebanon ~~(S)~~

~~(S)~~ In response to your request of November 1, 1982 regarding captured weapons, we are following two courses of action. Through DIA we can offer assistance in helping acquire significant amounts of these types of weapons presently available in Lebanon. We have checked with the State Department on the subject and there is no policy problem with this effort as long as it is not publicized.

~~(S)~~ In a separate action, our efforts to obtain captured weapons directly from the Israeli Government have been delayed while their military attache, MG Meron, is out of the Washington area. He should return within the next few days and the subject will be raised at that time.

~~(S)~~ We are prepared to meet your request through the Focal Point System.

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