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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

THROUGH: UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (POLICY)

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Halen
Field Marshal Mohamed Abdel, Abu Ghazala
Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of
Defense and Military production
Arab Republic of Egypt
Cairo, Egypt

Dear Colleague!

that
As our staffs prepare for the second meeting of the US-Egyptian Military Coordinating Committee, I wish to express my regret at not being able to attend. You are quite aware, I know, of the tremendous effort ~~which will be~~ necessary for this Administration to convince the Congress of the vital need for our ~~fiscal~~ 1984 defense budget. Consequently, I feel I must keep both myself and my new Deputy, Paul Thayer, available for the congressional budget hearings.

Bing West, my Assistant Secretary, will lead the US delegation to the MCC. Lieutenant General Kingston, the Commander-in-Chief of our new Central Command, plus a most representative and responsible set of officials from the Defense and State Department and National Security Council will accompany him. They will be prepared to examine the full range of issues of mutual concern including a thorough review of the logistics support program.

It was a pleasure to see President Mubarak on his recent visit to Washington. From my perspective it was a useful exchange, and I feel optimistic that the support of the Egyptian nation continues to be key in our search for peace in the Middle East.

I look forward to our next meeting and the opportunity to share thoughts and ideas with you.

Sincerely,

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FROM DSAA -OPS-C

SUBJ: EGYPTIAN MOD LETTER TO SECDEF

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THE ORIGINAL OF THE LETTER IS BEING FORWARDED VIA STATE DEPARTMENT POUCH TO THE OMC. QUOTE: FIELD MARSHAL MOHAMED, ABDEL HALIM ABU GHAZALA, DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENSE AND WAR PRODUCTION, ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT, MINISTRY OF DEFENSE, CAIRO, EGYPT,

DEAR COLLEAGUE: I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR LETTER CONCERNING OUR SUPPORT OF YOUR F-16 FIGHTER AIRCRAFT PROGRAM. I WANT TO ASSURE YOU OF MY SUPPORT FOR THIS PROGRAM AND CONSIDER IT ONE OF OUR NATION'S MOST IMPORTANT SECURITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.

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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

10 FEB 1983

Field Marshal Mohamed
Abdel Halim Abu Ghazala
Deputy Prime Minister and Minister
of Defense and War Production
Arab Republic of Egypt
Ministry of Defense
Cairo, Egypt

Dear Colleague:

I have received your letter concerning our support of your F-16 fighter aircraft program. I want to assure you of my support for this program and consider it one of our nation's most important security assistance programs.

The Air Force has informed me that all of the requirements for the F-16 Aerospace Ground Equipment (AGE) spares have been determined and that the parts have been ordered. The first shipment of spares was made in September 1982, and the Egyptian Air Force should now be receiving these items. The Air Force is now researching, through your freight forwarder, the exact status and location of all Egyptian AGE spares. Our delegation will be prepared to address these matters in detail with your staff during the Military Coordinating Committee (MCC) meeting later this month.

Sincerely,

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SUBJECT: Egyptian Minister of Defense Abu Ghazala's
Dissatisfaction with U.S. Support of the F-16 Aircraft
Program (U) -- ACTION MEMORANDUM

Minister of Defense Abu Ghazala has sent a letter complaining that the Egyptian Air Force (EAF) has not received any spare parts for the F-16 aircraft ground support equipment nor has the USAF established a delivery date for the spare parts (Tab C.) At Tab D is a short summary of the problem and corrective actions already taken by the USAF.

The USAF's corrective actions had started prior to the MOD's letter, and the EAF was aware of this. The U.S. Military Coordinating Committee team will be prepared to discuss this issue and others along with items we feel the Egyptians must correct to ensure the success of the F-16 program.

At Tab A is a proposed letter to MOD Abu Ghazala and at Tab B a cable transmitting the letter to our OMC.

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SUBJECT: EGYPTIAN SPARE PARTS SUPPORT

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QUOTE

DEAR MR. CASPER WEINBERGER
SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

I WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU ABOUT THE FOLLOWING:

1. IN SEPTEMBER 1980, THE USAF AGREED TO PROVIDE
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2. WORK ON AGE HAS STOPPED BECAUSE THERE ARE NO SPARE
PARTS AVAILABLE. REQUIRED AGE PERIODIC INSPECTIONS ARE
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THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EAF AND A LACK OF SPARES SUPPORT
CREATES DANGER TO THE EQUIPMENT AND THE SAFETY OF THE
AIRCRAFT ON THE FLIGHTLINE AND IN MAINTENANCE.

3. THE LACK OF SPARE PARTS WILL CAUSE GROUNDING OF THE
F-16 FLEET IN JANUARY 1983. THIS IS BECAUSE THE AMERICAN
SIDE REFUSED TO GIVE ANY OFFICIAL GUARANTEE FOR THE
OPERATION AND SAFETY OF THE AIRCRAFT IN EGYPT AFTER EAF
AGREED TO EXTEND PERIODIC INSPECTIONS BEYOND TECHNICAL
ORDER SPECIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS.

FROM THE ABOVE, I HOPE THAT YOU SHARE WITH ME THE OPINION
THAT THIS SITUATION IS VERY CRITICAL AND NEEDS YOUR
COOPERATION AND PROMPT INTERVENTION. REQUEST YOUR
ASSISTANCE TO MAKE THE AMERICAN SIDE TRANSFER THE REQUIRED
SPARE PARTS FOR EQUIPMENT SHOWN ON ATTACHMENT 1, EVEN IF
SUPPORT MUST COME FROM USAF STOCKS. SPARES CAN BE BROUGHT
TO EGYPT BY A EAF C-130 OR BY C-141 AIRCRAFT FROM THE USAF.

PLEASE RECEIVE MY DEEP COMPLIMENTS AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR
USUAL COOPERATION.

SIGNED FIELD MARSHAL MOHAMED ABDEL HALIM ABOU GHAZALA.

ATCH 1 SHOWN BELOW:

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2. AIR CONDITIONERS (C-10)	10	9	1
3. HYD T.S. (MJ-2AI)	6	3	3
4. AIR COMP. GAS (MC-1A)	2	2	
5. MOTOR GEN (MD-4)	2		2
6. AIR COMP. ELECT	1	1	
7. DUCT HEATER (HDU-13)	2		2
8. MOTOR GEN (MC-1A)	3	3	
9. HYD T.S. (MK-3A)	3	1	2
10. CABIN PRESS TESTER	3	3	
11. BOMB LIFT, (MHU-88)	5	4	1
12. BOMB LIFT, (MJ-1)	8	6	2
13. AIR COMP (MC-2A)	16	6	10
14. LITE UNIT (NF-2)	3	2	1
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2. OMC COMMENTS: EAF IS GENUINELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE LACK OF SPARE PARTS AND CONSUMABLES FOR REPAIR/INSPECTIONS OF CRITICAL FLIGHTLINE AGE FOR PEACE VECTOR I, F-16. THIS AREA OF SUPPORT WAS MADE AN ACTION ITEM IN 1980 DURING INITIAL DEFINITIZATION. EACH ITEM OF AGE THAT REQUIRED SPARES WAS IDENTIFIED AND THE APPLICABLE AIR LOGISTICS CENTER (ALC) WAS TASKED TO PRODUCE A SPARES LISTING FOR EAF DEFINITIZATION. THE LISTINGS COULD NOT, HOWEVER, BE PRODUCED UNTIL THE MANUFACTURER OF EACH ITEM WAS IDENTIFIED. IN MID-1982, THE FIRST LISTINGS WERE PRODUCED. AT THIS TIME, SPARES FOR ALL BUT 12 OF THE 78 ITEMS IDENTIFIED HAVE BEEN DEFINITIZED. THE LACK OF THE CONSUMABLES, I.E., FILTERS, HARDWARE, ETC., HAS FORCED THE EAF TO USE THE AGE PAST THE SCHEDULED INSPECTION DATE. WHILE USAGE PAST THE SCHEDULED DATE WILL NOT HURT THE AIRCRAFT, IT MIGHT CAUSE PREMATURE FAILURE OF THE AGE. THE EAF IS OVERLY CONCERNED THAT THE AGE WILL FAIL AND THUS CAUSE FLYING TO STOP. DUE TO THE LATE IDENTIFICATION OF MANUFACTURERS AND PREPARATION OF LISTS, SPARES WERE NOT ORDERED UNTIL THE 2ND HALF OF CY 82. CURRENT STATUS REFLECTS 2,800 ITEMS ORDERED THRU 15 OCT 82 (ALL PRI 06) WITH 80 PERCENT SHIPPED. FREIGHT FORWARDER CONFIRMS THAT 1551 OF THEM HAVE BEEN SHIPPED TO EGYPT. SINCE OCT 82, ANOTHER 1,400 PLUS HAVE BEEN ORDERED. IN ADDITION, GENERAL DYNAMICS HAS BEEN TASKED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY PROVIDE MISSING ITEMS NECESSARY TO PERFORM THE SCHEDULED INSPECTIONS. IN-COUNTRY EFFORTS TO LOCATE ALL SHIPPED PARTS CONTINUE. THE PROGRAM GOT OFF TO A SLOW START BUT IS NOW IN HIGH GEAR. WE EXPECT THE SITUATION TO BE RESOLVED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

3. ORIGINAL TO FOLLOW BY MAIL. BT

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Arab Republic of Egypt
Ministry of Defense
Cairo, Egypt

Dear Colleague:

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Sincerely,

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2. OMC COMMENTS: EAF IS GENUINELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE LACK OF SPARE PARTS AND CONSUMABLES FOR REPAIR/INSPECTIONS OF CRITICAL FLIGHTLINE AGE FOR PEACE VECTOR I, F-16. THIS AREA OF SUPPORT WAS MADE AN ACTION ITEM IN 1980 DURING INITIAL DEFINITIZATION. EACH ITEM OF AGE THAT REQUIRED SPARES WAS IDENTIFIED AND THE APPLICABLE AIR LOGISTICS CENTER (ALC) WAS TASKED TO PRODUCE A SPARES LISTING FOR EAF DEFINITIZATION. THE LISTINGS COULD NOT, HOWEVER, BE PRODUCED UNTIL THE MANUFACTURER OF EACH ITEM WAS IDENTIFIED. IN MID-1982, THE FIRST LISTINGS WERE PRODUCED. AT THIS TIME, SPARES FOR ALL BUT 12 OF THE 78 ITEMS IDENTIFIED HAVE BEEN DEFINITIZED. THE LACK OF THE CONSUMABLES, I.E., FILTERS, HARDWARE, ETC., HAS FORCED THE EAF TO USE THE AGE PAST THE SCHEDULED INSPECTION DATE. WHILE USAGE PAST THE SCHEDULED DATE WILL NOT HURT THE AIRCRAFT, IT MIGHT CAUSE PREMATURE FAILURE OF THE AGE. THE EAF IS OVERLY CONCERNED THAT THE AGE WILL FAIL AND THUS CAUSE FLYING TO STOP. DUE TO THE LATE IDENTIFICATION OF MANUFACTURERS AND PREPARATION OF LISTS, SPARES WERE NOT ORDERED UNTIL THE 2ND HALF OF CY 82. CURRENT STATUS REFLECTS 2,800 ITEMS ORDERED THRU 15 OCT 82 (ALL PRI 06) WITH 80 PERCENT SHIPPED. FREIGHT FORWARDER CONFIRMS THAT 1551 OF THEM HAVE BEEN SHIPPED TO EGYPT. SINCE OCT 82, ANOTHER 1,400 PLUS HAVE BEEN ORDERED. IN ADDITION, GENERAL DYNAMICS HAS BEEN TASKED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY PROVIDE MISSING ITEMS NECESSARY TO PERFORM THE SCHEDULED INSPECTIONS. IN-COUNTRY EFFORTS TO LOCATE ALL SHIPPED PARTS CONTINUE. THE PROGRAM GOT OFF TO A SLOW START BUT IS NOW IN HIGH GEAR. WE EXPECT THE SITUATION TO BE RESOLVED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

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