السيد الرئيس

الجمهورية العربية المتحدة لا تريد السلام، ومن فضلك لا تحاول النوم في سرير واحد مع الاتحاد السوفيتي فيما يخص قضية الشرق الأوسط.

يحاول الإسرائيليون فعل شيء ما تجاه الأردن.

من فضلك تسلم الطائرات الفانتوم إلى إسرائيل.

هل يمكنني القدوم ومقابلتك في شهر ديسمبر وفي سياق زيارتي لأمريكا اللاتينية؟
Washington, October 5, 1968, 14 p.m.

Mr. President:

The attached letter from Eshkol to you says, in effect:

- the UAR doesn't want peace; please don't get in bed with the Soviet Union on the Middle East;
- the Israelis are trying to do something with Jordan;
- please give us the Phantoms;
- may I come and see you in December in the course of my trip to Latin America?

In the course of this, he has praise for your speech of September 10 (as he interprets it).

You may wish to know that Joe Sisco will be in touch with both the Jordanian and Israeli Foreign Ministers to establish whether the right words spoken by Eban on the November Resolution in his speech scheduled for next Tuesday would, in fact, open up negotiations between the two countries under Jarring.

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