

## EGYPT

### CONCERN OF THE UNITED STATES FOR A SETTLEMENT OF THE ANGLIO-EGYPTIAN CONTROVERSY WITH REGARD TO THE SUEZ CANAL ZONE;<sup>1</sup> THE QUESTIONS OF MILITARY AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE BY THE UNITED STATES TO EGYPT

A. United States Anxiety at the Impasse in the Anglo-Egyptian Negotiations Regarding the Suez Base; the Sudan Aspect; the Byroade Conversations in London, December 31, 1952-January 7, 1953; the Issue of United States Interim Military Aid to Egypt; the Anglo-Egyptian Agreement of February 12, 1953, Regarding the Sudan

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Present:

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*The President*

Mr. Short

Mr. Murphy

Mr. Lloyd

*Secretary Acheson*

Mr. Matthews

Mr. Perkins

Ambassador Gifford

Mr. Bohlen

Mr. Knight

U.K.

*Prime Minister Churchill*

Mr. Eden

Lord Cherwell

Lord Ismay

Ambassador Franks

Sir Norman Brook

Sir Roger Makins

Mr. Shuckburgh

Mr. Leishman

Mr. Colville

<sup>1</sup>For previous documentation on this subject, see *Foreign Relations*, 1951, vol. v, pp. 343 ff.

<sup>2</sup>Prime Minister Churchill, Foreign Secretary Eden, and their staff came to Washington on Jan. 5, 1952, for a series of long, intimate, and frank discussions with President Truman, Secretary of State Acheson, and their subordinates to consider the international problems facing the two governments and to review their often diverging attitudes and prescriptions for solving these difficulties. Consequently, the two sides made no real effort to reach decisions on issues. For documentation concerning these Truman-Churchill talks, see volume vi.