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\S. ISRAELI MILITARY

1. ISRAELI ATTACK ON U.S.S. LIBERTY

AFTER THE 8 JUNE TORPEDOING OF THE U.S.S. LIBERTY, ISRAELI CONTROLLERS CONVERSED WITH AIRCRAFT NUMBER 810 AND 815 BETWEEN 1307 AND 1311Z AS FOLLOWS:

TIME	TO	FROM	TEXT
1307Z	815	CONTROLLER 1	WE SEARCHED AROUND, BUT WE DID NOT FIND ANY MEN.
	---	---	ROGER. THE BIG ONE (SHIP?) IS NOT OURS.
1308Z	---	CONTROLLER 2	SEARCH (TO SEE) WHETHER THERE ARE PEOPLE IN THE WATER.
	---	---	ROGER. UNDERSTAND A BIG SHIP...
	---	---	DON'T SPEAK ON THE CHANNEL NOW. DON'T SPEAK ON THE CHANNEL NOW.
1309Z	---	---	IT APPEARS TO ME THAT I HAVE FOUND (THE) MEN.
	---	---	NEGATIVE, IT'S NOT MEN. THEY ARE BOATS, NO MEN.
	---	---	UNDERSTAND THAT THE SHIP IS NOT IN DANGER.
1310Z	---	PGEDO	IT IS NOT CERTAIN THAT SHE IS NOT ENDANGERED. ARE YOU SUGGESTING THE SERIOUSNESS OF IT BY (SAYING) THIS?
1311Z	---	---	NEGATIVE, G.T.R. 5 ((BOW NUMBER OF U.S.S. LIBERTY)) IS WRITTEN. DOES SAY SOMETHING?
	---	---	NEGATIVE, IT DOESN'T SAY ANYTHING?
	---	---	ROGER, BEHIND IT WERE SEEN SEVERAL UNINFLATED (LIFE) BOATS.

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