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IONAL CONTROL WAS NOTED IN COMMUNICATIONS WITH ACF 810

AND 815 AS FOLLOWS:

TIME	TO	FROM	TEXT
1231Z	(815)	[redacted]	PAY ATTENTION: HERE IS A WAR-SHIP THERE WHICH WE ATTACKED. THE MEN JUMPED INTO THE WATER FROM IT. YOU WILL TRY TO RESCUE THEM.
	[redacted]	815	RGR. I UNDERSTAND IT WAS HIT AND UNABLE TO FIRE.
	---	[redacted]	NO FIRE WAS OBSERVED FROM IT AND ALSO THOSE ON BOARD DID NOT FIRE AT THE ONES ATTACKING; HEAVY SMOKE KKIS COMING)) FROM HER.
1234Z	815	[redacted]	AT THE MOMENT IT IS STRAIGHT AHEAD AT A RANGE OF ABOUT 50 MILES. PAT ATTENTION: THIS SHIP IS NOW ((IDENTIFIED)) AS EGYPTIAN. YOU ((CAN)) RETURN HOME NOW.
	[redacted]	815	RGR.

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1236Z 810 [redacted] MEANWHILE, YOU WILL CONTINUE ON A HEADING OF 250 FROM ASHDOD. YOU WILL HEAD TOWARD THE SHIP.

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815 [redacted] CONTINUA ON 250 FROM ASHDOD. YOU WILL GO TOWARD THE AT ALTITUDE 1 [redacted] BOTH OF YOU.

1239Z 815,810 [redacted] YOU ARE GOING TO THE SHIP. 28)) TRY TO RESCUE THE MEN FROM THE WATER. FORIGOUR INFORMATION, THE SHIP IS ([redacted] LISTING)). YOU WILL TAKETHE MEN TO AL"ARISH.

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1247Z [redacted] 815 I AM OVER THE COAST OF AL'ARISH. HOW MANY MEN ARE THERE?

1250Z (815) [redacted] I DON'T KNOW AT THE MOMENT. THE RANGE IS ABOUT 30 MILES. WHAT IS THE DISTANCE FROM AL 'ARISH?

1256Z [redacted] (815) I DON'T HAVE VISUAL WITH [redacted]

[redacted] THE SHIP IS NOW AT A RANGE OF 19 MILES. AT THE MOMENT YOU BEGIN TO

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SEE THE MEN, CLARIFY THE FIRST MAN THAT YOU (BRING UP) AS TO WHAT NATIONALITY HE IS.

1259Z [redacted] THE RANGE IS NOW 13 MILES. DO YOU HAVE VISUAL CONTACT WITH THE SHIP NOW?

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--- --- I HAVE VISUAL CONTACT WITH THE SHIP A BIT TO THE RIGHT OF THE SMOKE. SMOKE IS NOT RISING.

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1301Z --- --- THE RANGE IS NOW 10 MILES.

1302Z --- --- 9 MILES NOW.

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815 [redacted] I REQUEST A REPORT REGARDING THE SHIPS.

--- 815 I SEE A BIG VESSEL AND BESIDE IT THERE ARE ABOUT THREE ARE ABOUT THREE SMALL VESSELS ABOUT 1 MILE FROM ME.

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815 [redacted] ARE THE VESSELS OURS?

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1307Z --- 810 I DON'T SEE ANYONE.

[redacted] [redacted] PAY ATTENTION: IF THEY SPEAK ([redacted]

[redacted] AND ARE EGYPTIANS TAKE

THEM TO AL'ARISH. IF THEY SPEAK

ENGLISH AND ARE NOT EGYPTIANS, AKE

THEM TO [redacted] DO YOU SE MEN?

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1308Z 815 [redacted] WHO DOES THE BIG ONE BELONG TO?

815 (8) 10 DON'T LEAVE THE CHANNEL, IF YOU DO

REPORT.

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--- (815) RGR, I DON'T HEAR ON THIS CHANNEL.

I AM SPEAKING ON 186 (3 G)

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[redacted] K810) WHAT SHOULD BE DONE?

--- (815) (TWO) DIVRS SEARCHED BUT FOUND

NOTHING.

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1308Z --- 810 RGR, CAN YOU GO A LITTLE BIT HIGHER

TO (SEE THE SPOT)?

IQTH [redacted] DID YOU FIND (2 G)

(ANSWER NOT HEARD)

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1310Z (815) [redacted] RGR, THE FIR T ZHPNG IS FOR YOU TO CLARIFY WHAT NATIONALITY THEY ARE. NOTIFY ME IMM DIATELY.

[redacted] RGR, CLEAR

815 [redacted] PAY ATTENTION TO THE MASTS THERE.

815 [redacted] AKE 810 WITH YOU AND RETURN HOM (BEARING) 070 AT A RANGE 60 MILES.

1302Z --- [redacted] RGR, I RECIEVED. THIS IS CLEA

[redacted] RGR, THIS IS CLEAR, DID IT CLEARLY SIGNAL AN AMERICAN FLAG?

--- [redacted] THANKS, REMAIN MEANWHILE OVR THE REGION.

2 [redacted] REQUESTING THAT YOU MAKE ANOTHER PASS AND CHECK AGAIN WETHER IT IS REALLY AN AMERICAN FLAG.

--- (815)

--- [redacted] MEANWHILE, REMAIN WA TING, I WILL REPORT TO YOU.

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1314Z --- [redacted] THIS IS CLEAR

[redacted] TAKE 810 AND RETURN HOME. 065 AT

A RANGE OF 60 MILES.

[redacted] (DID) YOU RECIEVE?

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--- [redacted] THIS IS CLEAR.

--- [redacted] I RECIEVD, I WILL NOTIFY IMMED-

IATELY WHAT TO DO.

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1316Z [redacted] RGR

[redacted] PAY ATTENTION. THE ONE OF YOU WHO

HAS THE MOST FUEL. RGR THIS IS CLR.

ACCORDINGTO INSTRUCTIONS.

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1317Z --- (815) RGR, CHECKING

815 [redacted] PAY ATTENTION, THE ONE OF YOU WHO

HAS THE MORE FUEL WILL RETURN HOME,

THE ONE OF YOU WHO LEAST GO TO

AL 'ARIUH.

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815 [redacted] AT THE MOMENT 23&-58;3, APPARENTLY

THE ONE WHO IS GOINGTO AL 'ARISH

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WILL RETURN LATER.

--- [redacted] THEN WHO WILL RETURN HOME.

--- [redacted] WHO IS GOING HOME?

[redacted] OK

--- [redacted] RGR, THIS IS KNOWN, I RECIEVD A NOTICE AND I KNOW THAT THERS ARE THE INSTRUCTIONS FROM ABOV.

132 1Z 810 [redacted] RETURN HOME ON 70

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