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in the Middle East

The following information has been received from the Acting Chief of Staff of UNTSO with regard to the situation in the Israel-Lebanon sector on 25 December 1973:

1. Reports on ground activity:

(a) OP Hin: 1/ Between 0541 2/ and 1421 Israel forces personnel reoccupied position at AMR 1799-2788 3/ near border pillar 11. Between 2130 and 2138 artillery and mortar fire by Israel forces across armistice demarcation line.

(b) OP Ras: Between 0700 and 1450 Israel forces personnel reoccupied position at AMR 1907-2749 north of border pillar 19.

(c) OP Mar: Between 0820 and 1455 Israel forces personnel reoccupied position at AMR 2004-2904 west of border pillar 33.

2. Reports on air activity:

(a) OP Khiam: Between 0754 and 0756 two Israel forces jet aircraft, flying south-south-east to north-north-west, turning west, then south-west, were first observed over OP and last observed south-west of OP (confirmed by OP Ras).

(b) OP Lab: Between 0745 and 0747 one unidentified jet aircraft, flying north to south, was first observed north-east of OP and then recrossed the armistice demarcation line east of OP.

1/ The locations of the observation posts are given in document S/11057.

2/ All times GMT.

3/ AMR - approximate map reference.