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Further report on the status of the cease-fire 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-Syria sector on 29 November 1973:

- 1. Reports on ground activity:
- (a) OP Two: 1/ Between 0700 2/ and 0915 sporadic anti-tank fire by Syrian forces. Between 1555 and 1625 four explosions and two flares north of OP. (Confirmed by Patrol 42.)
- (b) Patrol 37 (AMR 2320-2790): 3/ Between 0800 and 1335 artillery fire by unidentified forces south-south-east of patrol location.
- (c) Patrol 38 (AMR 2395-3040): Between 0800 and 1357 and between 1545 and 1615 artillery fire by unidentified forces south-west of patrol location.
- (d) OP Romeo: Between 0940 and 1020 artillery fire by unidentified forces north-north-west of OP.
- (e) Patrol 42 (AMR 2431-2960): At 1603 machine-gun fire, which ceased immediately, by Israel forces.
- 2. Complaints by the parties:

A complaint has been received from Israel alleging that on 28 November at 0730 Syrian forces opened artillery fire 2.5 kilometres north of Mazraat Beit Jinn (AMR 2358-3017).

The above complaint was not confirmed by United Nations observation.

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

^{2/} All times GMT.

^{3/} AMR - approximate map reference.