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JORDAN ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

ARMED FORCES OF THE ISRAELI ARMY HAVE SHOWERED THE ARAB TOWN OF JERUSALEM WITH BULLETS AND SHELLS OF THEIR AUTOMATIC GUNS INCESSANTLY AS FROM 0830 PM YESTERDAY EVENING UNTIL MIDNIGHT NOTWITHSTANDING THE PERSISTENT REQUEST OF THE CHIEF UNITED NATIONS SUPERVISION COMMISSION JEWISH AUTHORITIES CONTINUED FIRING, PAYING NEITHER ATTENTION NOR RESPECT TO THE DEMANDS OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHIEF OF STAFF. EVIDENTLY, IN HER PERSISTENCE IN VIOLATING PEACE ON THE FRONTIER AND IN HER REPEATED RECENT ATTACKS ON THE TOWN OF JERUSALEM, ISRAEL INTENDS TO TERRIFY THE INNOCENT ARAB INHABITANTS IN WELL-KNOWN NAZI METHODS. IT IS MOST REGRETTABLE THAT THE HOLY LAND HERETOFORE CHARACTERIZED BY PEACE AND SECURITY SHOULD TURN INTO A STAGE FOR JEWISH AGGRESSIONS AND CRIMES. I WISH TO ASSURE YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT SHOULD YOUR ORGANIZATION FAIL TO IMPLEMENT SPEEDY PREVENTATIVE MEASURES TO STOP CONTINUED ISRAELI AGGRESSIONS THE DESTINY OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST WILL SERIOUSLY BE ENDANGERED.

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