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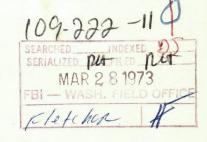
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ON MARCH TWENTYSIX, NINETEEN SEVENTY THREE, AN EXTREMELY HIGH OFFICIAL OF NEW SCOTLAND YARD (USY) ADVISED OUR REPRESENTATIVE IN LONDON THAT A HIGHLY PLACED FATAH SOURCE REPORTED THAT SIRHAN SIRHAN, THE MURDERER OF ROBERT KENNEDY, WAS NEVER A MEMBER OF FATAH OR ANY OTHER ARAB TERRORIST ORGANIZATION. THE BLACK SEPTEMBER GUERRILLAS WHO SEIZED THE SAUDI ARABIAN EMBASSY IN KHARTOUM AND SUBSEQUENTLY KILLED TWO AMERICANS AND ONE BELGIAN DIPLOMATS, DEMANDED THE RELEASE OF SIRHAN SIRHAN SOLELY BECAUSE THE ARAB TERRORIST LEADERS WERE DEEPLY ANNOYED AND AGGRAVATED WITH THE "EXCESSIVE FINANCIAL AND MILITARY AID" THE U. S. GOVERNMENT WAS GIVING ISRAEL, AND THE PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT PRIME MILISTER GOLDA MEIR WAS RECEIVING IN THE U. S. AT THAT TIME.

SOURCE STATES YASSIR/ARAFAT, THE LEADER OF THE PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANIZATION (PLO) AND CHIEF OF FATAH IS HIGHLY

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PLEASED WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF SAID HAMAMI, THE PLO LEADER IN LONDON AND IS CONSIDERING WITHIN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS TO TRANSFERRING HAMAMI TO THE PLO OFFICE IN EITHER NEW YORK OR WASHINGTON, D.C. ?

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