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ESTEEMED MR. PRESIDENT:

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I AM NOTIFYING YOU THAT THE EGYPTIAN SIDE IS READY TO CEASE  
 FIRE IMMEDIATELY IF THE ISRAELI ARMED FORCES WILL CEASE FIRE.  
 YOU CAN CATEGORICALLY NOTIFY THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT OF THIS.

WE HOPE THAT THE UNDERSTANDING DISPLAYED BY YOU OF THE URGENCY  
 AND ACUTENESS OF THE TASK TO IMMEDIATELY CEASE FIRE WILL BE  
 GIVEN TO THE ISRAELIS IN THE MOST EXPLICIT FORM.

WE PROPOSE THAT THE CEASE FIRE BE IMPLEMENTED IMMEDIATELY.

WE ALSO PROPOSE THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL BE CONVENED MOST  
 URGENTLY. WE ARE GIVING OUR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE COUNCIL  
 CORRESPONDING INSTRUCTIONS.

WE WILL BE GRATEFUL IF YOU WILL URGENTLY INSTRUCT YOUR  
 REPRESENTATIVE IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN SUCH A WAY THAT  
 OUR AND YOUR REPRESENTATIVES ACT CONCERTEDLY ON THE BASIS  
 OF THE PLAN WHICH WAS THE SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION BETWEEN THE  
 USSR CHARGE D'AFFAIRES AND MR. KISSINGER.

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RESPECTFULLY,

L. BREZHNEV

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