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PRIME MINISTER'S
PERSONAL MESSAGE
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ARAB LEAGUE DELEGATION VISIT TO LONDON: MESSAGE TO
PRIME MINISTER FROM KING HUSSEIN

1. THE ROYAL COURT HAVE ASKED IF WE WOULD PASS THE
FOLLOWING MESSAGE, DATED 24 MARCH, FROM KING HUSSEIN
TO THE PRIME MINISTER:

BEGINS

DEAR PRIME MINISTER

IT WAS A GREAT PLEASURE FOR ME TO HAVE BEEN ABLE TO
CONCLUDE THE ARAB MISSION EMANATING FROM OUR SUMMIT MEETING
AT FEZ BY VISITING BRITAIN. I HAD FOR LONG FELT SADDENED
OVER THE UNFORTUNATE CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH DELAYED THE VISIT
OF THE MISSION HEADED BY MY BROTHER, HIS MAJESTY KING
HASSAN II OF MOROCCO. AS IT TURNED OUT, OUR VISIT COULD NOT
HAVE CONCLUDED ON A HAPPIER NOTE. I AM DELIGHTED AT THE
IMPRESSIONS WHICH OUR VISIT LEFT ON ALL MEMBERS OF MY
DELEGATION, REFLECTING THE TRULY STRONG AND LASTING TIES
OF FRIENDSHIP, UNDERSTANDING AND COMMONALITY OF OBJECTIVES
BETWEEN OUR TWO NATIONS.

I SEND YOU MY WARMEST PERSONAL WISHES AND HIGHEST ESTEEM.

I AM,

YOUR SINCERE FRIEND,

HUSSEIN

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