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KUWAITI AIRCRAFT HIJACKING: YOUR TELNO 455

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1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRIME MINISTER TO THE CROWN PRINCE SHAIKH SA'AD AL ABDULLAH, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

BEGINS. I FOLLOWED WITH ADMIRATION THE KUWAITI GOVERNMENT'S HANDLING OF THE HIJACKING OF THE KUWAITI AIRLINER. I KNOW THAT THIS HAS BEEN AN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TIME FOR YOU. IT IS VITAL THAT TERRORIST OUTRAGES OF THIS KIND SHOULD NEVER BE ALLOWED TO SUCCEED. I THEREFORE APPLAUD YOUR GOVERNMENT'S RESOLUTE STAND IN REJECTING THE TERRORISTS' DEMANDS. THE FIRMNESS YOU HAVE SHOWN CAN ONLY HELP TO MAKE AIR TRAVEL SAFER IN THE FUTURE. ENDS.

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