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HAVE LED TO CHAOS AND THE COLLAPSE OF THE CAIRO GOVERNMENT.

[REDACTED] LINKED THE SITUATION TO THAT OF A SINKING SHIP:
THE MORALE OF THE SHIP'S CREW MAY BE MAINTAINED BY GIVING THE
APPEARANCE THAT THE CAPTAIN REMAINS IN COMMAND; HOWEVER THE SHIP
SINKS AND THE CAPTAIN SINKS WITH IT.

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2. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THE SOVIET MOVE TO TRANSFER THE LOCUS OF THE UN STRUGGLE
CONCERNING THE ARAB-ISRAELI CONFLICT FROM THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. [REDACTED] THE SOVIET
MOVE IS A GESTURE AIMED AT TRYING TO RESTORE CONFIDENCE IN THE USSR
RATHER THAN A TRUE SOLICITUDE FOR ARAB INTERESTS; WHEN SOVIET AID
WAS NEEDED BY THE ARABS AGAINST THE ISRAELIS, THE SOVIET UNION FAILED
TO SUPPORT THE UAR; NOW, AFTER THE ARAB DEFEAT, THE SOVIET UNION IS
TRYING TO REGAIN ITS PRESTIGE THROUGH TALK AT THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL
AND LEGALISTIC MANEUVERING WITHIN THE UN. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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THE CURRENT SOVIET PROPOSAL FOR A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY WELL DAMAGE RATHER THAN HELP THE UAR IN THE LONG RUN BECAUSE THE SPECIAL SESSION COULD BUILD PRESSURES WITHIN THE COMMUNITY OF NATIONS FOR A SETTLEMENT WITH ISRAEL ON TERMS WHICH WOULD BE MUCH WORSE THAN THOSE RESULTING FROM A SITUATION IN WHICH THE UAR CONTINUED TO ENGAGE IN DELAYING ACTIONS WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

WHO

SO READILY ACQUIESCED TO THE SOVIET MOVE FOR THE SPECIAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSION.

3. FIELD DISSEM:

[REDACTED]

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