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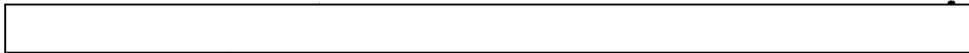
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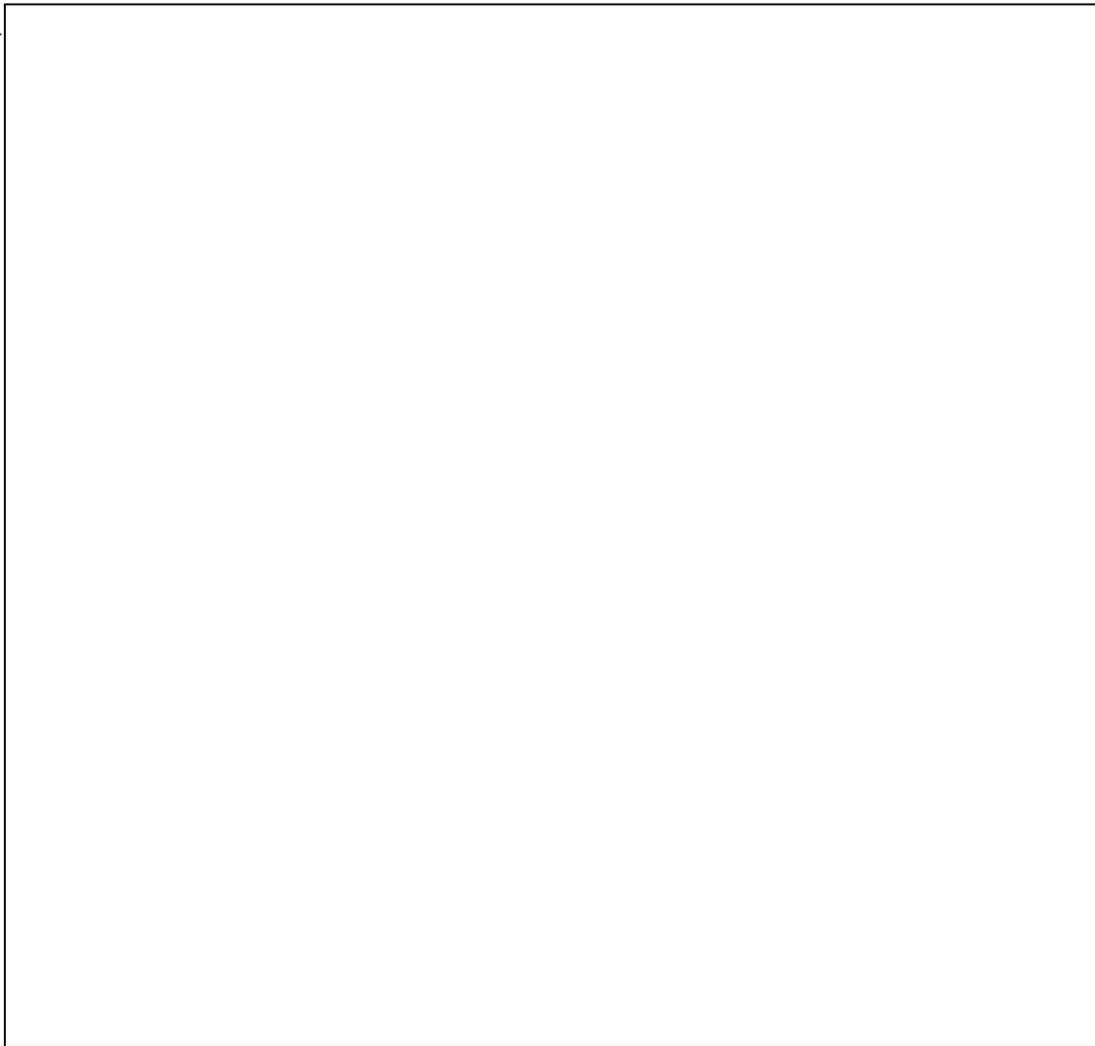


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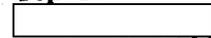
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IRAN

The Revolutionary Council has ordered a crackdown on political activity in all universities. [redacted]

The Council ordered all campus political groups to close their offices within three days. The move follows increasing clashes at Tehran's universities between Islamic groups and leftists. The regime may hope to take advantage of the unrest to weaken two leftist groups that traditionally have strong student followings, the Mujahedin and Fedayeen. [redacted]

Iran-Iraq

Continuing rumors of the execution in Baghdad of Ayatollah Baqr Sadr, a senior Iraqi Shia religious leader, are further aggravating relations between Iraq and Iran.

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Baqr Sadr's death would lead to large anti-Iraq demonstrations in Tehran. [redacted]

The Kurdish Problem

Fighting between dissident Kurds and government forces has spread to one of the larger towns in Kordestan Province. Tehran radio has confirmed press reports of new fighting in Saqqez, a traditional Kurdish stronghold. [redacted]

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