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Ambassador Dinitz/Secretary Kissinger
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D: Welcome back. I just got a call from Israel. We have finished a meeting regarding the plane. They asked me to ask you to help on the following matters. Maybe there is a possibility for you to send an urgent message to Sadat asking him to appeal to Amin to ask that nothing happen to the passengers. Also that he won't let the plane take off because we feel they will release some of the passengers and take the Israelis somewhere else.

K: We will do it.

D: We have asked Waldheim to intercede and we feel if he hears from you...

K: We have done that.

D: The third thing is Rabin asked me to ask you if you know of any African country who would have contacts with Amin?

K: We have approached Mobutu on it.

D: You think this is the only one?

K: That is the only one we know of.

D: I think that is correct because the Kenyans don't...

K: No, they are in danger from Uganda.

D: Yes. Those people they want from the Kenyans were those that were arrested when they were trying to shoot the El Al plane down when it was in Kenya. This is all we can think of. If you have any suggestions we would be grateful.

K: We will approach the Egyptians and if Waldheim hasn't gone out we will do that too.

D: I am very grateful and sorry to bother you.

K: No, no not at all.

D: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

K: O.K. Bye.

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