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Subject: Instructions to Israeli representatives how to react to the press about the American water plan.

Instructions to Israeli embassies and consulates worldwide, how to react in the press to the water plan being proposed. Main points include:

- 1) The foolishness of not including the Litani as part of the regional water plan.
- 2) Israel's non-rejection of the water plan stems from:
 - a) An aversion to being seen as the spoiler of any regional water agreement.
 - b) To give the Arab countries the "honor" of first refusal of the plan.

