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Main points

- 1) The situation in the West bank and Gaza is steadily deteriorating. The Iranian-Syrian connection is financing terrorism. \$18 million for Hizbollah and [-] for Hamas.
 - Iranian supporters are planning to assassinate Hanan and Faisal [al Hussein]The situation is severe due to the lack of funds among the moderate Palestinian leadership.
- 2) Hanan wanted a triangular meeting US-Israel –Palestinians if possible before 20^{1/1993} [the inauguration of President Clinton]. Baker was willing to head it but demanded a guarantee of a positive outcome, signing a [final] agreement. [The] Palestinians were willing to go along. On the Palestinian side there should be Faisal, Hanan and Akram Haniye (Nabil Shaat has lost influence). (Shlomo?: Shaat had negotiated a 30 point agreement with Elyakim R[ubinstein] but it failed)
- 3) On subject issues of negotiations:
 - a. Jerusalem - a way would have to be found to enable the Palestinians from Jerusalem to vote and to be elected and to take an active part in expected leadership
(Hanan knows that the Palestinians will have to provide a serious quid pro quo)
 - b. Territory- Hanan could imagine on jurisdiction a revised Begin concept – divide the territory from the people., and give jurisdiction over the entire West bank and Gaza to the PSGA, not over the people (the settlers)
Alternatively give control over land on a sliding scale (YH suggestion) every year – might be considered
It was impossible that the Palestinians could legitimize 8% of West Bank territories to be under direct Israeli control (El. R. [-] 8%)
 - c. Legislation – the Palestinians could make a proposal saying :
PISGA should be given legislation rights but should undertake not to make legislation on special [-]
 - i. No [establishment] of a state
 - ii. No legislation on Israeli security [-]
 - iii. No [-] settlements
 - d. Liaison issues: the Palestinians will accept the Israeli liaison concept , but will

- i. Ask to define the terms of reference and task of liaison functions
- ii. Decrease liaison functions on the lower levels of activity
(Comment by Y.H. in Hebrew – I very much don't think so!!)

4. On Confidence Building Measures

Israeli announcement that 1,000 families could reunite was good in substance but done in a wrong way. The Palestinian delegation in Wash[ington] and Hanan and Feisal were surprised and could not take credit for it.

Next time please coordinate [-] ahead of time.

5. On Multilaterals:

If there is progress in the bi-laterals we can move very fast in the multilaterals, on co-operation] and other issues. We can also talk about necessary moves before[hand]

6. Other issues

- a. Hanan believes the Egyptian [-] to the PLO is low. The Egyptians only make a mess though Abu Maazen and Arafat like to go to Cairo. [- -]himself agreed [-] it was better for Israel
- b. Negotiations in Washington are not useful, not even the informal meetings. Danny Rothschild speaks all the time and repeats himself. Elyakim Rubinst[ein is] even worse and then falls back into his old Likud habits. **צנעת הפרט**
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- c. Danny Rothschild's proposal to permit us to issue certain permits - to cross the bridge [over the Jordan river] etc. reminds us of the Village Leagues attitude.ⁱ

ⁱ Refers to an Israeli attempt to set up an alternative Palestinian leadership in 1981