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I am very sad to have received the news of the tragic end to the episode of the Ridnapping of Corporal Nishon Waxman. This brought back vividly to me memories of the suffering and eventual murder of corporal Hussein Mohammad Ali Harb of the Fourth Mechanised Division-born in Deir Abi Saiid who on October 29th 1993 was surprised, tortured and murdered close to his post on the Jordan by terrorist elements of the same school of extremists professing to understand and act in the name of religion in what is alien and in direct contradiction to the teachings of our great religion Islam.

Please accept with the bereaved families and the people of Israel my sincere sympathies and condolences. God give us all the strength and ability to foil the designs of all the enemies of peace and life and reward our resolve for the establishment of peace at this eleventh hour with success.

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