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### The Smoking Gun

Smoking-gun evidence exists of aggressive American spying on Israel in the form of a secret memo sent by US secretary of state Condoleezza Rice clearly instructing US personnel to spy on Israel. The secret cable was released by Wikileaks and published by the *Guardian* November 28, 2010.<sup>1</sup>

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G. Information Infrastructure and Telecommunications Systems (INFR-3).

– Current specifications, vulnerabilities, capabilities, and planned upgrades to national telecommunications infrastructure, networks,

1. The memo was written by Rice as part of her instructions to collect information on "Palestinian issues." The section relating to spying on Israel was buried, perhaps purposefully, towards the end of the memo in section G, a bombshell that went largely unnoticed by the press until well over a month after the memo was leaked.

and technologies used by government and military authorities, intelligence and security services, and the public sector.

-- Details about command, control, and communications systems and facilities. --National leadership use of and dependencies on a dedicated telecommunications infrastructure.

-- Details about national and regional telecommunications policies, programs, regulations, and training.

-- Information about current and planned upgrades to public sector communications systems and technologies used by government, military personnel, and the civil sector, including cellular phone networks, mobile satellite phones, very small aperture terminals (VSAT), trunked and mobile radios, pagers, prepaid calling cards, firewalls, encryption, international connectivity, use of electronic data interchange, and cable and fiber networks.

-- Information about wireless infrastructure, cellular communications capabilities and makes and models of cellular phones and their operating systems, to include second generation and third generation systems.

-- Details about the use of satellites for telecommunication purposes, including planned system upgrades.

-- Details about internet and intranet use and infrastructure, including government oversight.

-- Details about foreign and domestic telecommunications service providers and vendors.

-- Plans and efforts to acquire US export-controlled telecommunications equipment and technology.

– Plans and efforts to export or transfer state-of-the art telecommunications equipment and technology.

– Details about information repositories associated with radio frequency identification (RFID)-enabled systems used for passports, government badges, and transportation systems.

– Official and personal phone numbers, fax numbers, and e-mail addresses of principal civilian and military leaders.

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