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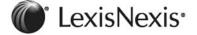
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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The United Arab Republic (UAR) was founded in 1958 as a union between Egypt and Syria under the leadership of Gamal Abdel Nasser. After three years of low-level conflict between the fledgling UAR and a loose union of Jordan and Iraq, a secessionist party forced its way into power in Syria and dissolved the union. Egypt maintained the title of UAR for another ten years, until shortly after Nasser's death in 1970. This State Department Central Files collection, which covers the years 1960–1963, consequently deals with Egypt in a time of considerable flux.

The collection is divided into two broad (though overlapping) types of documents: those pertaining to internal affairs and those dealing with foreign affairs. Internally, the temporary political union between Egypt and Syria overshadowed the first half of the period, culminating in a coup d'état in September 1961 that resulted in Syria's secession from the UAR. Many documents consequently address the events leading up to as well as the fallout from this political divorce, while simultaneously providing a limited look inside Syria. For the most part, however, the documents concentrate on Egypt, especially after 1961, and Reels 1-4 offer considerable detail on the Egyptian political structure, which was dominated by Nasser. The Middle East was a volatile region in the early 1960s, and Egypt's struggles to build up its military capabilities against hostile neighbors are evident in Reel 5. As Reels 6-14 suggest, however, economic matters were the primary preoccupation of day-to-day internal affairs as Egypt pushed to reinvent itself along socialist lines while at the same time opening up to outside investment. The documents provide a wealth of detail on different aspects of Egypt's economic development during these years, including banking, agriculture, mining, and manufacturing. Other social issues crop up as well, from education and public health to transportation and communication.

The final two reels of the collection focus on foreign affairs. In broad geopolitical terms, this was a fairly quiet period for Egypt, falling halfway between the 1956 Suez Crisis and the 1967 Arab-Israeli War. Consequently, this collection's heavy concentration on economic and social developments is understandable, especially after the messy breakup with Syria in 1961. During the 1960s Egypt was not closely aligned with either the United States or the Soviet Union, preferring instead to pursue an independent course as a leading participant in the "non-aligned movement." In practice, this led to wariness toward both the Soviet Union and the United States, with anti-U.S. sentiment incited by perceived U.S. favoritism of Israel. It was not until the 1970s, after Nasser's death, that Egypt switched course and began both to strengthen U.S. relations and pursue rapprochement with Israel.

Information on these and other topics can be found by consulting the Subject Index at the back of the guide, or by browsing through the Reel Index. Other collections of interest from LexisNexis include the following: *Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files, Egypt, Internal Affairs and Foreign Affairs, 1945–1954, Internal Affairs, 1955–1959, CIA Research Reports, The Middle East, 1946–1976*; and *The John F. Kennedy National Security Files, 1961–1963, The Middle East and The Middle East, First Supplement.*

SOURCE NOTE

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ORGANIZATION OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE DECIMAL FILING SYSTEM

From 1910 to 1963 the Department of State used a decimal classification system to organize its Central Files. This system assembled and arranged individual documents according to their subject, with each subject having a specific decimal code. The decimal system from 1950 to January 1963 consists of ten primary classifications numbered 0 through 9, each covering a broad subject area.

CLASS 0:	Miscellaneous.
CLASS 1:	Administration of the United States Government.
CLASS 2:	Protection of Interests (Persons and Property).
CLASS 3:	International Conferences, Congresses, Meetings, and Organizations.
CLASS 4:	International Trade and Commerce. Trade Relations. Customs Administration.
CLASS 5:	International Informational and Educational Relations. Cultural Affairs. Psychological Warfare.
CLASS 6:	International Political Relations. Bilateral Treaties.
CLASS 7:	Internal Political and National Defense Affairs.
CLASS 8:	Internal Economic, Industrial, and Social Affairs.
CLASS 9:	Other Internal Affairs. Communications. Transportation. Science.

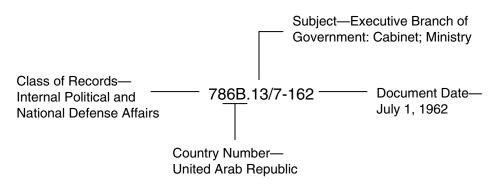
Internal Affairs

For this section of the U. S. State Department Central Files, LexisNexis has microfilmed the documents contained in Classes 7, 8, and 9. Within these classes, each subject is defined by a decimal file number. The decimal file number is followed by a slant mark (/). The number after the slant mark refers to the date on which the document was generated. Documents within each decimal file number are arranged in chronological order. The entire decimal file number is stamped on the right side of the first page of every document.

These classes are concerned almost exclusively with the internal matters of individual countries. The class number (7, 8, or 9) is followed by the country number. The number following the decimal point indicates subtopics within the major classifications. The date after the slant mark identifies the individual document.

In a small number of instances, documents were assigned erroneous or incomplete decimal numbers. LexisNexis has included, in brackets, corrected decimal entries. In addition, misfiled decimal number documents have also been included in brackets. The following is an example of a typical entry for Internal Affairs:

Example, 786B.13/7-162



786B.13/7-162 indicates a document dated July 1, 1962, relating to the cabinet of the executive branch of government (13) in the United Arab Republic (86B).

Note: For the convenience of the researcher, wherever a specific classification number totals more than one hundred pages, a breakdown of the material by month and year is provided. Where applicable, major subjects have been included with the month and year breakdown.

Foreign Affairs

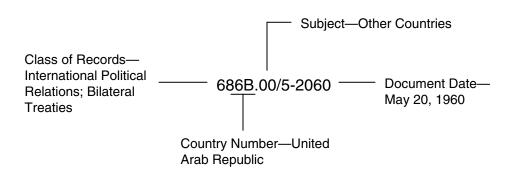
For this section of the U.S. State Department Central Files, LexisNexis has microfilmed the documents contained in Class 6. Within this class, each subject is defined by a decimal file number. The decimal file number is followed by a slant mark (/). The number after the slant mark refers to the date on which the document was generated. Documents within each decimal file number are arranged in chronological order. The entire decimal file number is stamped on the right side of the first page of every document.

In this publication, records classified 674 and 86B deal with the foreign policy of Egypt and the UAR and their political relations with other nations. Due to the State Department

arrangement of these records, countries assigned numbers below 74 will not be found in this file. However, LexisNexis has included files dealing with the political relations between the United States (11) and Egypt (74) and the UAR (86B) in this publication. In order to find the political relations between Egypt and the UAR and countries other than the United States that have a lower number than 74, the researcher should check the Class 6 records for that country. These records can either be found at the National Archives in College Park, Md., or, for many countries, in microform publications which LexisNexis has made available for libraries.

In a small number of instances, documents were assigned erroneous or incomplete decimal numbers. LexisNexis has included, in brackets, corrected decimal entries. In addition, misfiled decimal number documents have also been included in brackets. The following is an example of a typical entry for Foreign Affairs:

Example, 686B.00/5-2060



686B.00/5-2060 indicates a document dated May 20, 1960, relating to the bilateral relations between the United Arab Republic (86B) and Other Countries (00).

Note: Whenever the documents under a specific classification number total more than one hundred pages, the guide writer provides a breakdown of the material by month and year. When applicable, the guide writer lists, in brackets under the classification number, major subjects that are covered throughout all of the months. The guide writer may list additional major subjects but only under the particular month and year in which they appear.

NUMERICAL LIST OF COUNTRY NUMBERS

00	THE WORLD (Universe)	33	Uruguay
01	Outer Space (Aerosphere)	34	Paraguay
01A	Moon	35	Argentina
02	Antarctic	36 V	WEST INDIAN REPUBLICS
03	Arctic	37	Cuba, including Isle of Pines
10	THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE	38	Haiti
11	United States	39	Dominican Republic
11A	Hawaii (Ocean or Kuré Islands	40 E	EUROPE
	and Palmyra Island)	40A	Ireland (Eire) (Irish Free State)
11B	U.S. possessions in the Pacific	40B	Iceland
	Ocean	41	Great Britain, United Kingdom
	Puerto Rico	41A	Northern Ireland
	Guam	41B	British possessions in the
11E	American Samoa (Tutuila, Manua		Western Hemisphere (except
	Islands, etc.)		Canada)
11F		41C	British Honduras
	Zone), Perido, Naos, Culebra,	41D	British Guiana
	and Flamenco Islands	41E	British West Indies (includes 41F
11G	Virgin Islands of the U.S. (St.		to 41J)
	Croix, St. John, and St. Thomas)	41F	The West Indies (federation of
11H	Wake Island		British Colonies in the Caribbean)
12	Mexico		Bahamas
13	CENTRAL AMERICA		Bermuda
14	Guatemala	41J	Virgin Islands
15	Honduras	41R	Falkland Islands
16	El Salvador	41S	South Orkney Islands (South
17	Nicaragua		Georgia, South Orkneys, and
18	Costa Rica		South Sandwich Islands)
19	Panama	41T	South Shetland Islands
20	SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA	42	Canada (including Newfoundland
	(South of the Rio Grande River)		and Labrador)
21	Columbia	43	Australia
22	Ecuador (Galapagos Islands)	44	New Zealand (Cook Islands,
23	Peru		Kermad Islands, and Union
24	Bolivia		Islands [Tokelau])
25	Chile	45	British Territories in Africa
31	Venezuela		
32	Brazil		

45A	Union of South Africa (Cape of		Island, Phoenix, and Keeling
	Good Hope, Transvaal, Orange	47	Islands British territories in Mediterranean
4ED	Free State, Natal)	47 47 ^	
45B	British South Africa (45C–F)	47A	
45C	Rhodesia (Mashonaland,	47B	Malta
	Matabeleland, and Nyasaland		Cyprus
	Federation)	47D	·
45D	Basutoland		(Diego Alvarez, Gough,
	Bechuanaland		Inaccessible, and Nightingale
	Swaziland		Islands)
	British West Africa	47E	Tristan da Cunha
45H	Nigeria (including that portion of		Ascension Island
	the Cameroons under British	47G	Seychelles
	Protectorate)	47H	Mauritius
45J	Ghana (see 79)	48	Poland (including Danzig)
45M	Sierra Leone	49	Czechoslovakia
45N	Gambia	50 ¹	WESTERN CONTINENTAL
45P	British East Africa	I	EUROPE
45R	Kenya Colony	50A	Luxembourg
45S	Uganda	50B	Monaco
45T	Zanzibar	50C	Andorra
45U	Somaliland (protectorate)	50D	San Marino
	Sudan	50F	Liechtenstein
45X	British Southwest Africa (formerly	50G	Free Territory of Trieste (FTT)
	German Southwest Africa)	51	France (including Corsica)
46	British territories in Asia	51A	St. Pierre and Miguelon
46A	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	51B	Martinique
	Laccadive Islands	51C	Guadeloupe and dependencies
46C	Aden Colony and Protectorate		(Marie Galante, Les Saintes,
	(Hadhramaut, Kamaran, Perim,		Desirade, St. Barthelemy and St.
	Socotra, Abdul Quiri, and Kuria		Martin) (French West Indies,
	Muria Islands)		collectively)
46D	Bahrein Islands	51D	French Guiana (Cayenne) Inini
46E	Ceylon	51E	French colonies in America
46F	Singapore (Christmas Island in	51F	French India
	the Indian Ocean)	51G	Indochina
46G	Hong Kong	51H	Cambodia
46H	British Borneo (North Borneo,	51J	Laos
	Brunei, and Sarawak)	51K	
46J	Republic of the Maldive Islands	51M	New Caledonia and dependencies
46K	Fiji	01111	(Isle of Pines, Loyalty Islands,
46M	Papua (formerly British New		Huon Islands, Chesterfield
. 5.01	Guinea)		Islands, Walis Archipelago)
46N	Pacific Islands, including Tonga	51N	Society Islands (Tahiti, Moorea-
1014	(Friendly), Cocos (Isla de Cocos),	0111	Morea; Leeward Island-Iles Sous-
	Labuan, Solomon, Pitcairn,		le-Vent)
	Gilbert Islands, Ellice Islands, and	51P	Lesser groups (Tuamotu-Tumotu
	British interest in Christmas	511	or Low Archipelago; Gambier
	Dimon intorost in Offisillas		or Low Anompolago, Gamblet

51R 51S 51T	Archipelago; Marquesas; Tubuai Archipelago-Austral Islands) New Hebrides Algeria French West Africa and the Sahara (Senegal, French Guinea, Ivory Coast, Dahomey, French Sudan, Upper Senegal and the	53G 53H	São Nicolau, São Vicente, Fogo, Santiago, Boa Vista, Sal Santa, Luzia, Branco, Raso, Maio, Brava, Rei, and Rombo) Portuguese Guinea (Guinea Coast) Bijagoz Islands, and Bolama Island
	Niger; Mauritania and Dakar), Togo	53K	Principe
51U	French Equatorial Africa (French Congo) (Gabun-Gabon; Middle Congo-Moyen Congo; Ubanga Shari-Oubangui Chari; and Chad-	53M 53N	Angola (Portuguese West Africa), Congo, Loanda, Benguella, Mossamedes, Huilla, and Lunda
51V	Tchad; Brazzaville); Cameroun French Somali Coast and	53P 54	Portuguese East Africa Switzerland
J1V	dependencies (Somali Coast);	55	Belgium
	Djibouti, Issa-Somalis; Dankali,	55A	Belgian Congo (Belgin Kongo)
	Adaels, Ouemas, and Debenehs	56	Netherlands
	Madagascar	56A	,
51X	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	56B	Netherlands Antilles (formerly
	Comoro, Reunion, Amsterdam,		Netherlands West Indies)
	St. Paul Marion, Crozet, and Kerguelen		(Curaçao, Bonaire, Aruba, St. Martin, St. Eustatius, Saba)
51Y	French possessions and	56C	Miscellaneous Islands (Riau-
• • •	protectorates in Oceania and		Lingga Archipelago, Bangka-
	Eastern Pacific (Australasia and		Banca; Billiton, Molucca, Timor
	Oceania)		Archipelago, Bai and Lombok,
52	Spain		Netherlands New Guinea, or
52A	•		Western New Guinea)
52B	Spanish possessions in Africa	56D	
52C	Rio de Oro and Adrar (Western Sahara)	56F 57	Sumatra Norway
52D	Rio Muni and Cape San Juan	57A	Scandinavia (57, 58, 59, 60E)
OLD	(Spanish Guinea)	_	Spitsbergen (Spitzbergen)
52E	Fernando Po, Annobon, Corisco,		Lapland (parts of 57, 58, 60E, 61)
	and Elobey Islands	58	Sweden
52F	Tetuan and Ceuta; Gomera,	59	Denmark
	Alhucemas, Melilla	59A	
52G	Balearic Islands		Faeroe (Faroe) or Sheep Islands
53	Portugal		EASTERN CONTINENTAL
53A 53B	Madeira Azores		EUROPE (including Balkans, 67, 68, 69, 81, and European part of
53C	Mozambique		32)
53D	Portuguese India (Goa, Damao,	60A	Baltic States
- 	Diu)	60B	
53E	Macao (Macau)	60C	Latvia
53F	Timor		Lithuania
		60E	Finland (Aland Islands)

61 Union of Soviet Socialist	84 Palestine
Republics 61A Bessarabia	84A Israel 85 Jordan (Hashemite Jordan
61B Ukraine	85 Jordan (Hashemite Jordan Kingdom) (formerly Trans-Jordan)
61C Sakhalin Island (Russian portion)	86 Arabia (Arab League) (United
62 Germany	Arab states, includes 86B and
62A Federal Republic of Germany	86H)
(West Germany) (Saar)	86a Saudi Arabia (Kingdom of Jehas
62B Russian Zone (East Germany)	and Nejd)
62C Polish Administration	86B United Arab Republic (includes 74
63 Austria	and 83)
64 Hungary	86D Kuwait
65 Italy	86E Muscat and Oman
65A Vatican City	86F Qatar 86G Trucial Sheikhs
66 Rumania (Roumania) 67 Albania	86G Trucial Sheikhs 86H Yemen
68 Yugoslavia	87 Iraq (Mesopotamia)
69 Bulgaria	88 Iran (Persia)
70 AFRICA (for Belgian	89 Afghanistan
possessions, see 55A) (for	90 FAR EAST (including all of Asia)
British possessions, see 45) (for	90A Bhutan
French possessions, see 51S	90B Burma
etc.)	90C Nepal
70A Mediterranean countries	90D Pakistan (Baluchistan)
(General)	91 India
70B Republic of Guinea (see 79)	92 Thailand (Siam)
71 Morocco	93 China
72 Tunisia	93A Manchuria
73 Tripoli (Libya or Libia), Barca, Misurata, Benghazi, Derna,	93B Tibet 94 Japan
Cyrenaica	94A Formosa (Taiwan)
74 Egypt (<i>see</i> 86B)	94B Sakhalin Island (Japanese
75 Ethiopia (Hamara, Galla, and	portion)
Harar)	94C Ryukyu Islands (Okinawa),
75A Eritrea	Nampo Islands (Bonin, Volcano,
76 Liberia	and Marcus)
77 Trust Territory of Somaliland	95 Korea
78 Tanganyika Territory (Ruanda-	95A North Korea
Urundi), formerly German East	95B South Korea
Africa	96 Philippine Republic
79 West African states (includes 45J	97 Malaya (Federation of Malaya
and 70B) 80 NEAR EAST	comprises the States Pahang, Perak, Negri Sembilan, Selangor,
81 Greece	Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan,
81A Crete	Trengganu, and the settlements
81B Samos	Malacca and Penang) (includes
82 Turkey	Province of Wellesley)
83 Syria	,
83A Lebanon (Levant States)	

- 98 Republic of Indonesia (Java, Sumatra, Borneo, Celebes)
- 99 Pacific Islands (Mandated), New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Solomon Islands (Bougainville, Baku), Marshall Islands, Nauru, Caroline Islands, Pelew (Palau) Islands, Marianna Islands (Ladrone Islands), Samoa (Samoan Islands, Western Samoa), Savaii, Upolu

ABBREVIATIONS

The following abbreviations are used three or more times this guide.

ARAMCO Arabian American Oil Company

CALTEX California Texas Oil Company (joint venture between Standard Oil

of California and the Texas Company)

CARE Cooperative for Assistance and Relief Everywhere, Inc.

IBRD International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

IMF International Monetary Fund

UAR United Arab Republic

UK United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

UN United Nations

USSR Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

REEL INDEX

Entries in this index refer to specific documents within *Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files, Egypt/United Arab Republic, 1960–January 1963.* The four-digit number on the far left represents the frame number at which a particular subject-numeric classification begins.

Reel 1

Frame No.

Internal Political and National Defense Affairs—Egypt

- 0001 774.00 Political Affairs and Conditions (General).
- 0012 774.11 Political Affairs and Conditions: Executive Branch of Government—President.
- 0017 [774.49 Social Matters and Conditions: Calamities; Disasters; Earthquakes.]

Internal Political and National Defense Affairs—United Arab Republic

786B.00 Political Affairs and Conditions (General)

0018 January 1960.

[Khalil Kallas; UAR dissolution rumors; Port Said rioting; government; rioting; elections; National Union; corruption; provincial governors; Arab League meetings; UAR government-business relations.]

0120 February 1960-April 1960.

[Elections; National Union; provincial governors; amnesty; Executive Council appointments; labor organization; economic development projects; U.S. intelligence report; reforms; USSR Communist Party comparison with National Union; Communist party; Alexandria Greek community; social and economic reforms.]

0277 May 1960-August 1960.

[Anti-American demonstrations; Syrian regional security; elections; National Union; corruption; provincial governors; Communism in the Arab world; National Union conference; espionage trials; eighth anniversary of the

Egyptian Revolution; General Congress; Syrian Kurds and Communist activities; unification progress report; National Union Councils of Palestinians elections; Libya.]

0479 September 1960-December 1960.

[Abd al-Hamid al-Sarraj; National Union Councils of Palestinians elections; British television interview of Nasser; Syrian coup d'etat; administrative reorganization; coup d'etats; anti-Jordanian demonstrations in Aleppo; Syrian defectors; UAR opposition to King Hussein; National Assembly composition and opposition; terrorist activities in Damascus and Aleppo; Israeli atomic bomb plot; National Union activities in Aleppo; strikes in Aleppo; student strike in Aleppo.]

0603 January 1961-April 1961.

[National Assembly composition; Lebanese army study of Syrian situation; arrests of opposition to Nasser; UAR position on the Congo; Gaza Strip administration; military unification; pro-Castro student demonstrations; Ahmad Abu Saleh; provincial governors; arrests of Communists; Greek community in Alexandria.]

0772 May 1961-August 1961.

[Administrative reorganization; student strike in Aleppo; Arab federation proposal; Palestinian National Union executive committee in Syrian region; Port Said political-economic assessment; Syrian region administration system; National Union Congress propaganda; USSR; arrests of Armenian leaders; Al Azhar University; corruption.]

0945 September 1961.

[Port Said political-economic assessment; provincial governors.]

Reel 2

Internal Political and National Defense Affairs—United Arab Republic cont.

786B.00 Political Affairs and Conditions (General)

0001 September 1961 cont.

[Syrian coup d'etat; provincial governors; U.S. diplomatic recognition of Syria; Egyptian propaganda; secession of Syria from UAR.]

0067 October 1961.

[UAR government reorganization; Mahmoun al-Kuzbari appointment as prime minister; opposition to Nasser; Port Said political-economic assessment; reaction to Syrian coup d'etat; secession of Syria from UAR; U.S. diplomatic recognition of Syria.]

0395 November 1961-December 1961.

[UAR government reorganization; trials of UAR officials in Syria; Arab League problems; military officers; National Congress of Popular Forces; secession of Syria from UAR; Greek community in Alexandria; policies aimed at dissolution of foreign communities.]

0479 January 1962-April 1962.

[Greek community in Alexandria; policies aimed at dissolution of foreign communities; women; Port Said and UAR economic reviews and assessments; espionage trials; Greek assets; Saudi opposition to Nasser; sequestration decrees; conditions in Alexandria; Chester Bowles visit to UAR; Arab League problems.]

0614 May 1962-September 1962.

[National Charter; espionage trials; National Congress of Popular Forces; Port Said and UAR economic reviews and assessments; political participation of military personnel; UAR government reorganization; Greek Community in Alexandria; Nasser speeches; Egyptian refugees; Arab League and UAR; Alexandria University; Arab nationalism; Arab Socialist Union; 10th anniversary of Egyptian Revolution; UAR government reorganization; Alexandria University.]

0758 October 1962-January 1963.

[UAR government reorganization; Nasser speech; National Congress of Popular Forces; Arab Socialist Union; Egyptian refugees; Arab nationalism; espionage trials; Nasser speeches; Port Said economic reviews and assessments; UAR military intervention in Yemen; Greek Community in Alexandria; Presidency Council; National Defense Council; Arab Liberation Front; Executive Council; National Defense Council; UAR membership in GATT.]

786B.00(W) Political Affairs: Weeka Reports

0908 January 1960-May 1960.

Reel 3

Internal Political and National Defense Affairs—United Arab Republic cont.

786B.00(W) Political Affairs: Weeka Reports

- 0001 June 1960-August 1960.
- 0078 September 1960-December 1960.
- 0187 January 1961-December 1961.
- 0460 January 1962-June 1962.

- 0582 July 1962–January 1963. 0712 786B.001 Political Affairs: Communism. 0739 786B.002 Political Affairs: Nazism. 0741 786B.003 Political Affairs: Socialism. 0748 786B.01 Political Affairs: Agents. 0749 786B.011 Political Affairs: Agents—Immunities; Privileges. 0750 786B.0145C Political Affairs: Agents of Rhodesia in United Arab Republic. 0751 786B.0153C Political Affairs: Agents of Mozambique in United Arab Republic. 0753 786B.02 Political Affairs: Government. 0764 786B.022 Political Affairs: Government—Territory. 0789 786B.03 Political Affairs: Constitution. 0796 786B.07 Political Affairs: Political Rights; Suffrage; Freedom of Speech; Human Rights. 786B.072 0797 [886B.072 Economic Matters: Pension—Old-Age.] 0799 786B.081 Political Affairs: Citizenship—Passports. 0800 786B.1 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government. 786B.10 0814 [886B.10] Financial Matters (General). 786B.11 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government— Chief Executive; President; King 0815 January 1960-August 1960. [Nasser speeches; Nasser's travel plans; visits to Syria, India, Pakistan, and Greece; Nasser's verbal attacks on Zionism; Face the Nation interview with Nasser.]
- 0980 September 1960.

[Nasser's visit to the U.S.; UN General Assembly.]

Internal Political and National Defense Affairs— United Arab Republic cont.

786B.11 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government— Chief Executive; President; King

0001 September 1960 cont.-December 1960.

[Nasser's visit to the U.S.; President Eisenhower's meeting with Nasser; UN General Assembly; UAR's position on Jordan; Nasser's visits to the Sudan and Syria; Nasser's speeches; anti-Americanism.]

0173 January 1961-December 1961.

[African Summit Meeting at Casablanca; opposition to Nasser; UAR's position on Jordan; Latakia port annual report; UAR policy toward Lebanon; Nasser's travel plans; National Congress of Popular Forces; Neutralist leaders' conference; Arab League and Syria; U.S. space travel; Syria's admission application to the Arab League; Syrian coup d'etat; secession of Syria from UAR; Syria's admission application to the UN; UAR military intervention in Yemen; UAR administrative reorganization; UAR government reorganization; Hubert Humphrey's meeting with Nasser; Archbishop Makarios' meeting with Nasser; UAR on Israel; Saudi Arabia and UAR.]

0308 January 1962-January 1963.

[Nasser's travel plans; Arab Socialist Union; Saudi Arabia and the UAR; Algerian independence; UAR subversion in Arab states; UAR economic aid to Bolivia; Chester Bowles' visit to the UAR; espionage trials; rumors of assassination attempts against Nasser; Swiss television interview of Nasser; UAR military intervention in Yemen; National Charter; UAR position on Palestine; Cuban missile crisis; Bourke Hickenlooper meeting with Nasser; UAR relations with Tunisia.]

0478 786B.111 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government—Governors of States and Districts.

0491 786B.12 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government—Vice President.

786B.13 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government— Cabinet; Ministry

0503 January 1960-December 1961.

[Pre-revolution purge of diplomatic representatives; economic policy; UAR's position on Africa; Executive Council decisions; Mourad Ghaleb; UAR foreign relations with Greece; Higher Advisory Council for Labor; Saiyid Ahmed Mohammed Keir; Major Projects Authority personnel changes; Hussain Zulficar Sabri' trip to Cuba; Abd al-Hamid al-Sarraj; Suez Canal; ministerial committees; Education Ministry; list of members; General Marine Wealth Development Organization; trade organization; Supreme Supply Committee.]

0660 February 1962-November 1962.

[Foreign ministry; Governorate Council; Executive Council; Presidency Council composition; U.S. economic aid; IMF stabilization negotiations with UAR; Social Affairs ministry; Ali Sabry; McGeorge Bundy meeting with Hussein Zulficar Sabri.]

- 0731 786B.14 Political Affairs: Executive Branch of Government—Civil Service; Salaries; Retirement.
- 0758 786B.2 Political Affairs: Legislative Branch of Government.
- 0766 786B.21 Political Affairs: Legislative Branch of Government—Proceedings; Debates; Messages to Legislative Body.
- 0780 786B.31 Political Affairs: Judicial Branch of Government—National Courts; Personnel; Rules.
- 786B.32 Political Affairs: Judicial Branch of Government—Proceedings; Judgments.
- 786B.34 Political Affairs: Judicial Branch of Government—Laws; Statutes; Ordinances; Decrees; Acts; Codes; Criminal.
- 0844 786B.343 Political Affairs: Judicial Branch of Government—Laws: Commercial.
- 0848 786B.35 Political Affairs: Judicial Branch of Government—Procurement of Evidence.

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- 0850 [686B.45W Political Relations between the United Arab Republic and the Sudan.]
- 0851 786B.5 National Defense Affairs (General).

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0923 January 1960-March 1960.

0001 March 1960 cont.-May 1960.

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	[U.S. economic aid.]
0082	June 1960–December 1960. [U.S. economic aid.]
0170	January 1961–October 1961. [U.S. economic aid.]
0332	786B.52 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities; Subversive Activities.
0343	786B.521 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Biographical Data.
0491	786B.5211 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—U.S. in United Arab Republic.
0501	786B.5251 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—France in United Arab Republic.
0534	786B.5262A National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—West Germany in United Arab Republic.
0536	786B.5281 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Greece in United Arab Republic.
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0589	786B.54 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Maneuvers; Target Practice; Troop Movements.
0612	786B.5411 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Overflights by U.S. of United Arab Republic.

- 0629 786B.5451S National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Overflights by UAR of Algeria.
- 786B.5461 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Overflights by USSR of United Arab Republic.
- 0637 786B.5473 National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Overflights by UAR of Libya.
- 786B.5484A National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Overflights by Israel of UAR.
- 0652 786B.5486D National Defense Affairs: Intelligence Activities—Overflights by UAR of Kuwait.
- 786B.551 National Defense Affairs: Organization—Personnel, Commissioned and Enlisted.
- 0686 786B.553 National Defense Affairs: Organization—Schools and Academies.
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- 0769 786B.561 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies— Armaments; Ordnance; Arsenals; Armories; Tanks; Trench Mortars; Flame Throwers.
- 0773 786B.5611 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Atomic Bombs; Hydrogen Bombs.
- 0785 786B.5612 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Guided Missiles; Supersonic Weapons; Rockets.
- 786B.5621 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Battleships; Cruisers; Destroyers; Other Naval Vessels.
- 786B.5622 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Aircraft; Bombers; Fighters; Gliders; Jet-Propelled Aircraft.
- 0931 786B.563 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Bases and Posts.
- 0936 786B.56300 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Bases and Posts of Other Countries in the United Arab Republic.
- 0938 786B.56300 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Bases and Posts of U.S. in the United Arab Republic.

- 786B.56361 National Defense Affairs: Equipment and Supplies—Bases and Posts of USSR in the United Arab Republic.
- 0948 786B.5811 National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of U.S. to United Arab Republic.
- 1011 786B.5861 National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of USSR to United Arab Republic.
- 1012 786B.5873 National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of Libya to United Arab Republic.
- 1013 786B.5877 National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of Somaliland to United Arab Republic.
- 1015 786B.5886D National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of Kuwait to United Arab Republic.
- 1016 786B.5886H National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of Yemen to United Arab Republic.
- 1017 786B.5893 National Defense Affairs: Missions—Visits, Clearances, etc., of Military, Naval or Air Force Personnel and/or Equipment of China to United Arab Republic.
- 1021 786B.5811 National Defense Affairs: Civil Defense.

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- 0001 874.00 Economic Matters and Conditions (General).
- 0012 874.10 Financial Matters (General).
- 0015 874.15 Financial Matters: Lands.
- 0017 874.1901 Financial Matters: Industrial Matters—Atomic Energy Peaceful Purposes.
- 0018 874.2321 Agriculture: Field Crops—Fibers: Cotton.

0019 874.2546 Mines and Mining: Base Metals—Uranium; Other Atomic Minerals.

0020 874.424 Social Matters and Conditions: History—Commemorative Celebrations; Holidays.

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0021 [674.000 Economic Treaties and Agreements: Other Relations; Other Bilateral Treaties.]

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886B.00 Economic Matters and Conditions (General)

0023 January 1960-February 1960.

[Drought in Syria; Economic Development Organization plans for Syrian region; economic reviews and assessments.]

0167 March 1960-April 1960.

[Economic development plans; Syrian Economic Foundation; economic reviews and assessments.]

0354 May 1960-July 1960.

[Syrian Economic Foundation; Egyptian budgetary support for Syrian region; Egyptian-Syrian balance of trade; Damascus bread riot; nationalization; U.S. exhibition of antiquities; economic development plans; economic reviews and assessments.]

0520 August 1960-October 1960.

[Economic reviews and assessments.]

0701 November 1960-December 1960.

[Economic policy; Damietta; industrial development progress report; National Union; economic reviews and assessments.]

0816 January 1961-March 1961.

[Syrian region market report; land reform; private sector economic development plan participation; Syrian Economic Foundation; economic reviews and assessments; "Arabization" of Syrian banks.]

Internal Economic, Industrial, and Social Affairs— United Arab Republic cont.

886B.00 Economic Matters and Conditions (General)

0001 April 1961-May 1961.

[Economic Council; economic reviews and assessments.]

0113 June 1961-July 1961.

[Economic reviews and assessments; Five-Year Plan; export controls; economic policy; economic regulations.]

0287 August 1961-September 1961.

[Economic reviews and assessments; economic regulations; financial laws; nationalization; economic and social reforms in Syrian region; Syrian Region Economic Organization.]

0410 October 1961-December 1961.

[Economic reviews and assessments; economic and financial laws and regulations; nationalization.]

0506 January 1962-April 1962.

[Economic reviews and assessments; Western blockade; economic and financial laws and regulations; stabilization program; Edward S. Mason; economic development.]

0678 May 1962-August 1962.

[Economic reviews and assessments; National Charter; U.S. economic aid.]

0814 September 1962–December 1962.

[Economic reviews and assessments; economic development; industrial development; U.S. investments; Suez Canal development project and plans.]

0901 January 1963.

[Economic reviews and assessments.]

0945 886B.00A Economic Matters and Conditions: Advisors.

0970 886B.00—Five Year.

[Economic Matters and Conditions: Five-Year Industrial Plan.]

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- 0001 886B.00—Five Year.
 - [Economic Matters and Conditions: Five-Year Industrial Plan cont.]
- 0123 886B.00-PC Economic Matters and Conditions: Peace Corps.
- 0126 886B.00-TA Economic Matters and Conditions: Technical Assistance.
- 0131 886B.0000 Economic Matters: Economic Aid or Relations between United Arab Republic and Other Countries.
- 0134 886B.001 Economic Matters: Statistics.
- 0141 886B.0086D Economic Matters: Economic Aid or Relations between United Arab Republic and Kuwait.
- 0142 886B.0086G Economic Matters: Economic Aid or Relations between United Arab Republic and Trucial Sheikhs.
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- 0151 886B.01 Economic Matters: Cost of Living; Retail Prices; Black Markets.
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- 0207 886B.03 Economic Matters: Food; Food Conditions; Refrigeration; Food Shortage.
- 0223 886B.05 Economic Matters: Capital.
- 0231 886B.05100 Economic Matters: Capital—Investment of Capital of Other Countries in United Arab Republic.
 - 886B.05111 Economic Matters: Capital—Investment of Capital of U.S. in United Arab Republic
- 0236 January 1960-December 1961.
 - [Egyptian Iron and Steel Company; aluminum industry; U.S. investments; UAR-Inland Rubber International tax difficulties; investment laws and

regulations; technical assistance; investment legislation; loans by private U.S. businesses; plastic industry; nationalization.]

0395 January 1962-January 1963.

[U.S. investments; loans by private U.S. businesses; boycott of Israel by UAR; claims by U.S. businesses.]

- 0470 886B.05149 Economic Matters: Capital—Investment of Capital of Czechoslovakia in United Arab Republic.
- 0471 886B.05162 Economic Matters: Capital—Investment of Capital of Germany in United Arab Republic.
- 0473 886B.05162A Economic Matters: Capital—Investment of Capital of West Germany in United Arab Republic.
- 0476 886B.05165 Economic Matters: Capital—Investment of Capital of Italy in United Arab Republic.
- 0478 886B.052 Economic Matters: Capital—Cooperative Systems; Rural Credits.
- 0489 886B.053 Economic Matters: Capital—Corporations; Businesses.

886B.06 Economic Matters: Labor, Labor Conditions

0529 January 1960-December 1960.

[Reports; labor laws; labor union reorganization.]

0631 January 1961-September 1961.

[Reports; labor laws; Communist textile workers.]

0873 January 1962-January 1963.

[Reports; labor laws; women; National Charter.]

0939 886B.061 Economic Matters: Labor, Labor Conditions—Hours; Wages.

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- 0001 886B.062 Economic Matters: Labor, Labor Conditions—Organizations; Unions; Relations with Employers.
- 0222 886B.072 Economic Matters: Pensions—Old-Age.
- 0339 886B.08 Economic Matters: Insurance.

0343 886B.086 Economic Matters: Insurance—Marine.

886B.10 Financial Matters (General)

0344 January 1960-December 1961.

[USSR credit to UAR; money supply; monetary policy; trade complaints against Export-Import Bank; Syrian region budget; UAR budget; currency depreciation; currency regulations; fiscal policy; Syrian region economic development; Egyptian loan to Syrian region; Syrian Central Bank; Development Loan Fund loans; Export-Import Bank loan agreement; Syrian region currency; Czechoslovakian credit for Syrian region; "Arabization" of Aleppo banks; balance of trade; banking reorganization; currency regulations; Syrian region national income; stabilization; Syrian region development budget; appreciation of Syrian currency on Beirut market; Development Loan Fund telecommunications network loan.]

0576 January 1962-January 1963.

[Banks; banking; IMF mission; balance of trade; housing; stabilization negotiations with IMF; British, Italian and West German economic aid; U.S. economic aid; military budget; foreign exchange position.]

- 0725 886B.11 Financial Matters: Taxation.
- 0749 886B.13 Financial Matters: Monetary System; Coinage; Currency; Bullion: Mint.
- 0758 886B.131 Financial Matters: Monetary System; Coinage; Currency—Foreign Exchange; Exchange Rates.
- 0933 886B.14 Financial Matters: Banks; Banking.

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- 0001 886B.14 Financial Matters: Banks; Banking.
- 0075 886B.141 Financial Matters: Banks; Banking—Interest; Discount.
- 0088 886B.1411 Financial Matters: Banks; Banking—Branch Banks of U.S. in United Arab Republic.
- 0092 886B.15 Financial Matters: Exchanges; Commodity Exchanges.
- 0115 886B.151 Financial Matters: Exchanges; Commodity Exchanges—Stock.
- 0124 886B.152 Financial Matters: Exchanges; Commodity Exchanges—Cotton.

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- 0255 [886B.2553 Mines and Mining: Carbon—Petroleum, Oil.]
- 0256 886B.16 Financial Matters: Lands.
- 0298 886B.1600 Financial Matters: Lands—Right of Nationals of Other Countries to Hold or Acquire Real Property in United Arab Republic.
- 0301 886B.171 Financial Matters: Intellectual, Technical, and Industrial Property—Patents.
- 0309 886B.172 Financial Matters: Intellectual, Technical, and Industrial Property—Trademarks: Trade Names.
- 0335 886B.173 Financial Matters: Intellectual, Technical, and Industrial Property—Copyrights.
- 0336 886B.18 Financial Matters: Immigration; Emigration.
 - 886B.181 Financial Matters: Immigration; Emigration—Residence,
 Trade and Travel of Aliens in United Arab Republic;
 Foreign Visas; Tourism; Foreign Exit Permits
- 0341 January 1960-May 1961.

[Discrimination against U.S. citizens; immigration; tourism statistics; visas; Alexandria and tourism; Sinai Peninsula tourism development; points of entry in Syrian region; Port Said tourism projects; Jewish immigration restrictions; resident aliens.]

0449 June 1961-January 1963.

[Status of resident aliens; entry and residence of foreigners; *Egypt Travel* magazine; denial of entrance permit to Elizabeth Taylor; tourism development; Alexandria and tourism; discrimination against U.S. citizens.]

- 0559 886B.181-DA Financial Matters: Immigration; Emigration—Residence, Trade and Travel of Aliens in United Arab Republic; Foreign Visas; Tourism; Foreign Exit Permits: Damascus.
- 0564 886B.1861 Financial Matters: Immigration; Emigration—Immigration to United Arab Republic from USSR.
- 0565 886B.1882 Financial Matters: Immigration; Emigration—Immigration to United Arab Republic from Turkey.

886B.19 Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation

0567 January 1960-November 1961.

[Syrian region industrialization plans; industries and industrial force in Syrian region; nationalization in Egypt; nationalization of bus transportation; industrial plants; foreign commercial representatives; industrial development climate in Syrian region; nationalization measures; capital flight from Syrian region; seizure of Jewish assets.]

0768 January 1962-January 1963.

[Nationalization measures; industrial production; nationalization of Alexandria shipping firm; industrial development plans.]

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- 0001 886B.1901 Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation—Atomic Energy Peaceful Purposes.
- 0066 886B.191 Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation—Exposition; Exhibitions.
- 0071 886B.191-AL Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation—Exposition; Exhibitions: Aleppo and Alexandria.
 - 886B.191-CA Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation—Exposition; Exhibitions: Cairo
- 0077 February 1960–December 1960.
- 0219 January 1961-November 1962.
 - 886B.191-DA Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation—Exposition; Exhibitions: Damascus
- 0463 January 1960-July 1960.
- 0615 August 1960-December 1960.
- 0734 January 1961-April 1962.
- 0769 886B.191-NE Financial Matters: Industrial Matters; Nationalization; Automation—Exposition; Exhibitions: New York World's Fair
- 0770 886B.20 Agriculture (General).

- 0802 886B.211 Agriculture: Soil, Properties. Tillage—Soil Conservation; Drainage; Reclamation; Irrigation
- 0851 886B.22 Agriculture: Pests Affecting Plant Life; Diseases; Blights; Insects
- 0893 886B.23 Agriculture: Field Crops.
- 0910 886B.231 Agriculture: Field Crops—Grains.
- 0919 886B.2311 Agriculture: Field Crops—Grains: Wheat.
- 0931 886B.2315 Agriculture: Field Crops—Grains: Corn.
- 0933 886B.2316 Agriculture: Field Crops—Grains: Barley.
- 0935 886B.2317 Agriculture: Field Crops—Grains: Rice.
- 0945 886B.232 Agriculture: Field Crops—Fibers.

886B.2321 Agriculture: Field Crops—Fibers: Cotton

0946 January 1960—May 1960.

[Prices; export sales; foreign textile representatives' visit to UAR; sales to People's Republic of China.]

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886B.2321 Agriculture: Field Crops—Fibers: Cotton

0001 May 1960 cont.-December 1960.

[Sales to People's Republic of China; cotton policy; cotton industry reorganization; exports; cotton trade laws and regulations; prices; quotas; cotton sale statistics; Aleppo Cotton Festival; Egyptian cotton market.]

0076 January 1961-December 1961.

[Crop estimates; cotton sale discount policy; export sales; Syrian region crop survey; prices; U.S. aid in marketing cotton; nationalization of export firms; UAR delegation to International Cotton Advisory Council; cotton policy; U.S. quota restrictions; crop damage; UAR proposal to purchase U.S. cotton.]

0218 January 1962-December 1962.

[UAR proposal to purchase U.S. cotton; export sales; sales to the Soviet Bloc; prices; U.S. stockpile disposal; cotton export companies; sales to the U.S.; General Egyptian Cotton Organization; cotton policy; cotton season prospects (1962–1963).]

- 0312 886B.2331 Agriculture: Field Crops—Alkaloidal Plants: Tobacco.
- 0323 886B.235 Agriculture: Field Crops—Sugar-Yielding Plants.
- 0327 886B.236 Agriculture: Field Crops—Garden Crops.
- 0344 886B.237 Agriculture: Field Crops—Fruits.
- 0347 886B.2375 Agriculture: Field Crops—Fruits: Olives.
- 0348 886B.241 Agriculture: Animal Husbandry—Practice of Veterinary Medicine; Outbreak or Incidence of Animal Diseases.
- 0354 886B.2422 Agriculture: Animal Husbandry—Domestic Animals: Sheep.
- 0355 886B.24224 Agriculture: Animal Husbandry—Domestic Animals: Poultry; Eggs.
- 0359 886B.245 Agriculture: Animal Husbandry—Fisheries.
- 0513 886B.25 Mines and Mining (General).
- 0657 886B.2541 Mines and Mining: Base Metals—Iron.
- 0660 886B.2546 Mines and Mining: Base Metals—Uranium; Other Base Metals.
- 0665 886B.2547 Mines and Mining: Base Metals—Other Base Metals (Chromium).
- 0671 886B.2552 Mines and Mining: Carbon—Coal.

886B.2553 Mines and Mining: Carbon—Petroleum; Oil

0672 January 1960-June 1960.

[Concessions; statistics; Sahara Petroleum Company; petroleum projects in the Syrian region; General Petroleum Authority organization; General Petroleum Company operations; exploration; Trans-Arabian Pipeline Company; Atlantic Refining Company claim; annual report.]

0792 July 1960-December 1960.

[Trans-Arabian Pipeline Company negotiations; ARAMCO operations; concessions; drilling report; Atlantic Refining Company claim; statistics; Arab League petroleum congresses; petroleum supply adjudication; prices; Soviet exploration agreement with Syria; General Petroleum Authority; production report; Iraq Petroleum Company.]

0985 January 1961-March 1961.

[Statistics; Trans-Arabian Pipeline Company negotiations; petroleum supply reserves; exploration and USSR; General Petroleum Authority and supply contracts; concessions.]

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886B.2553 Mines and Mining: Carbon—Petroleum; Oil

0003 March 1961 cont.-December 1961.

[Trans-Arabian Pipeline Company negotiations; Menhall Oil Company claim; statistics; concessions; Iraq Petroleum Company royalty payments; Syrian Arabian Oil Company Atlantic Refining Company claim; petroleum industry nationalization; annual report; Concordia negotiations; General Petroleum Authority supply adjudication and contracts; Aleppo petroleum facilities; Shell Egypt; lubricant import program; petrochemical projects; refineries; measurement tables; Arab League petroleum congresses; CALTEX claims; Pan American Oil Company negotiations.]

0278 January 1962–December 1962.

[Annual report; concessions.]

- 0303 886B.2563 Mines and Mining: Other Mining Products—Potash.
- 0305 886B.2565 Mines and Mining: Other Mining Products—Asphalt.
- 0306 886B.2566 Mines and Mining: Other Mining Products—Lime and Cement.
- 0308 886B.261 Engineering and Architecture: Public Works; Public Construction.
- 0337 886B.2611 Engineering and Architecture: Public Works; Public Construction—Buildings; Markets; Market Places.
- 0338 886B.2612 Engineering and Architecture: Public Works; Public Construction—Roads; Highways; Bridges; Tunnels.

886B.2614 Engineering and Architecture: Public Works; Public Construction— Public Utilities; Electricity; Water; Gas; Power Dams

0359 January 1960-December 1960.

[Aswan High Dam Project; Qattara Depression project; electric power; Yarmuk River project; potable water projects in Syrian region; Rastan Dam project; electric power projects; electrical utility statistics.]

0594 January 1961-January 1963.

[Aswan High Dam Project; Euphrates Dam project; Rastan Dam project; electric power projects; West Cairo power project; Qattara Depression project; electric prices; Egyptian Electricity Commission report; electrical current characteristics; Gabgaba project.]

- 0806 886B.312 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Foods—Dairy; Fish; Fowl and Game Products; Ice Cream.
- 0811 886B.313 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Foods—Grain Products and Preparations.
- 0829 886B.316 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Foods—Beverages and Beverage Materials, Alcoholic and Non-Alcoholic.
- 0847 886B.17 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Foods—Spices; Condiments; Flavorings; Leavening Products; Extracts.
- 0850 886B.318 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Foods—Sugar and Related Products; Candy.
- 0851 886B.319 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Foods—Animal, Fish and Vegetable Oils and Fats, Edible.
- 0860 886B.322 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Animal and Vegetable Products, Inedible—Leather and Leather Goods.
- 0875 886B.324 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Animal and Vegetable Products, Inedible—Rubber Manufactures, Including Synthetic.
- 0885 886B.325 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Animal and Vegetable Products, Inedible—Animal, Fish and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Greases, Inedible.
- 0891 886B.33 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries.
- 0893 886B.331 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Iron and Steel; Steel Mill Products.

- 0910 886B.3311 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Iron and Steel; Steel Mill Products: Heavy Machinery.
- 0919 886B.3312 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Iron and Steel; Steel Mill Products: Light Machinery.
- 0941 886B.3313 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Iron and Steel; Steel Mill Products: Foundry and Machine Shop Products.
- 0954 886B.332 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Building and Paving Materials.
- 0959 886B.3331 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Transportation Equipment: Automobiles; Trucks; Buses; Motorcycles.

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- 0001 886B.3331 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Transportation Equipment: Automobiles; Trucks; Buses; Motorcycles cont.
- 0056 886B.3332 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Transportation Equipment: Railroad; Locomotives.
- 0111 886B.3333 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Transportation Equipment: Aircraft.
- 0113 886B.3334 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Transportation Equipment: Shipbuilding.
- 0127 886B.334 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Construction Equipment.
- 0129 886B.335 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Iron and Steel and Related Industries—Communications Equipment.
- 0135 886B.343 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Household, Office and School Furnishings and Supplies—Appliances.
- 0142 886B.35 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Clothing; Textile Industry.

- 0175 886B.352 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Clothing; Textile Industry— Linen Manufactures; Thread; Piece Goods.
- 0186 886B.354 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Clothing; Textile Industry—Wool Manufactures; Thread; Piece Goods.
- 0191 886B.358 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Clothing; Textile Industry—Synthetic Fibers; Nylon; Rayon.
- 0202 886B.36 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Sporting and Athletic Equipment.
- 0203 886B.39 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures.
- 0206 886B.392 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures—Paper and Paper Products
- 0242 886B.393 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures—
 Manufactured Non-Metallic Minerals.
- 0243 886B.3931 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures—
 Manufactured Non-Metallic Minerals: Glass and Clay
 Products; Ceramics.
- 0247 886B.3932 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures—
 Manufactured Non-Metallic Minerals: Fuels and Petroleum Products.
- 0314 886B.394 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures—
 Metal Manufactures Not Otherwise Classifiable.
- 0315 886B.396 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures— Scientific and Professional Instruments and Equipment.
- 0322 886B.397 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures— Chemicals and Dyes; Industrial Alcohol.
- 0359 886B.3971 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures— Chemicals: Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Preparations; Drugs; Disinfectants.
- 0455 886B.3972 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures— Chemicals: Fertilizers.
- 0479 886B.3975 Manufacturers and Manufacturing: Other Manufactures— Chemicals: Soaps; Cleaning Compounds; Detergents; Polishes.
- 0490 886B.40 Social Matters and Conditions (General).
- 0504 886B.401 Social Matters and Conditions: Population; Statistics; Census.

- 0603 886B.41 Social Matters and Conditions: People.
- 0610 886B.411 Social Matters and Conditions: People—Race Problems; Massacres; Pogroms; Displaced Persons; Refugees.
- 0668 886B.413 Social Matters and Conditions: People—Religion; Church.
- 0772 886B.4142 Social Matters and Conditions: People—Mode of Life: Welfare of Mother and Child.

886B.421 Social Matters and Conditions: History— Historical Relics; Manuscripts

0774 February 1960-October 1961.

[International campaign to save Nubian antiquities.]

0861 February 1962-December 1962.

[International campaign to save Nubian antiquities.]

0904 886B.422 Social Matters and Conditions: History—Monuments; Statues; Memorials.

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- 0070 886B.424 Social Matters and Conditions: History—Commemorative Celebrations; Holidays.

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he United Arab Republic (UAR) was founded in 1958 as a union between Egypt and Syria under the leadership of Gamal Abdel Nasser. After three years of low-level conflict between the fledgling UAR and a loose union of Jordan and Iraq, a secessionist party forced its way into power in Syria and dissolved the union. Egypt maintained the title of UAR for another ten years, until shortly after Nasser's death in 1970. This State Department Central Files collection, which covers the years 1960–1963, consequently deals with Egypt in a time of considerable flux.

The collection is divided into two broad (though overlapping) types of documents: those pertaining to internal affairs and those dealing with foreign affairs. Internally, the temporary political union between Egypt and Syria overshadowed the first half of the period, culminating in a coup d'état in September 1961 that resulted in Syria's secession from the UAR. Many documents consequently address the events leading up to as well as the fallout from this political divorce, while simultaneously providing a limited look inside Syria. For the most part, however, the documents concentrate on Egypt, especially after 1961.

The Middle East was a volatile region in the early 1960s, and Egypt's struggles to build up its military capabilities against hostile neighbors are evident. As certain of these documents suggest, however, economic matters were the primary preoccupation of day-to-day internal affairs as Egypt pushed to reinvent itself along socialist lines while at the same time opening up to outside investment. The documents provide a wealth of detail on different aspects of Egypt's economic development during these years, including banking, agriculture, mining, and manufacturing. Other social issues crop up as well, from education and public health to transportation and communication.