Al-Jazirah TV Reports on Bin Ladin's Statement
Osama bin Laden
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Doha Al-Jazirah Satellite Channel Television in Arabic 1300 GMT 14 Oct 02

[FBIS Report] Doha Al-Jazirah Satellite Channel Television in Arabic, an independent television station financed by the Qatari Government, carries as the first item in its 1300 GMT "Al-Jazirah at Midday" program on 14 October a one-minute report on Bin Ladin's statement, in which "he congratulates the Islamic nation on what he termed as the heroic and jihadist operations, which targeted the French oil tanker in Yemen and the US forces in Kuwait." The report adds that "Bin Ladin noted in the statement -- a copy of which was received by Al-Jazirah and which carries his signature -- that the political bureau of Al-Qa'id Organization will issue two independent statements on both operations."

Al-Jazirah TV also carries a still picture of the statement, signed by Usama Bin Ladin and dated Monday, 7 Sha'ban 1423 hegira corresponding to 14 October. According to the statement posted on the Internet the date of the statement is 12 October.

[Description of Source: Doha Al-Jazirah Satellite Channel Television in Arabic -- Independent Television station financed by the Qatari Government]

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