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to write this to the VP's
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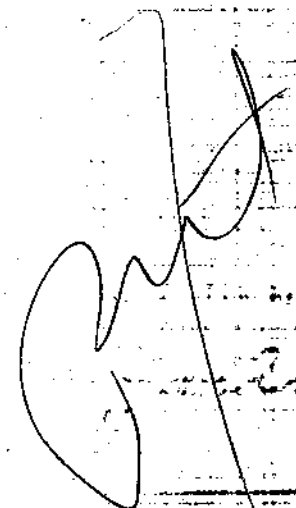
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**STATEMENT MADE BY AMBASSADOR LINOWITZ AFTER HIS MEETING
WITH PRESIDENT SADAT**

I have been authorized by President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin to make the following statement:

1. Both parties are agreed that they are and remain firmly committed to the Camp David Accord and process and are convinced that they offer the only viable path toward comprehensive peace in the Middle East. Both are determined to see the process through to a successful conclusion, regardless of temporary difficulties that may arise along the way.
2. The parties recognize that for the negotiations to succeed they must rest on a firm foundation of mutual trust and friendship and they undertake to strengthen that foundation in the coming weeks.
3. The parties agree to resume the autonomy negotiations at a mutually agreed date and to consult regarding the preparations, venue and timing of a summit meeting.



Dictated by GFSherman from Cairo
9/3/80