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## Syria Is An Example of National And Pan Arab Awareness

The crisis facing the Syrian Arab Republic does not need any explanation. the scene on the ground tells the full details of the conspiracy.

### Syria steadfastness

It is more than obvious .. Organized terrorism carried out by armed groups, foreign-trained hands to murder an entire people. But the awareness and steadfastness of the Syrian people and leadership will help in overcoming this crisis which formed a real test of all spectra and segments of the Syrian society.

### Adherence to the issues of defending the Arab Nation Causes

There is an urgent need to stand against this conspiracy and eliminate it. That was confirmed in the recognition of the Syrian Arab Republic under the leadership of Comrade Regional Secretary of the BAATH Party Presi-



President Bashar al-Assad Receiving Lebanese Minister of Energy and water resources

dent Bashar AlAssad of the state of Palestine. Syria's popular and official stand in confronting the attempts of violating the sovereignty and interference in its internal affairs is considered as an example to be followed. In this context comes President Bashar ALAssad's reception of Lebanese Minister Jebran Basil on 26/7/2011 where his Excellency stressed on the importance of Lebanese National Unity.

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# The Role of Arab Media In Protecting Pan-Arab National Security

On Monday 25/7/2011 the national leadership of the Baath Arab Socialist Party – Pan-Arab National Research institution held a workshop entitled: "The Role of Arab Media in protecting Pan -Arab national security", in which a group of interviewers and intellectuals participated. The most important subjects discussed are the following:

### The role of media in the light of communication revolution:

Ilham El Aynaoui professor at the Faculty of Information. Head of the Department of journalism and the main spokeswoman in the workshop reviewed the importance of media and its role in the light of technological developments and its ability to keep pace with the revolution of communication and the challenges that it created.

She emphasized the need to provide the qualified human cadre, who is capable of translating the media message. She also stressed the need to provide the financial base for the media to cover the expenses required for producing information article to be circulated and brought to the public.

### Expansion of media options and alternatives

El Aynaoui noted that the next phase will be in the interest of media openness and the free flow of information. She indicated that the Arab governments should support the expansion of media options and alternatives by establishing strong, independent Arab media institutions which are far from the direct influence of governments.



Some Comrades Attending the workshop

### The role of press in the Arab Nation life:

Dr. Mohammed Al Rifai a professor at the Faculty of Information in Damascus University reviewed the role of Pan- Arab national press in the nation's life and protecting its humanitarian role and heritage. He pointed out to the features of the Pan-Arab national subject in the official and private media, and how to embody it in cultural programs, particularly at the level of Arabic language.

### The importance of Arabic language and diagnosing the diseases of media

Dr. Bahgat Qubaisi a professor of history at the University of Damascus, emphasized the necessity of Arabic language in the Arab media.

In his turn Dr. Momtaz Al Sheikh, the former Director- General of Radio and Television, pointed out that there is craftsmanship in diagnosing the diseases of media, but there is a failure in the treatment. He also emphasized on the role of interviewer in delivering the objectives of the media message successfully.

## The role of Arab media in protecting Pan-Arab national security:

Munir Al Wadi the former editor-in-chief of Tishreen newspaper stressed that we shouldn't attribute failure to the outside or to the enemy, and we must be alert to the threat endangering our nationality and search for a definition of Arab nationalism, in order to protect our Pan-Arab national security.

## The necessity of immunizing the Arab citizen:

Dr. Mohammed Kajo Director of Palestine Radio criticized the suspicious role of some Arab channels, particularly Al Jazeera and Al Arabia, and called for the establishment of Arab satellite.

Mr. Fouad Ballat, Adviser at the Ministry of Culture called for the need that the Syrian media take its role in defending the Arab nation and contribute to the issue of development and renaissance.

## Media Development is an existential necessity:

Participants stressed that developing Arab media to be able to compete with the contemporary media has become an existential necessity, related to the fundamentals of Arab national security, after the media became one of the main elements in any political, economic or social confrontation.

## National Organization Activities

### **Mauritania Socialist Democratic Unionist Party: Ready to defend the steadfastness of our nation in confronting the conspiracy**

On 18/7/2011, the central committee of Mauritania Socialist Democratic Unionist Party sent a message to the National Leadership of the party referring to the reforms taking place in Syria. The message pointed out that the goal of the conspiracy was to overthrow the Arab and regional role of Syria, and fragmentation of its national unity. The message praised the enormous sacrifices made by the Baath Arab Socialist party to the Arab nation. It also expressed readiness of Mauritania Socialist Democratic Unionist Party to defend the steadfastness of the Arab nation.

#### Baath Syria a Supporter of Arab Resistance

On the regional level, Syria is a supporter of

Arab resistance in the face of Zionist project in our Arab region. Syria together with its party formed a supporter of our Arab pain.

Without the strength, power, regional and international role Syria represents under the leadership of the Baath Arab Socialist Party, the war against Syria would not be so intense besides the unprecedented media mobilization.





## Baath Party and the National Struggle

When the Baath Party put forward the principle: One Arab nation with an eternal message, he was stressing that the population of the Arab world are one people. His objectives of unity, freedom and socialism, are the results of the Arab Revolution in the earlier stages and a serious attempt to overcome its mistakes. The birth of the Baath came as a response to the urgent need for the Arab nation to have of a revolutionary movement leading the masses to achieve their goals and transfer, honestly and sincerely, their aspirations which cemented the relationship between the Party and the masses.

### Baath believes that partition is an emergency situation:

The Baath Party gave priority to the Arab unity believing that partition experienced by the Arab world countries is a development created by the colonists to be able to grip them. As a result of this, the party adopted in his struggle, on the Arab level, that the Arab people in all their countries have one supreme Arab interest, and that the policy of each Arab country should be consistent with this interest. Baath party stood against the policy of alliances which were intended to link some Arab countries with the wheel of colonial policy such as Baghdad Pact and others.

The establishment of United Arab Republic was a victory for Arab nationalism to the alleged regional calls and imperial plans that were looking forward to further fragmentation of the Arab world.

### Baath Party made great sacrifices for Arab Unity

The party made great sacrifices for Arab unity when he accepted to solve his leadership in Syria according to the conditions stipulated by president Abdel Nasser to accept the unit.

After the reform movement led by the late President Hafez AlAssad, Syria was quick to join the Union of Arab Republics that joined Egypt, Sudan, and Libya, and she sought to activate it, but president Sadat turns towards the establishment of agreements with Israel and denies that Union.

Secretary General of the Baath Party initiated, in the late seventies, to launch the National Action Charter with Iraq in order to achieve unity between the two countries, but the Iraqi side frustrated this initiative.

### The party stressed the need for Arab solidarity

Baath Party worked hard to achieve Arab solidarity by putting Syria's relations with all Arab states on the correct way, and calling to take a unified Arab position.

After becoming the President of Syria, Dr. Bashar al-Assad focused on the need for solidarity among Arab states that helps to defend our just issues. Besides our party constantly warned of the plans to divide the Arab countries, as happened in Sudan in addition to the attempts to divide Libya, Yemen, and this shows that the Baath Arab Socialist Party, was and will remain a unitary Party word and deed.