Is Shimon Peres the next Shlomo Argov?

EIR has learned that the Zionist terrorist organization Terror Against Terror (TNT) has targeted Israeli Prime Minister Shimon Peres for assassination at the earliest possible date, possibly during his imminent trip to Rome, Italy. In a semipublic communiqué issued by TNT entitled "Jewish Action," Prime Minister Peres is characterized as a "Jewish traitor" who has destroyed the nation of Israel, and who must die.

Here is the full text of the "Jewish Action" communiqué:

"In a situation where the nation of Israel is undergoing hard times of social and economic uncertainty, the head of the National Catastrophe Government is getting ready for another canvasing tour of Europe. The ostentatious show Shimon Peres staged in the streets of Paris during his visit to France, he is ready to play again in the capital of Italy before long. The selfish political ambitions of this traitor to Zionism must be dearer to him than the future of those, that surrounded by the ruthless enemy, have built up the state of Israel and have been striving for its prosperity.

"The five months of the National Catastrophe Government rule have demonstrated the depth of betrayal in which the leaders of the political guard that have brought the Jewish state into an unprecedented crisis have found themselves. For five months the nation of Israel has been harassed by the parasitic bolsheviks of the left, and the hypocrites of that faction that has brought Likud under its control.

"Under the disguise of democracy and anti-racism, the true advocates of Zionism are being persecuted. In a disgraceful trial, Jewish judges are condemning dauntless fighters against Arab intruders. An excellent man defending the interests of the true Zionists in Knesset [parliament] is being scandalously persecuted by Israeli policemen sent to protect Arab assassins.

"The National Catastrophe Government is doing its best to prevent the construction of more settlements in liberated Judea and Sumaria. The Israeli Defense Forces are being weakened by unprecedented cuts in the defense budget.

"These developments are taking place at the time when Shimon Peres is offering his services at a low price to the Arab aggressors in Cairo and Amman. He is doing that just in order to satisfy the Arabs' friends in Washington and the capitals of Europe. The shame that Shimon Peres has brought on the banner of Zionism has been crowned by his readiness to expose the area of Galilee to the danger of new attacks by the Arab assassins.

"Terror Against Terror will not let the work of the pioneers of Zionism fall to pieces in the dust whirled by the raids of Arab hordes encouraged by the weakness and cowardice of Israel's old political guard. TNT arouses all Zionists who have not yet seen through the farce Peres and Shamir are playing with the Jewish nation.

"We declare the setting up of a special brigade of Eitan Avrahami, a Zionist hero killed by Muslim terrorists while defending the state of Israel. Eitan Avrahami, a young member of the TNT patriotic organization has lost his life due to Shimon Peres' willingness to hold the disgraceful Nakoura talks. His blood has stained the hands of the head of the National Catastrophe Government.

"That's why Eitan Avrahami's fellow fighters have decided to repay their hero's death with the death of the traitor who has conceived the idea of peace in exchange for territory. This traitor is Shimon Peres. Death onto Jewish traitors and their associates. Hurray for the heroes of Zion."

Terror Against Terror is nominally the hard-core terrorist arm of the Kach Party of Meir Kahane, known in the United States as the Jewish Defense League. TNT, like Kahane himself, is deployed under the direction of friends of former U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger in Israel, most notably Ariel Sharon, the current minister of industry. Its immediate controller is Rafi Eytan, the former head of Mossad clandestine (assassination) operations in Western Europe and of the Warfare against Terrorism unit, which is also known as "terror against terror." Eytan's close associates include, in addition to Sharon, Samuel Flatto-Sharon, whom Israeli press have called "the head of the mafia in Israel." Flatto-Sharon had himself elected to parliament several years ago in order to escape extradition to France, where he is wanted on a variety of fraud charges.

It is Sharon's "parasitic bolshevik friends" of the right who are deploying the TNT terrorist organization to assassinate Prime Minister Peres, as they have deployed them in the past for terrorist actions against inhabitants of the West Bank.

Such an assassination, with the same authorship, may also be carried out under the cover of an Islamic or Arab terrorist organization, a *modus operandi* not unknown to TNT.

The decision for such a move itself emanates from the highest level of aristocratic circles in Europe, which, along with the Soviet Union, are committed to destroying any and all governments working with the U.S. Reagan administration for peace and stability, by no later than May 8 of this year, the date of celebrations over the end of World War II in Europe.