

## Calls encouraging attacks on Israeli and American embassies worldwide, due to the recent events in Gaza

Against the backdrop of the events in Gaza, one of the surfers in the Al-Faloja forum, who identifies himself as an Iraqi writer, published a call to surfers on 29 December 2008, to gather information on Israeli and American embassies worldwide, including their telephone numbers and "pictures on the map", particularly in Arab countries, Central Asia and Europe<sup>1</sup>.

One of the responders to this call expressed the hope that revenge would indeed be taken. He added that Egyptian security installations must also not be forgotten, owing to their collaboration with the Jews.



**The address of the American embassy in Egypt and its telephone number**

The surfer then publishes data on the American embassy in Cairo. He also mentions that the Israel Embassy in Cairo has changed its location and has moved to Maadi.

Another surfer publishes internet addresses of sites which give information on Israeli and American embassies worldwide, as well as foreign embassies in Israel.

<sup>1</sup> <http://al-faloja.info/vb/showthread.php?t=39745>

Thereafter, the surfer publishes the photograph of the Jewish advisor to the King of Morocco, Andre Azoulay. Another surfer proposes perpetrating an attack against Bnei Zion. He requests a gun and knife for this purpose.

Other surfers offer full details of Israel's embassies in Rabat-Amon, Mauritania, Nigeria, Turkey, Egypt, France, Angola, Belgium, Cameroon, Eritrea and India.<sup>2</sup>



**The surfers offer details of Israel's embassies around the world**

The forum also proposes making use of Google Maps in order to find the exact location of Israeli and American embassies worldwide.

One of the writers asks the surfer who initiated the above debate, to supply details of the U.S. As-Sayliyah army base in the capital of Qatar.

It should be stressed that these chats come against the backdrop of the confrontation in the Gaza Strip. On 28 December, 2008, the Saudi cleric, Awad Al-Qarni, published a fatwa which was quoted in many Jihadi forums, which called for attacks against Israeli targets worldwide.

On 30 December 2008, one of the surfers in the Al-Faloja forum published photographs of strategic targets in Israel such as: the nuclear reactor in Dimona,

<sup>2</sup> <http://al-faloja.info/vb/showthread.php?t=39745> ,<http://al-faloja.info/vb/showthread.php?t=39745&page=2>

the oil refineries in Ashkelon, the air force base in Tel-Nof, Ben Gurion airport, Nevatim air force base, the ballistic missiles plant in Beer Yaacov and the Kirya base in Tel Aviv.<sup>3</sup>



**Aerial photographs of strategic targets in Israel**

Various writers in the Jihadi forums also call upon Hamas to release the Salafi activists who were imprisoned in the past and supply them with arms and ammunition to fight against the I.D.F. Another proposal is to supply security personnel in the Interior Ministry with equipment to fire Qassam rockets.

Another writer called "Asad Al-Jihad 2", who could be a senior Al-Qaida activist, requests activists in Salafi Jihadi organizations in Gaza, to unite at this time and refuse the offers of aid from Iran, Hizbullah and the Fatah. In addition, other surfers are waiting for statements from Osama bin Laden or Ayman Al-Zawahiri.<sup>4</sup>

<sup>3</sup> <http://al-faloja.info/vb/showthread.php?t=40049>

<sup>4</sup> <http://www.jihadica.com/reactions-to-israels-gaza-campaign/>