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SUMMARY: (U) SEE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY, TEXT PARAGRAPH 1,
BELOW.

TEXT: 1. ~~(S//NF)~~ EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. THE SUCCESS OF THE
IRON DOME
ANTI-MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEM IN ASHKELON, ISRAEL AGAINST IN-COMING
GRAD ROCKETS AND MORTARS IN RECENT DAYS IS HAVING A TREMENDOUSLY
POSITIVE EFFECT ON THE MORALE OF THE ISRAELI POPULATION THERE.
INSTEAD OF RUNNING FOR BUNKERS DURING ALARMS, SOME OF THE RESIDENTS
ARE NOW RUNNING TO THEIR ROOFS TO SEE THE IRON DOME SYSTEM GO TO WORK
TO DEFEND THEIR CITY. THIS IS HAVING A DRAMATIC POSITIVE EFFECT ON
THE ISRAELI POPULATION IN ASHKELON IN PARTICULAR AND ISRAEL IN
GENERAL.

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THE ISRAELI
POPULATION HAS BEEN SO IMPRESSED BY THIS ACHIEVEMENT THAT IT HAS
CHANGED THEIR REACTION TO AIR RAID ALARMS. INSTEAD OF RACING TO
BUNKERS, SOME ISRAELIS ARE NOW HEADING TO THE ROOF-TOPS TO TAKE HOME
MADE VIDEOS WITH I-PHONES TO DOCUMENT THE SUCCESSFUL ENGAGEMENTS OF
THE IRON DOME SYSTEM IN THE PROTECTION OF ISRAELI TARGETS. SOME OF
THESE FILMS HAVE BEEN POSTED TO THE POPULAR INTERNET SITE
>>YOUTUBE.COM<<. THIS SYSTEM IS HAVING A DRAMATIC STRATEGIC EFFECT ON
THE POPULATION AND ITS MORALE.

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