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Dear Petitioner,

The European Union took note of the media reports about the Israeli navy intercepting a British-flagged (Freedom Flotilla Coalition) ship attempting to enter Gaza by sea. The EU reiterated its call on all parties to take swift steps to release all passengers and produce a fundamental change to the humanitarian, political, security and economic situation in the Gaza Strip. The authorities responsible for ensuring consular protection are the states to which the citizens belong.

Yours sincerely,

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[E-signed]