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#### **INTRODUCTION**

In October 1973, a National Security Agency analyst was hailed as having "predicted" the Yom Kippur War. She rejected the term saying she simply saw the Egyptian and Syrian military preparations and concluded the two Arab nations intended to cross the Suez Canal and the Golan Heights to attack Israel on the Jewish holy day.

This paper, likewise, is not a prediction, but rather conclusions based on the collection and analysis of open source information (OSINT).

In the next five months, from June to Election Day (November 3), the United States is likely to be confronted with a series of events that would not only bring down the Trump Presidency and significantly alter the American political landscape, but have a decadeslong impact on the world.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The confluence of domestic and international challenges has created circumstances with considerable and damaging impact on America's social and political well-being.

In recent years, the United States has experienced continuing racial troubles, healthcare dysfunction, divisive immigration issues and policies, decaying national infrastructure and a presidential impeachment.

The COVID-19 pandemic has decimated an economy that was not just on the rebound but was roaring forward at an unprecedented pace. The virus reversed unemployment gains to critical losses and led to massive bankruptcies, stock market plunges and social unease. Although the impact on COVID-19 has begun to lessen recently, its spread and, above all,

its effects on the country are far from over. There are no signs that we will be completely free of the virus by Election Day.

George Floyd's killing last month in Minneapolis not only rekindled racial animosities, it ignited a massive national response resulting in street violence and destruction of property. Businesses already hurt by the pandemic were dealt another, often final blow to their existence.

Elevating an already tense issue to an incendiary one is the participation of anarchist groups like ANTIFA in otherwise peaceful protests. We have uncovered evidence, *including internal communications*, revealing George Soros' Open Society Foundation in New York is subsidizing The Organization for Black Struggle and Missourians Organizing for Reform and Endowment and is specifically supporting protests in response to the killing of blacks by police officers. There is also evidence that a senior executive in Soros' organization has funded Black Lives Matters organizers and demonstrators.

As the nation and the media focused on America's internal conflicts, those beyond our borders were not just ignored, they accelerated.

The world continues to be threatened with global terrorism, mostly inflicted by Islamic extremists. In addition to their intrinsic hatred for Israel and the West, Muslim fundamentalists intensified violent jihads globlly to fulfill their perceived religious mission.

Iran remains a dangerously unstable presence in the Middle East, becoming even more so with a nuclear alliance with North Korea's opportunistic thug, Kim Jung Un.

Russia and China have expanded their influences beyond their borders both militarily and economically. A considerable part of that expansion is alliance with despots in South America and Africa.

#### **CONCLUSIONS**

OSINT collection, research of our databases and extensive analytic study of existing cultural divisions, political hostility, international imbalance and proximity to a Presidential election, we have concluded that between now and November 3<sup>rd</sup>, the United States and the world are in great jeopardy.

COVID-19 will continue to disrupt American's lifestyle and the economy. The population will not be at ease until there is a viable vaccine readily available. Upon researching American and global pharmacological and epidemiological resources, we do not foresee the development of a such a vaccine until next year. As a result, the economy will continue to suffer, and social discontent will build.

That discontent will be felt most severely by racial minorities. As black, Hispanic and other unemployment levels rise, racial strains will drive the national dialogue into the Fall.

ANTIFA, emboldened by riots already incited and encouraged by domestic division, will step up urban violence, primarily in cities/states in which they perceive either sympathy or common opposition to the government.

Internationally, we have been monitoring Russia's unprecedented military training and operations, particularly in the Bering Sea and Crimea. Long frustrated by the United States' tendency to change foreign policy every four to eight years, Moscow's testing of Washington's military and diplomatic resolve is common, consistent, and certain. *In 2020, Russia is staged and prepared to use America's domestic distractions to pursue political and territorial objectives, including "annexations" of Belarus or the Baltic states.* 

China, too, has increased martial presence and activities for several years, primarily in the South China Sea, but more so in recent months. Also recognizing the opportunity provided by internal turmoil in the United States, China is primed to extend its footprint in the region. The most likely action would be seizure of Taiwan, something threatened with intensified clarity and veracity in the last year.

Terrorists will conduct attacks this Fall not only within the U.S., but against our embassies and armed forces around the world. *Another ISIS attack in London, Paris or Copenhagen is almost a certainty within the next few months*.

It is probable there will be a mass shooting in the United States, likely by a Muslim/radical Islamist. This as nations and groups known to sponsor terrorist groups blend their anti-American operations with the unrest created by the George Floyd killing and associated violence fostered by anarchistic groups such as ANTIFA.

#### **SUMMARY**

Our intention is to neither alarm nor conspire, but to present thoughtful and impartial conclusions. It is also important to recognize the special value of the information from which we arrive at these conclusions.

Open Source Intelligence (OSINT) is an established resource, though one traditionally dismissed by government intelligence agencies. Wedded to information obtained exclusively by covert means, it is normally the Intelligence Community's belief that "if it isn't classified, it isn't intelligence." In the 21<sup>st</sup> Century of the Surface Web, the Deep Web and the Dark Web, this myopic approach to information is invalid.

Trustworthy, actionable and timely information, unimpeded by bureaucracy or altered by bias or social pandering is critical for government and commercial decision-makers. The source of information that fits that criteria is immaterial.



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IAA engages **1,500** polyglot metasearch engines (most custom built) running on over **1,000** processors (30+ computers) to find information with computer translation capabilities of over **100** languages into English.

Searching much more than web pages and public data bases, we also scour chat groups, open email, local papers, SIGs, corporate newsletters, our own databases, social media, blogs, etc.

Downloading exceptionally large amounts of complete documents (Terabytes) and build our own complete document reference data bases – we do not limit ourselves to Abstracts only. We DO scan for withdrawn documents and information, since this might indicate that a project has either been discontinued or entered a sensitive production phase.

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