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## GULF CRISIS - SITUATION REPORT

. The situation of Canadians and the Canadian Embassy in Kuwait remains basically unchanged. The Department's communication with the Embassy continues to be intermittent. Embassy contact by telephone with the Canadians in Kuwait is becoming more difficult.

Access to the Embassy and basic services such as the supply of water and electricity have not been restored to the Embassy. The Embassy has sufficient food and water on hand for the time being.

The Canadian Embassy in Amman reports that five Canadians arrived in Amman from Iraq yesterday. To date about 50 Canadians, a number with dual nationality, have left Iraq and Kuwait by way of Jordan, Saudi Arabia or Syria.