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(SBU) Further to December 7, Afternoon Brief no. 4, Embassy Cairo reports there is no evidence the Egyptian government has changed its position on this issue, and it is unlikely Hamas will be invited anytime soon to establish a headquarters in Cairo. The Qatar desk adds the Qatari MFA claimed they had no knowledge of a possible Hamas move to Doha.

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