EGYPT TO APPEAL SHIP CASE FINDING

Cairo, Rejecting the Palestine Truce Board Decision, May Take Issue to the U. N.

CAIRO, Nov. 20 (Reuters)—Egypt rejected today the finding of the Israeli-Egyptian Mixed Armistice Commission yesterday that the Israeli freighter Bat Galim, seized by Egypt in September, had not violated the terms of the armistice.

The Egyptian Foreign Minister, Mahmoud Fawzy, announced today that his Government has appealed to the chief of the United Nations Truce Supervisory Commission, Maj. Gen. Edson L. M. Burns, to give the incident another hearing before a special committee under his chairmanship.

Mr. Fawzy said the ship's crew of ten, whose immediate release was demanded by the United Nations Truce Committee, would be kept under detention here. Sources close to the Government said Egypt also would take the matter to the United Nations Security Council.

The freighter was seized Sept. 28 near the south entrance to the Suez Canal after allegedly firing on Egyptian fishermen and entering Egyptian territorial waters.

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