PA accepts Egyptian peace conference with Israel

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Friends, this is the news I was waiting for to appear today. I was going to   report on the Palestinian unity government this morning, but I held off   until something substantial came in. You see, President Abbas stated that a   unity government could be formed within three weeks
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We also had the news that Israeli Prime Minister Olmert was preparing to meet   Abbas
, in order to boost his chances in forming a government. Previous   to this we had the announcement that British Prime Minister Blair was   intending to tour the Middle East at the end of November
.   Before that we had the news that half a dozen delegations of EU Foreign   Ministers were secretly visiting Syria
, trying to jolt   Assad into joining the peace process. And again previous to that, we had the announcement that Javier Solana, the High Representative for the European   Common, Foreign and Security Policy, was intending to take a second tour the   region at the end of November
. My   suspicions are that something very big is about to happen in the Middle   East, possibly before Christmas. Earlier in the year, I had predicted
   that the EU would be one of the major backers of a Palestinian unity   government. This morning, news came through that tomorrow, EU Ministers are   expected to officially endorse
   the creation of a PA unity government...

Quote: *"European Union foreign ministers are expected   Monday to reiterate their support for the efforts of Palestinian President   Mahmoud Abbas to form a unity government with Hamas amid fears of increased   factional violence in the Gaza Strip. The EU ministers were to issue a   declaration urging reconciliation between Hamas and Abbas' Fatah movement.   Abbas said Saturday he hoped a united government could be formed by the end   of the month leading to an end of the international aid boycott imposed when   Hamas took over the government in March.*

But what got my attention tonight was news that Hamas has   accepted an Egyptian initiative calling for a peace   conference to be held between the UN, the Palestinians and the Israelis.   Especially considering the developments of recent days - with the Beit   Hanoun tragedy, and Hamas' resolute refusal to recognize Israel's right to   exist, it is surprising that Hamas is even willing to consider attending a   peace conference with Israel. Even Prime Minister Haniyeh's willingness to   step down for the sake of the Palestinian people is a considerable change of   tact.

Quote: *"Zahar, of the ruling Hamas party, endorsed   a statement by Arab foreign ministers calling for the peace conference   during a meeting in Cairo, said the diplomats, who*

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spoke on condition of   anonymity because they were not authorized to speak to the media. "The   ministers call to convene a peace conference attended by Arab parties,   Israel and the permanent members of the UN Security Council in order to   reach a just and comprehensive settlement to the Arab-Israeli conflict on   all tracks according to international resolutions and the principal of 'land   for peace'," the statement said.

Now I don't know whether anything will come of this conference, or even   if Israel will agree to it. But I feel something major is going on in the   Middle East right now, and that soon after Abbas announces his unity   government, I believe we can expect a massive push for a regional peace   agreement. I think the EU has realized that they cannot leave Israel and the Palestinians to fight it out themselves, that if there is going to be peace,   it will have to be mediated.

Daniel 9:27
    And he (Antichrist) shall confirm the covenant with many (nations) for one   week (7 years): and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice   and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he   shall make it desolate, even until the consummation, and that determined   shall be poured upon the desolate.

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