**Listening Exercise 107**

Audio News Article, 1 minute 23 seconds

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Guidelines:

A. Review the questions

B. Play the audio twice in repetition (click on the icon)

C. Attempt to answer the questions.

F. Review the transcript to gauge comprehension

G. Listen to the audio a third and fourth time while simultaneously reading the audio transcript

H. Refer to the answers, vocabulary and translation to clarify doubts and uncertainties



**Questions**

1. Which best describes what happened to Osama Bin Laden’s documents in 2011?
   1. They were seized
   2. They were hidden
   3. They were deposited
   4. They were revealed
2. Which were of most concern for Al Qaeda leaders?
   1. Spies and testimony
   2. Spies and drones
   3. Tracking devices, drones, and spies
   4. Testaments, tracking devices and spies
3. What do officials believe was contained in the declassified documents?
   1. Bank accounts
   2. Terror plot
   3. Destinations of Jihadists
   4. Last will
4. How were finances to de dispersed?
   1. In gold equally among children
   2. In gold and Riyals
   3. To his mother, aunts and uncles
   4. Only for Jihad
5. What did Osama want his father to do?
   1. Carry on Jihad
   2. Pay his debts
   3. Care for his wife and kids
   4. Look out for his uncle
6. Most of the declassified material was categorized as:
   1. Memoirs
   2. Financial
   3. Letters
   4. Religious

**Transcript**

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| Documentos que fueron incautados en el escondite donde vivía Osama Bin Laden en 2011 revelan que líderes de Al Qaeda estaban preocupados por los espías, aviones no tripulados, y dispositivos de localización secreta, además de un testamento. | Documents that were seized in the hideout where Osama Bin Laden lived in 2011 reveal that Al Qaeda leaders were worried about spies, drones, and secret tracking devices, and there was a will. |
| Los textos que fueron desclasificados por agencias de inteligencia de Estados Unidos incluyen lo que se cree era su última voluntad. En esa explican que veinte millones de dólares tenían que dividir después de su muerte y la mayor parte de ellos destinados para continuar con la yihad global. También, estableció montos específicos en riyales saudíes y en oro que debían ser divididos entre su madre, un hijo, una hija, un tío, los hijos de su tío, y sus tías maternas. | The texts that were declassified by U.S. intelligence agencies include what is believed to be his last testament. It explains in it that twenty million dollars had to be divided after his death with the main part destined for continuing global jihad. Also, it established specific amounts in Saudi Riyals and gold that were to be divided between his mother, a son, a daughter, an uncle, his uncle's sons, and his maternal aunts. |
| En una carta fechada en agosto de 2008, la en le pide su padre cuidar de su esposa e hijos en caso de morir primero. Además de pedirle perdón si hizo lo que no había gustado. En otro texto, indica que es importante deshacerse de la maleta en la que se les entregan el dinero de un rescate debida a la posibilidad de tener un chip de rastreo. | In a letter dated August 2008, he asks his father to care for his wife and children if he died first. In addition to asking forgiveness if he did what he didn’t like. In another text it indicates that it is important to get rid of the suitcase in which they deliver ransom money due to the possibility of it having a tracking chip. |
| Del material desclasificado contiene 113 documentos, en su mayoría cartas de familiares y a líderes de la organización terrorista. | The classified material contains 113 documents, mostly letters from family and to leaders of the terrorist organization. |

**Vocabulary**

Por lo que making, so that

fusiles de asalto assault rifles

atónitos shocked, stunned

desplazarse to deploy, to move

descartarse be discarded, be ruled out