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Carefully researched, this video illustrates how the U.S. government and its intelligence apparatus supported the rise and fall of Saddam Hussein as the leader of Iraq.

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