Declassified and approved for release by NSA and the U.S. Navy on 01-16-2007 pursuant to E.O. 12958, as amended ST 51667

X67159 P2246

MSGMSGØØ7Ø558Ø14ZCZCCCI352A ZKZK ZZ NSD NNR ZLA DE

ZZ RUEPWF
DE RUEPJS 1282 1591556
ZNY CCCCC ZFH2 ZY11
RUEKC/ANMCC

RUEKMJ/NEACP RULRC/NECPA Z 081455Z JUN (

Z Ø81455Z JUN 67 FX COMSIXTHFLT

- TO RUFPEK/USCINCEUR
 INFO AIG NINE NINE EIGHT
 RUENAAA/CNO
- RUEPJS/JCS RUFRF/COMFAIRMED RUTPP/CTF SIX ZERG
- RUTPP/CTG SIX ZERG PT TWO BT

CONFIDENTIAL

- CONFFLASHSITREV Ø6ØØ5 COMSIXTHFLT Ø81YTEZ
 FOLLGWING MSG PEC FROM USDAO TEL AVIV.
 CUOTE ALUSNA CALLED TO FLO TO RECEIVESREPORT.
- ISRAELI AIRCRAFT AND MTB'S ERRONEOUSLY ATTACKED U.S. SHIP AT 081200Z. POSITION 31-25N 33-33E. MAYBE NAVY SHIP. IDF HELICOPTERS IN RESCUE OPERATIONS. NO OTHER INFO. ISRAELIS SEND ABJECT APOLIGIES AND REQUEST INFO OF OTHER US SHIPS NEAR WAR
- COAST. UNQUOTE.
 2. AT 081430Z LIBERTY REPORTED UNDERWAY AT EIGHT(8) KNOTS,
- 2. AT 081430Z LIBERTY REPORTED UNDERWAY AT EIGHT(8) KNOTS;
 340 DEGREES MAGNETIC.

GP-4 BT

MAN'A