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SECTION 11

PIERLO CREW PRESS CONFERENCE

C: THE ONLY THING LACKING HERE ARE DOCTORS AND SPECIALISTS TO MEND
BROKEN HEARTS AND MEDICINES THAT CURE THE GRIEF AND SADNESS THAT
IS PREVALENT AMONG THE CREW BECAUSE WE ARE FAR APART FROM OUR
FAMILIES.

B: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

C: THESE DISEASES IS QUITE PREVALENT AMONG THE CREW, BUT THEY CAN
NOT BE ((PAUSES)) CURED UNTIL WE ARE ALL REUNITED WITH OUR FAM-
ILIES AND LOVED ONES ONCE AGAIN.

B: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

D: IN CONCLUSION, LADSES AND GENTLEMEN, I WISH TO THANK THE KOREAN

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5: THE EVIDENCE SUPPORTING THE FACTS INCLUDE THE DOCUMENTS

SION AS WELL AS THE ACTUAL CHARTS AND RECORDS WE USED

FOR NAVIGATION ((PAUSES)) RECORDS.

R: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

F: THE FACTS HAVE ALSO BEEN PROVED BY ME, THE PARTICIPANTS

OF THE CRIME, ON MANY OCCASSIONS IN THE PAST, AND JUST

NOW BY THE COMMANDING OFFICER, MYSELF, AND THOSE WHO

HAVE SPOKEN BEFORE ME. ((AMERICAN))

B: //REPEAT IN KOREAN//

F: IN VIEW OF THESE SIMPLE FACTS, AND CONSIDERING THAT

VIOLATION OF TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY IS AGAINST INTER-

NATIONAL LAW, WE, THE CREW OF THE PUEBLO, THINK THE

THE STAND TAKEN BY THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF

KOREA IS JUST AND REASONABLE. ((AMERICAN))

R: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

F: FURTHER, WE WISH THAT THOSE WHO SAY THAT CAPTURE OF THE

PUEBLO WAS A VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, WERE HERE TODAY

AT THIS PRESS CONFERENCE TO SEE AND HEAR FOR THEMSELVES

THE REAL FACTS.

R: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

4 F: MOST IMPORTANT, THE STAND TAKEN BY THE DEMOCRATIC

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA PROVIDES THE ONLY POSSIBILITY

FOR OUR LONGING FOR REPATRIATION, AND I AND THE REST OF

THE CREW OF THE PUEBLO SHARES OUR ARDENT DESIRE AND CHER-

ISHED HOPE THAT THIS ISSUE WILL RESOLVE QUICKLY SO THAT

WE MAY RETURN TO OUR ANXIOUS FAMILIES AND OUR BELOVED

COUNTRY.

B: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

F: //POSS JAPANESE--VERY GARBLED//

B: TELL THE CORRESPONDENTS YOUR NAME. ((ENGLISH))

E: I AM YES SIR, THAT'S FROM LT JUNIOR GRADE SCHMACHEN,

OPERATIONS OFFICER.

B: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

B: NOW MIND YOU, THE PUEBLO CREWMEN, THE CORRESPONDENTS,

HERE TO MENTION YOUR NAMES FIRST BEFORE SPEAKING THIS

TIME. ((ENGLISH))

G: THIS IS AN PETTY OFFICER FIRST CLASS CHARLES B. LONG JR.

AM NAVIGATION DEPARTMENT.

B: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

G: AS THE FIRM STAND OF THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC

OF KOREA IS WELL KNOWN THRU OUT THE WORLD THAT IF THE

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DOES NOT ADMIT, APOLOGIZE, AND

GIVE ASSURANCE THAT SUCH CRIMES AS OURS ARE NEVER RE-

PEATED AGAIN, WE WILL BE PUNISHED ACCORDING TO THE L

OF THIS COUNTRY; WHICH, COULD INCLUDE CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

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B: //REPEATS IN KOREAN//

Q: BUT WE AS SELF ADMITTED CRIMINALS CAN OFFER NO EXCUSES

AND MUST ACCEPT THE FACTS.

B: WHAT WAS THE LAST ONE? ((ENGLISH))

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