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IMMEDIATE

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REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

A. UR 011849Z, NYK010

B. UR 012144Z, NYK013

C. MY B11-142 020316Z

1. MESSAGES RETRANSMITTED TO YOU AS MENTIONED IN
PARAS ONE, THREE AND FOUR OF REFERENCE CHARLIE WILL
ANSWER REQUEST CONTAINED REFERENCE BRAVO WITH THREE
EXCEPTIONS. THESE ARE:

A. COMSEVENTHFLT CRITIC DTG 231535Z JAN WHICH WE
WILL RETRANSMIT TO YOU.

B. MESSAGE FROM PUEBLO TO DIRNSA DTG 220820Z JAN
FORWARDED TECH REPORT NUMBER ONE COVERING PERIOD
121830Z TO 212400Z JAN 68. PARA ALPHA THIS MESSAGE
DEALT TOTALLY WITH REPORTING OF VERY SENSITIVE SIGINT
TECHNICAL COLLECTION INFORMATION AND HAD NOTHING TO

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DO WITH INCIDENT. PARAS B AND C COMPRISING REST OF MESSAGE ARE PERTINENT AND WERE AS FOLLOWS: " B. UNDER SURVEILLANCE BY TWO NORTH KOREAN FISHING VESSELS. C. PUEBLO POSITION: 39-14.8N 128-07.0E 220600Z." C. MESSAGE FROM PUEBLO TO DIRNSA DTG 230206Z JAN FORWARDING TECH REPORT NUMBER TWO COVERING PERIOD 220001Z TO 222400Z JAN 68. PARA A THIS MESSAGE ALSO DEALT TOTALLY WITH REPORTING OF VERY SENSITIVE SIGINT TECHNICAL COLLECTION INFORMATION AND HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH INCIDENT. PARAS B AND C COMPRISING REST OF MESSAGE ARE PERTINENT AND WERE AS FOLLOWS: "A. NORTH KOREAN FISHING VESSELS DISCONTINUED SURVEILLANCE AT 220700Z. B. PUEBLO POSITION 222300Z 39-12N 128-21.4E." 2. THIS REPRESENTS ALL REPEAT ALL MESSAGES ADDRESSED TO NSA BY THE PUEBLO. THERE MAY BE OTHER MESSAGES FROM THE PUEBLO TO ITS OPERATIONAL COMMANDS WHICH WE DID NOT RECEIVE AND ARE NOT NORMALLY ADDEE. SUCH MESSAGES, IF THEY EXIST, ARE IN NAVY OR JCS COMMAND CHANNELS. WE ARE RESEARCHING THIS BUT SUGGEST YOU

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