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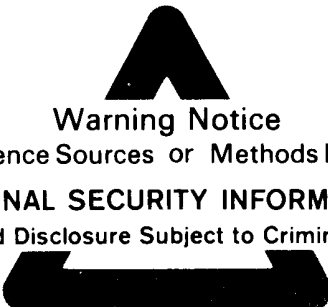
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FORMER LAF ARMOR  
AL HARAH, LEBANON (SWN)

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1. SIGNIFICANCE: ARMORED EQUIPMENT OF THE RECENTLY DISBANDED LEBANESE ARMED FORCES (LAF) 4TH INFANTRY BRIGADE HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED JUST NORTH OF THE AWWALI RIVER IN AN AREA CONTROLLED BY THE CHRISTIAN LEBANESE FORCES (LF). (SWN/NOFORN [redacted])

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2. REMARKS: [redacted] AT LEAST 25 M-48/60 TANKS, EIGHT M-113 APC, AND 24 TRUCKS (NOT ALL ON GRAPHIC) WERE OBSERVED IN A QUARRY 0.9 NM NORTH OF THE AWWALI RIVER AND 0.7 NM EAST OF AL HARAH. MOST OF THE EQUIPMENT APPEARED TO BE IN STORAGE. OTHER EQUIPMENT OBSERVED AT SEVERAL LOCATIONS ALONG THE COASTAL ROAD BETWEEN AD DAMUR AND THE AWWALI RIVER THAT COULD BE FORMER LAF EQUIPMENT INCLUDED TWO PROBABLE M-48/60 TANKS, AT LEAST EIGHT M-113 APC, AND TEN TRUCKS (NOT ON GRAPHIC). THIS EQUIPMENT EITHER WAS BEING USED BY THE LF [redacted] (SWN)

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ANALYST'S COMMENTS: MOST OF THE LEBANESE ARMED FORCES 4TH INFANTRY BRIGADE WAS DRIVEN OUT OF THE KHALDAH AREA, SOUTH OF BEIRUT BY DRUZE AND AMAL FORCES [redacted] THE BRIGADE WAS PUSHED SOUTH OF AD DAMUR AND MOST OF ITS PERSONNEL WITHDREW TO SIDON BY [redacted] THE BRIGADE'S EQUIPMENT, TO INCLUDE 30 M-48A5 TANKS, 50 M-113 APC, AND 250 OTHER VEHICLES, WAS REPORTEDLY TURNED OVER TO THE CHRISTIAN LEBANESE FORCES THAT CONTROL THE AREA BETWEEN AD DAMUR AND THE ISRAELI DEFENSIVE LINE ALONG THE AWWALI RIVER. (SWN/NOFORN/[redacted])

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3. BE NONE, COORDINATES 33-35-40N 035-25-20E (S)

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