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**CUB (YUN-8) PRODUCTION
WUQUSI AIRCRAFT ASSEMBLY AND MAINTENANCE BASE, CHINA**



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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: THE PRESENCE OF A FIFTH YUN-8 (CHINESE CUB) TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT AND FUSELAGE SECTIONS FOR A SIXTH INDICATES THAT SERIES PRODUCTION IS UNDERWAY.

2. (SWN) REMARKS: THE FIFTH CUB, FIRST HERE IS UNDER TOW ON THE TAXIWAY BETWEEN THE ASSEMBLY AREA AND WU-CHU-SSU AIRFIELD THE ASSOCIATED TEST/FLYAWAY FIELD. THE AIRCRAFT IS PROBABLY BEING PREPARED FOR FLIGHT TESTING. THIS CUB WAS UNDERGOING PREFLIGHT CHECKOUT FOUR CUB AND ONE CUB MOCKUP REMAIN ON THE PARKING APRON IN THE ASSEMBLY AREA. FOUR CUB WERE FIRST SEEN HERE ADDITIONALLY, THE DELIVERY OF CUB FUSELAGE SECTIONS TO THE ASSEMBLY FACILITY INDICATES THAT AT LEAST ONE ADDITIONAL CUB IS CURRENTLY BEING ASSEMBLED. CUB FUSELAGE ASSEMBLIES AND COMPONENTS ARE MANUFACTURED AT THE NEARBY BAOCHENG FABRICATION/ASSEMBLY PLANT AND DELIVERED TO WUQUSI VIA RAIL.

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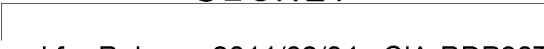
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