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AIR DEFENSE ACTIVITY
HIMS. SYRIA

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: ASSOCIATED AIR DEFENSES AROUND THE HIMS SA-5 COMPLEX ARE BEING IMPROVED. THE RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED SA-6 SITE IS NOW OCCUPIED, AND AN UNIDENTIFIED ELECTRONICS UNIT, POSSIBLY ECM RELATED, IS FIELD DEPLOYED EAST OF THE COMPLEX.

2. (SWN) REMARKS: SA-6 EQUIPMENT IS IDENTIFIED FOR THE FIRST TIME AT HIMS SAM SITE 384. TWO TRANSPORTER-ERECTOR-LAUNCHERS, ONE TRANSLOADER, AND ONE STRAIGHT FLUSH RADAR ARE IN REVETTED POSITIONS. THE SITE WAS FIRST IDENTIFIED UNDER CONSTRUCTION ON [REDACTED] AND WAS PROBABLY COMPLETED [REDACTED] (GRAPHIC 1)

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(SWN) FIELD DEPLOYED ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT IS OBSERVED APPROXIMATELY 1 NM EAST OF THE HIMS SA-5 COMPLEX

[REDACTED] AT 34-36-47N 036-49-46E. SIX PROBABLY ELECTRONICS-ASSOCIATED VEHICLES AND SIX TENTS ARE SET UP ALONG THE SIDE OF THE ROAD. AT LEAST ONE OF THE VEHICLES APPEARS TO BE POSSIBLY ECM RELATED. THE SA-6 EQUIPMENT AND PROBABLE ELECTRONICS VEHICLES WERE NOT PRESENT [REDACTED] THE RECENT DEPLOYMENT OF THIS EQUIPMENT MAY INDICATE THAT ASSOCIATED AIR DEFENSES ARE BEING UPGRADED PRIOR TO THE DEPLOYMENT OF THE SA-5 EQUIPMENT. (GRAPHIC 2)

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3. BE N/A, COORDINATES N/A

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