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SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

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ISTANDARD MESSAGE SYMBOLS
-- SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
-- TYPE MESSAGE (C, S, N)
-- ACTION REQUIRED (R, A)
-- DELIVERY PRIORITY

SECDEF WASH DC
 CMAAG LISBON PORTUGAL
 CMAAG ANKARA TURKEY
 CMAAG BONN GERMANY
 CMAAG COPENHAGEN DENMARK
 CMAAG OSLO NORWAY
 CMAAG ROME ITALY
 CMAAG THE HAGUE NETHERLANDS
 CHMAAG BRUSSELS BELGIUM
 CMAAG PARIS FRANCE
 COMUSDEFOR KEFLAVIK ICELAND
 CJUSMAG ATHENS GREECE
 USDELMO BRUSSELS BELGIUM
 INFO: SECSTATE WASH DC
 USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN GERMANY
 CINCUSNAVEUR LONDON ENGLAND
 CHIEF DEFENSE STAFF OF CANADA OTTAWA CANADA
 CSA WASH DC
 CNO WASH DC
 CSAF WASH DC
 CMC WASH DC
 ANMCC FT RITCHIE MD
 NEACP ANDREWS AFB MD
 DISTR SECDEF DJS ASD(ISA) ASD(PA) JB J4 JS DIA NMCC

-- France
 -- FRG

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SECDEF SENDS

SUBJ: CHANGE IN US FORCE READINESS POSTURE (S)

1. (S) REQUEST YOU PASS THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO YOUR RESPECTIVE
 HOST COUNTRY MINISTER OF DEFENSE AFTER, REPEAT AFTER, RELEASE IS
 AUTHORIZED BY THE SENIOR US POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVE IN COUNTRY.
 FOR CHMAAG BELGIUM: REQUEST YOU PASS TO MOD, LUXEMBOURG. QUOTE:
 THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WISHES TO INFORM YOU THAT US FORCES
 STATIONED IN SOUTH KOREA HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO INCREASE THEIR

OSD and JCS reviews
completed

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READINESS POSTURE TO A MODERATE DEGREE EFFECTIVE 190130Z AUG 78.
THIS ALERT WAS INSTITUTED AS A RESULT OF REGIONAL TENSION RESULTING
FROM RECENT INCIDENT INVOLVING DEATH OF AMERICANS REQUIRING
INCREASED READINESS FOR US FORCES KOREA UNQUOTE.

2. (S) FOR USREPMC: REQUEST YOU INFORM THE NATO MILITARY
COMMITTEE AND MAJOR NATO COMMANDERS AFTER, REPEAT AFTER,
NOTIFYING USNATO AND WHEN AUTHORIZED BY USNATO TO DO SO.

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