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FROM CARROLL TO CHAIRMAN USIB AND USIB MEMBERS

SUBJECT: SANITIZATION OF KH PHOTOGRAPHY FOR USE IN KOREA

REFERENCE USIB D-2.7/2

1. ABOVE REFERENCE AUTHORIZED THE SANITIZATION AND USE OF KH-4 FOR SIOP TARGETTING PURPOSES. SPECIFICALLY THE BOARD APPROVED USE OF KH-4 OUTSIDE THE TK SYSTEM FOR THOSE

TARGETS PROGRAMMED FOR STRIKE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SIOP.

2. CINCPAC HAS REQUESTED EMERGENCY AUTHORITY TO SANITIZE

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KH-4 PHOTOGRAPHY OF NORTH KOREA FOR USE BY THE TARGET PLANNING STAFFS AND BRIEFING TEAMS AT CINCPAC AND COMPONENT COMMAND HEAD-QUARTERS. THE PURPOSE OF THIS REQUEST IS TO PROVIDE BETTER ANALYSIS OF TARGETS AND AREAS OF CONCERN BY THE OPERATIONAL STAFFS FOR TARGET AND INTELLIGENCE DECISIONS. THIS IS AN INTERIM EMERGENCY REQUEST PENDING AVAILABILITY OF USABLE COVERAGE FROM OTHER SOURCES AND BLACK SHIELD.

3. SANITIZATION AND CONTROL PROCEDURES WILL BE THE SAME AS THOSE USED IN IMPLEMENTATION OF AUTHORITY CONTAINED IN THE ABOVE REFERENCE.

4. SUBJECT TO THE BOARD'S APPROVAL, I INTEND TO AUTHORIZE CINCPAC TO SANITIZE AND USE KH-4 PHOTOGRAPHY OF NORTH KOREA AT THE SECRET NOFORN LEVEL FOR MILITARY PLANNING AS REQUIRED IN NORTH KOREA. ITS USE WOULD BE SUBJECT TO THE SAME STRINGENT CONTROLS AS PROVIDED FOR IN OUR INITIAL AUTHORIZATION TO USE KH-4 FOR SIOP TARGETTING. FURTHER, I WOULD PROPOSE THAT THERE NOT BE ANY RESTRICTION AS TO TARGET CATEGORY OR AREA IN NORTH KOREA FOR WHICH THE KH-4 PHOTOGRAPHY COULD BE USED IN EVENT OTHER PHOTOGRAPHY IS NOT AVAILABLE OR IN EVENT OTHER PHOTOGRAPHY IS OF INSUFFICIENT QUALITY.

5. IN VIEW OF THE PRESENT EMERGENCY SITUATION, I ALSO RECOMMEND THAT THE SAME SANITIZATION AUTHORITY DESCRIBED ABOVE BE EXTENDED TO SELECTED KH-8 MATERIALS PERTAINING TO HIGH PRIORITY NORTH KOREAN TARGETS.

6. I HAVE INSTRUCTED MY COMIREX MEMBER TO ADVISE THE CHAIRMAN OF

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COMIREX OF THE ACTION I AM TAKING IN THIS MATTER BECAUSE OF ITS  
URGENCY. AN EARLY DECISION WOULD BE MOST APPRECIATED.

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