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SUBJ: CURRENT SITUATION (U)

REFS: A. JCS 2733/250737Z OCT 73. B. JCS 4583/262111Z OCT 73.

C. JCS 5694/280104Z OCT 73. D. JCS 6054/282327Z OCT 73.

1. (S) CEASE-FIRE CONTINUES IN MIDDLE EAST. HOWEVER, SOVIET NAVAL FORCE IN MEDITERRANEAN HAS BEEN INCREASED TO 96 SHIPS.

2. (S) CINCLANT AND USCINCEUR DIRECTED TO RETURN TO DEFCON 5 AT 310500Z OCT, EXCEPT FOR SIXTHFLT WHICH REMAINS AT DEFCON 3.

FOUR CINCLANT SSNS PRESENTLY ENROUTE TO AUGMENT SIXTHFLT; FIRST PLANNED TO INCHOP 2 NOV.

3. (S) REFORGER REDEPLOYMENT COMMENCES 31 OCT VIA MAC AIRCRAFT INCLUDING THOSE RETURNING FROM ISRAEL.

4. (S) HANCOCK WITH FOUR DESTROYERS AND OILER PROCEEDING TO HOLDING POSITION SOUTH OF SRI LANKA, ETA 031000Z NOV.

5. (S) AS OF 310830Z OCT, 349 AIRCRAFT SORTIES HAVE AIRLIFTED 13,463 TONS OF US SUPPLIES TO ISRAEL. FIVE ISRAELI SHIPS ARE ENROUTE TO ISRAEL WITH US MILITARY SUPPLIES AND FIVE ADDITIONAL

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