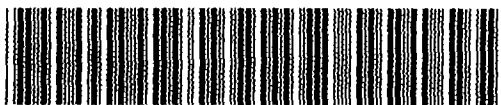
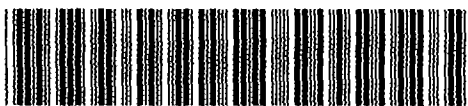




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REQS: (U) (b)(3):10 USC 424

SOURCE: (C) (b)(1), (b)(3):10 USC 424.1.4 (c)

SUMMARY: ~~SECRET~~ THE FRENCH AEROSPACE COMPANY

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DASSAULT-BREGUET IS PRESENTLY PROVIDING AN AVIONICS UPGRADE TO THE F8II. THE UPGRADED AIRCRAFT WILL BE THE F8IIM AND WILL BE SOLD TO IRAN.

TEXT: 1. ~~(S/NF/NC)~~ (b)(1),1.4 (c) THAT THE FRENCH AEROSPACE FIRM DASSAULT-BREGUET IS WORKING IN PARIS AND SHENYANG ON THE UPGRADE OF THE F8II. THIS AIRCRAFT WILL ULTIMATELY BE DESIGNATED THE F8IIM. THE M WILL DESIGNATE THE AIRCRAFT MODEL AS FOR EXPORT SALES.
2. ~~(S/NF/NC)~~ WHEN ASKED OF THE STATUS OF THE PROJECT, (b)(1),1.4 (c) THAT THE PROGRAM WAS STILL IN THE INITIAL STAGES AND THAT THE FIRST VERSION WOULD NOT BE READY FOR FLIGHT FOR ONE OR TWO YEARS.
3. ~~(S/NF/NC)~~ (b)(1),1.4 (c) THAT THE F8II WILL BE SOLD TO IRAN. THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF SALES WOULD BE TWENTY FIVE AIRCRAFT. (b)(1),1.4 (c) THAT THE F8II WOULD BE CAPABLE OF MOUNTING THE ANTISHIP MISSILE WHICH WAS REQUESTED BY IRAN. (b)(1),1.4 (c) THAT THE SALE DID NOT INVOLVE POLYTECHNOLOGIES BUT (b)(1),1.4 (c) DID NOT MENTION THE CHINESE COMPANY INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENTAL PROJECT.

COMMENTS: ~~(S/NF/NC)~~ (b)(1),(b)(3):10 USC 424,1.4 (c)

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