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/************ THIS IS A COMBINED MESSAGE ************/
US-SOMALIA MILITARY OFFICIALS MEET TO PLAN CY-89 JOINT MILITARY EXERCISES (U).

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TEXT: 1. (U) ON THE MORNINGS OF 16/17 JANUARY 1989, U.S. MILITARY REPRESENTATIVES FROM CENTRAL COMMAND (CENTCOM), SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND (SOCCENT), AND THIRD ARMY MET WITH SENIOR SOMALI NATIONAL ARMY (SNA) OFFICIALS TO DISCUSS/PLAN US - SOMALI MILITARY EXERCISES FOR CY-89.
4. (U) THROUGHOUT THE COURSE OF THE TWO DAY CONFERENCE, EACH REPRESENTATIVE GROUP SAT ACROSS THE ROOM FROM EACH OTHER IN THE MOD PEACE CUBE CONFERENCE ROOM. US PROPOSALS WERE BRIEFED 16 JAN; SOMALI PROPOSALS/ COUNTERPROPOSALS TOOK PLACE THE 17TH.

ONLY THE SNA WILL PARTICIPATE; A POINT CLEARLY ARTICULATED BY THE US BRIEFING OFFICER – THE SOMALI AIR FORCE (SAF) AND SOMALI NAVY (SN) WILL BE EXCLUDED.

PROVIDE GROUND FORCES AND MEDICAL READINESS TRAINING. IT WILL TAKE PLACE AT BALLI DOOGL/ [b](3):10 USC 424

PROVIDE AN EXTENSION TO GROUND FORCES TRAINING, EXERCISE-RELATED CONSTRUCTION (ERC), AND HUMANITARIAN/ CIVIC ASSISTANCE (H/CA). LOCATIONS [b](1):1.4 (c);1.4 (d)

WERE BERBERA [b](3):10 USC 424 AND BALLI DOOGL. INSTEAD OF THE LATTER, THE SOMALIS PROPOSED ISKUSHUBAN

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SNA WOULD NOT PERMIT LIVE BOMB DROPS. TACTICAL AIRCRAFT MAY UTILIZE A TARGET LOCATION IN THE NORTHEASTERN TIP OF THE HORN - CALUULA (ALULA) [b](3):10 USC 424
DETAILED TO BE FINALIZED LATER.

9. (b)(1);1.4 (c);1.4 (d)

PLANNED FOR BERRY AND BALLI DOOGLE, WAS NOT AGREED UPON. INSTEAD OF BALLI DOOGLE, THE SOMALIS ASKED THAT THE MEDICAL DISPENSARY EITHER BE CONSTRUCTED AT YAAQ BAAWEE FIRST CHOICE - A SMALL VILLAGE NEARBY, OR LEEGO, SECOND CHOICE. THEY ADDITIONALLY ASKED THAT EXCESS CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL BE TURNED OVER TO THEM FOR WAREHOUSE CONSTRUCTION NEAR BERRY.

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JS PLANNERS ASKED THE SOMALIS TO BEGIN CONSIDERING ALTERNATIVES.

11. (U) THROUGHOUT THE CONFERENCE DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS, WAS THE SPOKESMAN AND WAS CLEARLY IN CHARGE, WITH SHOWING THE SECOND MOST DEGREE OF INFLUENCE/INVOLVEMENT. (b)(6) WAS THE INTERPRETER.

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VOICED DISPLEASURE ABOUT MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR CIVILIANS, I.E., HE FELT IT HAD NO PLACE IN A MILITARY EXERCISE. AFTER HAVING IT EXPLAINED TO HIM THAT THE GOVERNMENT WOULD PASS UP A GOLDEN PUBLIC RELATIONS OPPORTUNITY AND MILITARY DEPENDENTS WOULD ALSO BE INCLUDED, HE APPEARED PLACATED.

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