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

COUNTRY: (U) IRAN (IR); CHINA (CH).

SUBJECT: IIR (b)(3):10 USC 424 F-7 AIRCRAFT RETURNED TO
CHINA (U)

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SUMMARY: ~~(C)~~ IRAN HAS REPORTEDLY RETURNED TO CHINA TWO (2) F-7 AIRCRAFT THAT THEY HAD TAKEN DELIVERY OF JUST LAST AUGUST.

TEXT: 1. ~~(C)~~ IRAN HAS REPORTEDLY RETURNED TO CHINA TWO F-7 AIRCRAFT THAT HAD BEEN DELIVERED JUST LAST AUGUST. THE INFORMATION OBTAINED SO FAR INDICATES THAT IRAN'S REJECTION OF THE AIRCRAFT WAS BECAUSE CHINA HAD NOT CARRIED OUT THE C3 RELATED MODIFICATION THAT TEHERAN HAD REQUESTED IN ORDER THAT THE NEW AIRCRAFT MIGHT BE COMPATIBLE WITH ITS C3 SYSTEMS.

2. ~~(C)~~ THE AGREEMENT FOR THE F-7 DEAL WHICH INVOLVED SOME 100 AIRCRAFT WAS SIGNED IN JUNE, 1989. IT WAS ARRANGED THAT DELIVERIES WOULD BE MADE THROUGH PAKISTAN, WHICH WOULD ALSO TRAIN IRANIAN PILOTS ON THE AIRCRAFT 3. ~~(C)~~ IT IS COMMON KNOWLEDGE THAT THE PRC ACQUIRES F-7 TECHNOLOGY, PARTICULARLY IN RESPECT TO THE C3 AND RADAR SYSTEMS, FROM ISRAEL, BRITAIN, WEST GERMANY AND THE UNITED STATES. CHINA'S COOPERATION WITH WESTERN COUNTRIES HAS BEEN GENERALLY AFFECTED BY THE RECENT STUDENT RIOTS IN CHINA IN APRIL, 1989.

COMMENTS: ~~(C/MI)~~

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