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SUBJECT: SOUTH AFRICA'S TIES TO LIBYA (U)

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SUMMARY: (S/NF) [REDACTED] THERE ARE NO TIES BETWEEN SOUTH AFRICA AND LIBYA FOR THE SALE OR TRANSFER OF MILITARY WEAPONS SYSTEMS OR ARMS. IN ADDITION, THERE IS ONLY MARGINAL CONTACT BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

(b)(1); Sec. 1.4(c)

TEXT: 1. (S/NF) [REDACTED] THERE ARE NO, REPEAT NO, CURRENT MILITARY CONTRACTS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES FOR THE SALE OR TRANSFER OF WEAPON SYSTEMS OR ARMS, NOR ARE THERE ANY NEGOTIATIONS FOR FUTURE CONTRACTS.

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2. (S/NF) [REDACTED] THERE WAS NO TRUTH TO THE RUMOR THAT SOUTH AFRICA,S FORMER PRESIDENT NELSON MANDELA AND LIBYA,S QUADAFI HAD ENTERED INTO ANY TYPE OF POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, OR MILITARY COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT.

(b)(1); Sec. 1.4(c)

[REDACTED] THAT SOUTH AFRICA,S AMBASSADOR TO TUNISIA IS RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTINUING A DIALOGUE WITH LIBYAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, BUT THAT NOTHING OF SUBSTANCE HAD BEEN AGREED UPON.

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