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COUNTRY: (U) EGYPT (EG).

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SUBJECT: (b)(3):10 USC 424 / EGYPT AIR CRASH VICTIMS (U)

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

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

SUMMARY: ~~(S/NF)~~ EGYPT AIR FLIGHT 990 CRASHED ON 30 OCT 99. OF THOSE PASSENGERS KILLED, EIGHT WERE EGYPTIAN AIR FORCE (EAF) OFFICERS, OF WHICH TWO WERE HELICOPTER PILOTS. THIS INFO CORRECTS (b)(3):10 USC 424 WHICH STATED THAT THERE WERE 16 EAF FIGHTER PILOTS ON BOARD.

TEXT: 1. ~~(S/NF)~~ THIS IS A CORRECTION TO (b)(3):10 USC 424 WHICH STATED IN PART, QUOTE, IN SEPTEMBER 1999, A COMMERCIAL EGYPT AIR PASSENGER AIRCRAFT CRASHED INTO THE ATLANTIC OCEAN, KILLING ALL ABOARD. OF THE PASSENGERS KILLED, 16 WERE EGYPTIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTER PILOTS RETURNING FROM TRAINING IN CONUS. UNQUOTE.

2. ~~(S/NF)~~ THE COMMERCIAL FLIGHT MENTIONED IN THE REF REPORT WAS EGYPT AIR FLIGHT 990, WHICH CRASHED ON 30 OCT 99 AND KILLED ALL PASSENGERS ON BOARD. THERE WERE 33 EGYPTIAN MILITARY OFFICERS ON BOARD THE FLIGHT, OF WHICH EIGHT WERE MEMBERS OF THE EGYPTIAN AIR FORCE. THESE EIGHT, WHICH INCLUDED THREE BRIG GENERALS, ONE COLONEL, AND FOUR MAJORS, WERE RETURNING FROM THE U.S. AFTER ATTENDING AN ACCEPTANCE CEREMONY FOR TWO H-3 COMMANDO HELICOPTERS THAT HAD BEEN RECENTLY REFURBISHED. OF THESE EIGHT OFFICERS, ONLY TWO WERE PILOTS, AND THEIR RATING WAS IN H-3 HELICOPTERS, NOT FIGHTER AIRCRAFT.

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2. (U) DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS (b)(3):10 USC 424

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