radiation are not included within this system.

Examples of such methods are panorex radiographs for dental evaluations and thyroid scans for the evaluation and treatment of hypo/hyperthyroidism.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

10 U.S.C. 133, E.O. 12891 (January 15, 1994), E.O. 9397 (SSN).

PURPOSE(S):

For use by agency officials and employees, or authorized contractors, and other DoD components in the preparation of the histories of human radiation experimentation; to conduct scientific studies or medical follow-up programs; to respond to Congressional and Executive branch inquiries; and to provide data or documentation relevant to the exposure of individuals.

ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records or information contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

Information from this system of records may be disclosed to officials and contract personnel of the Human Radiation Experimentation Interagency Working Group as well as other designated government agencies, for the purposes described above. These agencies are the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Department of Justice; Department of Energy; Department of Health and Human Services; Department of Veterans Affair; the White House Advisory Committee; Central Intelligence Agency; and Office of Management and Budget.

The "Blanket Routine Uses" published at the beginning of DTRA's compilation of systems notices apply to this system.

POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORING, RETRIEVING, ACCESSING, RETAINING, AND DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

STORAGE:

Paper records in file folders, microfilm/fiche, computer magnetic tape disks, and printouts in secure computer facilities.

RETRIEVABILITY:

Records are retrieved by case number, name, study control number, Social Security Number, or service number.

SAFEGUARDS:

Access to or disclosure of information is limited to authorized personnel. Paper records filed in folders, microfilm/fiche and computer printouts are stored in areas accessible only by authorized personnel. Buildings are protected by security guards and intrusion alarm systems. Magnetic tapes are stored in a controlled area within limited access facilities. Access to computer programs is controlled through software applications that require validation prior to use.

RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Files will be retained permanently. They will be maintained in the custody of the command center until all claims have been settled and then transferred to the National Archives and Records Administration.

SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

Radiation Experiments Command Center, Special Weapons Technology Directorate, 6801 Telegraph Road, Alexandria, VA 22310–3398.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves is contained in this system of records should address written inquiries to the General Counsel, Defense Threat Reduction Agency, 45045 Aviation Drive, Dulles, VA 20166–7517.

Individual should provide full name, Social Security Number, or service number, and if known, case or study control number.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Individuals seeking access to records about themselves contained in this system of records should address written inquiries to the General Counsel, Defense Threat Reduction Agency, 45045 Aviation Drive, Dulles, VA 20166–7517.

Individuals should provide full name, Social Security Number, or service number, and if known, case or study control number.

CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

The OSD rules for accessing records, for contesting contents and appealing

initial agency determinations are published in OSD Administrative Instruction 81; 32 CFR part 311; or may be obtained from the system manager.

RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Information will be collected directly from individuals, as well as extracted from historical records to include personnel files and lists, training files, medical records, legal case files, radiation and other hazard exposure records, occupational and industrial accident records, employee insurance claims, organizational and institutional administrative files, and related sources. The specific types of records used are determined by the nature of an individual's exposure to radiation.

EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:

None.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 99-03]

36(b)(1) Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Department of Defense, Defense Security Cooperation Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing the unclassified text of a section 36(b)(1) arms sales notification. This is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Pub. L. 104–164 dated 21 July 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. J. Hurd, DSCA/COMPT/RM, (703) 604–6575.

The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 99–03, with attached transmittal. policy justification, sensitivity of technology and Section 620C(d) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961.

Dated: December 8, 1998.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEFENSE SECURITY COOPERATION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

30 NOV 1998 In reply refer to: I-75111/98

Honorable Newt Gingrich
Speaker of the House of
Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515-6501

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 99-03, concerning the Department of the Navy's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Greece for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$742 million. Soon after this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to notify the news media.

You will also find attached a certification as required by Section 620C(d) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, that this action is consistent with Section 620C(b) of that statute.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL S. DAVISON, JR. LIEUTENANT GENERAL, USA

DIRECTOR

Attachments

Same 1tr to: House Committee on International Relations

Senate Committee on Appropriations Senate Committee on Foreign Relations House Committee on National Security Senate Committee on Armed Services House Committee on Appropriations

Transmittal No. 99-03

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer
Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1)
of the Arms Export Control Act

- (i) Prospective Purchaser: Greece
- (ii) Total Estimated Value:

 Major Defense Equipment* \$ 555 million
 Other \$ 187 million
 TOTAL \$ 742 million
- Description of Articles or Services Offered: (iii) Combined lease/sale arrangement of four KIDD Class Guided Missile Destroyers, 62,000 20mm cartridges, 4,800 5"/54 projectiles, 64 anti-submarine rockets, 320 MK 36 Super Rapid Bloom Offboard Chaff, 32 HARPOON missiles, 48 MK 46 MOD 5 torpedoes, ammunition, and other related ammunition items, shipyard/port support services and post transfer activities relating to "hot ship" turnover of one KIDD destroyer, "cold ship" transfer reactivations for three KIDD destroyers from the U.S. Navy, logistics support services, publications, repair and calibration services for shipboard equipment, publications and technical data/drawings, support equipment, spare and repair parts and other elements of logistics necessary to prepare the frigates for transfer to Greece in a "Safe to Steam" condition with all shipboard and weapon systems operational.
 - (iv) <u>Military Department</u>: Navy (SAS, GFG, TCY, AFF, AFG, AFH, AFI)
 - (v) <u>Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to</u> be Paid: None
- (vi) Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold: See Annex under separate cover.
- (vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: 30 NOV 1998
- * as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATION

Greece - KIDD Class Guided Missile Destroyers

The Government of Greece has requested a possible combined lease/sale arrangement of four KIDD Class Guided Missile Destroyers, 62,000 20mm cartridges, 4,800 5"/54 projectiles, 64 anti-submarine rockets, 320 MK 36 Super Rapid Bloom Offboard Chaff, 32 HARPOON missiles, 48 MK 46 MOD 5 torpedoes, ammunition, and other related ammunition items, shipyard/port support services and post transfer activities relating to "hot ship" turnover of one KIDD destroyer, "cold ship" transfer reactivations for three KIDD destroyers from the U.S. Navy, logistics support services, publications, repair and calibration services for shipboard equipment, publications and technical data/drawings, support equipment, spare and repair parts and other elements of logistics necessary to prepare the frigates for transfer to Greece in a "Safe to Steam" condition with all shipboard and weapon systems operational. The estimated cost is \$742 million.

This proposed sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by improving the military capabilities of Greece and furthering NATO rationalization, standardization and interoperability.

Greece needs these frigates to continue its naval modernization program and enhance its air defense capability. Greece already has HARPOON missiles and anti-submarine rockets in its weapon inventory. Greece will use these missiles to augment its present missile inventory and enhance its anti-ship warfare capability. The missiles will be provided in accordance with, and subject to the limitation on use and transfer provided under the Arms Export Control Act, as embodied in the terms of sale. This sale will not adversely affect either the military balance in the region or U.S. efforts to encourage a negotiated settlement of the Cyprus question. Greece, which already has missiles in its inventory, will have no difficulty absorbing these additional missiles.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not affect the basic military balance in the region.

The principal contractors will be BAV, Alexandria, Virginia; Hughes Missile Systems Company, Tucson, Arizona; Boeing Corporation, St. Charles, Missouri; and Alliant Techsystems, Hopkins, Minnesota. One or more proposed offset agreements may be related to this proposed sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government personnel or contractor representatives in-country for extended periods of time in support of this transfer.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

Transmittal No. 98-03

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act

> Annex Item No. vi

(vi) Sensitivity of Technology:

- 1. The KIDD class guided missile destroyers contains sensitive state-of-the-art technology. Some of the hardware, publications, performance specifications, operational capability parameters, vulnerabilities to countermeasures, and software documentation are class Secret. However, the classified information that will be provided consists of only that necessary for the Government of Greece to operate, maintain, and repair the ships and their installed systems and related software. The proposed transfer provides equipment and services and technical information related to the following classified equipment and documentation:
- a. The PHALANX Close-In Weapon System crystals which contain the operating frequencies of the weapon system are considered critical technology and are classified Confidential. Select maintenance and operation publications are also classified Confidential.
- b. AN/SYR-1 Communication Tracking Set: Unclassified hardware with Confidential software.
- c. AN/SLQ-25A NIXIE Torpedo CM: Secret hardware, software, and documentation requiring sanitization.
- d. AN/SLQ-32A(V)3 Improved ECM Set: Secret hardware. Due to USN requirements, this system must be removed and replaced with the basic AN/SLQ-32(V)2 system. Removal includes hardware, software, and technical manuals. When replaced with the basic AN/SLQ-32(V)2, the following release considerations apply: (1) hardware is Secret, (2) software is Confidential, (3) U.S. threat libraries are Secret and will not be released, and (4) technical manuals are Confidential and need to be sanitized.
- e. MK 36 MOD 0 SRBOC Launching System: Confidential components with documentation requiring sanitization from Secret to Confidential.
- f. AN/UYK-7(V) Computer CDS: Unclassified hardware. After sanitization, software and documentation will be Confidential.

- g. MK 116 MOD 2 Underwater Fire Control System: Confidential hardware, software, and documentation requiring sanitization.
- h. MK 14 MOD 5 Weapons Direction System: Secret hardware/documentation and Secret software requiring sanitizaiton.
- i. MK 74 MOD 14 Fire Control System GUI: Secret hardware with Secret software/documentation requiring sanitization.
- j. AN/SQQ-28(V)11 Sonar Signal Processing System: Confidential components and documentation requiring sanitization.
- k. AN/SQR-17A(V) Amplifier, Radio: Confidential hardware. Secret software/documentation requiring sanitization which will downgrade classification to Confidential.
- 1. AN/SQS-53A EC-16: Unclassified hardware. Secret software/documentation requiring sanitization which will downgrade classification to Confidential.
- m. AN/SQS-53A Sonar Set: Confidential components and documentation.
- n. The Guidance Section Components of the HARPOON missile are classified Confidential including applicable technical and equipment documentation and manuals.
- o. Anti-submarine Rocket (ASROC): Confidential components and documentation requiring sanitization.
- p. MK 46 MOD 5 Torpedo: Secret components and documentation requiring sanitization.
- 4. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software in this proposed sale, the information could be used to develop countermeasures which might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advance capabilities. For this reason, the U.S. threat libraries will not be released.
- 5. This proposed sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification. Moreover, the benefits to be derived from this proposed sale, as outlined in the Policy Justification, outweigh the potential damage that could result if the sensitive technology were revealed to unauthorized persons.

November 30, 1998

Of The Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, As Amended

Pursuant to section 620C(d) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (the Act), Executive Order 12163 (sec. 1-201(a)(13)) and the Secretary of State's memorandum of December 15, 1997, I hereby certify that the furnishing to Greece of Four KIDD-Class Guided Missile Destroyers, 62,000 20mm cartridges, 4,800 5"/54 projectiles, 64 anti-submarine rockets, 320 MK 36 Super Rapid Bloom Offboard Chaff, 32 HARPOON missiles, 48 MK 46 MOD 5 torpedoes, ammunition, and other related ammunition items, shipyard/port support services and post transfer activities relating to "hot ship" turnover of one KIDD destroyer, "cold ship" transfer reactivations for three KIDD destroyers from he U.S. Navy, logistics support services, publications, repair and calibration services for shipboard equipment, publications and technical data/drawings, support equipment, spare and repair parts and other elements of logistics necessary to prepare the frigates for transfer to Greece in a "safe to steam" conditions with all shipboard and weapon systems operational, at an estimated cost of \$742 million, is consistent with the principles contained in section 620C(b) of the Act.

This certification will be made part of the notification to the Congress under section 36(b) of the Arms Export Control Act regarding the proposed sale of the above-named articles and services, and is based on the justification accompanying said notification, of which said justification constitutes a full explanation.

John D. Holum

Acting Under Secretary of State for Arms Control and International Security Affairs and Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Science Board Task Force on Human Resources Strategy

ACTION: Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board Task Force on Human Resources Strategy will meet in open session on December 21–22, 1998 at the Pentagon, Arlington, Virginia.

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology