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091635Z JUN 67  
FM COMSIXTHFLT

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CONFIDENTIAL SITREP 06003 COMSIXTHFLT

1. COMSIXTHFLT, VADM W. I. MARTIN, MADE PERSONAL INSPECTION OF USS LIBERTY (AGTR-5) AT 091200Z.

2. EVACUATION OF ALL INJURED AND KIA COMPLETED AT 091233Z. FIVE ZERONWOUNDED PLUS ALL RECOVERED REMAINS IN AMERICA; EIGHT WOUNDED IN LITTLE ROCK. TOTAL OF TWO TWO REMAIN MISSING. INTEND AIR LIFT REMAINS TO NSA NAPLES FOR FURTHER TRANSFER. WILL AIR EVAC SERIOUSLY WOUNDED AS NECESSARY.

3. FLOODED SPACES ARE NINETY PERCENT FULL OF WATER AND OIL WITH HEAVY OIL FUMES. NO SIGNALS OR NOISE HEARD AT ANY TIME TO INDICATE MISSING PERSONS TRAPPED BELOW DECKS.

4. PAPAGO JOINED LIBERTY AT 1510Z. SERVFOR SIXTHFLT MATERIAL OFFICER PRESENTLY ABOARD LIBERTY MAKING SURVEY OF DAMAGE AND REPAIRS REQUIRED.

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