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INFO: DIRNSA   //ADV CPY ADPM & SNOO//
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FROM: DIRNAVSECGRUEUR

INFO: CINCUSNAVEUR

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FROM: [redacted]

TO: DIRNAVSECGRUEUR

INFO: DIRNSAVSECGRU [redacted]

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USS LIBERTY (U)

A. YOUR Ø91058Z

1. JUST RETURNED FROM VISIT LIBERTY. DAMAGE OPERATIONS SPACES EXTEN-

SIVE, VIRTUALLY ELIMINATED. SHIP NO LONGER CAPABLE OF CARRYING OUT

MISSION. ONLY ARABIC LINGUIST LEFT ON BOARD IS WILSON, NSA CIV.

DON'T BELIEVE HE'S INTERESTED HAS REMAINED ON BOARD FOR

TRANSIT TO SOUDA

BAY. ALL OTHER ARABIC LINGUISTS EITHER WOUNDED AND EVACUATED TO USS

AMERICA, KILLED OR MISSING. KNOWN MISSING-BLUE (CIV),

USMC, [redacted] EVACUATED TO AMERICA,

BLAYLOCK, (CIV) AND [redacted]

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2. LIBERTY BEING DIVERTED TO SOUDA BAY,

GREECE FOR TENDER INSPECTION.

ETA UNKNOWN. WILL ADVISE WHEN KNOWN. LT BENNETT REQUESTS TEAM FROM

NAVSECGRUEUR MEET SHIP IN SOUDA BAY TO ASSIST IN EVALUATION OF

COMPROMISE AND PREPARATION OF REPORTS. HOLE IN SHIP WHERE TORPEDO

HIT WAS NEAR CRYPTO/OPERATIONS SPACES. MOST MATERIAL IN WEIGHTED

BAGS; BUT, SOME WAS FREE FOR USE IN OPERATIONS SPACES AND HAS

BEEN WASHED OUT HOLE. EXTENT UNKNOWN. SUGGEST LCDR SULLIVAN

OR LT HARGRAVE PLUS RPS EXPERT COMPRISE TEAM AT MINIMUM.

3. LCDR LEWIS INJURED AND EVACUATED TO AMERICA. LT BENNETT

SENIOR SECGRU MAN ABOARD.

4. THEY WERE PRETTY BADLY BEAT UP. ROCKETS OR BOMBS USED IN

ADDITION TO STRAFING BY AIRCRAFT PRIOR TORPEDO BOAT ATTACK. LITTLE

REMAINS OF OPERATIONS SPACES. LIBERTY HAS NO COMMUNICATIONS

OR CRYPTO CAPABILITY EXCEPT VOICE. RECOMMEND COMMS FOR LIBERTY BE

PASSED TO TIDEWATER GENSER MEANS.

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