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A. COMMANDER'S COMMENTS: NONE.

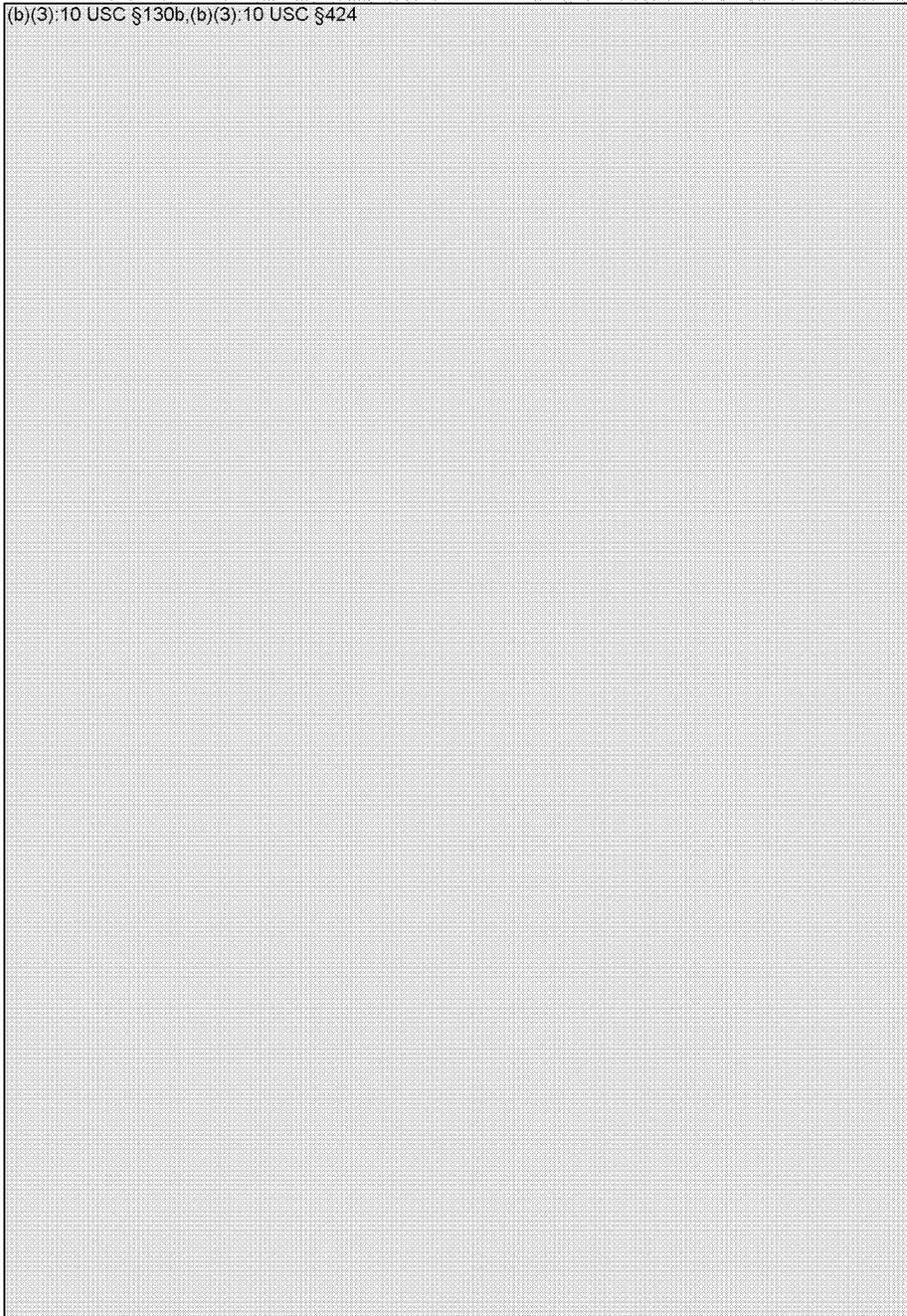
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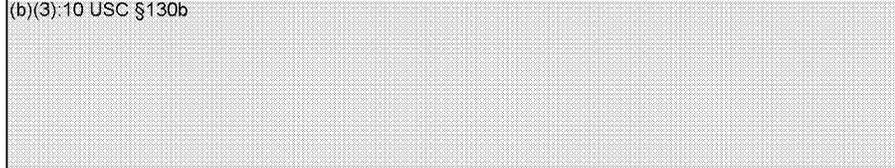
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C. SIGNIFICANT POL-MIL-DIP: NO SIGNIFICANT ISSUES.

D. OPERATIONS AND EXERCISES:

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TRAINING MISSION: THE PROTOCOL SECTION IS COORDINATING EIGHT GENERAL OFFICER VISITS FOR THE WEEK OF 3-9 DEC 00, (GEN PACE, GEN CAMPBELL, MG VALENZUELA, MG SOLIGAN, RADM GREEN, RADM HUNTER, BG BUTLER AND AMB MAISTO). THE TRAINING MISSION IS COORDINATING WITH THE COFAC TO SCHEDULE A HUMAN RIGHTS AND AIR OPERATIONS CONFERENCE FOR MID FEBRUARY 2000. COORDINATION IS ONGOING FOR AN AIR ASSAULT MTT WITH SATMO. COORDINATING WITH COFAC FOR LOGISTICS MTT FOR THE WEEK OF 3-8 DEC 00. TNG MSN IS COORDINATING A WAIVER TO ALLOW TWO MTTs TO BE FUNDED FROM IMET. TWO COLOMBIAN PSYOP OFFICERS ARE PARTICIPATING IN THE PSYOP WORLD WIDE CONFERENCE, 27 NOV-1 DEC 00 IN TAMPA, FL (TCA).

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E. PROTOCOL: VISITS DURING THIS REPORTING PERIOD INCLUDE: (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) VISIT (28 NOV - 02 DEC 00), (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) VISIT (29 NOV - 01 DEC 00), BG HUBER VISIT (28 NOV - 02 DEC 00), AND RADM GREEN VISIT (01 - 02 DEC 00). VISITS FOR NEXT WEEK INCLUDE: (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) AND GEN CAMPBELL (04 - 06 DEC 00), AMB MAISTO (04-08 DEC 00), ADM LOY (05 - 06 DEC 00), MG VALENZUELA, (07 - 08 DEC 00), MG SOLIGAN, (07 - 08 DEC 00), GEN PACE, (07 - 09 DEC 00), RADM HUNTER, (07 - 08 DEC 00), AND BG BUTLER (07 - 09 DEC 00).

F. SECURITY ASSISTANCE CRITICAL SUPPORT ISSUES: NO ISSUES

G. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NO ISSUES

H. INTELLIGENCE/RECONNAISSANCE: NO ISSUES.

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I. LOGISTICS: ARL REDEPLOYMENT: COMPLETED ARL REDEPLOYMENT ON 26 NOV 00. JIATF-E SENIOR LOGISTICIANS COLOMBIA VISIT: CONTINUED TO SPONSOR AND ASSIST (b)(6). (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) COLOMBIA VISIT, COMPLETED DRAFT OF PLAN COLOMBIA FUEL DISTRIBUTION PLAN. DEFENSE CONTRACT MANAGEMENT AGENCY/AMERICAS VISIT: SPONSORED VISIT OF (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) (CDR, DCMA-A), (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) (DEPUTY) AND (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) (CHIEF, QUALITY ASSURANCE DIV). CHIEF, LOGMIS CONDUCTED MEETING WITH USARSO DCSLOG LNO (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) AND NAS LOG OFFICER (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) TO DISCUSS FUEL CONCERNS AT APIAY AND AT FOUR CNP BASES (QUALITY ASSURANCE/CONTROL ETC). COORDINATED FOR A QUALITY ASSURANCE INSPECTION IN JAN 01. APIAY MILGP/COLOMBIAN AIR FORCE LOA: WORKING WITH (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) ON INITIAL DRAFT INPUTS FOR LOA, WHICH WILL BE SUBMITTED TO (b)(6). (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) CHIEF AFMIS. 506 EQUIPMENT: CONDUCTED JOINT INVENTORY WITH (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) AT THE CATAM CUSTOMS WAREHOUSE OF THE 506 EQUIPMENT THAT ARRIVED IN BARRANQUILLA. THE EQUIPMENT IS SLOWLY BEING FLOWN TO BOGOTA BY THE HOST NATION. 2D BACNA SHIPMENT: RECEIVED NON-LETHAL EQUIPMENT LISTINGS BY COMPANY SETS FOR THE 2D BACNA. CONDUCTED MEETING WITH (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) AND (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) TO COORDINATE THE RECEPTION OF EQUIPMENT ON 8 AND 9 DEC. DISCUSSED THE JOINT HANDOVER INVENTORY PROCEDURES THAT WILL BE CONDUCTED IN LARANDIA. 2D BACNA FTX MRE'S: LOCAL PURCHASED 4200 MRE'S TO SUPPORT 2D BACNA'S FTX. TRANSPORTED PARTIAL MRE SHIPMENT TO LARANDIA ON 27 NOV 00. WILL SHIP REMAINDER TO LARANDIA ON 30 NOV USING THE CASA 212 OR AN ANTONOV CONTRACTED BY USARSO. (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) REC'D THE TASK TO SPONSOR (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) SOUTHCOM J5, IN HIS UPCOMING VISIT 30 NOV - 8 DEC 00. PROCESSED COUNTRY CLEARANCE AND MADE LODGING ARRANGEMENTS. CASA 212: AIRCRAFT ARRIVED IN COUNTRY 27 NOV 00 TO EXECUTE THE FOLLOWING MISSIONS: 28 NOV: BOGOTA-LARANDIA-TRES ESQUINAS IN SUPPORT OF COE. 30 NOV: BOGOTA-LARANDIA (2 SORTIES) IN SUPPORT OF USARSO AND COLOMBIAN CD INITIATIVE (C2I). 1 DEC: SUPPORT (C2I). LOG AUTOMATION: MET WITH THE D-6 AND COLAR AUTOMATION POC TO DEFINE PRIORITIES FOR EQUIPMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS CONNECTIVITY. WILL CONTINUE TO MEET THIS WEEK TO FURTHER REFINE PRIORITIES BEFORE SUBMITTING TO SC/J-4. LAN CERTIFICATION: COORDINATING WITH SC/J-6 TO CERTIFY C.A.N. PORTION OF THE UPGRADED MILGP LAN. FMS CASES: CO-B-UUH (ARMAMENT FOR 5EA COFAC UH-60S): GAU-19 CONTRACT IN NEGOTIATIONS. GENERAL DYNAMICS (GD) OFFERED TO DELIVER 6 WEAPONS BY 31 DEC 00 AND 4 MORE BY 31 JAN 01 BASED ON A 30 NOVEMBER CONTRACT AWARD. IN ORDER TO AWARD THE CONTRACT, THE COLOMBIANS NEED TO AGREE TO A \$300K AGENT FEE THAT IS INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BY FORM OF A LETTER. COFAC SIGNED THE LETTER 28 NOV 00. ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL INFORMED LOGMIS THAT CONTRACT WILL BE AWARDED ON 30 NOV 00. THE FIRST TWO GAU-19S WILL BE AVAILABLE IN TWO WEEKS AND NEED TO BE SENT TO SIKORSKY FOR CERTIFICATION TESTING. CO-B-UUF (14EA COFAC/COLAR UH-60S): AMCOM PROVIDED FIRST 7 HELICOPTER DELIVERY SCHEDULES TO COLAR/COFAC BASED ON A 11 DEC 00 CONTRACT AWARD: 1 FOR THE COFAC AS SOON AS CONTRACT IS AWARDED/6 FOR THE COLAR FIRST WEEK IN

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JANUARY 01. A NEW PERSON TOOK OVER AT AMCOM COLOMBIA DESK, MANY DISCREPANCIES WERE FOUND IN THE LOA. IN ORDER TO FIX DISCREPANCIES, AMENDMENT-2 WAS CREATED. AMENDMENT-2 IS IN COUNTRY AND WAS SIGNED BY MOD ON 29 NOV 00. THE AMENDMENT FIXES THE INCORRECT LINES AND ADDS \$1.79M TO THE CASE TO COVER ADDED EXPENSES. CO-B-UTN AMENDMENT 3 (COFAC 5EA UH-60 PURCHASE): COFAC IS BEING AUDITED TO PROVIDE DETAILS OF HOW THE MONEY WAS SPENT, REQUESTED INFORMATION FROM US ARMY TO GIVE FEEDBACK. AMENDMENT 5 REQUESTS 3 SETS OF EXTERNAL STORAGE SUPPORT SYSTEMS (ESSS) TO USE \$1.765M OF REMAINING FUNDS; IT IS IN COUNTRY BUT NOT SIGNED, MOD OFFICE INFORMED US IT WAS NOT SIGNED. NON-RECURRING COSTS REIMBURSED (\$1.1M): DRAFTING MESSAGE TO REQUEST HELICOPTER SPARES WITH THAT MONEY AS ESTABLISHED IN NEGOTIATIONS. ALL ACTIONS PENDING ON MOD DECISION TO REQUEST REIMBURSEMENT. COFAC OV-10 AND A-37 CAD/PAD (AIRCRAFT EJECTION SEAT SYSTEM): FY01 CAD/PAD CALL LETTER RECEIVED FROM AFSAC, COFAC SENT LOR, MESSAGE IN COORDINATION AT EMBASSY. FY99 506A DRAWDOWN: SENSITIVE SHIPMENT EXPECTED IN JAN/FEB 01. STARTING COORDINATIONS

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WITH USG AND HOST NATION. FAD II: FAD II DESIGNATION FOR COLOMBIA EXPIRED 10 NOV 00. DRAFT MESSAGE UNDER REVIEW VISITS: AMC QAE TEAM IN COUNTRY 28 NOV-3 DEC. (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) WILL BE TDY AT DC (AT-6 MEETING) AND HUNTSVILLE (CASE RECONCILIATION) 30 NOV-6 DEC 00.

J. COMMUNICATIONS: TRES ESQUINAS COMMUNICATIONS: EXISTING SATELLITE BANDWIDTH EXTENDED THROUGH 30 SEPTEMBER, 2001. (b)(6),(b)(7)(C) (LOGMIS COMMO REP) IS COORDINATING WITH SC/J-6 FOR DELIVERY OF AN ARMED FORCES SATELLITE TV SYSTEM FOR TRES ESQUINAS. C.A.N./SOUTHCOM VTC: LOGMIS COMMO REP MET WITH COL JIMENEZ (D-6, CG) AND TELECOM ON 29 NOV 00 TO DISCUSS COMMERCIAL ISDN INTERFACE TO SUPPORT VTC. ISDN LINES WERE INSTALLED IN THE C.A.N. LATE ON 29 NOV 00. CIRCUIT IS OPERATIONAL AND IS WAITING FOR SOUTHCOM J-6 PERSONNEL TO INSTALL EQUIPMENT.

K. EQUIPMENT STATUS: NO ISSUES.

L. HUMANITARIAN CIVIC ASSISTANCE: TRAINING MISSION IS COORDINATING WITH THE COFAC ON A MID FEBRUARY 01 HUMAN RIGHTS AND AIR OPERATIONS CONFERENCE.

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