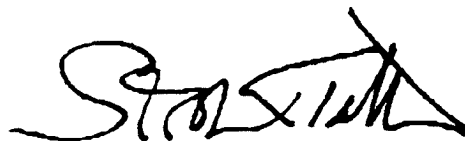


Certification Under Section 620C(d)
Of The Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, As Amended

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 State Department Delegation of Authority No. 145, (sec. 1(a)(1) and 4(d)), I hereby certify that the furnishing to Greece of AMRAAM and HARPOON missiles and program support at an estimated cost of \$42 million and \$30 million respectively, 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.



Strobe Talbott
Acting Secretary

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 97-18]

36(b)(1) Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense.

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 Public Law 104-164 dated July 21, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ms. J. Hurd, DSAA/COMPT/CPD, (703) 604-6575.

The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 97-18 with attached transmittal and policy justification pages.

Dated: October 29, 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEFENSE SECURITY ASSISTANCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

09 JUN 1997

In reply refer to:
I-04518/97

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. 97-18, concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Israel for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$30 million. Soon after this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to notify the news media.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "H. Diehl Mckalip", is positioned above the typed name.

H. DIEHL MCKALIP
Acting Director

Attachments

Same ltr 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. 97-18

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

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

Major Defense Equipment*	\$28 million
Other	\$ 2 million
TOTAL	\$30 million
- (iii) Description of Articles or Services Offered:
Ninety-eight thousand seven hundred forty-five M107
high explosive 155mm projectiles and publications.
- (iv) Military Department: Army (YPX)
- (v) Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed
to be Paid: None
- (vi) Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense
Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold:
None
- (vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: 09 JUN 1997

* as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATIONIsrael - 155mm Projectiles

The Government of Israel has requested the purchase of 98,745 M107 high explosive 155mm projectiles and publications. The estimated cost is \$30 million.

This sale will contribute to the foreign policy and national security of the United States by helping to improve the security of a friendly country which has been and continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress in the Middle East.

The purchase of the projectiles is required to maintain projected sustainment rates and reserve levels. Israel, which already has these projectiles in its inventory, will have no difficulty absorbing these projectiles.

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

The prime contractor will be Primex Technologies, Saint Petersburg, Florida. There are no offset agreements proposed to be entered into in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government personnel or contractor representatives to Israel.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Board of Visitors Meeting**

AGENCY: Department of Defense
Acquisition University, DOD.

ACTION: Board of visitors meeting.

SUMMARY: The next meeting of the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) Board of Visitors (BoV) will be held at the Defense Systems Management College (DSMC), 9000 Belvoir Road, Building 184, Fort Belvoir, Virginia on Tuesday, December 2, 1997 from 0830 until 1600. The purpose of this meeting is to report back to the BoV on continuing items of interest and discuss the DAU distance learning initiatives. The agenda will include continuing discussions concerning acquisition

research, development of the continuing acquisition education policy, and the development of the DAU distance learning program plan and schedule.

The meeting is open to the public; however, because of space limitations, allocation of seating will be made on a first-come, first served basis. Persons desiring to attend the meeting should call Mrs. Joyce Reniere at (703) 805-5134.

Dated: November 10, 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

*Alternate, OSD Federal Liaison Officer,
Department of Defense.*

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Defense Science Board Task Force on year 2000**

ACTION: Notice of advisory committee meetings.

SUMMARY: The Defense Science Board Task Force on year 2000 will meet in closed session on December 1-2, 1997 and January 12-13, 1998 at Science Applications International Corporation, 4001 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia

The mission of the Defense Science Board is to advise the Secretary of Defense through the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology on scientific and technical matters as they affect the perceived needs of the Department of Defense. At these meetings the Task Force will determine if the priorities assigned, resources allocated and funding strategy used to