DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 00-57]

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 P.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 00–57 with attached transmittal, policy justification, and Sensitivity of Technology.

Dated: July 26, 2000.

C.M. Robinson,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEFENSE SECURITY COOPERATION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

20 JUL 2000 In reply refer to: I-00/007951

Honorable J. Dennis Hastert 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. 00-57, concerning the

Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Kuwait

for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$150 million. Soon after this letter is

delivered to your office, we plan to notify the news media.

Sincerely,

DEPUTY 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. 00-57

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

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

Major Defense Equipment* \$ 8 million
Other \$\frac{142 \text{ million}}{150 \text{ million}}\$

- (iii) <u>Description of Articles or Services Offered</u>: Various ammunition consisting of 4,110 M831 120mm and 10,728 M433 40mm cartridges, 15,000 M107 155mm projectiles; various caliber of standard U.S. and foreign ammunition; publications and technical documentation; contractor technical support and other related elements of logistics support.
- (iv) Military Department: Army (UKL)
- (v) Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid: None
- (vi) <u>Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense</u> <u>Services Proposed to be Sold</u>: See Annex attached
- (vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: 20 JUL 2000

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

POLICY JUSTIFICATION

Kuwait - Various Ammunition

The Government of Kuwait has requested a possible sale of various ammunition consisting of 4,110 M831 120mm and 10,728 M433 40mm cartridges, 15,000 M107 155mm projectiles; various caliber of standard U.S. and foreign ammunition; publications and technical documentation; contractor technical support and other related elements of logistics support. The estimated cost is \$150 million.

This proposed 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.

This proposed sale will provide the required munitions for the tracked vehicles, towed artillery, and crew served weapons previously purchased. Kuwait will have no difficulty absorbing this equipment into its armed forces.

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

No prime or principal contractors are identified since there are multiple contractors involved in the procurement of the ammunition. There are no offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government and contractor representatives to Kuwait.

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

Transmittal No. 00-59

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

- (i) Prospective Purchaser: Egypt
- (ii) <u>Total Estimated Value</u>:

Major Defense Equipment* \$ 50 million
Other \$250 million
TOTAL \$300 million

- (iii) <u>Description of Articles or Services Offered</u>: Three hundred eleven AN/APX-113 Mark XII Airborne Identification Friend or Foe, Selective Identification Feature System, testing, aircraft integration, spares and repair parts, support equipment, personnel and maintenance training, publications and technical documentation, U.S. Government and contractor technical and logistics personnel services, and other related elements of logistics support.
- (iv) Military Department: Air Force (DBE)
- (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: See Annex under separate cover.
- (vii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: 20 JUL 2000

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