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FROM DEP SEC DEF DOUGLAS AND JCS EXCLUSIVE FOR SEC DEF GATES.

For your information there have been certain queries from the press in the US regarding state of alert of US Forces. The following announcement has been made: "On Sunday evening the JCS conducted a world-wide communications readiness test. No personnel were affected except as local commanders used the occasion to test local personnel recall procedures. The test has been completed and personnel are now subject only to normal military procedures." WI ACTION WINCTION advise further if appropriate.

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