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NUCLEAR POSTURE REVIEW



UPDATE BRIEFING
14 JAN 94

OPR: J513

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WORKING GROUP 5

WEEKS 9-11 (20 DEC 93-14 JAN 94)

DR WALLERSTEIN CHAIRED MTGS

OBJECTIVES:

- REVIEW DRAFT COUNTRY ASSIGNMENTS
- RECEIVE STATUS REPORT ON DETERRING WMD ACQUISITION
- WG 5 SUBGROUPS MEET

CONTRIBUTORS:

b5, u55c

- DETERRING WMD ACQUISITION--BASIC OUTLINE PROVIDED
 - WALLERSTEIN: ADD CONV WPNS--OBJECTIONS-ISSUE OPEN

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CONTRIBUTORS (CONT):

- PREPARING FOR 19 JAN STEERING GROUP MEETING
 - PROCESS DISCUSSION WITHIN GROUP--REQUESTED REVIEW/CHOP ON PRODUCT BEFORE GOING TO STEERING GP
- SUBGROUP NUCLEAR--AMY WOOLF, CHAIRMAN
 - PRESENTED DRAFT OUTLINE FOR COMMENT

b1, u55c

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- CURRENT FOCUS ON ACQUISITION IS INADEQUATE
- HOW TO CHARACTERIZE THESE REGIONAL THREATS
- SUBGROUP CHEM--DAVE STEPHENS, CHAIRMAN
 - DISCUSSED GENERAL BACKGROUND
 - SUBGROUP PROVIDED WITH STRATCOM OVERVIEW OF SELECTED NATIONAL GUIDANCE
 - SUBGROUP PROVIDED STRATCOM ANSWERS TO TOR
- RECEIVED DIA HISTORICAL BRIEFING ON CHEM WARFARE

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SIGNIFICANT OUTCOMES:

- COUNTRY ASSESSMENTS WILL BE CONDENSED INTO SLIDES FOR PRESENTATION TO THE STEERING GROUP
 - REQUESTED REVIEW/CHOP ON SLIDES

WHAT'S NEXT:

- WILL MEET TODAY & 19 JAN 94
- SUBGROUP NUCLEAR MEETING TBD
- SUBGROUP CHEM WILL MEET 18 JAN 94

OTHER:

- J-3 PRESENTED ADAPTIVE PLANNING BRIEF

- RAISED CONCERN ABOUT THE PROLIFERATION OF SCENARIOS IN REGIONAL ASSESSMENT

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