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USS LIBERTY COMMUNICATIONS (U)
A. MY 081903Z JUN 67
1. THIS IS INTERIM REPORT ON USS LIBERY COMMUNICATIONS JUST PRIOR TT AND AT TIME OF ATTACK.
2. GENRAL COMMUNICATION SITUATION FOLLOWS. THE USS LIBERTY HAD BEEN COPYING ASMARA FLEET BROADCAST (JRTT) SINCE 070001Z. LIBERTY WAS ALSO COPYING THE MOROCCO OPINTEL BROADCAST (XRI) FOR OPERATIONAL INTELLIGENCE TRAFFIC. NO PERMANENT SHIP/SHORE CIRCUIT WAS MAINTAINED BY LIBERTY. THE NORMAL PATH FOR TRAFFIC TO THE USS LIBERTY WAS VIA NAVCOMMSTA ASMARA FOR GENERAL
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SERVICE TRAFFIC AND VIA THE NAVAL SECURITY GROUP DEPARTMENT OF NAVCOMMSTA MOROCCO FOR COMINT TRAFFIC. BOTH THE ASMARA AND MOROCCO BROADCASTS IN QUESTION ARE ON-LINE BROADCASTS.
3. CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS AS KNOWN AT THIS TIME FOLLOWS:

080112Z	JCS 080110Z RECEIVED AT JCS MSG CENTER.
080312Z	JCS 080110Z RECEIVED AT CINCUSNAVEUR MSG CENTER AND RECEIPTED BY MSG CENTER IN REPLY TO ZFF-3 OPSIG.
080430Z	JCS 080110Z RECEIVED AT NAVCOMMSTA MOROCCO FOR RELAY TO COMSIXTHFLT.
UNKNOWN	JCS 080110Z RECEIVED AT NAVCOMMSTA PHIL FOR DELIVERY TO USS LIBERTY AND CTF 64 DUE TO APPARENT MISROUTING BY JCS COMM CENTER.
080449Z	NAVCOMMSTA PHIL REROUTED JCS 080110Z TO

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NAVCOMMSTA MOROCCO FOR USS LIBERY AND
CTF 64 (MOROCCO REPORTS MSG NEVER RECEIVED).

080630Z NAVCOMMSTA MOROCCO DELIVERED JCS 080110Z
O COMSIXTHFLT, DELAY DUE TO BACKLOG ON
COMSIXTHFLT CIRCUIT AND MOROCCO FLEET BROADCAST.

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080917Z COMSIXTHFLT 080917Z RECEIVED AT COMSIXTHFLT
MSG CENTER ABOARD USS LITTLE ROCK.

081058Z COMSIXTHFLT 080917Z RECEIVED AT NAVCOMMSTA
MOROCCO FROM COMSIXTHFLT.

081106Z NAVCOMMSTA MOROCCO ROUTED COMSIXTHFLT
080917Z TO NAVCOMMSTA ASMARA VIA SAN PABLO
DCS-USAF MAJOR RELAY.

081108Z COMSIXTHFLT 080917Z RECEIVED AT CINCUSNAVEUR
MSG CENTER.

081200Z COMSIXTHFLT 080917Z RECEIVED BY US ARMY
COMM CENTER AT ASMARA FOR FURTHER RELAY TO
NAVCOMMSTA ASMARA FOR RELAY TO USS LIBERTY.

081215Z US ARMY COMM CENTER ASMARA RELAYED COMSIXTHFLT
080917Z ERRONEOUSLY TO NAVCOMMSTA GREECE
FOR RELAY TO USS LIBERTY.

081506Z NAVCOMMSTA GREECE RETURNED COMSIXTHFLT
080917Z TO US ARMY COMM CENTER AT ASMARA.

081510Z US ARMY COMM CENTER ASMARA RELAYED COMSIXTHFLT
080917Z TO NAVCOMMSTA ASMARA FOR RELAY TO
USS LIBERTY

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081525Z NAVCOMMSTA ASMARA PLACED COMSIXTHFLT 080917Z
ON ASHARA BROADCAST.

3. FOREGOING BEING FURTHER REFINED AS MORE POSITIVE INFO BECOMES
AVAILABLE.
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Top 081215Z approx.

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