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~~S E C R E T NOFORN~~ (GENSER)
JULY-AUGUST DESOTO SITSUM 7 ~~(S)~~
A. COMSEVENTHFLT 031710Z NOTL.
1. MY 040500Z POSITION VIC PT DELTA COMMENCING PATROL TOWARDS PT CHARLIE. WILL REMAIN NORTH OF 19-10N PER REF A. INTEND WITHDRAW TO EAST AT 040950Z. CTG 77.5 PROVIDING A1H SUPPORT MY AREA AND CKP SUPPORT AT HIS WATCHDOG POSITION.
2. NO SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS/DETECTIONS. SUSPECTED SHADOW REPORTED MY SITSUM 6 CONTINUED SOUTH AFTER MY TURN NORTH AT 031700Z. LST CONTACT AT 03[illegible]0002 RANGE 78 MILES. ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS PREVIOUS 2 DAYS CONDUCIVE TO DUCTING ALLOWING EXTREME RANGES.
3. WEATHER OVERCAST WITH THUNDERHEADS FORMING TO NORTH. INTEND OPEN COAST IF VISIBILITY DETERIORATES APPRECIABLY
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