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DRV NAVY MAY ATTACK DESOTO PATROL

BETWEEN 020309Z - 020732Z DRV NAVAL COMMUNICATIONS CONTINUED

TO KEEP THE DESOTO UNDER CLOSE SURVEILLANCE. DURING THIS

PERIOD DRV NAVAL VESSELS WERE APPARENTLY GROUPING TO ATTACK

AS REFLECTED WHEN THE T-377 (T-379 POSSIBLY IN COMPANY)

ENTERED NORTHERN FLEET WATERS AND MAINTAINED CONTINUOUS

COMMUNICATIONS WITH PORT WALLUT. THIS PLACED A MINIMUM OF

FOUR DRV VESSELS IN THE IMMEDIATE AREA OF THE DESOTO

INCLUDING T-135, T-142, T-146. AN ATTACK WAS IMMIENT AT

020612Z WHEN UNIDENTIFIED SHORE STATION POSSIBLY SAM SON(19-43-30N

105-55E) ORDERED THE T-146 TO "LEAVE THE T-135 AND TURN BACK TO THE

PATH OF THE ENEMY ... TO ATTACK." NO [redacted] REFLECTION TO

THE DESOTO PATROL OBSERVED THRU END OF THIS REPORT.

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