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SUBJECT: U.N. CBW TEAM REQUEST FOR CLEARANCES FOR
- SAMPLES

1. CHAIRMAN OF THE U.N. CBW INVESTIGATIVE TEAM, GENERAL
EZZ, CONTACTED EMBASSY NOVEMBER 4 TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE
IN OBTAINING CLEARANCE FOR ENTRY INTO THE UNITED
STATES OF CHEMICAL SAMPLES WHICH THE U.N. TEAM HAS
OBTAINED IN THAILAND. THE SAMPLES ARE BELIEVED TO
BE OF BLOOD, LEAVES, AND SMALL CRYSTALS.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: THAT THE DEPARTMENT OBTAIN NECES-
SARY PORT OF ENTRY CLEARANCES FOR THE ENTRY OF CBW
SAMPLES INTO THE U.S. AND CABLE THE CLEARANCE IN-
STRUCTIONS TO EMBASSY BANGKOK BY IMMEDIATE PRECEDENCE
FOR US TO CONVEY TO GENERAL EZZ. THE U.N. TEAM
WILL NOT REPEAT NOT SHIP THE SAMPLES UNTIL IT
RECEIVES CLEARANCE. EMBASSY WILL INFORM DEPARTMENT
OF FLIGHT NUMBER AND ARRIVAL TIME AS SOON AS
AVAILABLE.
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