**ACCOMMODATIONS:** Anyone who needs an interpreter or other accommodation should notify the Corporation's contact person by 5 p.m. on Monday, June 11, 2007.

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Dated: May 31, 2007.

Frank R. Trinity,

General Counsel.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

#### Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal Nos. 07-25]

#### 36(b)(1) Arms Sales Notification

**AGENCY:** Department of Defense, Defense Security Cooperation Agency.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense is publishing the unclassified text of a section 36(b)(1) arms sales notification. This is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104–164 dated 21 July 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. B. English, DSCA/DBO/CFM, (703) 601–3740.

The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittals 07–25 with attached transmittal, policy justification, and Sensitivity of Technology.

Dated: May 29, 2007.

#### C.R. Choate,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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# DEFENSE SECURITY COOPERATION AGENCY WASHINGTON, DC 20301-2800

MAY 2 5 2007 In reply refer to: I-07/005003

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi Speaker of the House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-6501

Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms

Export Control Act, as amended, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No.

07-25, concerning the Department of the Navy's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and

Acceptance to Japan for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$40 million.

After this letter is delivered to your office, we plan to issue a press statement to

notify the public of this proposed sale.

Sincerely,

**Enclosures:** 

- 1. Transmittal
- 2. Policy Justification
- 3. Sensitivity of Technology

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Committee on Foreign Affairs Committee on Armed Services Committee on Appropriations Senate

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Committee on Foreign Relations Committee on Armed Services Committee on Appropriations

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#### Transmittal No. 07-25

## Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended

- (i) Prospective Purchaser: Japan
- (ii) Total Estimated Value:

Major Defense Equipment\* \$34 million
Other \$\frac{6}{2}\text{ million}\$
TOTAL \$40 million

- (iii) Description and Quantity or Quantities of Articles or Services under Consideration for Purchase: up to 24 SM-2 Block IIIB Tactical STANDARD missiles with MK 13 MOD 0 canisters; 24 AN/DKT-71A telemeters and conversion kits; containers; spare and repair parts; supply support; U.S. Government and contractor technical assistance and other related elements of logistics support.
- (iv) <u>Military Department</u>: Navy (AQO)
- (v) <u>Prior Related Cases, if any</u>: numerous FMS cases pertaining to the STANDARD missiles
- (vi) Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid: none
- (vii) <u>Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense</u> <u>Services Proposed to be Sold: See Annex attached</u>
- (viii) Date Report Delivered to Congress: MAY 2 5 2007

<sup>\*</sup> as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

#### POLICY JUSTIFICATION

#### Japan - SM-2 Block IIIB STANDARD Missiles

The Government of Japan has requested a possible sale for 24 SM-2 Block IIIB Tactical STANDARD missiles with MK 13 MOD 0 canisters; 24 AN/DKT-71A telemeters and conversion kits; containers; spare and repair parts; supply support; U.S. Government and contractor technical assistance and other related elements of logistics support. The estimated cost is \$40 million.

Japan is one of the major political and economic powers in East Asia and the Western Pacific and a key ally of the United States in ensuring the peace and stability of this region. The U.S. Government shares bases and facilities in Japan. It is vital to the U.S. national interest to assist Japan to develop and maintain a strong and ready self-defense capability, which will contribute to an acceptable military balance in the area. This proposed sale is consistent with these U.S. objectives and with the 1960 Treaty of Mutual Cooperation and Security.

The SM-2 missiles will be used on ships of the Japan Maritime Self Defense Force fleet and will provide enhanced capabilities in providing defense of critical sea-lanes of communication. Japan has already integrated the SM-2 Block IIIB into its ship combat systems. It maintains two Intermediate-Level Maintenance Depots capable of maintaining and supporting the SM-2. Japan will have no difficulty absorbing these additional missiles.

The prime contractor is Raytheon Company in Tucson, Arizona and the MK 13 Mod 0 canister's prime contractor is BAE Systems of Minneapolis, Minnesota. There are no offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will not require the assignment of any additional U.S. Government or contractor representatives to Japan.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

Office of the Secretary [Transmittal Nos. 07–33]

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