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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Mr. Speaker: -

Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the export of ~~defense articles or defense services in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.~~

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, defense services and hardware to Japan for the manufacture of F100 engines, associated spare parts and equipment for the F-15 aircraft operated by the Japanese Air Self Defense Force (JASDF).

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeffrey T. Bergner".

Jeffrey T. Bergner
Assistant Secretary
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

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The Honorable
J. Dennis Hastert,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.