



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, defense services and defense articles to Turkey for the final manufacture and assembly of 30 Block 50 F-16s for the Government of Turkey.

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, appearing to read "Matthew A. Reynolds".

Matthew A. Reynolds  
Acting Assistant Secretary  
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 080-08

The Honorable  
Nancy Pelosi,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.