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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Mr. Chairman:

Pursuant to Section 36(c) and 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of major defense equipment abroad and the export of defense articles, to include technical data, and defense services in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the transfer of defense articles, to include technical data, and defense services, to the Republic of Korea and the Republic of the Philippines to support the manufacture, assembly and testing of AAV7A1 Amphibious Assault Vehicles (Korean Amphibious Assault Vehicles).

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, consisting of a large, stylized 'J' and 'M' followed by a horizontal line.

Joseph E. Macmanus
Acting Assistant Secretary
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 10-101

The Honorable
John F. Kerry, Chairman,
Committee on Foreign Relations,
United States Senate.