



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Mr. President:

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

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the licensing of the overseas manufacture of semi-automatic rifles to be sold only to the Government of Chile.

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 'D. S. Adams', written over a horizontal line.

David S. Adams
Assistant Secretary
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 12-079

The Honorable
Joseph R. Biden, Jr.,
President of the Senate.