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DEPARTMENT PASS DOD/ISA

1. THE EMBASSY APPRECIATES THE CAREFUL REVIEW MWDE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY OF THE DELIVERY STATUS OF ALREADY FUNDED MAP ITEMS DESTINED FOR BOLIVIAN ARMY TIPO REGIMENTS.

WE ARE

PARTICULARLY PLEASED THAT THE M-113A1 ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS (14)N THE

4.2 IN. MORTARS (11) AND THE AN/VRC 18 RADIOS (4) ARE SCHEDULED FOR DELIVERY NOT LATER THAN JUNE 30 OF THIS YEAR. WE ARE MINDFUL OF THE DIFFICULTIES INHERENT IN THE DELIVERY SCHEDULES FOR AN/GRC AND AN/PRC RADIOS AND FOR THE 81 MM MORTARS, BUT HOPE THAT SOMETHING CAN BE DONE TO ACCELERATE DELIVERY OF AT LEAST A FEW OF THESE ITEMS AHEAD OF THE DATES AS GIVEN IN REFTEL A. AS INDICATED IN REFTEL B, EVEN TOKEN DELIVERIES OF THESE ITEMS WOULD ASSIST US IN DEALING WITH RECURRENT GOB COMPLAINTS THAT WE ARE FALLING BEHIND IN OUR COMMITMENTS UNDER OUR  
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MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO BOLIVIA.

2. IN VIEW OF THE REASONS GIVEN FOR THE INABILITY TO FORECAST  
DELIVERIES FOR THE 81 MM MORTARS AND THE RADIOS, WE DO NOT  
FEEL IT WOULD BE PARTICULARLY USEFUL FOR DOD TO SEND AN  
OFFICER TO BOLIVIA UNLESS HE WOULD HAVE AUTHORITY TO ADVANCE  
DELIVERY DATES AHEAD OF THE SCHEDULES GIVEN IN REFTEL A.  
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