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INFORMING THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE ON MATTERS OF POSSIBLE POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE GENERATED AT INTERNATIONAL MILITARY PLANNING CONFERENCES

1. Purpose. This instruction provides policy for informing the Department of State on matters of possible political significance generated at international military planning conferences.
2. Cancellation. CJCS 2510.01, 18 August 1993, "Informing the Department of State on Matters of Possible Political Significance Generated at International Military Planning Conferences," is cancelled.
3. Applicability. This instruction applies to the Joint Staff; Services; combatant commands; and agencies that report to, or through, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.
4. Policy. When US military representatives participate in an international military planning conference that generates matters of possible political significance, a summary of the conference will be forwarded through the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff to the Secretary of Defense for transmission to the Secretary of State for information.
5. Procedures. Offices with issues to report will contact the appropriate office in the Office of the Secretary of Defense.
6. Effective Date. This instruction is effective upon receipt.
7. Releasability. This instruction is approved for public release; distribution is unlimited. DOD components (to include the combat commands), other Federal agencies, and the public may obtain copies of this instruction/manual/notice through the Internet from CJCS Directives Home Page--<http://www.dtic.mil/doctrine/jel/cjcsd.htm>.

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