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MEMORANDUM FOR THE MILITARY ASSISTANT TO THE DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

Subject: Status of US Actions in Darfur (U)

- 1. (c) Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the Deputy Secretary of Defense request for information regarding: an update on planned DOD airlift assistance to Rwandan battalions scheduled to deploy to Darfur between 15 July and 15 August: DOD's preparedness to support airlift of Rwandan equipment and personnel; current status of DOD observers to Darfur; and USEUCOM as a possible source of additional observers.
- 2. (c) The Secretary of Defense approved airlift for 1,200 Rwandan forces and associated equipment commencing 15 July. The Department of Defense has not offered to move Rwandan heavy equipment; that equipment is expected to move via Department of State contracted airlift.
- 3. There are currently three military observers from the Joint Task Force Horn of Africa providing technical assistance to the African Union (AU) in Darfur. USEUCOM has provided an additional military expert to work with the AU in Addis Ababa. The Joint Staff is unaware of any additional requirements for observers.

4. (U) The	Joint Staff point of contact is Commander	USN
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1 E-mail from OSD, to CAPT JCS/SJS, 27 June 2005, "Task Request: Tasker to DJS re Rwandan Darfur Airlift and Observers"

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