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NARR/REF A IS A USCINCCENT MACDILL THREAT LEVEL ADVISORY IN RESPECT TO MIDDLE EAST UNREST, DOS ACTIONS AND SECURITY/FORCE PROTECTION. REF B IS COMUSNAVCENT MSG ON U.S. PORT VISIT PROCEDURES IN THE UAE. REF C IS SOPA BAHRAIN.//
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RMKS/1. [redacted]AS VIOLENCE CONTINUES AMONG ISRAELI, PALESTINIAN AND

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LEBANESE PEOPLES, TENSIONS THROUGHOUT THE MIDDLE EAST MAY CONTINUE TO MOUNT AND THE POTENTIAL FOR UNREST IN OTHER AREAS MAY INCREASE.

2. [redacted] WE HAVE NO INDICATIONS OF A SPECIFIC THREAT THAT WOULD CAUSE US TO INCREASE OUR CURRENT THREATCONS FOR BAHRAIN OR OTHER AREAS IN OUR REGION. HOWEVER, AS EVENTS UNFOLD IN ISRAEL, OUR PERSONNEL MAY BE AT RISK OF VIOLENCE BY THE VIRTUE OF THEIR PUBLIC PRESENCE AND POTENTIAL LOCALIZED ANIMOSITY OVER THE ISRAELI/PALESTINIAN CONFLICT. IN ORDER TO REDUCE THIS POSSIBILITY, I HAVE SET THE FOLLOWING LIBERTY GUIDELINES FOR ALL NAVCENT/FIFTHFLT. THESE POLICIES APPLY TO DOD PERSONNEL AND DEPENDENTS ASSIGNED TO FIFTHFLT FORCES AFLOAT, NAVCENT ACTIVITIES ASHORE IN CENTRAL COMMAND AND NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY AND TENANT COMMANDS LOCATED IN BAHRAIN. THIS FURTHER INCLUDES DOD PERSONNEL VISITING BAHRAIN.

A. (U) A CURFEW WILL BE IN EFFECT FROM 2200-0400. PERSONNEL RESIDING OFF BASE MUST BE IN THEIR OWN RESIDENCE UNLESS ON OFFICIAL DUTY. PERSONNEL RESIDING ON BASE IN BAHRAIN NEED ONLY BE ON THE BASE DURING THIS PERIOD.

B. (U) ALL BARS AND CLUBS ARE OFF LIMITS. RESTAURANTS ARE AUTHORIZED FOR LIBERTY PRIOR TO 2200. PERSONNEL RESIDING IN HOTELS ARE AUTHORIZED USE OF RESTAURANTS IN THE HOTEL AFTER 2200, BUT NOT THE BARS.

C. (U) IN BAHRAIN, THE SOUK AND CENTRAL MARKET ARE OFF LIMITS.

D. (U) CANCELLATION/POSTPONEMENT OF ALL SOCIAL EVENTS WHICH RESULT IN A GATHERING OF AMERICANS OFF MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

E. (U) PERSONNEL SHOULD EXERCISE EXTREME CAUTION TO AVOID ALL LARGE GATHERINGS OF AMERICAN PERSONNEL (EXAMPLE: CROWDED RESTAURANTS) AND LOCATIONS WHERE AMERICANS ARE KNOWN TO FREQUENT.

3. [redacted] THE LIBERTY RESTRICTIONS, CURFEW AND POLICIES OUTLINED IN PARAGRAPH 2 APPLY TO PORTS AND FACILITIES AOR WIDE AND SUPERCEDE THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN REFS B AND C. PLANNED SHIP PORT VISITS WILL CONTINUE WITHIN THE CONSTRAINTS OF THE ESTABLISHED LIBERTY AND CURFEW RESTRICTIONS OUTLINED ABOVE.

4. (U) REQUEST COMMANDERS PASS LIBERTY, CURFEW AND POLICY PROCEDURES DELINEATED ABOVE TO ALL PERSONNEL TRAVELING TO BAHRAIN.//

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