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ISSUES
LEADING TO
DEFENSE KEY INTELLIGENCE QUESTIONS

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I. STRATEGIC ARMS LIMITATIONS

- A. SOVIET GOALS AND OBJECTIVES IN SAL.
- B. MONITORING THE ABM TREATY, THE SAL INTERIM AGREEMENT AND THE VLADIVOSTOK ACCORDS.
- C. THE DEVELOPMENT, DEPLOYMENT AND IMPROVEMENT OF SOVIET STRATEGIC SYSTEMS AND FORCES RELATED TO SAL.
- D. FORWARD BASED SYSTEMS AND THEIR INTERFACE WITH SAL.

II. MUTUAL BALANCED FORCE REDUCTIONS

- A. SOVIET/WARSAW PACT GOALS AND OBJECTIVES IN MBFR.
- B. SOVIET/WARSAW PACT POSTURES AND MOBILIZATION, REINFORCEMENT AND SUSTAINING CAPABILITIES.
- C. SOVIET/WARSAW PACT TACTICAL NUCLEAR POSTURE AND DOCTRINE.
- D. SOVIET/WARSAW PACT SUPPORT FORCES.

III. SOVIET EXPANSION AND INFLUENCE

- A. SOVIET STRATEGY, AID AND INFLUENCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND THE HORN OF AFRICA.
- B. THE GEOGRAPHIC EXPANSION OF SOVIET NAVAL, AIR AND MERCHANT ACTIVITIES.

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IV. SOVIET WEAPONS AND SYSTEMS (ITEMS NOT INCLUDED UNDER SPECIFIC ISSUES)

- A. BEAM WEAPONS
- B. SPACE WARFARE
- C. STRATEGIC WARFARE
- D. TACTICAL SUBMARINE WARFARE
- E. ANTI-SUBMARINE WARFARE
- F. ANTI-SHIP WARFARE
- G. AIR ATTACK
- H. AIR DEFENSE
- I. LAND WARFARE
- J. COMMAND, CONTROL AND COMMUNICATIONS
- K. OCEAN SURVEILLANCE
- L. RECONNAISSANCE/INTELLIGENCE/DECEPTION
- M. ELECTRONIC WARFARE
- N. LOGISTICS

V. SOVIET/WARSAW PACT DEFENSE ECONOMICS/ACQUISITION PROCESS

- A. THE DEFENSE EXPENDITURES OF SOVIET/WARSAW PACT MEMBERS.
- B. THE SOVIET WEAPONS AND SYSTEMS ACQUISITION PROCESS.

VI. EUROPEAN/SOVIET AFFAIRS

- A. PORTUGUESE/SOVIET RELATIONS.
- B. YUGOSLAVIA AFTER TITO.

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VII. WESTERN EUROPE/NATO

- A. NATO VIABILITY AND READINESS FOR WAR WITH THE PACT.
- B. NON-NATO BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL COOPERATION WITHIN THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY.

VIII. MIDDLE EAST

- A. MILITARY POSTURES AND THE PROSPECTS FOR WAR IN THE MIDDLE EAST.
- B. THREATS TO STABILITY IN THE PERSIAN GULF AND ARABIAN PENINSULA.

IX. SUB-SAHARA AFRICA

- A. SUBVERSION AND INSURGENCY IN SOUTHERN AFRICA.
- B. CIVIL WAR IN ANGOLA
- C. THREATS TO STABILITY IN THE HORN AND EAST AFRICA.

X. LATIN AMERICA

- A. SUBVERSION AND INSURGENCY IN LATIN AMERICA.
- B. STABILITY IN LATIN AMERICA AS AFFECTED BY ARMS ACQUISITION AND MILITARY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS.

XI. SINO/SOVIET AFFAIRS

- A. THE LIKELIHOOD OF WAR BETWEEN THE PRC AND THE USSR.

XII. PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA

- A. PRC GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND CAPABILITIES IN ASIA.
- B. THE EFFECTS OF CHANGES IN PRC LEADERSHIP.
- C. THE DEVELOPMENT AND DEPLOYMENT OF PRC STRATEGIC AND TACTICAL NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND DELIVERY SYSTEMS.

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XIII. NORTHEAST ASIA

- A. THE BALANCE BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.
- B. THE EVOLVING POLICIES OF JAPAN REGARDING ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AND MILITARY AFFAIRS.

XIV. SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA

- A. THE FUTURE COURSE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.
- B. THE STATUS OF US PERSONNEL NOT ACCOUNTED FOR IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
- C. NATIONAL AND REGIONAL INSTABILITIES IN SOUTH ASIA.

XV. WORLDWIDE AFFAIRS

- A. THE IMPACTS OF US WITHDRAWAL FROM SOUTHEAST ASIA.
- B. TERRORISM.
- C. NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION.
- D. THE POLITICS OF OIL.
- E. LAW OF THE SEA.
- F. CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WARFARE

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