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NPIC/PEG (3/84)**ARMS DELIVERY**
RAMA PORT FACILITIES, NICARAGUA

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1. **SIGNIFICANCE:** AN ARMS DELIVERY CONSISTING OF AT LEAST THREE PROBABLE MEDIUM TANKS IS OBSERVED. (SWN)

2. **REMARKS:** THE PROBABLE MEDIUM TANKS HAVE ARRIVED AT RAMA AND ARE IN A CLEARED AREA NEAR THE OFFLOADING RAMP. THREE HEAVY-LIFT TRANSPORTERS ARE ON THE ROAD LEADING TO THE RAMP AND WILL PROBABLY TRANSPORT THE TANKS INLAND. ALTHOUGH NO MERSHIP IS PRESENT, THE MOST LIKELY CANDIDATE TO HAVE DELIVERED THE PROBABLE TANKS IS THE NICARAGUAN ROLL-ON/ROLL-OFF (RO/RO) MERSHIP 'NICARAO'. THE 'NICARAO' WAS OFFSHORE OF EL BLUFF PORT FACILITY

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WHERE IT WAS NESTED ON THE PORT SIDE OF A GEROI PANFILOVTSY-CLASS MERSHIP. NO TRANSFER OF CARGO WAS OBSERVED BETWEEN THE TWO SHIPS ON THAT DATE. THE NICARAGUAN RO/RO MERSHIPS 'ARACELY' AND 'NICARAO' ARE USED TO TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT FROM THE COASTAL PORT OF EL BLUFF, THEN INLAND TO RAMA VIA THE RIO ESCONDIDO. THE 'ARACELY' WAS LAST OBSERVED AT LA HABANA PORT FACILITIES, CUBA THE 'ARACELY' IS NOT OBSERVED AT LA HABANA TODAY ON PARTIAL COVERAGE. (SWN)

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3. COORDINATES 12-10-15N 084-14-10W

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