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TO AMEMBASSY GEORGETOWN IMMEDIATE

SECDEF WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2128

JCS WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1727

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TAGS: CASC, OREP (RYAN, LEO) GY

SUBJECT: RELEASE OF JONESTOWN SURVIVORS AND RETURN TO
THE UNITED STATES

1. MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES ARE BEGINNING TO CONVERGE ON
CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA AS INTEREST IN ARRIVAL OF
JONESTOWN SURVIVORS MOUNTS, DESPITE STATE PRESS SPOKES-
PERSON INDICATING NO SURVIVOR FLIGHT WILL ARRIVE PRIOR
TUESDAY AT EARLIEST.

2. BASED ON BEST INFORMATION FROM AMEMBASSY GEORGETOWN,
JONESTOWN SURVIVORS WILL NOT RPT NOT ARRIVE CHARLESTON

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PRIOR RPT PRIOR TO TUESDAY, NOV. 28. EVEN TUESDAY
ARRIVAL IS INDETERMINABLE SINCE GOVERNMENT OF GUYANA (GOG)
AUTHORITIES HAVE NOT YET INFORMED USG WHEN SURVIVORS WILL
BE RELEASED, AND ARRIVAL MIGHT SLIP SEVERAL DAYS.
MOREOVER IT MAY BE THE SIZE OF GROUP WILL BE MUCH REDUCED
AND MAY NOT EVEN JUSTIFY SPECIAL MILITARY FLIGHTS.

3. EMBASSY HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO NOTIFY DEPARTMENT
AS SOON AS THEY RECEIVE RELEASE INFORMATION WHICH WE
WILL FORWARD TO ALL ADDRESSEES ASAP. UNDER NO CIR-
CUMSTANCE WOULD SURVIVORS ARRIVE IN CHARLESTON LESS
THAN 24 HOURS FROM THIS NOTIFICATION.

3. REQUEST JCS ADVISE APPROPRIATE COMMANDS OF ABOVE
INFORMATION.

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