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2. DURING THE RECENT CRISIS THE 316 PLAN WAS INITIALLY DIRECTED DUE
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CONTINUING BUILD-UP OF FORCES IN FORWARD LOCATIONS ASSURING A D-DAY
THROUGH D-PLUS-4 ASSAULT IN FORCE EXCEEDING THE PREVIOUSLY PLANNED 3
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3. TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF REF A I INTEND TO IMPROVE THE 316 PLAN
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