Box 41
Map Room

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AFIRM HEINRICH V. RIEDEMAN. BAKER APRIL 17 1942. CAST Ø336 GCT. DOG 11-55N 63-40W. EASY TORPEDOED. FOX AND GEORGE UNKNOWN.

COPY PASSED TO OPNAV CODEROOM.
**NAVAL MESSAGE**

**FROM:** NOB NEWPORT  
**TO:** USS HOPOCAN, USS MERRIMAC  
**DATE:** APRIL 17, 1942  
**DECODED BY:** FIELD/FIELD  
**INFORMATION:** U.S. Navy

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**Naval Message**

**From:** OPNAV  
**Released by:** J.D. Mckinney  
**Date:** 17 April 1942  
**For Action:** Mizar  
**Information:** NSHC Comeastseafron  
**Address:** NSHC  
**Precedence:** Deferred

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LT Kelly  
170236 NCR 5944  
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**Originator fill in date and time.**

**Text:**

(Action Mizar info NSHC Ottawa Comeastseafron from OPNAV)  
RDF Bearings at 2331Z/16 indicate enemy sub within 200 miles of position 37-30N 62-30W.

37....ORIG  
COMINCH....FILE....  

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| TEST |

RDF FIX AT 1635 QUEEN/16 SHOWS ENEMY UNIT WITHIN
160 MILES OF 40°30' N 54°30' W
REFERENCE SIGHTING REPORTED URDIS 161457 RDF INDICATES ENEMY UNIT WITHIN 100 MILES OF 20°-30° NORTH 66°-30° WEST AT 0751 ZED.
IN V BY 14
XX0X T P288
IMPORTANT

REFERENCE, ADMIRALTY MESSAGE AT POSITION 33 DEGREES 31 MINUTES N
77 DEGREES 34 MINUTES W

1500Z/16

© COMINCH ACTION
Ø5 10 19 20 20A 20B 20G 20K ØØR CG
Ø0A Ø1A 37 16 38 BUSHIPS OPDO HYDRO
CWO(2) FWO(1)

161626
ALL COMMANDS ATLANTIC AREA INTERESTED IN SUBMARINE POSITION REPORT

DATE: 16 APRIL 1942

TO CODE WORD: 1649/1844

DECODED BY: SMITH/SMITH

PARAPHRASED BY: NOIC HALIFAX

ALL COMMANDS ATLANTIC AREA INTERESTED IN SUBMARINE POSITION REPORT FROM COMINCH

16 APRIL SUB SITUATION


PART TWO X ONE 32-42N 73-39W 025Z/16 X ONE 34-12N 74W 1014 Z/16 X ONE 33-31N 77-34W 1454Z/16 X ONE 31-12N 69-59W 2049 Z/16 X POSSIBLY 2 OTHERS BETWEEN JACKSONVILLE AND CANAVERAL X

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POSSIBLY ONE STILL NEAR BERMUDA EASTBOUND X ONE BY DF WITHIN 2% MILES 12N 67-30W 57512/16 PROBABLY IN MONA PASSAGE X OTHERS IN CARIB AREA UNLOCATED X PROBABLY TWO OFF NORTH COAST BRAZIL X TWO EASTBOUND X 42N 31-30W X 45-30N 34W X

COPY DELIVERED TO OPMV CODE ROOM
NAVAIDE TO PRES...20G...250P...16/1/77...39...4/11...12...
FROM: C COMINT
RELEASED BY:
DATE: 26 April 1942
TOR CODEROOM: 
DECODED BY:
PARAPHRASED BY:

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ORIGINATOR: F-353(COHL)

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFT: 1942 April 26


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FROM FCC

RECD FROM BALTIMORE UNIT ON 500 KCS AT 1506 GCT /16
USCG MANGROVE

SUBMARINE SIGHTED USCG MANGROVE BELIEVED SIGHTED SUBMARINE ON SURFACE
3 MILES NORTH OF FRYING PAN SHOALS LIGHTSHIP STATION BUOY CONNING TOWER
AND TOP SURFACE SHOWING 1454 GMT

PHONE DTOWDBYDC161520

COMINCH ACTION
05 10 19 20 20 A 20 G 20 K CG 00 R
00 A 01 A 37 16 38 BUSHIPS OPDO HYDRO
GWO(2) FWO(1)

161520
FAR WARNING

ENEMY SUB SIGHTED LAT 18-48 NORTH LONG 66-25 WEST @036 00T 16TH.
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ENS ROONEY 161381 NCR 651

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

DATE TIME GET

CAPTAIN OF CLIPPER NC ZEROSIX REPORTS SIGHTED 15-02 N
LONG 06-28 W. CAPTAIN REPORTED SAME TO RAF AT LAGOS.

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DEC 21 1972

PUBLIC INFORMATION

16/11...37...38...28C...16...BAD0...FILE....
ENS ROONEY 161140Z NCR 631

NO FRESH INFORMATION FROM FREE TOWN AREA. TWO ITALIANS OFF NORTH COAST OF BRAZIL OF WHICH ONE NEAR CAPE SAN ROQUE ONE WEST OF JAMAICA ON FIFTEENTH MAY NOW BE HEADING FOR WINDWARD PASSAGE ONE BY D/F AT Φ752Z/16 WITHIN A HUNDRED MILES OF 20 DEGS NORTH 67 DEGS WEST PROBABLY IN MONA PASSAGE ONE WITHIN 15 DEGS OF DOMINICA POSSIBLY ONE OTHER UNFIXED CARIBBEAN TWO CAPE CANAVERAL AREA FOUR WILMINGTON TO DELAWARE ONE BY D/F AT Φ332Z/16 WITHIN 150 MILES OF 36 DEGS 70 DEGS PROBABLY HOMeward ONE WESTBOUND ESTIMATED 3830 75 DEGS TWO OUTWARD AND ONE HOMeward ESTIMATED WITHIN A 100 MILES OF 3630 6430 ONE HOMeward POSSIBLY STILL NEAR BERMUDA POSSIBLY ONE IN GULF OF MAINE THREE ESTIMATED WITHIN 150 MILES OF SABLE ISLAND SEVEN HOMeward ESTIMATED WITHIN 150 MILES OF 38 DEGS 51 DEGS 49 DEGS 49 DEGS 4730 41 DEGS 42 DEGS 4330 3630 4530 34 DEGS 42 DEGS 3130 FIVE OUTWARD ESTIMATED WITHIN 150 MILES OF
NAVAL MESSAGE

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RELEASED BY
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TEXT
4539 4539 47 DEGS 42 DEGS 3939 42 DEGS 3339 59 DEGS
34 DEGS TWO UNFIXED SOUTH OF ICELAND (O) NO OTHER CHANGE WEST
OF 30 DEGS WEST.

COMINCH...ACTION

RECORD COPY: 16...37...38...20G....BAD0....

FILES: CH0...200P....

SECRET
URGENT

FCC PHONE

RECEIVED BY FALLSCHMARSK UNIT FROM RADIO CHARLESTEN ON 500
KCS SS GREYLOCK POS 3242 N 7339 W REPORTS SIGHTING
SUBMARINE AT 0125 GMT/16TH

NOTE: FCC NOT QUITE SURE THEY RECEIVED THE NAME OF
VESSEL CORRECTLY, IF ANY CHANGE WILL SO REPORT

TOR COMM OFF 0140/16. DE

COMINCH ACTION

05 10 19 20 20A 20K CG QQR 30 16 00A 01A 20G 38
BUSHOPS HYDRO FWO(1) CWO(2)

160140
URGENT

RECEIVED BY FALLS CHURCH UNIT FROM SS GREYLOCK TO RADIO CHARLESTON ON 500 KCS
SUBMARINE DISAPPEARED
NOTHING FURTHER

TOR COMM OFF Ø155/16 DE

COMINCH ACTION
Ø5 1Ø 19 2Ø 2ØA 2ØK CG 00R 37 16 00A 01A 2ØG 38
HYDRO BUSHIPS OPDO FWO(1) CWO(2)
FROM NSHQ (OTTAWA)

RELEASED BY
1 MAY 1942

TOR CODEROOM

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Routed by Robinson 2325Z/30 NCR 8849

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1938Z 30TM SUBMARINE WITHIN 100 MILES 037-00 NORTH 059-00 WEST BY D/F.

ACTION: COMINCH......

10/11......16......20G......37......BAD0......FILE......

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FROM NSHQ

RELEASED BY

DATE 30 APRIL 1942

TOR CODEROOM 8684/39

DECODED BY LEGOTTE/ WILKINSON

PARAPHRASED BY MORGAN

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ROOKEY S4382/39 NCR 8388

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TEXT

(FROM NSHQ TO BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A COAC FONF OPNAV ADMTY. CINCMR.)

SUBMARINE PLACED BY D/F WITHIN 69 MILES 843 DEGS NORTH 869 DEGS

39 WINS WEST AT 2317Z 29TH.

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**ALLENSWORTH** 1955Z/29 NCR 8210

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**TEXT**

(FROM NSHQ TO BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMTY, CINCAN, QPNV COAC, FONF).

D/F INDICATE U-BOAT WITHIN 150 MILES 39 N 71-3 W AT 153Z.

**DISTRIBUTION:**

COMINCH....ACTION

RECO: 16....24G....37....38.....BADO.....

FILE.....CNO.....

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DATE 28 APRIL 1942

TOR CODE ROOM 2227/20

DECODED BY LEGGETTE/EUSHAW

PARAPHRASED BY BALL

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ALLENWORTH 2823462 NCR 7648

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TEXT

(FROM NSHQ TO BRT WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A ADMIRALTY CIRCLES TO OPNAV COAC FORF)

B/F AT 1517Z 26TH PLACE SUBMARINE WITHIN 1/2 MILES #37 N 57 W.

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COMINCH....ACTION

RECORD COPY: 2823462 NCR 7648

SECRET

(See Art. 76 (4) NAVREG.)
TO ALL BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMTY, FONF, COAC, CINCA&W, OPNAV

D/F PLACES SUBMARINE WITHIN 100 MILES FOLLOWING POSITION
(A) 21-30 N 72-33 WEST AT 0011Z 27TH.
(B) 43-00 N 49-30 WEST AT 0044Z 27TH.

ACTION...COMINCH
10/11...16...20G...37...3AD0...FILE...

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DATE: 27 APRIL 1942

TOR CODEROOM: 3063

DECODED BY: HOWELL

PARAPHRASED BY: G. ALLEN

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Routed by Fulton

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FROM: NSHQ TO BRITISH SHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMIRALTY, CINC A W I, OPNAV, COAC, FONF.

D/F BEARINGS PLACE SUBMARINE WITHIN 60 MILES 44-30 NORTH 30-30 WEST AT 2025Z/26.

ACTION: COMING

10/11...16...20G...37...BAO.....FILE...

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270235
From NSHQ (OTTAWA)

Released by

Date 27 APRIL 1942

TOR CODE word 27/1/2

Decoded by LYNCH

Paraphrased by HUTCHINSON

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Routed: ROBINSON

27/1/72 NCR 6520

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Text

(FROM NSHQ: TO ALL BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMIRALTY, CINCA & WI, OPNAV, COAC, FONF.)

SUBMARINE

SUBMARINE PLACED BY D/F WITHIN 60 MILES 38-52 NORTH 59-3° WEST AT 2936Z APRIL 26TH.

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ACTION...COMINCH

1/11...16...2/1...37...38...BADO...FILE

CNO
FROM NSHQ TO BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A; ADITY; CINCA&NI; OPM; COAC; FOFN.

D/F PLACE SUBMARINE AT 0313Z 26TH WITHIN 100 MILES N 48-3 W.
**NAVAL MESSAGE**

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**LT. KELLY**

25458Z · SCR 5078

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(BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMIRALTY CINCW 10 ONAV CG G82 FROM NSHQ)

**DIRECTION FINDING INDICATES U-BOATS**

(A) WITHIN 60 MILES OF 363° NORTH 6° DEG WEST AT 00023Z.

(B) WITHIN 60 MILES 363° NORTH 7°3° WEST AT 0117Z.

**COMING...ACT.**

**RECORD COPY TO...16...23G...37...GAC...9G0...FILE.**

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**LT ALLENWORTH** 242352/2 NCR 5363 **CORRECTED COPY**

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**ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME**

**DATE**

**TIME**

**GCT**

**TEXT**

(FROM NSHQ TO BRIT WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A ADMNY CINCAWI OPNAV COAC AND FONF)

D/F DEMONSTRATE SUBMARINE AT 1718Z WITHIN 1½ MILES 36-35N 58-35W.

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COMINCH.... ACTION

RECOIP: 16....25n....37....38....BAD00....CNO....FILE.

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24/352/2

24/2002
SUBMARINE WITHIN 60 MILES OF 36°35'N 73°30'W AT 1523Z BY D/F.

SECRET
NAVAL MESSAGE

DRAFTER: NSHC
RELEASED BY: 
DATE: 24 APRIL 1942
TOR CODEROOM: 933/24
DECODED BY: ATKIN
PARAPHRASED BY: BALL

ADDRESSES: OPNAV
FOR ACTION: PRIORITY
INFORMATION: PRIORITY
POSITIVE: PRIORITY
DEFERRED: DEFERRED

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME: 241626Z
DATE: 24 APRIL 1942
TIME: 0236Z
GCT:

TEXT:

"FROM NSHC OTTAWA TO BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMY, CINCARI OPNAV CDAC HALIFAX FONF"

"MY 1236Z 24TH FURTHER INFORMATION INDICATES ONLY 1 SUBMARINE AT POSITION ADEQUATE ESTIMATE WITHIN 60 MILES 36-36 N 56-36 W."

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RECORD COPY: 38...16...21G...37...BADO.....
FILES: CNO...FILE.....

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241625  NCR 5214  27
MA'JAL MESSAGE

DRAFTER

EXTENSION NUMBER

ADDRESS

NAVY DEPARTMENT

PRIORITY

FROM A.G.N.B.

RELEASED BY

DIAGNOS

DATE 25 APRIL 1942

TOR CODEROOM 251637

DECIMAL BY

HUTCHINSON

DIRECT

INFORMATION FOR ACTION

PRECEDENCE

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ROUTED-FULTON 2412412 NCR 5736

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TEXT

( RECEIVED BY MESSENGER FROM B.A.D.)

SERIAL NO. 93 FROM CENTRAL WAR ROOM APRIL 23.

21. JAPANESE STRENGTH AT ATAMBOEATIMOR ESTIMATED (72) THOUSAND TROOPS AND AT (72VILA) CELESTING (22 MILES WEST OF DILLI) 5/3. NO AIRCRAFT ATAMBOE AERODROME, AVERAGE NUMBER AT DILLI 15, GRADE B. 1.

2.7 MILES AERODROME PORT MORESBY ATTACKED 1/1/23/23RD BY 8 POSSIBLY MITSUBISHI T-99 NAVY HEAVY BOMBERS AND 7 ZERO FIGHTERS. OUR AIRCRAFT FAILED TO INTERCEPT. 8 BOMBS FELL ON RUNWAY. 3 FIGHTERS ATTACKED NEW RUNWAY NEAR 7 MILES AERODROME AT 3/123/23RD. NO DAMAGE REPORTED.

3. ENEMY AIR RECONNAISSANCE 23RD APRIL OVER AREAS NORTH AND NORTH EAST OF PORT MORESBY.

4. AIRCRAFT ON PHOTOGRAPHIC RECONNAISSANCE 23RD APRIL REPORTED-

(A) SUBMARINE UN SURFACE 9 MILES S.E. CAPE GAZELLE.

(B) FREIGHTER (2,500 TONS) AT ANCHOR NEAR DUKE OF YORK ISLAND.

(C) AIRCRAFT FIRE FROM ULU ISLAND DUE TO YORK GROUP.

(B) 3 TRANSPORTS (ABOUT 5,500 TONS) COVERED AN AIRCRAFT ON PATROL IN ATALIKIRIUN BAY (GASSEL PENINSULA).

(C) NO ACTIVITY ULU ISLAND.

5. 2 ALLIED AIRCRAFT ATTACKED 3 TRANSPORTS IN TALILI BAY (GASSEL PENINSULA) AT 3/123/23RD, NO DAMAGE. 3 AIRCRAFT ATTACKED WHARF INSTALLATIONS AT RABAUL AT 3/123/23RD. INCENDIARIES FELL ON WHARVES, TRANSPORTS, AND BUILDINGS. 8 TRANSPORTS SIGHTED.

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**TEXT**

1. Enemy fighter attacked and was damaged. Heavy machine gun fire from ships and shore. No anti-aircraft fire.

6. Allied aircraft fired on by vessel possibly submarine sighted in 18 degrees, 23 minutes south, 146 degrees, 13 minutes east 23rd April.

7. Report 21/officers enemy high command arrived Samoa (27th) April in flying boat, inspected defense work and returned to N.E. on same day.

8. Reference serial No. 91, para 4, air reconnaissance 23rd April sighted 2 objects, possibly ships, off Enang Island.

9. Unidentified Japanese naval unit was in Nauru area 25th April.

10. Indication that 3rd subron was at Jaluit 22nd April.

11. Akikaze arrived in Kopeana area 25th April.

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BAD AUSTRALIAN NLD NOUMEA FROM N.Z.H.B.)

MAORI NO. 16.

230/21/21 SUBMARINE SIGHTED BY FERRY A/C POSITION 1933 SOUTH
17125 WEST COURSE 225 LEGS APPROACHING WHEN BEING PASSED.

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**(FROM NSHQ TO ALL BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMIRALTY, CINC A & WI, OPNAV, COAC, FONF)**

**APRIL 218T AT 0421Z. 3 SUBMARINES BELIEVED OPERATING IN THIS AREA.**

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TOR CODEROOM 1618/29
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PARAPHRASED BY GILKER

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TEXT (FROM NSHQ TO ALL BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A, ADMTY, CINCAW, OPNAV, COAC, FONF)

D/F INDICATE U-BOAT WITHIN 100 MILES OF P39-29 NORTH P54-39 WEST AT 1008Z 29TH.

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D/F places sub within 60 miles 36-38 N 72-30 W at 2255Z 19th.

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DIRECTION FINDING BEARINGS AT 1646Z/19TH PLACE SUBMARINES WITHIN 80 MILES OF 35-36 N 68-90 W.

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(FROM NSHQ OTTAWA TO ALL BRIT WARSHIPS IN AREA 7A CINCA AND W1, OPNAV, ADMY, COAC, CCNF.)

D/F AT 0130Z 18TH INDICATES SUB WITHIN 100 MILES 43°-30 N 52 W.

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**TEXT TO ALL BRITISH-WARSHIPS IN ARCATA, CONF, ABILY, OPHAV, CPAC, CHICACOBI, FROM ROHQ**

SUB PLACED BY D/F WITHIN 6° MILES 39° NORTH 67-3° WEST AT 1954Z/18TH.

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D/F Bearings indicate U-boat within 100 miles 45 North 33 West at 1421Z 17th.

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(ADmiralty C11C111 OPHAV COAC PONF FROM NSHO)

DIRECTION FINDING BEARING AT 2335 16TH INDICATES SUBMARINE WITHIN 64 MILES OF 4938 NORTH 54 DEG WEST.

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TEXT (FROM NSHQ TO BRITISH WARSHIPS IN AREA TK, ADMY, CINCAWT, OPNAV, CCAC HALIFAX, FONF)

D/F INDICATES U-BOAT WITHIN 100 MILES @36-10 NORTH $75-10 WEST AT @3432 16TH.

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TEXT:

(DRAG SHIP TO BB BETWEEN PORTS IN AREA 7A ADMY HANGHAI
OPNAV COA@ HALIFAX FOG)

D/F PLACE U-BOAT WITHIN 10 MILES @30-0 NORTH @69-0 WEST AT 0032 16TH.

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