

APPENDIX 5

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U. S. MILITARY LIQUIDATION SECTION AMERICAN EMBASSY, PARIS

Terms of Reference

1. Purpose. To provide guidance for the organization and operation of the U. S. Military Liquidation Section, American Embassy, Paris. This directive supports the Secretary of Defense's Terms of Reference for the Military Liquidation Section (Reference a below), and amplifies the guidance provided in the USCINCEUR establishing General Order (Reference b below).

2. References.

a. NATUS Def message 2621, dated 31 December 1966, subject: Terms of Reference for U. S. Military Liquidation Section, American Embassy, Paris.

b. Hq USEUCOM General Order No. 17 of 27 January 1967, subject: Establishment of U. S. Military Liquidation Section, American Embassy, Paris.

3. Definitions.

a. "Operational Base". A U. S. Military Base facility in France which the GOF has requested be turned over to French authorities in operating condition, requiring therefore that certain facilities and related personal property be left in place, pending negotiations.

b. "A" date. The date on which operations at a base or installation have terminated, all stocks, supplies and troops (except for the custodial force) have been withdrawn and all personal and related personal property for which there is a U. S. requirement has been removed.

4. General. The U. S. Military Liquidation Section, American Embassy, Paris (MLS) was established on 1 February 1967 by reference b in accordance with the provisions of reference a.

5. Mission. The Military Liquidation Section is responsible for the disposition of matters of military interest, including the disposition of property, remaining after the relocation of U. S. military forces from France.

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