

#3 - Wake Island

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Map Room
Box 36

CHAPTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM INCRAG	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE JAN 6 1942			DEFERRED
TO: CODE ROOM 348	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY MELVIN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY LEGLER			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

060427 CR0251

UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED THIS DISPATCH WILL BE TRANSMITTED WITH DEFERRED PRECEDENCE.

ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, OPERATIONS CONTINUING X PHOTOS WAKE SHOW 2 LARGE SEAPLANES, 3 SMALL CRAFT, 2 VEHICLES MOVING ON ROADS AND LANDING STRIP USABLE, CONTRARY TO PRELIMINARY REPORT X INDICATIONS SUBMARINES FURTHER DECREASED IN THIS AREA X

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Date- AUG 29 1972

Signature- RHO

COMINCH.....ACTION

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AUTHORITY: COMNAVSTA-770004

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FROM CINCPAC	OPNAV	OPERATIONAL PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		DEFERRED
DATE 23 DEC 1941	INFORMATION	PRIORITY
FOR CODEROOM		ROUTINE
DECODED BY CALLAN		DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY PURDY		

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME FOR DEFERRED AND MAIL DELIVERY

DATE	TIME	GCT
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TEXT **CORRECTED COPY:-**

WAKE CANNOT BE EVACUATED. IT WAS UNDER COORDINATED HEAVY BOMBER AND CARRIER PLANE ATTACK AT 0120 GCT 22ND. IT IS UNDER LANDING ATTACK

TODAY BY SEVERAL CRUISERS DESTROYERS AND TRANSPORTS WITH POSSIBILITY COVERING FORCE IN VICINITY. LAST REPORT AT 1952 GCT 22ND IS ENEMY

ON ISLAND SEVERAL SHIPS PLUS TRANSPORT MOVING IN. ISSUE IN DOUBT. GALLANT DEFENSE WAKE HAS BEEN OF UTMOST VALUE BUT HEREAFTER WAKE IS

A LIABILITY. IN VIEW PRESENT INTENSIVE OPERATION CONSIDER STRONG SUPPORTING FORCES ARE PROBABLE AND UNDER EXISTING CIRCUMSTANCES I AM

FORCED TO CONCLUDE THAT RISK OF ONE TASK FORCE TO ATTACK ENEMY VICINITY OF WAKE IS NOT JUSTIFIABLE. HAVE ORDERED RETIREMENT OF TWO WESTERN

TASK FORCES. THIRD TASK FORCE HAS BEEN ORDERED TO COVER WRIGHT NOW ENROUTE MIDWAY.

FORM TO ATTACK ENEMY VICINITY OF WAKE AND FOR JUSTIFIABLE.

DISTRIBUTION: TWO WESTERN TASK FORCES. THIRD TASK FORCE

12.....ACTION.

RECORD COPY: 38.....11.....COMINCH.....OPDO.....P1A.....JSA.....

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NAV REGS

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SUBMITTER RELAT

RECEIVED EAST IN 0242 AND 0246 AND DELIVERED TWO HOURS AFTER
 INTER-DEPARTMENTAL COORDINATION AND COOPERATION WITH ALL CONCERNED AGENCIES

STANDARD FORM NO. 64

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY

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BY		VOIDING
DATE		VOIDING

PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	MESSAGE PRECEDENCE
FROM CINCPAC	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		ROUTINE
DATE 22 DEC 1941		DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 2350/22		PRIORITY
DECODED BY CALLAN		ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY BLUNT		DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME FOR DEFERRED AND MAIL DELIVERY

DATE	TIME	GCT

TEXT

WAKE CANNOT BE EVACUATED. IT HAS UNDER COORDINATED HEAVY BOMBER AND CARRIER PLANE ATTACK AT 0120 GREENWICH 22ND. IT IS UNDER LANDING ATTACK TODAY BY SEVERAL CRUISERS, DESTROYERS AND TRANSPORTS WITH POSSIBILITY COVERING FORCE IN VICINITY. LAST REPORT AT 1050
SINGAPORE/ENEMY ON ISLAND SEVERAL SHIPS PLUS TRANSPORT
 MOVING IN. ISSUE IN DOUBT. GALLANT DEFENSE WAKE HAS BEEN OF UTMOST VALUE BUT HEREAFTER WAKE IS A LIABILITY. IN VIEW PRESENT EXTENSIVE OPERATION CONSIDER STRONG SUPPORTING FORCES ARE PROBABLE AND UNDER EXISTING CIRCUMSTANCES I AM FORCED TO CONCLUDE THAT RISK OF ONE TASK FORCE TO ATTACK ENEMY VICINITY OF WAKE IS NOT JUSTIFIABLE. HAVE ORDERED RETIREMENT OF TWO WESTERN TASK FORCES. THIRD TASK FORCE HAS BEEN ORDERED TO COVER WRIGHT NOW ENROUTE MIDWAY.

DISTRIBUTION: (GABLES PORTION APPROX. 7 GROUPS HAS BEEN SERVICED)

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MOBILE IN* FROM IN DORIS* OFFICIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY
 DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY WASHINGTON D.C. 20370
 ADVISORY: THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE IS BEING TRANSMITTED TO YOU FOR YOUR INFORMATION
 VALUE: 100% IN THE EVENT OF A DISASTROUS AND UNPREDICTABLE
 CIRCUMSTANCES VALUE 71 HIGH OPERATIONAL COST* 11 TO 100%
 WHEN STAFF OF NAVY/NAVY* 11 AND OTHER COMMUNICATED-NAVY/NAVY AND

THIS MESSAGE IS BEING TRANSMITTED TO YOU FOR YOUR INFORMATION
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FROM: WAKE ISLAND		CCM 14	OPERATIONAL PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE: 22-DEC-1941			DEFERRED
FOR CODER ROOM		CINCPAC	OPERATIONAL PRIORITY
DECODED BY: REEGAN		PASSED BY COM 14 TO OPNAV FOR INFO	ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY: PURDY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
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 ISLAND UNDER GUN FIRE. APPARENTLY LANDING ATTEMPT.

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PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER

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FROM CINCOPAC

OPNAV

PRIORITY

RELEASED BY

ROUTINE

DATE 21 DECEMBER 1941

DEFERRED

TOR CODER ROOM 1125/21

DECODED BY SLADE

PRIORITY

PARAPHRASED BY SLADE

ROUTINE

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INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY

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CR 0115

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME FOR DEFERRED AND MAIL DELIVERY

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TEXT			

HEAVY BOMBERS MADE SECOND RAID AT WAKE TODAY. ACCUMULATED DAMAGE
CONSIDERABLE. ONE BATTERY THREE INCH REMAINS.
POSITION OF SUB CONTACT DEPTH CHARGED OFF ENTRANCE PEARL LAST NIGHT
MARKED BY OIL SPOCK TODAY. SOUTH OF OAHU TONIGHT ONE OTHER CONTACT
ATTACKED.

38W.....ACTION

RECORD COPY: 12.....16.....38.....OPDO.....

FILES: WAR DIARY... (P)A.....CNO.....27-OP.....FILE

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ADDRESSEES

MESSAGE
PRECEDENCEFROM **WAKE ISLAND**

FOR ACTION

**CINCPAC
COM 14****OPERATIONAL
PRIORITY**

RELEASED BY

DATE **22 DEC 1941**

ROUTINE

DEFERRED

TOR CODEROOM

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INFORMATION

**PASSED BY COM 14 TO
OPNAV FOR INFO****OPERATIONAL
PRIORITY**

DECODED BY

ROUTINE

DEFERRED

PARAPHRASED BY

PURDY

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME FOR DEFERRED AND MAIL DELIVERY

DATE

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GCT

TEXT

**COMBINED LAND AND CARRIER BASED ATTACK AT 0120 GCT. CARRIER
BOMBERS ACCOMPANIED BY MODERN FIGHTERS. OUR FIGHTERS ENGAGED. LT.
DAVIDSON LOST CAPT. FREULER WOUNDED. SEVERAL ENEMY SHOT DOWN. NO
FURTHER DAMAGE.**

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DATE: [illegible]
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PRECEDENCE: [illegible]

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FROM: NA KE ISLAND	FOR ACTION	PASSED BY COM 14 TO OPNAV FOR INFO XXXXXXX XXX XXXXXX ACTION COM 14	PRIORITY OPERATIONS PRIORITY
RELEASED BY: [illegible]			DEFERRED
DATE: DEC 22 1941	INFORMATION	INFO CINCPAC	PRIORITY
FOR CODER ROOM			ROUTINE
DECODED BY: RECOG			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY: READ			

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	RECEIVED BY	EXT
TEXT				

GUN FIRE BETWEEN SHIPS TO NORTHEAST ISLAND.

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS AND RECENT DEVELOPMENTS EMPHASIZING THAT GUNS
TO USE AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE A LIABILITY, YOUR FIRST AND FOREMOST
YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO EVACUATE SHIPS WITH APPROPRIATE REMARKS.
EFFORTS SHOULD CONTINUE TO STRENGTHEN AND HOLD READY. WINE CONSUME.

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ORIGINATOR	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRIORITY
FROM WAKE ISLAND	FOR ACTION	COM 14	PPPPPP
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 21 DEC 41			DEFERRED
FOR COORDROOM 1125/21ST	INFORMATION	CINCPAC	PRIORITY
DECODED BY WRIGHT		(PASSED BY COM 14 TO OPNAV FOR INFO)	ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY GLTUCKER			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

210715 CR 0131

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME DATE TIME GCT
TEXT

AT 0120 GCT, 17 HEAVY BOMBERS ATTACKED. DAMAGE FROM BOTH RAIDS.
3 INCH BATTERY STRUCK. SGT JOHN ALDBON E. WRIGHT KILLED. DIRECTOR
DESTROYED. ONLY 1 3 INCH BATTERY OF 4 GUNS NOW EFFECTIVE. POWER
PLANT DAMAGED. ADDITIONAL DIESEL OIL BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT
DESTROYED. NO FURTHER RAID BY CARRIER PLANE.

12....COG.

10/11...13...16...38...WARDIARY...P1A...00A..01A..MARCORPS..OPDO..OP20.

NOTE: (THIS DESPATCH RECEIVED IN RESTRICTED SYSTEM)

2020 EST. 20 Dec.
1220 (wake). 21 Dec.

TOK 0815
21 Dec

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FROM	COM 14	FOR ACTION	OPNAV CINCPAC	PRIORITY RRRRR
RELEASED BY				ROUTINE
DATE	11 DEC 1941	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM				
DE/CODED BY	HORD			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY	OPNAV			ROUTINE
				DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

110700 CR0979

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME:

DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT		

ARMY DETACHMENT AT WAKE TO HAWAIIAN AIRFORCE TIMED 110025 QUOTE 3
SHELLED AT DAWN BY SURFACE VESSEL. ONE LIGHT CRUISER AND ONE
DESTROYER DEFINITELY SUNK BY SHORE BATTERIES OTHER SHIP. FOURTH
AIR RAID 2100 GCT 10TH. TO DATE FIVE BOMBERS SHOT DOWN BY AA AND
FIGHTERS. RELEASE OF INFORMATION TO YOU AUTHORIZED BY U.S. NAVY
SIGNED WILSON. XRAY APPARENT GARBLE SHORE BATTERIES OTHER SHIP.

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12.....ACTION.

10/11.....38/.....00A.....16.....FILE:P1A.....200P.....

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 16, 1941.

MEMORANDUM FOR

THE PRESIDENT

In connection with convoy enroute
to Wake *mentioned in Cribbe message*
TANGIER - (ex-SEA ARROW, 1939). Acquired
July, 1940. 7,773 tons gross. Dimensions:
469 x 69½ x _____ feet. Machinery: 2 sets
geared turbines. Oil fuel: 1,417 tons.

J.R. BEARDALL,
Captain, U.S. Navy,
Naval Aide to the President

IN CONNECTION WITH COUNCIL DECISIONS

ADMIRAL STANK

THE PRESIDENT

Received by Lt. Comdr. Leahey at 2018/December 10th (LOT)

Shower

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URGENT 10/10/50 10/10/50 10/10/50
TO: RTO WAKE IS
FROM: RTO WAKE IS
SUBJECT: 10/10/50 10/10/50 10/10/50 (RCL)

CHALIN WND KIDRAI BOL BOL ORVR

ONE LINE* AR VTGO HVAR COMMUNICATION WITH LONGHORN BIVWARY
RECEIVED COMMVCL WITH WAKE 10/10/50 THIS AFTERNOON VL 11:13

TO: THE JMWIDEAL

THRU: VIRIANT BLVIR

1555 NPM

090 V NCL

FROM: RDO WAKE IS

ACTION: ALL STATIONS ON THIS CIRCUIT

PRIORITY/LA

LEFT IN EASTERLY DIRECTION

38..ACTION

0111ADBD0 10/11..12..13..16..OPDO..36W..25..190..(HAWAII) 25..00R

00A..XXXX 01A..02A..ARMY9

ARMY 9

1551 NPM

090 V NCL

FROM: WAKE IS

ACTION: ALL STATIONS ON THIS CIRCUIT

PRIORITY/LA

EIGHTEEN PLANES HEAVY BOMBER LIGHT TYPE OF ARMY BAKER EIGHTEEN

0113AD8DEC

38..ACTION

10/11..12..13..16..CPD0..38W..20..190..(NAVAID)..05..00R

00A..01A..02-A..ARMYB

ARMY 6

1547 NPM

090 V NCL 0 0
FROM: WAKE ISLAND
ACTION: ALL STATIONS ON THIS CIRCUIT
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WAKE ATTACKED

38..ACTION

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10/11..12..13..16..OPDO..38W..20..190..NAVAID..05..
00R..00A..01A..02A..ARMY 5

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1549 NPM

090 V NCL

FROM: RDO WAKE IS

ACTION: ALL STATIONS ON THIS CIRCUIT

PRIORITY/M

WAKE ATTACKED BY 30 BOMBERS

0111ADBD00

30..ACTION

10/11..12..13..18..OPDO..30W..20..19C. (NAVAID.)

05..00R..00A..01A..02A ..ARMY 7

ARMY 7

PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER		ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM	CINCPAC	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RRRR
DATE	9 DEC 1941		ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM	2116		DEFERRED
DECODED BY	GRAYDON		PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY	PURDY		ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY

090820 CR073

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME FOR DEFERRED AND MAIL DELIVERY

DATE TIME GCT

TEXT

**WAKE ATTACKED BY TWO ENGINE BOMBERS SUNDAY APPARENTLY FROM
MARSHALL ISLANDS. MIDWAY SHELLS SUNDAY. GUAM REPORTED
BOMBING ATTACKS YESTERDAY AND TODAY.**

TOR 1210/904c
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12.....ACTION.

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REPORTING VESSEL'S NAME AND NUMBER
 REPORTING VESSEL'S NAME AND NUMBER
 DATE REPORTED BY AND ENGINE ROOMS REPORTED BY

1. DATE
 2. TIME
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NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

(COPY)

FROM COMFOURTEEN
 TO OPNAV

102145 CRO29

SHELLED AT DAWN BY SEVERAL LIGHT VESSELS X NO CASUALTIES X 1 CL
 1 DD SUNK X 2 TRANSPORTS WITH ESCORT OF CLS AND DD'S SIGHTED TO
 SOUTHWEST

TOR 1655/11 DEC

3-31

100-1000000000

THIS MESSAGE IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 10/10/00 BY 100-1000000000

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NAVY COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDPHYES	MESSAGE PRECEDENCE
FROM	FOR ACTION	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		PRIORITY
DATE	CINCPAC	ROUTINE
TOR CODER ROOM		DEFERRED
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		ROUTINE
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INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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DATE TIME SET OR
TEXT 102255 MIDWAY HAD ON BOMBARDMENT ON 6TH BY SIX INCH CETS OR
DPS AND ONE AIR RAID TODAY PERSONNEL CASUALTIES NOT EXTENSIVE.
WE BOMBED FOUR TIMES SHELLS ONCE NINE MARINE PLANES LOST
THREE ENEMY PLANES DESTROYED. REPORTS ONE ENEMY CL AOND ONE
ENEMY DD SUNK WITH SEVERAL ENEMY CL AND DD WITH TRANSPORTS IN
VICINITY. LANDING OPERATIONS POSSIBLE XXXXIMPENDING. BOTH STATIONS
STILL IN COMMUNICATION AND STILL RESISTING HAVING RECEIVED
PHYSICAL DAMAGE AND PERSONNEL CASUALTIES.

38....ACTION 14...12...13...16...39W....OPDO.... FILE

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FROM WAKEISLAND	COM 14	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		ROUTINE
DATE DEC 10, 1941	PASSED TO OPNAV	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM PITKIN		PRIORITY
DE/CODED BY		ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY ROBINSON		DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

102350 OR 0752

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME:

DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT		

AIR RAID 2205 GCT. 17 BOMBERS ATTACKED BATTERIES.

NO DAMAGE. 2 DOWNED. THREE WARFIGHTERS REMAIN.

ACTION: 38.....

10/11.....12.....16.....38W.....OPDO.....FILE.....

2205 GCT =

0905 LCT (Wake), 11 Dec. =

1705 EST 10 Dec. ✓

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TOR 1415
13 Dec

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FROM	WAKE ISLAND	FOR ACTION	CINCPAC	PRIORITY
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