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CIVIL COURT ACTIONS IN THIS OR RELATED CASES. AT THE SAME TIME THAT COUNSEL DELIVERS A REQUEST OF THIS NATURE TO THE STAFF JUDGE ADVOCATE CONCERNED, COUNSEL WILL FORWARD DIRECTLY TO CHIEF, DEFENSE APPELLATE DIVISION, A FULL ANALYSIS OF THE CASE INCLUDING VENUE, NATURE OF RELIEF TO BE REQUESTED, FACTS AND LEGAL AUTHORITIES RELIED UPON, AND HIS REASONS FOR REQUESTING AUTHORITY TO APPEAR IN CIVIL COURTS. THE DETAILED CONTENTS OF THIS COMMUNICATION BETWEEN MILITARY DEFENSE COUNSEL AND CHIEF, DEFENSE APPELLATE DIVISION, WILL BE CONSIDERED PRIVILEGED. STAFF JUDGE ADVOCATES WILL NEITHER REQUEST NOR REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF ITS CONTENTS. CHIEF, DEFENSE APPELLATE DIVISION, AFTER CONSIDERATION OF INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM COUNSEL AND WITHOUT BREACHING CONFIDENTIAL RELATIONSHIPS, WILL FURNISH TOAG WITH EVALUATION OF THE REQUEST FROM THE VIEWPOINT OF SENIOR DEFENSE COUNSEL.

THIS MESSAGE WILL BE RE-TRANSMITTED TO ALL SUBORDINATE COMMANDS.

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