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In Reply
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12 September 2003

MEMORANDUM FOR METOC PROGRAM OFFICE, SPACE AND NAVAL
WARFARE SYSTEMS COMMAND,
ATTN: CARL ROBINS

Subject: Interim Certificate to Operate (ICTO) for Naval Integrated
Tactical Environmental System Variant IV

Reference: (a) CJCSI 6212.01B, Interoperability and Supportability
of National Security Systems, and Information
Technology Systems

1. In accordance with the authority provided in reference (a), the Interoperability Test Panel (ITP) has reviewed and concurs with your request for an Interim Certificate to Operate (ICTO) with respect to the Naval Integrated Tactical Environmental System (NITES) Variant IV.
2. The ITP Chairman concurs with the recommendations of the Joint Interoperability Test Command (JITC) and the ITP members, and grants an ICTO for NITES Variant IV. This ICTO is effective beginning on 12 September 2003 and expires 12 September 2004.
3. This ICTO is subject to the following conditions:
 - a. The USN continues to work with JITC to ensure the NITES Variant IV is tested and certified.
 - b. If at the end of this ICTO, the NITES Variant IV has not been joint interoperability test certified it would be considered a candidate for removal from operational use.
4. The JITC point of contact is Ms. Teena M. Holt, DSN 354-2687, Commercial (301) 744-2687, Fax (301) 744-2688 or email address: holtt@ncr.disa.mil.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. Morrow, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

WILLIAM J. MORROW, JR.
Lt Col, USAF
Acting Chairman, ITP