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AND FLASH INFO MODUK NOAVY AND FLASH INFO BUENOS AIRES

YOUR TELNO 34: ILLEGAL LANDING ON SOUTH GEORGIA.

1. DEFENCE CAPABILITY OF BAHIA BUEN SUCESO PROBABLY NIL EXCEPT FOR SMALL ARMS. CREW 100.
2. NEWS OF INCIDENT IS BOUND TO LEAK SOON. RADIO HAMS MUST HAVE PICKED UP SOME OF OUR HF TRANSMISSIONS, WHICH WERE (NEXT TWO WORDS UNDERLINED) EN CLAIR CONVERSATIONS WITH BASE COMMANDER AND FIELD PARTY.
3. BASE COMMANDER HAS CONFIRMED THAT FIELD PARTY DELIVERED MY INSTRUCTIONS TO CAPTAIN OF BAHIA BUEN SUCESO THIS MORNING AND FIELD PARTY ARE NOW ON THEIR WAY BACK TO GRITVIKEN.

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