

ACTIONS ARISING FROM PUS' MORNING MEETING 28 MAY 1982

1. Issue full statement this morning about movements of UGANDA in Falkland waters. Take action with Brazilians through diplomatic channels. DS5/DCPR

2. Ascertain why voice/picture transmission over MARISAT was not possible from REGENT and FEARLESS.

CPR

3. Consider, and discuss with FCO, how civilian casualties in operations on the Falklands should be handled publicly (even when caused by Argentine action, the effect of publicity on international opinion could be adverse).

AUS(D Staff)

4. Prepare defensive press line on torpedo sighting referred to by Captain Salt (SHEFFIELD) in TV interviews yesterday.

DS5/DCPR

5. Follow closely further handling of Sea King crew returned from Chile.

Head of DS6

Timing of PUS' meeting

Normally PUS' meeting is half an hour before COS meeting or at 0930 (if COS are later than 1000). Abnormal timings will be given to Duty Officers in DSC.

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