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Arrow Missile Test Completed

The Arrow anti-ballistic missile system was used today in a joint Israel/United States test exercise as part of the ongoing Arrow System Improvement Program (ASIP). The test was the second in a series conducted at the Point Mugu Sea Range in California. It was the thirteenth Arrow intercept test and the eighth test of the complete weapon system. The Arrow interceptor was launched toward the target but no intercept was achieved. Many of the test objectives were successfully completed, and the test data is being analyzed by test engineers to determine why an intercept did not occur.

Post event satellite video feed: C-band, 1A (TELSTAR) 5, Transponder 23, 97 degrees W, 4160 Horizontal downlink, 4P-4:30P(PDT)/7-7:30P(EDT). Globe Cast Trouble # 310-845-3939/3848.

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