



**(U) Follow-Up: President Reagan Addresses the Nation After KAL-007 Shootdown**

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(U) On Wednesday, *SID today* republished a look back at the events surrounding the downing of a Korean airliner by a Soviet SU-15 (pictured) in 1983 (see that [article](#)). Today we present a videotape of President Reagan's televised address to the nation in the days just after the event. He denounces the attack and plays SIGINT intercept of the Soviet air-to-ground comms:

[KAL-007 video](#)

(U//FOUO) This video is shown in the language portion of the CROR-1030 (Foundations of Cryptology) course. Thanks to [REDACTED] for providing it.

(U//FOUO) Does anyone have memories from that period they'd like to pass on? Please comment on the [SID today Blog](#). (There have been a number of interesting postings already!)

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