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COL CHAMPOUX IS SEATED. A SMALL TABLE NEXT TO HIS CHAIR HAS A SMALL DECORATED CHRISTMAS TREE AND A FEW CHRISTMAS CARDS. COL C APPEARS RELAXED. AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SPOT, THE CAMERA LOOSELY FRAMES COL C AND THE CHRISTMAS DISPLAY. AS THE SPOT PROGRESSES, THE CAMERA EXECUTES A 'PRESIDENTIAL ZOOM' IN (VERY SLOW, ALMOST IMPERCEPTIBLE ZOOM), ENDING ON A HEAD-AND-SHOULDERS C/U.

HELLO AGAIN, I'M COLONEL BERNIE CHAMPOUX, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. S-FOR BRIGADE. NINETEEN-NINETY-NINE WAS A VERY GOOD YEAR. THE SUCCESS OF THE PEACE PROCESS CONTINUES. LAST YEAR MORE PEOPLE RETURNED HOME AND THE ECONOMY CONTINUED TO GROW. NEXT YEAR WILL BE EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL. AS WE ENTER THE HOLIDAY SEASON, LET'S TAKE A MOMENT TO REFLECT ON THE FUTURE. IN THE COMING NEW YEAR, EACH OF US SHOULD SET A GOAL TO IMPROVE OUR LOCAL COMMUNITIES. TOGETHER WE CAN STRENGTHEN THE PEACE. SO, AS NINETEEN-NINETY-NINE DRAWS TO A CLOSE, SET A GOAL AND DO WHAT YOU CAN TO MAKE THE PEACE EVEN STRONGER. ALL OF US IN S-FOR WISH YOU THE VERY BEST IN THE YEAR AHEAD. LET THE MILLENNIUM SIGNAL A NEW BEGINNING FOR EVERYONE.