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Tri-CHOD Press Release:

General Joseph F. Dunford Jr., Chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff held a trilateral meeting via video teleconference on May 22nd 2017, with General Lee, Sun Jin, Chairman of the Republic of Korea Joint Chiefs of Staff and Admiral Katsutoshi Kawano, Chief of Staff, Joint Staff, Japan Self-Defense Forces.

They discussed trilateral defense cooperation measures to tackle increasing North Korean nuclear and missile threats.

The discussions reflected three countries' desires to enhance trilateral defense communication and cooperation and deepen their understanding of unified vision of peace and stability in the region. The Defense Chiefs agreed to coordinate further on mutual security issues.