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All of the seven Delta IV can go on mission, in addition to some of the Oscar-class, but the Russian northern fleet do not have more than two or three strategic ballistic missile submarines in sea at once during the latest year.

We do not have the day to day knowledge on this, just general information. When it comes to the Typhoon's none of them are at sea for the time being. Two is taken out of service, three is practically taken out, and one is for repair at the Severodvinsk shipyards. BUT: Even if none of them is at sea, they are all in stand-by condition for launching their missiles at high alert.

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