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3. [REDACTED] INFORMATION: THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS RELAYED BY SOURCE TO INTERVIEWER AS FACT. SOMETIME IN DECEMBER 1985 (SOURCE COULD NOT BE MORE SPECIFIC), SOURCE WAS BUYING FRUIT TO TAKE TO CA MAU TO SELL AND MET LOCALS FROM THE CAM SON VILLAGE, CAI LAY DISTRICT, TIEN GIANG PROVINCE (VICINITY XS 2245). THESE LOCAL PEOPLE (OF WHOM SOURCE COULD PROVIDE NO IDENTITY INFORMATION) TOLD SOURCE THAT SOMETIME PRIOR TO THE COMMUNIST TAKE-OVER (DURING THE WAR), TWO AMERICAN PILOTS WERE CAPTURED IN THE AREA (NFI) AFTER THEIR AIRCRAFT (NEI) CRASHED (NFI). OF THE TWO, ONE WAS CAUCASIAN AND ONE WAS NEGRO. AFTER THEIR CAPTURE, THEY WERE BROUGHT TO CAM SON VILLAGE. SOURCE NEVER LEARNED ANY FURTHER DETAILS CONCERNING THE TWO MEN, INCLUDING WHAT HAPPENED TO THEM AFTER THEY WERE TAKEN TO CAM SON. SOURCE RECALLED THAT DURING THE CONVERSATION, THE LOCALS TALKED OF A POLICY WHICH ALLOWED THE DIRECT RESETTLEMENT TO THE US OF VIETNAMESE CITIZENS WHO PROVIDED INFORMATION CONCERNING MISSING AMERICANS (NFI). DECL:OADR.

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