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 AMPN/SUBJ: ANALYSIS OF INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION OBTAINED
 FROM THE CENTRAL ARMY MUSEUM IN HANOI CONCERNING REFNO 1743
 RMKS/1. JTF-FA ARCHIVAL RESEARCH TEAM ONE (ART 1) WORKING AT THE
 CENTRAL ARMED FORCES MUSEUM IN HANOI RESEARCHES AND PHOTOGRAPHS

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 VIETNAMESE DOCUMENTS, PHOTOGRAPHS AND ARTIFACTS PROVIDED BY THE
 MUSEUM STAFF. ALL PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN ARE IDENTIFIED BY THE ROLL
 AND FRAME NUMBER LOGGED DURING THE COLLECTION PROCESS. THIS
 MESSAGE PROVIDES INITIAL ANALYSIS OF THREE PHOTOGRAPHS CORRELATED
 TO REFNO 1743. THESE PHOTOGRAPHS ARE IDENTIFIED AS ROLL
 221/FRAMES 30-32. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, ALL ANNOTATIONS ARE
 ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS OF THE ORIGINAL VIETNAMESE TEXT. JTF-FA
 ANALYST COMMENTS ARE IN DOUBLE PARENTHESES.
 2. ROLL 221/FRAME 30 IS PAGE ONE OF A CENTRAL ARMY MUSEUM
 HISTORICAL ITEM INVESTIGATION REPORT, NUMBER 895. THE REPORT IS
 A DETAILED INVENTORY RECEIPT FOR A STUDY DOCUMENT. THE STUDY
 DOCUMENT (FOR A STANDARD ISSUED FIRST AID KIT) WAS ORIGINALLY
 HELD BY THE "TRUONG SON MUSEUM" (BTTS) NEAR HANOI UNTIL THAT
 FACILITY CLOSED FOR REPAIRS. NOTE: TRUONG SON IS THE VIETNAMESE
 TERM FOR THE HO CHI MINH TRAIL AREA, WHICH IS CONSISTENT WITH THE
 REFNO 1743 LOSS LOCATION IN LAOS. THE CENTRAL ARMY MUSEUM
 ACQUIRED THE DOCUMENT IN 1991.

- A. PAGE ONE PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
- "ITEM: STUDY DOCUMENT
 - PLACE AND ENVIRONMENT OF INVESTIGATION: TRUONG SON

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- DATE OF INVESTIGATION: 17 APRIL 1991
- PERSONS HANDING OVER: TROOPS OF TRUONG SON
- PERSONS RECEIVING: HOANG LAM ARMED FORCES PERSONNEL.

ITEM HISTORY

- ITEM: STUDY DOCUMENT
- BELONGS TO: AAA UNITS TRUONG SON
- HISTORICAL SUMMARY: MATERIAL WE COLLECTED FROM THE ENEMY

WHEN THE AAA UNITS OF TRUONG SON SHOT DOWN AN AMERICAN F4 ON 26-4-1971 IN TRUONG SON."

B. THE TYPE OF AIRCRAFT AND TIME OF LOSS CORRELATE WITH REFNO 1743. THE ACTUAL DATE OF LOSS FOR REFNO 1743 WAS 25 APRIL 1971, NOT 26 APRIL 1971. TWO OTHER OPERATIONAL F-4 LOSSES ALSO OCCURRED IN LAOS WITHIN 14 DAYS OF 26 APRIL 1971, BUT THE REFNO 1743 INCIDENT MOST CLOSELY MATCHES THE DATE ON THE RECORD.

3. ROLL 221/FRAME 31 IS PAGE TWO OF THE REPORT, WHICH PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- "QUANTITY: 1
- MATERIAL: PAPER
- MEASUREMENTS: 6.6 X 12.7 CM
- NOTEWORTHY CHARACTERISTICS: WHITE PAPER WITH ENGLISH

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- CONDITION: OLD, FADED, 1 PAGE HAS YELLOW SPOTS."

4. ROLL 221/FRAME 32 IS PAGE THREE OF THE REPORT, WHICH PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- "DATE OF REPORT: 12 OCT 1991
- RECIPIENT: LAM." ((A MEMBER OF THE CENTRAL ARMY MUSEUM STAFF.))

5. FOR AFMPC/DPMCB: FORWARDED FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION. COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE FORWARDED UPON COMPLETION OF DUPLICATION.

6. EVAL - BJH/CSS//

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