



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
HEADQUARTERS AIR FORCE MILITARY PERSONNEL CENTER  
RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE TX 78150-6001

Ms Colleen Shine

17 JUN 1991

Dear Ms Shine

The attached information which we recently received from the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) is forwarded per our telephone conversation on 14 June 1991. This material has been correlated to your father, Lieutenant Colonel Anthony C. Shine, based on identification media data.

We are forwarding these documents in keeping with our policy of providing everything we receive which may relate to your father.

If you have any questions concerning the information or if we can be of assistance in this regard, please call us on our toll free telephone line (800-531-5501).

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William R. Frampton".

WILLIAM R. FRAMPTON  
Senior Liaison Officer  
Missing Persons & Inquiries Division

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1. DIA Ltr, U-0415/  
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20340



U-0415/POW-MIA

21 MAY 1991

TO: Headquarters  
Air Force Military Personnel Center  
DPMCB, ATTN: Mr. George Atkinson  
Randolph AFB, TX 78150-6001

SUBJECT: Dog Tag Report Mentioning Captain Anthony C. Shine, USAF

1. On 28 December 1990, a DIA analyst received a telephone call from an individual identifying himself as a Thai journalist. The source said he knew someone, whom he would not identify, who claimed to have remains and dog tags of 30 Americans which he wished to sell, buried at a common site in Laos.

2. The Thai furnished the DIA analyst with the name and dog tag information on one of the Americans; when told the data did not relate to a missing American he then offered up two more names, one of which did not correlate to a POW/MIA and the third name being that of "Shine Anthony H" (sic). He also reported additional data found on Captain Shine's dog tag. At that time the journalist was told about the dog tag reporting scam and advised that the U.S. Government views the accounting as a humanitarian effort and therefore does not offer rewards or favors in return for information. The source was also given names and contact points in Bangkok where he could report any future information that might come to his attention.

3. Approximately 10 days later the same journalist contacted a private U.S. citizen, providing much the same story, however, in this instance he offered only two "dog tag" names, one of an American not missing (a name he had not previously provided to DIA), and again that of Capt Shine.

4. Later the same day the source telephoned another DIA analyst, asking for a list of missing Americans and other data, as well as who he could contact to get a reward for POW/MIA information he claimed to possess. In this instance he refused to furnish us with any names or other information.

5. This is another typical "dog tag" type report. Inasmuch as the source will not reveal his source, follow-up investigation is limited. Nevertheless, we will keep you apprised of any information we may receive which relates to Capt Shine.

CHARLES F. TROWBRIDGE, JR.  
Deputy Chief  
Special Office for Prisoners  
of War and Missing in Action

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