



PRISONERS, DUE TO THE TIME LAPSE AND CHANGES IN THE TERRAIN. SOURCE SUGGESTED THAT U.S. OFFICIALS ATTEMPT TO LOCATE A "MR QUYET" (QUYFETS), WHO WAS ASSIGNED AS A CADRE IN THE KRONG ANA AREA AT THE TIME OF THE INCIDENT. MR QUYET IS BELIEVED TO BE CURRENTLY RESIDING IN BAN ME THUAT CITY. SOURCE RECALLED THAT A CADRE CALLED "CU" (CUWS) WAS ASSIGNED TO DAK PRI AT THE TIME OF THE INCIDENT. MR CU NOW RESIDES IN BAN ME THUAT CITY. SOURCE OPINED THAT MR CU SHOULD HAVE SOME KNOWLEDGE OF ANY FOREIGN PERSONNEL CAPTURED AND LATER MOVED TO THE DAK PRI BASE AREA.

5. SOURCE CLAIMED TO HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF OTHER CAPTURE INCIDENTS. SOURCE ALSO CLAIMED NO KNOWLEDGE OF CRASH SITES OR GRAVE SITES. SOURCE CLAIMED NO KNOWLEDGE OF AMERICANS REMAINING IN VIETNAM AFTER THE WAR. CONCERNING POSSIBLE STAY-BEHINDS, SOURCE SUGGESTED THAT U.S. OFFICIALS CONTACT MR QUYET (NOTE: MENTIONED ABOVE), AND A "MR CAN" (CAANF) (SEE COMMENT 7C BELOW) IN BAN ME THUAT. SOURCE SAID ANY STAY-BEHINDS WOULD BE CONSIDERED A SECURITY MATTER, AND BOTH MR QUYET AND MR CAN WORKED FOR THE MILITARY PROSELYTING COMMITTEE OF DAC LAC PROVINCE DURING THE WAR.

6. CONCERNING POTENTIAL WITNESSES FOR CASES IN OTHER AREAS, SOURCE SUGGESTED THAT MG TAN (8) HIEN (HIEENF), THE FORMER COMMANDER OF MILITARY REGION SIX BE CONTACTED CONCERNING CAPTURE INCIDENTS IN THAT AREA. SOURCE SAID MG TAN HIEN BECAME THE PROVINCE PARTY SECRETARY OF THUAN HAI PROVINCE WHEN THE WAR ENDED. MG TAM HIEN IS CURRENTLY RESIDING IN PHAN THIET CITY. FOR MILITARY REGION SEVEN CASES, SOURCE SUGGESTED THAT LTG NAM (5) NGA, THE FORMER COMMANDER OF MILITARY REGION SEVEN, BE CONTACTED. SOURCE SUGGESTED MR NGUYEN TRONG XUYEN, THE CURRENT DEPUTY COMMANDER OF PAVN REAR SERVICES ALSO BE CONTACTED CONCERNING WARTIME INCIDENTS. WHEN ASKED CONCERNING CASE 1018 (OLSEN), SOURCE SAID HE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF THE INCIDENT, BUT DOES RECALL THAT COMMO-LIAISON STATION T-8, IN CAMBODIA AND ADJACENT TO THE BORDER OF FORMER QUANG DUC PROVINCE, HAS SUBORDINATE TO MR-6. CONCERNING ANY U.S. PERSONNEL HELD AT COMMO-LIAISON STATION T-8, SOURCE SUGGESTED U.S. OFFICIALS CONTACT MR TU (4) NGUYEN, THE FORMER PROVINCE PARTY SECRETARY OF SONG BE PROVINCE AND CONCURRENTLY A MEMBER OF THE MR-6 PARTY COMMITTEE. MR TU NGUYEN CURRENTLY WORKS AS THE DIRECTOR OF THE SONG BE RUBBER ENTERPRISE.

#### 7. COMMENTS:

A. SOURCE WAS COOPERATIVE, AND CONSIDERING HIS AGE, APPEARED TO HAVE AVERAGE RECALL. SOURCE INDICATED HE DESIRES BETTER RELATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S. AND VIETNAM, AND HE INTENDS TO MAKE A PERSONAL EFFORT IN CONVINCING THE AUTHORITIES IN DAC LAC TO LOCATE THE REMAINS OF THE THREE POWS KILLED AFTER BEING CAPTURED AT THE BUON EA ANA LEPROSARIUM.

B. THE INFORMATION PROVIDED BY SOURCE CORRELATES TO CASE 0011 (VIETTI, GERBER, MITCHELL), WHICH IS A DISCREPANCY

CASE PREVIOUSLY INVESTIGATED IN DAC LAC. THE ACCOUNT OF THE INCIDENT AT THE BUON EA ANA LEPROSARIUM PROVIDED BY THIS SOURCE BEARS CERTAIN SIMILARITIES WITH THE ACCOUNTS RELATED DURING THE PREVIOUS FIELD INVESTIGATIONS BY MR BUON GIA QUI AND OTHERS. THE NOTICEABLE DIFFERENCE IS THAT ACCORDING TO THIS SOURCE, THE THREE AMERICAN POWS WERE TAKEN ACROSS THE KRONG K'NO RIVER, RATHER THAN BEING KILLED BY THE RAIDING PARTY 500 TO 500 METERS FROM THE COMPOUND. SA CONTINUES TO HAVE DOUBTS CONCERNING BOTH VERSIONS, BUT THE ACCOUNT PROVIDED BY THIS SOURCE MORE CLOSELY CORRESPONDS TO SA'S OPINION THAT THE THREE WERE CAPTURED FOR USE IN TREATING WOUNDED COMMUNIST TROOPS IN THE WARTIME DAK PRI BASE AREA HOSPITAL. FORMER DEPUTY VNOSMP DIRECTOR, MR NGO HOANG, HAS ALREADY ESTABLISHED A POSITION FOR UNILATERAL VNOSMP RECOVERY OF THE REMAINS, THUS PREVENTING U.S. INVESTIGATORS FROM DETERMINING THE ACTUAL BURIAL SITE, BY INDICATING THAT THE GIVES HAVE BEEN ROBBED BY LOCALS, ASSISTED BY PERSONS UNKNOWN.

C. BASED ON INFORMATION OBTAINED DURING ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEWS WITH OTHER SOURCES IN QUANG NAM-DANANG, SA HAS ESTABLISHED THAT THE FORMER ENEMY PROSELYTING CADRE, AND CURRENT PROVINCE PARTY SECRETARY OF DAC LAC, MR CAN, IS

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ACTUALLY MR TRINH XUAN CHI. MR CHI MAY HAVE USED AN ADDITIONAL ALIAS OF "PHAM CHINH" WHILE WORKING IN THE MR-5 MILITARY PROSELYTING SECTION DURING THE WAR.

D. CONCERNING DETENTION SITES IN MR-6, SOURCE SAID HE HAD HEARD OF BI DOUP CAVE, BUT HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY AMERICANS WHO WERE DETAINED THERE.

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