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TRACKING DOGS (S)

A. COMUSMACV JRATA 1 3780 /21 0330 Z

1. COMUSMACV, IN REF A, REQUESTS CINCPAC TAKE ACTION TO OBTAIN **SIX TRACKING DOG TEAMS** AND HANDLERS FOR EVALUATION IN RVN. PURPOSE OF EVALUATION IS TO DETERMINE CAPABILITY TO LOCATE FLEEING VIET CONG BOTH IN DAYLIGHT AND DURING HOURS OF DARKNESS. COMUSMACV RECOMMENDS TRAINED BLOODHOUNDS BE USED FOR EVALUATION, AND SUGGESTS DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE MAY BE A SOURCE.

2. PROPOSAL HAS MERIT. CINCPAC REKOMMENDS FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING REQUESTED TEAMS BE EXPLORED.

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INFO...CJCS-1 DJS-3 SJCS-3 J1-1 J4-3 J5-2 SACS-5 SAMAA-1 S/DEF-7

ASD/ISA-9 DDRE-3 DIA-15 CSA-1 CNO-2 CSAF-1 CMC-5 RF/FILE-1 (71)RB/H

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