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COUNTRY: VIETNAM

SUBJ: POW/MIA: ALLEGATION OF AN INTERROGATION CENTER STILL
HOLDING U.S. PRISONERS OF WAR IN AN UNKNOWN LOCATION
IN SOUTHWEST HA NAM NINH PROVINCE IN EARLY 1986
DOI: EARLY 1986

SOURCE:

TEXT: 1. AS OF EARLY 1986, ALLEGED U.S. PRISONERS OF WAR WERE STILL
BEING HELD AT AN UNKNOWN INTERROGATION CENTER IN AN AREA IN THE
SOUTHWEST QUADRANT, FROM NINH BINH CITY (XH 0340), OF HA NAM NINH
PROVINCE. WHEN POLITBURO MEMBER DONG SY ((NGUYEN)) SOMETIMES
INSPECTS THE CENTER, HE IS DRIVEN THERE IN A CAR BY HIS PERSONAL
DRIVER, (FNU) ((HANH)), BORN ABOUT 1954 IN THANH HOA OR NGHE TINH
PROVINCE (THE FOURTH MILITARY REGION), WHO IS ABOUT 1.65 METERS TALL
AND HAS A DARK COMPLEXION. HANH HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO
SECURITY UNIT AND WORKED IN THE OFFICES OF THE MINISTRY OF
COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSPORTATION (MCT) AT 80 TRAN HUNG DAO STREET,
HANOI.

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