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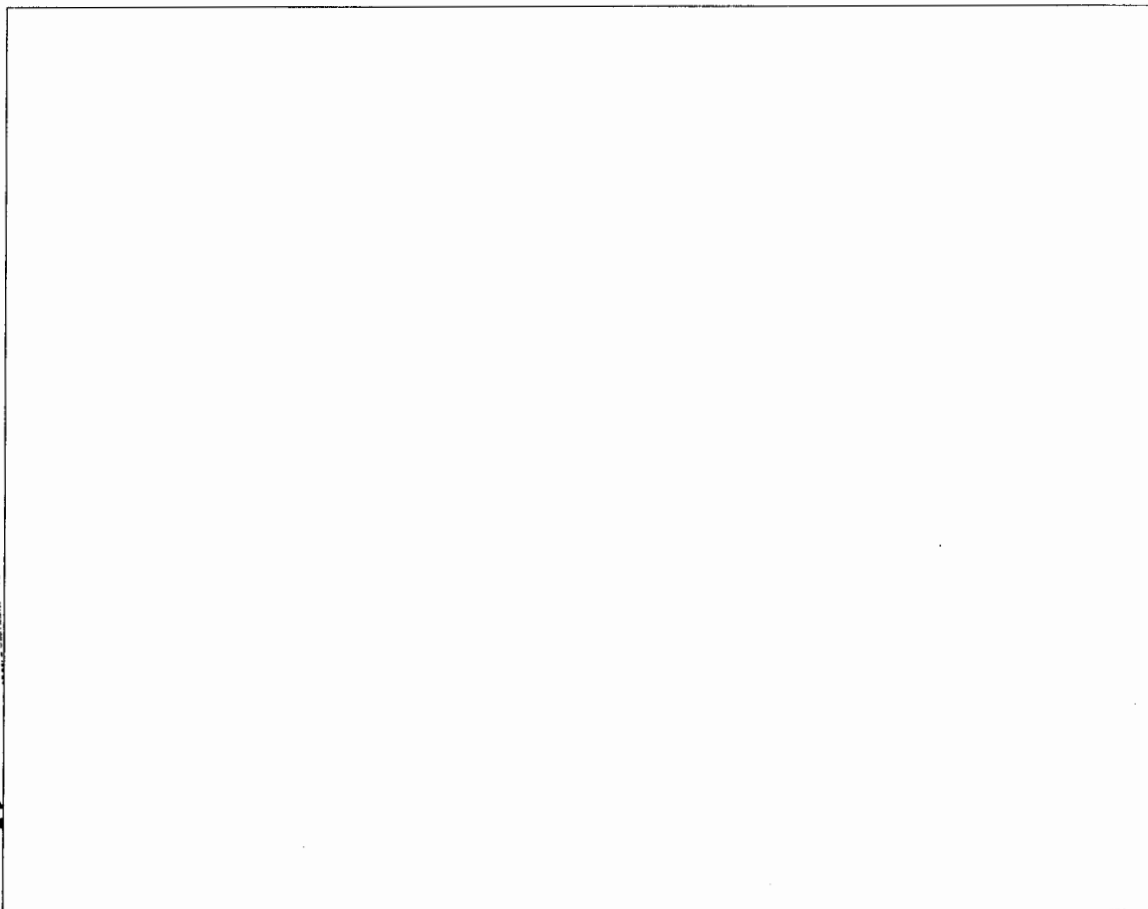
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16 October 1992

When the Vietnam War came to an end, the Agency had virtually no [] in Laos. The oppressive exercise of authority by the Communist regime made it very difficult to obtain information of any sort from inside Laos, and I personally have no recollection of reports of sightings of US POWs in that country []

[] But this did not mean that I had ruled out the possibility that US POWs were being held by the Lao,



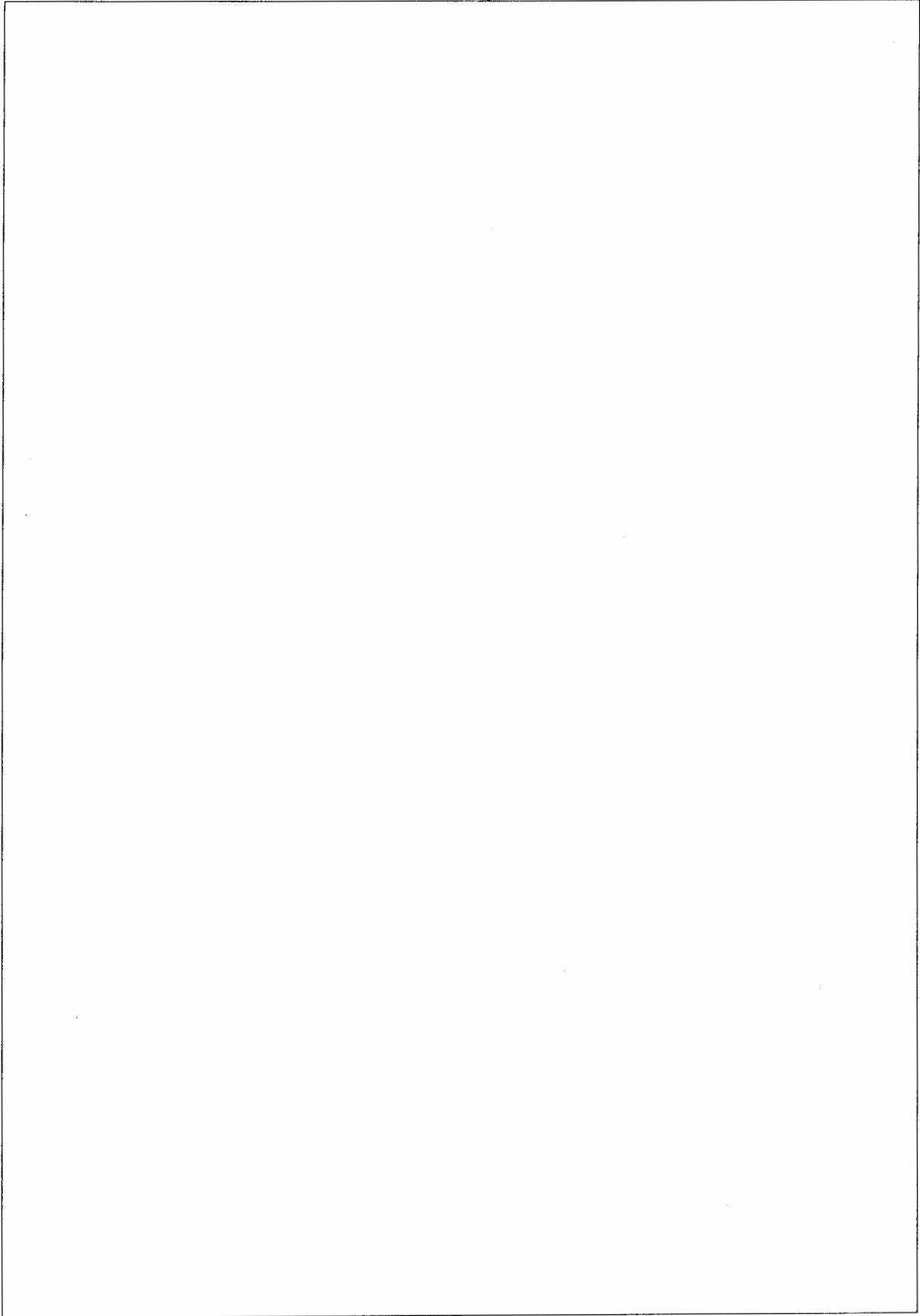
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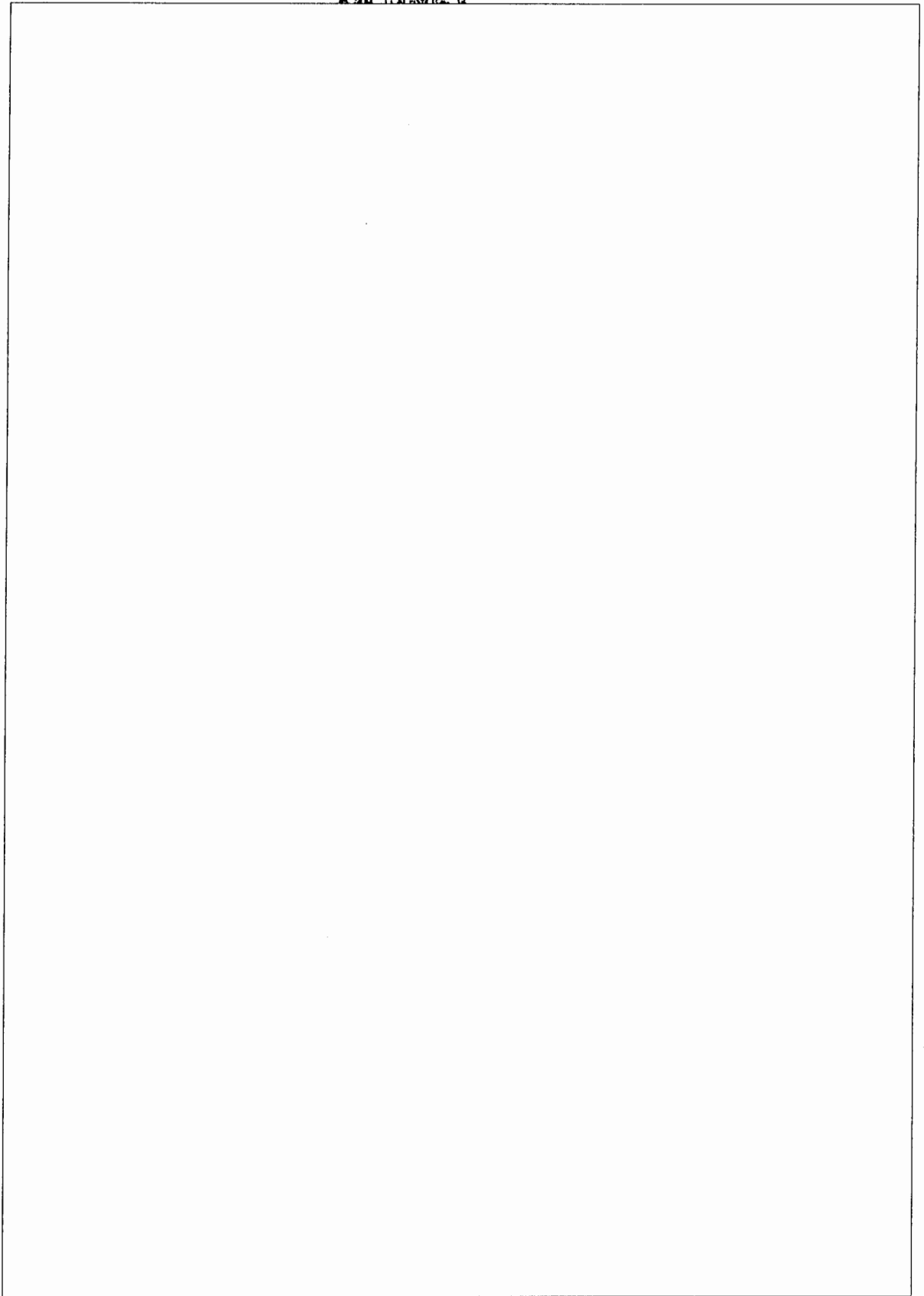
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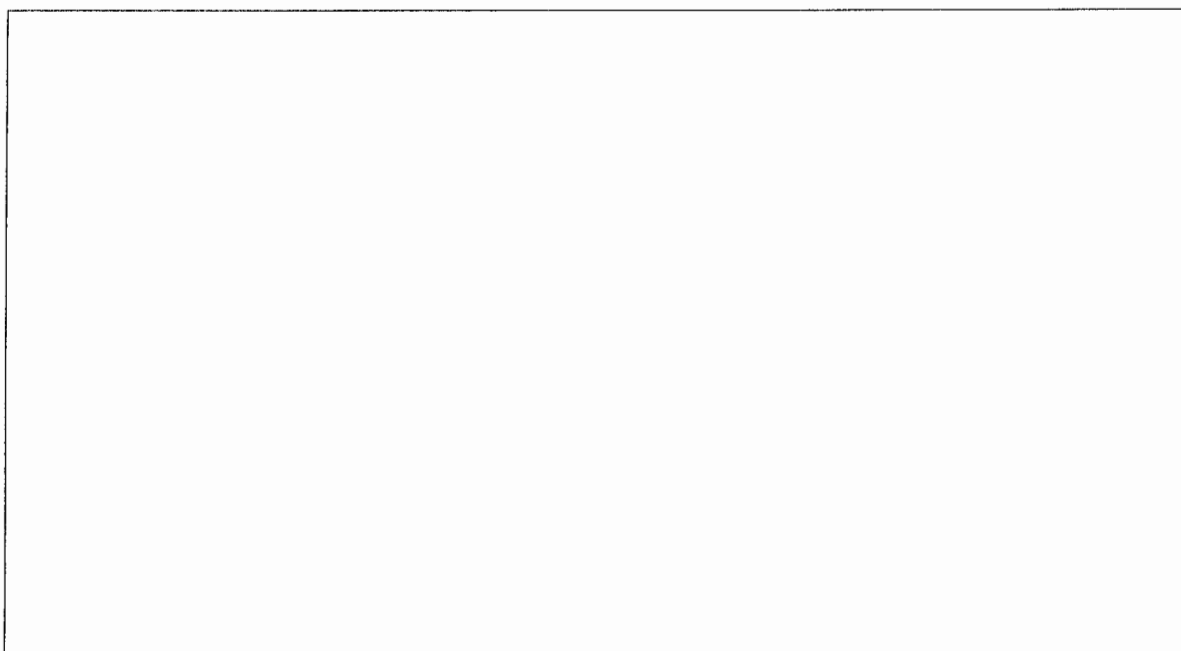


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