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REPORT CLASS **SECRET**

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COUNTRY: VIETNAM

SUBJ: POM/MIA: BURIAL OF THE REMAINS OF AN ALLEGED U.S.
AIRMAN BOMBED AT HUNG HOA VILLAGE, HUNG NGUYEN
DISTRICT, NGHE TINH PROVINCE, IN MID-FEBRUARY 1967

DOI: MID-FEBRUARY 1967

SOURCE:

TEXT: 1. ABOUT 2100 HOURS IN MID-FEBRUARY 1967, ONE ALLEGED U.S. AIRCRAFT, BELIEVED TO BE AN A-6A, CRASHED AND EXPLODED AT HUNG HOA VILLAGE (WF 770640) HUNG NGUYEN DISTRICT, NGHE TINH PROVINCE, ABOUT 1.5 KILOMETERS NORTHEAST OF THE VINH OIL DEPOT. THE MILITIA PUT THE AIRMAN'S REMAINS INTO A PLASTIC BAG. THE TOTAL WEIGHT OF THE REMAINS, INCLUDING SOME BONES, WAS THREE KILOGRAMS. THE BAG WAS BURIED IN THE NORTHERN CORNER OF THE JUNCTION OF THE ROAD TO THE VILLAGE FROM THE DIKE WITH THE ROAD TO THE LOCAL HAT WEAVING FACTORY. ONE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BURIAL TEAM WAS THE DAUGHTER OF (FNU) ((CHAU)). TELEGRAPHIC SPELLING CHAUS. THE DAUGHTER WAS BORN ABOUT 1948. CHAU IS A WIDOW BORN ABOUT 1920. THEY RESIDED IN HUNG HOA

2. COMMENT

SAID THERE WAS NO MARKER ON THE GRAVE BECAUSE THERE WAS NO IDENTIFICATION DATA AND NO FILE WAS KEPT. THE AIRCRAFT WAS BOMBED BY THE 214TH REGIMENT THAT HAD RECENTLY BEEN MOVED TO VINH CITY FROM QUANG BINH, BINH TRI PROVINCE. THE AIRCRAFT BOMBED THE BEN TUY FERRY (WF 7661) WITH ANOTHER AIRCRAFT.)

3. COMMENT:

ACQ: (LATE AUGUST 1987).

DISSEM: NONE.

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