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COUNTRY: VIETNAM

SUBJ: POW/MIA: BURIAL OF THE REMAINS OF TWO ALLEGED U.S.
AIRMEN IN A COMMON GRAVE SOUTHEAST OF HUNG DUNG
VILLAGE, HUNG NGUYEN DISTRICT, NGHE TINH PROVINCE, IN
JUNE 1968

DOI: ABOUT 10 JUNE 1968

SOURCE:

TEXT: 1. BETWEEN 0930 AND 1200 HOURS ABOUT 10 JUNE 1968, ONE A-4
AND ONE F-4H CRASHED AND EXPLODED AT THE VILLAGES OF HUNG THUY (VF
7463) AND HUNG DUNG (7464), RESPECTIVELY, HUNG NGUYEN DISTRICT, NGHE
TINH PROVINCE. WHAT WAS BELIEVED TO BE HUMAN REMAINS WERE PICKED UP
AT BOTH CRASH SITES, PUT IN ONE PLASTIC BAG AND BURIED IN A COMMON
GRAVE AT THE EASTERN END OF A MOUND OF SAND ABOUT 100 METERS WEST OF
THE LOCAL LIAISON STATION (TRAM GIAO LIEN), SOUTHEAST OF HUNG DUNG
VILLAGE. ONE BROWN STONE, ABOUT ONE BY TWO FEET, WAS PUT ON THE
GRAVE AS A MARKER.

2. THE NIGHT BEFORE LEAFLETS WERE REPORTEDLY DROPPED TO WARN
THE LOCAL POPULATION OF THE NEXT MORNING'S INTENSIVE BOMBING OF TROOP
ENHANCEMENTS AND LOGISTIC INSTALLATIONS FROM DONG LOC (VF 8042) TO
VINH CITY. MANY GROUPS OF U.S AIRCRAFT PARTICIPATED.

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