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9 Deposition of BOBBY RAY INMAN, the witness  
10 herein, called for examination by counsel for the Senate  
11 Select Committee on POW/MIA Affairs, convened, pursuant to  
12 notice, at 9:47 a.m., in S-407, The Capitol, the witness  
13 having been duly sworn by MICHAL ANN SCHAFER, CVR, a Notary  
14 Public in and for the District of Columbia, and the  
15 proceedings being taken down by Stenomask by MICHAL ANN  
16 SCHAFER, CVR, and transcribed by her.

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1 organization.

2 But this is 3 December 1979. Here's what the  
3 original is. This would be the Exhibit, but we'll work out  
4 of this notebook. This is what it actually looks like out  
5 of the files of NSA. Would you just kind of take a moment  
6 to look at that?

7 Here's an orientation map of where that activity  
8 is going on, far northeastern Laos.

9 A. And Sam Neua and Viang Sai. Yes.

10 [Pause.]

11 Q. Would something like that have been brought to  
12 your attention?

13 A. The answer is probably not. Only if it was  
14 assigned a high degree of validity. What would normally  
15 happen with something like this is that it would flow to  
16 the imagery, to the people who were doing liaison with NPIC  
17 and DIA, though sometimes competition may have gotten in  
18 the way of that.

19 In this case, it would appear this flowed from  
20 CIA, not from NSA.

21 Q. It came from CIA to NSA to request --

22 A. Then, if it came in the process what would  
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