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\* VCK/R19-72, FOLLOW-UP NR 1 TO DIRNSA SPOT REPORT 2/00/V CJ/R140-72,  
032132Z APR 72. AVN, AVS, ATH/AVIA-A, DAMC, DOCT-G, OPER/I, B, Z,

KUS/AVIA-A/, NVN DISCUSS TACTICAL OPERATIONS IN SEA

TEXT XXCC A CONVERSATION NOTED ON HIGH-ECHELON MULTICHANNEL AIR  
DEFINSE FACILITIES BETWEEN SEVERAL SPEAKERS FROM 0309Z TO  
0338Z 03APR72, REVEALS SEVERAL INTERESTING ASPECTS CONCERNING  
NVN OPERATIONS IN THE CURRENT TACTICAL SITUATION IN SOUTHEAST  
ASIA. 1. TWO SPEAKERS COMMENCE THE CONVERSATION AT 0310Z  
IN A DISCUSSION REGARDING A SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE FIRING  
AT A B-52, WITH THE FIRST SPEAKER STATING =ONE OF 'OURS'  
STRUCK IT, BUT IT DID NOT FALL.= THEN A FEW MINUTES LATER  
HE STATED =WE ARE WIPING OUT THEIR AIRCRAFT. FIRST, WE KILLED  
A B-52 AND SEVEN OTHER AIRCRAFT. ((1)) WE HAVE CAPTURED  
THE PILOT(S) AT THE TIME IT (THEY ) FELL. TWO (AMMUNITION)  
STORAGES HAVE BEEN BLOWN UP ALREADY, AND THAT IS THE SITUATION  
.... OUR ARTILLARY HAS HIT CON THIEN (16-55N 107-01E) WITH  
MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND ROUNDS SINCE IT BEGAN.= THE CONVER-  
SATION THEN CONTINUES WITH OTHER MINOR POINTS DISCUSSED  
AND THE SECOND SPEAKER (APPARENTLY THE CONTROLLER) ADVISING  
THE FIRST =IF YOU GET ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTINUE  
TO REPORT .... WE ARE ALL VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT ALL THES.  
THE CONDITION IS VERY GOOD.= 2. THE FIRST CONVERSATION IS  
TERMINATED AT 0315Z, AND ANOTHER PATCH MADE. TWO ADDITIONAL  
UNIDENTIFIED SPEAKERS WERE NOTED WITH THE FIRST RELAYING  
A =PEP TALK= TYPE MESSAGE, APPARENTLY INTENDED TO BOOST  
THE MORALE OF COMBAT TROOPS% =RESPECTS TO THE COMMITTEE  
AND COMMANDER AT HEADQUARTERS. OUR PARTY OF CADREMEN AND  
FIGHTERS HAVE RELAYED (THIS MESSAGE) BY RADIO TO THE BATTLEFIELDS  
WHERE WE ARE FIGHTING ENTHUSIASTICALLY.... (DAIF TIEENG  
NOI VIEETS NAM) RADIO STATION(S) HAVE CARRIED VIETNAMESE  
VOICES, SOUNDS OF BOMBS AND SHELLS, AND OF ARMED (CONFLICT  
BUT) STILL HAVE NOT EXTINGUISHED OUR SPIRIT, AND OUR POLICY  
STILL STANDS....= ((BELIEVE THE SPEAKER POSSIBLY REFERRING  
TO RADIO PROPAGANDA DIRECTED AT THE NVN FORCES.)) 3. AT  
0334Z IN ANOTHER RELAY, TWO MORE SPEAKERS ( THE FIRST BEING  
LOCATED AT THE VINH ADCC) DISCUSS CERTAIN ASPECTS OF INFORMATION  
CONCERNING THE U. S. BASE AT ((U TA PAO)). =(U TA PAO) HAS  
100 B-52S, HUH? // FIRST SPEAKER. BASICALLY, ( THEY ONLY  
HAVE FIFTY AIRCRAFT). // SECOND SPEAKER. FIFTY AIRCRAFT  
? // FIRST SPEAKER. UH HUH, (THAT IS ACURATE). // SECOND  
SPEAKER. WHOSE (INTELIGINCE/INFORMATION IS THAT )? // FIRST  
SPEAKER. THAT IS FROM MR. TIEENS AND MR. KHANHS THERE. //  
SECOND SPEAKER. AH... MR. KHANHS... YES.... MR. KHANHS IS  
KEEPING TRACK (FOLLOWING THEM) THERE.= // FIRST SPEAKER.  
COMMENTS% ALTHOUGH THE NVN CLAIMS TO HAVE DOWNED A B-52,  
A COLLATERAL SOURCE DOES NOT SUPPORT THE LOSS OF ANY B-52S.  
((1)) THIS PART OF THE CONVERSATION IS DIFFICULT TO UNDER-

STAND - FIRST, THE SPEAKER SAYS THE B-52 =DID NOT FALL=,  
BUT JUST A FEW SECONDS LATER REFERS TO =KILLING IT= XXHH  
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