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TO HOTEL THREE/FOXTROT PLUS SSO REDSTONE

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C R E T SAVIN 2/H3/VCK/R291-65 SPOT REPORT POSSIBLE SAM SHOOTDOWN OF U.S. ACFT
OVER DRV 23 DEC 65. IMINARY ANALYSIS F [REDACTED] MULTICHANNEL [REDACTED] RADIO RELAY.
COMMUNICATIONS INTERCEPTED BY THE BIG LOOK EC-121 DEC 65 INDICATES THAT A SAM
INSTALLATION LOCATED IN THE VICINITY OF HAI DUONG FIRED TWO MISSILES AND
REPORTED D ONE ACFT AT APPROXIMATELY 0756Z. THE INSTALLATION REPORTED THAT THE
GUIDANCE FOR BOTH MISSILES WAS GOOD AND THE EXPLODING RANGE WAS 15 KILOMETERS
(8.1NM). THE INSTALLATION INDICATED THAT AAA HAD ALSO BEEN ACTIVE SHOOTING STILE
TARGETS, HOWEVER THERE WERE NO INDICATIONS THAT ANY ACFT WASHIT BE AAA. ALL
CONVERSATIONS NOTED WERE CONDUN VIETNAMESE. 185 NNNN

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