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UNIDENTIFIED ASSOCIATE NVA 316TH DIVISION OPERATING IN NORTHERN LAOS REPORTS ON

DOWNING OF AIRCRAFT, 28 NOVEMBER 1971

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FM ((N/LAOS, U/I ASSOC NVA 316TH DIV, (NO RD))) TO ((N/LAOS, U/I ASSOC NVA 316TH DIV, (NO RD))) LAM GIA ((1)), LAM SON ((2)) NR, 800 CK, 900 PREC, --  
 DTO, 1000 ((GOLF)) ((0300Z)) 0101 ((ONE PART OF A MULTI/PART MESSAGE)) REPORTING  
 TACTICAL ACTIVITY FOR 2 ((1GRG)) NOVEMBER, AT 1600 ((GOLF)) ((0900Z)) TWO F-4'S  
 ((1GRU)) DESCENDED AT BAN BI ((UG 136 574, 19-30N 103-12E)) STRAIGHT INTO THE  
 POSITION OF THE 3RD PLATOON OF COMPANY 1 ((2)). ((THE POSITION)) OPENED FIRE AT  
 THE TWO AIRCRAFT THEY FIRED AT ((THE AIRCRAFT)) AT ALTITUDE 1000 METERS,  
 VELOCITY 800 KILOMETERS PER HOUR, BEARING 300, AND SLANT RANGE 1800. FOUR-TEEN  
 POUNDS WERE EXPENDED. T/T NHO ((3)) 2/4 ((4)) AND 3/4 ((4)). THE RESULT WAS  
 THAT AN AIRCRAFT WAS HIT, BURST INTO FLAMES, AND FLEW UNSTEADILY BACK TOWARD  
 THE WEST. ((1)) U/I COVER DESIGNATOR ((2)) PROB COL, 14 TH AAA BN, VVA 316TH DIV  
 ((3)) AS IN TEXT EXPANSION UNKNOWN ((4)) REFERENCE TO NVA AIR DEFENSE GRID  
 SYSTEM TI, 280241Z MS, (USM-800 10/3 XXHH XX

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