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ENPO1FF117Ø22 2/F1/VCM/1Ø734-72 [redacted] SONGBIRD TACREP PASEP ADDEE TACREP NR, Ø469-72 USM-8Ø8/ECHO (DIO, 171748ZFEB2) UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENT, QUANG BINH PROVINCIAL UNIT, ISSUES AIR ACTIVITY REPORT
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FM, ((MR 4 NVN)),((U/I EE, QBPU-NO RD)) DUNO ((1)) ((DZUNG)) TO, ((MR 4 NVN)),((U/I ELE, QBPU-D2365)) PREC,--- NR,--- AT Ø335G ONE F-4 ((AIRCRAFT)) SOUTH OF THE CROSSROADS AT THACH BAN ((2)) ON HIGHWAY 1 ((CAME FROM THE DIRECTION OF)) LAOS AT AN ALTITUDE OF 5ØØØ ((METERS)) AT Ø9ØØG OFF THE COAST OC CAM LY ((3)) ((AIRCRAFT CAME FROM THE DIRECTION OF)) LAOS AT AN ALTITUDE OF 45ØØ ((METERS)). TWO OF OUR ROCKETS FIRED ((FROM)) KILOMETERS 4 ((4)) ON HIGHWAY 1. AT 1325G TWO F-4'S OFF THE COAST OF CAM LY CAME ONTO HIGHWAY 13 ((4)), ((4WGM)) TWO SALVOS OF BOMBS AT BONG MAT ((4)). AT 14ØØG TWO F-4'S ((XGRM/G)) TWO SALVOS OF BOMBS ((XGRM/G)) -43 T3,743. ONE OF OUR ROCKETS RETURNED FIRE. THE ROCKET EXPLODED TO THE NORTHWEST. ((XGRM)) AT THE SAME TIME ((XGRM/G)) JETS WERE ACTIVE ((2GRG)) W GOOD DEAL OF ARTILLERY. WE ((2GRG)). AT 134G TWO F-4'S DROPPED TWO SALVOS OF BOMBS. AT KHE CHUAN ((4)) UP TO ((1)+4+)). AT THE SAME TIME ONE OF OUR ROCKETS SHOT DOWN AN F-4 ((XGRM/G)). ((1)) U/I PERS ((2)) XE 87Ø Ø7Ø //OR// XE 878 ØØ5 ((")) UNLOCATED MS, USM 8Ø8U TI, 171Ø24Z FEB2 XXHH 3ØØ ØØ267 NNNNZ

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