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ENP#1F0072235 2/00/VCK/R879-72 SONGBIRD SPOT REPORT AND FINAL AVN/OPER-V/I,Z.

UNIDENTIFIED AIR DEFENSE UNIT REPORTS AIRCRAFT SHOOTDOWN AND SEARCH FOR PILOT

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AT 1000Z ON 20 AUGUST, AN UNIDENTIFIED NVN AIR DEFENSE UNIT (POSSIBLY IN QUANG BINH PROVINCE) REPORTED AN AIRCRAFT SHOT DOWN AND ATTEMPTS TO CAPTURE THE PILOT. THE REPORT STATED THAT A SEARCH PARTY COMPOSED OF THREE COMPANIES IS TO ENCIRCLE AND CAPTURE THE PILOT. ONE MOBILE COMPANY FROM QUYNH TAN (UNLOCATED) ALONG WITH THE OTHER TWO COMPANIES ARE TO PURSUE AND SEARCH FOR THE PILOT. AT 2100Z ON 20 AUGUST COMPANIES WERE TO COMMENCE SEARCHING FOR THE PILOT IN THE MOUNTAINS. XXHH 13# #3#6# NNNH

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