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ON 2 OCTOBER, THE NORTH VIETNAMESE REPORTED THE SHOOTDOWN OF ENEMY AIRCRAFT ON 21 SEPTEMBER AND 26 SEPTEMBER. AT 1500Z ON 21 SEPTEMBER, THE 120TH AAA BATTALION OF THE 284TH AAA REGIMENT REPORTEDLY SHOT DOWN ONE F-4 ON THE SPOT AND CAPTURED THE PILOT ALIVE AND #AT 1556Z ON 26 SEPTEMBER, THE 61ST SAM BATTALION OF THE 236TH SAM REGIMENT REPORTEDLY SHOT DOWN ONE B-52.# COMMENTS, THE 120TH AAA BATTALION IS OPERATING IN THE AREAS OF DONG LON (16-47N 107-05E) AND TAN VINH (16-46N 107-06E). THE 61ST SAM BATTALION IS ACTIVE IN THE DONG HOI AREA. XXMH 350 #3098 NNN

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