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[redacted] 1/1 AVN/ALA/OPER-C-G/B,I,Z (TACREP $SONGBIRD$ PASEP USM-7/INDIA DTG, Ø3Ø4ØØZDE1) UNIDENTIFIED ASSOCIATE, NVA 316TH DIVISION OPERATING IN NORTHERN LAOS REPORTS HITTING AN F4, Ø3 DECEMBER 1971
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(b)(3)-18 USC 798
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FM, ((N/LAOS, U/I ASSOC, NVA 316TH DIV, NO RD2)SDINH ((DZINH)) ((1)) TO, ((/LAOS, U/I ASSOC, NVA 316TH DIV, KB RD)) NR, ((M2) CK, ((M)) PREC, --- DTO, ((Ø3DE1)) ((M)) ((XGRG/M)) FIRED AT ONE F4 STRIKING BAN NHAM ((QROB BAN THAM, UG 1845, 19-2 N 1Ø3-16E)). ((WHEN)) THE EMPLACEMENT FIRED, ((THE PLANE)) WAS GOING AT, P ((BEARING))-Ø; H ((ALTITUDE2)-11Ø; DB ((SLANT RANGE2)-22ØØ; TT NHOR ((22)S2/6/S ((ZHEY)) EXQEFDEDS6$D ROUFDS/S RESUWZS-THE SECOND ((1GRU)) HIT ((THE PLANE, WHICH)) BURST INTO FLAMES ((AND)) UNSTEADILY FLEW BACK IN THE DIRECTION OF BAN TON ((U Ø643?19-22N 1Ø3-Ø9E)). IT IS THE AFFIRMATIVE BELIEF OF THIS ((1GRU)) OF BATTALION ((3)) THAT ((THE PLANE)) CRASHED. THERE WERE ALSO THE RECONNAISSANCE ((C-VAL COMRADES) ((AND)) THE INFANTRY OF BATTALION 2 ((4)) WHO ALSO SAW. THE NAMES OF THE PERSONNEL WHO SAW ((THE HIT)) AREJ SON ((SOWN)) ((5)), ((C-VAL MANH) ((MANHJ)) ((5)), ((AND)) HIECMKHIEEPJ)) ((5)), WHO ALL SAW ((AND BELONG)) TO THIS ((1GRU)) OF BATTALION. ((THE PLANE)) BURNED ((XGRG/M)) ((TRAILING)) YELLOW SMOKE. 2/ NHU ((NHU)) ((6))) IS (C-VAL LOOKING FOR) ((THE PLANE AND)) CANNOT GO TO THE MEETING. ((12) U/I PERS A/W CO 1, 14TH AAA BN, NVA 316TH DIV ((22) EXPANDS TO THAAN THU NHOR, POSSIBLY MEANING SUBSECTOR, I.E. SUBSECTOR 2/6 ((3)) PROB REF TO 14TH AAA BN, NVA 316TH DIV ((4)) SUBORD TO DURTH REGT, NVA 316TH DIV ((5)) U/I PERS ((6)) A $CMDR$ A/W 148TH REGT, NVA 316TH DIV TI, Ø3ØØ43ZDE1 MS, USM-7 (496/3) XXHH 52Ø #168 NNNN

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