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REPORT 2/H3/VCK/R291-65 DET 23111565.POSSIBLE SAM SHOOTDOWN OF U.S. AIRCRAFT
OVER DRV 23 DEC 65. PARTIAL TRANSCRIPTION OF[     ]MULTICHANNEL[     ]DIO RELAY
COMMUNICATIONS INTERCEPTED BY ACRP (BIG LOOK) ON 23 DEC 65 BETWEEN 0718Z AND
0736Z SUBSTAN- TIATES R INDICATIONS OF THE LAUNCH TF TWO SUR- FACE-TO-AIR
MILLSES AGAIST STRIKE AIRCRAFT IN THE VICINITY OF HAI DUT APPROXIMATELY 0733Z
ANINSTALLATION LOCATED WITHIN TEN NAUTICAL MILES OFD 2054N 10636E FIRED TWO
MULLES IN ANCESSFULATTEMPT TO DESTROY A FLIGHT OF FOUR U.S. AIRCRAFT. THIS
INSTALLATION, SUTUATEDSWITHIN ONE NAUTICAL MILETE A30-2 AT 205320N 1063700E, IS
NOW ICDENTIFIED AS THE SAMESONE CREDITED WITH SHOOTDOWN OF A U.:. AIRCRAFT
22ND. ((1)) THEINSTALLATION AND AIR DEFENSE FACILITIES INITIALLY DETECTED THE
TARGET SIX NAUTICAL MILESNOT OFSHAI DUONG SIMULTANEUSLY AT 0731Z. AIR DEFENSE
FACILITIES IDENTIFIED THE RAID AS FOUR AIRCRAFT, MAINTAINIVEILLANCE ON THE
TAJGET IN THE HAI DUONG AREA AND THE COASTAL WATERS SOUTH OF HAIPHONG BEFORE
TRACKING CEASE745Z. THE TAR- GET HAD PENETRATED WITHIN 12.5 NAUTICAL MILES OFD
THE INSTALLATION BEFORE MISSLE BLAST NOISME AUDIBLESAT 0733ZSTHROUGH OPEN
MICROPHONE CONDITIONS ON CHANNEL ONE COMMUNICATIONS.O COMMENT: LACK OFFIC
LAUNCH RESULTSSIN AVAIL- ABLE TRANSCRIPTS AND THE CONTINUED REFLECTION OFTHE
TARGET BY AIR DEFKENSE FACILIFTER 0733Z SUGGEST THE FIRING WAS
UNSUCCESSFUL.((1)) USA-32 SOPT REPORT 2/H3/VCA/R93-65 DTG 220903Z DEC PO
SHOOTDOWN OF U.S. AIRCRAFT OVER DRV BY SAM 400 M ZEZZCZC

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