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ENP#1FF125848 2/011/VCI/T3645-7# [REDACTED] 27/64 SONGBIRD TACREP PASSEP ADDEE
HOTEL 3/JULIETT GOLF, USA-32 TACKEP NRS, 884-7# DTG, 238447ZAP#; 885-7# DTG,
238611ZAP#; 888-7# DTG, 238738ZAP#; 818-7# DTG, 238816ZAP#; 811-7# DTG,
238918ZAP#; AND 812-7# DTG, 238947ZAP#. 559TH TRANSPORTATION GROUP ISSUES
COMMUNIQUE ON SHOOTDOWNS

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(b) (3) - P.L. 86

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FM, ((559TH TRANSPORTATION)) GROUP, COMMAND POST TO, BINH TRAM 41 ((1)) PREC,
--- NR, ((M)) THERE WAS A HIGH SPIRIT TO COMMEMORATE LENIN'S 188TH BIRTHDAY.
THE FIGHTING ON THE SYSTEM ((3GRG)) WAS EXCELLENT. DURING TWO DAYS, THE 21ST
AND THE 22ND, 11 AIRCRAFT WERE SHOT DOWN, 9 OF THESE ON THE SPOT SIX OTHER
AIRCRAFT WERE SHOT INTO FLAMES. ON THE 21ST, THE 28TH ((AAA)) BATTALION OF BINH
TRAM 44 ((2)), WITH ALL THE FORCES OF THE BINH TRAM, CONTINUALLY STRUCK AT THE
ENEMY, FIGHTING MANY BATTLES, AND SHOT DOWN SIX AIRCRAFT ON THE SPOT, INCLUDING
ONE OV10, ONE HELICOPTER, TWO AD6'S, AND TWO F4'S. A NUMBER OF THE PILOTS PAID
FOR THEIR CRIMES. ON THE SAME NIGHT THE 6TH AAA BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 35 ((3))
SHOT DOWN A C130 ON THE SPOT. SIX PILOTS WERE KILLED ON THE MORNING OF APRIL
22ND. THE 28TH ((AAA)) BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 44 WAS MERITORIOUS AND
OUTSTANDING IN ONE BATTLE, SHOOTING DOWN ONE AD6. COMPANY 2 OF THE 4TH ((AAA))
BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 41, IN ONE BATTLE, SHOT DOWN TWO HELICOPTERS, ONE WENT
DOWN ON THE SPOT AND THE OTHER WENT DOWN 5 KM FROM THE BATTLEFIELD. THE 36TH
((AAA)) BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 42 ((4)) SHOT DOWN A C47, THREE PILOTS WERE
KILLED. IN TWO DAYS THE 28TH ((AAA)) BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 44, THE 6TH ((AAA))
BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 35, THE 4TH ((AAA)) BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 41, THE 36TH
((AAA)) BATTALION OF BINH TRAM 42, AND THE OTHER FORCES OF GROUP SHOT DOWN 11
AIRCRAFT, INCLUDING ONE OV10, THREE HELICOPTERS, THREE AD6'S, TWO F4'S, ONE
C130; AND ONE C47. GROUP HEADQUARTERS PRAISES THE EXCELLENT FIGHTING OF THE
UNITS. CADRE, AND SOLDIERS WHO STRUGGLED WITH THE ENEMY FOR THE PAST TWO DAYS.
((1)) LOC W/IN 1788 M OF 16-39N 106-14E, XD 324 427 (86 MR 78) ((2)) LOC VIC
15-27N 107-23E, YC 546 898 ((3)) LOC W/IN 8788 M OF 15-49N 106-44E, XC 867 587
(16 AP 78) ((4)) LOC W/IN 1788 M OF 16-14N 106-48E, XC 787 988 (87 AP 78) MS,
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