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EZ1:

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EZ2:
SUBJECT: JCRC RPT M85-098A COLLECTION EMPHASIS
- RESPONSE, CE 86-0007

- REF: A. CIA MSG TDFIR 317/09323-86
- B. JCRC MSG RPT M85-098, DTG 130352Z DEC 85
- C. DIA MSG, DTG 041242Z JUN 86 (CE 86-0007)
- D. CIA MSG TDFIR 317/09230-84
- E. DIA MSG, DTG 301226Z AUG 84
- F. DIA MSG, DTG 211450Z MAY 85

1. REF A REPORTED RESULTS OF INITIAL INTERVIEW OF MR A VIETNAMESE REFUGEE IN PULAU BIDONG REFUGEE CAMP, MALAYSIA. REF B REPORTED INITIAL JCRC INTERVIEW OF THAT TIME, EXISTENCE OF REF A WAS UNKNOWN TO JCRC). REF C FORWARDED A REQUEST FOR JCRC REINTERVIEW OF MR AND PROVIDED EXTENSIVE REQUIREMENTS, INCLUDING A COMPLETE RUN-DOWN OF ALL BORDER DEFENSE POSTS IN MINH HAI PROVINCE. REF D REPORTED ALLEGED DETENTION OF AMERICANS AT THE LIEN MAC FACILITY. REFS E AND F ADVISED OF CONTINUED COLLECTION INTEREST ON LIEN MAC.

2. SOURCE WAS CONTACTED AND RE-INTERVIEWED AT PULAU BIDONG REFUGEE CAMP, MALAYSIA

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APPLY. REFERENCE THE REQUIREMENT FORWARDED IN PARA H,
REF C, CONCERNING SOURCE'S DESCRIPTION AND LOCATIONS
OF WAREHOUSE FACILITIES IN GIA LAM, SOURCE MERELY
LAUGHED, AND REPEATED HE KNEW NOTHING AND HAD HEARD
NOTHING CONCERNING CAUCASIANS LIVING OR HELD IN VIETNAM.
11.

PARA I, REF C, LIEN MAC. SOURCE STATED
HE WAS NOT KNOWLEDGEABLE CONCERNING ANY SRV FACILITIES
IN THE LIEN MAC AREA. LATER IN THE INTERVIEW, INTER-
VIEWER GAVE SOURCE A GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LIEN

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SUBJECT: JCRC RPT M85-098A, COLLECTION EMPHASIS
MAC FACILITY TO INCLUDE A HAND DRAWN SKETCH OF THE
CONFIGURATION OF THE INTERIOR BUILDINGS, AND
FINALLY SOURCE WAS SHOWN THE GROUND PHOTOS OF THE
FACILITY (NOTE: AT THIS TIME, JCRC-LNB POSSESSED
TWO DIFFERENT SETS OF THE LIEN MAC GROUND PHOTOS:
1) THE CLASSIFIED ANNOTATED SET FORWARDED BY DIA
AND, 2) A SET WE INITIALLY OBTAINED FROM THE ORIGINAL
SOURCE WHICH WERE NOT CLASSIFIED, COPIES OF WHICH
WERE FORWARDED WITH THE ORIGINAL REPORT. WE HAVE
SINCE MARKED ALL COPIES OF THE PHOTOS, ANNOTATED
OR NOT, AS SECRET/NOFORN). AFTER LISTENING TO
INTERVIEWER'S DESCRIPTION AND VIEWING THE PHOTOS,
INTERVIEWER ASKED SOURCE TO IDENTIFY THE TYPE OF
FACILITY DEPICTED. SOURCE ANSWERED IMMEDIATELY WITH
CONVICTION THAT THE ONLY THING THE FACILITY COULD BE
IS A PRISON. INTERVIEWER QUESTIONED SOURCE ON THE
POSSIBILITY OF THE FACILITY BEING USED AS A SIGNAL
CENTER, SIGNAL TRAINING SITE OR TRAINING SITE FOR
SPIES, AND SOURCE REITERATED WITH THE SAME DEGREE OF
CONVICTION THAT IN HIS OPINION, THE ONLY THING IT

COULD BE IS A PRISON. SOURCE BASED HIS OPINION ON THE WALLS AND ESPECIALLY THE GUARD TOWERS, STATING THAT THE SRV WOULD BUILD GUARD TOWERS ONLY ON PRISONS. SOURCE RECOMMENDED INTERVIEWER SEARCH FOR REFUGEES WHO LIVED IN THE TU LIEM DISTRICT FOR CLARIFICATION ON THE FACILITY. SOURCE THEN TOLD INTERVIEWER OF A REFUGEE IN PULAU BIDONG WHO LIVED IN NORTH VIETNAM UP TO THE TIME OF THE TAKEOVER, SUGGESTING HE COULD BE INTERVIEWED. (NOTE: SOURCE WAS NOT AN ACQUAINTANCE OF THE MAN, BUT HAD HEARD THAT THE MAN'S WIFE, WHO ACCOMPANIED THE MAN ON HIS ESCAPE FROM VIETNAM, WAS A FAMOUS FOLK DANCER IN VIETNAM AND WAS A HAIRDRESSER AT PULAU BIDONG. INTERVIEWER'S SUBSEQUENT SEARCH RESULTED IN THE INTERVIEW OF ³⁵ M86-038, M86-039 AND M86-040.)

12. PARAGRAPH J, REF C, MINH HAI PROVINCE BDF POSTS AND RE-EDUCATION CAMPS. SOURCE IDENTIFIED THE FOLLOWING BDF POSTS IN MINH HAI.

- A. DON SONG DOC, VICINITY VQ 805985
- B. DON CAI DOI (CAIS DOOI), VIC VQ 797923
- C. DON GO CONG (GOF COONG), VIC VQ 902742
- D. DON ONG TRANG (OONG TRANG), VIC VQ 866602
- E. DON RACH TAU (RACHJ TAUF), VIC VQ 736503
- F. DON RACH GAP (RACHJ GAWPS), VIC WQ 004498
- G. DON BO-DE (BOF DEF), VIC WQ 246666
- H. DON GANH HAO (GANHF HAOF), VIC WQ 465962
- I. DON NHA MAT (NHAF MATS), VIC WR 823179

SOURCE WAS STATIONED AT THE ONG TRANG POST.

13. .. SOURCE DESCRIBED THE BFD POST ORGANIZATION AS BEING THE SAME FOR ALL POSTS, AS FOLLOWS. EACH POST HAD THE MAXIMUM STRENGTH OF 30, WHICH INCLUDED A POST COMMANDER (RESPONSIBLE FOR THE POST'S MILITARY OPERATIONS AND PLANS), AN ASSISTANT POST COMMANDER (RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOGISTICS OF THE POST, I.E. "HAU CAN"), A POLITICAL OFFICER (RESPONSIBLE FOR POLITICAL AND COMMUNIST PARTY ACTIVITIES), AND AN ASSISTANT POLITICAL OFFICER (SUPPORTED THE POLITICAL OFFICER). THESE INDIVIDUALS WERE ASSIGNED TO THE POST HEADQUARTERS SECTION. DIRECTLY SUBORDINATE TO THE HEADQUARTERS SECTION WAS THE SURVEILLANCE UNIT, A REAR SERVICES SECTION, AN ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROL SECTION, AN ARMED PATROL SECTION, AND THE "MASSES MOTIVATION" (VAANF DOONGJ QUAANF CHUNGS) SECTION. THE SURVEILLANCE UNIT WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR SURVEILLING ALL ACTIVITIES OF RELIGIOUS GROUPS AND THOSE INDIVIDUALS WHO HAD OFFICIAL ATTACHMENT TO THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH VIETNAM. THEY ALSO INVESTIGATED ANY ACTIVITY WHICH WAS DEEMED TO RELATE TO ANYTHING POLITICAL. THE "MASSES MOTIVATION" UNIT WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSISTING THE LOCAL HAMLET AND VILLAGE LEADERS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF CIVIC GROUPS AND PRODUCED PROPAGANDA BASED ON SRV POLICY. THE REAR SERVICES UNIT WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR