

AND TO DISCUSS THE DETAILS OF THE MEETING. -Analyst- STATED HE PREFERRED NOT TO DISCUSS DETAILS, BUT WAS WILLING TO TALK IN GENERALITIES. AFTER -Analyst- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE MEETING, CAN WENT ON TO PROVIDE A DETAILED ACCOUNT, WITH EMPHASIS ON THE VNDSMIA INVESTIGATIVE RESULTS IN TERMS OF NUMBERS OF INVESTIGATIONS CONDUCTED, REMAINS RECOVERED, AND NUMBERS TO BE REPATRIATED. CAN ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT THE SRV HAD ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE THE IDEA OF ANOTHER JOINT CRASHSITE EXCAVATION BUT THAT THE SPECIFIC SITE HAD NOT YET BEEN SELECTED.

13. AS DURING PREVIOUS TECHNICAL MEETINGS, THE VNDSMIA HOSTED A DINNER FOR THE U.S. SIDE ON 27 FEB, AND THE U.S. SIDE RECIPROCATED THE FOLLOWING EVENING.

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CITE 3161 MAR 87  
SUBJECT: REFUGEE CAMP POPULATION  
REF: CDR JCRC 062300Z MAR 87

1. THAILAND
  - BAN VINAI-42545 HIGHLANDERS, 313 LAO
  - CHIANG KHAM - 11742 HIGHLANDERS, 112 LAO
  - KHAU-I-DANG-22572 KHMER
  - NA PHU-22877 LAO, 588 HIGHLANDERS
  - PHANAT NIKHOM-3014 LAO, 2903 HIGHLANDERS,  
3193 KHMER, 6972 VIET
2. MALAYSIA
  - PULAU BIDONG-5844 VIET
  - SUNGEI BESI-3200 VIET
3. INDONESIA
  - GALANG-3986 VIET
4. SINGAPORE
  - HAWKINS ROAD-61 VIET
5. MACAO
  - KAH0-607 VIET (NORTH)
6. HONG KONG
  - KAI TAK/JUBILEE (NOW COMBINED)-3416 VIET (NORTH,  
SOUTH)
  - HEI LING CHAU-1959 VIET (NORTH)
  - TUEN MON (BOWRING)-1032 VIET (NORTH, SOUTH)
  - ARGYLE-469 VIET (NORTH)
  - CHIMAWAN-1163 VIET (CENTRAL)

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7. NOTES
- NOTE 1: FIGURES FOR HONG KONG AND MACAO ARE AS  
END OF FEB 87.
  - NOTE 2: FIGURES FOR ALL OTHERS ARE AS OF END OF  
DEC 86.
  - NOTE 3: THERE ARE ALSO APPROX 4000 VIETNAMESE  
LOCATED ON THE THAI/KHMER BORDER WHO ARE  
NOT LISTED IN THE ABOVE STATISTICS BUT  
WHO ARE SUBJECTS OF JCRC INTERVIEWS.
  - NOTE 4: APPROX 250-400 VIETNAMESE ODP BENEFICIARIES  
PASS THROUGH BANGKOK EACH WEEK AND ARE  
SUBJECTS OF JCRC INTERVIEWS.

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SECDEF WASHDC//OASD-ISA/PA-MIA// JCS WASHDC//J5/PW-MIA//  
SECSTATE WASHDC//EAP/VLC// DIA WASHINGTON DC//VO-PW//  
WHITEHOUSE WASHDC//NSC/MR CHILDRESS// CDRUSACILHI FT SHAFTER HI

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CITE: 3175 MAR 87.  
SUBJECT: NEWS ARTICLE, U.S. BACKED FORAYS INTO LAOS

1. THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE APPEARED IN THE AFTERNOON  
ISSUE OF THE MONDAY, 16 MARCH 87 EDITION OF THE ENGLISH  
LANGUAGE BANGKOK WORLD NEWSPAPER, BACK PAGE. THE  
HEADLINE READS "WHITE HOUSE BACKED ILLICIT SEARCH IN  
LAOS". SUBHEADING READS "TOWER COMMISSION REVEALS U.S.  
PLAN TO FIND POWS". THE DATELINE READS WASHINGTON, BUT  
THERE IS NO ATTRIBUTION TO ANY WIRE SERVICE. THE TEXT  
OF THE ARTICLE IS QUOTED IN ITS ENTIRETY AS FOLLOWS:  
WASHINGTON - A WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL HAS ACKNOWLEDGED  
HE APPROVED THE ISSUING OF GOVERNMENT CREDENTIALS TO A  
PRIVATE GROUP IN 1983 SO IT COULD CLANDESTINELY ENTER  
LAOS TO SEARCH FOR AMERICANS WHO MIGHT BE HELD PRISONERS  
OF WAR.

- THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL'S PLAN TO USE  
PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS FOR INTELLIGENCE GATHERING IN  
SOUTHEAST ASIA PREDATED BY NEARLY TWO YEARS A SIMILAR  
OPERATION IN IRAN THAT HAS BEEN SHARPLY CRITICISED  
BY INVESTIGATORS.
- NSC OFFICIAL RICHARD CHILDRESS SAID IN AN INTERVIEW  
ON FRIDAY THAT HE CONSENTED TO A PLAN - NEVER CARRIED  
OUT - TO FURNISH DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION CRED-  
ENTIALS TO GROUP MEMBERS SO THEY COULD TRAVEL FREELY IN  
THAILAND BEFORE ENTERING LAOS.
- THE PRIVATE GROUP, HEADED BY JOHN LEBOUTILLIER, A  
NEW YORK REPUBLICAN CONGRESSMAN FROM 1980-1982, WAS TO

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