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MGDR WAS REC'D WAS AUG 28 1972
TP3540 27 AUGUST 1972
SUBJ VIENTIANE REPORTS PROBABLE C123K LOSS

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AAA POSSIBLE TEN ONE (7)
BBB C123K 554555
CCC UNKNOWN
DDD UNKNOWN
EEE W.E. REEVES, PIC J.M. GUDAHL, F/O J.P. SATARAKIJ, AFD
T.KHAMMANEPHET, AFD. INJURIES UNKNOWN
FFF 3 INDIGENOUS, INJURIES UNKNOWN
GGG UNKNOWN
HHH UNKNOWN
III APPROXIMATELY 4000 TO 4500 FEET SCATTERED TO BROKEN WITH
RAINSHOWERS IN AND OUT OF THE AREA
JJJ C123 554555 DEPARTED L16 AT 270951Z ENROUTE TO LS20A.
CARGO 12000 POUNDS CLASS AAA. AIRCRAFT DID NOT ARRIVE
LS20A. HIGHTOWER LOCATION REPORTS HEARING LOUD EX-
Plosion AT APPROXIMATELY 1000Z. EXTENSIVE SEARCH
UNTIL DARK PRODUCED NO RESULTS. PLAN FIRST LIGHT
SEARCH EFFORT TOMORROW WITH 3 FIXED WING AND 2 ROTOR
WING AIRCRAFT PARTICIPATING INITIALLY. CONTRACT 0002
KKK J.H. RHYNE
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