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REFERENCE:



PROBABLE LONG RANGE SAM LAUNCH COMPLEX
KAPUSTIN YAR/VLADIMIROVKA MISSILE TEST CENTER,
USSR

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1. SIGNIFICANCE: NEWLY IDENTIFIED "2-SITE" PROBABLE LONG RANGE SAM LAUNCH COMPLEX.
2. LOCATION: 12 NM EAST OF KAPUSTIN YAR. 72 NM ENE OF THE VOLGOGRAD PLRS LAUNCH COMPLEX
3. REMARKS: THIS IS THE SECOND "2-SITE" PROBABLE LONG RANGE SAM LAUNCH COMPLEX IDENTIFIED IN THE SOVIET UNION DEPLOYED OUTSIDE OF THE SARY-SHAGAN ANTIMISSILE TEST CENTER. THE OTHER "2-SITE" COMPLEX IS LOCATED AT KURESSAARE ON OSTROV SAAREMAA.
4. COLLATERAL: NONE
5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION: THIS MISSION
6. NEGATION DATE:  EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION
7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE: NONE

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8. DIMENSIONS/
SPECIFICATION:

NONE

9. MISSION READOUT:

A PROBABLE LONG RANGE SAM (PLRS) LAUNCH COMPLEX HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AT KAPUSTIN YAR/VLADIMIROVKA MISSILE TEST CENTER. THE COMPLEX IS LOCATED 12 NM EAST OF KAPUSTIN YAR AND APPROXIMATELY 72 NM ENE OF THE VOLGOGRAD PLRS LAUNCH COMPLEX. IT IS IN AN EARLY-TO-MID-STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION AND CONSISTS OF 2 LAUNCH SITES, DESIGNATED A AND B, AND 2 MOUNDED RADAR POSITIONS WITH A CENTRAL CONTROL AT THE TRACKING/GUIDANCE FACILITY. CONFIRMATION OR NEGATION OF RAILS IS NOT POSSIBLE DUE TO HEAVY SNOW COVER.

THE LAUNCH SITES AND THE TRACKING/GUIDANCE FACILITY APPEAR NEARLY IDENTICAL TO LAUNCH SITES B AND C AND THEIR CORRESPONDING RADAR POSITIONS AT THE VOLGOGRAD PLRS COMPLEX. THE AZIMUTH OF A PERPENDICULAR BISECTOR OF A LINE CONNECTING CONTROL CENTERS A AND B IS 201 DEGREES (PLUS OR MINUS 5 DEGREES). THE COMPLEX DOES NOT APPEAR SECURED. A POSSIBLE CONSTRUCTION SUPPORT AREA IS LOCATED NORTH OF SITE B.

THE COMPLEX CAN BE NEGATED ON [REDACTED] AND WAS FIRST SEEN IN A VERY EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION ON [REDACTED] LAUNCH POSITIONS B-2, 5 AND 6, BOTH CONTROL CENTERS AND THE TRACKING/GUIDANCE FACILITY WERE PRESENT. NO MISSILES OR MISSILE-RELATED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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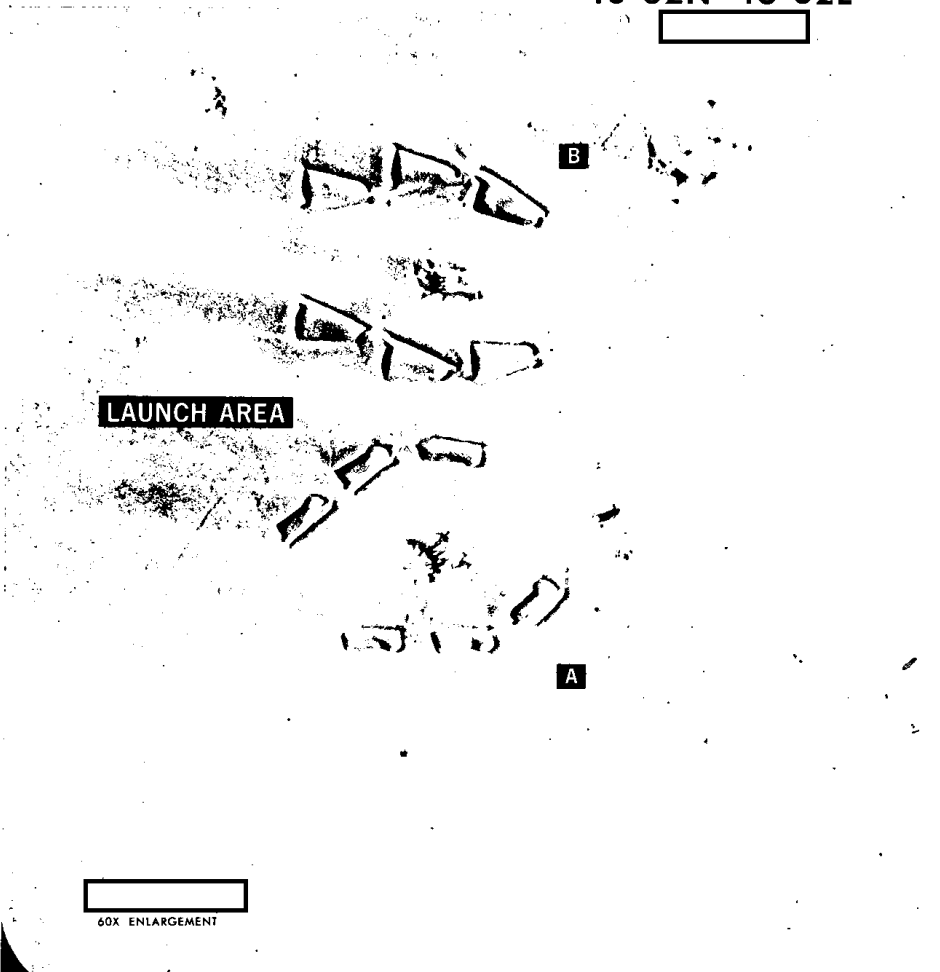
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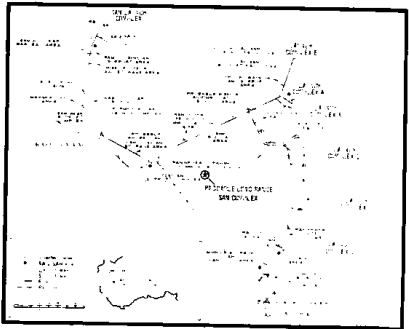
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LAUNCH AREA

TRACKING/GUIDANCE FACILITY

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