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NAVAL ACTIVITY
HAI PHONG, NORTH VIETNAM
2052N 10642E

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD REVEALS PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE OF FOUR SHANGHAI-CLASS PTFs IN HAI PHONG HARBOR. IT ALSO REVEALS THE LARGEST NAVAL ORDER OF BATTLE OBSERVED TO DATE ON PHOTOGRAPHY IN THE HAI PHONG AREA.

2. REMARKS:

PRIOR TO THIS TIME, COLLATERAL HAS CREDITED THE NORTH VIETNAMESE WITH FOUR UNITS OF THE SHANGHAI-CLASS; NONE OF THESE, HOWEVER, HAVE BEEN OBSERVED ON PHOTOGRAPHY.

3. LOCATION:

THE PORT FACILITIES ARE LOCATED ON THE NORTH EDGE OF HAI PHONG ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE CUA CAM (STREAM DISTRIBUTARY).

4. MISSION READOUT:

[REDACTED], REVEALS THE FOLLOWING VESSELS AT HAI PHONG PORT FACILITY, [REDACTED]

TWO SHANGHAI-CLASS PTFs, TWO S.O. 1-CLASS SCs, ONE LST-1-CLASS (TANKER CONVERSION), THREE MUROM-CLASS FREIGHTERS, ONE POLTAVA/

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PEREKOP-CLASS FREIGHTER, AND ONE U/I-CLASS FREIGHTER.

THREE SWATOW-CLASS PGMs AND TWO YPs ARE NOTED AT HAI PHONG NAVAL

BASE [REDACTED] WHILE HAI PHONG SHIPYARD NO. 4 DANCETTE

[REDACTED] IS REVEALED TO CONTAIN 2 SWATOW-CLASS PGMs AND 2

YPs.

HAI PHONG NAVAL FACILITY IS OBSERVED TO HARBOR 2 SHANGHAI-CLASS

PTFs, 2 SWATOW-CLASS PGMs, AND 2 TRAWLERS/MINESWEEPERS.

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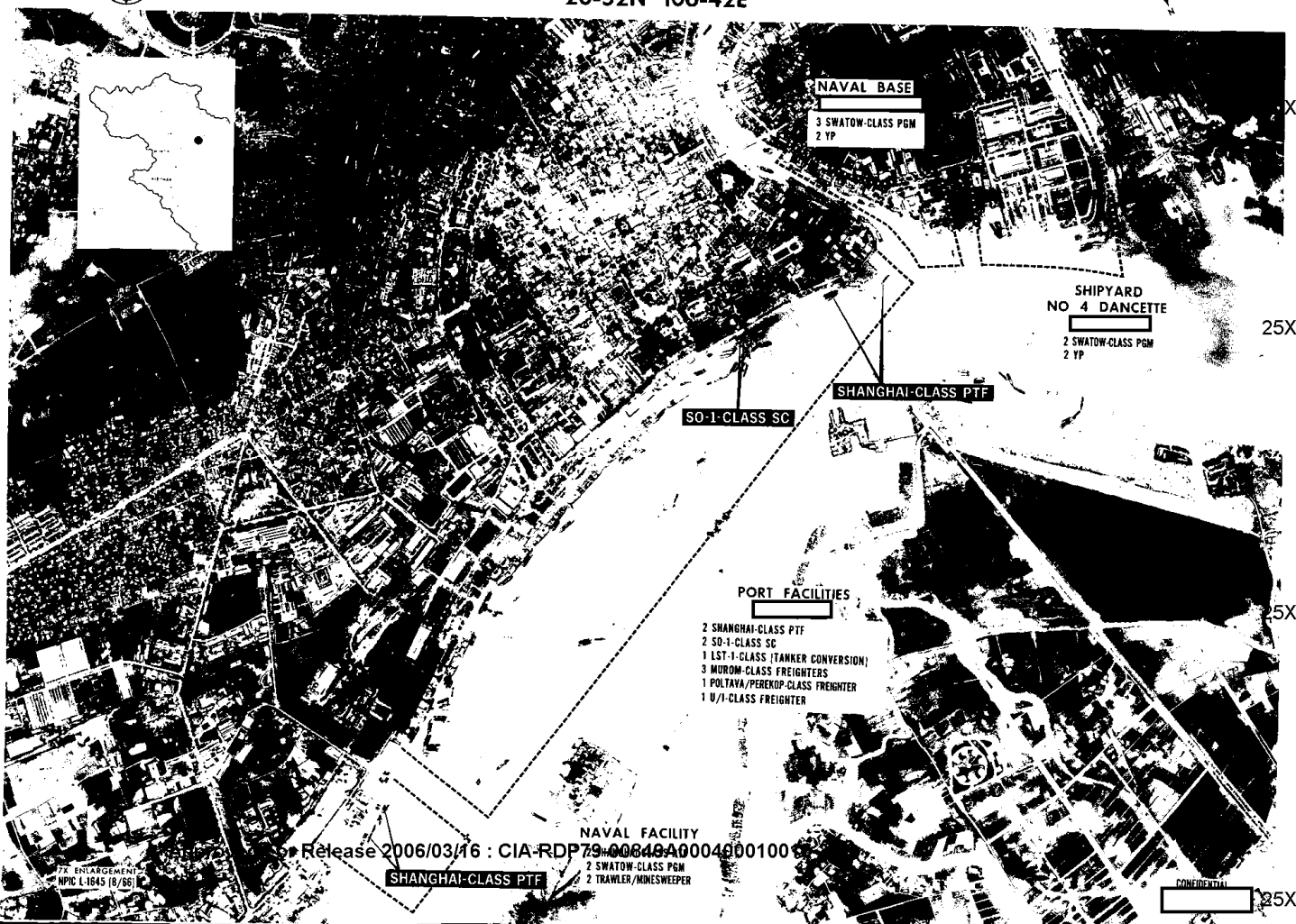


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