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COMPARISON OF
INSURGENT ACTIVITIES

1. THIS BOARD REPRESENTS A COMPARISON OF INSURGENT ACTIVITIES
OBSERVED IN LAOS AND THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (LEOPOLDVILLE).

2. [Redacted] OVER LAOS,
REVEALS THE MILITARY AREA AT MUONG NONG, LAOS, WHERE NUMEROUS ANTI-
HELICOPTER LANDING STAKES ARE OBSERVED SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE AREA.
COLLATERAL REPORTS INDICATE MUONG NONG TO BE A POSSIBLE DISPERSAL AREA
FOR INFILTRATION INTO SOUTH VIETNAM.

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3. [Redacted] FLOWN OVER THE REPUBLIC
OF THE CONGO (LEOPOLDVILLE) ON 20 MARCH 1965, REVEALS SIMILAR ACTIVITY
AT WATSA AIRFIELD, WHERE AT LEAST 120 PROBABLE OIL DRUMS AND NUMEROUS
PROBABLE ANTI-HELICOPTER STAKES ARE OBSERVED SCATTERED OVER THE RUNWAY.
COLLATERAL REPORTS INDICATE WATSA WAS RECAPTURED FROM REBEL CONTROL BY
GOVERNMENT FORCES APPROXIMATELY ONE WEEK AFTER THIS MISSION WAS FLOWN.

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4. [Redacted]
REVEALS THAT LIENART AIRFIELD, ALSO LOCATED IN THE NORTHEASTERN PART OF
THE CONGO, WAS UNSERVICEABLE DUE TO THE PRESENCE OF PROBABLE ANTI-
HELICOPTER STAKES AND OVERGROWTH ON THE RUNWAY. COLLATERAL INDICATES THIS
FIELD TO BE CURRENTLY UNDER REBEL CONTROL.

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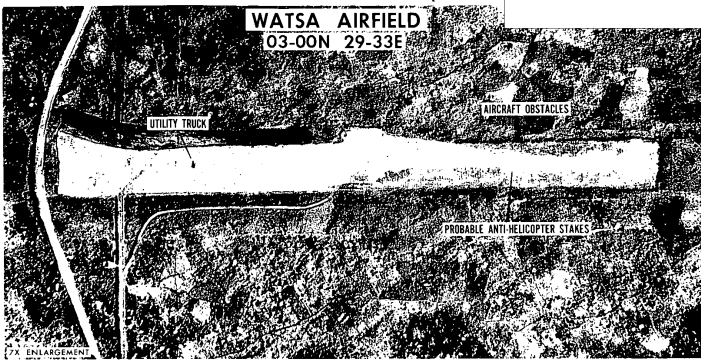
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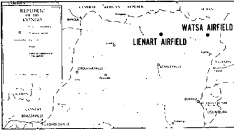
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REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (LEOPOLDVILLE)

WATSA AIRFIELD
03-00N 29-33E



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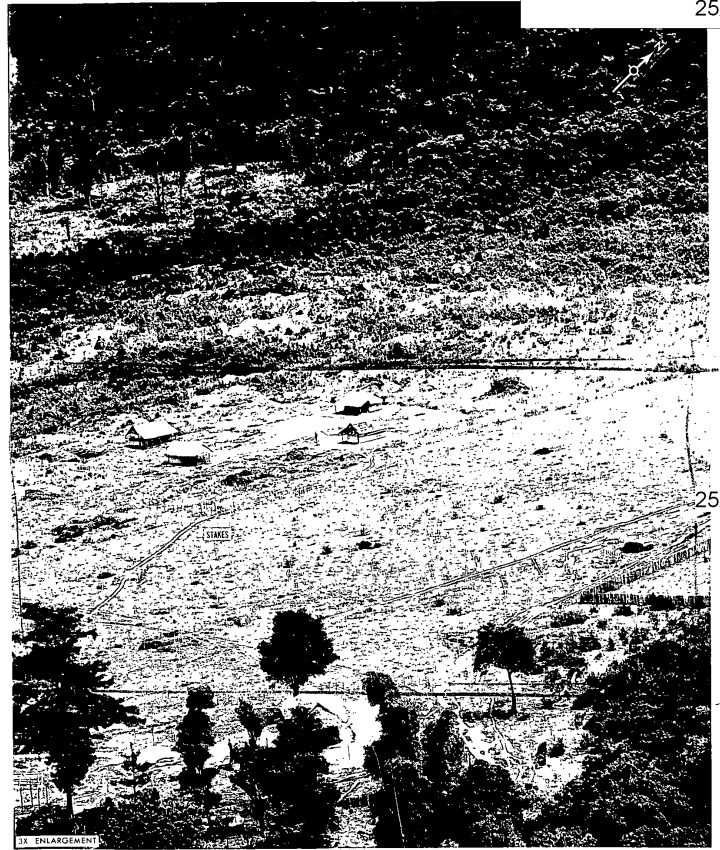


LIENART AIRFIELD
03-03N 25-34E



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MILITARY AREA
MUONG NONG, LAOS
16-22N 106-30E



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