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- l. 320 Division. Units of the 320 Division were aware of the impending French attack on the Cho Ben area and on 9 November 1951 withdrew to the following dispositions1:
 - The 64 kegiment moved to Lac Son (106-23, 21-04).
 - The 48 Regiment moved to Vu Ban (106-05, 20-24).
 - The 52 Regiment moved to Phuc Luong (105-41, 20-20) and has been assigned the responsibility of maintaining communications and supply routes between Intersector IV and the Viet Bac.

The above units were also responsible for the evacuation of the civilian population from the Hoa Binh area.

316 Division.

- The 174 Regiment and the headquarters staff of the division moved from Dinh Ca (106-04, 21-44) to Bo Ha (106-12, 21-27).
- The 175 Regiment moved from Kep to Bac Loc (106-09, 20-28).
- The 176 Regiment moved from Bac Le to Nha Nam (106-05, 21-27).

3. 304 Division.

- The 9 Regiment moved from Doi Thung to Dong Giao (105-53, 20-08).
- 351 Division. Division headquarters are at Yen Dinh, Bac Kan Province, on the right bank of the Tham River (sic). At present the division consists only of the 95 artillery Regiment; two additional regiments are being formed with a cadre of Chinese Communist-trained troops and Chinese Communist equipment. The commanding general, Tran Dai Nghia, is assisted by two Chinese Communist advisors and four additional Chinese officers.

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