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UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT : South China/North Vietnam and Sino-Indian Border
Photographic Reconnaissance, 13 - 19 December 1966

- REFERENCES :
- a. USIB-D041.14/223 (COMOR-D-25/144) Para. 12. b. 5 March 1965, Limited Distribution
 - b. USIB-D-41.14/283 (COMOR-D-25/207) 4 March 1966 and Memorandum to Holders dated 8 March 1966, Special Limited Distribution
 - c. USIB-D-41.14/288 (COMOR-D-25/212) 17 March 1966, Special Limited Distribution

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2. It is not contemplated that the attached report will be placed on the USIB agenda unless a USIB Principal so requests prior to the close of business on Friday, 23 December 1966. In the absence of such a request, it will be considered for record purposes that USIB "noted" the subject report on that date.

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JAMES S. LAY, JR.
Executive Secretary

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Report to the United States Intelligence Board
by
Chairman, COMOR
on
South China/North Vietnam and Sino-Indian Border
Photographic Reconnaissance
13-19 December 1966

1. The following is a report on photographic coverage of:
 - a. 157 priority targets in South China and North Vietnam;
 - b. Targets in Laos adjacent to the South China border;
 - c. Targets in the Sino-Indian border area.

South China/North Vietnam

2. According to field reporting, a [redacted] BLUE SPRINGS mission covered Phuc Yen Airfield. A mission flown on [redacted] did not photograph any priority targets.

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3. The base line coverage total was increased from 111 to 116 as a result of [redacted]. This mission also provided surveillance coverage of eight priority targets.

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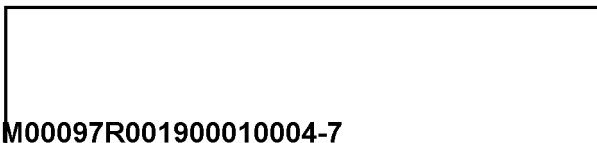
4. Tab A lists the 116 of 157 priority targets in South China and North Vietnam now covered by base line photography and shows total coverage as follows:

Column 4 - Base line coverage since 1 March 1966, shown by date.

Column 5 - The number of times surveillance coverage has been added to the base line photography.

Column 6 - Date of the most recent base line/surveillance quality coverage.

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The map at Tab B shows the distribution of the 157 targets illustrating the primary area for lines of communication by shading. The 116 targets listed in Tab A which have been covered by base line quality photography since 1 March 1966 are shown by a black dot, the remainder of the 157 by a black circle. Arrows indicate base line/surveillance coverage added during the reporting period -- for the actual date of the photography see underlining in Tab A.

Laos Adjacent to the South China Border

- 5. None

Sino-Indian Border Area

- 6.  covered two priority targets in the border area.

- 7. The map at Tab C shows both high and low resolution coverage of targets in this area obtained since 22 November 1966.



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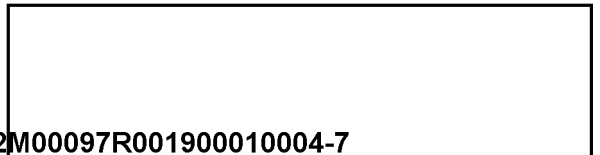
Chairman

Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance

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 Tabs A, B, and C

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Tab A

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Targets on which Satisfactory Base Line/Surveillance* Coverage
has been Reported since 1 March 1966

<u>Target Name</u>	<u>Ctry</u>	<u>Base Line Since 1 March</u>	<u>Surveillance Added to Base Line</u>	<u>Most Recent Coverage</u>
An Shun Airfield, U/C	Ch		1	
Chan Chiang Afld (Ft. Bayard)	Ch		0	
Chung An Airfield	Ch		0	
Hai Kou Airfield	Ch		1	
Hsin Cheng Airfield	Ch		0	
Hsing Ning Airfield	Ch		0	
Kuang Chou/Pai Yun Airfield	Ch		3	
Lei Yang Airfield	Ch		0	
Lien Cheng Airfield	Ch		0	
Ling Shui Airfield	Ch		1	
Liu Chou Airfield	Ch		0	
Meng Tzu Airfield, West	Ch		0	
Pao Shan Airfield	Ch		0	
Ssu Mao Airfield, North	Ch		1	
Pei Tun Airfield	Ch		0	
Yun Nan I Airfield	Ch		0	
Haiphong/Cat Bi Airfield	VN		6	
Haiphong/Kien An Airfield	VN		2	
Hanoi/Bac Mai Airfield	VN		2	
Hanoi/Gia Lam Airfield	VN		5	
Phuc Yen Airfield	VN		2	
Lang Son Airfield	VN		2	
Nan Ning Airfield, South	Ch		0	
Kun Ming Airfield	Ch		2	
<u>Swatow A/F, NE (Shan Tou)</u>	Ch		4	
Kep Airfield	VN		3	
Yai Hsien A/F (San Ya)	Ch		1	
Tien Yang Airfield	Ch		2	
Hsu Pu Airfield, U/C	Ch		0	
Tsam Kong Naval Base (Chan Chiang)	Ch		0	
Yu Lin Naval Base	Ch		0	
Hai Kou Naval Base	Ch		2	
<u>Shan Tou Naval Base</u>	Ch		3	
Huang Pu Naval Base	Ch		0	

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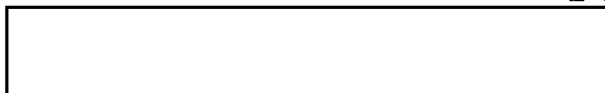
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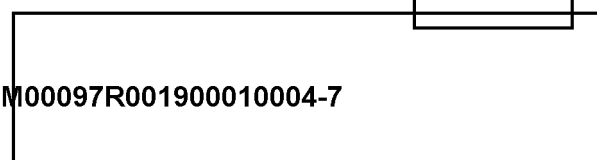
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<u>Target Name</u>	<u>Ctry</u>	<u>Base Line Since 1 March</u>	<u>Surveillance Added to Base Line</u>	<u>Most Recent Coverage</u>
Pei Hai Naval Facility	Ch		0	
Hai Men Shipyard (Shan Tou)	Ch		1	
Haiphong Port Complex	VN		4	
Cam Pha Port Facilities	VN		11	
Hon Gay Port Facilities	VN		12	
Vinh/Ben Thuy Port Facilities	VN		32	
An Shun Susp Military Activity	Ch		1	
Shao Kuan Army Barracks Area	Ch		0	
Chang Ning/Hsin Hsu Army Bks, N	Ch		0	
Chang Chi Barracks Area	Ch		1	
Chao An Army Bks, N. W.	Ch		0	
Che Chiang Army Bks, S. E.	Ch		1	
Che Li Military Activity	Ch		0	
Che Tien Army Bks, South	Ch		0	
Che Kung Storage Area	Ch		0	
Chin Piên Military Area (LanTsang)	Ch		0	
Chu Ching Military Area	Ch		0	
Chu Chou Ammunition Depot	Ch		1	
Chu Hsiung Military Area	Ch		0	
Heng Yang Ammo Depot, ENE	Ch		2	
Hsia Kuan Bks & Hq 42 Inf Division	Ch		2	
Kuang Pu Army Supply Depot, E	Ch		0	
Hui Yang Training Area	Ch		0	
I Liang Army Bks, South #1	Ch		1	
I Liang Army Bks, North	Ch		0	
Kai Yuan - Hq 13th Army	Ch		0	
Kan Chou Army Bks, S. W.	Ch		1	
Keng Ma Army Barracks	Ch		0	
Keng Wei Army Barracks, North	Ch		0	
Kuan Hu Military Area (Lei Pei)	Ch		0	
Kuang Chou Military Storage Area	Ch		1	
Kuang Chou Storage, Sha Ho, NW	Ch		1	
Kuei Hsien Army Barracks	Ch		0	
Kuei Yang Army Barracks, S.	Ch		2	
Kuei Yang Storage Depot	Ch		2	
Kun Ming General Supply Depot	Ch		2	

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Kun Ming Storage Area, S. E.	Ch		2	
Lei Yang Army Barracks, WSW	Ch		1	
Lung Men Ammunition Depot	Ch		0	
Lung Men Military Activity	Ch		0	
Mang Shih Army Bks, S (Lu Hsi)	Ch		2	
Meng La Army Barracks, West	Ch		1	
Meng Pan Military Camp	Ch		0	
Meng Peng Prob Military Barracks	Ch		0	
Mi Tu Army Bks & Sp (Hsin Cheng)	Ch		0	
Ping Hsiang Ordnance Depot	Ch		1	
Po Hsi Chieh Army Bks (Pan Chi)	Ch		1	
Pu Erh Military Bks (Ning Erh)	Ch		0	
Pu Ning Army Barracks	Ch		0	
Shan Tou Army Bks (Lien Tang)	Ch		1	
Shu Chang Supply Depot (Hai Kou)	Ch		2	
Shuang Chiang Army Barracks	Ch		0	
Ssu Mao Military Area	Ch		0	
Ta Li Hq 14th Army	Ch		1	
Tang Chia Mil Install (Chung Shan)	Ch		0	
Teng Chun Army Bks, W	Ch		0	
Tsao Wu Storage Area	Ch		1	
Yung Ping Army Barracks	Ch		0	
Wen Shan Army Barracks, West	Ch		1	
Ho Kou Military Camp	Ch		1	
Chiu Weng Yuan Army Bks, NE	Ch		0	
I Chun Prob Military Bks Area	Ch		0	
Chu Tien Military Installation	Ch		0	
Lao Chiang Poss Military Areas	Ch		0	
Fan Cheng Army Barracks	Ch		0	
Yen Shan Mil Bks & Storage Area	Ch		0	
Lung Tang Army Bks, Tien Tun Yuan	Ch		0	
Hai Feng Military Complex	Ch		0	
Tien Yang Poss Military Install.	Ch		0	
Lu Liang Storage Area	Ch		2	
Kep/Than Nguyen RR, U/C	VN		0	
Hanoi Ping Hsiang RR, Segment 4	Ch		1	

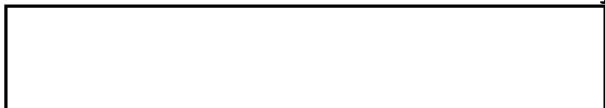
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Tab. A



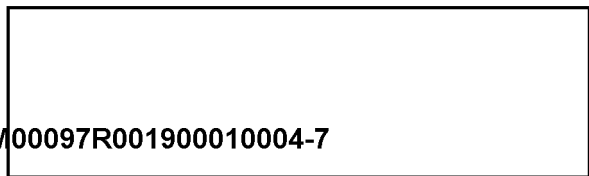
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Kun Ming Complex	Ch		1	
Ping Hsiang Complex	Ch		2	
Dong Dang Complex	VN		1	
Phu Lang Thuong Complex	VN		6	
Liu Chou Complex	Ch		0	
<u>Shan Tou Complex (Swatow)</u>	Ch		2	
Tien Yen Complex	VN		1	
Binh Lu Complex	VN		1	
Lao Cai Railroad Yard	VN		2	

*Base Line photography must provide complete coverage of the objective adequate to determine OB status, while subsequent Surveillance must be adequate to detect changes.

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