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TO STATE, DIA, SACSA, DIRNSA

THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED TO CAS SAIGON

QUOTE THIS IS A JOINT CAS STATE DEFENSE NSA MESSAGE FOR DELIVERY

AT OOB 9 MARCH TO AMBASSADOR, COMUSMACV AND [] 3.5(c)

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1. PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY BOARD HAS REQUESTED DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE TO UNDERTAKE AN APPRAISAL OF INTELLIGENCE WARNING PRIOR TO THE TET OFFENSIVE TASK TO BE COMPLETED BY 10 APRIL, WITH AN INTERIM REPORT ON 1 APRIL. THE DCI HAS CONVENED A WORKING GROUP OF USIB, PLUS REPRESENTATION FROM THE JOINT STAFF, TO MAKE THIS APPRAISAL AND PREPARE A REPORT. MUCH OF THE BASIC WORK, HOWEVER, WILL HAVE TO BE DONE IN ^{and} BY THE FIELD.

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a. WHAT INFORMATION REACHED J-2, MACV, IN THE PERIOD JANUARY 15-30 INDICATING THE POSSIBILITY OF THE ATTACK ON THE CITIES? WHAT CAN BE SAID AS TO THE ORIGIN, THE QUANTITY, THE ACCURACY AND THE TIMELINESS OF THIS INFORMATION?

b. IN HOW MANY CASES OF ATTACKS ON THE CITIES AND TOWNS DID THE RESPONSIBLE FIELD COMMANDERS RECEIVE WARNING THROUGH INTELLIGENCE SOURCES IN SUFFICIENT TIME TO AVOID BEING

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SURPRISED? PLEASE SHOW ON A MAP WHERE THESE ATTACKS OCCURRED WHICH WERE THUS FRUSTRATED.

c. TO WHAT EXTENT DID THE VIETNAMESE CIVIL POPULATION GIVE INFORMATION TO THE AUTHORITIES BEFORE AND DURING THE ATTACKS? (IT HAS BEEN SAID ON TELEVISION THAT THERE WAS NOT A SINGLE REPORT FROM CIVILIAN SOURCES ALERTING GVN/ US FORCES TO THE IMPENDING ATTACKS.) (WORKING GROUP ADDS: WHAT INFORMATION HAD VN INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY ACQUIRED WHICH WARNED OF THE IMPENDING ATTACKS?)

d. TO WHAT EXTENT WAS THERE A FREE AND RAPID EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION BETWEEN GVN AND US AGENCIES? (WORKING GROUP ADDS: AMONG THE SEVERAL US AGENCIES, AND AMONG THE SVN AGENCIES THEMSELVES?)

e. HAVE THE ENEMY UNITS WHICH ENGAGED IN THE ATTACKS NOW BEEN IDENTIFIED? IF SO, WHAT CONCLUSIONS HAVE BEEN DRAWN FROM THESE IDENTIFICATIONS? (THE BOARD RECOGNIZES THAT THE QUESTION IS MORE PROPERLY PART OF QUESTION a).

f. WHAT SUBSTANTIVE EVALUATED INFORMATION BEARING ON THE ATTACK ON THE CITIES REACHED THE FOLLOWING OFFICIALS IN THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 15-30?

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(1) GENERAL WESTMORELAND, (2) JCS, (3) SECRETARIES OF STATE AND DEFENSE, (4) DCI, (5) THE PRESIDENT.
(WORKING GROUP ADDS: AMBASSADOR BUNKER)

g. INsofar AS IT CAN BE RECONSTRUCTED, WHAT PICTURE DID THESE OFFICIALS HAVE OF THE SITUATION BASED UPON INTELLIGENCE RECEIVED JUST PRIOR TO THE ATTACK ON THE CITIES?

3. YOU WILL RECOGNIZE THAT THE BULK OF THE INFORMATION REQUIRED CAN ONLY BE OBTAINED IN VIETNAM. WE RECOGNIZE THAT ALL AGENCIES IN SAIGON ARE HEAVILY COMMITTED TO CURRENT AND FUTURE OPERATIONS. IN ORDER TO REDUCE TO THE MINIMUM THE IMPACT ON YOUR DAY-TO-DAY OPERATIONS, WE PROPOSE TO SEND A SMALL TEAM TO ASSIST IN COLLECTING AND REVIEWING RELEVANT INFORMATION. SUBJECT TO MISSION SUGGESTIONS, PROPOSE ABOUT THREE DAYS OF SAIGON CONSULTATIONS AND EXAMINATION OF MATERIALS AVAILABLE AND TWO OR THREE DAYS AT SELECTED FIELD LOCATIONS WITH A ONE-DAY WRAP-UP IN SAIGON.

A. MACV.

1. ASSEMBLE MATERIAL IN RESPONSE TO BOARD'S QUESTIONS A THROUGH E, FOR EXAMINATION AND POSSIBLE RETURN TO WASHINGTON.

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- 2. PROVIDE MACV'S EVALUATION OF THIS MATERIAL, ESPECIALLY ON QUESTIONS C AND D.
- 3. PROVIDE A BRIEFING ON MACV'S PROCEDURES FOR PROCESSING AND EVALUATION OF INDICATIONS INTELLIGENCE.
- 4. PREPARE A RESPONSE TO QUESTION F (1).
- 5. ARRANGE A FIELD ITINERARY TO INCLUDE VISITS TO SELECTED HEADQUARTERS AT CORPS/FIELD FORCE LEVEL, INCLUDING

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B. [REDACTED]

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- 1. ASSEMBLE MATERIAL COLLECTED THROUGH [REDACTED] CHANNELS DURING PERIOD 15-20 JANUARY WHICH CONTAINED INDICATIONS OF THE TET OFFENSIVE, AND MATERIAL IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS C AND D.

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- 2. PROVIDE BRIEFINGS ON THIS MATERIAL, AND ON [REDACTED] EVALUATION OF IT, ESPECIALLY ON QUESTIONS C AND D.

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1. PROVIDE OFFICE SPACE AND CLERICAL SUPPORT.

C. EMBASSY SAIGON

PROVIDE BRIEFINGS ON ITS STATE OF WARNING OF THE TET OFFENSIVE AND ON ITS RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS C AND D.

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5. TEAM COMPOSITION TO FOLLOW SEPARATE MESSAGE.

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THIS IS A JOINT CAS STATE DEFENSE NSA MESSAGE FOR DELIVERY AT OOB 9 MARCH TO AMBASSADOR, COMUSMACV AND [Redacted]

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- 3. PROVIDE A BRIEFING ON _____ PROCEDURES FOR PROCESSING AND
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- 4. PROVIDE OFFICE SPACE AND CLERICAL SUPPORT.

C. EMBASSY SAIGON

PROVIDE BRIEFINGS ON ITS STATE OF WARNING OF THE TET
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TO: CIA
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FROM: [redacted]

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1. Draft Message looks fine with following modifications:

a. Heading - make it a "Joint State - Defense - CIA - NSA message".

b. Page 5, para 4. d. - "[redacted]"
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TO: SAIGON

Info CINCPAC Honolulu

1. PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE

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6. Team composition to follow separate msg.

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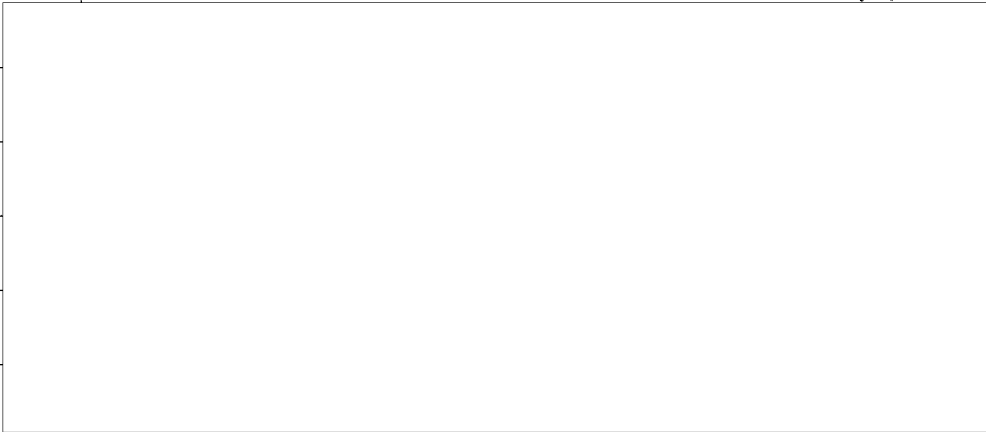
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