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RUHHABA/CINCPACAF.
RUHHBRA/CINCPACFLT HAWAII
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RUHHRGA/CINCUSARPAC HAWAII
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RHSMYA/COMUSMACV (JPRC)
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 RUDOMKA/FBIS LONDON
 RUMKADA/CG THIRD MAF
 RUMRABA/CG THIRD MARDIV
 RUHGOAA/COMSEVENTHFLT
 RUMTBK/AMEMB AND USIS BANGKOK THAILAND
 RUADDOHA/AMEMB AND USIS SEOUL
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TWO MORE U.S. PLANES DOWNED OVER DRV; TOTAL NOW 4,032

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((TEXT)) ANOTHER U.S. F-111 SWING-WING JET FIGHTER-BOMBER WORTH 15 MILLION DOLLARS WAS SHOT DOWN BY THE NORTH VIETNAMESE ARMED FORCES AND PEOPLE IN THE PANHANDLE PROVINCE OF NGHE AN AT 4 A.M. TUESDAY. THIS WAS THE THIRD F-111 DOWNED OVER NORTH VIETNAM SINCE NIXON HAS RENEWED THE AIR WAR OF DESTRUCTION AND THE SIXTH SINCE THE U.S. AIR WAR WAS LAUNCHED AGAINST NORTH VIETNAM 8 YEARS AGO.

ADDITIONAL REPORTS SAID THAT THE ARMED FORCES AND PEOPLE IN THE SAME PROVINCE SHOT DOWN ANOTHER U.S. NAVY A-7 JET FIGHTER-BOMBER ON NOVEMBER 5, AND THAT THE NORTH VIETNAM SHORE BATTERIES IN THE SOUTHERNMOST AREA OF VINH LINH SET AFIRE A U.S. WARSHIP ON NOVEMBER 6. TOTAL U.S. AIR LOSSES OVER NORTH VIETNAM NOW STAND AT THE 4,032 MARK. 081000 [REDACTED]

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