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REPORT NO. [Redacted] (b)(3)

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REPORT CLASS ~~SECRET~~/WNINTEL/NOFORN/NOCONTRACT

COUNTRY USSR/Laos/Vietnam

SUBJECT Photograph of a B-41 (PG-7) Antitank Grenade for Dispensing Chemical Agents

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SOURCE [Redacted] (b)(3)

TEXT 1. One (1) color photograph of a B-41 (PG-7) antitank grenade has been deposited in the files [Redacted] from which copies may be obtained. The photograph was taken during [Redacted]. No lens data were provided. (b)(3)

2. The B-41 rocket-propelled grenade was obtained [Redacted] from a weapons and ammunition store in Chinaimo Camp (TE409801) in Vientiane, Laos. The shell is one of a number of such shells transported from Vietnam to the camp in Vientiane in 1983. The rounds were also deployed in Sayabouri, Khammouan and Savannakhet Provinces of Laos. The round was said to have a chemical warhead. [Redacted] Comment: [Redacted] the (b)(1) (b)(3)

Soviet-made chemical agent CS powder was dispensed using the B-41 rocket.) (b)(3)1 (b)(3)

3. The shell is about two feet in length and is light green in color. The warhead section of the round has a cavity inside and is detachable from the tail section. The shell has the following markings which have been transliterated from cyrillic:

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PG-7
 11 (inside double circles)-22-76
 RNDSI-5K
 3B-7G
 10 (inside double circles)-5-76
 11 (inside double circles)-21-76
 22-76 11 (inside double circles)

[REDACTED] Comment: The markings are not readable in the photograph.)

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4. [REDACTED] Comment: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] 100 cases of B-41 rockets (with 12 rockets per case), were shipped in two trucks to the chemical warehouse of the LPA camp at Seno, Savanakheth Province, on 22 April 1986. [REDACTED] described the rounds as being 64 centimeters in length and 27 centimeters in circumference. The munitions were painted the color of "dried leaves." Each shell had six ports located in the mid-section of the shell. The serial number for the fuse section was: BP-7-MGU (11). The number "22-" was printed on the pointed end of the round. The mid-portion of the shell was printed with the number: 11 (circled)-22-76. On both sides of the shell was printed: "A-IX-Y, with six fuzes." On the rear of the round was printed: 14 (circled)-22-76, followed by a "P-7." On the rear of the shell was printed: 11 (circled)-22-76. The bottom of the shell was printed with the following: RNDSI-5K10 (with the 10 circled)-5-76 3V-7G(11)-21-76. The cases for the B-41 rounds were marked: 11 (circled)-22-76K, under which was printed: PG-7. [REDACTED] a six-man Soviet team, headed by a Colonel FNU ((Pilanov)) (phonetic), with two LPA officers visited the chemical warehouse at Seno on a bimonthly basis. The team also inspected storage sites in the Savannakhet and Pakse areas, as well as other unspecified locations.)

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