Interrogation Report

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Country: South Vietnam (SVN)
Subject: Transport of Two Hundred 122mm Rockets by Infiltration Group 140
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Summary

On 5 December 1967 Infiltration Group 140 was ordered to transport two hundred 122mm rockets which were obtained from a supply point in Quang Nam Province. The rockets were turned over to an unidentified unit on 20 December 1967. Each rocket was in two parts, plus a detonator. The explosive rocket heads, which were formerly packaged in a canvas bag, now had only plastic caps at both ends to protect them.
1. On 5 December 1967, Infiltration Group 1h0 was ordered to transport two hundred 122mm rockets. The rockets were obtained at a place located about a four hour walk from commo-liaison Station 2, near the A Vuong River, Tay Giang District, Quang Nam Province, SVN. Infiltration Group 1h0 was divided into four groups, each group was to carry the rockets for one day. The rockets were finally turned over to an unidentified unit on approximately 20 December 1967.

2. Each 122mm rocket was divided into two parts: the body of the rocket which was approximately 1.2 meters long and weighed 31 kilos, and the explosive head which was approximately 6 meter long and weighed 20 kilos. The rocket detonators were packed in wooden boxes, about 16 detonators to a box which weighed about 10 kilos each (700 grams per detonator). The body of the rocket was kept in tin tubes to protect it from damage and the weather. The explosive rocket head had formerly been kept in canvas bags, but these rockets had only plastic caps at both ends to protect them.

3. (NIC COMMENT: the term "200 rockets"
Some of the detonator boxes were broken. The canvas bags previously used for the explosive heads had been seen lying around.)