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E.O. 12065: RDS-4-04/22/88 (BURGHARDT, R.)
TAGS: PARM, SOPN, SHUM, LA, VM, UR, CB, TH
SUBJECT: POSSIBLE CBW MUNITION FROM LAOS

REF: BANGKOK 22218

1. (C - ENTIRE TEXT)
2. APPRECIATE REFTTEL. IN GENERAL, WE WISH TO AVOID PAYING FOR CBW SAMPLES SUCH AS THAT DESCRIBED IN YOUR CABLE. THE LAO RESISTANCE COULD DISTORT ANY PAYMENT FOR ITS OWN PURPOSES AND THOSE WHO HERETOFORE PROVIDED CONFIDENTIAL

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SAMPLES GRATIS MAY BE ENCOURAGED TO DEMAND A FEE.

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3. DIA IS ANXIOUS TO EXAMINE THE PHOTOGRAPHS ASAP. IF DIA CAN MAKE TENTATIVE IDENTIFICATION ON THE BASIS OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS, AND IF THE ITEM APPEARS ON THE FOREIGN MATERIELS REQUIREMENTS LIST OR-OTHERWISE IS OF SPECIAL INTELLIGENCE VALUE, WE MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN MAKING SOME ARRANGEMENT WITH SOURCE TO OBTAIN THE "GRENADE." DIA WILL SEND FURTHER GUIDANCE, PROBABLY TOMORROW.
4. PLEASE SEND PHOTOGRAPHS BY CLASSIFIED POUCH TO:
CDR, FOREIGN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER, ATTENTION:
DRXST-FMO, 220 7TH STREET NORTHEAST, CHARLOTTESVILLE,
VA 22901. DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING SECOND SET
OF PHOTOS, IF AVAILABLE.

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