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SUBJECT: CANADIAN EPIDEMIOLOGICAL INVESTIGATION OF
ALLEGED CW/BW INCIDENTS IN SE ASIA

REF: USUN 2418

1. AS FORESHADOWED REPTEL PARA 4, CANADIANS HAVE NOW
PASSED TO THE RESULTS OF AN EPIDEMIOLOGICAL STUDY INITIATED
BY THE HUMANITARIAN CENTRE OF THE CANADIAN ARMED FORCES AND
MADE AVAILABLE TO THE UN ON AUGUST 28. AS REPORTED REPTEL,
THE STUDY CORROBORATES THE USE OF CW/BW AGENTS IN SOUTHEAST
ASIA.

2. THE CONCLUSIONS SECTION OF THE STUDY FOLLOWS BELOW:

"60. CW/BW AGENTS ARE BEING USED IN SE ASIA.

61. EPIDEMIOLOGICAL DATA INDICATES THE USE OF AN
INCAPACITANT AGAINST THE KHMER ROUGE IN CAMBODIA AND A
DIFFERENT GROUP OF AGENTS, POSSIBLY MYCOTOXINS, IN LAOS.

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