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Mr Roger Clark  
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Dear Mr Clark

As Mr Wetzler promised in his telephone conversation of 15 August 1989, we are forwarding the attached report which we recently received from the Joint Casualty Resolution Center (JCRC). The report contains information regarding your brother, Major Thomas E. Clark, which was provided to the JCRC Liaison Office in Bangkok, Thailand, by a Thai citizen. The information has been correlated to Major Clark based upon identification media data only.

I regret this information is not more promising. However, we are sending it to you in keeping with our policy of providing you everything we receive that relates to Major Clark. I have attached an additional copy of the report for distribution to your mother at your discretion. If you have questions concerning the report or if we can be of assistance in this regard, please call me or Mr Wetzler at 800-531-5501 (toll free).

Sincerely

*George E. Atkinson*

GEORGE E. ATKINSON  
Chief, Missing Persons Division

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THE LAO SOLDIERS SAID TO BE IN POSSESSION OF THE ALLEGED US REMAINS THAT THEY SHOULD TURN THE REMAINS AND ANY IDENTIFICATION MEDIA IN TO OFFICIALS OF THE LAO GOVERNMENT. SOURCE SAID HE WOULD PASS ON THIS REQUEST, BUT HE WAS DOUBTFUL THEY WOULD BE WILLING TO DO SO BECAUSE THEY WERE FEARFUL OF ARREST. SOURCE SAID HE WOULD CONTACT THE INTERVIEWER WHEN HE RETURNS FROM HIS NEXT TRIP, PROBABLY DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF MARCH 89. SOURCE SAID HE BELIEVED THAT ONLY THREE OF THE 15 TO 16 REMAINS HAD BEEN MOVED NEAR THE THAI BORDER.

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SUBJ: EVALUATION OF RPT 169-653

A. JCRC LIAISON BANGKOK TH 060905Z MAR 89

1. INITIAL ANALYSIS OF THE INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE SOURCE OF RPT A, INDICATES THIS REPORT CORRELATES TO THOMAS E. CLARK, REFNO 1074-0-1. THIS IS NOT FINAL EVALUATION.

2. REFNO 1074: ON 8 FEBRUARY 1989, CAPTAIN THOMAS E. CLARK WAS

FLYING AN F-106D FIGHTER IN A FLIGHT OF FOUR AIRCRAFT. THE

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AIRCRAFT, SERIAL NUMBER 60-3862, WAS HIT BY GROUND FIRE, BURST INTO FLAMES AND CRASHED IN THE VICINITY OF GRID COORDINATES XD 138601, APPROXIMATELY 27 KILOMETERS NORTHWEST OF XEPON AND 100 METERS SOUTH OF ROUTE 91, SAVANNAKHET PROVINCE, LAOS. THE CREW MEMBERS OF THE OTHER AIRCRAFT IN THE AREA DID NOT SEE A PARACHUTE AND DID NOT HEAR AN EMERGENCY BEACON SIGNAL. APPROXIMATELY ONE HOUR AFTER THE CRASH, A BEEPER WAS HEARD WITH AN ORIENTAL SOUNDING VOICE TRANSMITTING, BUT NO FURTHER CONCLUSIONS CAN BE MADE REGARDING THIS INCIDENT. CAPTAIN CLARK IS AN UNACCOUNTED FOR INDIVIDUAL.

3. THIS CORRELATION IS BASED ON IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ONLY. THE PHOTOGRAPH OF THE DOG TAG PROVIDED BY THE SOURCE ACCURATELY IDENTIFIED CAPTAIN THOMAS E. CLARK'S NAME, SERVICE NUMBER, AND BLOOD TYPE.

4. PER REF B, THE U. S. ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY'S

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PHOTOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS INDICATES THAT THE REMAINS ARE POSSIBLY Caucasian and represent two different individuals. A FURTHER DETERMINATION CANNOT BE MADE WITHOUT POSSESSION OF THE ACTUAL REMAINS.

b. ~~THIS EVALUATION MAY BE RELEASED TO THE NEXT OF KIN BY HQ AFMPC~~

c. FILE OG BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
ON RELEASE OF PARAGRAPH FIVE ABOVE, A SANITIZED COPY OF REF A,  
FOR RELEASE TO THE NEXT OF KIN WILL BE FORWARDED TO HQ AFMPC VIA  
CERTIFIED MAIL.

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