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TEXT SIGINT SUMMARY FOR 24 JANUARY 1968((ALL TIMES ZULU))

XXCC ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS SUMMARY IS BASED ENTIRELY ON SIGINT EXCEPT WHERE SOURCE IS OTHERWISE IDENTIFIED. PART ONE-RESUME OF SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS. BETWEEN 230310 *AND 230323, THE USS PUEBLO - WHILE OPERATING IN THE SEA OF JAPAN - WAS APPROACHED BY A NORTH KOREAN SO-1 SUBMARINE CHASER AND THREE NORTH KOREAN P-4 MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS. ALL AVAILABLE *SIGINT EVIDENCE INDICATES THAT THE USS PUEBLO WAS AT LEAST 23 NAUTICAL MILES FROM THE KOREAN COAST WHEN THIS INTERDICTION OCCURRED. DURING THE ENSUING HOUR AND A HALF THE PUEBLO WAS BOARDED BY THE NORTH KOREANS WHILE TWO NK AFFIGHTERS PATROLLED THE AREA. BY 0800 ALL NORTH KOREAN TRACKING OF THE PUEBLO AND HER ESCORTS HAD CEASED, AND ALL EVIDENCE INDICATED THAT THE CAPTURED U.S. VESSEL HAD BEEN EXCORTE TO WO'NSON. WHILE THE PUEBLO WAS UNDER ESCORT TO WO'NSON NKAF AIR TRANSPORT BATTALION LI-2 FLIGHT ACTIVITY WAS NOTED FROM TAECHON AIRFIELD TO WO'NSON AND SIX HOURS LATER, ON TO MIRIM-NI AIRFIELD NEAR PYONGYANG IN A TIME FRAME SUGGESTING THAT PERHAPS SOME OF THE CREW OR EQUIPMENT OF THE PUEBLO WERE ABOARD. [redacted]

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