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FM 37 ARRSQ OA NANG AB RVN

CONFIDENTIAL/JIPREP JIFFY/37(0)/OPREP-3 BEELINE 004

A. 37 ARRSQ (MAC) DA NANG AB RVN

B. N/A

C. RESCUE MSN NR 1-3-028, 15 APR 70

D. 37 ARRS OPREP-3 BEELINE 003. 15/1140Z APR 70.

E. HELICOPTER *DAMAGED* DURING AIR CREW RECOVERY.

150724Z APR 70, APPROXIMATELY 15 NM NW—OF DAKTO, RVN
(UTM Y8 8954551)

G. HH-3E SER NO 67-14708, 37 ARRS, WHILE ENGAGED IN RECOVERING AIRCREW FROM HH-3E 66-13280, EXPERIENCED MONENTARY POWER LOSS, CAUSING AIRCRAFT TO- SETTLE INTO GROUND. DAMAGE WAS SUSTAINED TO ALL FIVE TAIL ROTOR BLADES. IN ADDITION, BOTH ENGINES WERE OVERTEMPED FOR APPROXIMATELY FIVE MINUTES. CREW SUCCEEDING IN GETTING AIRCRAFT AIRBORN AGAIN AND FLEW TO PLETKU AB RVN. TO OBTAIN MEDICAL, TREATMENT FOR RECOVERED AIRCREW. FULL ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGE UNKNOWN, PENDING EVALUATION BY MAINTENANCE RERSONNEL. FOLLOW ON REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED AS ADDLTIONAL INFORMATION BECOMES AVAILABLE.