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USH-TOBE -- ILI SECTION
OF THE
TURKESTAN-SIBERIAN RAILROAD

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SEARCH FOR GUIDED MISSILE ACTIVITY AND ITEMS OF INTELLIGENCE INTEREST ALONG THE USH-TOBE -- ILI SECTION OF THE TURKESTAN-SIBERIAN RAILROAD

The 229-kilometer section of the Turkestan-Siberian Railroad, (Route 480) between Ush-Tobe (45-16N 78-00E) and Ili (43-53N 77-10E) was covered by excellent KEYHOLE photography TALENT photography covered approximately 80 percent of this area and provided comparative coverage.

The photography of the area was compared and studied primarily to locate and describe any unidentified, unusual installations that might possibly be related to guided missile activity, and also to locate and identify any items of intelligence significance.

In the approximately 8,000-square-nautical-mile area covered by the accompanying photomosaic, no unidentified unusual installations were observed that appeared to bear any relation to the Soviet guided missile program.

Items of intelligence interest were observed at the following locations. They are numbered to correspond to the numbers on the accompanying photomosaic.

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<th>LOCATION</th>
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<td>2. KIROVSKIY</td>
<td>Sugar refinery.</td>
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<td>3. TALDY-KURGAN</td>
<td>Military barracks area. Civil airfield sod-surface runway, 4,600 feet long</td>
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FIGURE 1. LOCATION MAP. This map indicates the area shown on the photomosaic.
FIGURE 2. USH-TOBE--ILI SECTION OF TURKESTAN-SIBERIAN RAILROAD.
4. KARABULAK  
   Sugar refinery.

5. KARATALDY
   25X1B

6. TEKELI  
   Lead and zinc mining area. The locations of the 
   lead and zinc plant[25X1A] and power 
   plant[25X1A] reported to be in this area 
   could not be confirmed from a study of KEYHOLE 
   photography. These plants are probably located 
   at Karataldy, 6 km to the northwest, where 
   industrial plants are evident.

7. SARY-OZEK  
   RR station, yards and shops (see CIA/PIC/B-1005/ 
   61, Jun 61, S/Noform[25X1C] Downgrading Prohibited) POL storage, 
   14 tanks. Grain elevator and warehouses. 
   Military barracks and training area.

8. KOS-KUDUK  
   RR station, yards and shops (see CIA/PIC/B-1003/ 

9. ILI  
   POL storage, 11 tanks. River port and warehouse 
   storage area. Krug site[25X1A] 15 nm NE of Ili. An associated barracks and support area is 
   located 2 nm NW of the Krug site. (see Air Force 

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