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- The South China Air Force Headquarters has recently completed construction of Kueit'ou (2710/7333) Airfield near Fengwanshan, north of Ch'uchiang (N 24-50, E 113-33). No aircraft operations have occurred on this facility. The airfield is under the direction of HSU Chih-ang (E776/1807/2491) and has the following installations and equipment:

- 3 hangars
- 2 gasoline reservoirs
- 1 supply (materials) depot
- 1 control tower
- 8 personnel barracks
- 4 anti-aircraft guns
- 2 anti-aircraft automatic rifles
- 2 spotlights, 16 cm diameter

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- Construction work on Fort Bayard (Chanchiang) Airfield has been completed. 100 troops with anti-aircraft guns were recently sent to the field, presumably for defense of the area. At the present time 14 Soviet advisers are stationed at the airfield. No aircraft are based on the facility but piston-engine aircraft periodically arrive and depart.
- The Folo Airfield (N 18-37, E 108-45) is abandoned and unserviceable.
- On 13 January, FAN Pao-ch'i (5400/1405/2461), chief, Tactical Service of the Central and South Air Force Headquarters, arrived in Nanning from Hankow accompanied by six Chinese Communist officers. They were received at the Air Force reception quarters. FAN is on an inspection tour of airfield installations.
- In early January there were 22 MIG-15's¹ based on White Cloud Airfield. Six other aircraft of the same type arrived on 9 January and two jet planes on 12 January, making a total of 30 jets based here.

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6. Thirty bombers and combat planes, [redacted]
seven [redacted] trainers, and four transport aircraft
are currently based on Tienho Airfield.

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1. [redacted] Comment. Jet aircraft are based on White Cloud Airfield but
they are probably YAK-17's and not MIG-15's [redacted]

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