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SAVANNAKHET VILLE AIRFIELD  
LAOS  
1633N 10446E

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1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS RECENT AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY OF SAVANNAKHET VILLE AIRFIELD, ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT SECONDARY FIELDS IN LAOS AND THE HEADQUARTERS AND BASE FIELD FOR THE ROYAL LAO AIR FORCE.

2. LOCATION:

THIS AIRFIELD IS LOCATED ON THE SOUTHEAST EDGE OF SAVANNAKHET.

3. DIMENSIONS/SPECIFICATIONS:

SAVANNAKHET VILLE AIRFIELD HAS A SERVICEABLE 5,980 X 200 FT., NE/SW, PREPARED EARTH RUNWAY, WITH AN 800 FT. EXTENSION UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT THE SOUTHWEST END.

4. MISSION READOUT:

PHOTOGRAPHY OF [Redacted] REVEALS THE FACILITIES AT THE AIRFIELD TO INCLUDE, IN ADDITION TO THE RUNWAY, TWO PREPARED EARTH LINK TAXIWAYS WHICH CONNECT THE RUNWAY WITH A LARGE PREPARED EARTH PARKING APRON, THREE SMALLER PREPARED EARTH PARKING APRONS (ONE OF WHICH APPEARS TO BE IN THE PROCESS OF BEING HARD SURFACED), ONE SMALL HANGAR, TWO MAINTENANCE BUILDINGS, A SMALL OPEN STORAGE AREA, AND AT LEAST FIFTEEN ASSOCIATED BUILDINGS. THE AIR ORDER OF BATTLE CONSISTS OF NINE C-47, TWENTY-ONE T-28, AND THREE LIAISON AIRCRAFT.

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# SAVANNAKHET VILLE AIRFIELD

## LAOS

16-33N 104-46E



25X1  
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| AIRCRAFT |         |
|----------|---------|
| 9        | C-47    |
| 21       | T-28    |
| 3        | LIAISON |

25X1

8X ENLARGEMENT  
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