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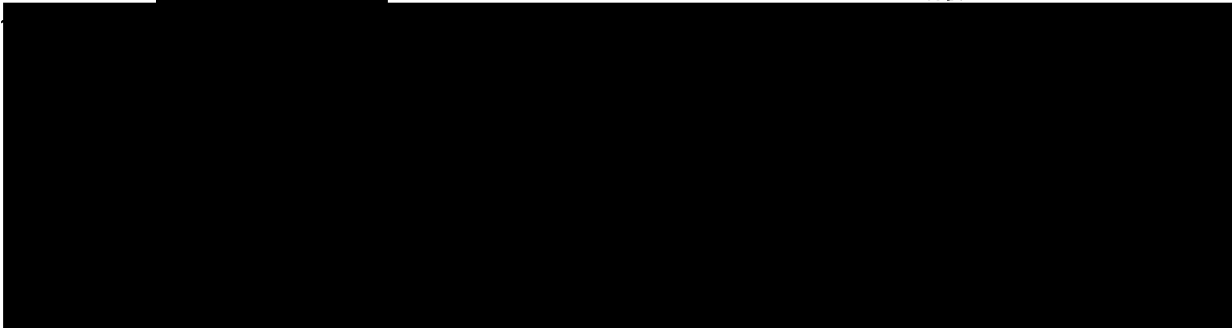
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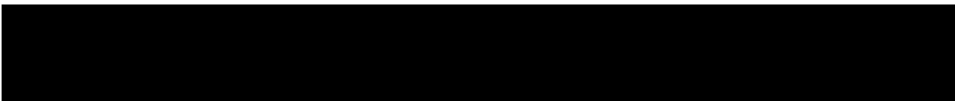
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1. The following land and water routes are used by Chinese Communists sending military supplies to Ho Chi Minh troops:
  - a) Supplies are sent by land over the Yunnan-Indochina border via Chennankuan (106-41, 21-58), Chinghsi (106-25, 23-09) and Leng Son (106-45, 21-51) on the Kwangsi-Indochina border.
  - b) Supplies are also shipped by sea from a base in the Wanshan Islands. These supplies are sent to Hainan by motor junk and then smuggled to Quang Ngai and Tourane on the central Indochina coast.
2. From 1 July to 10 August 1950, 570 tons of military supplies were sent by the Chinese Communists to Viet Minh troops. These included rifles, machine guns, artillery, artillery ammunition, bazookas, and medical and communications equipment.
3. Supplies purchased by the Chinese Communists in Macao for shipment to the Viet Minh are stored at the Nan Kueng Trading Company.\* Early in August 1950 four steamers and two motor junks were preparing to carry military equipment to the Wanshan Islands for shipment to Indochina via Hainan. It takes approximately two weeks for shipment from Macao to Indochina.

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