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CANDID DEPLOYMENT  
KRIVOY ROG AIRFIELD EAST, USSR

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: A PROBABLE FORCE UPGRADE FROM CUB TO CANDID IS IN PROGRESS.
2. (SWN) REMARKS: THREE CANDID, WHICH ARE NOT NORMALLY AT THIS AIRFIELD, ARE ON THE MAIN PARKING APRON. WHILE THESE AIRCRAFT MAY BE IN TRANSIT, RECENT CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY SUGGESTS A PERMANENT FORCE UPGRADE. FROM LATE OCTOBER THROUGH DECEMBER 1982, SIX CONCRETE BLAST DEFLECTORS WERE CONSTRUCTED ALONG THE MAIN PARKING APRON AT THE SOUTH END OF THE AIRFIELD. GROUND SCARRING (NOT ON GRAPHIC) FOR THREE ADDITIONAL BLAST DEFLECTORS IS ALSO OBSERVED. SIMILAR ACTIVITY ACCOMPANIED THE UPGRADE FROM CUB TO CANDID AT ZAPOROZHYE AIRFIELD EAST [REDACTED] DURING 1982. KRIVOY ROG AIRFIELD EAST IS THE NINTH SOVIET AIRFIELD TO RECEIVE CANDID.

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