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	PERIOD COVERED 4 Nov 70 - 30 June 71	

SUBJECTS 1. Involuntary Manslaughter (WCI) (INSUR EVID) 2. Cruelty and Maltreatment (WCI) (Continued see attach sheet)	DATE OF REPORT 23 AUG 71
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SUBJECTS (Last name - First name - Middle name - Grade - SS IN - Organization or address and ZIP Code)

GARNON, David Harlin (1,2); Civ; [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] (1,2); ARVN SFC; [REDACTED], 1st Australian Civil Affairs, Nui Dat, RVN
 BOWERS, Norman Lawrence (2); CPT; [REDACTED]; Stu Det, Ft Myer, VA
 [REDACTED] (2); [REDACTED]; 218-23 [REDACTED]
 (Continued see attached sheet)

BASIS FOR INVESTIGATION: On 4 Nov 70, LTC Anthony B. HERBERT, AG Office, Third US Army, PE McPherson, GA, reported two instances of maltreatment of Vietnamese detainees by personnel of the 172d Military Intelligence (MI) Det, 173d Abn Bde in Vietnam in 1969; also, which he allegedly reported to FRANKLIN (Continued see attached sheet)

INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

Investigation disclosed that during the approximate period Mar 68 - Oct 69, at LZ English and/or Tan Quan, RVN, Vietnamese detainees were subjected to maltreatment by GARNON, [REDACTED], BOWERS, [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED], who were American and Vietnamese interrogators of the 172d MI Detachment. Techniques employed included the transmission of electrical shock by means of a field telephone, a water-rag treatment which impaired breathing, hitting with sticks and boards, and beating of detainees with fists. One detainee died in Aug 68, however maltreatment was not established as the cause of death. HERBERT'S alleged reports of maltreatment of detainees to FRANKLIN were not substantiated.

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