

មជ្ឈមណ្ឌលឯកសារកម្ពុជា

File number: 83bbkh
 Case number: 005
 [Allegedly] perpetrator name:
 Victim name: CHOUT NHE
 Location:
 DK Zone:
 Original file dated: October 19, 1977

Summary:

Before his arrest, Chout Nhe was a member of Battalion 701, Regiment 601, Division 174. This person was accused of having betrayed the revolution and arrested by Angkar in September 1977, (p.19). Chout Nhe was interrogated by persons named Ham and Phen on October 19, 1977 (p.19). After the interrogation, the questioners made a report and made a conclusion as follows: "My questions centered around: situation and standpoints of his Unit [Division], cause of the arrest, and matter concerning many other traitors. When this point was stressed, he kept silent. Then after having been tortured to some extent, he agreed to recount his traitorous acts. Later I asked him about his networks as well as their plans and acts. When we emphasized this point, he uttered an equivocal speech [of whether he is a "string" of a network]. Then [I] tortured him some more. Later he agreed to clarify his status within the network and recited his acts from the beginning of his history to the day of his arrest. "Through this confession, [I] cannot make an assumption of [whether he is part of a network or not]. However I just wrote down the story based on his confession of systematic contacts." (p.6).

The confession paper was signed by interrogators named Ham and Phen and sent in person to Khieu (Son Sen). Khieu (Son Sen) sent this document to Central Zone (Zone 1/2). A copy of the document dated November 11, 1977 was also sent to Brother Nuon. The notes were jotted down on page 3. In this document, there are also 33 names of those accused of having betrayed [the Party] with Chou Nhe, including names of the four already arrested.

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