On 19 August 40 raiders, 20 of whom were armed, invaded the village of SAI .HO LI (985-1153) and attempted to force the residents to place their names on blank ballots, indicating their support of the North Korean election. The police attacked the raiders and drove them off with no casualties reported to either side.

Raider groups reportedly have been visiting villages in practically every myun on CHEJU-DO, forcing the residents to place their names on blank forms and to contribute money and food to support the People's Army! Two alternatives are allegedly given the villagers by the raiders: Those who help the raiders will, at the worst, be arrested by the police, kept in custody for a few days, and then released; those who refuse to help the raiders will be killed and their homes burned.

It is reported that on 18 August 5 persons in SOK UI Myun, located in south central CHEJU-DO, were stabbed by raiders because they refused to sign petitions supporting the North Korean government and the election. (CIC P/R #199. C-3)

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(1) Police Engage Raider Groups on CHEJU-DO (Delayed Reports)

On 19 August 4 members of the HAMI (981-1153) police box engaged a group of raiders in a firefight at HYUP JAI LI (982-1157). During the fight 1 policeman was killed. The raiders had an estimated 15 weapons.

On 18 August the CHOU DI (982-1152) police shot and killed 1 raider. (CIC P/R #202. C-2)

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