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PROYECTO VALLE DE NACO  
CATALOG FORM

DATE: 24 Dec 96

LOT NUMBER: 12K/21

SUBSTANCE: Ceramic

OBJECT: Figurine / modeled censer

CATALOG #: 12K/21-4

MULTIPLES? *no* DRAWN BY: \_\_\_\_\_

CATALOGED BY: *S*

PASTE GROUP: *D*

CENSER FORM CODE:

EXCAVATOR:

HGT/LENGTH: 3.14cm

WIDTH: 2.29cm THICKNESS: 0.89cm DIAMETER:

VERBAL DESCRIPTION: This is a hollow - solid fragment of a hollow - solid, anthropomorphic - zoomorphic - unknown type of figurine. Size is small - medium - large - can't tell.

Back is convex - concave - flat - complexly curved - too small to assess - absent.

Edges are rounded - smoothed - cut/trimmed - flat - absent.

Exterior shows smoothing - wiping - burnishing - irregularities - undulations - roughness - unclear finish.

Firing core is central - interiorly shifted - present only in thick areas - absent.

Burning is present - absent - post-deposition. If present, where:

Fire-clouding is present - absent - post-deposition. If present, where: *on exterior of fingers.*

Drawn - Not drawn. Piece is not - slightly - moderately - very - extremely - eroded; and/or battered

Interior shows front-back joint/seam - finger impressions - fingernail marks - clay layers -

webbed or "wet" look from fingers - striations - gouges - clay scraps - clay curls - smoothing - wiping - other.

Slip: yes - no. If yes, where:

Paint: yes - no. If yes, where:

Decoration/comments: *Could be a modeled censer, based on size, paste tool use.*

*It is a hand of very square fingers, separated by wide grooves.*

*Fingernails are small indentations on ends. Grooves & indentations*

*look handmade not modeled.*