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UNCLASS SVC CITING MCS 11613Z IMI 11613Z EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE
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////// RED ROCKET FLASH FOLLOWS //

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DE UUMSE RED ROCKET ZFF6
ZNY SSSSS
UUMSEA T CG 1ST MARDIV
FM COMUSMACV
TO AIG MACV 900

Z 011613Z MAY 68
FM JCS
TO AIG 7077
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SECRET EXERCISE RED ROCKET ONE EXERCISE

SUBJECT: RED ROCKET EXERCISE

1. THIS IS A RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAG.
2. PAC AND SAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSAN TIME ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT MESSAGE REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLICABLE SUBORDINATE FORCES.

3. 011613 ZULU

EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.

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WING	1619	1625 (11)
AMERICAL	1619	1621
PCV	1618	1628

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DE WAF AND MATES

DE DIV NR 055...055

DE WING NR 121...121...122

DE AMER NR 050...050...050

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FM COMUSMACV
TO AIG MACV 900
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TO AIG MACV 900
RED ROCKET EXERCISE

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1. (U) THI IS A RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE.

2. (S) PAC AND SAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSAN TIME ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT MESSAGE REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLICABLE SUBORDINATE FORCES.

3; (U) 040156Z

EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.

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AND MATE CSL FOR FLASH MSG NO 050...050
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TUR 1004H.

I Z 042156Z

FM JCS

TO AIG 7277

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S E C R E T EXERCISE RED ROCKET TWO EXERCISE

SUBJECT: RED ROCKET EXERCISE

1. (U) THIS IYLA RED ROCKI EXERCISE MESUNGE.

SAC2 AND SSAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSAN TIME ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT MESSAGE REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLICABLE SUB-ORDINATE FORCES.

3. (U) 042156Z

EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.

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ZNY 55555
 P 040755Z MAY 68
 FM COMUSMACV
 TO RUHHHQA/CINCPAC
 INFO RUEOJFA/JCS
 AIG 900ACT CG III MAF
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ACT G-3
 INFO G-6
 COPY TO G-2 ADJ S/S

S E C R E T 12657
 SUBJ: RESULTS OF FAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST (U)
 REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z APR 68
 B. JCS 040156Z MAY 68

1. (U) LAST APPLICABLE MACV UNIT NOTIFIED 040224Z.
2. (S) RECEIPT TIMES (Z) OF FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTAND-
 ABLE MESSAGE BY COMM CENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS:

COMMAND	COMM CENTER	DUTY OFFICER
MACV	040159	040159
III MAF	040205	040205
PROVCORPSV	040214	040214
1ST MAR DIV	040210	040212
3RD MAR DIV	040224	040224
101ST ABN DIV	040218	040220
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AMERICAL DIV	040208	040212
1ST MAW	040209	040209
1ST CAV DIV	040218	040220
I FFV	040201	040202
4TH INF DIV	040208	040210
173RD ABN BDE	040222	040223
5TH SFGA	040208	040210
II FFV	040205	040216
1ST INF DIV	040213	040214
9TH INF DIV	040210	040211
25TH INF DIV	040208	040208
199TH LT INF BDE	040209	040212
11TH ACR	040215	040215
3RD BDE, 101ST ABN DIV	040200	040211
SA, IV CORPS	040222	040223
USARV	040206	040206
NAVFORV	040204	040204
CTF 115	040211	040211
CTF 116	040209	040210
CTF 117	040209	040209



PAGE 3 RUMUHFA 0587 S E C R E T
 7TH AF 040200 040200 040225

- &TIME LAST AF UNIT WAS NOTIFIED.
3. (C) DELAYS WERE CAUSED BY:
 - A. 3D MAR DIV; PROVCORPSV; CIRCUIT OUT, ALTERNATE ROUTE USED.
 - B. 173D ABN BDE; CIRCUIT OUT, ALTERNATE ROUTE USED.
 - C. SA IV CTZ; PHASE TROUBLE BETWEEN COC AND IV CTZ- MESSAGE SENT FOUR TIMES, A READABLE COPY WAS OBTAINED.
 - D. 7TH AF; CIRCUIT OUT AT TUY HOA.

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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 041004H May 68

All persons placing or receiving official telephone calls are requested to complete this form which will be placed in the journal for record purposes.

From: MACV CEC

To: III MAF CEC

Resume of call: "Red Rocket Exercise MSG JCS MSG 040156Z

UNIT		Comment/TO R	WO TOR
III MAF	CU	1003H	1004H
	DED	1005H	1005H
PCV	CU	1015H	1008H
	DED	1014H (FROM MACV)	1014H
101 st	CU	1023H	1024H
	DED	1021H	1022H
1 st ACD	CU	1020H	1021H
	DED	1018H	1018H
3 rd MAE DIV	CU	1023H	1023H
	DED	1024H	1024H
12 th MAE DIV	CU	1010H	1012H
	DED	1010H	1012H
Amersal	CU	1017H	1018H
	DED	1008H	1012H
ACTION-FMAW	DED	1009H	1009H

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Total Elapsed Time 27 minutes

WARNING CALL FROM MACV CAME AT 1000H.

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///// RED ROCKET FLASH FOLLOWS /////

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UUMSEA I CG 1ST MARDIV

FM COMUSMACV

TO AIG MACV 900

Z 061422Z MAY 68

FM JCS

TO AIG 7077

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S E C R E T RED ROCKET THREE EXERCISE

SUBJECT: RED ROCKET EXERCISE

1. THIS IS A RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE.
2. BALTIMORE ORIOLES ON 7 GAME WINNING STREAK AND LEAD AMERICAN LEAGUE. ROBERTO DE VICENZO WON HOUSTON INTERNATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT. DANCERS IMAGE WON KENTUCKY DERBY. MONTREAL BEAT SAINT LOUIS IN FIRST GAME OF STANLEY CUP FINALS.

3. PAC AND SAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSAN TIME ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT MESSAGE REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLICABLE SUBORDINATE FORCES.

4. 061422 ZULU.

EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.

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PP UUMSEA UUMHIC
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ZNY SSSSS
P 061550Z MAY 68
FM COMUSMACV
TO ZEN/CINCPAC
ZEN/WMCC
AIG 900
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S E C R E T

SUBJ: RESULTS OF FAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST
REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z APR 68
B. JCS 061422Z MAY 68

1. LAST APPLICABLE MACV UNIT NOTIFIED 061441Z
RECEIPT TIMES (Z) OF FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTANDABLE MESSAGE
BY COMM CENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS.

TOR 0114
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02 WATCH
03 WATCH *...*
03 *Red Rock*
02 *Folder*
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COMMAND	COMMAND CENTER	DUTY OFFICER
MACV	1423	1426
III MAF	1427	1427
PROV CORPSV	1428	1429
1ST MAR DIV	1425	1430
3D MAR DIV	1432	1432
101ST ABN DIV	1429	1430
AMERICAL DIV	1429	1430
1ST CAV DIV	1433	1433
1ST MAW	1429	1430
I FFORCEV	1428	1430
4TH INF DIV	1439	1442
173D ABN BDE	1441	1442
5TH SFGA	1423	1424
II FFORCEV	1437	1440
1ST INF DIV	1440	1440
9TH INF DIV	1440	1440
25TH INF DIV	1440	1440
199TH LT INF BDE	1440	1440
11TH ACR	1435	143
3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV	1420	1420
SA, IV CORPS	1437	1438
USARV	1429	1430
7TH AF	1424	1440
NAVFORS	1428	1428
CTF 115	1430	1432
CTF 116	1430	1430
CTF 117	1430	1432

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3. REASON FOR DELAY OR NONRECEIPT: NONE

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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 062240H May

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From: MACV

To: II MAF COC

Resume of call: "Red Rocket Exercise" (Notified 1021H) MSG # 061422Z

		Comm Center	WFO
<u>1ST MAR DIV</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2225H</u>	<u>2229H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2225H</u>	<u>2230H</u>
<u>PCV</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2227H</u>	<u>2240H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2228H</u>	<u>2229H</u>
<u>3RD MAR DIV</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2235H</u>	<u>2237H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2232H</u>	<u>2232H</u>
<u>101ST</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2235H</u>	<u>2236H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2231H</u>	<u>2237H</u>
<u>1ST ACD</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2239H</u>	<u>2240H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2229H</u>	<u>2230H</u>
<u>AMERICAN</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2233H</u>	<u>2236H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2229H</u>	<u>2230H</u>
<u>FMAW</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2235H</u>	<u>2235H</u>
	<u>DED</u>	<u>2233H</u>	<u>2233H</u>
<u>II MAF</u>	<u>CU</u>	<u>2221H</u>	<u>2222H</u>
<u>ACTION</u>	<u>DED</u>	<u>2227H</u>	<u>2227H</u>

MACV notified 070125H

FOR 0127

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- G2 WATCH
- G3 WATCH
- G3
- G2
- C16
- DATE

Red Rocket folder

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DIV DE MAF STAND BY FOR RED ROCKET

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Z 01422Z MAY 68

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TO AIG 7077

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SUBJECT: RED RVKET EXERCISE

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1. THIS IS A RD ROCKET EXERCISE XSSAGE.

2. BALTIMORE ORIOWS ON 7 GAME WINING STREAK AND LEAD AMERICAN LAGUE. ROBERTO DEVICENZO WON HOUSTONINTERNATIONAL GOLFTOURNAMENT. JNCERS IMAGE WO KENTUCKY DERBY MONTREAL BEAT SAINT LOUIS INFIRST GAME OF STAVEY GUP FINALS.

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WING 1430 1430Z

PCU 1428 1428Z

EXERCSE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.

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DE DIV COC AND ATE QSL NR 121 AT 1430 KKK

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PV UUMSEA
DE UUVSE 137V 13;0137
ZNY SSSSS
P ;90135Z MAY 68
FM COMUSMAKV
TO ZEN/CINCPAC
INFO ZEN/JCS
AIG 900.
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FOR 1535
J _____
G2 WATCH _____
G3 WATCH 650
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G2 _____
C/S Robert
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SUBJ: RESULTS OF FAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST(U)
REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z APR 68
B. JCS 082137Z MAY 68

1. LAST APPLICABLE UNIT NOTIFIED 082206Z
RECEIPT TIMES (Z210F FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTANDABLE MESSAGE
BY COMM CENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS.

COMMAND	I	ICOM CENTER	II	DUTY OFFICER
4ACVI I		082138		082139
III MAF	S	21418 S		2145
PROV COJPS V		S 2137	S S	2137N
1ST MAR DI	S	21458	S	2145
3D MAR DIV		S 2150	S	2151
121ST ABN DIV		2145	S	2145

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AMERICAL DIV		2144	S	2144
1ST CAV DIV S		082151	S	2151
-1ST MAW	S	2143 S	S	2143
I FFV		082142		082143
4TH INF DIV	S	0821478	S S	082149
173 ABN BDE S	S	082144		082147
5TH SF-		2142	S	2144
II FFORCEV	S S	2154 S	S S	2259
1ST INF DIV		082159	S	2221
9TH INF DIV S	S	082159		2159
25TH INF DIV	S	2223 S S		213
199TH LT INF BDE		2216	S	2226
11TH ACP	S	204	S	2224
3RD BDE, 101LT ABN DIV	S	2159	S	201
54 IV CORGS S		21468		082147
USARV		2143	S	S 2144
7TH AF	I	2138	S	2195
COMNAVFORV	S	2144		2144
CTF 119	S	2148	S	2149
CTF 116	S	2145		2146

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CTF 117 S 2149 S S 2TP
2. REASON FOR DELAY - UNITS IN IIIFFV DELAYED TO DEDICATED CIRCUIT
OUTAGE. MESSAGES REROUTED THROUGH BACKUP CIRCUITS.

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DE UUMSE 137V 1300137
ZNY SSSSS
P 090135Z MAY 68
FM COMUSMACV
TO ZEN/CINCPAC
INFO ZEN/JCS
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C/S
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SUBJ: RESULTS OF KAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST(U)
REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z AR 68
IB. JCS 082EUZ MAX 67

1. LAST APPLICABLE UNIT NOTIFIED 082206Z
RECEIPT TIMEU (Z) OF FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTANDABLE MESSAGE
BY COMMICENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS.

COMMAND	COMM CENTER	I	DUTY OFFICER
MACV	0821388	8 8	08139
III MAF	2141	8 8	2141
PROV CORPS V	2137	8	2137
1ST VAR DIV	215		2145
3D MAR DIV	2150	8	2150
101ST ABN DIV	2145		2145

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AMERICAL DIV	8 2144	8	8	2144
A1ST CAV DIV	8 2151			2151
ST MAW	8 2143	8	8	1:3
I FFV	8 0821428	8	8	082143
4TH INF DIV	082147		8	082149
173 ABN BDE	8 082144	8		072147
5THISFGA	2142	8		82144
II FFOJCEV	8 154		8	2259
A1ST INF DIV I	2159	8		2201
9TP INF DIV	8 2159		8 8	2159
25TH ICF DIV	2203		8	2203
199TH LT INF BDE	8 2206		8	2206
11THIACR	22R		I	WWPR
3RD BDE, 101ST ABN DIV	2159		8	8 2201
SA IV CORPS	8 2146	8	8 8	8 8 2147
UUARV	2143			214
7TH AF	2138			2155
COMNAVFORV	8 144		8	8 82144
CTF115	8 82148	8		2149
CTF 116	8 2145	8 8 8		2146

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CTF117 8 8 2149 8 8 2150
A2. REASON FOR DELAY - UNITS IN II FFV DELAYED TO DEDICATED CIRCUIT
OUTAGE. MESSAGES REROUTED THROUGH BACKUP KIRCUITS.

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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 090535H May

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From: MacV COC

To: III MAF COC

Resume of call: 0542H Red Rocket "Exercise" Msg (JCS 082137 Z)

		Comm Center	W/O
III MAF	CU	0538H	0539H
	DeD	0541H	0541H
PCV	CU	0537H	0537H
	DeD	0537H	0537H
101 ST	CU	0545H	0545H
	DeD	out	-
1 ST ACD	CU	0549H	0551H
	DeD	0551H	0551H
3 rd MAR DIV	CU	0550H	0550H
	DeD	05 out	-
1 ST MAR DIV	CU	0545H	0545H
	DeD	0545H	0545H
Americal	CU	0548H	0549H
	DeD	0544H	0545H
FMAW	CU	0542H	0542H
ACTION	DeD	0543H	0543H

Robt MacV - TOTAL ELAPSED Time 14 minutes

- 02 WATCH
- 03 WATCH
- 04 Red Rocket file

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1ST MAR DIV

3RD MAR DIV

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PCV

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1007052-CCN 143
1007032-CCN 557

1007042-CCN 161
100714-CCN 555

1007072-CCN 441
100712-CCN 530

1007132-CCN 053
100716-CCN 552

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////// RED ROCKET FLASH FOLLOWS //

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UUMSEA T CG 1ST MARDIV
FM COMUSMACV
TO AIG MACV 900

Z 100703Z
FM JCS
TO AIG7077
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UNCLAS E F T O EXERCISE RED ROCKET FIVE EXERCISE

SUBJECT: RED ROCKET EXERCISE

1. THIS IS A RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE.

2. PAC AND SAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSAN TIME
ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT
MESSAGE REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLIS

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3. 100703Z

EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.

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TOP / QSL
1ST DIV 0709 @ 708
AMER @ 709 @ 711
PCV @ 714
WING 0709 @ 716
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TO AIG707

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SUBJECT: REFROCKET EXERCISE

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ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEN NOTIFIED. SUBMP
MESSAGE REPORT PISTING TIMES OF JCEIPT BY APPLI-
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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 101530H MAY 68

All persons placing or receiving official telephone calls are requested to complete this form which will be placed in the journal for record purposes.

From: MACV --- RED ROCKET

To: III MAF

Resume of call: RED ROCKET MESSAGE 100703Z

RECEIVED BY III MAF MAIN COM 1503H; WATCH OFFICER: 1505H

1STMARDIV: MAIN COMM 1508H; WATCH OFFICER 1511H

AMERICAL: COC COMM 1509H; WATCH OFFICER 1513H

FMAW: COC COMM 1509H; WATCH OFFICER 1513H

PCV: COC COMM 1509H; WATCH OFFICER ~~XXXX~~ 1508H

1STACD: COC 1509; WATCH OFFICER 1509H

101ABN: COC 1520H; WATCH OFFICER 1520H

3RDMARDIV: COC 1510H; WATCH OFFICER: 1510H

OK _____
 G2 WATCH _____
 G3 WATCH _____
 G3 _____
 G2 _____
 C/S _____
 PASS _____
 FILED _____

~~ACTION~~ INFO: C-2, C-3, FOLDER

Red Rocket

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PP UJNSEA UJMHIC
DE UJNSE 17IV 1311130
ZNY SSSSS
P 101125Z MAY 68
FM COMUSMACV
TO CINCPAC
INFO JCS
ZEN/AIG 900
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TOR/MAV
12/5/68
G2 WATCH
G3 WATCH
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SUBJ: RESULTS OF FAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST (U)
REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z APR 68
B. JCS 100703Z MAY 68

1. LAST APPLICABLE MACV UNIT NOTIFIED 100721Z
2. RECEIPT TIMES (Z) OF FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTANDABLE MESSAGE BY COMM CENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS.

COMMAND	COMM CENTERS	DUTY OFFICERS
MACV	0705	0706
III MAF	0705	0705
PROV CORPSV	0705	0708
1ST MAR DIV	0708	0711
3D MAR DIV	PUQP	0710
101ST ABN DIV	0720	0720
AMERICAL DIV	0709	0705
1ST CAV DIV	0709	0709
1ST MAW	0709	0714
I FFORCEV	0708	0711
4TH INF DIV	0713	0717
173D ABN BDE	0715	0716
5TH SFGA	0707	0712
II FFORCEV	0711	0712
1ST INF DIV	0721	0721
9TH INF DIV	0717	0717
25TH INF DIV	0714	0715
199 TH LT INF BDE	0710	0710
II TH ACR	0719	0720
3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV	0717	0718
SA IV CORPS	0720	0721
USARV	0705	0707
7TH AF	0708	0709
NAVFORV	0707	0707
CTF 115	0708	0709
CTF 116	0707	0709
CTF 117	0708	0709

3. REASON FOR DELAY OR NONRECEIPT - NONE.
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VV SEA 814

TCS/MACV
1355 1100

PP UINSEA UUMHIC
DE UINSE 171V 1311130
ZNY SSSSS
P 101125Z MAY 68
FM COMUSMACV
TO ZEN CINCPAC
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SUBJ: RESULTS OF FAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST (U)
REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z APR 68
B. JCS 100703Z MAY 68

1. LAST APPLICABLE MACV UNIT NOTIFIED 100721Z
2. RECEIPT TIMES (Z) OF FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTANDABLE MESSAGE BY COMM CENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS.

COMMAND	COMM CENTERS	DUTY OFFICERS
MACV	0705	0706
III MAF	0705	0705
PROV CORPSV	0705	0708
1ST MAR DIV	0708	0711
3D MAR DIV	PUQP	0710
101ST ABN DIV	0720	0720
AMERICAL DIV	0709	0713
1ST CAV DIV	0709	0709
1ST MAW	0709	0714
I FFORCEV	0708	0711
4TH INF DIV	0713	0717
173D ABN BDE	0715	0716
5TH SF6A	0707	0712
II FFORCEV	0711	0712
1ST INF DIV	0721	0721
9TH INF DIV	0717	0717
25TH INF DIV	0714	0715
199 TH LT INF BDE	0710	0710
II TH ACR	0719	0720
3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV	0717	0718
SA IV CORPS	0720	0721
USARV	0705	0707
7TH AF	0708	0709
NAVFORV	0707	0709
CTF 115	0708	0709
CTF 116	0707	0709
CTF 117	0708	0709

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3. REASON FOR DELAY OR NONRECEIPT - NONE.
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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 020100 May 68

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From: TIL MAF LOC

To: MAECV LOC

Resume of call: Red Rocket One Exercise 011613Z May

	Comm	Duty Officer
<u>TIL MAF</u>	<u>1618Z</u>	<u>1618Z</u>
<u>PCV</u>	<u>1618Z</u>	<u>1618Z</u>
<u>101ST</u>	<u>1618Z</u>	<u>1618Z</u>
<u>1ST ACD</u>	<u>1622Z</u>	<u>1622Z</u>
<u>3d DIV</u>	<u>1623Z</u>	<u>1623Z</u>
<u>1ST DIV</u>	<u>1622Z</u>	<u>1624Z</u>
<u>AMERICAL</u>	<u>1621Z</u>	<u>1622Z</u>
<u>FMAW</u>	<u>1618Z</u>	<u>1620Z</u>

MAECV notified 020100H May 68.
Total elapsed time JCS to last unit 11 min.

ACTION G-2, G-3, Folder

FOR 0115

G2 WATCH _____

G3 WATCH _____

G3 _____

G2 _____

C/S _____

PASS _____

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COC		RED ROCKET	MAIN MAIN Comm
0018	24	1st Div	0024
0021	22	AMERICAN	0022
0021	18	PCU	
0018	18	101 ST	
0022	22	1ST ACD	
0023	23	3 rd MARDIV	0037
^{2nd} 18 0018	20	FMAW	0018
0018	18	<u>III</u> MAF	00

MACV

Conference call - 020015 H DTG 0116¹³~~302~~

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$$\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ 13 \\ \hline 11 \end{array}$$

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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 140930H May

All persons placing or receiving official telephone calls are requested to complete this form which will be placed in the journal for record purposes.

From: MACV

To: III MAF CDC

Resume of call: "Red RKT EXERCISE" 0135214 MAY 68

	<u>Comm Center</u>	<u>WATCH 0</u>
<u>III MAF</u>	<u>0937H</u>	<u>0937H</u>
<u>AMERICAL</u>	<u>0945H</u>	<u>0945H</u>
<u>1st MARDIV</u>	<u>0937H</u>	<u>0937H</u>
<u>FMAW</u>	<u>0942H</u>	<u>0945H</u>
<u>PCV</u>	<u>0942H</u>	<u>0943H</u>
<u>101st</u>	<u>0950H</u>	<u>0956H</u>
<u>3rd MAB DIV</u>	<u>0945H</u>	<u>0946H</u>
<u>1st ACD</u>	<u>0947H</u>	<u>0949H</u>

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Red Rocket Soldier

ACTION Inf 6-2 6-3 folders
total elapsed time 21 minutes

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COC 0131
0131Z
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From COMNAV 030

0140Z

	TOO	QSL
PCU	0141Z	0143
WING	0141	0142
American	0141	0142
1st Div	0141	0144

AVV 02-005 000
///// RED ROCKET FLASH FOLLOWED //

UNCLAS E F I O EXERCISE RED ROCKET ZFFS
ZNY 00000
UNCLAS T CG 1ST MARDIV
FM COMNAV
TO AIG MACV 000

AVV 00000
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Z 140135Z MAY 68
FM JCS
TO AIG 7277
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UNCLAS E F I O EXERCISE RED ROCKET SIX EXERCISE

SUBJECT: RED ROCKET EXERCISE

1. THIS IS A RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE.
2. PAC AND SAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSM. TIME ALL FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT MESSAGE REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLICABLE SUBORDINATE FORCES.
3. 140135Z.

EXERCISE RED ROCKET EXERCISE.
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OUTGOING ROUGH DRAFT

* BLACK BORDER FOR UNCLASSIFIED

* RED BORDER FOR CLASSIFIED AND EFTO

DATE - TIME - GROUP

1264 140635 Z

From: III MAF COC	PRECEDENCE		Drafted:
	(TO)	IMMEDIATE PRIORITY	(INFO)
To: PROV COR V COC FIRST MAR DIV COC AMER DIV TOC EMAW OPN CTR FLC	<input type="checkbox"/>	ROUTINE	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	DEFERRED	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	AIRMAIL	<input type="checkbox"/>
Info:	<input type="checkbox"/>	MAIL	<input type="checkbox"/>
	STAMP IF CLASSIFIED		
SECRET			NOTE *

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SUBJ: RED ROCKET MESSAGE PROCEDURE

REF: ~~COMMUNALY~~ 1370302
~~MSG~~ APR 68

1. FAST REACTION PROCEDURES FOR CONTROLLING OPN IN SEA ARE OUTLINED IN REF. MESSAGES WILL BEAR CODENAME RED ROCKET AND WILL BE TRANSMITTED OVER COC DEDICATED AND/OR COMMAND COMM ~~TT~~ ^{CENTER} TT CIRCUITS. III MAF COC WILL ALERT ADDEES OF IMPENDING ARRIVAL OF RED ROCKET OR RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE. UPON RECEIPT OF MESSAGE, ADDEES WILL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY III MAF COC BY TELEPHONE (COC NR 103, 203, 102, 202) TIME OF RECEIPT OF MESSAGE BY THE OPERATIONS CENTER WATCH OFFICER. IN THE EVENT MESSAGE IS TRANSMITTED BY BOTH COC DEDICATED AND COMM ~~TT~~ ^{CENTER} CIRCUITS, TOR OF EACH MESSAGE WILL BE REPORTED. FLASH PRECEDENCE WILL BE UTILIZED FOR ALL MESSAGE ~~TRAFFIC~~ ^{TRAFFIC}.

2. FOR PCV. IN ADDITION TO INSTRUCTIONS IN PARA1, IMMEDIATELY RETRANSMIT RED ROCKET OR RED ROCKET EXERCISE MSG TO THIRD MAR DIV, FIRST ACD, AND

~~14~~ ~~140635~~ ~~Z~~

101ST ABN DIV AND CAUSE OPERATION CENTER WATCH OFFICERS OF THESE UNITS TO
ACKNOWLEDGE TIME OF RECEIPT TO PCV. PCV IN WILL IN TURN IMMEDIATELY.
REPORT THESE TIMES TO III MAF COC.

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FROM: III MAF COC

TO: PCV
1ST MARDIV
AMERICAL DIV
FMAW
FLC

*This will be
to be put in
proper form*

PROCEDURE

SUBJ: RED ROCKET FLASH MESSAGE REF III MAF 131537Z (A READDRESSAL OF MAFV-
REF: III MAF FLASH MSG 131537Z
131030Z)

~~UPON~~ UPON RECEIPT OF ~~AND~~ UNSECURE TELEPHONE CALL FROM III MAF COC
ANNOUNCING THE IMPENDING ARRIVAL OF A RED ROCKET FLASH MESSAGE AS
DESCRIBED IN REF (A) EACH ACTION ADDEE WILL BE IMMEDIATELY ALERT FOR
THE RECEIPT OF THE SUBJECT MESSAGE OVER COC TT AND ^{FOR CMD COMMON USER} ~~FOR MAIN~~ COMM CIRCUITS.
UPON RECEIPT OF THE RED ROCKET FLASH MESSAGE OVER EACH CIRCUIT EACH
ACTION ADDEE WILL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY III MAF COC (103 OR 203) OF THE
TIME THE MESSAGE REACHES THE BANDS OF THE OPERATIONS CENTER WATCH
OFFICER.
FOR PCV ONLY. IN ADDITION TO THE INSTRUCTIONS IN PARA 1, PCV WILL IMMEDIATELY
RETRANSMIT THE RED ROCKET FLASH MESSAGE TO THE 1ST ACD, 101ST ABN AND
TO THE 3RD MARDIV AND CAUSE THE ^{SE} OPERATIONS CENTER WATCH OFFICERS TO
ACKNOWLEDGE TIME OF REDEITP TO PCV. PCV WILL THEN IMMEDIATELY REPORT
THESE TIMES TO III MAF COC.

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From: III MAF COC

To: _____

Resume of call: Red rocket exercise.

		Watch office
COC		
1519	III MAF	1521
1519	PCU	1521
1522	AMERICAL	1526
1519	1ST MARDIV	1514
1525	3rd MARDIV	1525
1550	teletype down 1STACD - passed on secure tone	
1532	101 ABD	1534
1518	FMAW	1518

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ACTION

G-2, G-3

FOR

G2 WATCH

G3 WATCH

G3

G2

C/S

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 G3 WATCH _____
 G3 _____
 G2 _____
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PP UUMSEA
 DE UUMSE 417V 1431045
 ZNY CCCCC
 P 221040Z MAY 68
 FM MACV J-6
 TO III MAF
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C O N F I D E N T I A L WIRE NOTE FROM BG FRIZEN SIGNED SHIFLET
 TO COL CORDES
 SUBJECT: FAST REACTION PROCEDURES FOR CONTROL OF SOUTHEAST ASIS
 OPERATIONS:

RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE DTG 210714Z APRIL WAS RECEIVED
 AT PCV 210719Z BUT NOT RECEIVED BY 1ST AIR CAV DIV UNTIL 210750Z.
 CIRCUIT FROM PCV TO 1ST AIR CAV DIV WAS REPORTED OUT DUE TO CABLE
 DAMAGE 19 MAY. THIS OUTAGE AND 31 MINUTES FOR DELIVERY PCV TO 1ST
 CAV DIV BY VOICE IS EXCESSIVE. REQUEST YOU TAKE APPROPRIATE MEASURES
 TO RESTRESS THE IMPORTANCE OF THESE MESSAGES AND THE NECESSITY TO
 DELIVER IN MINIMUM TIME. 73

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11 3- 712

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//////////STAND BY FOR RED ROCKET MESSAGE//////////
*****DE UUNSE
//////////STAND BY FOR RED ROCKET MESSAGE//////////

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VV SEA 713

////////// RED ROCKET FLASH FOLLOW//////////

*****ZZ UUNSEA
DE UUNSE
RED ROCKET
ZNY EEEEE
FM COMUSMACV
TO AIG MACV 988

*****Z 291527Z MAY 68
FM JCS
TO AIG 7077
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UNCLAS E F T O EXERCISE RED ROCKET EIGHT EXERCISE
SUBJECT: RED ROCKET EXERCISE
1. THIS IS A RED ROCKET EXERCISE MESSAGE.
2. PAC AND SAC REPORT TO NMCC BY JCSAN TIME ALL
FORCES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. SUBMIT MESSAGE
REPORT LISTING TIMES OF RECEIPT BY APPLICABLE
SUBORDINATE FORCES.
3. 291527Z
EXERCISE RED JOCKET EXERCISE
BT

Handwritten notes:
~~70R-10A/C~~
2911532
TOD | QSL
AMER 1535 | 1537
1 DIV 1535 | 1537
WING 1535 | 1537
PCV 1536 | 1536

Handwritten notes:
Rec'd COG
291533Z

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ACTION

VV SEA 722

ZVA 382

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DE UUMSE 555V 1501725
ZNY SSSSS ZOC
P 291720Z MAY 68
FM COMUSMACV
TO ZENJXCINCPAC
ZEN/JCS
AIG 900
BT

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SUBJ: RESULTS OF FAST REACTION EXERCISE MESSAGE TEST

REF: A. CINCPAC 120200Z APR 68

B. JCS 291527Z MAY 68

- 1. LAST APPLICABLE MACV UNIT NOTIFIED 291545Z.
- 2. RECEIPT TIMES (Z) OF FIRST COMPLETE AND UNDERSTANDABLE MESSAGE BY COMM CENTERS AND DUTY OFFICERS.

COMMAND	COMM CENTER	DUTY OFFICER
MACV	1528	1529
III MAF	1533	1533
PROV CORPSV	1530	1531
1ST MAR DIV	1537	1538
3D MAR DIV	1540	1540
101ST ABN DIV	1540	1541

AMERICAL DIV	1537	1537
1ST CAV DIV	1538	1539
1ST MAW	1537	1538
I F FORCEV	1534	1537
4TH INF DIV	1533	1537
173D ABN BDE	1537	1540
5TH SFGA	1535	1545
II F FORCEV	1539	1540
1ST INF DIV	1540	1541
9TH INF DIV	1534	1535
25TH INF DIV	1540	1541
199TH LT INF BDE	1540	1541
11TH ACR	1545	1545
SA IV CORPS	1532	1534
USARV	1535	1539
7TH AF	1530	1537
NAVFORV	1532	1532
CTF 115	1534	1535
CTF 116	1537	1538
CTF 117	1534	1535

FOR _____ 0230
 J _____
 G2 WATCH _____
 G3 WATCH _____
 G3 _____
 G2 _____
 C/S *Red Rocket*
 PASS _____
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RESUME OF TELEPHONE CALL

DTG 292330H May 68

All persons placing or receiving official telephone calls are requested to complete this form which will be placed in the journal for record purposes.

From: MACV

To: TTL MAF

Resume of call: Red Rocket Message: 291527Z.

Received: <u>TTL MAF</u>	<u>291533 Z</u>
<u>1st Mar Div</u>	<u>291537 Z</u>
<u>Americal</u>	<u>291537 Z</u>
<u>FMAW</u>	<u>291537 Z</u>
<u>PCV</u>	<u>291530 Z</u>
<u>1st ACD</u>	<u>291538 Z</u>
<u>101st</u>	<u>291540 Z</u>
<u>3rd Mar Div</u>	<u>291540 Z</u>

TO: [Signature]

BY: [Signature]

DATE: [Signature]

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