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CCC OPERATIONS SUMMARY PERIOD ENDING 260900H DEC 68 (U)

1. (C) SITUATION: EN CONTACT IN ICTZ WAS VERY LIGHT AND WIDELY SCATTERED.
2. (C) QUANG TRI PROVINCE:
 - A. 3RD MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA AND 1 IVC.
 - (1) SCOTLAND AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (2) KENTUCKY AO: ONE BODY FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

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(3) MARSHALL MOUNTAIN AO: ONE SMALL CONTACT RPT'D.
 CUM TOTALS: 2 EN KIA AND 1 IVC.

(4) DAWSON RIVER AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

3. 2ND ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 271 CONT'D WITH 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA AND 3 WIA.

3. (C) THUA THIEN PROVINCE:

A. 101ST ABN DIV (AM): OPN NEVADA EAGLE CONT'D WITH 1 SMALL CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA AND 3 WIA.

B. 1ST ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 261 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT AND 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D.

CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA AND 3 WIA.

(2) 3RD ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 265 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(3) 54TH ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 245 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) RF/PF UNITS: ONE CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA AND 1 WPN CAPT'D.

4. (C) QUANG NAM PROVINCE AND BORDERING AREA W OF VAN PASS:

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A. 1ST MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA, 6 DETS AND 2 IWC WITH 13 FRD WIA (9 EVAC).

(1) DANANG TAOR: D/1/26 MAR (AT919335) 12 KMS NW OF DANANG AB, OBS 5 EN PUSHING A RAFT OFF THE TIP OF AN ISLAND AND APPROACHING A FRIENDLY PSN. THE MARINES FIRED SA AND ADJUSTED ARTY KILLING ALL 5. ELSEWHERE 6 SMALL CONTACTS AND 2 MINE INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA, 3 DETS AND 2 IWC WITH 4 FRD WIA (2 EVAC).

(2) OPN TAYLOR COMMON: CONT'D WITH 5 SMALL CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 DETS WITH 9 FRD WIA (7 EVAC).

(3) CTG 76.4: (NOT INCL IN OVERALL TOTALS) OPN VALIANT HUNT CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

B. A RV N OPNS:

(1) LE LOI: CONT'D WITH ONE CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 FRD WIA.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: TWO CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA AND 2 WIA.

C. 2ND ROKMC BDE: AT 2055H, A SOD FROM 11TH ROK

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C O AMBUSHED A SMALL EN FORCE (BT140526) 5 KMS S OF HOI AN. RESULTS: 10 VC KIA AND 3 IWC WITH 1 ROK WIA (EVAC). ELSEWHERE 1 INCOMING INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 10 EN KIA AND 3 IWC WITH 1 FRD WIA (EVAC).

5. (C) QUANG TIN AND QUANG NGAI PROVINCES:

A. AMERICAL DIV: CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 2 WIA (1 EVAC).

(1) OPN FAYETTE CANYON: CONT'D WITH 1 SMALL CONTACT AND 1 INCOMING INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

(2) OREGON AO: TWO SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 EN KIA.

(3) OPN HAR DIN FALLS: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) CHU LAI TAOR: ONE CAP CONTACT RPT'D, RESULTING IN 4 FRD WIA (2 EVAC) (NOT INCL IN AMERICAL DIV TOTALS).

(5) OPN VERNON LAKE II: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(6) DUC PHO AO: ELEM OF B/4/3 INF, DURING A

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 USO SHOW NOTED 3 EN IN THE WATER NEARBY (BS928226) 20
 KMS SE OF DUC PHO. WARNING SHOTS WERE FIRED OVER THE
 INDIVIDUALS HEADS, ANSWERED BY SAF FROM UNKNOWN EN ON
 THE BEACH. DELOGUNSHIPS AND AN AIRSIR IRE WERE CALLED
 RESULTING IN 5 EN KIA, NO PRD C AS RPT'D. ELSEWHERE
 2 SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 6 EN KIA WITH 1
 NO KIA AND 2 WIA (1 EVAC).

C. 2ND ARVN DIV/12TH BTA:

(1) QUYET THANG BS; TERM 231800H. FINAL
 TOTALS: 15 PRD WIA.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: SIX SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D.
 CUM TOTALS: 6 EN KIA AND 1 WPN CAPT'D WITH 7 PRD WIA.
 (3) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: USF OPNS IN ICTZ RE-
 SULTED IN 39 EN KIA, 6 DEFS AND 9 WPNS CAPT. ARVN
 FORC EE ACCT'D FOR 7 EN KIA AND 2 WPNS CAPT; ARVN
 LOSSES WERE 3 KIA AND 19 WIA. US AND PWMAF RPT'D A
 TOTAL OF 32 EN KIA, 6 DEFS AND 7 WPNS CAPT; US AND
 PWMAF LOSSES WERE 1 KIA AND 20 WIA (15 EVAC).

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COC OPERATIONS SUMMARY PERIOD ENDING 270900H DEC 1968 (U).

1. (C) SITUATION: EN CONTACT IN ICTZ WAS VERY LIGHT AND WIDELY SCATTERED.

2. (C) QUANG TR I PROVINCE:

A. 3RD MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 4 EN KIA WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 1 WIA (EVAC).

C. SC OTLAND AO: ONE RECON INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

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(2) KENTUCKY AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(3) MARSHALL MOUNTAIN AO: ONE MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA AND 1 WIA (EVAC).

(4) DAWSON RIVER: ONE RECON INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA.

B. 2ND ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 271 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA AND 1 WPN CAPT'D.

3. (C) THUA THIEN PROVINCE:

A. 101ST ABN DIV (AM): OPN NEVADA EAGLE CONT'D

A PLAT FM A/1/502 ABN ON PATROL (YD913102) 5 KMS SE

OF PHU BAI, ENCOUNTERED A VC SQD AS IT EXITED FM A

VIL. CONTACT CONT'D FOR THE NEXT 2 HRS. THREE VC

WERE KIA IN THE INITIAL FLURRY OUTSIDE THE VIL. THE

TROOPERS PURSUED THE EN RAISING THE TOLL TO 7 VC KIA

1 PW AND 6 IVC WITH 1 USA WIA (EVAC). ELSEWHERE 5 SM

CONTACTS AND 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 12

EN KIA, 3 PW'D AND 13 IVC WITH 2 FRD WIA (1 EVAC).

ALSO 1 CAP INCIDENT RPT'D, RESULTING IN 2 DETS (NOT INCLUDED IN 101ST AVN DIV (AM) TOTALS).

B. 1ST ARVN DIV/11TH DTA:

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(1) 1ST ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 261 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(2) 3RD ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 265 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA.

(3) 34TH ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 245 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA AND 2 WPNS CAPT'D.

(4) RF/PF UNITS: ONE CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

4. (C) QUANG NAM PROVINCE AND BORDERING AREA W OF HAI VAN PASS:

A. 1ST MARD IV: CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA, 3 PW'D, 15 DETS, 8 IWC AND 3 CSWC WITH 3 FRD KIA AND 21 WIA (18 EVAC).

(1) DANANG TAOR: NINE SMALL CONTACTS, 5 MINE INCIDENTS, AND 3 CAP INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA, 1 PW, 15 DETS, 8 IWC AND 3 CSWC WITH 3 FRD KIA AND 10 WIA (EVAC).

(2) OPN TAYLOR COMMON: CONT'D WITH 4 SMALL CONTACTS AND 3 MINE INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2

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PW'S AND 2 DETS WITH 11 FRD WIA (8 EVAC). CIDG MOBILE STRIKE FORCE DURING INITIAL OPN IN THE NEW SPECIAL AO (IN TAYLOR COMMON) ENGAGED AN USEF (AT795355) 3 KMS SW OF NONG SON. A BRIEF SA EXCHANGE FOLLOWED, RESULTING IN 7 VC KIA AND 2 IWC. NO FRD CAS RPT'D. LATER THE CIDG'S APPREHENDED 40 DETS IN A BUNKER COMPLEX IN THE SAME AREA. (NOT INCLUDED IN 1ST MARDIV TOTALS).

(3) CTG 76.4: (NOT INCL IN OVERALL TOTALS) OPN VALIANT HUNT CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

B. ARVN OPNS:

(1) LE LOI: UNITS OF THE 1ST ARVN RGR GROUP MADE INITIAL CONTACT WITH USEF IN WHAT PROVED TO BE AN ALL DAY BATTLE IN AN AREA (AT812495) 4 KMS NW OF AN HOA. THE EN HIT ALL 3 RGR BNS WITH SA/AW FIRE AND B-40 RKTS. ARVN RTN'D THE FIRE W/ORG WPNS AND WAS SPT'D BY TAS AND ARTY. THE EN BROKE CONTACT AT DUSK. RESULTS: 74 EN KIA (INCL 1 CAPT), 13 IWC AND 3 CSWC WITH 7 ARVN KIA AND 30 WIA.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: ELEM OF 1ST MP'S, ARVN AND PF'S ENGAGED 10-20 VC IN A FIREFIGHT IN THE POPULATION

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 RE: (REF 993782) 1 KM NW OF DANANG AB. THE EN FIRED A
 NUMBER OF B-40 RKT'S, RESULTING IN 2 USMC KIA, 1 PF KIA,
 1 NP KIA, 2 RD KIA AND A HAMLET CHIEF KILLED, WITH 1
 USMC WIA, 4 NP WIA AND 7 PF WIA. AFTER THE ENGAGEMENT
 GVN ELEMEN SWEPT THE AREA FINDING 2 VC KIA AND CAPT'G
 4 OTHERS. FIVE VCS WERE ALSO APPREHENDED. THE AT-
 TACKERS HAD ABANDONED 7 I/WPSN, 3 B-40 RKT LCHRS AND
 40 LBS OF EXPLOSIVES. ELSEWHERE 2 OTHER CONTACTS
 RPT'D. 2 EN KIA, 6 PW'S AND 10 WPN'S CAPT WITH 3 FRD
 KIA, 11 WI A, 2 CIV KILLED AND 4 CIV WOUNDED.

C. 2ND ROKMC BDE: ONE SMALL CONTACT RPT'D. CUM
 TOTALS: 4 EN KIA AND 3 IWC.

5. (C) QUANG TIN AND QUANG NGAI PROVINCES:

A. AMERICAL DIV: CUM TOTALS: 31 EN KIA AND 7
 IWC WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 4 WIA (3 EVAC).

(1) OPN FAYETTE CANYON: C&C ELEM OF 4/31 INF
 ENGAGED A GROUP OF 5 VC EVADING (AT 800301) 8 KMS S OF
 NONG SON, KILLING ALL 5. ELSEWHERE 3 SMALL CONTACTS
 RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 11 EN KIA.

(2) OREGON AO: TEN SMALL CONTACTS AND 1 BODY

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 FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 11 EN KIA.

(3) OPN HARDIN FALLS: CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT
 RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

(4) CHU LAI TAOR: ONE SMALL CONTACT AND 1
 INCOMING INC IDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 EN KIA. A
 PATROL FM CAP 1/3/3 WAS AMBUSHED BY AN EST 3 EN SODS
 (BS692977) 9 KMS NE OF BINH SON USING SAF AND SATCHEL
 CHARGES. THE CHAP'S RTN'D SAF AND ADJ MORTS. IN THE
 INITIAL CONTACT 2 PF'S WERE KIA AND 4 WIA. TWO VC
 DEAD WERE FND AFTER THE EN WITHDREW. ELSEWHERE 1 OTHER
 CAP INCIDENT RPT'D, RESULTING IN A TOTAL OF 4 EN KIA
 AND 2 FRD WIA (NOT INCL IN AMERICAL DIV TOTALS)

(5) OPN VER NON LAKE II: CONT'D WITH 4 SMALL
 CONTACTS AND 1 BODY/WPN FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 4 EN KIA
 AND 4 IWC WITH 1 FRD WIA.

(6) DUC PHO AO: TWO SMALL CONTACTS, 1 MINE
 INCIDENT AND 1 WPN FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 EN
 KIA AND 3 IWC WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 3 WIA (EVAC).

C. 2ND ARVN DIV/12TH DIA: RF/PF UNITS RPT'D
 7 SMALL CONTACTS. CUM TOTALS: 25 EN KIA AND 5 WPSN

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CAPT'D WITH 5 KIA AND 7 WIA.

G. (C) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: C BT OPNS IN ICTZ RESULTED IN 199 EN KIA, 12 PW'D, 17 DETS AND 68 WPNS CAPT'D. ARVN FORCES AC CT'D FOR 109 EN KIA, 6 PW'S AND 34 WPNS CAPT'D; ARVN LOSSES WERE 15 KIA AND 48 WIA. US AND FVMAF RPT'D A TOTAL OF 90 EN KIA, 6 PW'S, 17 DETS AND 34 WPNS CAPT'D; US AND FVMAF LOSSES WERE 5 KIA AND 31 WIA (23 EVAC).

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CAPT'D WITH 5 PRD KIA AND 7 WIA.

G. (C) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: C BT OPNS IN ICTZ RESULTED IN 199 EN KIA, 12 PW'D, 17 DETS AND 68 WPNS CAPT'D. ARVN FORCES AC CT'D FOR 109 EN KIA, 6 PW'S AND 34 WPNS CAPT'D; ARVN LOSSES WERE 15 KIA AND 48 WIA. US AND FVMAF RPT'D A TOTAL OF 90 EN KIA, 6 PW'S, 17 DETS AND 34 WPNS CAPT'D; US AND FVMAF LOSSES WERE 5 KIA AND 31 WIA (23 EVAC).

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 COC OPERATIONS SUMMARY PERIOD ENDING 280900H DEC 1968 (U).

1. (C) SITUATION: EN CONTACT IN ICTZ WAS LIGHT AND WIDELY SCATTERED.
2. (C) QUANG TRI PROVINCE:
 - A. 3RD MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 1 IWC.
 - (1) SCOTLAND AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (2) KENTUCKY AO: ONE WPN FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 IWC.
 - (3) MARSHALL MOUNTAIN AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

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- (4) DAWSON RIVER: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
- B. 2ND ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 271 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
3. (C) THUA THIEN PROVINCE:
 - A. 101ST ABN DIV (AM): OPN NEVADA EAGLE CONT'D WITH 2 SMALL CONTACTS, 1 MINE INCIDENT AND 3 BODY FINDS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 8 EN KIA AND 2 IWC WITH 6 FRD WIA (EVAC). ELSEWHERE 2 CAP INCIDENTS RPT'D, RESULTING IN 1 PW, 10 DETS AND 1 IWC (NOT INCL IN 101ST ABN DIV TOTALS).
 - B. 1ST ARVN DIV/11TH DIA:
 - (1) 1ST ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 261 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (2) 3RD ARVN REGT: OP N LAM SON 265 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (3) 54TH ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 245 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA AND 1 WPN CAPT'D.
 - (4) RF/PF UNITS: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
4. (C) QUANG NAM PROVINCE AND BORDERING AREA W OF HAI VAN PASS:

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 A. 1ST MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 15 EN KIA, 2 PW'S,
 15 DETS AND 10 IWC WITH 8 FRD KIA AND 37 WIA (32 EVAC).
 (1) DANANG TAOR: M /3/7 MAR OBS'D AN EN UNIT
 LEAVING A VIL (AT928675) 7 KMS NW OF HILL 55. THE
 MARINES ENGAGED THE EN W/SA FIRE AND 8 IMM MORT FIRE
 TO BLOCK THE EN UNITS WITHDRAWAL. A PURSUIT FOLLOWED
 BUT EN EVADED UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS: RESULTS: 1
 VC KIA WITH 3 USMC KIA AND 4 WIA (EVAC). A 3-MAN TM
 FROM M/3/7 MAR NOTED AN EN FORCE IN A VIL IN THE SAME
 AREA (AT923677). A REACTION FORCE WAS CALLED SWEEPING
 THE VIL UNDER COVER OF 8IMM MORT FIRE WHILE THE 3-MAN
 TM ACTED AS A BLOCKING FORCE. FOUR USMC WERE WOUNDED
 DURING THE SWEEP. ON EXITING THE VIL THE REACTIOVPSEZ
 FORCE FND THE 3-MAN TM WIPED OUT AND THEIR EQUIP
 LOOTED. RESULTS: 1 VC KIA WITH 3 USMC KIA AND 4 WIA.
 A SQD FM C/1/1 MAR DURING CBT PATROL DET A 105MM
 SFD (BT056640) 8 KMS ENE OF HILL 55. RESULTS: 1
 USMC KIA AND 9 WIA. ELSEWHERE 5 OTHER MINE INCIDENTS,
 2 INCOMING INCIDENTS, 8 SMALL CONTACTS, AND 3 CAP
 CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 8 EN KIA, 2 PW,

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 12 DETS AND 1 IWC WITH 8 FRD KIA AND 33 WIA (28 EVAC).
 (2) OPN TAYLOR COMMON: CONT'D WITH 8 SMALL
 CONTACTS, 1 INCOMING INCIDENT, 2 MINE INCIDENTS AND 1
 WPN FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 7 VC KIA, 3 DETS AND 9
 IWC WITH 4 FRD WIA (EVAC).
 (3) CTG. 76.4: (NOT INCL IN OVERALL TOTALS)
 OPN VALIANT HUNT CONT'D WITH 1 DET PICK-UP RPT'D. CUM
 TOTALS: 600 DETS.

B. ARVN OPNS:

(1) LE LOI: 39TH RANGERS MADE CONTACT WITH
 USEF (AT84950 5) 5 KMS N OF AN HOA. A NV SA EXCHANGE
 FOLLOWED WITH THE 37TH RANGERS ARRIVING TO REINF AT
 1430H. TAS AND ARTY SPT'D DURING THE ENGAGEMENT WHICH
 ENDED WHEN THE EN WITHDREW AT DARK. RESULTS: 114 EN
 KIA, 1 PW, 29 IWC AND 3 CSWC WITH 14 FRD KIA AND 58
 WIA (1 US MINOR) A RECON ELEM OF THE 1ST ARVN RANGER GROUP FRD
 10 EN BODIES IN AN OPEN AREA (AT814508) 6 KMS NW OF
 AN HOA. EN BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED BY AIR. CUM
 TOTALS: 124 EN KIA, 1 PW AND 32 WPNS CAPT'D WITH 14
 FRD KIA AND 58 WIA (1 US MINOR).

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 (5) OPN P...: ONE CONTACT RPT'D. CUM
 TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA AND 16 WIA.

C. 2ND ROKMC BD E: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

5. (C) QUANG TIN AND QUANG NGAI PROVINCES:

A. AMERICAL DIV: CUM TOTALS: 50 EN KIA, 1 PW,
 8 IWC AND 1 CSWC WITH 6 FRD WIA (4 EVAC).

(1) OPN FAYETTE CANYON: CONT'D WITH 1 SMALL
 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 EN KIA.

(2) OREGON AO: 2/1 INF OP OBS'D 7 VC (BT049395)
 5 KMS NE OF QUE SON. AN ARTY MSN WAS CALLED, RESULTING
 IN 7 VC KIA. GUNSHIPS OF 123RD AVN BN ENGAGED 7 EN
 TRPS ATTEMPTING TO EVADE (BT250077) 14 KMS SE OF TIEN
 PHUOC, KILLING ALL 7. ELSEWHERE 13 SMALL CONTACTS
 RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 35 EN KIA, 5 IWC AND 1 CSWC WITH
 2 FRD WIA (1 EVAC).

(3) OPN HARDIN FALLS: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
 OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) CHU LAI TAOR: THREE SMALL CONTACTS AND
 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 6 EN KIA, 1 PW AND
 1 IWC WITH 3 FRD WIA (EVAC).

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(5) OPN VERNON LAKE II: CONT'D WITH 1 BODY
 FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

(6) DUC PHO AO: TWO SMALL CONTACTS AND 1 IN-
 COMING INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 6 EN KIA AND 2
 IWC WITH 1 WIA (MINOR).

C. 2ND ARVN DIV/12TH DTA:

(1) QUYET THANG 205: COMMENCED 240000H WITH
 4/5 ARVN COMMITTED. 4/5 ARVN WAS ATK'D WHILE IN A NDP
 BY AN USEF (BT724762) 8 KMS NE OF QUANG NGAI AT 0300H.
 ORG WPNS FIRE WAS RTN'D WITH MORTS AND ARTY
 IN SPT. THE ENGAGEMENT CONT'D UNTIL 0930H WHEN THE
 EN WAS DRIVEN FROM THE ARVN PSN. RESULTS: 19 EN KIA,
 1 PW AND 4 IWC WITH 9 ARVN KIA, 31 ARVN WIA AND 1 US
 ADVISOR WIA (EVAC).

(2) RF/PF UNITS: 928TH RF CO DURING ROUTINE
 PATROL ACTIVITY MADE CONTACT WITH AN USEF (BT221170)
 8 KMS SSW OF THON HAI. THE RF'S BECAME HV'LY ENGAGED
 AND WAS REINF BY 2/6 ARVN. THE FIGHTING CONT'D
 UNTIL 2000H. RESULTS: 44 EN KIA, 9 IWC AND 1 CSWC
 WITH 10 FRD KIA AND 13 WIA. ELSEWHERE 3 OTHER CONTACTS

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RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 44 EN KIA AND 10 WPNS CAPT'D
 WITH 11 FRD KIA AND 19 WIA.

6. (K) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: CBT OPNS IN ICTZ RE-
 SULTED IN 270 EN KIA, 7 PW'S, 25 DETS AND 71 WPNS
 CAPT'D; ARVN FORC ES AC CT'D FOR 190 EN KIA, 3 PW'S AND
 48 WPNS CAPT'D; ARVN LOSSES WERE 35 KIA AND 125 WIA.
 US AND FWMAF RPT'D A TOTAL OF 80 EN KIA, 4 PW'S, 25
 DETS AND 23 WPNS CAPT'D; US AND FWMAF LOSSES WERE 8
 KIA AND 49 WIA (42 EVAC).

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1. (C) SITUATION: EN CONTACT IN ICTZ WAS LIGHT AND WIDELY SCATTERED.
2. (C) QUANG TRI PROVINCE:
 - A. 3RD MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 10 EN KIA, 1 DET AND 5 IWC.
 - (1) SCOTLAND AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (2) KENTUCKY AO: THREE SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA AND 2 IWC.

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- (3) MARSHALL MOUNTAIN AO: TWO SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D.
 CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA, 1 DET AND 3 IWC.
- (4) DAWSON RIVER AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
- B. 2ND ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 271 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 11 PW'S.
3. (C) THUA THIEN PROVINCE:
 - A. 101ST ABN DIV (AM): OPN NEVADA EAGLE CONT'D WITH 3 SMALL CONTACTS AND 2 BODY/WPNS FINDS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA, 3 PW'S AND 2 IWC WITH 2 FRD WIA (EVAC).
 - B. 1ST ARVN DIV/IITH DTA:
 - (1) 1ST ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 261 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 12 PW'S.
 - (2) 3RD ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 265 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (3) 54TH ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 245 CONT'D WITH 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD WIA.
 - (4) RF/PF UNITS: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
4. (C) QUANG NAM PROVINCE AND BORDERING AREA W O F VAN PASS:

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A. 1ST MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 14 EN KIA, 1 PW,
7 DETS AND 6 IWC WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 41 WIA (25 EVAC).

(1) DANANG TAOR: EIGHT SMALL CONTACTS, 3
INCOMING INCIDENTS, 3 MINE INCIDENTS AND 4 CAP INCI-
DENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 4 EN KIA, 3 DETS AND 2 IWC
WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 23 WIA (16 EVAC).

(2) OPN TAYLOR COMMON: AT 1315H, A/1/5 MAR
DURING SWEEP OPNS (AT978508) 12 KMS ENE OF AN HOA,
REC'D AW FROM AN USEF. THE MARINES ADJUSTED ARY ON
THE EN PSN. TWO PLATS SENT IN TO CHECK THE AREA WERE
AGAIN FIRED UPON. ADDITIONAL ARTY AND AIR STRIKES
WERE AGAIN USED TO SILENCE THE FIRING AND CONTACT WAS
BROKEN AT 1530H. A FINAL SEARCH OF THE AREA REVEALED
5 VC KIA WITH 4 USMC WIA (2 EVAC). ELSEWHERE 10 SMALL
CONTACTS AND 2 MINE INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 10
EN KIA, 1 PW, 4 DETS AND 4 IWC WITH 16 FRD WIA (9 EVAC).

(3) CTG 76.4: (NOT INCL IN OVERALL TOTALS)
OPN VALIANT HUNT CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
1432 DETS ARE BEING HELD FOR INTERROGATION.

B. ARVN OPNS:

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(1) LE LOI: CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D.
CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA AND 5 WIA.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: THREE CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM
TOTALS: 10 VC KIA AND 5 WPNS CAPT'D WITH 7 FRD WIA.

C. 2ND ROKMC BDE: THREE SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D.
CUM TOTALS: 4 EN KIA AND 2 IWC WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 4
WIA (EVAC).

5. (C) QUANG TIN AND QUANG NGAI PROVINCES:

A. AMERICAL DIV: CUM TOTALS: 36 EN KIA, 9 IWC
AND 1 CSWC WITH 3 FRD KIA AND 8 WIA (2 EVAC).

(1) OPN FAYETTE CANYON: CONT'D WITH 3 SMALL
CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA AND 2 IWC.

(2) OREGON AO: TWELVE SMALL CONTACTS AND 1
MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 13 EN KIA, 2 IWC
AND 1 CSWC WITH 2 FRD KIA.

(3) OPN HARDIN FALLS: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) CHU LAI TAOR: ONE INCOMING INCIDENT RPT'D
CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD WIA. ELSEWHERE 1 CAP INCIDENT

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RPT'D, RESULTING IN 1 EN KIA (NOT INCL IN AMERICAL
DIV TOTALS).

(5) OPN VERNON LAKE II: CONT'D WITH 2 SMALL
CONTACTS AND 1 BODY/WPN FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 4
EN KIA A D 5 IWC.

(6) DUC PHO AO: A LOW A/C FROM 123RD AVN BN, BE-
LIEVED TO HAVE BEEN HIT BY GND FIRE, MADE A FORCED
LANDING (BS765358) 5 KMS SW OF MO DUC. PATROL FM
4/3 INF ARRIVED ON THE SCENE BEFORE DARK AND EXTRACTED
THE 3 OCCUPANTS, ALL INJURED: TWO REQUIRED EVAC. THE
A/C REC'D MAJOR DAMAGE. ELSEWHERE 9 SMALL CONTACTS, 1
INCOMING INCIDENT AND 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM
TOTALS: 16 EN KIA WITH 1 PRD KIA AND 7 WIA (2 EVAC).

C. 2ND ARVN DIV/12TH DTA:

(1) QUYET THANG 205: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
OR CAS RPT'D.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: FOUR CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM
TOTALS: 15 EN KIA AND 3 WPNS CAPT'D.

6. (C) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: CRT OPNS IN ICTZ RE-
SULTED IN 98 EN KIA, 27 PW, 8 DETS AND 38 WPNS CAPT'D:

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ARVN FORCES ACCT'D FOR 25 EN KIA, 23 PW AND 12 WPNS
CAPT'D: ARVN LOSSES WERE 3 KIA AND 13 WIA. US AND
FVMAF RPT'D A TOTAL OF 71 EN KIA, 4 PW, 8 DETS AND
26 WPNS CALT'D: US AND FVMAF LOSSES WERE 5 KIA AND 56
WIA (33 EVAC).

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COC OPERATIONSSUMMARY PERIOD ENDING 300900H DEC 68 (U)

1. (C) SITUATION: EN CONTACT IN ICTZ WAS LIGHT AND WIDELY SCATTERED.

2. (C) QUANG TRI PROVINCE:

A. 3RD MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA (3 BA) AND 2 DETS WITH 2 FRD WIA (MINOR).

(1) SCOTLAND AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D. IN A DELAYED RPT, 231830H, K/3/4 MAR, WHILE SEARCHING FOR EN SUPPLY POINTS,

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FND AN AMMO CACHE (XD886583) 10 KMS WNW OF ROCKPILE AS FOLLOWS: 23X82MM MORT RDS, 461X60MM MORT RDS, 125 AP MINES, 59 RPG RDS, 13 CLAYMORES, 2000 RDS .50 CAL, 750 RDS 7.62MM, 6000 RDS PISTOL AMMO, AND 20 BLASTING CAPS.

(2) KENTUCKY AO: A RECON TM FM 3RD MARDIV MADE CONTACT W/USEF IN 100 BUNKERS (YD162514) 10 KMS SSE OF C-3. GUNSHIPS AND FIXED WING WERE CALLED, RESULTING IN 3 EN KIA (3 KBA). NO FRD CAS RPT'D. ELSEWHERE 1 SMALL CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 8 EN KIA (3 KBA) AND 2 DETS.

(3) MARSHALL MOUNTAIN AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) DAWSON RIVER AO: TWO RECON INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA WITH 2 FRD WIA.

B. 2ND ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 271 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

3. (C) THUA THIEN PROVINCE:

A. 101ST ABN DIV (AM): OPN NEVADA EAGLE CONT'D WITH 5 SMALL CONTACT, 1 BODY FIND AND 2 MINE INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 5 EN KIA AND 10 IWC WITH 3 FRD

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WIA (EVAC).

B. 1ST ARVN DIV/11TH DTAI

(1) 1ST ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 261 CONT'D.
ELEM OF 3/1 ARVN DURING SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS MADE
CONTACT WITH AN EST EN PLAT (YD510509) 16 KMS E OF
QUANG TRI. IN THE FOLLOW-UP SEARCH 7 VC AND 6 I/WPNS
WERE CAPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 5 VC KIA, 7 PW'S AND 6 IWC.
NO FRD CAS RPT'D.

(2) 3ZD ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 265 CONT'D WITH 1

CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 PW AND 1 IWC.

(3) 54TH ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 245 CONT'D
WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) RF/PF UNITS: ONE CONTACT RPT'D. CUM
TOTALS: 1 EN KIA AND 2 PW'S CAPT.

4. (C) QUANG NAM PROVINCE AND BORDERING AREA W OF
HAI VAN PASS:

A. 1ST MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 8 EN KIA, 3 PW,
24 DETS AND 2 IWC WITH 11 WIA (10 EVAC).

(1) DANANG TOOR: THREE SMALL CONTACTS AND 1
MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA, 2 PW AND

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12 DETS WITH 4 FRD WIA (EVAC).

(2) OPN TAYLOR COMMON: FIVE SMALL CONTACTS,
4 MINE INCIDENTS AND 1 INCOMING INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM
TOTALS: 5 EN KIA, 1 PW, 1 HC, 12 DETS AND 2 IWC
WITH 7 FRD WIA (6 EVAC).

(3) CTG 76.4: (NOT INCL IN OVERALL TOTALS)
OPN VALIANT HUNT CONT'D WITH 3 EN KIA AND 143 DETS
RPT'D FOR PD.

B. ARVN OPNS:

(1) LE LOI: 39TH RGR BN ON RIF IN THE ARI-
ZONA AREA MADE CONTACT WITH AN EST REINF NVA CO
(AT863539) 9 KMS NNE OF AN HOA. A RUNNING ENGAGEMENT
ENSUED LASTING UNTIL 1600H WHEN THE EN BROKE CONTACT.
USING ORG WPNS THE RGRS KILLED 70 OF THE EN AND CAPT'D
11 WPNS. FRD LOSSES WERE 2 KIA AND 36 WIA.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: SEVEN COOWACTS RST'D. CUM
TOTALS: 10 VC KIA (5 KBA) AND 2 WPNS CAPT'D WITH
5 FRD KIA, 17 WIA AND 2 CIV KILLED.

C. 2ND ROKMC BDE: 1ST ROK CO WHILE ON A SWEEP
ENCOUNTERED A VC SQD (BT853566) 9 KMS W OF HOI AN.

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 THE ROK'S EMPLOYED ORG WPNS KILLING 6 OF THE VC AND
 CAPT'G 3 I/WPNS. NO FRD CAS FOR THE CONTACT BUT ONE
 ROK MARINE WAS WIA WHEN HE TRIPPED A B/T. CUM TOTALS:
 6 EN KIA AND 3 WIC WITH 1 FRD WIA (ZVAC).

5. (C) QUANG TIN AND QUANG NGAI PROVINCES:

A. AMERICAL DIV: CUM TOTALS: 21 EN KIA AND 1
 IWC WITH 8 FRD WIA (5 EVAC).

(1) OPN FAYETTE CANYON: CONT'D WITH 2 SMALL
 CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 EN KIA AND 1 IWC.

(2) OREGON AO: TWO SMALL CONTACTS, 1 MINE
 INCIDENT AND 1 INCOMING INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS:
 4 EN KIA WITH 4 FRD WIA (EVAC).

(3) OPN HARDIN FALLS: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
 OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) CHU LAI TAOR: THREE SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D.
 CUM TOTALS: 6 EN KIA.

(5) OPN VERNON LAKE II: A C&C HELO FM 4/21
 INF TOOK HV SA FIRE WOUNDING THE PILOT WHO MADE A
 SAFE LANDING (BS430457) 11 KMS SW OF MINH LONG. THE
 2 PAX, BOTH UNINJURED, CALLED MEDEVAC. LATER, THE

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 ARVN MAINT OFFICER ARRIVED ON THE SCENE AND JUDGING
 THE A/C TO BE FLYABLE BEGAN FLYING IT FOR HOME BASE.
 SOME 11 KMS NW, THE HELO CRASHED AND BURNED KILLING
 THE MAINT OFF.

(6) DUC PHO AO: SIX SMALL CONTACTS AND 2
 MINE INCIDENTS RPT'D. 9 EN KWA WITH 3 FRD WIA.

C. 2ND ARVN DIV/12TH DTA:

(1) QUYET THANG 205: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
 OR CAS RPT'D.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: ONE CONTACT RPT'D. CUM
 TOTALS: 10 EN KIA AND 3 WPNS CWPT'D.

6. (C) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: CBT OPNS IN ICTZ RE-
 SULTED IN 145 EN KIA, 13 PW, 26 DETS AND 39 WPNS
 CAPT'D: ARVN FORCES ACCT'D FOR 96 EN KIA, 10 PW AND
 23 WPNS CAPT'D: ARVN LOSSES WERE 14 KIA AND 60 WIA.
 US AND FWMAF RPT'D A TOTAL OF 79 EN KIA,
 3 PW, 26 DETS AND 16 WPNS CAPT'D: US AND FWMAF LOSSES
 WERE 25 WIA (19 EVAC).

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COC OPERATIONS SUMMARY PERIOD ENDING 310900H DEC 68 (U)

1. (C) SITUATION: EN CONTACT IN ICYZ WAS LIGHT AND WIDELY SCATTERED.
2. (C) QUANG TRI PROVINCE:
 - A. 3RD MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 5 EN KIA AND 4 DETS WITH 2 FRD WIA (MINOR).
 - (1) SCOTLAND AO: ONE BODY FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.
 - (2) KENTUCKY AO: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
 - (3) MARSHALL MOUNTAIN AO: TWO SMALL CONTACTS RPT'D.

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CUM TOTALS: 4 DETS.

(4) DAWSON RIVER AO: ONE RECON INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 4 EN KIA WITH 2 FRD WIA (MINOR).

B. 2ND ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 271 CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

3. (C) THUA THIEN PROVINCE:

A. 101ST ABN DIV (AM): OPN NEVADA EAGLE CONT'D WITH 2 SMALL CONTACTS, 1 BODY FIND AND 3 MINE INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA AND 1 IVC WITH 2 FRD WIA AND 7 WIA (EVAC). ELSEWHERE 3 CAP INCIDENTS RPT'D, RESULTING IN 1 PW AND 3 IVC (NOT INCL IN 101ST ABN DIV (AM) TOTALS).

B. 1ST ARVN DIV/11TH DTA:

(1) 1ST ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 261 CONT'D WITH 1 MINE INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 FRD KIA.

(2) 3RD ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 265, CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN-KIA, 2 IVC AND 1 GSWC.

(3) 54TH ARVN REGT: OPN LAM SON 245 CONT'D WITH 1 CONTACT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 2 EN KIA AND 2

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 WPNS CAPT'D.

- (4) RF/PF UNITS: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.
4. (C) QUANG NAM PROVINCE AND BORDERING AREA W OF
 HAI VAN PASS:
- A. 1ST MARDIV: CUM TOTALS: 38 EN KIA, 11 PW,
 17 DETS AND 70 IWC WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 12 WIA (9 EVAC).
- (1) DANANG TAOR: NINE SMALL CONTACTS AND 4
 MINE INCIDENTS, AND 3 CAP INCIDENTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS:
 1 EN KIA, 11 PW, 16 DETS, 2 IWC WITH 1 FRD KIA AND 6
 WIA (3 EVAC).
- (2) OPN TAYLOR COMMON: 8/1/5 MAR AMBUSH OBS'D
 15-20 EN MOVING S INTO TREE LINE (AT891496) 6 KMS NE
 OF AN HOA. AN ARTY MSN WAS CALLED WITH UNK RESULTS.
 THE AMBUSH WAS RELOCATED AND MOVEMENT WAS HEARD.
 THE MARINES DETONATED A CLAYMORE. A SEARCH OF THE
 AREA REVEALED 8 VC KIA. NO FRD CAS RPT'D. A PATROL
 FROM B/1/5 MAR OBS'D 3 SMALL BOATLOADS OF EN TROOPS
 CROSSING A RIVER (AT891514) 6 KMS NE OF AN HOA. THE
 MARINES ADJUSTED ARTY DESTROYING THE BOATS AND KILLING
 11 VC. A PATROL FROM B/1/5 MAR FND A VC BURIAL SITE

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 (AT985518) 10 KMS SOUTH OF HILL 55, CONTAINING 15
 BODIES DEAD ABOUT 2 DAYS. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH WAS
 AIRSTRIKES. L/3/3 MAR ON A PLAT PATROL (ZC145367) 9
 KMS W OF NONG SON FND A BUNKER CONTAINING 47 SKS
 RIFLES, 6X9MM MG, 10 VN MACHETES, 1000 RDS OF AW AMMO,
 PARTS OF 2 OTHER RIFLES, AND 6 M-1 CARBINES.
 ELSEWHERE 5 SMALL CONTACTS, 1 MINE INCIDENT AND 1 OTHER
 BODY FIND RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 37 EN KIA, 1 DET AND 68
 IWC WITH 6 FRD WIA (EVAC).

(3) CTG 76.4: (NOT INCL IN OVERALL TOTALS)
 OPN VALIANT HUNT CONT'D WITH 13 SMALL CONTACTS AND 1
 DET PICK-UP RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA, 2 PW'S AND
 311 DETS WITH 2 FRD WIA (EVAC).

B. ARVN OPNS:

(1) LE LOI: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

C. 2ND ROKMC BDE: 7TH ROK CO, WHILE ON AN AMBUSH,
 MADE CONTACT WITH AN USEF (BT072512) 9 KMS SW OF HOI
 AN. SAF WAS EXCHANGED, RESULTING IN 5 VC KIA AND 2
 IWC. 25TH ROK CO STANDING A NIGHT AMBUSH PSN

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 (BT 109624) 5 KMS NW OF HOI AN, MADE CONTACT WITH AN
 EST VC SQD. THE ROK'S OPENED UP WITH SAF KILLING 8
 VC. 5 I/WPNS, 280 RDS AMMO AND 21 GRENADES WERE TAKEN
 FROM THE BODIES. CUM TOTALS: 13 EN KIA AND 7 IWC.

5. (C) QUANG TIN AND QUANG NGAI PROVINCES:

A. AMERICAL DIV: CUM TOTALS: 9 EN KIA AND 3
 IWC WITH 10 FRD WIA (7 EVAC).

(1) OPN FAYETTE CANYON: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
 OR CAS RPT'D.

(2) OREGON AO: TEN SMALL CONTACTS AND 1 MINE
 INCIDENT RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 3 EN KIA AND 2 IWC WITH
 6 FRD WIA (3 EVAC).

(3) OPN HARDIN FALLS: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
 OR CAS RPT'D.

(4) CHU LAI TAOR: FOUR CAP INCIDENTS RPT'D,
 RESULTING IN 13 EN KIA AND 10 PW'S (NOT INCL IN AMERICAL
 DIV TOTALS).

(5) OPN VERNON LAKE II: CONT'D WITH 3 SMALL
 CONTACTS RPT'D. CUM TOTALS: 1 IWC WITH 4 FRD WIA (EVAC).

(6) DUC PHO AO: ONE SMALL CONTACT RPT'D.

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 CUM TOTALS: 1 EN KIA.

C. 2ND ARVN DIV/12TH DTA:

(1) QUYET THANG 205: CONT'D WITH NO CONTACT
 OR CAS RPT'D.

(2) RF/PF UNITS: NO CONTACT OR CAS RPT'D.

6. (C) SUMMARY OF CASUALTIES: CBT OPNS IN ICTZ RE-
 SULTED IN 101 EN KIA, 23 PW'S, 21 DETS AND 93 WPNS
 CAPT'D; ARVN FORCES ACCT'D FOR 20 EN KIA, 1 PW AND 9
 WPNS CAPT'D; ARVN LOSSES WERE 1 KIA. US AND FWMAF
 RPT'D A TOTAL OF 81 EN KIA, 22 PW'S, 21 DETS AND 84
 WPNS CAPT'D; US AND FWMAF LOSSES WERE 3 KIA AND 35
 WIA (26 EVAC).

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