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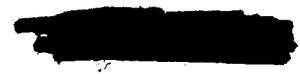


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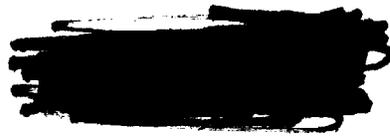
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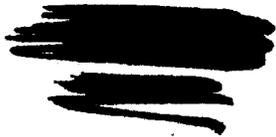
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HEADQUARTERS
III Marine Amphibious Force
Military Assistance Command, Vietnam
San Francisco, California 96602

COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 March 1969 - 31 March 1969

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PART IORGANIZATIONAL DATA1. DESIGNATIONCOMMANDER

III Marine Amphibious Force

Lieutenant General Robert
E. CUSHMAN Jr.,
U. S. Marine Corps
1Jun67 - 26Mar69Lieutenant General Herman
NICKERSON Jr.,
U. S. Marine Corps
27-31Mar69DEPUTY COMMANDERMajor General Carl A.
YOUNGDALE, U. S. Marine Corps
21Dec68 - 31Mar69SUBORDINATE UNITS

XXIV Corps

Lieutenant General Richard G.
STILWELL, U. S. Army
1Jul68 - 31Mar69

Third Marine Division

Major General Raymond G. DAVIS,
U. S. Marine Corps
22May68 - 31Mar69101st Airborne Division
(Airmobile)Major General Melvin ZAIS,
U. S. Army
19Aug68 - 31Mar69

First Marine Division

Major General Ormond R.
SIMPSON, U. S. Marine Corps
20Dec68 - 31Mar69

First Marine Aircraft Wing

Major General Charles J.
QUILTER, U. S. Marine Corps
22Jun68 - 31Mar69

Americal Division

Major General Charles M.
GETTYS, U. S. Army
23May68 - 31Mar69

Force Logistic Command

Brigadier General James A.
FEELEY, U. S. Marine Corps
1Dec68 - 31Mar69

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Headquarters and Service Company Colonel William K. WHITE,
III Marine Amphibious Force U. S. Marine Corps
Headquarters Commandant 40Oct68 - 31Mar69

ATTACHED UNITS

First Radio Battalion Lieutenant Colonel Patrick J.
FENNELL, U. S. Marine Corps
17Oct68 - 31Mar69

29th Civil Affairs Company Lieutenant Colonel Robert
R. RAFFERTY, U. S. Army
28Nov68 - 31Mar69

7th Psychological Operations Major Michael FORTINI,
Battalion U. S. Army
25Nov68 - 31Mar69

2. LOCATION

1-31 March 1969, East Danang, Quang Nam Province, Republic
of Vietnam.

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Deputy Commanding General, Air Major General Charles J.
QUILTER, U. S. Marine Corps
22Jun68 - 31Mar69

Chief of Staff Brigadier General George E.
DOOLEY, U. S. Marine Corps
1Jan69 - 31Mar69

Deputy Chief of Staff Colonel Lewis G. POGGEMEYER,
U. S. Marine Corps
19Feb69 - 31Mar69

Deputy Chief of Staff, Plans Brigadier General Warren K.
BENNETT, U. S. Army
5Sep68 - 31Mar69

Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1 Colonel Maurice ROSE,
U. S. Marine Corps
12Jul68 - 26Mar69

Colonel William J. HOWATT,
U. S. Marine Corps
27-31Mar69

Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2 Colonel John S. CANTON,
U. S. Marine Corps
5Feb69 - 31Mar69

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| Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3 | Brigadier General Ross T. DWYER Jr., U. S. Marine Corps 18Feb69 - 31Mar69 |
| Deputy G-3 | Colonel Marion C. DALBY, U. S. Marine Corps 1Oct68 - 31Mar69 |
| Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4 | Colonel Lawrence C. NORTON, U. S. Marine Corps 4Jul68 - 31Mar69 |
| Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5 | Colonel Howard A. WESTPHALL, U. S. Marine Corps 1Nov68 - 31Mar69 |
| Assistant Chief of Staff, G-6 | Colonel Bill E. HORNER, U. S. Marine Corps 7Sep68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Psychological Operations Officer | Colonel Harold CHASE, U. S. Marine Corps 1Aug68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Supply Officer | Colonel Alfred C. TAVES, U. S. Marine Corps 22Jul68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Staff Judge Advocate | Colonel Paul W. SEABAUGH, U. S. Marine Corps 5Aug68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Engineer Officer | Colonel Kenneth R. BLAND, U. S. Marine Corps 22May68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Adjutant | Major James H. LYLES, U. S. Marine Corps 8Aug68 - 31Mar69 |
| Assistant Chief of Staff, | Major Thomas F. DEACHER, U. S. Marine Corps 15Feb69 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Information Services Officer | Colonel Paul M. MORIARTY, U. S. Marine Corps 29Jul68 - 31Mar69 |

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| Officer in Charge, COC | Lieutenant Colonel James H. MACLEAN, U. S. Marine Corps 21Jul68 - 22Mar69 |
| | Lieutenant Colonel Larry P. CHARON, U. S. Marine Corps 23-31Mar69 |
| Force Food Services Officer | Lieutenant Colonel Leslie P. DAY, U. S. Marine Corps 28Sep68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Chaplain | Captain Robert W. RADCLIFFE, U. S. Navy 28Sep68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Surgeon | Captain John R. STOVER Jr., U. S. Navy 12May68 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Dental Officer | Captain William L. DARNELL Jr., U. S. Navy 1Jul68 - 3Mar69 |
| | Captain Joseph G. CHUDZINSKI, U. S. Navy 4-31Mar69 |
| Force Motor Transport Officer | Lieutenant Colonel Ken D. BARNES, U. S. Marine Corps 23Dec68 - 31Mar69 |
| Staff Secretary | Lieutenant Colonel Tullis J. WOODHAM, U. S. Marine Corps 18Feb69 - 13Mar69 |
| | Lieutenant Colonel James W. STEMPLE, U. S. Marine Corps 14-31Mar69 |
| Protocol Officer | Major William D. BENJAMIN, U. S. Marine Corps 14Jan69 - 31Mar69 |
| Force Special Services Officer | Colonel William BIEHL Jr., U. S. Marine Corps 30Aug68 - 31Mar69 |

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Director, Transportation
Control Center

Lieutenant Colonel Orville
F. MARKS, U. S. Army
1Jan69 - 31Mar69

Force Inspector

Colonel James W. SHANK,
U. S. Marine Corps
16Sep68 - 31Mar69

USMC Liaison Officer, MACV

Colonel Carl E. SCHMIDT,
U. S. Marine Corps
22Sep68 - 31Mar69

USMC Liaison Officer, 7th AF

Colonel Carl E. SCHMIDT,
U. S. Marine Corps
22Sep68 - 31Mar69

USMC Liaison Officer, ROKMC

Lieutenant Colonel John E.
POINDEXTER, U. S. Marine Corps
7Feb69 - 31Mar69

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4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

a. III Marine Amphibious Force Headquarters

| | <u>Officers</u> | | | | <u>Enlisted</u> | | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|-----|-----|------|-----------------|-----|-----|------|
| | USMC | USN | USA | USAF | USMC | USN | USA | USAF |
| H&S Co, III MAF | 14 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 329 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| HQ Staff, III MAF | 219 | 16 | 26 | 2 | 424 | 7 | 8 | 0 |
| 1ST RADBN | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 341 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| CAG'S | 42 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1738 | 116 | 0 | 0 |
| 29th CA Co (att) | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 0 |
| 7th PsyOps Co (sup) | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 53 | 0 |
| | | 18 | | | 2832 | 137 | | |

b. III Marine Amphibious Force

| <u>Officers</u> | | | | <u>Enlisted</u> | | | |
|-----------------|-----|------|------|-----------------|------|-------|------|
| USMC | USN | USA | USAF | USMC | USN | USA | USAF |
| 5139 | 434 | 5057 | 21 | 72000 | 2901 | 52418 | 25 |

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PART IINARRATIVE SUMMARY1. INTRODUCTION

a. GENERAL. During March 1969 III Marine Amphibious Force Headquarters was located in East Danang, Republic of Vietnam. The average personnel strength was 137,995, a decrease of 1,605 under the previous month.

b. ACTIVITIES. III Marine Amphibious Force continues to be guided by COMUSMACV Letter of Instruction (LOI 3-66) dated 30 March 1966 in pursuit of its objectives for March 1969.

2. OVERALL EVALUATION. Enemy activity declined in intensity throughout the month of March after the initial phase of the "Post TET Offensive" which started during the last week of February. This latest enemy offensive continued to be characterized by numerous attacks by fire and small scale ground probes against allied units and installations.

Two rocket attacks accounted for significant aircraft damage during the month. On the morning of 7 March Marble Mountain Air Facility received 8 rounds of 122mm rocket fire causing substantial damage to 2 CH-46 helos and light damage to 2 other helos. On the morning of 21 March Chu Lai Air Field received 2 rounds of 122mm rocket fire resulting in six A-4 aircraft destroyed, three A-4 aircraft substantially damaged and fourteen A-4 aircraft limited damage.

Quang Nam and Quang Tin Provinces continue to be the focal point of enemy activity, however, significant engagements also occurred in the vicinity of the DMZ.

On 1 March elements of 3/5 Cav and A/4/12 Cav (Quang Tri Province) made heavy contact w/enemy in a bunker complex resulting in 1 USA KIA, 48 USA WIA (40 EVAC), 59 NVA KIA, 16 IWC and 6 CSWC. Contact terminated on 3 March.

On 2 March elements of 2/7 Marines (Quang Nam Province) engaged an estimated 20 enemy while on a sweep resulting in 24 USMC WIA (15 EVAC), 16 NVA KIA and 4 IWC.

On 3 March elements of 3/4 Marines (Quang Tri Province) received a ground attack supported by mortar fire resulting in 9 USMC KIA, 24 USMC WIA (EVAC), 13 NVA KIA and 3 IWC.

On 7 March elements of 3/21st Inf (Quang Tin Province) engaged an unknown number of enemy resulting in 2 USA KIA and 31 USA WIA (17 EVAC).

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On 15 March elements of 3/1 Inf, 1/20 Inf and E/1 Cav (Quang Ngai Province) engaged an unknown number of enemy resulting in 2 USA KIA, 21 USA WIA (20 EVAC), 33 NVA KIA, 13 IWC and 1 CSWC.

On 15 March elements of 3/21 Inf (Quang Tin Province) found graves containing 152 NVA KIA.

On 19 March 1/5 Marines Battalion Command Post (Quang Nam Province) received a ground attack by an estimated NVA Company supported by mortar and rocket fire resulting in 13 USMC KIA, 54 USMC WIA (25 EVAC), 72 NVA KIA, 21 IWC and 5 CSWC.

On 23 March elements of the 1st Bde, 5th Inf Div (Mech) began operation Montana Mauler in Quang Tri Province making heavy contact with the 27th NVA Regiment. The operation was continuing with heavy contact as this reporting period ended.

III MAF units conducted a total of eleven major unit operations during the month of March accounting for 1,840 enemy KIA, 1,420 IWC and 201 CSWC. Individual small unit operations accounted for 1,508 enemy KIA.

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PART IIISEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS, MARCH 1969

1. SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS. The following five operations had moderate to significant contact.

a. Operation DEWEY CANYON. The 3d Marine Division (9th Marines) continued clear and search operations in Quang Tri and Thua Thien Provinces with significant contact for the period 1-18 March 1969.

At 011540H A/1/9 engaged 30 NVA with all organic weapons. Results of contact were 12 NVA KIA.

At 061120H A/1/9 engaged 10 NVA with all organic weapons and artillery. Results of contact were 9 NVA KIA.

At 131300H A/1/9 received small arms fire from an unknown number of enemy who detonated claymore mines. A/1/9 returned fire with all organic weapons and called artillery. Results of contact were 1 USMC KIA, 7 USMC WIA, 9 NVA KIA, and 1 PW/NVA.

At 151100H C/1/9 engaged an estimated enemy squad. C/1/9 fired all organic weapons and called air strikes. Results of contact were 7 USMC WIA, and 17 NVA KIA.

Operation DEWEY CANYON terminated at 181800H March 1969. Elements of 1/9, in continuous contact with the enemy during the final phases of the operation accounted for 19 NVA KIA. Ten USMC were wounded and evacuated.

b. Operation MONTANA MAULER. The 3d Marine Division (1st Bde/5th Mech) commenced clear and search operations in Quang Tri Province at 230001H March 1969 with significant contact for the period 23-31 March 1969.

At 241800H 3/5 Cav engaged an estimated enemy battalion. Results of contact were 23 NVA KIA.

At 271000H 1/11th Inf engaged elements of the 27th NVA Regiment with all organic weapons, called artillery and air strikes. Results of contact were 14 USA KIA, 30 USA WIA, and 120 NVA KIA.

At 281000H 1/11th Inf reestablished contact with the 27th NVA Regiment and again directed air and artillery on the enemy. Results of contact were 1 USA KIA, 30 USA WIA, and 68 NVA KIA.

At 291800 C/1/11 Inf directed air strikes upon two enemy mortar positions. Results were 16 NVA KIA.

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c. Operation KENTUCKY JUMPER. The 101st Airborne Division commenced clear and search operations in Thua Thien Province at 010001H March 1969 with moderate contact for the period 1-31 March 1969.

At 121703H C/1/502 was engaged by an estimated enemy company armed with small arms, automatic weapons, and RPG's. C/1/502 returned fire with all organic weapons and were supported by gunships. Results of contact were 2 USA KIA, 1 USA WIA, and 17 NVA KIA.

At 270310H elements of the 3d Bde received RPG, mortar, and small arms fire from an unknown number of enemy. 3d Bde returned fire killing 17 NVA. Friendly losses were 17 USA WIA.

d. Operation MAINE CRAG. The 3d Marine Division (3d Marines) commenced combat operations in Quang Tri Province at 150001H March 1969 with significant contact for the period 15-31 March 1969.

At 182245H G/2/3 ambushed two enemy trucks. Seven NVA were killed and two individual weapons captured. Friendly losses were 1 USMC KIA, and 1 USMC WIA.

At 221400H E/2/3 engaged an unknown number of enemy. E/2/3 fired all organic weapons and called artillery. Results of contact were 2 USMC KIA, 15 USMC WIA, and 10 NVA KIA. The following morning at 0930H E/2/3 again engaged an unknown size group of enemy accounting for 8 NVA KIA and capturing 119 IW. Seventeen USMC were wounded and evacuated.

At 231200H H/2/3 found a truck containing 1½ tons of rice and a half-ton of salt.

At 231600H G/2/3 found 20 cases of 60mm rounds, 2500 rounds of 12.7 AA ammo, and 10 tons of rice.

At 261700H B/1/61 Mech found 60 tons of dynamite.

e. Operation FREDERICK HILL. The Americal Division (196th Inf Bde) commenced clear and search operations in Quang Tin Province at 180001H March 1969 with moderate contact for the period 18-31 March 1969.

At 190300H 4/31 received small arms fire and grenades from an unknown number of enemy. 4/31 returned fire with all organic weapons. Results of contact were 17 USA WIA and 8 NVA KIA.

At 191400H A/2/1 engaged 8 NVA killing all eight. There were no friendly casualties.

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At 211440H F/8 Cav engaged 9 VC killing all nine. There were no friendly casualties. One hour later F/8 Cav engaged 12 enemy. Eight VC were KIA. There were no friendly casualties.

f. The following six operations did not have any significant contact during the period indicated:

| <u>OPERATION</u> | <u>PROVINCE</u> | <u>PERIOD</u> |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| TAYLOR COMMON | QUANG NAM | 1-8 March 1969 |
| RUSSELL BEACH | QUANG NGAI | 1-31 March 1969 |
| GENEVA PARK | QUANG NGAI | 18-31 March 1969 |
| IRON MOUNTAIN | QUANG NGAI | 18-31 March 1969 |
| PURPLE MARTIN | QUANG TRI | 28-31 March 1969 |
| OKLAHOMA HILLS | QUANG NAM | 31 March 1969 |

2. CASUALTIES INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY. See page 27.

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3. FRIENDLY CASUALTIES SUSTAINED

a. III MAF Casualties:

(1) Battle

| | <u>KIA</u> | | | <u>WIA</u> | | | <u>DOW</u> | | | <u>MIA</u> | | |
|--|------------|-----|-----|------------|-----|------|------------|-----|-----|------------|-----|-----|
| | USMC | USN | USA | USMC | USN | USA | USMC | USN | USA | USMC | USN | USA |
| | 288 | 18 | 166 | 2528 | 70 | 1394 | 29 | 0 | 18 | 5 | 1 | 2 |

(2) Non-Battle

| | <u>DEATHS</u> | | | <u>INJ/ILL</u> | | |
|--|---------------|-----|-----|----------------|-----|-----|
| | USMC | USN | USA | USMC | USN | USA |
| | 46 | 1 | 17 | 225 | 6 | 203 |

b. Number of Courts-Martial Tried:

Summary 135
 Special 107
 General 24

c. Short Tons of Mail sent and received by III MAF:

Sent: 191 Received 421

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4. Personnel

a. Special Services Activities

(1) Freedom Hill Recreation Complex

- (a) LIBRARY: No change from last report.
- (b) THEATER: The theater was operational 28 days in March. Total attendance was 29,354.
- (c) GYMNASIUM: No change from last report.
- (d) OUTDOOR FACILITIES: No change from last report.
- (e) BOWLING CENTER: The bowling center was operational 27 days in March. Total attendance was approximately 4,175.
- (f) CONSTRUCTION COMPLETED: The stairways on Freedom Hill have been completed and the roof and enclosure for the beer garden ~~is~~ completed.
- (g) MAJOR CONSTRUCTION PENDING:
1. The practice batting cage is in the process of being constructed.
 2. The miniature golf course is nearing completion.
 3. The new barracks, guard house, armory, and sentry booth ~~is~~ in the process of being constructed.
- (h) MAJOR ACTIVITIES: Saturday, the 5th of April, there will be a Command Military Touring Show at the Freedom Hill Indoor Theater. The name is "Six Pack O' Jazz".

(2) R&R Activities

(a) Of 6266 seats allocated to III MAF, 5215 were filled for 83.2% utilization. Of 7968 seats allocated to III MAF (Including Naval Forces in I Corps), 6392 were filled for 80.0% utilization. Total allocations for Danang R&R Center consisted of 9929 seats of which 9527 were filled for a percentage of 95.9%.

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(b) The following are the March statistics for III MAF and I Corps R&R usage for each out-of-country site:

| <u>SITE</u> | <u>III MAF</u> | <u>I CORPS</u> | <u>TOTAL</u> |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|
| BANGKOK | 1046 | 410 | 1456 |
| HAWAII | 1427 | 518 | 1945 |
| TOKYO | 381 | 240 | 621 |
| SYDNEY | 1535 | 773 | 2308 |
| HONG KONG | 668 | 433 | 1101 |
| TAIPEI | 561 | 249 | 810 |
| KUALA LUMPUR | 213 | 218 | 431 |
| SINGAPORE | 120 | 167 | 287 |
| MANILA | 172 | 103 | 275 |
| OKINAWA | 269 | 24 | 293 |
| TOTAL | 6392 | 3135 | 9527 |

(c) In-Country R&R (China Beach): Quotas allocated were utilized by 954 personnel. This does not include daily users. Daily users for the month of March totaled 4,940.

(3) Entertainment

| | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Henry Wilcoxon | 6-11 March | Handshake Tour |
| Jeanne Ewing | 6-10 March | Musical Show |
| Betty Hall Jones | 11-15 March | Musical Show |
| Pause That Refreshes | 11-17 March | CMTS |
| Jim Begg | 14-18 March | Handshake Tour |
| New Generation | 20-29 March | CMTS |
| Latin American Revue | 28 March - 2 April | Musical Show |

(4) MARS Activities (18 stations in I Corps)

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| (a) Messages sent | 10,378 |
| (b) Messages received | 7,970 |
| (c) Phone patches sent & received | 11,404 |
| (d) Hospital Calls | 236 |

(5) Tape Facility

(a) 5055 pre-recorded musical tapes were produced during this period.

(b) 5,111 pre-recorded musical tapes were sold during this period.

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(6) Film Library

(a) 65 films received from Saigon were put into the circuit in I Corps area.

(b) 280 films were repaired by this facility.

(7) Stars and Stripes Distribution

(a) 40,902 Stars and Strips free issue newspapers were distributed in the I Corps area on a daily basis.

b. Force Chaplain

2 March. Force Chaplain attended Scholarship Committee meeting of the Association for the Encouragement of Learning to discuss scholarship award plans and programs.

4-6 March. Force Chaplain participated in MACV Supervisory Chaplains Conference in Saigon at which presentations were offered on the Personal Response Project, Drug Use and Abuse, the Chaplains Program in RVNAF and the plan for the reactivation of the program which permits in-country visits by Denominational Endorsing Agents.

9 March. Force Chaplain visited with the Division Chaplain, 1st Marine Division and Staff Chaplain, FLC to discuss itinerary for the visit of Bishop James Galloway of the United Methodist Church.

10-14 March. The Force Chaplain served as Command Host for the visit of RADM H. J. ROTRIGE, CHC, USN, Fleet Chaplain, USPACFLT. The Fleet Chaplain was given a familiarization tour which included on 10 March visits with the Commands and Navy Chaplains serving at MAGs 12 and 13, NSAD Chu Lai, MCB 56, 9th Engineering Battalion of 1st Marine Division and a visit to CG, Americal Division; on 11 March visits with Commands and chaplains and attendance at a chaplains conference in the 3rd Marine Division and a visit at MAG-36 in Phu Bai to participate in the Chapel Dedication ceremony; on 12 March visits with commands and chaplains of the 1st Marine Division, attendance at the ICTZ Supervisory Chaplains Conference held by the Force Chaplain at which a briefing was presented by CORDS and chaplains matters were discussed, and an area chaplains dinner attended by sixty-one Army, Navy and Air Force Chaplains at which Chaplain Rotrige was the guest speaker; on 13 March visits to BGen W. K. BENNETT, USA who gave a briefing on Personal Response Project, visits with Commands and chaplains and the Hoa Khanh Children's Hospital at FLC and visits with Commands and chaplains of the 1st MAW; and on 14 March, visits to COMNSA Danang and with Commands and chaplains of NSA Danang.

15 March. Force Chaplain made arrangements for and prepared I Corps Coordinator Notices for forthcoming Conferences for Christian Science personnel and Latter Day Saints' personnel.

18 March. Force Chaplain visited Dieu Nhan Buddhist Orphanage/Day School and the Hoi An Catholic Orphanage to distribute support funds and clothing items. He also visited Combined Action Company 2-4. In the afternoon, the H&S Company Chaplain accompanied the Force Chaplain to NSA Hospital to visit with patients from III MAF.

23 March. Force Chaplain attended Protestant Rally at MAG-16 Chapel at which Colonel Paul SEABAUGH, USMC the III MAF Judge Advocate was one of the Lay Speakers.

24 March. Force Chaplain visited Wing Chaplain, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing to discuss chaplain coverage problem in units of the Wing.

28-31 March. Force Chaplain on R&R.

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5. Intelligence

a. General Enemy Situation. The month of March 1969 was another one in which the enemy was most active in the I Corps Tactical Zone. Although the tempo of his efforts which characterized the commencement of the NVA/VC post-TET offensive was not sustained during the first two weeks of the month, nevertheless, the enemy continued to conduct several limited ground/sapper attacks during this period, particularly in northeastern QUANG TRI (P), as well as frequent but light attacks by fire in all five province areas.

Throughout I Corps, major enemy forces continued to maintain tactical positions within striking distances of principal population centers and friendly installations during the first half of the month. Statements of PW's and reports of agents persisted in indicating the enemy's intentions to pursue a course of renewed offensive activity in his "Winter-Spring" campaign.

These intelligence indicators were proven during the latter part of the month when Military Region 5 forces launched a series of coordinated attacks by fire, interspersed with several ground/sapper attacks, against ARVN/FWMAF installations and tactical units throughout the three southern provinces of I Corps on 19 March. With the exception of the first week of the NVA/VC post-TET offensive, i.e., 22-28 February, it was the highest level of enemy activity experienced during the past few months.

The tempo of enemy initiated activity in the northernmost province of QUANG TRI remained generally constant during the first three weeks of March. Ground action during this time frame was light in intensity for the most part. However, the province was the most active in I Corps during the last week of the month as contacts were made in a number of places along the DMZ.

Attention during the early part of the month remained focused upon the southwest quadrant of the province where the 9th Marines continued to achieve major operational successes in their much-heralded DEWEY CANYON operation. The enemy persisted in putting up a token amount of resistance in this area as was attested to by several squad to platoon size contacts as well as incoming mortar, rocket and artillery fire on an almost daily basis. As some measure of the degree of success achieved in this operation --one of the most successful of the Vietnam War--was the fact the Marines had accounted for 1,617 confirmed enemy KIA's as well as the capture of 1,223 individual and 243 crew-served weapons and the capture or destruction of some 815 tons of ammunition by the time the operation terminated on 18 March. Of even greater importance was the fact that the 9th Marines succeeded in either neutralizing or destroying substantial portions of the enemy's logistical system in Base Area 611.

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Of significance with respect to enemy order of battle in the DEMEY CANYON AO was the capture of a PW on 13 March who was identified as a member of an engineer company organic to the 9th NVA Regiment. The prisoner, who stated that the mission of his unit was to guard Route 922, provided a good deal of background information concerning the history, organization and mission of this NVA regiment, thus corroborating information already held on the 9th Regiment by III MAF OOB.

Another remote region of particular interest in southwestern QUANG TRI during March has been the Route 616 area immediately to the west of the LAOTIAN salient. In response to a large number of sightings by 3rd Marine Division reconnaissance teams of substantial vehicular traffic on this route, 2/3 Marines, elements of the 2nd ARVN Regiment and elements of the 1st Brigade, 5th Infantry Division (MECH), commenced Operation MAINE CRAG on 15 March with the mission of exploiting this seldom entered area and capturing or destroying enemy material on or in the vicinity of Route 616. Although some ground contact was made with enemy forces in the MAINE CRAG AO during the first two weeks of the operation, by and large these contacts were light and desultory and with units assessed to be from rear services formations involved in logistic rather than enemy maneuver elements. Several prisoners taken during the initial phase of the operation were determined to be from the 75th Engineer Battalion of the 559th Transportation Group.

At the same time, friendly forces taking part in this operation uncovered major caches astride Route 616 which, if they continue to grow, may rival or exceed those found in the DEMEY CANYON operation. It was apparent that a good deal more ammunition was in this area as an M-79 round which was fired into an underground entry precipitated a secondary explosion of such violence as to wound 17 Marines.

Emphasis shifted from the southwest quadrant of the province to the B-5 FRONT during the week of 9-15 March where enemy forces were active between the DMZ and Route 9 throughout the remainder of the month.

Aerial observers, ground observation posts and electronic surveillance equipment continued to detect the presence of squad to platoon size enemy forces within the eastern demilitarized zone on a daily basis. Friendly forces operating along both the eastern and western reaches of the DMZ continued to be harassed periodically by sporadic attacks by fire of low intensity. During one such attack on 15 March, a friendly recon patrol captured a PW near the mouth of the BEN HAI River who was identified as a member of the 2nd Battalion, 82nd Artillery Regiment, a unit currently held in OOB as subordinate to the 351st Artillery Division in NVN.

The northeastern portion of the province was the stage setting for several significant platoon to company size enemy sapper attacks during the

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month, with at least two of these forays producing heavy friendly casualties. Although there was no enemy unit identification, these attacks, directed against friendly installations/tactical units situated in the triangle formed by DONG HA-GIO LINH-CUA VIET, were most likely conducted by elements of the 31st Group. Credence was lent to this contention by the capture of a PW from the 27th Independent Battalion of the 31st Group near GIO LINH on 3 March.

The most important engagements of March in QUANG TRI occurred in the central region of the DMZ FRONT in the CON THIEN-CAM LO-ROCKPILE complex where elements of the 1st Brigade, 5th Infantry Division (MECH) encountered elements of the 27th NVA Regiment in a series of major contacts at the month's end which assessed 224 confirmed KIA's against this major enemy force.

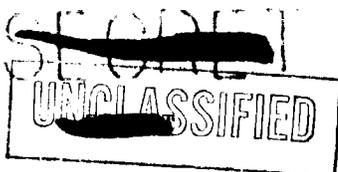
Significant enemy order of battle intelligence was also produced in this area on 14 March when a PW from the 1st Battalion, 246th NVA Regiment was taken north of the ROCKPILE. The capture of this prisoner thus confirmed the presence of this frequently mentioned but rarely seen unit in northwestern QUANG TRI and marked the first contact with this major enemy force since elements of the regiment were engaged in the KHE SANH area on 27 June 1968. Most likely it was elements of this regiment which were encountered by the 4th Marines in their attempt to reopen FSB ARGONNE northwest of KHE SANH near the month's end.

On 1 March, Operations KENTUCKY, SCOTLAND and MARSHALL MOUNTAIN terminated in QUANG TRI Province. Total cumulative enemy losses for these three major operations aggregating 29 month's running were 7,303 KIA's, 211 PW's, and 2,408 weapons captured.

The general enemy situation in THUA THIEN (P) remained relatively quiet throughout the month of March as most major enemy combat units avoided decisive ground engagements with ARVN/PWMAF. This particular province again produced the lowest level of enemy activity in the I Corps Tactical Zone as has been the case for the past several months.

Ground action within the province was desultory throughout the month with the majority of contacts occurring along Route 547 in the MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER AO. Elements of the 101st Airborne Division (AM) participating in this major operation which commenced on 2 March encountered sporadic, light enemy resistance in this area as they continued their efforts to eliminate the enemy's use of the A SHAU Valley for logistic and personnel throughput. Contacts in this operation were most probably with elements of the 9th NVA Regiment as a document taken off the body of an enemy soldier killed at FSB VEGHEL on 13 March identified the 816th Battalion of this major MRTTH force.

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While failing to meet with any serious ground opposition in this operation, elements of the 101st were nonetheless successful in uncovering several significant enemy caches during the month.

Elsewhere in THUA THIEN, enemy efforts were manifested in a series of light attacks by fire, most of which were concentrated against friendly installations along Route 1, as well as several incidents of sabotage against the DANANG-HUE railroad in the PHU LOC area.

Of significance with respect to enemy order of battle in THUA THIEN were several PW's from the 5th NVA Regiment who were taken in a cordon operation south of PHU BAI during the latter part of the month. These prisoners included members of each of the four battalions subordinate to the 5th Regiment as well as a PW from the K.32nd (AKA 832nd) Artillery Battalion, a unit which operates in direct support of the 5th Regiment. Information gleaned from some of these PW's indicated that the 5th Regiment was making preparations for attacks to be conducted against friendly installations in the HUE-PHU BAI area during the first part of April.

Operation NEVADA EAGLE terminated in THUA THIEN (P) on 012400H March. Total cumulative enemy losses for this major ten month operation which commenced on 17 May 1968 were 3,299 KIA's, 853 PW's and 3,701 weapons captured.

The level of enemy activity in the three southern provinces of I Corps dropped off considerably during the first half of March following the first week of the NVA/VC post-TET offensive of 1969.

In QUANG NAM (P), attention during the early part of the month was focused on the AN HOA area. While no major ground combat was recorded, nevertheless, the buildup of enemy pressure around the AN HOA Combat Base continued unabated during the period. Incoming mortar and rocket fire was reported on a daily basis and Marine combat units operating in close proximity to AN HOA found themselves engaged in frequent contacts on all land quadrants surrounding the Combat Base. The 1st VC Regiment, making its first appearance in the offensive, was identified by a PW taken from the 60th Battalion of this major 2nd NVA Division force as the unit exerting the increased pressure on the AN HOA complex. Elsewhere in the DANANG TAQR, contacts during this two week period were light and scattered in areas of previous engagements. However, it was apparent that enemy forces still remained in these areas in substantial numbers despite the heavy losses suffered by the enemy south and west of DANANG as a result of aggressive ARVN/FWMAF reaction during the week of 22-28 February. As but one example attesting to this fact, three PW's captured southwest of MARBLE Mountain on 14 March were identified as members of the 1st Battalion of the frequently encountered and often decimated 36th NVA Regiment.

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With the exception of the TIEN PHUOC area, QUANG TIN Province was generally quiet during the first two weeks of March. While the Special Forces/CIDG Camp itself was not seriously threatened, incoming was recorded on an almost daily basis at TIEN PHUOC throughout the period 1-8 March, and Mobile Strike Force elements operating in the general vicinity of the camp had a number of small unit contacts. A prisoner captured southeast of TIEN PHUOC on 5 March was subsequently identified as a member of the 3rd Regiment, 2nd NVA Division, thus confirming previous speculation that this particular unit was responsible for the action in and around the Special Forces/CIDG Camp.

Enemy activity dropped to previous low levels in QUANG NGAI during the period 1-8 March following the sharp increase in enemy efforts the previous week in conjunction with the commencement of the post-TET offensive. Enemy initiated incidents were principally characterized by scattered attacks by fire and a few isolated sapper attacks of low intensity.

However, the following week witnessed an appreciable rise in the level of activity within the province. The majority of ground action during this time frame was concentrated in the DUC PHO area where infantrymen from the 11th LIB were engaged in almost daily contacts with elements of the 2nd VC Regiment, 3rd NVA Division, identified by a captured PW. Further to the north, the presence of elements of the 22nd NVA Regiment in the area of the QUANG NGAI provincial capital was confirmed by the capture of a PW southeast of QUANG NGAI City on 14 March. Interrogation of the PW revealed that his unit had been responsible for the combination mortar and ground attack on two refugee camps in the area of his capture the preceding night.

The general pattern of enemy initiated activity in southern I Corps experienced a significant change during the latter part of the month. On 19 March, enemy offensive efforts increased markedly in QUANG NAM, QUANG TIN and QUANG NGAI as forces subordinate to Military Region 5 launched a series of coordinated attacks throughout the piedmont and eastern lowland regions of these three respective provinces. The type and nature of these attacks were similar to those experienced on 22-23 February, i.e., attacks by fire interspersed with sapper attacks and light to moderate ground attacks.

Installations in QUANG NAM's DANANG TAOR receiving light rocket and/or mortar attacks included DANANG City, FLC, HIEU DUC, and DIEN BAN. The DUY XUYEN District Headquarters was the object of a combination mortar/RPG and ground attack while several ground attacks were reported against RF units in the HIEU DUC area. Northwest of AN HOA near the LIBERTY Bridge, sapper elements organic to the 2nd NVA Division conducted a combination mortar and heavy ground attack against the 1st Battalion, 5th Marines CP which saw the enemy suffer 73 KIA's while the Marines sustained moderate casualties. During the same time frame, reinforced elements of the 51st ARVN Regiment

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inflicted 64 confirmed KIA's on the 2nd and 3rd Battalions of the 36th NVA Regiment north of DIEN BAN while capturing no less than eight prisoners from this major force.

Although the tempo of the enemy's efforts in QUANG NAM subsided somewhat following this sharp flurry of activity, nevertheless, enemy forces remained active throughout the eastern portion of the province during the remainder of the month. Installations in the DANANG area continued to be favorite targets for sporadic attacks by fire of low intensity. Although pressure in the AN HOA area subsided, several ground attacks were noted elsewhere in the southern DANANG TACR. The most significant activity at the month's end occurred in an area approximately five kilometers south-south-east of HILL 55. Between 25 and 30 March, this area was the scene of no less than four noteworthy contacts in which elements of the 1st ARVN Ranger Group assessed a total of some 342 confirmed KIA's against FRONT 4 forces including elements of the 36th and the old 38th NVA Regiments.

In QUANG TIN and QUANG NGAI Provinces, enemy efforts of 19 March were manifested in the form of activity not unlike that experienced in QUANG NAM Province. Targets of widespread attacks by fire included TAM KY City, CHU LAI Air Base, QUANG NGAI City Airfield, MO DUC and DUC PHO City as well as several LZ's and other friendly installations. Noteworthy among the several ground attacks accompanying these attacks by fire was a probe initiated against the headquarters of the 4/31st Infantry at LZ WEST, 16 kilometers northwest of TIEN PHUOC in which a PW was taken who was identified as a member of the 3rd Regiment, 2nd NVA Division. The capture of this prisoner thus confirmed the continued presence of this major enemy force in the highlands of central QUANG TIN. The most serious ground attack in QUANG NGAI occurred at a refugee camp on the outskirts of DUC PHO City where an enemy platoon infiltrated the camp and detonated numerous satchel charges, bangalore torpedoes and shaped charges. Thirty-four civilians and five PW's were killed or wounded, 100 homes were destroyed or 50% damaged and 103 families left homeless. Of particular significance with respect to enemy order of battle was the capture during the 19 March time frame of two PW's southwest of QUANG NGAI City who were members of the 3rd Battalion, and VC Regiment, 3rd NVA Division. The two PW's indicated that their battalion had the mission of attacking installations in the NGHIA HANH area.

Subsequent to the increase in enemy offensive efforts of 19 March, activity in QUANG TIN dropped to previous low levels for the remainder of the month. In QUANG NGAI Province, however, enemy activity remained at a light to moderate level throughout the last week of the month. The majority of ground engagements during this period were concentrated in NGHIA HANH District southwest of the QUANG NGAI provincial capital where friendly forces

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had almost continuous contacts with elements of the 22nd NVA Regiment, identified by no less than six PW's taken in these contacts. Aggressive reaction by ARVN/FWMAF against the increased threat in this area apparently preempted large-scale attacks on QUANG NGAI City and inflicted 125-150 KIA's on this major enemy force.

With four weeks having transpired since the inception of the NVA/VC post-TET offensive, by the month's end the general thrust and direction of the enemy's activities had become apparent. It was evident that the enemy intended to pursue a war of mildly escalated effort for the purpose of increasing attrition, particularly against U.S. Forces and installations, without provoking serious escalation on the part of ARVN/FWMAF. It was estimated that the pattern of enemy activity which characterized his operations during the month of March would continue during the month of April.

b. Enemy Action Statistics. Facts pertaining to enemy activities in Allied operating areas, including combat bases, for the month of March are as follows:

Enemy Initiated Activity

| | <u>III MAF</u> | <u>CIDG</u> | <u>ARVN</u> | <u>ROKMG</u> | <u>GAP</u> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| Attacks | 13 | 1 | 54 | 0 | 10 |
| Ambush | 3 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 3 |
| Assault By Fire | 57 | 7 | 27 | 1 | 4 |
| Harassing Fire | 892 | 17 | 275 | 77 | 82 |
| Mine/Booby Traps | 293 | 3 | 43 | 22 | 21 |
| AA Fire | 1120 | 0 | 37 | 0 | 0 |

Total Acts of Terrorism for ICTZ - 176

c. Enemy Order of Battle. Confirmed enemy forces operating in ICTZ on 31 March 1969.

(1) QUANG TRI (P). Confirmed units in QUANG TRI (P) include only those considered to be operating south of the DMZ. Major units are: the 7th FRONT Headquarters, the K.8 and K.14 Infantry, and K.32nd Artillery Battalion subordinate to the 7th FRONT; the 6th Battalion of the 812th NVA Regiment, the 2nd and 3rd Battalions of the 27th NVA Regiment; and the 27th Battalion, 31st Group. Additionally, two independent companies and two companies of the 31st Group are operating in the province. The total confirmed strength in QUANG TRI (P) is 2,645.

(2) THUA THIEN (P). The K.4B, K.4C, and the Regimental Headquarters of the 4th NVA Regiment; the K.4 and K.10 Infantry and the CHI THUA I and CHI THUA II Sapper Battalions of the 5th NVA Regiment; the 806th Battalion

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of the 6th NVA Regiment, and six independent companies are located within the province. The total confirmed strength for THUA THIEN (P) is 3,365.

(3) QUANG NAM (P). Enemy forces in QUANG NAM are comprised of FRONT 4 Headquarters; the 2nd NVA Division Headquarters and support units; the 1st VC and the 21st NVA Regiments of the 2nd NVA Division, the 102nd and 103rd Battalions of the 31st NVA Regiment; the 36th NVA Regiment; the 141st NVA Regiment; the 368B NVA Artillery Regiment, six independent battalions and six independent companies. The independent battalions are comprised of the 1st Battalion, 68B Artillery Regiment, R.20, V.25 and D.7 Infantry Battalions, the T.89 and 3rd Sapper Battalions. The total confirmed strength is 8,505 for the province.

(4) QUANG TIN (P). Headquarters, Military Region 5; the 31st Regiment of the 2d NVA Division; four independent battalions; the 70th, 72d, 74th Infantry and the 409th Sapper Battalions, and two independent companies are located in the province. The total confirmed strength in QUANG TIN is 2,350.

(5) QUANG NGAI (P). The 3rd NVA Division Headquarters and support units; the 2nd VC and 22nd NVA Regiments of the 3rd NVA Division; the 401st Sapper Regiment; three independent battalions; the 38th, 48th and 81st VC Infantry Battalions; and thirteen independent companies are located in the province. The total confirmed strength in QUANG NGAI is 5,475.

d. Counterintelligence.

(1) Counterintelligence Monthly Overview. The level of counterintelligence related incidents continued at the generally high level initiated during the final week of the previous month. It is significant that, while terrorism remained at a high level, political and propaganda activity failed to increase correspondingly. The Viet Cong offensive undoubtedly caused some delay in the implementation of current pacification plans, but it is unlikely that there has been significant long-term regression in the security status of most areas in ICTZ. As in previous months, Viet Cong activity was mostly evident in the three southern provinces of ICTZ.

(2) Propaganda and Subversion. Reported propaganda incidents decreased somewhat during the month. Propaganda themes most frequently reported urged the people of Viet Cong controlled and contested areas to increase food production, pay taxes and support the Viet Cong. There was some propaganda on recent Viet Cong victories, but this was not widespread.

(3) Political Activity. Very little political activity was reported during the month. Although there continued to be many reports that the Viet Cong were planning widespread demonstrations to demand an end to the war and

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a withdrawal of US troops, none in fact materialized. Captured documents and interrogation of prisoners reveal that Viet Cong demands, that the people participate in demonstrations, were met with flat refusals in many areas. There is evidence that the Viet Cong also attempted to exploit the arrest of a Buddhist monk in Saigon by organizing protests, but, again they proved incapable of generating significant public support.

(4) Terrorism. Incidents of terrorism remained high during the first three weeks of the month but declined during the final week. The majority of the incidents consisted of attacks by fire or ground assaults on refugee camps or other populated areas. It is believed that the principal reason for these attacks was to force the people to return to Viet Cong controlled areas. There is no evidence that they met with any degree of success in accomplishing this mission, although in some instances the whole population of hamlets was forced to accompany the Viet Cong to insecure areas.

(5) Sabotage. Sabotage incidents declined steadily from the high level witnessed in the final week of February until the final week in the month when they were at the pre-TET level. Railways, culverts, bridges and waterways continued to be the principal targets of sabotage activity. Underwater sapper activity appears to be spreading from the CUA VIET River area to the southern provinces of the Corps.

(6) Espionage. The level and pattern of reported espionage activity remained unchanged during the month with majority of the incidents being very low level and confined primarily to the two northern provinces of the Corps area. Reported reconnaissance activity did increase somewhat in the HUE-PHU BAI area.

e. Enemy Losses. Enemy losses during the month of March were as follows:

| | <u>III MAF</u> | <u>ARVN</u> | <u>ROKMG</u> | <u>CTDG</u> | <u>GAP</u> | <u>TOTAL</u> |
|-------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|
| KIA | 3184 | 2377 | 328 | 101 | 279 | 6269 |
| Detainees | 1350 | 264 | 13 | 0 | 230 | 1857 |
| PW/NVA | 19 | 37 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 65 |
| PW/VC | 42 | 39 | 27 | 1 | 24 | 133 |
| Returnees/NVA | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Returnees/VC | 15 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 62 |
| Civil Defendant | 110 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 131 |
| Innocent Civilian | 507 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 507 |
| Individual Weapon | 1212 | 718 | 140 | 25 | 96 | 2191 |
| G/S Weapon | 130 | 113 | 5 | 1 | 14 | 263 |

f. Kit Carson Scout Program. Significant accomplishments of Kit Carson Scouts employed by Marine Divisions for the period 1-31 March 1969 were as follows:

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| | <u>1st Mar Div</u> | <u>3rd Mar Div</u> |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| a. Patrols | 699 | 570 |
| b. Classes Conducted | 10 | 0 |
| c. Psyops Broadcasts | 10 | 9 |
| d. Enemy Killed | 15 | 15 |
| e. Enemy Captured/Suspects Apprehended | 4 | 15 |
| f. Weapons Recovered | 9 | 7 |
| g. Returnees | 3 | 3 |
| h. Caves/Tunnels/Caches Detected | 0 | 0 |
| i. Mines/Booby Traps Detected | 38 | 8 |

21 March 1969. Twenty Kit Carson Scouts were transferred from the 3rd Marine Division to the 1st Brigade, 5th Infantry Division (MECH). Purpose of the transfer was to provide personnel for the beginning of the Kit Carson Scout Program within the 1st Brigade. The 3rd Marine Division will continue to provide training for new Kit Carson Scouts scheduled for the 1st Brigade.

31 March 1969. The status of Kit Carson Scouts was as follows:

| | <u>No. KCS Employed</u> | <u>No. KCS Recruited</u> | <u>No. KCS KIA-NIA-MIA-Deserted</u> | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| a. 1st Mar Div | 109 | 25 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| b. 3rd Mar Div | 98 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| c. 101st Abn Div (AM) | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| d. Americal Div | 107 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 |

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6. LOGISTICS

a. General. Lines of Communication in ICTZ continued to function normally throughout March. The impact of the enemy's post-Tet offensive on logistics operations was minimal, and as in the past, concern centered more on wind/surf conditions adverse to coastal shipping than with enemy attempts to interdict LOC's. Although weather was frequently marginal, on only one day (12 March) were small boat operations suspended due to wind and surf conditions for 19 hours. Scheduled LST's continued operations throughout the month, and daily average tonnages continued to exceed stated requirements.

Operation TAYLOR COMMON, southeast of Danang, was closed down, as was DEWEY CANYON, in the 3d Marine Division AO, northwest of the Ashau Valley. Late in the month the 1st Marine Division opened Operation OKLAHOMA HILLS, northwest of Danang, and the 3d Marine Division began MAINE CRAIG, to the north and west of the DEWEY CANYON AO. The 101st Airborne Division commenced Operation MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER in the southern end of Ashau Valley.

The 720 foot "Liberty Bridge" over the Tra Bong River was opened for traffic on 30 March, thus relieving the ferry as a possible choke point enroute to An Hoa.

(1) Operation TAYLOR COMMON continued until 8 March with sporadic contacts gradually decreasing as the operation ended. Supply support continued to be primarily by truck convoy to the LSA at An Hoa, where transfer to helicopters and smaller vehicles was made.

(2) Operation DEWEY CANYON, famous for the number and size of enemy supply caches captured and destroyed, closed down on 18 March. Fog and low-lying cloud cover were major problems throughout the operation and prevented normal helo resupply for five of the eighteen days the operation extended into March. Adequate supply levels were maintained in spite of the adverse weather conditions, although paradrops were frequently required. The total for fixed-wing paradrops was 107.5 short tons while CH-46 paradrops accounted for approximately 18 short tons.

(3) Interdiction of rear areas and LOC was light when compared to the last half of February, but slightly heavier than the two previous months. NSAD Sa Huynh was attacked briefly with small arms and grenade launchers on four occasions, the Dong Ha Ramp was sniped at once and a bridge on the Hue-Danang railroad was damaged, stopping

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thru-service. (These incidents are discussed more fully in subsequent paragraphs.)

b. Dental

(1) Dental Civic Action (MED CAP II) was conducted by III MAF Dental Companies during the month of March as follows:

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| (a) Patients Treated | 1,549 |
| (b) Dental Procedures | 4,141 |

(2) MEDCAP II for the indigenous population continues to be held at the III MAF Dental Facility.

(3) On 4 March Capt. J.G. CHUDZINSKI, DC, USN, reported aboard as the new III MAF Staff Dental Officer.

(4) The 21st Dental Professional and Administrative Conference was held in conjunction with a meeting of the I Corps Dental Society on 8 March at the 95th Evacuation Hospital. The 22d Dental Professional and Administrative Conference was held on 31 March.

(5) The Force Dental Officer made visits to dental/medical facilities in the Danang area, including the U.S.S. Sanctuary (AH-17) during the month of March.

(6) On 31 March the FMFPac Force Dental Officer, came aboard for an inspection tour of area Dental Companies.

(7) Statistics:

(a) Total strength of III MAF dental units:

| | |
|--------------------|-----|
| Dental Officers | 72 |
| M S C Officers | 4 |
| Dental Technicians | 123 |

(b) Total facilities operated by Dental Companies during the 3d quarter, FY-69: 38

(c) Total Dental Procedures for the 3d quarter, FY-69: 140,642.

c. Embarkation

(1) Narrative Summary

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(a) Air. Four airfields (Marble Mountain, Duc Pho, Tra Bong and Minh Long) were surveyed during March. Duc Pho was closed to C-123 and C-130 aircraft on 1 March, but remains open to C-7A's. Work on the runway is scheduled to be completed by 15 May. Tra Bong airfield was closed to all fixed-wing aircraft on 29 March for runway repairs. It is expected to reopen between 1 and 15 May. Operations by fixed-wing aircraft into the airfield at An Hoa were suspended on 10 March, at the request of the CG, 1st Marine Division, due to enemy mortar attacks during aircraft operations. It remained closed thru 31 March. During the month of March, 16 combat essential missions were completed, airlifting a total of 26,049.4 short tons of cargo and 186 passengers. A grand total of 115,338 passengers and 26,720.0 short tons were airlifted during March. This constitutes a large increase in passengers and a slight increase in cargo over the previous month.

(b) Surface. Intermittent enemy activity during the month had no effect on the waterborne movement of supplies in ICTZ. Fair weather prevailed throughout the month, generally providing good surface and sea conditions for shallow draft craft. The repair and rehabilitation of the Duc Pho Airstrip necessitated the utilization of shallow draft craft to ship 64,000 bags of cement to the airstrip via the ramp facility at Sa Huynh.

(2) Statistical Summary

(a) During the month of March there were 129 resupply convoys which transported 17,399 S/T and 89 retrograde convoys which transported 3861 S/T.

(b) Air Operations Summary

| <u>USAF</u> | | <u>USMC</u> | | <u>TOTAL</u> | |
|-------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| <u>Pax</u> | <u>Cargo (s/t)</u> | <u>Pax</u> | <u>Cargo (s/t)</u> | <u>Pax</u> | <u>Cargo (s/t)</u> |
| 89016 | 20476.3 | 26322 | 6243.7 | 115,338 | 26720.0 |

Special Missions

| <u>Type</u> | <u>Request</u> | <u>A/cft</u> | <u>Total Cargo (s/t)</u> | <u>Pax</u> |
|-------------|----------------|--------------|--------------------------|------------|
| CE | 16 | C-130 | 26049.4 | 186 |

(c) Surface Operation Summary

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61 Deep Draft Vessels embarked/debarked
at Danang
42 MSTs LST's embarked/debarked at Danang
21 USN LST's embarked/debarked at Danang
437 LCU/YFU's embarked/debarked at Danang
81 Barges embarked/debarked at Danang

Monthly Port Performance Summary (S/T)

| <u>Port</u> | <u>Offload</u> | <u>Daily Average</u> | <u>Throughput</u> | <u>Daily Average</u> |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Danang | 208,725 | 6,733 | 328,930 | 10,611 |
| Dong Ha/ Cua Viet | 48,998 | 1,581 | 54,696 | 1,765 |
| Hue/Tan My/Phu | | | | |
| Bai | 28,551 | 920 | 31,200 | 1,006 |
| Chu Lai | 29,793 | 961 | 36,386 | 1,174 |
| TOTALS | 316,067 | 10,195 | 451,212 | 14,556 |

Highway Operations Summary

Resupply Missions (S/T) (129 Convoys)

| | |
|-----------------|--------|
| Danang - North | 4,742 |
| ARVN - North | 1,149 |
| Danang - An Hoa | 6,331 |
| Other | 5,177 |
| Total | 17,399 |

Retrograde Missions(89 Convoys)

3,861

(3) Chronological Listing of Significant Events

- 1Mar - Duc Pho airfield was closed to C123's for runway repairs.
- 8Mar - Min Long and Tra Bong airfields were surveyed and remain open to C-7A aircraft. Due Pho was re-surveyed and remains closed, except to C-7A and smaller aircraft.
- 10Mar - An Hoa airfield was closed to fixed-wing aircraft due to enemy mortar fire, and remains closed at the end of the reporting period.
- 11Mar - Marble Mountain Airfield was surveyed and remains open to aircraft through C-130 size

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- 12Mar - Due to the sea-state, only scheduled LSTs were utilized for coastal shipping.
- 16Mar - At 0100 and 0230H, NSAD Sa Huynh received small arms sniper fire. There were no casualties or damage.
- 19Mar - At 0130H Sa Huynh was fired on with five 40mm (M-79) grenades. There were no casualties or damage.
- 21Mar - The Dong Ha Ramp received small arms sniper fire at 2350H. There were no casualties or damage.
- 24Mar - Between 0115 and 0215H, Sa Huynh was taken under fire by M-79 grenade launchers (four rounds) and automatic weapons (small arms). There were no casualties or damage.
- 28Mar - Between 1915 and 1950H, Sa Huynh was fired on by an RPG. Two NSAD personnel received minor wounds.
- 29Mar - Tra Bong airfield was surveyed and closed to all fixed-wing aircraft for repairs.

d. Engineer

(1) Road and Bridge Resume. Incidents of enemy harassment and interdiction on primary LOC were diminished in intensity when compared to February. On QL-1, 6 bridges and 18 culverts were damaged or destroyed. During the same period, recuperative and upgrading efforts resulted in seven bridges constructed, four bridges repaired, forty-one culverts installed, and one tactical bridge installed. Of particular significance was the opening by MCB-3 of the low-water, 720 foot Liberty Bridge on HL-540, leading into An Hoa, and the completion of asphalt paving operations on QL-1 between Chu Lai and Tam Ky by the 9th Engineer Battalion.

Enemy attempts to disrupt road LOC were unsuccessful, as repairs, where necessary were accomplished quickly.

(2) Vietnamese National Railroad. On 15 March, 50 meters of the north span of the Song Nong Bridge, six kilometers south of Phu Bai, was destroyed by a sapper attack. Repairs are not expected to be completed until approximately 15 April. Passenger service continues

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intermittently through the use of trains which go to either side of the bridge to discharge and take on passengers.

e. Food Services

(1) On March 7th, the WestPac Food Management Team, consisting of a Captain, a Master Sergeant, a Gunnery Sergeant and a Staff Sergeant, arrived in-country for a four-month period. This team will visit U.S.M.C. and ROKMC (2d Brigade) units to instruct and assist in all aspects of food services, from activity management to food preparation.

(2) The III MAF Subsistence Operational Analysis Report for the month of February was submitted to HQMC on 18 March. Data highlights are:

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Value of "A" & "B" Rations Issued | \$2,732,025.49 |
| Value of MCI's Issued | 1,782,612.16 |
| Average Daily Fed "A" & "B" Rations | 77,683 |
| Average Daily Fed MCI's | 29,040 |
| Daily Average Cost to Feed "A" & "B" | \$1.26 |
| Daily Average Cost to Feed "A" & "B" & MCI | 1.51 |
| Pounds of Bread Manufactured | 781,002 |
| Pounds of Bread Received From U.S. Army | 54,900 |
| Gallons of Milk Purchased (Foremost) | 333,549 |
| Gallons Ice Cream Purchased (Foremost) | 54,337 |
| Gallons of Ice Cream Manufactured | 2,081 |
| Pounds of Ice Purchased (Commercial) | 2,348,044 |
| Number of Meals Sold | 20,110 |
| Cash Collected for Meals Sold | \$ 9,880.91 |
| Total Expenditures | \$4,716,749.95 |

f. Motor Transport

(1) Statistics for the month of January for the five Motor Transport Battalions and Truck Company FLC, are:

| | |
|----------------|---------|
| Mileage: | 582,851 |
| Fuel (Tons): | 3,854 |
| Total Tonnage: | 94,503 |
| Passengers: | 216,179 |

(2) From 1 through 3 March, the FMFPac Multifuel Instruction Team conducted visits to units in the Danang area, completing this cycle of instruction. The Team then departed for Okinawa.

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(3) The Force Motor Transport Operations Officer visited SU#1, 1st ANGLICO, in Saigon, from 9 through 15 March to discuss motor transport matters.

(4) On 17 March the Force Motor Transport Operations Officer conducted a courtesy inspection of the motor transport section of the 1st ANGLICO detachment assigned to the 2d Brigade, ROKMC, at Hoi An.

(5) On 19 March the Force Motor Transport Chief conducted a courtesy inspection of the motor transport section of the 2d Combined Action Group (CAG) in Danang.

(6) On 24 through 26 March, a representative from COMUSMACV Transportation (J-45), Land Branch Section, visited the Force Motor Transport Officer to discuss motor transport matters.

g. Ordnance

(1) The First 175mm Gun Battery became operational on 5 March, 1969 in the Danang TOAR. The 3rd and 5th 175mm Gun Batteries are scheduled to become operational during the month of April contingent upon the stockage level of 2nd, 3rd, and 4th echelon parts and secondary repairables.

(2) On 31 March a complete review of ASP's 1 and 2 (Danang), and the Chu Lai ASP was conducted by representatives from COMNAVFORV, Force Engineer Section, FLC, and the Force Ordnance Officer. The purpose of this conference was to gather information to be submitted to COMUSMACV as an aid to the programming and planning of increased class V storage facilities. Information submitted included:

(a) Existing assets of storage pads and segregation areas.

(b) Facility requirements of storage pads and segregation areas.

(c) Indicated which amounts of (a) and (b) are covered storage.

(d) Stockage objective for air and ground ammunition (separate for USMC/U.S. Army).

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(e) Stockage on board for air and ground ammunition (separate for USMC/U.S. Army).

The above listed data was consolidated and forwarded to COMUSMACV.

(3) On 14 March, after approximately two months suspension of operations due to a serious malfunction (destruction of an LVTE-1 with crew), the LVTE-1's were authorized to re-commence operations. A new SOP was introduced which is to be utilized by the 1st and 3rd AmTrac Battalions prior to any operations. The most significant procedure to be adopted is the requirement that no electrical connection be made by the crew until after the charge is completely extended.

h. Supply

(1) Continued planning for requirements for the 1969-1970 Monsoon has resulted in a more desirable supply support outlook than in previous years. Procurement of 4,000 lightweight rainsuits from Japanese sources has been held in abeyance pending completion of a vigorous recovery program for III MAF units. Materials are on hand at the Force Logistic Command in sufficient quantities to facilitate the recovery, preservation, packaging and packing of all lightweight rainsuits recovered. Specific instructions for this program have been prepared by this Headquarters and will soon be published. This will provide maximum standardization of procedures throughout the recovery program.

(2) Significant strides have been made in the updating of records at Headquarters, Marine Corps; Fleet Marine Force, Pacific; Headquarters, III Marine Amphibious Force and the units concerned with fixed and fixed/floating bridging through inventories and coordinated submission of Controlled Item Reports.

(3) On 3 March, the Force Logistic Command submitted the first of a series of monthly reports on the progress of accumulation of stocks to meet demands projected by commands for the Summer Requirements Program. Monthly reports are designed as a vehicle to signal the need for expedited supply action of items in short supply.

(4) An increasing emphasis has been placed on the movement and subsequent shipment of personal effects of deceased and wounded Marines. Increased attention in this area by major commands and continuous monitoring by this Headquarters have resulted in more

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timely shipments and reports of shipment.

(5) Distribution of AN/PRC-88 radios with associated equipment was completed during the month.

(6) Negotiations with local commercial sources have continued for the alteration of excess large size jungle clothing for use in satisfying requirements for high-demand sizes. Samples of local commercial work have been obtained and returned with comments/requested changes. Force Logistic Advisory Gram (FLAG) 8-69 was published as the result of direction by this Headquarters (ForBul 4400 of 21Dec68) to promulgate instructions for the recovery and rehabilitation of lightweight utilities.

(7) All major commands returned response cards and ATI follow-ups generated by the Backorder Reconciliation Program between III MAF units, the Force Logistic Command and the 3rd Force Service Regiment. Final fiscal and requisition validation/cancellation statistics will be compiled during the period 1-15 April and reported to the Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific.

1. Medical

(1) The total average patient load for the two Medical Battalions and 1st Hospital Company was 555 with a total of 2220 admitted and 584 patients evacuated out of country. 2017 pints of whole blood were expended to use.

(2) Information relative to III MAF in-patient treatment facilities is as follows:

| <u>TAOR</u> | <u>UNIT</u> | <u>AUTH BEDS</u> | <u>ACT BEDS</u> | <u>AVG CENSUS</u> | <u>%OCC</u> |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Quang Tri | 3dMedBn (-) 3dMarDiv | 240 | 220 | 179 | 81 |
| GSB Vandergrift | C-Co (-) 3dMedBn | | 10 | | |
| Dong Ha | D-Co 3dMedBn | 15 | 12 | 8 | 67 |
| DaNang | 1stMedBn 1st MarDiv | 240 | 240 | 134 | 56 |
| DaNang | 1stHospCo 1stMarDiv | 100 | 100 | 92 | 92 |

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(3) The USS SANCTUARY (AH-17) was LogSup III MAF from 1-11 March 69, departing for Subic Bay on 12 March 69 for Up-Keep, and returning to LogSup of III MAF on 23 March 69 for the remainder of the month. The USS REPOSE (AH-16) was LogSup to III MAF 1-30 March 69. It departed for Subic Bay on 31 March 69 for Up-Keep and will return LogSup III MAF on 11 April 69. Both ships were on station at the below listed locations as the tactical situation required.

- (a) Danang Harbor
- (b) Quang Tri - Dong Ha operating area

(4) III Medical Department strength as of 31Mar69 is as follows:

| | <u>2100</u> <u>Allow/OB</u> | <u>2300</u> <u>Allow/OB</u> | <u>HM's</u> <u>Allow/OB</u> |
|------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1st MarDiv | 89/74 | 17/16 | 1097/1117 |
| 3d MarDiv | 70/65 | 13/14 | 1147/1011 |
| 1st MAW | 42/32 | 2/ 3 | 208/ 197 |
| FLC/1stFSR | 8/ 8 | 6/ 5 | 156/ 141 |
| III MAF Hq | <u>2/ 2</u> | <u>3/ 3</u> | <u>138/ 130</u> |
| Totals: | 211/181 | 41/41 | 2746/2596 |

(5) Figures shown under III MAF Headquarter include 118 Hospital Corpsman assigned to the Combined Action Program as follows:

| 1st CAG (Chu Lai) | 2nd CAG (Danang) | 3d CAG (Phu Bai) | 4th CAG (Quang Tri) |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 31 | 36 | 33 | 18 |

(6) There was no aerial dispersal of insecticides during March 69.

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7. Comptroller

a. Significant Events for March

There were no significant events for the month of March.

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8. Civil Affairs.

a. Objectives. The basic objectives of the III Marine Amphibious Force Civil Affairs program remain the same.

b. Civic Action

(1) During the month of March the civic action programs conducted by US/FWMAF units in I Corps have continued to provide much needed and welcomed support to the Vietnamese people. Supplying of commodities, educational efforts, medical treatments, and construction projects have maintained a steady level. Increased cooperation has been noted in the people's enthusiasm for self-help projects and their willingness to provide intelligence information. The following are highlights of significant civic action programs conducted this month:

(a) As a result of the nurses training program conducted by 3d "8" Howitzer Battery in Hoa Vinh Village, the hamlets of Huong Phuoc and Trung Son now have full time medical care and daily sick call. MEDCAPS continue in these hamlets, but primarily for reasons of training, supervision and resupply rather than treatment.

(b) The 4th Combined Action Group is coordinating a seed distribution program for vegetable seed which is being passed out to hamlet farmers by the CAP Civic Action NCO and his PF counterpart. This is in conjunction with a CORDS effort to start a seed and agricultural equipment distribution in Quang Tri Province. Marines and PFs are receiving training at the Nhan Bieu Agricultural Center and will provide field assistance to the farmers.

(c) The net result of the 101st Airborne Division inoculation program for the month of March was 2,500 immunizations. Of this total 2,300 were administered on a recurring basis at nine separate schools and village headquarters. Factors contributing to the program are the participation of Vietnamese nurses and extensive photo coverage. The photos are posted at future sites prior to the arrival of the MEDCAP teams.

9. Psychological Warfare Operations

a. Chieu Hoi Program

| PROVINCE RECEIVED RALLIER | TOTAL BY PROV. | REC'D BY | | CLASSIFICATION | | | | RALLIED WITH WEAPON |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------|-----------|----------------|----------|------------|-----------|---------------------|
| | | RVNA/ GVN | US/ FWMAF | VC | NVA | POL | OTHER | |
| QUANG TRI | 49 | 10 | 39 | 31 | 0 | 7 | 11 | 2 |
| THUA THIEN | 25 | 21 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 7 |
| QUANG NAM | 71 | 55 | 16 | 29 | 4 | 32 | 6 | 15 |
| QUANG TIN | 141 | 131 | 10 | 75 | 2 | 58 | 6 | 10 |
| QUANG NGAI | 38 | 37 | 1 | 22 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 13 |
| TOTAL | 324 | 254 | 70 | 162 | 8 | 124 | 30 | 47 |

b. Media Production and Dissemination:

(1) 7th PSYOP Battalion media productions:

Total basic (10 1/2"x15") impressions printed: 11,598,495
 Leaflets printed: 20,567,000
 Posters printed: 773,000
 Handbills printed: 1,586,000
 Newspapers printed: 808,000

(2) Flight "A" 9th SOS operations - IOTZ:

Total PSYOP sorties flown: 286
 Total targets scheduled: 5,523
 Total leaflet targets flown: 2,163
 Total tape targets flown: 1,184
 Total leaflets dropped: 148,038,100
 Total tape time: 247:50

(3) Ground loudspeaker broadcast hours: 1,285:10

(4) Movie showings/hours: 379/197:10

(5) Cultural Drama Team performances: 33

c. Campaign Support:*

| | <u>Lfts (air dropped)</u> | <u>Air Broadcast Hrs</u> |
|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Chieu Hoi | 101,287,500 | 162:50 |
| (2) Anti VC/NVA | 17,683,000 | 95:15 |
| (3) Support GVN | 20,541,600 | 27:45 |
| (4) Rewards | 10,957,500 | 33:20 |

* NOTE - Includes total support rendered by RVNAF/FWMAF agencies as well as by U.S. military and civil PSYOP as reported to III MAF.

d. Tactical PSYOP in Support of Major III MAF Operations:

| <u>Operation</u> | <u>Lfts Delivered</u> | <u>Air/Grd Bcast Hrs</u> |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Kentucky Jumper | 20,462,785 | 61:25/144:15 |
| (2) Iron Mountain | 8,998,500 | 17:05/51:30 |
| (3) Frederick Hill | 6,387,000 | 15:35/28:00 |
| (4) Geneva Park | 4,524,000 | 22:35/44:00 |
| (5) Purple Martin | 2,299,000 | 0/2:10 |
| (6) Maine Craig | 2,129,000 | 0/2:15 |
| (7) Taylor Common (Term. 8Mar69) | 2,038,000 | 3:00/14:00 |
| (8) Dewey Canyon (Term. 18Mar69) | 505,000 | 0/0 |

e. Narrative Summary

(1) General

(a) Although the general level of enemy actions during March reflected a decrease as compared to the levels of the previous month, PSYOP activities during the period continued to stress exploitation of revealed or discerned vulnerabilities of those enemy units identified as probable participants in the "offensive", and also served to reinforce the psychological preparation of the citizens of IOTZ -- principally the citizens of urban centers -- for the possibilities of further enemy attacks.

1 As communications with the enemy is accomplished primarily by leaflets and loudspeaker broadcasts, the major portion of the effort targeting the enemy audience was designed to deliver logical, credible, and effective messages to the opposition, stressing the casualties he has endured, the inevitability of defeat, the possibility of a cessation to hostilities, and the anguish expressed by the people of South Vietnam at what they adjudge to be aggression from North Vietnam. Special PSYOP materials addressed to the NVA soldier suggested that the alternatives to continued fighting and inevitable death included not only to rally or surrender, but also observed that other NVA soldiers chose to avoid a meaningless death and an unmarked grave by "slipping away" from the battlefield and their units, to find temporary refuge in remote areas, or even to surreptitiously return to their families and homes in the North.

2 PSYOP efforts aimed at the friendly population -- particularly the urban citizenry -- were intended to reinforce the activities of the Vietnamese Information Service and ARVN POLWAR in furnishing the people prompt and factual information of local happenings and communicating to the people the latest pronouncements and announcements of the government and leadership. This information program was designed to satisfy

the needs of the people for authoritative accounts and explanation of events, to allay the suspicions and doubts of the people, and to inform the citizens of governmental policies, thus squelching rumors and dismissing unfounded fears generated by inadequate or inaccurate information. Although our assessments of the attitudes and morale of the Vietnamese citizenry are irregular and rudimentary, the indications are that the program is achieving some degree of success, and the Regional PSYOP Coordinating Council plans to expand and improve upon the present arrangements.

(b) For the past year, AFVN Danang has allocated one hour each night for the presentation of a Vietnamese-language television program to service the population of the city of Danang. The program varies its fare from variety entertainment by local groups to the appearances of well known local and national leaders in hardhitting and informative interviews and discussions. Although the quality of the programming is uneven, and, at times, evidences need for considerable attention and improvement, the one hour Vietnamese-language program undoubtedly has been an important and effective part of the GVN Ministry of Information's information and education program in the Danang area. (In this respect it is important to note that Danang is the second largest city in South Vietnam, with a current population of some 380,000, and, although lacking an indigenous newspaper, and with some of the other communications channels common to a large city lacking or lagging, Danang does evidently possess approximately 15,000 television sets).

1 III MAF was notified by MACV in December that the one hour Vietnamese-language programming is in violation of U.S. statute and should be terminated. In recognition of the very important communications role television can fulfill in the Danang area, Commanding General, III Marine Amphibious Force directed civil and military PSYOP to investigate the feasibility of utilizing the MBI television facility already in operation at Hue to undertake and replace the Vietnamese-language programming of AFVN Danang. The observations by television technicians consulted by PSYOP were that a "relay unit" suitably positioned between Hue and Danang would bring the Hue signal into Danang.

2 On 24 March, in response to the request of the Commanding General, III Marine Amphibious Force, a team consisting of Mr. B. Battey, (Assistant Deputy Director, JUSPAO), Mr. F. Eckert, Representative of NBC (International) and other MACV/JUSPAO representatives, visited ICTZ for the purposes of ascertaining the feasibility of a relay arrangement and to locate a suitable site. CORDS/PSYOP and III MAF PSYOP, with the assistance of representatives of other III MAF staff sections, First Marine Air Wing, First Marine Division, and others, coordinated the visit and activities of the visiting team, to include a one day visit to Hill 724 (AT 9593) located within the Hai Vang Pass, which had been identified by map survey as a possible satisfactory location for the siting of a "relay unit". Members of the team subsequently returned to the area for more extensive tests and voiced a tentative opinion that Hill 724 would provide satisfactory relay and that the required relay equipment should be installed and operating within 60 days.

3 With plans now proceeding smoothly for bringing Hue television programming into Danang, the IOTZ PSYOP/POLWAR/Information Community -- as represented in the Regional PSYOP Coordinating Council (consisting of the ranking representatives of ARVN I Corps POLWAR, VIS, CORDS/PSYOP, and III MAF PSYOP) -- turned its attention during the report period to the problems and projects of the MOI television station at Hue. In addition to several visits to the station, the Regional PSYOP Coordinating Council has discussed the project at weekly conferences and will invite the manager of the Hue television station to appear as a guest at one of the Regional Coordinating Council's future meetings.

(c) The Monthly ARVN I Corps/III MAF Combined PSYOP/POLWAR Conference was held 31 March at ARVN I Corps' Officers' Club, Danang. Conferees attending represented RVNAF (ARVN I Corps) POLWAR, the major ARVN tactical commands, regional and provincial level Vietnamese Information Service cadre, regional CORDS/PSYOP and APA/PSYOP, 7th Psychological Operations Battalion, Flight "A" 9th Special Operations Squadron USAF, III MAF PSYOP and representatives of the major U.S. and Free World Tactical Commands. The conference served to assemble the various branches of the PSYOP/POLWAR community, allowing an exchange of experiences and expertise, and to apprise the membership of current and projected plans. The conference agenda included brief, informal reports by various tactical unit representatives and VIS cadre, and a more detailed report by the Regional Chieu Hoi director. Recent happenings of political significance, such as President Thieu's offer to "talk" with the representatives of the NLF, and reports of a possible reduction in U.S. troop strength in South Vietnam, were discussed and analyzed for possible PSYOP/POLWAR concern and/or exploitation.

(d) The major III MAF tactical commands continued during March to report conduct of PSYOP orientation classes as part of the indoctrination programs established for new arrivals. The curricula of these individual programs are not standardized and appear to reflect those areas of current primary concern in each command, but all the classes include information about the Chieu Hoi and Weapon Recovery (VIP) Programs, and how these programs correlate to and assist military operations.

(e) During March, III MAF Military PSYOP, with the collaboration of ARVN I Corps POLWAR, undertook a complex and far reaching conversion of operating elements and procedures which function to develop and produce propaganda themes and materials for IOTZ POLWAR and PSYOP agencies. The heart of this revision was to shift supervisory authority and responsibility for the operation of the Propaganda Development Center from the 7th Psychological Operations Battalion to the ARVN 10th POLWAR Battalion, while retaining participation by the 7th PSYOP Battalion and adding to it representation of Regional VIS and Chieu Hoi. The change also expanded the role of the Propaganda Development Center, to encompass allocation of certain PSYOP assets, recommendation of future PSYOP/POLWAR courses of action and campaigns, and establishment of support priorities, as well maintenance of the previously-conducted missions of composing and developing propaganda themes and originating PSYOP materials.

1 The shift signals no decrease or diminishment in the input or operational workload of the U.S. military PSYOP elements -- in fact, the argument may be made that the change actually aggravates certain problems of coordination, production, etc., with which the U.S. PSYOP elements must contend. The evident and intended advantage is that the propaganda emanating from this revised Joint Propaganda Development Center will benefit from the maximum of Vietnamese influence and direction, and will serve to provide a standard psychological product at the CTZ level. In the past, U.S. and Vietnamese POLWAR/PSYOP efforts have frequently taken divergent paths toward the same goal. The establishment of this Joint (Combined) Propaganda Development Center represents a significant step forward in furthering the assimilation of GVN and U.S. expertise into a workable relationship that will ultimately facilitate the accomplishment of our advisory as well as operational mission in RVN.

(2) Chieu Hoi Campaign

(a) Chieu Hoi psychological operations in ICTZ is a coordinated civil-military effort, involving cooperative participation by the Vietnamese Information Service, the Chieu Hoi Service, JUSPAO, CORDS/PSYOP, and RVNAF and GVN civil agencies, as well as III MAF's military PSYOP. Chieu Hoi psychological operations constitute a continuous and unremitting program, established largely on a routine and regular (repetitive) basis, which comprise a major portion of III MAF's total PSYOP effort. Chieu Hoi Psychological Operations in the month of March included the concluding activities of the RVNAF and GPWD-initiated country-wide 1969 Tet Campaign, which received extensive US/Free World military and civil PSYOP support. III MAF organizations participated by cooperatively producing leaflets and other printed materials, assisting regional and provincial authorities in targeting appropriate audiences, delivering leaflets by air, and facilitating local hand dissemination by any available means.

1 III MAF organizations also provided support to the Chieu Hoi Center "visitation" program presently being conducted by GVN Chieu Hoi cadre. The visitation program aims at countering the claims of enemy propagandists that Hoi Chanhs are exploited for PSYOP/POLWAR advantage, and then are summarily executed by the GVN. With the assistance of the local governmental authorities, the program arranges for Vietnamese known to have relatives in the ranks of the enemy, or who are believed to be in contact with the enemy, to personally visit the local Chieu Hoi Centers and hamlets. The visitors are allowed to speak with the camp residents, investigate the living conditions, and then see for themselves the freedom and security in which the Hoi Chanh live. This "living" evidence, viewed at first-hand by these witnesses and transmitted by them to their enemy contacts, should be most difficult for the opposition to impugn. The original idea is credited to the First Marine Division, which arranged for the initial "visit" in December 1969. While no comprehensive tally is available, visits to the regional and provincial Chieu Hoi centers during the month of March occurred at a frequency of at least one visit each week somewhere in ICTZ. (See paragraphs 7 and 9a for a statistical evaluation of the progress of ICTZ Chieu Hoi programs for the month of March).

(3) Anti-NVA Campaign. The major action in the month of March involving NVA units in IOTZ occurred in Operation Dewey Canyon, an extensive and protracted operation undertaken by the Third Marine Division in the area north of the Ashau Valley, which terminated 18 March. PSYOP support provided Operation Dewey Canyon with the development and delivery of special printed materials targeting the NVA soldier. To offset leaflet delivery problems during periods of poor flying weather, the Third Marine Division PSYOP provided artillery leaflet shells for employment by supporting artillery elements. PSYOP messages designed for delivery to NVA audiences focused on the hardships that the NVA soldier experiences in the field, the high casualty rate and inadequate medical attention, the contradictions in what the NVA leadership tells the soldier and what the NVA soldier himself witnesses, and the folly of risking death or mutilation at a time when negotiations for a cessation of hostilities are underway in Paris. The often-strained relationships produced by the substantial infusion of NVA soldiers into Viet Cong units has also been exploited by PSYOP by frequent reference to traditional rivalries and conflicts and the publication of reports of favoritism and/or bias by either faction.

(4) Anti-VC Campaign. On 27 March 1969, the provincial authorities at Thua Thien announced the discovery of a grave site containing the bodies of more than one hundred Vietnamese, whom the reports indicated were the victims of enemy actions during Tet Mau Than 1968. This grisly find resurrected public awareness of the wanton savagery exhibited by the Viet Cong and NVA during that memorable period and the discovery is receiving considerable attention from both the indigenous and world press. Reports from Thua Thien Province indicated that, on 30 March 1969, more than 6,000 people marched in a procession to the burial grounds at Phu Thu district where local religious and government authorities conducted a memorial service and supervised re-burial of some 134 bodies. Due to the widespread and immediate disclosure of the discovery, and the results of the cooperation of the GVN and US civil and military agencies concerned, the reburial and the memorial ceremony received extensive press coverage, with NBC, ABC, and CBS TV and AP news representatives reported in attendance for the occurrences. In addition, provincial VIS cadre provided local coverage, and Hue TV presented film footage of the grim event. U.S. military PSYOP and civil PSYOP/Information agencies are presently assisting ARVN I Corps POW/MIA personnel in preparing a booklet which will serve to detail the circumstances of the find and to record the actions and reactions of the people as this grim story unfolds.

(5) Support GVN Campaign.

(a) During the month of March, and as an outgrowth of the upsurge in the enemy's military operations and the threat of attacks against population centers, the I Corps/III MAF Regional PSYOP Coordinating Council addressed itself to the problem of providing the people in the GVN-controlled areas with accurate and timely information of immediate interest-- especially authoritative announcements about the enemy threats, results of attacks, or other significant activities. Part of the problem has been that the people become aware of, or are witness

to, incidents or occurrences, but the inadequate communications system most often fails to provide the necessary factual and full details.

(b) The Regional PSYOP Coordinating Council, composed of representatives of ARVN I Corps, VIS, CORDS/PSYOP and III MAF PSYOP, was especially concerned with the situation in Danang City, the major population center in ICTZ and the second most populous city of SVN. Recognizing that lack of authoritative information generates rumors and fosters uncertainty and apprehension, the Regional PSYOP Coordinating Council drew up a program designed to offset these deficiencies. The plan provides for extensive employment of radio broadcasting and the saturation dissemination of news sheets/handbills in the urban areas. As part of this program, VIS cadre operating vehicles equipped with broadcast loudspeakers cruise through the streets and roads of the more heavily populated areas providing daily "broadcasts" of current events. So as to stress the "reporting" aims of the program, printed materials prepared under the direction of this plan minimize propaganda content, but do stress the "self interest" logic of the people supporting local and GVN authorities in the face of the looming menace of enemy attacks.

(6) Civilian Rewards Campaign. Reports for March indicate that the III MAF/I Corps Volunteer Rewards Program (VIP) yielded a total of 1,078 incidents, with reward payments totaling 2,727,464 \$VN to Vietnamese civilians for information leading to the discovery of weapons and explosives. This tally for March 1969 compares with 1,009 such incidents in February 1969, with rewards payments totaling 1,361,827 \$VN. In monetary ranking, it is a new high, although it should be noted that the number of individual rewards and incidents remain at the same general level as previous months. The exceptionally high monetary figure reflects a number of individual incidents in which considerable quantities of material were involved and which resulted in the payment of comparatively large monetary rewards, although each incident is reflected in the report tally as a single instance of rewards payments; just as if only one grenade, one shell, or similarly small quantity had been involved.

(7) Effectiveness Indicators. The Regional Chieu Hoi Advisor reported that a total of 324 ralliers were received in ICTZ during the month of March. It is noteworthy that this is the first time since October 1968 that the monthly rallier tally exceeded 300. The Chieu Hoi report observed that some 162 of these Hoi Chanh were former Viet Cong guerrilla or "Order of Battle" soldiers (in contrast to political workers or NVA). Although the Chieu Hoi tally for the month of March represents a substantial increase, it is yet inconclusive and debatable evidence of any particular effectiveness of III MAF's PSYOP programs. The motivations for a soldier's defection are frequently complex and obscure, and which even the defector himself may not comprehend; therefore, PSYOP does not claim any particular credit for defections. There is considerable evidence available however, that PSYOP efforts to deliver provocative and demoralizing messages to the enemy audience and thereby perhaps encourage defection is achieving significant success. Review of the interrogations conducted of a random sampling of ralliers received in ICTZ since 1 January reveals that, of 39 Hoi Chanh interviewed (which is 4% of the total number of ralliers received), 36 Hoi Chanh acknowledged that they actually heard

one or more PSYOP aerial broadcasts, a full 39 stated that they had seen/read one or more piece of PSYOP printed material; and 32 of the 39 claimed that their resolve to continue fighting or their eventual decision to defect was influenced to some degree by the PSYOP material to which they had been exposed.

(8) PSYOP Intelligence

(a) In contrast to the reduction in the tempo of enemy tactical activity, the onset of March brought forth repeated and increasingly stronger enemy propaganda statements, particularly against the GVN pacification program. In the latter portion of the month, indications of the enemy's concern regarding local elections conducted by the GVN were quite apparent in the enemy's propaganda activities. Enemy propaganda themes continued to solicit support for VC policies, urged anti-GVN demonstrations and attempted to induce GVN and ARVN personnel to join the NLF cause. The latter part of the month did evidence some small increase in enemy tactical activity, however no indication of any significant change of enemy propaganda themes was detected nor was any success reported either in inciting public demonstrations or in the proselyting of RVN military personnel. Enemy propaganda evidenced a moderate step-up in attacks against the GVN-sponsored local elections and an increase in enemy claims of tactical victories over RVNAF and allied forces. Also increased were appeals for contributions of food, money and labor to the NLF cause.

(b) Based on the propaganda line he is presently pursuing, it appears as if the enemy is attempting to influence the conduct of the negotiations underway in Paris to force the U.S. and GVN representatives to accept the enemy's demands and conditions by exploiting the high level of U.S. casualties and by capitalizing on what the enemy opine to be the impatience and weariness of the U.S. public and of world opinion with the war and the protracted negotiations to resolve it. As indicated by frequent reference in enemy propaganda media, the acceptance of a "coalition" government apparently remains as one of the enemy's major political objectives.

(c) What may be termed a continued failure on the part of the enemy to mount a vigorous propaganda effort in coordination with his attempts to actuate a military offensive is a very evident and revealing shortcoming. From all reports, the importance of this deficiency has not been ignored by the enemy leadership, but their continued inability to rectify the situation likely evidences the weaknesses and deficits with which they must contend. The degradation of the political, economic and social influences once wielded so totally and enterprisingly in the rural communities by the Viet Cong Infrastructure is an operational as well as propaganda set-back of a high order. There have been indications that the enemy is making the effort to correct this situation, but there are very scant signs that his efforts are meeting much success.

10. COMMUNICATIONS

a. Message volume through the III MAF Communication Center:

| | <u>February</u> | <u>March</u> | <u>Increase</u> | <u>Decrease</u> |
|----------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Incoming | 37,296 | 39,261 | 1,965 | |
| Outgoing | 18,130 | 19,518 | 1,388 | |
| Total | 55,426 | 58,799 | 3,353 | |

b. Combat Operations Center Communication Center traffic:

| | <u>February</u> | <u>March</u> | <u>Increase</u> | <u>Decrease</u> |
|----------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Incoming | 5,666 | 5,223 | | 443 |
| Outgoing | 7,862 | 8,299 | 437 | |
| Total | 13,528 | 13,522 | | 6 |

c. Headquarters, III MAF message traffic originated:

| | |
|----------|-------|
| February | 3,547 |
| March | 3,997 |
| Increase | 450 |

d. The average daily subscriber initiated call rate through the III MAF AN/TTC-28 was 9500 calls. This figure does not include an estimated average of 2000 operator processed trunk calls for which no accurate count is available due to capability of equipment.

e. The ICTZ/Danang Sector Cable Coordinating Committee met at III MAF on 5 March.

f. Captain FINKE (USN), ACofS, Communications, ComNavForV, visited Col HORNER on 5 March.

g. Major HOLDER attended DUAL BLADE II Conference at Dong Ha on 5 March.

h. LtCol DAVIS and Capt MYERS made a staff visit to 5th Comm Bn on 6 March.

i. LtCol DAVIS and Capt MYERS made a staff visit to ForLogComd and Maint Bn, 1st FSR on 8 March.

j. LtCol DELONG assigned as Operations Officer, G-6, vice Major WILLKOMM, reassigned as Assistant Operations/Plans Officer, G-6 on 10 March.

k. LtCol DAVIS and Capt MYERS made a staff visit to 1st MarDiv on 18 March.

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l. LtCol DAVIS and Capt MYERS made a staff visit to 1st MarDiv on 18 March

m. Major RISLER made an orientation visit to Task Force ALFA, Nakhon Phanom, Thailand on 18 March.

n. BGen RIENZI, CG, 1st Signal Bde, and other brigade staff officers met with representatives of major Danang area commands at III MAF on 18 March to discuss problems incident to activation of the Danang Tandem Switching Center.

o. Major SHARER and Major JANSEN, MACV-J6 visited G-6 on 21 March.

p. Major REYNOLDS attended the USARV Signal Officers' Conference at Long Binh on 22 March.

q. LtCol DAVIS and Capt MYERS made a liaison visit to NSA (Sea Anchor) on 23 March.

r. Major REYNOLDS visited Phu Bai and Camp Eagle in connection with project Delta coordination and staff visits to XXIV Corps, ICTZ Signal Group, and 101st Airborne Div Signal Bn on 24-25 March.

s. The initial meeting of the ICTZ/Danang Sector Communication Coordinating Committee was held at III MAF on 27 March.

t. The ICTZ Communication Officers' Conference was held at III MAF on 27 March.

u. Major WILLKOMM attended MACV-J6 Working Group Meeting on NESTOR Program Implementation at Saigon on 28 March.

v. Major HOLDER and Major RISLER attended AUTODIN Subscribers' Activation Working Group Conference at DCA SAM, Saigon on 31 March.

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COMMUNICATIONS BUREAU

RECAP OF 1967 (200): During the month of March, the CIR provided support to the primary newsmen on 62 news-gathering assignments including ground and air operations, civic action and relief programs. The HAGV press center hosted 103 correspondents during the month.

VEHICLE TRANSPORT: Tactical vehicles on hand include two M151 jeeps and one M-37 truck. Other vehicles on hand are one passenger Chevrolet 8-10 Van, two 1/2-ton Datsun trucks and one station wagon, all in good running condition.

| <u>TYPE</u> | <u>VEHICLE #</u> | <u>STATUS</u> |
|-------------|------------------|---------------|
| M-37 | 312260 | Working |
| M-10 | 250071 | Working |
| M-151 | 350467 | Working |
| M-151 | 352697 | Working |
| Passenger | 500x034 | Deadline NSA |
| Passenger | 500x031 | Deadline NSA |
| Passenger | 500x130 | Working |
| M-151 | 94-691471 | Deadline NSA |
| M-151 | 94-691487 | Deadline NSA |

Two M151 jeeps, a Ford-100 and a Dodge-200 3/4-ton truck are being repaired at NSA to determine whether they will be repaired or replaced.

PHOTOGRAPHERS: The following are the production figures for all photo squad sections in I Corps:

| <u>SI</u> | <u>NEGATIVES</u> | <u>PRINTS</u> | <u>MOPIC (FEET)</u> |
|--------------|------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 1st | 1,355 | 15,088 | 3,670 |
| 2nd | 3,500 | 15,360 | 6,700 |
| 3rd | 5,015 | 6,942 | 1,900 |
| 4th | 4,124 | 7,557 | 3,200 |
| 5th | 2,402 | 6,462 | 0 |
| 6th | 700 | 1,238 | 0 |
| <u>Total</u> | <u>16,106</u> | <u>52,645</u> | <u>15,470</u> |

The following significant events occurring during the month were covered by CIR photographers:

Change of Command Ceremonies of III MAF and

- VIP visit of Henry Wilcoxon, USO tour; tour of
- Major General J.S. BOURDGE, Fleet Chaplain, U.S. PacFleet;
- Major General G.M. BUSH, CG FMFPAC; Major General O.R. SIMPSON'S
- Major General G.M. BUSH, CG FMFPAC; Major General O.R. SIMPSON'S
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d. RADIO/TELEVISION: During March the Radio/TV Unit edited 97 taped radio features and dubbed a total of 776 copies for distribution. Additionally, ISO Sections in III MAF produced 651 home town radio interviews on individual Marines and forwarded the tapes directly to the Fleet Home News Center for processing and distribution. The breakdown of features and home town radio tapes is as follows:

| <u>UNIT</u> | <u>FEATURES SUBMITTED TO RADIO/TV UNIT</u> | <u>TOTAL PRODUCTION FOR DISTRIBUTION</u> | <u>FHTNC</u> |
|-------------|--|--|--------------|
| CIB | 15 | 776 | 12 |
| 1st MarDiv | 36 | N/A | 142 |
| 3rd MarDiv | 8 | N/A | 165 |
| 1st MAW | 38 | N/A | 132 |
| FLC | 0 | N/A | 200 |
| TOTAL | 97 | 776 | 651 |

(1) During the month, radio feature distribution was increased by the addition of Radio-Pulsebeat News, Dixie Productions, Metro-media News, and Bonneville International (11 states) to our normal distribution list.

(2) TV output during March included slide/live copy coverage of III MAF Change of Command for AFVN-TV Danang.

(3) Radio/TV Unit NGOIC provided one week OJT training for new radio information man in FLC ISO Section. The week included interviewing techniques, news, and features production, oral history, tape splicing, editing and distribution, and care and use of equipment.

e. OPERATIONS/ESCORT: The Operations/Escort Unit continued to provide services to newsmen throughout the month. Escorts were provided to cover major I Corps operations...Russell Beach, Maine Crag, Purple Martin, Kentucky Jumper, Frederick Hill, Geneva Park, Iron Mountain, Massachusetts Striker and Oklahoma Hills.

(1) NEWSMEN CASUALTIES: Graham McInerney (AP) received a compound fracture of the leg from a gunshot wound on 21 March. He was medevaced out of country on March 24. S. Akatsuka (UPI) came down with malaria at Dong Ha during March and was admitted to Delta Med and subsequently released.

(2) NOTABLE NEWSMEN: Notable news media representatives at the Press Center during March included: J.P. Bennett, D. Bellendorf, J. B. Parsons and R. Hunt from NBC; R.D. Threlkeld; M.E. Marriott, D.H. Webster, W.H. Brown, T. Khiem, D.C. McLeese, L. A. Fenney and A. H. Sargent from CBS; F. Mariano, C.J. Spence, T. Hase and K. Gale from ABC; R.D. Onman, J. Wheeler, R. Moxron, D. Bacon and Y. Gonna from AP; D. Lamb, S. Akatsuka and N.C. Gibson from UPI; R.A. Golden from REUTERS; G. Chaplin and M. Parker

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NEWSWEEK; D. Wilson and A.L. Saint-Paul from AFP; D.B. Ayers, T. Smith and I. Peterson from the NEW YORK TIMES; R. Minnix, W.F. Collins and M. Kopp from STARS & STRIPES; D. Smith from the OKINAWA MORNING STAR; D.A. Hirst from the OVERSEAS WEEKLY; D. Jenkins from the MELBOURNE HERALD; J. Burrows from the SUNDAY MAIL; N. Tomalin from the LONDON TIMES; R. Best and L. Dodds from KCST-TV (San DIEGO); E. Musgrove from the JACKSONVILLE (FLA) JOURNAL; H.E. Ellithorpe, T. Friedman and P.S. Stephanus from EMPIRE NEWS; N. Rosenfeld from the WASHINGTON POST; J. Mincey from NORTH AMERICAN ROCKWELL; J. Hamilton from the TROY (OHIO) DAILY NEWS; D.C. Huh from the SANJIP KYONGJE SHINMUN CO.; J. Bendy from MODERN ASIA MAGAZINE; A. F. Jessen from KOIN-TV (PORTLAND, OREGON); W.E. Tharp from THE AMERICAN IN VIETNAM; I. Van Geem from LE PEUPLE (BRUSSELES); W. Fowler from the TEXAS NEWS SERVICES; T.E. Son from GERMAN RADIO & TV; S.K. Kim from GOLD-BELL FILM CO.; N.H. Pak from KOREAN MOPVO SERVICE; E. Hymoff from VMH PUBLISHING CO.; K. Creightoren from the LONDON DAILY MAIL; F. Lewis from NEWSDAY; J.L. Wilhelm III from TIME/LIFE; N. Orrick from the BALTIMORE SUN; P. ~~Francklin~~ from the L.A. TIMES.

f. PRESS: During March the Press Unit processed a total of ~~328~~ news/feature releases from III MAF and SLF units for release to civilian and military news outlets. These releases included 219 photographs. On the average, each release was distributed to 65 addressees or media outlets, including Public Affairs Officers on each of the Marine Corps Districts and five major commercial news services or syndicates. The following is a breakdown by commands:

| | |
|------------|-----|
| 1st MarDiv | 99 |
| 3rd MarDiv | 99 |
| CIB | 15 |
| 1st MAW | 59 |
| PLC | 55 |
| SLF | 1 |
| TOTAL | 328 |

(1) A total of 11,347 home town stories on individual Marines were forwarded directly to FHTNC for processing and distribution to home town newspapers. The breakdown is as follows:

| | |
|------------|--------|
| CIB | 64 |
| 1st MarDiv | 4,092 |
| 3rd MarDiv | 3,009 |
| 1st MAW | 3,181 |
| PLC | 1,001 |
| TOTAL | 11,347 |

g. COMBAT UNIT: During the month of March the Combat Unit Team to HHT consisted of SSGT J.A. FAIRFAX and SGT ~~W. W. GO~~.

(1) SSgt FAIRBAX gathered material for new works during the month and completed a painting of LtGen R. E. CUSHMAN and sketches of 175mm guns and NSA Hospital.

(2) There was no report from Sgt YACO during the month.

h. PRESS CENTER UNIT: The following events occurred during the month in the Press Center Unit:

(1) An automatic flotation switch for the front compound water tank was installed. As a result we are now conserving more water for our use.

(2) Our causeway (float) was repaired.

(3) Reduction in working staff. Three house maids were dropped. In addition, one waitress was dropped for inefficiency/unreliability.

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(4) Captain R. R. CROCK reported aboard 17Mar and will become the new Club Officer as of 1 April.

(5) Chain link fencing was installed in liquor storeroom.

12. CHRONOLGY OF VIP VISITS

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>NAME</u> | <u>RANK/SERVICE</u> | <u>BILLET</u> |
|-------------|------------------|---------------------|---|
| 3Mar69 | P. B. DAVIDSON | MGen:USA | J-2 MACV |
| 6Mar69 | A. J. GOODPASTER | Gen:USA | DEPCOMUSMACV |
| 7-9Mar69 | J. E. WILLIAMS | BGen:USMC | CG, 9th MAB |
| 9Mar69 | M. R. LAIRD | Honorable:Mr. | Secretary of Defense |
| 11Mar69 | H. A. RASMUSSEN | MGen:USA | MACV J-4 |
| 11Mar69 | R. C. CONROY | MGen:USA | MACV J-4 (Designate) |
| 11Mar69 | R. R. WILLIAMS | MGen:USA | CG, 1st Aviation BDE., LONG BINH |
| 11-14Mar69 | J. H. ROTRIGE | RADM:USN | CHC, USN, Fleet Chaplain, USPACFLT |
| 14Mar69 | H. NICKERSON Jr. | LTGen:USMC | CG, III MAF (Designate) |
| 15Mar69 | T. J. RUDDEN | RADM:USN | COMCRUDESGPU (CTG 70.8), 7th Fleet |
| 17Mar69 | J. R. DYAS | BGen:USAF | CG, Task Force ALPHA |
| 20-22Mar69 | H. W. BUSE Jr. | LtGen:USMC | CG FMFPAC |
| 20Mar69 | H. P. LANHAM | RAdm:USN | COMFAIRWESTPAC |
| 23Mar69 | F. K. EVEREST | BGen:USAF | Ass't Dir for Operations and Test Evaluation, DOD, Research and Engineering |
| 23-24Mar69 | F. C. WEYAND | LtGen:USA | Office of the Chairman, US/UN Delegation to Paris |
| 24Mar69 | J. H. MAURER | RAdm:USN | SASM/JCS |
| 24Mar69 | J. D. CROWLEY | BGen:USA | CMDR WA/MTMTS |

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|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|--|
| 24Mar69 | R. R. CONDIT | BGen:USA | Dep J-4, JCS |
| 24Mar69 | J. D. MC LAUGHLIN | BGen:USA | J-4, CINPAC |
| 24Mar69 | J. DURRENBERGER | BGen:USA | G-4, USARPAC |
| 26Mar69 | C. W. ABRAMS | Gen:USA | Dep CDR, USMACV Designee |
| 26Mar69 | CAO VAN VIEN | Gen:ARVN | Chairman Joint General Staff and Minister of Defence |
| 26Mar69 | E. R. ZUMWALT | VAdm:USN | COMNAVFORV |
| 27-28Mar69 | R. A. HAY | MGen:Aust Army | MBE, COMAFV |
| 27Mar69 | G. D. WEBSTER | BGen:USMC | CG, FMFPAC (FWD) |
| 28Mar69 | J. D. LAVELLE | LtGen:USAF | Dir, DCPG |
| 30Mar69 | P. B. DAVIDSON | MGen:USA | J-2 MACV |
| 30-31Mar69 | P. V. GALLOWAY | Bishop | Vice Chairman, Commission on Chaplains of United Methodist Church |
| 31Mar69 | G. S. BROWN | Gen:USAF | 7th AF Cdr. |

PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

- (1) March 1969 Editions, III Marine Amphibious Force Newspaper, "SEA TIGER." *Detached. Records, IN NRS Library, /R.*
- (2) III Marine Amphibious Force Command Directory.

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|----------------------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| COMMANDING GENERAL STAFF SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMMANDING GENERAL | NICKERSON H JR | M | LTGEN | 09 | 05128 | 9903 | 5126 | 5126 | 2100 | INDEF |
| AIDE | ANDERSON LH | M | CAPT | 03 | 091901 | 0302 | 5126 | 5246 | | APR70 |
| AIDE | CHAMBERS CM | M | CAPT | 03 | 091338 | 3050 | 5126 | | | APR70 |
| DEP CORDS | CROSS CT | C | | | | | 3505 | | 3505 | |
| POLITICAL ADV | MACK | C | | | | | 2401 | | 2401 | |
| VN AIDE | TUYEN NV | V | 1STLT | TO | 58404510 | | 5126 | | | |
| SGTMJ | BURNS EA | M | SGTMJ | E9 | 284818 | 9999 | 5409 | 5367 | | JUL 69 |
| DEPUTY COMMANDER SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| DEPUTY COMMANDER | YOUNGDALE CA | M | MGEN | 08 | 05454 | 9903 | 5221 | | 3610 | JUL 69 |
| AIDE | HEMPHILL GH | M | CAPT | 03 | 085257 | 0802 | 5106 | | | SEP69 |
| DEP COMMANDER AIR | QUILTER CJ | M | MGEN | 08 | 05645 | 9903 | 3501 | | 3500 | JUL 69 |
| CHIEF OF STAFF SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| CHIEF OF STAFF | DOOLEY GE | M | BGEN | 07 | 06291 | 9903 | 5425 | 5426 | 3212 | JAN70 |
| DEP CHIEF OF STAFF | POGGEMEYER LE | M | COL | 06 | 08477 | 9906 | 5305 | 5302 | 3313 | MAR70 |
| STAFF SEC | STEMPLE JW | M | LTCOL | 05 | 049934 | 0302 | 5352 | 5351 | | AUG69 |
| ADMIN OFF | HAWKINS HE | M | MAJ | 04 | 060109 | 0130 | 5352 | 5351 | | SEP69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | ANDERSON CO | M | MGYSG | E9 | 292942 | 0141 | 5360 | | | AUG69 |

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| PLANS | | | | | | | | | | |
| DEP COFS PLANS | BENNETT WK | A | BGEN | 07 | 035691 | 0002 | 5566 | 5621 | | INDEF |
| DEP PLANS | LEIS SF | M | COL | 06 | 033927 | 7561 | 5176 | | | APR69 |
| ADMIN ASST | DELONGCHAMPS RW | M | MSGT | E8 | 651465 | 0141 | 5566 | | | AUG69 |
| HEAD PLANS/PROJECTS | ARKLAND EH | M | LTCOL | 05 | 049452 | 0302 | 5566 | | | OCT69 |
| PLANS PROJ OFF | BENNET AF | A | MAJ | 04 | 093571 | 1193 | 5661 | | | JUN69 |
| PLANS PROJ OFF | CLARDY IL | A | LTCOL | 05 | 068181 | 1203 | 5661 | | | JUL69 |
| PLANS PROJ OFF | BOLINE JD | M | MAJ | 04 | 056889 | 0302 | 5661 | | | NOV69 |
| PLANS PROJ OFF | CHAVEZ T | A | LTCOL | 05 | 04024818 | 9309 | 5537 | | | JUL69 |
| PERS RESP OFF | STEVENSON NM | N | CDR | 05 | 6633414 | 5582 | 5561 | | | JUL69 |
| HEAD SPL PROJ | TWOHEY RB | M | LTCOL | 05 | 054049 | 0302 | 5661 | | | AUG69 |
| SPL PROJ OFF | LYERLY ED | A | MAJ | 04 | 0F102539 | 1193 | 5661 | | | DEC69 |
| PERS RESP NCO | MCINROE BR | M | MSGT | E8 | 1052309 | 1811 | 5582 | | | OCT69 |
| DUEL BLADE OFF | ONDRAKO S | M | MAJ | 04 | 067767 | 7561 | 5566 | | | NOV69 |
| IGLOO WHITE/DUFFEL BAG OFF | PIERCE RH JR | M | MAJ | 04 | 060969 | 1802 | 5566 | | | FEB70 |
| LNO TFA OFF | POORMAN GL | M | MAJ | 04 | 071044 | 0302 | 5661 | | | JUL69 |
| G1 SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| ASST COFS G1 | HOWATT WJ | M | COL | 06 | 08190 | 9906 | 3744 | 5296 | 3476 | APR70 |
| DEP G1 | MACFARLAN CW | M | MAJ | 04 | 067537 | 0302 | 5421 | | | JUL69 |
| MANAG ENGR | HUNTER RM | M | CAPT | 03 | 087791 | 1803 | 5421 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST G1 | BURGESS RS | M | MAJ | 04 | 079525 | 0302 | 5675 | | | FEB70 |
| ASST G1 | KENNEDY DR | A | MAJ | 04 | 071213 | 2110 | 5675 | | | OCT69 |
| ASST G1 | COULTER RJ | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096445 | 0130 | 5421 | | | APR69 |
| AWDS OFF | LINN RFK | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099715 | 0130 | 5368 | | | JUL69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | SUYDAM RH | M | MGYSG | E9 | 336613 | 0141 | 5421 | | | JAN70 |
| G2 SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| EXEC UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| ACS G2 | CANTON JS | M | COL | 06 | 019390 | 9906 | 5222 | 5468 | 3482 | JAN70 |
| DEP G2 | ROSE M | M | COL | 06 | 04762 | 9906 | 5222 | 5195 | 3482 | AUG69 |

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| ADMIN UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| ADMIN OFF | TAYLOR JL | M | CAPT | 03 | 086506 | 0302 | 5222 | | | MAR70 |
| ADMIN OFF | DAVIS ES | M | CWO2 | W2 | 098548 | 0240 | 5222 | | | FEB70 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | BRAIN ER | M | SSGT | E6 | 1870168 | 0141 | 5222 | | | APR69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | TOZIER RE | M | SSGT | E6 | 1661588 | 0141 | 5222 | | | FEB70 |
| COMBAT INTEL UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| INTEL OPNS OFF | BUNNELL CF | M | LTCOL | 05 | 049416 | 0302 | 5202 | | | AUG69 |
| A INTEL OPNS OFF | WILLIAMS JR | M | CAPT | 03 | 086344 | 0302 | 5202 | | | MAY69 |
| RPTS STAT OFF | WEINS CJ | M | 1STLT | 02 | 098186 | 0202 | 5652 | | | AUG69 |
| PROD SUB UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| PROD OFF | ARMSTRONG PFC | M | LTCOL | 05 | 050541 | 0302 | 5471 | | | OCT69 |
| ASST PROD OFF | SYDENHAM SR | A | MAJ | 04 | 07255 | 1203 | 5602 | | | JUL69 |
| ASST PROD OFF ANYL | CAZIER RW | M | CAPT | 03 | 089724 | 0302 | 5602 | | | JAN70 |
| ASST PROD OFF ANYL | MCFADDEN JP | M | CAPT | 03 | 095485 | 0202 | 5471 | | | JUN69 |
| ASST PROD OFF ANYL | | | | | | | | | | |
| TARGETING SUB UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| TIO | BUSH EJ | M | CAPT | 03 | 089394 | 0302 | 5652 | | | MAR70 |
| COC SUB UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| INTEL WATCH OFF | WILLIAMS TE | M | CAPT | 03 | 087453 | 0302 | 5205 | | | MAR70 |
| INTEL WATCH OFF | SCHOLZ DR | M | CAPT | 03 | 095096 | 6720 | 5205 | | | APR69 |
| INTEL WATCH OFF | BERRY TA | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096161 | 0240 | 5205 | | | JAN70 |
| SPL INTEL UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| SPL INTEL OFF | BUCKNAM HV | M | MAJ | 04 | 076048 | 0302 | 5653 | | | OCT69 |
| SIG INTEL OFF | LANE B | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097121 | 2510 | 5653 | | | JUN69 |
| A SPL INTEL OFF | WHITE HG | M | 1STLT | 02 | 093818 | 2515 | 5653 | | | OCT69 |
| S/EWCC EWO | THOMPSON CW | M | CAPT | 03 | 083748 | 7584 | 5653 | | | OCT69 |
| S/EWCC A SI OFF | WHITE BD | M | 1STLT | 02 | 098203 | 2510 | 5653 | | | JUN69 |
| PLANS UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| INTEL PLANS EST OFF | STRANAHAN JW | M | MAJ | 04 | 052188 | 7540 | 5471 | | | JUL69 |
| A PLANS OFF | CHRISTMAN DW | A | CAPT | 03 | 05534219 | 9968 | 5472 | | | SEP69 |
| COLLECTION UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| COLLECTION OFF | MARROW R | A | LTCOL | 05 | 04010366 | 1193 | 5482 | | | SEP69 |
| COLL COORD | WEAVER JB | A | MAJ | 04 | 04045102 | 9300 | 5483 | | | SEP69 |
| COLL ANAL OFF | SWEET WA | A | CAPT | 03 | 0F106840 | 9300 | 5482 | | | OCT69 |

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| GND REC SU | | | | | | | | | | |
| GND REC OFF | NORDBERG BA | M | MAJ | 04 | 075967 | 0302 | 5452 | | | OCT69 |
| IT SU | | | | | | | | | | |
| IT OFF | UPDEGROVE KR | M | CAPT | 03 | 084249 | 0802 | 5450 | | | DEC69 |
| AERIAL SURV SU | | | | | | | | | | |
| AERIAL SURV OFF | YOUNG HW | M | MAJ | 04 | 081585 | 7541 | 5455 | | | AUG69 |
| AERIAL RECON SU | | | | | | | | | | |
| AERIAL RECON OFF | NEWTON JH | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099776 | 0240 | 5455 | | | JAN70 |
| AERIAL RECON CHIEF | CARAWAY BD | M | CWO2 | W2 | 098475 | 0240 | 5455 | | | JUN69 |
| PII | | | | | | | | | | |
| PII OFF | BATES JR | M | CAPT | 03 | 089146 | 0240 | 5563 | | | MAR70 |
| ASST PII OFF | BROWNLEE JL | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096281 | 0240 | 5563 | | | SEP69 |
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| DIC | HILLIARD H JR | M | 2STLT | 02 | 096956 | 0240 | 5450 | | | AUG69 |
| CI UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| CI OFF | GUENTHER JJ | M | MAJ | 04 | 082787 | 0202 | 5574 | | | AUG69 |
| ASST CI OFF | CLEM LW | M | CAPT | 03 | 079201 | 0210 | 5574 | | | FEB70 |
| PII CENTER | | | | | | | | | | |
| AERIAL REC PHOTO 0 | KRABBE FT | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099655 | 0240 | 5653 | | | MAR70 |
| AERIAL REC PHOTO 0 | KRAWIEC EP JR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099656 | 0240 | 5653 | | | MAR69 |
| AERIAL REC PHOTO 0 | RUNER JT | M | 1STLT | 02 | 09777 | 0240 | 5653 | | | AUG69 |
| AERIAL REC PHOTO 0 | WOODS JL | M | 1STLT | 02 | 098269 | 0240 | 5653 | | | AUG69 |
| 11TH ITT | | | | | | | | | | |
| TEAM CMDR | MEZGER EW | M | CAPT | 03 | 093990 | 1803 | 5450 | | | AUG69 |
| SUB TEAM CMDR | MORRISON CH | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0100524 | 3502 | 5450 | | | AUG69 |
| SUB TEAM CMDR | KASPARIAN JP | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099655 | 0250 | 5450 | | | NOV69 |
| SUB TEAM CMDR | ST DENIS H JR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099880 | 0250 | 5450 | | | MAR70 |
| 5TH CI TEAM | | | | | | | | | | |
| TEAM CMDR | HANDLEY CI | M | CAPT | 03 | 082769 | 0210 | 5574 | | | APR70 |
| CI OFF | JAMES DD | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097036 | 0210 | 5574 | | | JUN69 |
| CI OFF ST1 | SINGER HL | M | CWO2 | W2 | 0105812 | 0210 | 5574 | | | FEB70 |
| CI OFF ST2 | HOWEY WC | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096997 | 0210 | 5574 | | | AUG69 |
| CI OFF ST3 | SANTEE GF | M | CWO2 | W2 | 099308 | 0210 | 5574 | | | JUL69 |

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| G3 SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| EXEC UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| ACS G3 | DWYER RT JR | M | BGEN | 07 | 013904 | 9903 | 5333 | 5338 | 2534 | JUN69 |
| DEP G3 | DALBY MC | M | COL | 06 | 016513 | 9907 | 5603 | 5389 | | APR69 |
| EXEC ASST | KAY WM | M | CAPT | 03 | 089753 | 0302 | 5603 | | | MAR70 |
| G3 CHIEF | DIFEO J | M | MSGT | E8 | 1150052 | 0141 | 5603 | | | NOV69 |
| RD OFF | AMMENTORP WL | M | LTCOL | 05 | 057719 | 6802 | 5464 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST RD OFF | SCHAEFFER JD | M | CAPT | 03 | 0085358 | 0302 | 5464 | | | MAY69 |
| TRAINING OFF | HOEKSTRA JR | M | MAJ | 04 | 047391 | 7552 | 5283 | | | MAR70 |
| OPNS UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| DEP G3 GND OPNS | OWENS T | M | LTCOL | 05 | 046868 | 0302 | 5461 | 5186 | | AUG69 |
| ASST OPNS OFF | EMMONS CD | M | LTCOL | 05 | 061268 | 0302 | 5461 | | | SEP69 |
| FORCE ARTY OFF | COCKEY JM | M | LTCOL | 05 | 061134 | 0802 | 5361 | | | AUG69 |
| SPEC FORCES | MILLER TA | A | LTCOL | 05 | 070112 | 2162 | 5273 | | | DEC69 |
| NBC OFF | SMARSH JD | A | MAJ | 04 | 103039 | 5731 | 5273 | | | SEP69 |
| TRACK VEH OFF | JOHNSON BW | M | MAJ | 04 | 072023 | 0802 | 5640 | | | MAR70 |
| ASST FORCE ARTY OFF | ROSS JW | M | MAJ | 04 | 074653 | 0802 | 5361 | | | MAR70 |
| REC SURV OFF | LEVY N | A | MAJ | 04 | 073761 | 1180 | 5548 | | | JUL69 |
| NGO | WILCOX RC | N | LCDR | 04 | 633689 | 1100 | 5403 | | | MAR70 |
| AMPH OPNS OFF | BAILEY AD | M | MAJ | 04 | 079730 | 1802 | 5640 | | | DEC69 |
| RPTS OFF | HADAWAY JL | A | LTCOL | 05 | 064913 | 2162 | 5361 | | | JAN70 |
| AIR UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| DEP G3 AIR | PEEBLES RR | M | COL | 06 | 019164 | 9907 | 5323 | 5381 | | OCT69 |
| ASST AIR OPNS | ROCHFORD TF | M | LTCOL | 05 | 055353 | 7532 | 5323 | | | DEC69 |
| ROTARY WING OFF | ZYTKIEWICZ W | M | MAJ | 04 | 062445 | 7564 | 5303 | | | APR69 |
| FIXED WING OFF | DIXON WS | M | LTCOL | 05 | 062927 | 7521 | 5323 | | | APR69 |
| ARC LIGHT OFF | JACKSON TB | M | MAJ | 04 | 065611 | 7511 | 5323 | | | JUL69 |
| OIC TARC | DENTON DV | M | MAJ | 04 | 081570 | 7321 | 5475 | | | OCT69 |
| TARC OPNS OFF | MCMILLAN DB | A | CAPT | 03 | 05316645 | 1542 | 5475 | | | JUN69 |
| TARC OPNS OFF | WILLIAMS RE | A | LTCOL | 05 | 02028651 | 1542 | 5475 | | | SEP69 |
| LIAISON UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| LNO MACV | SCHMIDT CE | M | COL | 06 | 023065 | 9907 | DR 64 | | | AUG69 |
| LNO ROYMC | POINDEXTER JE | M | LTCOL | 05 | 060770 | 0302 | DE 24 | | | AUG69 |
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| ASST LN OFF 7THAF | FORNEY MD | M | CAPT | 03 | 0931081 | 7501 | DR 64 | | | AUG69 |
| ASST LN OFF | SCHWANDA RT | M | CAPT | 03 | 095886 | 7583 | DR 64 | | | AUG69 |
| HIST UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| HIST OFF | COBB CW | M | MAJ | 04 | 082124 | 0302 | 5663 | | | OCT69 |
| ASST HIST OFF | CARTER TC | M | CAPT | 03 | 088603 | 0302 | 5663 | | | MAR70 |
| HIST RPTS OFF | HOWLETT TM | M | CAPT | 03 | 0088124 | 6709 | 5674 | | | MAY69 |
| COC UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| OIC | CHARON LP | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059584 | 0302 | 5397 | 5597 | | AUG69 |
| G3 WATCH OFF | DEAN WP | A | CAPT | 03 | 05320141 | 7154 | 5205 | | | NOV69 |
| G3 WATCH OFF | CARROLL JT | M | MAJ | 04 | 052009 | 0802 | 5245 | | | SEP69 |
| G3 WATCH OFF | FLORY RA | A | MAF | 04 | 073684 | 2162 | 5245 | | | SEP69 |
| COC PROJ OFF | PETERSON GL | M | MAJ | 04 | 075978 | 0802 | 5205 | | | MAR70 |
| COC PROJ OFF | SETSER RE | M | CAPT | 03 | 085135 | 0302 | 5205 | | | MAR70 |
| RPTS OFF | POOLEY RW | M | CAPT | 03 | 0104905 | 0802 | 5205 | | | DEC69 |
| GRAPHIC ARTS OFF | SCHWELM JH | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097830 | 0240 | 5485 | | | AUG69 |
| ARMY AVN OFF | JOINER JD | A | LTCOL | 05 | 04026624 | | 5303 | | | MAY69 |
| FOR STRUCTURE/PROG | SVENSON OI JR | M | LTCOL | 05 | 051271 | 0802 | 5238 | | | OCT69 |
| MCDEC LN OFF | ESCHHOLZ TS | M | LTCOL | 05 | 047300 | 0802 | | | | APR70 |
| AMERICAL LN OFF | RUSSELL AL | A | LTCOL | 05 | 064277 | 1203 | 5273 | | | MAY69 |
| G4 SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| ACS G4 | NORTON LC | M | COL | 06 | 035888 | 9906 | 5414 | 5354 | 3464 | JUL 69 |
| DEP G4 | DAVIS OR | M | COL | 06 | 029506 | 9907 | 5414 | 5497 | | OCT69 |
| PLANS UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| LOG PLANS OFF | OROURKE J | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059648 | 0302 | 5553 | | | AUG69 |
| ASST LOG PLANS OFF | CLOUGH CW | M | LTCOL | 05 | 056900 | 0302 | 5553 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST LOG PLANS OFF | MCAFFEE MH | M | MAJ | 04 | 079727 | 3502 | 5204 | | | SEP69 |
| OPNS UNIT | | | | | | | | | | |
| LOG OPNS OFF | RYCKMAN JB | M | LTCOL | 05 | 054975 | 0302 | 5304 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST LOG OPNS OFF | HEY JM | M | MAJ | 04 | 071611 | 1803 | 5304 | | | AUG69 |
| ASST LOG OPNS OFF | TOWNSEND TA | M | MAJ | 04 | 065659 | 0802 | 5304 | | | NOV69 |
| ASST LOG OPNS OFF | MILLER AC | A | MAJ | 04 | 04074726 | 4419 | 5404 | | | OCT69 |
| LOGISTICS CHIEF | SALISBURY RW | M | MSGT | ER | 563338 | 0441 | 5414 | | 3464 | MAR70 |

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| G5 SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| ACS G5 | WESTPHALL HA | M | COL | 06 | 047151 | 9906 | 5301 | 5554 | | NOV69 |
| DEP G5 | DE LA CRUZ R | M | LTCOL | 05 | 058706 | 0302 | 5301 | | | AUG69 |
| CA OFF | BRUCE CB | M | CAPT | 03 | 087878 | 0302 | 5626 | | | NOV69 |
| ADMIN/REPORTS OFF | NICOLI DR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0101344 | 6704 | 5626 | | | OCT69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | MADISON GH | M | SSGT | E6 | 1300203 | 0141 | 5301 | | | SEP69 |
| G6 SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| ACS G6 | HORNER BE | M | COL | 06 | 031981 | 9905 | 5226 | 5359 | | SEP69 |
| DEP G6 | HOOVER MM | M | LTCOL | 05 | 050387 | 2502 | 5258 | | | APR69 |
| OPNS OFF | DELONG CS | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059591 | 2502 | 5209 | | | APR70 |
| ASST OPNS OFF | WILLKOM JW | M | MAJ | 04 | 067685 | 2502 | 5209 | | | OCT69 |
| ASST OPNS OFF | SHULGAY P | M | CAPT | 03 | 097884 | 2502 | 5209 | | | DEC69 |
| ENGR PLANS OFF | HOLDER KM | M | CAPT | 03 | 082320 | 2502 | 5371 | | | APR69 |
| ELECT MAINT OFF | DAVIS HR | M | LTCOL | 05 | 055488 | 5910 | 5600 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST MAINT OFF | MYERS PA | M | CAPT | 03 | 079317 | 2802 | 5600 | | | MAR70 |
| FREQ WIRE OFF | STUFF OP | A | 1STLT | 02 | 05340503 | 0210 | 5209 | | | JUL69 |
| CYTS OFF | REYNOLDS HE | M | MAJ | 04 | 0F118048 | 0500 | 5609 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST ENGR PLANS OFF | RISLER ES | M | MAJ | 04 | 083013 | 2502 | | | | DEC69 |
| COMM CHIEF | MARSHALL RA | M | MGYSG | E9 | 527180 | 2591 | 5258 | | | SEP69 |
| FORCE ADJUTANT SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE ADJUTANT | LYLES JH | M | MAJ | 04 | 060164 | 0130 | 5207 | 5102 | | SEP69 |
| SECT CHIEF | BLOXOM WH | M | MGYSG | E9 | 443620 | 0141 | 5611 | | | SEP69 |
| SC OFF | SHELKEY LE | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097862 | 0130 | 5687 | | | JUL69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | MCCONNAHA JW | M | SSGT | E6 | 1981733 | 0141 | 5687 | | | APR69 |
| PERS OFF | QUINN MJ | M | CAPT | 03 | 084837 | 0302 | 5688 | | | JAN70 |
| PERS CHIEF | KEHAGIAS PG | M | SSGT | E6 | 1851600 | 0141 | 5609 | | | SEP69 |
| REPRO OFF | KEARNEY FJ | M | CWO | W4 | 098896 | 1502 | 5307 | | | NOV69 |
| REPRO CHIEF | RODRIGUEZ RR | M | MSGT | E8 | 990980 | 1521 | 5307 | | | MAY69 |

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| CHAPLAIN SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE CHAPLAIN | RADCLIFFE PW | N | CAPT | 06 | 425268 | 4100 | 5219 | 5281 | | SEP69 |
| ASST CHAPLAIN | RICHARDSON EL | N | CDR | 05 | 557821 | 4100 | 5219 | | | OCT69 |
| HSCO CHAPLAIN | JOSEPH RK | N | LT | 03 | 729691 | 4100 | 5219 | | | SEP69 |
| COMPTROLLER SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| ACS COMPT | DEACHER TF | M | MAJ | 04 | 069846 | 0302 | 5612 | | | FEB70 |
| FORCE DISB ODD | HOUCK HD | M | CAPT | 03 | 084010 | 3402 | 5691 | | | OCT69 |
| FISCAL OFF | GEORGIA BJ | M | CWO3 | W3 | 079241 | 3406 | 5612 | | | OCT69 |
| CAP SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| DIRECTOR | BURROUGHS CR | M | COL | 06 | 045206 | 9906 | 5473 | | | OCT69 |
| DEP DIRECTOR | WHITESELL RD | M | LTCOL | 05 | 050789 | 0302 | 5473 | | | AUG69 |
| LOG COORD | TITUS RR | M | CAPT | 03 | 095109 | 3002 | 5473 | | | APR69 |
| ADMIN OFF | BROOKS CC JR | M | 2NDLT | 01 | 0106716 | 0130 | 5473 | | | FEB70 |
| TRNG/INSPECT UNIT | CLICK JC | M | MAJ | 04 | 057250 | 0302 | 5474 | | | AUG69 |
| ASST TRNG INSPECT | MALONEY CP | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0100456 | 0302 | 5474 | | | AUG69 |
| CIV ACT OFF | BRACKEEN J | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0100065 | 0302 | 2NDCAG | | | AUG69 |
| OIC VN LANG SCHOL | FURIO VF | M | CAPT | 03 | 093116 | 0802 | 2NDCAG | | | AUG69 |
| CAP CAREER NCO | BEATY JI | M | MSGT | EP | 1089495 | 3092 | 5473 | | | SEP69 |
| CORDS | | | | | | | | | | |
| DEP CORDS | CROSS CT | C | | | | | | | | 3505 |
| SEC | GALLAS VH | C | | | | | | | | 3505 |
| ASST DEP CORDS | PUCKETT LD | C | | | | | | | | 2491 |
| SEC | CAULFIELD DE | C | | | | | | | | 2491 |
| JOINT STAFF | | | | | | | | | | |
| SEN MBR | COMINSKY SA | C | | | | | | | | M230 |
| MBR | KNAPP GC | M | COL | 06 | 024666 | 9907 | 5218 | | | JUL69 |
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| RD DIV | | | | | | | | | |
| CHIEF | MUSTAKOS H | | C | | | | | M 300 | |
| | ELIASON AF JR | | LTCOL | 05 | | | | | |
| ASST RDC OPS | ANDERSON MW | M | CAPT | 03 | 087716 | 0302 | | | SEP69 |
| INSP | MCCLELLAND GF | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0101285 | | | | JUN69 |
| INSP | HUGGETT WR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0104083 | 0302 | | | MAY69 |
| INSP | DOMOGALA T | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0100193 | 0302 | | | JUL69 |
| INSP | JUDGE JE | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0102035 | 0302 | | | JUN69 |
| INSP | MCDONOUGH G | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0103670 | 0302 | | | JUL69 |
| INSP | VAN WINKLE H | M | 2NDLT | 01 | 0104509 | 0302 | | | DEC69 |
| INSP | PICKETT DE | M | CAPT | 03 | 083609 | 0802 | | | JUL69 |
| MNG DIV | | | | | | | | | |
| CHIEF | BOSTON EJ | | C | | | | | M 178 | |
| ASST CHIEF | SCHUMACHER DC | | C | | | | | M 178 | |
| PERS OFF | MOORE W | | C | | | | | M 277 | |
| CONTROLLER | COX C | | C | | | | | M 166 | |
| GEN SERV OFF | BOTTS B | | C | | | | | M 178 | |
| AIR OPNS | BAXTER D | | C | | | | | M 174 | |
| TRANS OFF | FINK J | | C | | | | | M 277 | |
| NEW LIFE DEV | | | | | | | | | |
| CHIEF | URQUHART R | | C | | | | | M 196 | |
| EDUC CHIEF | CARBIN SR | | C | | | | | M 196 | |
| AGR CHIEF | JOHNSON W | | C | | | | | M 186 | |
| ENGR CHIEF | DUKE DH | | C | | | | | M 194 | |
| PUB ADMIN | URQUHART R | | C | | | | | M 196 | |
| LOG CHIEF | EUBANKS F | | C | | | | | M 232 | |
| PUB SAFETY | BARNETT F | | C | | | | | M 278 | |
| PUB HEALTH | VAUPEL G | | C | | | | | M 166 | |
| REF DIV | MCLENDON L | | C | | | | | M 196 | |
| MUW ADV | HENRY HT | | C | | | | | M 234 | |
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| DENTAL SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| MEDICAL ADMIN OFF | FICHTHORN JL | N | LT | 03 | 727300 | 2105 | 5681 | | | JUL69 |
| DENTAL OFF | CHUDZINSKI IG | N | CAPT | 06 | 193986 | 2200 | 5350 | | | NOV69 |
| ADMIN OFF | GROCE WE | N | LT | 03 | 643901 | 2300 | 5350 | | | APR69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | SULLIVAN RA | N | DTI | E6 | 5326280 | 8722 | 5350 | | | DEC69 |
| ENGR SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE ENGR | BLAND KR | M | COL | 06 | 039827 | 9906 | 5215 | | | JUN69 |
| ASST FORCE ENGR | | | | | | | | | | |
| PLANS OFF | LANDIS JP | M | MAJ | 04 | 073460 | 1302 | 5162 | | | APR69 |
| OPNS OFF | YOUNG DP | M | MAJ | 04 | 054116 | 1302 | 5162 | | | MAY70 |
| ASST OPNS OFF | HOOK RA | M | MAJ | 04 | 060121 | 1302 | 5162 | | | NOV69 |
| ASST OPNS OFF | BRYSON TE | A | CAPT | 03 | 0F108127 | 3219 | 5162 | | | DEC69 |
| LOC OFF | MUELLER RA | M | CAPT | 03 | 091498 | 1302 | 5162 | | | JUN69 |
| BASE DEVL OFF | JACOB RF | N | ICDR | 04 | 610746 | 5100 | 5162 | | | JUL69 |
| ASST DEVL OFF | OLSEN RL | A | 1STLT | 02 | 610746 | 7010 | 5161 | | | OCT69 |
| UTIL OFF | DARPOCH RG | M | CAPT | 03 | 083975 | 1320 | 5161 | | | OCT69 |
| UTILITIES OFF | GEORGES RJ | M | 1STIT | 02 | 095988 | 1320 | 5161 | | | AUG69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | CUNNINGHAM JL | M | SGT | E5 | 1957265 | 0141 | 5162 | | | APR69 |
| FOOD SERV SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FOOD SERV OFF | DAY LP | M | LTCOL | 05 | 052306 | 3302 | 5658 | | | OCT69 |
| FOOD TECH | PIKELNY MM | M | MGYSG | E9 | 325008 | 3381 | 5658 | | | NOV69 |
| FOOD TECH | VARNADORE IL | M | MSGT | E8 | 608536 | 3382 | 5658 | | | OCT69 |
| INSPECTOR SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE INSP | SHANK JW | M | COL | 06 | 038581 | 9907 | 5432 | | | OCT69 |
| GRD SAFETY OFF | WALSH CE | M | 1STIT | 02 | 099939 | 3010 | 5432 | | | SEP69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | COURINGTON JE | M | SGT | E5 | 1994172 | 0141 | 5432 | | | SEP69 |

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| HGY TRANS OFF | MCADEN HJ | A | MAJ | 04 | 074767 | | 5103 | | | NOV69 |
| EMBARK OFF | STEVENSON LS | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0102305 | 1803 | 5458 | | | APR69 |
| TALO | TRIPP HA | F | LTCOL | 05 | FR39615 | 1416 | 5604 | | | OCT69 |
| TALO | STANLEY RR | F | MAJ | 04 | FV19088 | 631431 | 5604 | | | APR69 |
| TALO | HEIFNER CT | F | MAJ | 04 | FR30578 | 641431 | 5604 | | | JUL69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | BROWN PN | M | MGYSG | E9 | 317595 | 3537 | 5478 | | | 2005APR70 |
| HANDS COMPANY | | | | | | | | | | |
| HQ COMMANDANT | WHITE WY | M | COL | 06 | 016309 | 9906 | 5613 | 5256 | | APR69 |
| EXEC OFF | WINTER RW | M | LTCOL | 05 | 042117 | 1802 | 5665 | 5256 | | JAN70 |
| FIRST SGT | WRIGHT CE | M | 1STSG | EF | 1343400 | 9999 | 5665 | | | AUG69 |
| ADMIN OFF | BRANSON SK | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096239 | 0130 | 5665 | | | JUL69 |
| LOG OFF | CLARK JA | M | CAPT | 03 | 079299 | 3050 | 5463 | | | JUL69 |
| MT OFF | CUTTEN LF JR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096487 | 3502 | 5375 | | | AUG69 |
| FOOD SERV OFF | BOYD RR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096423 | 3302 | 5356 | | | JUL69 |
| DISB OFF | HOUCK HD | M | CAPT | 03 | 084010 | 3402 | 5691 | | | OCT69 |
| DEP DISB OFF | ANDERSON JH | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096030 | 3402 | 5691 | | | JUL69 |
| MAINT OFF | KEENAN JJ | M | WO1 | W1 | 0105772 | 1320 | 5384 | | | FEB70 |
| SUPPLY OFF | WARNER VC | M | 1STLT | 02 | 098169 | 3013 | 5182 | | | JUL69 |
| ASST SUP OFF | STOKES WA | M | CWO2 | W2 | 099413 | 3020 | 5182 | | | OCT69 |
| SECURITY PLT CMD | KANGAS JK | M | CAPT | 03 | 084462 | | 5555 | | | SEP69 |
| CLUBS OFF | SAGAR HL | M | LTCOL | 05 | 055666 | 4130 | 5665 | | | OCT69 |
| CHAPLAIN | JOSEPH RK | N | LT | 03 | 729691 | 4100 | 5219 | | | OCT69 |
| MED OFF | FIGHTHORN JL | N | LT | 03 | 727300 | 2100 | 5452 | | | JUL69 |
| SUB UNIT ONE 1ST RAD | | | | | | | | | | |
| OIC | FENNELL PJ | M | LTCOL | 05 | 061474 | 2502 | 5521 | 5372 | | JUL69 |
| AOIC | POZZA JB | M | MAJ | 04 | 072914 | 2502 | 5252 | | | AUG69 |
| PR WATCH OFF | JACOBSEN AR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 093663 | 2515 | 5252 | | | AUG69 |
| LOG OFF | RICHARDSON HC | M | 1STLT | 02 | 093752 | 2515 | 5252 | | | AUG69 |
| COMM OFF | HANEY EL | M | 1STLT | 02 | 093643 | 2515 | 5252 | | | AUG69 |
| ADJUTANT | KIMBERL JD | M | 1STLT | 02 | 099674 | 0130 | 2004 | | | JUL69 |

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| INFORMATION SERV | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE ISO | MORIARTY PM | M | COL | 06 | 014075 | 9906 | 5531 | | | 2805AUG69 |
| ASST ISO | RIDDERHOF DM | M | LTCOL | 05 | 050774 | 0302 | 5531 | | | 2805OCT69 |
| LNO MACV | ETNYRE WR | M | MAJ | 04 | 060562 | 0302 | | | | NOV69 |
| RADIO TV OFF | DEATON MD | M | CAPT | 03 | 085639 | 4302 | 5532 | | | 2805AUG69 |
| PHOTO OFF | GEORGE RJ | M | 1STLT | 02 | 095758 | 4602 | 5532 | | | 2805AUG69 |
| OPNS OFF | MARTIN JA | M | MAJ | 04 | 071829 | 0302 | 5332 | | | 2805OCT69 |
| ESCORT OFF | SHELTON JM | M | CAPT | 03 | 093775 | 4302 | 5532 | | | 2805APR69 |
| ESCORT OFF | GUNDEL AN | M | 1STLT | 02 | 096843 | 4302 | 5532 | | | 2805APR69 |
| PRESS CENTER MGR | DURAN RG | M | 1STLT | 02 | 095956 | 4302 | 5532 | | | 2805APR69 |
| PRESS CENTER MGR | CRONK RR | M | CAPT | 03 | 060548 | 0302 | 5532 | | | 2805OCT69 |
| ARMY LNO | BARISIC JJ | A | 1STLT | 02 | 05255265 | 5505 | 5532 | | | JUL69 |
| INFO CHIEF | HOUTS CFX | M | MGYSG | E9 | 300678 | 4391 | 5531 | | | 2805JUN69 |
| STAFF JUDGE ADVOCATE SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| SJA | SEABAUGH PW | M | COL | 06 | 030558 | 4409 | 5575 | | | AUG69 |
| ASST SJA | COLE SM | M | CAPT | 03 | 089068 | 4405 | 5321 | | | OCT69 |
| LEGAL CHIEF | COON WD | M | MGYSG | E9 | 445281 | 0121 | 5321 | | | MAY69 |
| MEDICAL SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE SURGEON | STOVER JH | N | CAPT | 06 | 123267 | 2100 | 5452 | | | JUN69 |
| ADMIN OFF | DANIEL HE | N | CDR | 05 | 556053 | 2300 | 5452 | | | DEC69 |
| MONITOR MED CAP | RHOADS TR | N | LT | 03 | 643921 | 2302 | 5469 | | | FEB70 |
| ADMIN ASST | JANES RL | N | HMC | E7 | 5713328 | 8442 | 5469 | | | NOV69 |
| MT SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE MT OFF | BARNES KD | M | LTCOL | 05 | 0056884 | 3502 | 5585 | | | JUN69 |
| ASST MT OFF | PAGE RH | M | CWO | W2 | 099171 | 3510 | 5585 | | | JUL69 |
| MT CHIEF | HOWELL RB | M | MSGT | E8 | 591391 | 3537 | 5585 | | | JUL69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | HARRIS EL | M | SGT | E5 | 1957372 | 0141 | 5585 | | | MAY69 |

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| OPNS ANALYSIS SEC | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE OA OFF | WHITE TB | M | LTCOL | 05 | 049614 | 0802 | 5494 | | | NOV69 |
| ASST OA OFF | ALLEN TH JR | M | LTCOL | 05 | 057053 | 6704 | 5434 | | | FEB70 |
| ASST OA OFF | CHENAULT RF | M | MAJ | 04 | 072935 | 0802 | 5434 | | | FEB70 |
| ASST OA OFF | OBRIEN PW | M | CAPT | 03 | 088116 | 0302 | 5434 | | | MAR70 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | OWENS DD | M | SSGT | E6 | 1424819 | 0141 | 5434 | | | AUG69 |
| ORDNANCE SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE ORD OFF | LEON J | M | COL | 06 | 034910 | 9906 | 5608 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST ORD OFF | MCMILLAN WW | M | LTCOL | 05 | 060323 | 2002 | 5608 | | | DEC69 |
| TRACK VEH OFF | KUTCHMA LC | M | CAPT | 03 | 089113 | 1802 | 5608 | | | SEP69 |
| AMMO OFF | IRVINE JW | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097026 | 2040 | 5328 | | | JUL69 |
| ORD CHIEF | PETTENGILL GR | M | GYSGT | E7 | 1248573 | 2149 | 5328 | | | JUN69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | TULLY RH | M | SSGT | E6 | 1904451 | 0141 | 5328 | | | SEP69 |
| POSTAL SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| POSTAL OFF | WATERS CR | M | CAPT | 03 | 084094 | 0260 | 5694 | | | MAR70 |
| PROTOCOL SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| PROTOCOL OFF | MAGINNIS PF | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059367 | 7564 | 5622 | | | NOV69 |
| PROTOCOL OFF | BENJAMIN WD | M | MAJ | 04 | 073007 | 0802 | 5622 | | | JAN70 |
| ASST PROTOCOL OFF | HALES SR | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0104609 | 1302 | 5622 | | | AUG69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | SHIPPEY TG | M | SGT | E5 | 1877296 | 0141 | 5622 | | | JUN69 |
| PMO SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| PMO | CHEATHAM WE | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059187 | 0302 | 4300 | 4300 | 4300 | NOV69 |
| ASST PMO | LEE L | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097210 | 2502 | 3DMP | | | AUG69 |

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| PSYOPS SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| PSYOPS OFF | CHASE H | M | COL | 06 | 022694 | 9906 | 5512 | | | JUL 69 |
| ADMIN OFF | NALL GI | M | 1STLT | 02 | 093726 | 0130 | 5512 | | | AUG69 |
| OPNS OFF | WARD C | M | MAJ | 04 | 067998 | 0302 | 5512 | | | JUN69 |
| ASST OPNS OFF | COOL WC | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0102748 | 0302 | 5512 | | | FEB70 |
| INTEI OFF | WISNIEWSKI H | A | MAJ | 04 | 01920298 | 9666 | 5591 | | | SEP69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | BINDER RF | M | SGT | E5 | 1941678 | 0141 | 5512 | | | APR69 |
| SPECIAL SERVICES | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE SPLSERV OFF | BIEHL W | M | COL | 06 | 029943 | 9907 | 5676 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST SPLSERV OFF | CHISWELL TC | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059798 | 0302 | 5676 | | | JUL 69 |
| FAC COORD | OTTT GE | M | MAJ | 04 | 057328 | 3002 | 5676 | | | APR70 |
| OIC FREEDOM HILL | ROTH TE | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0103771 | 2502 | 4800 | | | NOV69 |
| CUSTODIAN | PURVIS WJ | M | CAPT | 03 | 097300 | 6704 | 5676 | | | APR69 |
| CUSTODIAN | RUMBLEY JA | M | CAPT | 03 | 091954 | 1802 | 5676 | | | SEP69 |
| OIC R&R CENTER | KERZIC RL | M | MAJ | 04 | 074483 | 0302 | 5676 | | | OCT69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | SHIPPEE WH | M | SSGT | E6 | 1566231 | 0141 | 5676 | | | FEB70 |
| MARS COORD | COUNTRYMAN WJ | M | MSGT | E8 | 411942 | 3516 | 5193 | | | JAN70 |
| SUPPLY SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORCE SUP OFF | TAVES AC | M | COL | 06 | 046267 | 9908 | 5123 | 5457 | | AUG69 |
| ASST FORCE SUP OFF | BUJAN CD | M | LTCOL | 05 | 062079 | 3002 | 5123 | 5281 | | AUG69 |
| ASST SUP OFF | LORZING JE | M | MAJ | 04 | 067536 | 3002 | 5123 | | | SEP69 |
| ASST SUP OFF | BARRATT TW | M | CAPT | 03 | 094527 | 3002 | 5123 | | | APR69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | ZOLLIN AE | M | MGYSG | E9 | 279036 | 3091 | 5123 | | | AUG69 |
| TCC SECTION | | | | | | | | | | |
| DIRECTOR | DAWSON CF | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059804 | 3002 | 5478 | | | 2005 OCT69 |
| DEP DIRECTOR | TARRANT WH | A | LTCOL | 05 | 02032861 | | 5605 | | | MAR70 |
| SURFACE TRANS OFF | GRUNING CR | M | MAJ | 04 | 080149 | 0302 | 5439 | | | FEB70 |
| AIR TRANS OFF | NICHOLS AG JR | M | MAJ | 04 | 067026 | 7557 | 5458 | | | FEB70 |

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| 29TH CA CO | | | | | | | | | | |
| CO | RAFFERTY RR | A | LTCOL | 05 | 067290 | 2920 | 5316 | | | NOV69 |
| ADMIN OFF | ELSER CF | A | MAJ | 04 | 02034044 | 2920 | 5316 | | | AUG69 |
| FIRST SGT | WIEDRICK WW | A | 1STSG | E8 | 12217367 | 1L50 | 5316 | | | OCT69 |
| 1ST CAG | | | | | | | | | | |
| CO | HUNTER | M | LTCOL | 05 | 062133 | 0302 | CHULAI | | | MAY69 |
| EXECO | LAWSON JH | M | MAJ | 04 | 080158 | 0802 | CHULAI | | | SEP69 |
| ADMIN OFF | SMITH BW | M | 2NDLT | 01 | 0108076 | 0130 | CHULAI | | | SEP69 |
| INSP-TRNG OFF | ENDERT RF | M | MAJ | 04 | 081690 | 0302 | CHULAI | | | SEP69 |
| LOG OFF | JAROS WM | M | 1STLT | 02 | 094806 | 3002 | CHULAI | | | SEP69 |
| 2ND CAG | | | | | | | | | | |
| CO | LEWIS EL | M | LTCOL | 05 | 025136 | 0302 | 2NDCAG | | | NOV69 |
| EXECO | BROAD RO | M | MAJ | 04 | 070078 | 0302 | 2NDCAG | | | AUG69 |
| ADMIN OFF | NAGAI H | M | 1STLT | 02 | 097497 | 0130 | 2NDCAG | | | SEP69 |
| INSP/TRNG OFF | DUBE MJ | M | MAJ | 04 | 076408 | 0302 | 2NDCAG | | | JUL69 |
| LOG/SUP OFF | BURTON RL | M | 1STLT | 02 | 0102608 | 3002 | 2NDCAG | | | APR69 |
| 3RD CAG | | | | | | | | | | |
| CO | ANDREWS RE | M | LTCOL | 05 | 063704 | 0302 | PHUBAI | | | AUG69 |
| EXECO | CHRISTLIEB BT | M | MAJ | 04 | 060035 | 0302 | PHUBAI | | | AUG69 |
| ADMIN OFF | SWITZER WE | M | 1STLT | 02 | 098021 | 0130 | PHUBAI | | | OCT69 |
| INSP/TRNG OFF | SIROTNIAK JS | M | MAJ | 04 | 082419 | 0302 | PHUBAI | | | JUL69 |
| LOG/SUP OFF | SPENCER RL JR | M | CAPT | 03 | 095086 | 3002 | PHUBAI | | | SEP69 |
| FIRST SGT | WILSON LW | M | 1STSG | E8 | 1205244 | 9999 | PHUBAI | | | MAY69 |
| 4TH CAG | | | | | | | | | | |
| CO | FORD DJ | M | LTCOL | 05 | 059243 | 1802 | QUANG | | | AUG69 |
| EXECO | COOPER 4 | M | MAJ | 04 | 063518 | 0802 | QUANG | | | SEP69 |
| S3 OFF | WILSON JC | M | MAJ | 04 | 074992 | 0302 | QUANG | | | SEP69 |

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| ADMIN OFF | FAUST RE | M | CWO2 | W2 | 098645 | 0130 | QUANG | OCT69 |
| SUP OFF | GREER RA | M | CWO2 | W2 | 098744 | 3002 | QUANG | JUL69 |
| FIRST SGT | MORLET S | M | 1STSG | ER | 1315292 | 9999 | QUANG | JUL69 |
| WDMET | RAINBOLT RE | M | LTCOL | 05 | 061835 | 0302 | 951-6376 | JUN69 |
| | MERRILL WA | M | MAJ | 04 | 061941 | 1802 | 951-6376 | JUN69 |
| | ZIMMERMAN JB | M | CAPT | 03 | 089462 | 0802 | 951-6376 | JUN69 |
| | WILLIS D | M | MAJ | 04 | 081117 | 0302 | 951-6376 | JUN69 |
| | LYDEN JP | N | LT | 03 | 701137 | | 951-6376 | JUN69 |
| ADMIN CHIEF | GRIFFIN RE | M | SSGT | E6 | 1495666 | 2336 | 951-6376 | AUG69 |
| FORCE SYSTEMS ENGINEERING OFFICE | | | | | | | | |
| SYS ENGR OFF | YUNDT GL | M | LTCOL | 05 | 053775 | 0302 | 5124 | APR70 |
| ASST SYS ENGR | DESSELLE AM | M | LTCOL | 05 | 052023 | 2502 | 5124 | NOV69 |

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