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DAILY FORECAST OF OPNSG(U)

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1. (S) 1ST MAR: L/3/1 REL K/3/1 AND COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC BT025665 (VCM/NVA/INSTALLATIONS). OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.

2. (S) 5TH MAR: OPN MUSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. D/1/5 PROVIDES

SCITY IN RICE DENIA OPNS VIC AT9151. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.

3. (S) 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. 2/7 COND RECON IN FOR VIC ZC200656 AND AT792658 WITH H CO; VIC AT797630 WITH E CO,

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VIC AT8264 WITH F CO AND AAT 802650 WITH H G CO. K/3/26 DEVEL OPS LLZ PORTER VIC ZC142623. 2/5: ARVN BN VIC ZC195567 AND 3/51 VIC 1350 CCOND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

4. (U) 26TH MAR: CONTINUES LAST RPT ACTY.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L AVDF-GCOP ATTN: COC
 SUBJECT: CG'S DAILY FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 12 APR 69
 (C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AND PLANS:

1. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)
 1-20 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS8140 (VCLF) IN DUC PHO AND
 CONT DETAILED SEARCH OPNS VIC BS9129, BS9125 (VCMF/VCLF) W DAM ANKHE
 (BAY). R/1-20 CA TO VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL) AND SECURE LZ FOR
 B,D/4-3 INF. 3-1 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT
 PTLs FROM BS8923 TO BS8323 IN NUI SANG MTS (VCLF/VCMF). 4-21 INF
 CONT INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SATURATION PTLs VIC BS6353,
 BS6051, BS6290 (VCMF/NVA) IN SONG VE VALLEY. 4TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC
 AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI AND COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND
 SCTY PTLs ON COASTAL PLAIN TO INTERDICT APPORACHES TO POP CENTERS.
2. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)
 196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 BN TF (2 US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT
 OPN VIC ANTENNA VALLEY. 1-52 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED
 SEARCHES FROM AT9944 TO AT9842 TO AT9734 TO AT9643 IN NUI MAT RANG
 MTS MANEUVERING S TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY. 4-31 INF COND INTENSIVE RE-
 CON IN FORCE AND SEARCH OPNS FROM AT9433 TO AT9333, TO AT9232 TO AT
 9231 TO AT9027 TO AT8831 MANEUVERING N TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY.

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 F TRP 17TH CAV (PLUS) OCCUPY BLOCKING POSNS AND COND SEARCHES W/ARVN
 VIC AT9140. 4/5 ARVN BN COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT8938 IN ANTIEN-
 NA VALLEY. 3-21 INF CONT ECONOMY OF FORCE OPN AND COND SATURATION
 PTLs VIC AT9725, AT9824, AT9924 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND
 CONT SM UNIT COMBAT PTLs VIC BT1222, BT1221, BT1321 IN NUI DA DE MTS.
 1-46 INF COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BT1609, BT1709 (VCMF/NVA) IN
 BASE AREA 117 ALONG SONG BONG MIEU RIVER. 2-1 INF SEC PHU THO VIL
 (BT088404); COND SM UNIT PTLs VIC BT0840, BT0930 (VCMF/VCLF); AND SEC
 LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT RECON
 IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLs IN SUPPORT PACIFICATION OPNS VIC QUE SON
 VALLEY.

3. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)
 1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND CONTINUE SYSTEMATIC
 COMBAT PTLs AND SEARCHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/
 RKT SITES). 5-46 INF IN CLOSE COORD AND CONJ W/2/6 AND 1/5 ARVN BNS
 COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS7084, BS7082 (48TH VCLF BN)
 ON W BATANGAN PENINSULA. 4-3 INF(-) COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS VIC
 BS5382 IN TRIANGLE (VCMF/VCLF) AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN SW
 GENEVA PARK OZ. B,D/4-3 ARMV TO A SECURE LZ VIC BS634379 (LZ SAN JUAN
 HILL) RELIEVED OPCON 198TH INF BDE AND RETURN 11TH INF BDE. 6TH ARVN
 REGT COND JOINT OPNS W/5-46 INF AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH
 SON DISTRICT HQ'S.

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 4. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)
 1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN AND PROVIDED DIV
 REACTION FORCE FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI IN EVENTS EN ATKS. TM A
 COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BT1851 IN CONJ W/TM B RECON IN FORCE VIC
 BT1952 (VCMF/VCLF) ON BARRIER ISLAND. F TRP 8 CAV COND VE RKT POCKET,
 RKT RIDGE AND RSP MSN REQUESTS 1-1 CAV, 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

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SUBJ: COMMANDER'S NARRATIVE FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR 12 APR 69 (U)
1.(S) 3D MAR DIV:

A. 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XD911641) (NVA).

B. 9TH MAR REGT: 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC AND SECURES RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA, VCLF). 2/9 MAR (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'S (NVA, VCLF). 3/9 MAR SECURES

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FSB CATES, HILL 950 (XD 844456) AND HILL 691 (XD927443) (NVA).

C. 3D MAR REGT (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE CRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR AT CUA VIET PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB SPARK AND VIC LZ'S MCCLINTOCK, CARIBA, AND DERBY (XD876258) (NVA).

D. TF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF KHE SANH (NVA).

E. 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN COORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIS RAVINE. TF 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 556 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF). TF 3/5 CAV CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS FROM CA LU E ALONG THE BA LONG VALLEY (NVA). TF 1/61 INF (MECH) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS N EDGE OF BA 101 AND SUPPORTS LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF). TF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANY AND HAI LANG DISTRICT HQS (VCLF).

2.(S) 101ST ABN DIV:

A. 3D ABN BDE: 1/506 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL L AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND EXPANDING THESE FSB'S (NVA). TF 2/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF). 3/187 INF (-) CONTINUES

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RIF OPS VIC FSB'S RAKKASAN, LONG AND JACK (NVA, VCLF). RECON ELEMENTS OF 3/187 INF WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV AND 3/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUE CORDON OPS VIC YD 6129 (VCI, VCLF).

B. 2ND ABN BDE (-) (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/502 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC AND S OF FSB ZON ALONG RTE 547 (YD 4994) (NVA). 2/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 2/327 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB FURY AND SE OF FSB WHIP (NVA).

C. 1ST ABN BDE (-) (REINF): 1/327 INF (-) CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO SE CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF, VCMF). D/1/327 INF CONDUCTS RIF OPS SOUTH OF FSB QUICK III (VCLF, VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND AND VIC FSB'S ANZIO, PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND POHL BRIDGE (NVA, VCLF). D/2/502 INF CONDUCTS CA INTO FSB DAGGER TO EXPLOIT AND ARTY RAID AND SUBSEQUENTLY CA VIC YD 7705 AND INITIATES RIF OPS (NVA). 1/501 INF (-) HELILIFTS TO FSB FURY AND CONDUCTS CA INTO FSB PIKE (YC667 747) (NVA).

3. (S) 1ST ARVN DIV:

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A. 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): IF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1 AND A-2 (NVA, VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB (YD119432) AND SWEET (YD137469) (NVA, VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC OLD A-3 (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).

3. 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN MOVES TO LA VANG AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB SWORD ALONG TH SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA, VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANGH AO (VCI, VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

C. 3D ARVN REGT (REINF). 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN HELILIFTS TO FSB ZON, SECURES THE FSB, AND CONDUCTS RIF OPS SW WITH THE BLACK PANTHER COMPANY (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAU VALLEY NE FROM VIC YC4794 (NVA) WHILE 2/3 ARVN HELILIFTS TO PK 17 AND PREPARES FOR MOVEMENT TO DONG DA TRAINING CENTER (NVA) 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA, VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF, VCLF).

D. 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS

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IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI, VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

E. 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV (REINF) AND 3/7 ARVN CAV (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS SE OF CAMP EVANS AND E OF FSB JAK (NVA, VCLF).

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 COMMANDING GENERALS' DAILY FORECAST (U)
 A. MACV J-3 MSG 241045Z AUG 68
 B. MACV COC MSG 120816Z NOV 68
 1. (U) PURSUANT REF A AND B III MAF FORECAST FOR 12 APR
 FOLLOWS:

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2. (S) XXIV CORPS:

A. 3D MARDIV:

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(3) 1ST ABN BDE (-) (REINF): 1/327 INF (-) CONTINUES SECURITY

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3 (S) 1ST MAR DIV:

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 PORTER VIC ZC142623. 2/51 ARVN BN VIC ZC195567 AND 3/51 VIC 1359
 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY
 (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

D. 26TH MAR: CONTINUES LAST RPT ACTY.

4 (S) AMERICAL DIV:

A. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)

1-20 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS8140 (VCLF) IN DUC PHO AND
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S E C R E T FINAL SECTION OF TWO SECTIONS
GENEVA PARK OZ. B, D/4-3 ARVN TO A SECURE LZ VIC BS634379 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL) RELIEVED OPCON 198TH INF BDE AND RETURN 11TH INF BDE. 6TH ARVN REGT COND JOINT OPNS W/5-46 INF AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.
D. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

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1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN AND PROVIDE DIV REACTION FORCE FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI IN EVENTS EN ATKS. TM A COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BT1851 IN CONJ W/TM B RECON IN FORCE VIC BT1952 (VCMF/VCLF) ON BARRIER ISLAND. F TRP 8 CAV COND VE RKT POCKET, RKT RIDGE AND RSP MSN REQUESTS 1-1 CAV, 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

5. (S) I CORPS:

A. 1ST ARVN DIV:

(1) 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): TF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1 AND A-2 (NVA, VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB (YD119432) AND SWEET (YD137469) (NVA, VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC OLD A-3 (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).

(2) 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN MOVES TO LA VANG AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA, VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANGH AO (VCI, VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

(3) 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN HELILIFTS TO FSB SON, SECURES THE FSB, AND CONDUCTS

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RIF OPS SW WITH THE BLACK PANTHER COMPANY (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAU VALLEY NE FROM VIC YC4794 (NVA) WHILE 2/3 ARVN HELILIFTS TO PK 17 AND PREPARES FOR MOVEMENT TO DONG DA TRAINING CENTER (NVA). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA, VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF, VCLF).

(4) 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI, VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

(5) 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV (REINF) AND 3/7 ARVN CAV (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF CAMP EVANS AND E OF FSB JACK (NVA, VCLF).

B. QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE: 1ST RANGER GP WILL CONT OPN LE LOI IV AND 51ST REGT WILL CONT TO COND VU NINH 02. BN'S NOT COMT WILL COND CLEARING OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO'S.

C. 2ND ARVN DIV: 2ND DIV WILL COND OPNS QUYET THANG 829 WITH 2/5 CMTD, QUYET THANG 604 WITH 2/6, 4/6 CMTD AND QUYET THANG 49/-LK WITH 2/4, 3/4, 4/4 CMTD.

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 SUBJECT: CG'S DAILY FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 13 APR 69

(C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AND PLANS:

1. OPN IROM MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)
 1-20 INF COND RECON IN FOCE OPNS AND INTENSIVE SARCHS VIC BS8928, BS9282 (VCMF/VCLF) W DAM ANKHE (VAY). A/1-20 CA TO VIC BS768514 AND REDUCE FORIFICATIONS (1) VIL. 3-1 INF COND SATURATION PTLS AND DETAILED SEARCHES IN NUI SANG MTS MOVING N TO SONG TRA CAU RIVER AND CONT W TO VIC BS7840 (VCMF/VCLF). 4-21 INF CONT INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS VIC BS6148, BS6349, BS6542, BS6345 (VCMF/NVA) IN SONG VE VALLEY. C/4-21 CA TO VIC BS621549 AND SEARCH BOX VIC BS6746, BS6750, BS7050, BS7056. D/4-21 CA TO VIC BS666575 AND COND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC BS6646. A,C,R/4-3 CONT SCTY OPNS AND CONSTRUCTION VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL). 4TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI AND COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS ON COUAL PLAIN INTERDICTING APPROACHES TO CITIES.
2. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)
 196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 BN TF (2 US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT OPNS VIC ATENNAL VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE CAMPS).

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 1-52 INF COND RECON IN FOCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES FROM AT9545 TO AT9643 TO AT9741 AND SECURE STRONG POINT VIC AT945405(LZ IKE), WHILE MOVING S TOWARDS ATENNAL VALLEY. 4-31 INF COND INTENSIVE RECON FOCE AND SEARCH OPNS FROM AT8822 TO AT8723 TO AT8925 TO AT9434 TO AT9534 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVERING TOWARDS ANTENNAL VALLEY. F TRP 17TH CAV OCCUPY BLOCKING POSITIONS AND COND SEARCHES VIC AT9337 W/ARVN IN ANTENNAL VALLEY. 4/5 ARVN BN COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT8938 IN AN TENNAL VALLEY. 3-21 INF CONT ECONOMY OF FORCE OPNS AND COND SATURATION PTLIS VIC AT9825, AT9926, AT9725(VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND CONT SM UNIT CAMBAT PTLIS VIC BT1223, BT1023, BT1322 IN NUI DA DE MTS. 1-46 INF COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BT1809, BT1909 (VCMF/NVA) IN BASE

AREA 117 ALONG SONG BONG MIEU RIVER. 2-1 INF SEC PHU THO VIL (BT088404); COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BT1042, BT1242, BT1349 (VCMF/VCLF); AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLIS IN SUPPORT PACIFICATION OPNS VIC QUE SON VALLEY.

3. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)

1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PTLIS, SEARCHES AND AMBUSHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE VIC BS4402, BS 4602 BS4206, BS4309(VCLF/SUSP MORT/ROCKET SITES. 5-46 INF IN CLOSE COORD AND CONJ W/2/6 AND 1/5 ARVN BNS COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE OPNS FROM BS7482 TO BS7483 TO BS7583 (48TH VCLF BN) ON W BATANGAN PENINSULA.

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4-3 INF(-) COND SEARCH OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 CO'S REMAIN OPCON 11TH INF BDE. 6TH ARVN REGT COND JOINT OPNS W/5-46 INF AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTICT HQ'S.

4. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ON COSTAL PLAIN AND PROVIDE DIV REACTION FORCE FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI CITIES IN EVENT EN ATKS. IM A COND RECON IN FOCE OPNS W/TM B SWEEPING FROM BT1954 TO BT2155(VCMF/VCLF) ON BARRIER ISLAND. C TRP COND SM UNIT PTLIS W/PF'S VIC BT2131, BT2922 E AND W OF HAWK HILL. F TRP 8 CAV COND VR ROCKET BELT AND RSP MSNS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

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DAILY FORECAST OF OPNS (U)

A. III MAF COC 250901Z AUG 68

1. (S) 1ST MAR: L/3/1 CONTINUES SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC
 BT025605 (VC/NVA/INSTALLATIONS). OTHER UNITS COND SMALL UNIT OPNS AND
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AND SCTY MISSIONS IN ASG AO W/EMPHASIS ON DAY/NIGHT ACTY THROUGHOUT
 RKT BELT.

2. (S) 5TH MAR: OPN MUSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. 2/5 COND SEARCH
 AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT8452 IN CONJUNCTION WITH RICE COLLECTION
 COND BY DUC DUC DIST HQ. 3/5 COND PATROLLING SOUTH OF AT9150 IN
 CONJUNCTION WITH D/1/5 OPNS IN RICE DENIAL VIC AT9151. OTHER
 UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.

3. (S) 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. E/2/7 SEARCHES EN
 BASE CAMP VIC AT813637, F/2/7 COND RECON IN FOR TO SW FR VIC
 AT8163, H/2/7 COND RECON IN FOR VIC ZC2166. I AND M/3/7 COND
 RECON IIN FOR TO N FR VIC ZC2062. 1/3/26 VIC ZC178615 AND L/3/26
 VIC ZC168615 CONTINUE TO MOVE S TO BLOCK BY K/3/7 (OPCON TO 3/26)
 VIC ZC176608. 2/51 ARVN BN VIC ZC 2157 AND 3/51 VIC ZC1565756
 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.
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4. (U) 26TH MAR: CONTINUES LAST RPT ACTY.

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SQBJ: COMMANDER'S NARRATIVE FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR 13 APR 69 (U)
1. (S) 3D MAR DIV:

A. 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF
FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S
CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS
VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XD911641) (NVA).

B. 9TH MAR REGT: 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC
A-4, C-2 AND HMAI LOC AND SECURES RIF 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA,
VCLF). 2/9 MAR (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND
ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'SH (NVA, VCLF). 3/9 MAR CONDUCTS RIF OPS VIC
FSB CATES,
HILL 950 (XD844456) AND HILL 691 (XD 927443) (NVA).

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C. 3D MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE CRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR AT CUA VIET PREPARED FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMWHARDHINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB SPARK AND VIC LZ'S MCCLINTOCK, CARIBA, AND DERBY (XD876258) (NVA).

D. 1F REMAGE, REINFORCED WITH A/1/77 ARM AND A/1/61 (MECH) ON 12 APR, CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF KHE SANH (NVA).

E. 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN COORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIS RAVINE. 1F 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 556 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF). 1F 3/5 CAV CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS FROM CA LOE ALONG THE BA LONG VALLEY (NVA). 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE (VCLF). 1F 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY, ANI LANG DISTRICT HQS, AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF)

2.(S) 101ST ABN DIV:

A. 3D ABN BDE: 1/586 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND EXPANDING THESE FSB'S (NVA). 1F 2/586 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHOAI DIEN, ANHLO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF). 3/187 INF (-) WITH 7TH

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ARVN CAV 1F CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S RAKKASAN, LONG AND JACK AND SE OF CAP EVANG (NVA, VCLF).

B. 2ND ABN BDE (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/582 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC AND S OF FSB ZON ALONG RTE 547 (YC5895) (NVA). 2/581 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 2/327 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB FURY AND SE OF FSB WHIP AND BEGINS TO PHASE OUT OF MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER AO (NVA). 1/581 INF (-) CONDUCTS RIF OPS VIC FSB'S THOR (YC665835) AND PIKE (YC667747). A/1/581 INF CONDUCTS CA S OF FSB THOR AND INITIATES RIF OPS SW (NVA).

C. 1ST ABN BDE (-): 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO 35 CORPS BDY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF, VCMF). 2/582 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND AND VIC FSB'S ANZIO, PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE (NVA, VCLF).

3. (S) 1ST WRVMDIV:

A. 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): 1F DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1 AND A-2 (NVA, VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND SWEET (NVA,

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VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC OLD A-3 (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).

B. 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN AT LA VANG PREPARE FOR FUTURE OPS. 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB BWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAR RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA, VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANH AO (VCI, VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

C. 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB ZON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAD VALLEY N FROM VIC YC4896 (NVA). 2/3 ARVN MOVES TO DONG DA TRAINING CENTER AND CONDUCTS REFRESHER TRAINING. 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA, VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF, VCLF).

D. 54 ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI, VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

E. 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV AND 3/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF CONTINUES RIF AND CORDON OPS SE OF CAMP EVANS (VCI, VCLF).

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 A. MACV J-3 MSG 241045Z AUG 68
 B. MACV COC MSG 120816Z NOV 68
 1. (U) PURSUANT REF A AND B III MAF FORECAST FOR 13 APR
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2. (S) XXIV CORPS:
 A. 30 MARDIV:

- (1) 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XD911641) (NVA).
- (2) 9TH MAR REGT: 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND NAI LOC AND SECURES RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA, VCLF). 2/9 MAR (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'S (NVA, VCLF). 3/9 MAR CONDUCTS RIF OPS VIC FSB CATES, HILL 950 (XD844456) AND HILL 691 (XD927442) (NVA).
- (3) 30 MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE CRAIG (NVA). 3/3 MAR AT CUA VIET PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB SPARK AND VIC LZ'S MCCLINTOCK, CARIBA, AND DERBY (XD876258) (NVA).
- (4) TF REMAGEN, REIN WITH A/1/77 ARM AND A/1/61 (MECH) ON 12 PAR, CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF THE SANH (NVA).
- (5) 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) ON COORD WITH 2/2

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ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIS RAVINE. TF 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 256 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF). TF 3/5 CAV CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS FROM CA LU E ALONG BA LONG VALLEY (NVA). 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE (VCLF). TF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY, AHI LAND DISTRICT HQS. AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF).

B. 101ST ABN DIV:

(1) 3D ABN BDE: 1/506 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND EXPLANDING THESE FSB'S (NVA). TF 2/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF). 3/187 INF (-) WITH 7TH ARVN CAV TF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S RAKKASAN, LONG AND JACK AND SE OF CAP EVANS (NVA, VCLF).

(2) 2ND ABN BDE (REIN) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/502 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC AND S OF FSB SON ALONG RTE 547 (C5095) (NVA). 2/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 2/327 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB FURY AND SE OF FSB WHIP AND BEGINS TO PHASE OUT OF MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER AO (NVA). 1/501 INF (-) CONDUCTS RIF OPS VIC

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FSB'S THOR (YC665835) AND PIKE (YC667747). A/1/501 INF CONDUCTS CA S OF FSB THOR AND INITAITES RIF OPS SW (NVA).

(3). 1ST ABN BDE (-): 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO SE CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF, VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND AND VIC FSB'S ANZIO, PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE (NVA, VCLF).

3. (S) 1ST MARDIV:

A. 1ST MAR: L/3/1 CONTINUES SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC BT025605 (VC/NVA/INSTALLATIONS). OTHER UNITS COND SMALL UNIT OPNS AND SCTY MISSIONS.

B. 5TH MAR: OPN MUSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. 2/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT8452 IN CONJUNCTION WITH RICE COLLECTION COND BY DUC DUC DIST HQ. 3/5 COND PATROLLING SOUTH OF AT9150 IN CONJUNCTION WITH D/1/5 OPNS IN RICE DENIAL VIC AT9151. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.

C. 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. E/2/7 SEARCHES EN BASE CAMP VIC AT813637, F/2/7 COND RIF TO SW FR VIC AT8163, H/2/7 COND RIF VIC ZC2166. I AND M/3/7 COND

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RECON IIN FOR TO N FR VIC ZC2062. I/3/26 VIC ZC176615 AND L/3/26 VIC ZC168615 CONTINUE TO MOVE S TO BLOCK BY K/3/7 (OPCON TO 3/26) VIC ZC176608. 2/31 ARVN BN VIC ZC 2157 AND 3/31 VIC ZC1565756 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY. (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

3. 26TH MAR: CONTINUES LAST RPT ACTY.

0. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT):

4. (S) AMERICAL DIV:

A. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT):

1-20 INF COND RIF OPNS AND INTENSIVE SEARCHS VIC BS8928, BS9282 (VCMF/VCLF) W DAM ANKHE (VAY). A/1-20 CA TO VIC BS768514 AND REDUCE FORIFICATIONS (I) VIL. 3-1 INF COND SATURATION PTLS AND DETAILED SEARCHES IN NUI SANG MTS MOVING N TO SONG TRA CAU RIVER AND CONT W TO VIC BS7840 (VCMF/VCLF). 4-21 INF CONT INTENSIVE RIF OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCH OPND VIC BS6148, BS6349, BS6542, BS6345 (VCMF/NVA) IN SONG VE VALLEY. C/4-21 CA TO VIC BS621549 AND SEARCH BOX VIC BS6746, BS6750, BS7050, BS7056. D/4-21 CA TO VIC BS666575 AND COND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC BS6646. A,C, R/4-3 CONT SCTY OPNS AND CONSTRUCTION VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL). 4TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI AND COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS ON COASTAL PLAIN INTERDICTING APPROACHES TO CITIES.

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B. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT):

196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 BN TF (2 US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT OPNS VIC ANTENNA VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/VASE CAMPS).

1-32 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES FROM AT9545 TO AT9645 TO AT9741 AND SECURE STRONG POINT VIC AT945405 (LZ IKE), WHILE MOVING S TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY. 4-31 INF COND INTENSIVE RIF AND SEARCH OPNS FROM AT8822 TO AT8723 TO AT8925 TO AT9434 TO AT9534 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVRING TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY. F TRP 17TH CAV OCCUPY BLOCKING POSITIONS AND COND SEARCHES VIC AT9337 W/ARVN IN ANTENNA VALLEY. 4/5 ARVN BN COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT8938 IN AN TENNA VALLEY. 3-21 INF CONT ECONOMY OF FORCE OPNS AND COND SATURATION PTLS VIC AT9825, AT9926, AT9725 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND CONT SM UNIT CAMBAT PTLS VIC BT1223, BT1223, BT1322 IN NUI DA DE MTS.

1-46 INF COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BT1809, BT1909 (VCMF/NVA) IN BASE AREA 117 ALONG SONG BONG MIEU RIVER. 2-1 INF SEC PHU THO VIL (BT 088404); COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BT 1042, BT1242, BT1349 (VCMF/VCLF); AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS IN SUPPRORT PACIFICATION OPNS VIC QUE SON VALLEY.

C. OPN GENEVA PARK (193TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT):

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SECRET FINAL SECTION OF TWO SECTIONS
 1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT
 PTLS, SEARCHES AND AMBUSHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE VIC BS4402, BS
 4602 BS 4206, BS4309 (VCLF/SUSP MORT/ROCKET SITES). 5-46 INF IN CLOSE
 COORD AND CONJ W/2/6 AND 1/5 ARCN BNS COND INTENSIVE RIF OPNS.
 FROM BS7483 TO BS7483 TO BS7583(48TH VCLF BN) ON W BATANGAN PENINSULA.

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4-3 INF (-) COND SEARCH OPN VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 CO'S REMAIN OPCON 11TH INF BDE. 6TH ARVN REGT COND JOINT OPNS W/5-46 INF AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.

D. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT):

1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ON COASTAL PLAIN AND PROVIDE DIV RIF FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI VITIES IN EVENT EN ATKS. TM A COND RIF OPNS W/TM B SWEEPING FROM BT 1954 TO BT2155 (VCMF/VCLF) ON BARRIER ISLAND. C TRP COND SM INIT PTLS W/PF'S VIC BT2131, BT2922 E AND W OF HAWK HILL. F TRP B CAV COND VR ROCKET BELT AND RSP MSNS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

5. (S) I CORPS:

A. 1ST ARVN DIV:

(1) 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): TF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1 AND A-2 (NVA, VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND SWEET (NVA, VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC OLD A-3 (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).

(2) 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN AT LA VANG PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD

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ALONG THE SONG O LAR RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA, VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANG AO (VCI/ VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

(3) 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB SON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A CHAU VALLEY NE FROM VIC YC4896 (NVA). 2/3 ARVN MOVES TO DONG DA TRAINING CENTER AND CONDUCTS REFRESHER TRAINING. 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF T-BONE (NVA, VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF, VCLF).

(4) 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPNS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI, VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

(5) 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV AND 3/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF CONTINUES RIF AND CORDON OPS SW OF CAMP EVANS (VCI, VCLF).

B. QUANG DA AND 2D ARVN DIV: NO CHANGE

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DAILY FORECAST OF OPNS (U)

A. III MAF COC 250901Z AUG68

1. (U) 1ST AND 26TH MAR: CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.

2. (S) 5TH MAR: OPN MUSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. A/1/5 COND SHORT RANGE PATROLS VIC AT9948 TO SEARCH OUT CAVES. C/1/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT9851. D/1/5 PROVIDES SCTY FOR RICE HARVEST VIC AT9451. 2/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT8554. K/3/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT8849. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY. (VC/NVA)

3. (S) 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. H/2/7 MOVES BY HCPTR TO VIC AT803650 AND COND RECON IN FOR VIC AT8063/8163. I AND M/3/7 COND RECON IN FOR VIC ZC1762. I AND L/3/26 CONTINUE ATK TO BLOCKING PSN OF K/3/7 VIC ZC176608. 4/51 ARVN BN RELIEVES 2/51 AND COMMENCES SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC ZC2057. 3/51 ARVN BN CONTINUES SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC ZC1558. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY. (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS)

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SUBJECT: CG'S DAILY FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 14 APR 69

(C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AND PLANS:

1. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BD/4TH ARVN REGT)
 1-20 INF COND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC BS8746, BS7344 NW AND NE LZ
 LIZ AND CONT INTENSIVE SATURATION PTLS VIC BS9222 IN NUI DAU HIGHLANDS
 (VCMF/VCLF). A/1-20 CA TO VIC BS798514 AND REDUCE FORTIFICATIONS VIC
 BAN HA (1) VIL. 3-1 INF W/PRU COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS VIC BS8425
 S SONG TRA CAU RIVER AND CONT RECON IN FOCE OPNS VIC BS7840 IN NUI SANG
 MTS. 4-21 INF CONT INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE AND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS IN
 SONG VE VALLEY (VCMF/NVA) VIC BS6248, BS6344, BS6644, BS6347M. A, C, R/
 4-3 CONT SCTY OPNS AND CONSTRUCTION VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL). 4TH
 ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI AND CONT RECON IN FORCE
 OPNS AND SCTY PTLS ON COASTAL PLAIN.
2. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)
 196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 INF BN TC (2US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT
 OPNS VIC ANTENNAL VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE AREAS). 1-52 INF COND RECON IN
 FOCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES FROM AT9440 TO AT9442 TO AT9640 TO AT
 9741 AND CONT MANEUVERING S TOWARDS ANTENNAL VALLEY.

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4-31 INF COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE OPNS AND SEARCHES FROM AT8333 TO AT8826 TO AT9233 TO AT9434 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVERING N TOWARDS ANTENNAL VALLEY. F TRP 17 CAV (PLUS) OCCUPY BLOCKING POSNS AND COND

SEARCHES VIC AT9236, AT9335, AT9436 W/ARVN IN ANTENNAL VALLEY. 4/5 ARVN BN COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT8938 IN ANTENNAL VALLEY. 3-21 INF CONT ECONOMY OF FOCE OPNS AND CONT SM UNIT COMBAT PTLS VIC AT9824, AT9725(VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND CONT SEACH OPNS VIC BT 1326, BT1327, BT1127, BT1126 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI DA DE MTS. 1-46 INF COND INTENSIVE COMBAT PTLS AND SEARCHES FROM BT0930 TO BT1030 TO BT1308(VCMF/NVA) IN BASE AREA 117. 2-1 INF COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS(VCMF/VCLF) VIC BT1042, BT1249, BT1348; SEC PHU THO VIL (BT088404); AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN(-) CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS IN SUPPORT PACIFICATIN OPNS VIC QUE SON VALLEY. 3. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT) 1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND INTENSIVE SM UNIT PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/ROCKET SITES). 5-46 INF IN CLOSE COORD AND CONJ W/2/6 AND 1/5 ARVN BNS COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS7383 (48TH VCLF BN) ON W BATANGAN PENINSULA. 4-3 INF (-) COND SEARCH OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2' CO'S REMAIN OPCON TO 11TH INF BDE.

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3 /6 ARVN REFT MOVE TO VIC LZ DOTTIE AND SEC Z AND COND COMBAT OPNS. REMAINDER 6TH ARVN REGT COND JOINT OPNS W/5-46 INF AND SED LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.

4. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

TM A COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE OPNS VIC BT205545, BT215527, IN CONJ W/TM B SEARCH VIC BT214561 (VCMF/VCLF) ON BARRIER ISLAND. C TRP W/ PF'S COND SEARCH OPNS VIC BT2922 SW TAM KY AND COND RECON IN FOCE OPNS W/PF'S IN PINEAPPLE FOREST VIC BT2123. F TRP 8 CAV COND VR RKT BELT AND RESP MSN REQUESTS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

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SUBJ: COMMANDER'S NARRATIVE FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR 14 APR 69 (M)

1. (S) 3D MAR DIV:

- A. 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XB911641) (NVA).
- B. 9TH MAR REGT (REINF): 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC AND SECURES RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA, VCLF). 2/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'S (NVA, VCLF). 3/9 CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC HILL 950 (XD844456) AND HILL 601 (XD927443) (NVA).

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3/3 CAV (-) OPCON TO 9TH MAR REGT MOVES TO VIC A-4 AND INITIATES RIF OPS (NVA).

- C. 3D MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE CRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR PATROLS VIC CUA VIET (YD3467) AND OCEANVIEW AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB SPARK AND VIC LZ'S MCCLINTOCK, CARIBA, AND DERBY (XD876232) (NVA).

- D. IF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF KHE SANH (NVA).
- E. 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN COORDINATION WITH 2/3 ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIE RAVINE (NVA). IF 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 556 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF). 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE (VCLF). IF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY, HAI LANG DISTRICT HBS, AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF).

2. (S) 101ST ABN DIV:

- A. 3D ABN BDE: 1/206 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOFNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND CONSTRUCTIONS NEW FSB VIC YD5501 (NVA). IF 2/226 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF). 3/157

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INF (-) WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BAKKASAN AND JACK AND S OF CAMP EVANS (NVA,VCLF).

B. 2ND ABN

BDE (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 38 ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/582 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC AND S OF FSB ZON ALONG RTE 947 (YC5809) (NVA). 2/581 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 2/327 INF CLOSES FSB FURY, PHASES OUT OF OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER AND MOVES TO CAMP EAGLE.

1/581 INF

(-) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S THOR (YC66833) AND PIKE (YC667747) (NVA).

C. 1ST ABN BDE (-): 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO 58 CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF, VCMF). 2/582 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NW OF HUI KE MTN AND VIC FSB'S PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE (NVA, VCLF).

3. (S) 1ST ARVN DIV:

A. 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): TF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1 AND A-2 (NVA,VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND SWEET (NVA,VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC OLD A-3 (NVA,VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND S OF

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FSB TORCH (NVA).

B. 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN AT LA VANG PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA,VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANG AO (VCI,VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

C. 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB ZON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAN VALLEY NE FROM VIC YC4999 (NVA). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF,VCLF).

D. 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI,VCLF). 2/34 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

E. 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF CAMP EVANS (NVA,VCLF). 3/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF CAMP EVANS (NVA,VCLF).

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 1. (U) PURSUANT REF A AND B III MAF FORECAST FOR 14 APR
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2. (S) XXIV CORPS:

a. 3D MARDIV:

(1) 4TH MAR REGT (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATARULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XB911641) (NVA).

(2) 9TH MAR REGT (REINF): 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC AND SECURES RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA, VCLF). 2/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'S (NVA, VCLF). 3/9 CONTINUES

RIF OPS VIC HILL 930 (XD844456) AND HILL 691 (XD927443) (NVA). 3/5 CAV (-) OPCON TO 9TH MAR REGT MOVES TO VIC A-4 AND INITIATES RIF OPS (NVA).

(3) 3E MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP AINE CRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR PATROLS VIC CUA VIET (YD3467) AND OCEANVIEW AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS.

2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB SPARK AND VIC LZ'S MCCLINTOCK, CARIBA, AND DERBY (XD876258) (NVA).

(4) TF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF KNE SANH (NVA).

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(5) 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN COORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIS RAVINE (NVA). TF 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 556 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF). 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE (VCLF). TF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY, HAI LANG DISTRICT HQS, AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA, VCLF).

(B) 101ST ABN DIV:

(1) 3D ABN BDE: 1/506 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND CONSTRUCTIONS NEW FSB VIC YD5301 (NVA). TF 2/506 INF CONTINUES

RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF). 3/187 INF (-) WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S RAKKASAN AND JACK AND S OF CAMP EVANS (NVA, VCLF).

(2) 2ND ABN BDE (REINF) IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3RD ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/502 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC AND S OF FSB ZON ALONG RTE 547 (YC5095) (NVA). 2/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 2/327 INF CLOSES FSB FURY, PHASES OUT OF OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER AND MOVES TO CAMP EAGLE.

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1/501 INF

(-) CONTINUES RIF OPNS VIC FSB'S THOR (YC665835) AND PIKE (YC667747) (NVA).

(3) 1ST ABN BDE (-): 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO SE CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF, VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NW OF NUI KE MIN AND VIC FSB'S PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDE (NVA, VCLF).

3. (5) 1ST MAR DIV:

A. 1ST AND 26TH MAR: CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY.

B. 5TH MAR: OPN MUSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. A/1/5 COND SHORT RANGE PATROLS VIC AT9948 TO SEARCH OUT CAVES. C/1/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT9851. D/1/5 PROVIDES SCTY FOR RICE HARVEST VIC AT9451. 2/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT8554. K/3/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT8849. OTHER UNITS CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY. (VC/NVA)

C. 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. H/2/7 MOVES BY HCPTR TO VIC AT803650 AND COND RIF VIC AT8063/8163.

I AND M/3/7 COND RIF VIC ZC1762. I AND L/3/26 CONTINUE

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 ATK TO BLOCKING PSN OF K/3/7 VIC ZC176608. 4/51 ARVN BN RELIEVES
 2/51 AND COMMENCES SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC ZC2057. 3/51 ARVN
 BN CONTINUES SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC ZC1558. OTHER UNITS
 CONTINUE LAST RPT ACTY. (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS)

4. (S) AMERICAL DIV:

A. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BD/4TH ARVN REGT)

1-20 INF COND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC BS8746, BS7344 NW AND NE LZ
 LIZ AND CONT INTENSIVE SATURATION PTLs VIC BS9222 IN NUI DAU HIGHLANDS
 (VCMF/VCLF). A/1-20 CA TO VIC BS798514 AND REDUCE FORTIFICATIONS VIC
 BAN HA (1) VIL. 3-1 INF W/PRU COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS VIC BS8425
 SYSONG TRA CAU RIVER AND CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS7840 IN NUI
 SANG MTS. 4-21 INF CONT INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE AND DETAILED SEARCH
 OPNS IN SONG VE VALLEY (VCMF/NVA) VIC BS6248, BS6344, BS6644, BS6347.
 A/C R/ RAE CONT SCTY OPNS AND CONSTRUCTION VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN
 HILL). 4TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI AND CONT
 RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLs ON COASTAL PLAIN.

B. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)

196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 INF BN TF (2US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT
 OPNS VIC ANTENNA VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE AREAS). 1-52 INF COND RECON IN
 FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES FROM AT9440 TO AT9442 TO AT9640 TO AT
 9740 AND CONT MANEUVERING S TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY.

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4-31 INF COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SEARCHES FROM AT8333 TO
 AT8826 TO AT9233 TO AT9434 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVERING N TOW-
 ARDS ANTENNA VALLEY. F TRP 17 CAV (PLUS) OCCUPY BLOCKING POSNS AND COND
 SEARCHES VIC AT9236, AT9335, AT9436 W/ARVN IN ANTENNA VALLEY. 4/5
 ARVN BN COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT8938 IN ANTENNA VALLEY. 3-21
 INF CONT ECONOMY OF FORCE OPNS AND CONT SM UNIT COMBAT PTLs VIC AT
 9824, AT9725 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND CONT SEACH OPNS VIC BT
 1326, BT1327, BT1127, BT1126 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI DA DE MTS. 1-46 INF COND
 INTENSIVE COMBAT PTLs AND SEARCHES FROM BT0930 TO BT1030 TO BT1308 (VCMF
 /NVA IN BASE AREA 117. 2-1 INF COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS (VCMF/VCLF) VIC
 BT1042, BT1249, BT1348; SEC PHU THO VIL (BT088404); AND SEC LOC AND
 POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN(-) CONT RECON IN FORCE
 OPNS AND SCTY PTLs IN SUPPORT PACIFICATIN OPNS VIC QUE SON VALLEY.
 C. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)
 1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND INTENSIVE SM UNIT
 PTLs AND AMBUSHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/ROCKET
 SITES). 5-46 INF IN CLOSE COORD AND CONJ W/2/6 AND 1/5 ARVN BNS COND
 INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS7383 (48TH VCLF BN) ON W BATANGAN
 PENINSULA. 4-3 INF (-) COND SEARCH OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 CO'S REMAIN
 OPCON TO 11TH INF BDE.

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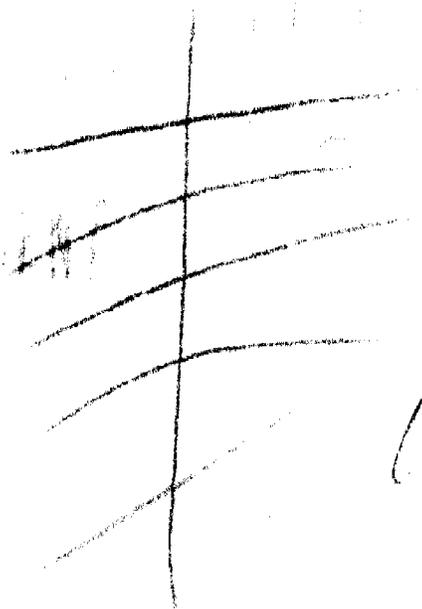
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3 /6 ARVN REFT MOVE TO VIC LZ DOTTIE AND SEC Z AND COND COMBAT OPNS.
 REMAINDER 6TH ARVN REGT COND JOINT OPNS W/5-46 INF AND SED LOC AND POP
 CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.

D. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

IN A COND INTENSIVE CON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BT205545, BT215527, IN CONJ

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W/TF B SEARCH VIC BT214561 (VCMF/VCLF) ON BARRIER ISLAND. C TRP W/ PF'S COND SEARCH OPNS VIC BT2922 SW TAM KY AND COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS W/PF'S IN PINEAPPLE FOREST VIC BT2123. F TRP 3 CAV COND VR RKT BELT AND RESP MSM REQUESTS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

5. (S) I CORPS:

A. 1ST ARVN DIV:

(1) 2ND ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): TF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1 AND A-2 (NVA, VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND SWEET (NVA, VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC OLD A-3 (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).

(2) 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN AT LA HANG PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA, VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANG AO (VCI, VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

(3) 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB SON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAU VALLEY

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NE FROM VIC YC4999 (NVA). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA, VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF, VCLF).

(4) 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI, VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

(5) 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF CAMP EVANS (NVA, VCLF). 3/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF CAMP EVANS (NVA, VCLF).

B. QUANG DA AND 2D ARVN DIV: NO CHANGE.

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DAILY FORECAST OF OPNS (U)

A. III MAF COC 250901Z AUG 68

1. (S) 1ST MAR: D/1/1 (REIN) COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT990605 (VC RECON/CACHES). OTHER UNITS COND SMALL UNIT OPNS AND SCTY MISSIONS IN ASG AO W/EMPHASIS ON DAY/NIGHT ACTY THROUGHOUT RKT BELT.

2. (S) 5TH MAR: A/1/5 MOVES TO VIC BT0049 AND C/1/5 MOVES TO VIC AT9951 IN PREP TO SUP ROKMC OPNS. 2/5 SPTS RICE COLLECTION BY DUC DUC DIST HQ VIC AT858519 AND COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT860535 (VC/NVA). OTHER UNITS COND SCTY MISSIONS AND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS IN ASG AO.

3. (S) 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. 1/7 CONTINUES SCREENING/SCTY MISSIONS ALONG ROUTE 4 FR HILL 65 TO FSB MUSTANG. 2/7 COND RECON IN FOR WITH COS E, F AND G VIC AT8163 AND H CO VIC AT802650. 3/7(-) COND RECON IN FOR WITH I CO VIC ZC205640, L CO VIC ZC200602 AND M CO VIC ZC195644. 3/26 (REIN) COND RECON IN FOR WITH K CO VIC ZC143627, COS I AND L VIC ZC175610, M CO VIC FSB RATTLESNAKE AND K/3/7 VIC ZC175606. 3/31 ARVN BN VIC ZC150580 AND 4/31 VIC ZC170557 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS. (UCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

4. (U) 26TH MAR: CONTINUES LAST RPT ACTY.

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SUBJECT: CG'S DAILY FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 15 APR 69
(C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AND PLANS:

1. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)
1-20 INF REDUCE FORTIFICATIONS VIC VAN HA VIL (1) (BS798514); COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS8930, BS8926 VIC DIEN THUONG (1) VIL; AND COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BS7645 N LZ LIZ. 3-1 INF COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS AND SATURATION PTLS VIC BS8326, BS8426 IN W NUI SAND MTS. C/3-1 CA TO VIC BS765277 AND COND RECON IN FORCE TO NE. 4-21 INF COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC BS6349, BS6348, BS6742, BS6646 (VCMF/NVA) IN SONG VE VALLEY. A,C,R/ 4-3 CONT SCTY OPNS AND CLOSE-IN PTLS VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL). 4TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI; 5TH RECON CO CONDUCT CA VIC BS596457 AND CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS ON COASTAL PLAIN.

2. OPERATION FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)
196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 INF BN TF (2 US, 1ARVN) COND JOINT OPNS VIC ANTENNA VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE AREA3). 1-52 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC AT9538, AT9541, AT9341 AND SECURE STRONG POINT VIC AT945405 IN NUI MAT RANG MTS WHILE CONT

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MANEUVERING INTO ANTENNA VALLEY. 4-31 INF (PLUS) COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SEARCHES VIC AT9325, AT9425, AT9526, AT9626, AT9131, AT9232 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVERING N TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY. F TRP 17TH VAC (PLUS) COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS W/ARVNS VIC AT9436, AT9537 IN ANTENNA VALLEY. 4/5 ARVN BN COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT9225, AT9234. 3-21 INF (PLUS) COND SEARCHES VIC AT9121, AT9120 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BT0931, BT1030 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI DA DE MTS. 1-46 INF COND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PTLS AND INTENSIVE SEARCHES VIC BT1206, BT1207 (VCMF/NVA) IN BASE AREA 117. 2-1 INF SEC PHU THO VIL (BT088404); COND SEARCH OPNS (VCMF/VCLF) VIC BT1042, BT1440; AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL 02. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS IN SUPPORT OF PACIFICATION OPNS VIC QUE SON VALLEY. 1/5 ARVN BN RELEASED OPCON 6TH ARVN REGT AND MOVE FROM LZ DOTTIE TO TAM KY AND COND SCTY OPNS.

3. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)
1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND INTENSIVE SM UNIT PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/RKT SITES). 5-46 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS IN S RKT POCKET AND CONT SCTY PTLS VIC BS7885 ON BATANGAN PENINSULA IN SUPPORT PDP. 4-3 INF (-) CONT SEARCH OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 CO'S REMAIN OPCON TO 11TH INF BDE. 1/6 ARVN BN RELIEVED OF DEFENSE OF NUI YON (BT2517) BY PT'S. 3/6 ARVN BN ASSUME CONTROL LZ DOTTIE (BS630855). REMAINDER 6TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CNETES VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.

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4. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN AND PROVIDE DIV
REACTION FORCE FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI IN EVENTS EN ATKS. TM A
AND TM B ABREAST, COND RECON IN FORCE E TO W FROM BT2349 TO BT2049
(VCMF/VCLF) IN PINEAPPLE FOREST. F TRP 3 CAV COND VR RKT BELT AND
RSP MSN REQUESTS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

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SUBJ: COMMANMR'S NARDBATIVE

CRECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR 15 APR 69 (U)

1. (S) 3D MAR DIV:

A. 4TH MAR REGT; 1/4 MAR REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XD911641) (NVA).

B. 9TH MAR REGT (REINF); 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC AND SECURES RIE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA,VCLF). 2/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'S (NVA,VCLF). 3/9 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC HILL 950 (XD844456) AND HILL 691 (XD927443)

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(NVA). 3/5 CAV (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS W OF C-2 (NVA).

C. 3D MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE CRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR PATROLS VIC CUA VIET AND OCEANVIEW (NVA, VCLF) AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC LZ'S DERBY, MCCLINTOCK AND FISHER (YD037280) (NVA).

D. IF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF KHE SANH (NVA).

E. 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN COORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIS RAVINE (NVA). IF 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 556 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA,VCLF). 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE (VCLF). IF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY, HAI LANG DISTRICT HQS, AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA,VCLF).

2. (S) 101ST ABN DIV:

A. 3D ABN BDE; 1/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND CONSTRUCTING FSB BLAZE (YD535020) (NVA). IF 2/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF).

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3/187 INF WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S RAKKASAN AND JACK (NVA,VCLF).

B. 2ND ABN BDE IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/502 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB ZON ALONG RIE 547 (YC5095) (NVA). 2/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 1/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PIKE (YC667747) (NVA).

C. 1ST ABN BDE: 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO SE CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF,VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NW OF MUI KE MIN AND VIC FSB'S PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE (NVA,VCLF). 2/327 INF (-) SECURES COL CO BEACH AND CONDUCTS RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND (NVA,VCLF). C/2/327 INF CLOSES FSB FURY AND MOVES TO CAMP EAGLE.

3. (S) 1ST ARVN DIV:

A. 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): IF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1, A-2 AND OLD A-3 (NVA,VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND

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SWEET (NVA,VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF C-1 (NVA,VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).

B. 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN CONDUCTS CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SE OF FSB SHARON VIC YD3645 AND E HAI LANG DISTRICT VIC YD4252 (VCLF). 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA,VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANH AO (VCI,VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

C. 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB ZON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAU VALLEY NE FROM VIC YC4999 (NVA). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA,VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF,VCLF).

D. 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG, AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI,VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

E. 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB JACK (NVA,VCLF). 3/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF CAMP EVANS (NVA,VCLF).

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SPECIAL OPERATIONS (U)

1. (S) FOR 2ND ROKMC BDE: USNAVAVDET DESIRES TO CONDUCT
THE FOLLOWING OPNS YOUR AREA:

- A. TOTAL AREA VIC OF (1) BT 160542 (2) BT 160530
(3) BT 180530 (4) BT 180543 FROM 161800H TO 181800H APR 69.
- B. VIC OF THUAN TINH ISLAND (1) BT 170552 (2) BT
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2. (S) FOR AMERICAL DIVISION: USNAVAVDET DESIRES TO
CONDUCT THE FOLLOWING OPNS YOUR AREA:

- A. VIC BINH TINH BT 267424 FROM 181800H TO

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- 3. (S) MISSION: BLACKLIST APPREHENSION. IF APPROVED,
TO PREVENT MUTUAL INTERFERENCE, REQUEST ELEMENTS OF YOUR
COMMAND REMAIN CLEAR OF TARGET AREA DURING OPERATIONS.
- 4. (C) REQ THIS HQ BE NOTIFIED IF OPNS INTERFERE WITH ANY
OF YOUR PLANS/OPNS. NEGATIVE REPORT REQUESTED. SEND REPLY
ATTN: LCDR WILCOX G-3 OPNS.
- 5. (U) AFTER ACTION REPORT WILL BE FURNISHED.

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 COMMANDING GENERALS' DAILY FORECAST (U)

- A. MACV J-3 MSG 241045Z AUG 68
 B. MACV CDC MSG 120816Z NOV 68
 1. (U) PURSUANT REF A AND B III MAF FORECAST FOR 15 APR

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 FOLLOWS:

2. (S) XXIV CORPS:
 A. 3D MARDIV:

(1) 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSELL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (XD911641) (NVA).

(2) 9TH MAR REGT (REINF): 1/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC AND SECURES RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA, VCLF). 2/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDEGRIFT CB'S (NVA, VCLF). 3/9 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC HILL 950 (XD844456) AND HILL 691 (XD927443) (NVA). 3/5 CAV (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS W OF C-2 (NVA).

(3) 3D MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE CRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR PATROLS VIC CUA VIET AND OCEANVIEW (NVA, VCLF) AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC LZ'S DERBY, MCCLINTOCK AND FISHER (YD037280) (NVA).

(4) TF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF XHE SANH (NVA).

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(5) 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN COORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN BN (REINF) CONTINUES OP ELLIS RAVINE (NVA). TF 1/11 INF CONTINUES RIF AND ROAD CLEARING OPS ALONG RTE 556 SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA,VCLF). 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMSTONE (VCLF). TF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY, HAI LANG DISTRICT HQS, AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA,VCLF).

B. 101ST ABN DIV:

(1) 3D ABN BDE: 1/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND CONSTRUCTING FSB BLAZE (YD535020) (NVA). TF 2/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB T-BONE (VCLF). 3/187 INF WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S RAKKASAN AND JACK (NVA,VCLF).

(2) 2ND ABN BDE IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/502 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB SON ALONG RTE 547 (YC5095) (NVA). 2/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 1/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PIKE (YC667747) (NVA).

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(3) 1ST ABN BDE: 1/307 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUCI RIVER BRIDGE TO SE CORPS BDY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF,VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NW OF NUI KE MTN AND VIC FSB'S PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE (NVA,VCLF). 2/327 INF (-) SECURES COL CO BEACH AND CONDUCTS RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND (NVA,VCLF). C/2/327 INF CLOSES FSB FURY AND MOVES TO CAMP EAGLE.

3. (S) 1ST MARDIV:

A. 1ST MAR: D/1/1 (REIN) COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT990605 (VC RECON/CACHES). OTHER UNITS COND SMALL UNIT OPNS AND SCTY MISSIONS IN ASG AO W/EMPHASIS ON DAY/NIGHT ACTY THROUGH-OUT RKT BELT.

B. 5TH MAR: A/1/5 MOVES TO VIC BT0049 AND C/1/5 MOVES TO VIC AT9951 IN PREP TO SUP ROKMC OPNS. 2/5 SPTS RICE COLLECTION BY DUC DUC DISTRICT HQ VIC AT858519 AND COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS VIC AT860535 (VC/NVA). OTHER UNITS COND SCTY MISSIONS AND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS IN ASG AO.

C. 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES. 1/7 CONTINUES SCREENING/SCTY MISSION ALONG ROUTE 4. FR HILL 65 TO FSB MUSTANG.

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 2/7 COND RECON IN FORCE WITH COS E, F AND G VIC AT8163 AND H CO
 VIC AT802650. 3/7 (-) COND RECON IN FOR WITH I CO VIC ZC205640,
 L CO VIC ZC 200602 AND M CO VIC ZC195644. 3/26 (REIN) COND RECON
 IN FOR WITH K CO VIC ZC143627, COS I AND L VIC ZC17561H0, M CO VIC
 FSB RATTLESNAKE AND K/3/7 VIC ZC175606. 3/31 ARVN BN VIC
 ZC150580 AND 4/31 VIC ZC170557 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS.
 (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

D. 26TH MAR: CONTINUES LAST RPT ACTY.

4. (S) AMERICAL DIV:

A. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)

1-20 INF REDUCE FORTIFICATIONS VIC VAN HA VIL (1) (BS798514); COND
 RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS8930, BS8926 VIC DIEN THUONG (1) VIL; AND
 COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC BS7645 N LZ LIZ. 3-1 INF COND DETAILED
 SEARCH OPNS AND SATURATION PTLs VIC BS8326, BS8426 IN W NUI SANH
 MTS. C/3-1 CA TO VIC BS765277 AND COND RECON IN FORCE TO NE. 4-21
 INF COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC
 BS6349, BS6348, BS6742, BS6646 (VCMF/NVA) IN SONG VE VALLEY. A,C,R/
 4-3 CONT SCTY OPNS AND CLOSE-IN PTLs VIC BS634380 (LZ SAN JUAN HILL).
 4TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI; 5TH RECON CO
 CONDUCT CA VIC BS596457 AND CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLs

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ON COASTAL PLAIN.

B. OPERATION FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)

196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 INF BN TF (2 US, 1ARVN) COND
 JOINT OPNS VIC ANTENNA VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE AREAS). 1-52 INF COND
 RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC AT9538, AT9541, AT9341
 AND SECURE STRONG POINT VIC AT945405 IN NUI MAT RANG MTS WHILE CONT
 MANEUVERING INTO ANTENNA VALLEY. 4-31 INF (PLUS) COND INTENSIVE RE-
 CON IN FORCE OPNS AND SEARCHES VIC AT9325, AT9425, AT9526, AT9626,
 AT9131, AT9232 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVERING N TOWARDS
 ANTENNA VALLEY. F TRP 17TH CAV (PLUS) COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS
 W/ARVN VIC AT9436, AT9537 IN ANTENNA VALLEY. 4/5 ARVN BN COND RE-
 CON IN FORCE OPNS VIC AT9225, AT9234. 3-21 INF (PLUS) COND
 SEARCHES VIC AT9121, AT9120 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI LIET KIEM MTS AND
 CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BT0931, BT1030 (VCMF/NVA) IN NUI DA DE
 MTS. 1-46 INF COND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PTLs AND INTENSIVE SEARCHES
 VIC BT1206, BT1207 (VCMF/NVA) IN BASE AREA 117. 2-1 INF SEC PHU THO
 VIL (BT085404); COND SEARCH OPNS (VCMF/VCLF) VIC BT1042, BT1440; AND
 SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT
 RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SCTY PTLs IN SUPPORT OF PACIFICATION OPNS
 VIC QUE SON VALLEY. 1/5 ARVN BN RELEASED OPCON 6TH ARVN REGT AND

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S E C R E T FINAL SECTION OF TWO SECTIONS
 MOVE FROM LZ DOTTIE TO TAM KY AND COND SCTY OPNS.
 C. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)
 1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND INTENSIVE SM
 UNIT PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN RKT POCKET AND RKT RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/
 RKT SITES). 5-46 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS IN S RKT POCKET AND

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 CONT SCTY PTLS VIC BS7385 ON BATANGAN PENINSULA IN SUPPORT PDP. 4-3
 INF (-) CONT SEARCH OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 CO'S REMAIN OPCON TO
 11TH INF BDE. 1/6 ARVN BN RELIEVED OF DEFENSE OF NUI YON (BT2517)
 BY PT'S. 3/6 ARVN BN ASSUME CONTROL LZ DOTTIE (BS630855). REMAINDER
 6TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.
 D. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)
 1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN AND PROVIDE DIV
 REACTION FORCE FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI IN EVENTS EN ATKS. TM A
 AND TM B ABREAST, COND RECON IN FORCE E TO W FROM BT2349 TO BT2049
 (VCMF/VCLF) IN PINEAPPLE FOREST. F TRP 8 CAV COND VR RKT BELT AND
 RSP MSN REQUESTS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

5. (S) I CORPS:

A. 1ST ARVN DIV:

(1) 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): IF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND
 RIF OPS VIC A-1, A-2 AND OLD A-3 (NVA, VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF)
 CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND
 SWEET (NVA, VCLF). 4/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF C-1
 (NVA, VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF
 FSB TORCH (NVA).

(2) 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN CONDUCTS CLEAR AND

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SEARCH OPS SE OF FSB SHARON VIC YD3645 AND E HAI LANG DISTRICT VIC YD4252 (VCLF). 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA,VCLF). 4/1 ARVN CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANH AO (VCI,VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OP N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA).

(3) 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION . 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB SON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS IN A SHAU VALLEY NE FROM VIC YC4999 (NVA). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB T-BONE (NVA,VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF,VCLF).

(4) 54TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG, AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI,VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO.

(5) 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB JACK (NVA,VCLF). 3/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF CAMP EVANS (NVA,VCLF).

B. QUANG DA: OPNS LE LOI IV AND VU NINH 02 CONT.

C. 2D ARVN DIV: CONT OPNS QT 607,

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A. III MAF COC 250901Z AUG68

1. (C) 1ST AND 2608

MAR: COND SMALL UNIT OPNS AND SCTY MISSIONS
 IN ASG AO W/EMPHASIS ON DAY/NIGHT ACTY THROUGHOUT RKT BELT.
 2. (S) 5TH MAR: OPN MKSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. 1/5 COND SCTY
 MISSIONS AND SMALL UNIT OPNS VIC LIBERTY BRINGISH AND LIBERTY ROAD
 NORTH, AND SPT ROK OPNS WITH A CO OCCUPYING A BLOCKING PSN VIC
 AT9951 AND B CO OCCUPYING A BLOCKING PSN VIC BT0049 AND SECURING

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LZ FOR ROK HCPTR LANDING VIC BT020518. 2/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR
 OPNS IN ARIZONA AREA VIC AT8651. 3/5 COND SCTY MISSIONS VIC
 LIBERTY ROAD SOUTH A D PATROLLING WITH K CO VIC AT8850 AND M CO
 VIC AT9650. (VC/NVWLM)

3. (S) 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES WITH SEARCH A J.
 CLEAR OPNS IN BASE CAMPS LOCATED AND RECON IN FOR BY UNITS IN ASG
 AOANS. 2/7 COND OPNS WITH E CO VIC AT8163, F CO VIC AT8062/8063,
 G CO VIC AT7963/7964 AND H CO VIC AT7966 AND ZC2066. 3/7(-) COND
 OPNS WITH I CO VIC ZC1962/2062, L CO VIC ZC1959/1960, AND M CO
 MOVING OVERLAND TO ZC1964 AND COND RECON IN FOR TO ZC2064. 3/26
 (REIND) MOVES CP BY HCPTR TO VIC ZC157625 AND COND OPNS WITH I CO
 VIC ZC1861, K CO VIC ZC1462, L CO VIC ZC176510, W/3/7 VIC ZC175605
 AND H CO COND SCTY MISSIONS VIC PSRATTLESNAKE. 3/31 ARVN BN
 VIC ZC154575 AND 4/31 VIC ZC125565 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS.
 (VCMF/NVA/CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

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SUBJECT: CI'S DAILY FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR PEROD 16 APR 69
 (C) OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AND PLANS:

1. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)
 1-20 INF CONT REDUCTION FORTIFICATIONS VIC VAN HA (1) VIC (BS798514);
 COND CORDON AND SEARCH OPNS VIC QUY THIEN (5) VIL (BS872347); AND COND
 RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS913267 S DAM ANKHE (BAY) . 3-1 INF COND DE-
 TAILED SEARCH OPNS AND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PTLS VIC BS805268 AND FROM BS
 755380 TO BS790320 (VCMF/NVA) IN W NUI SANG MTS. 4-21 INF COND INTENSIV
 RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS6346, BS6447, BS6846 IN NUI COI MOUNTAINS
 VIC SONG VE VALLEY (VCMF/NVA). 4TH ARVN REGT COND INTENSIVE RECON IN
 FOCE OPNS W MO DUC AND CONT SCTY OPNS ON LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG
 NGAI.
2. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH NN BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)
 196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 BN IF (2 US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT
 OPNS VIC ANTENNAL VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE AREAS). 1-52 INF COND RECON IN
 FORE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES VIC AT9633, AT9538, FROM AT9543 TO AT
 9540 TO AT9342 TO AT9340 IN NUI MAT RANG MTS WHILE CONT MANEUVERING INTO
 ANTENNAL VALLEY. 4-31 INF (PLUS) COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE OPNS AND
 SEARCHES VIC AT9435, AT9535, AT9629, AT9428, AT9328 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND
 CONT MANEUVERING N TOWARDS ANTENNAL VALLEY. F TRP 17 CAV W/4/5 ARVN
 BN COND INTESIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC AT9336, AT9338, AT9337 IN ANTENNAL VA-
 LLEY. ~~3-31 INF (-) COND SEARCHES VIC AT8823 (VCMF/NVA)S HIEP DUC AND~~
 CONT SATURATION PTLS VIC BT1228, BT1227, BT0832, BT0823 IN NUI LIET KIEM
 MTS. 1-46 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS FROM BT1305 TO BT1105 AND COND

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SEARCHES VIC BT2107, BT2207 (VCMF/NVA) IN BASE AREA 117. 2-1 INF COND RECON IN FORCE PTLs FROM BT1448 TO BT1350 TO BT1447 (VCMF/VCLF) E DUY XUYEN CTZ AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT SCTY PTLs AND SMAL UNIT SEARCHES VIC QUE SON VALLEY IN SUPPORT PDP. 1/5 ARVN BN COND SCTY OPNS VIC TAM KY.

3. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH IF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)

1-6 INF SC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND INTENSIVE SM UNIT PTLs AND AMBUSHES IN ROCKET POCKET/ROCKET RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/RKT SITES)

5-46 INF COND RECON IN FOCE OPNS IN S ROCKET POCKET AND CONT SCTY PTLs VIC BS7885 ON BATANGAN PENINSULA IN SUPPORT PDP. 4-3 INF(-) CONT SEARCH OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 COS REMAIN OPCON TO 11TH INF BDE. 3/6 ARVN BN COND SCTY PTLs VIC LZ DOTTIE (BS6385). REMAINDER 6TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S AND COND SMALL UNIT PTLs IN SW GENEVA PARK OZ.

4. OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN; PROVIDE DIV REACTION

FORCE FRO TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI; AND COND PREEMPTIVE OPNS. IM A W/ IM B COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FOCE OPNS VIC BT2350 ON BARRIER ISLAND (VCMF/VCLF). C TRP COND SEARCH OPNS W/PF S VIC BS2023 IN PINEAPPLE FOREST (VCLF. F TRP 8 CAV COND VR ROCKET BELT AND RESP MSN REUESTS 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

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SUBJ: COMMANDERS NARRATIVE FORECAST OF OPERATIONS FOR 16 APR 69 (U)

1. (S) 3D MAR DIV:

A. 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB RUSSEL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (NVA).

B. 9TH MAR REGT (REINF). 1/9 CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC SECURE RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT CB (NVA VCLF). 2/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER AND ELLIOT AND VANDERGRIFT CB'S (NVA VCLF). 3/9 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC HILL 950 (XDB44456) AND HILL 691 (XD927443) (NVA). 3/9 CAV

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(-) CONTINUES RIF OPS W OF C-2 (NVA).

C. 3D MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES OP MAINE GRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR PATROLS VIC CUA VIET AND OCEANVIEW (NVA VCLF). AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC LZ'S DERBY MC CLINTOCK AND PUSAN (YD042249) AND FSB FISHER (YD 037280) (NVA)M

D. IF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS SOUTH AND WEST OF KHE SANH (NVA).

E. 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN CORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN BN (REINF) TERMINATED OP ELLIS RAVINE ON 15 APR. IF 1/11 INF MOVES TO FSB SHARON AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 1/61 INF (MECH) (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE (VCLF). IF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY HAI LANG DISTRICT HQS AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON (NVA VCLF).

2. (S) 101ST ABN DIV:

A. 3D ABN BDE: 1/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND CONSTRUCTION FSB BLAZE (YD 535020) (NVA). IF 2/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB JACK (VCLF).

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 3/137 INF WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB RAKKASAN AND SW OF FSB JACK (NVA VCLF).
 B. 2ND ABN BDE IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER (NVA). 1/502 INF MARSHALLS AT FSB BIRMINHAM AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/501 INF (-) BUNSONDESANDEWEST OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 1/501 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB PIKE (YC667747) (NVA).
 C. 1ST ABN BDE: 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO SE CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS (VCLF VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NW OF NUI KE MIN AND VIC FSB'S PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE (NVA VCLF). 2/327 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND (NVA VCLF). 2/327 INF CLOSES FSB FURY AND MOVES TO CAMP EAGLE.
 3. (S) 1ST ABN DIV:
 A. 2D ARVN REGT (-) (REINF): IF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND RIF OPS VIC A-1, A-2 AND OLD A-3 (NVA VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND SWEET (NVA VCLF). 4/2 (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF C-1

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 (NVA VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF FSB TORCH (NVA).
 B. 1ST ARVN REGT (REINF): 2/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S HARDCORE AND NANCY (VCLF). 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER AND SECURES FSB BARBARA (NVA VCLF). 4/1 CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN MY CHANH AO (VCI VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA)
 C. 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION. 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PANTHER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB ZON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS OF FSB ZON ALONG ROUTE 547 (YC4895) (NVA). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB I-BONE (NVA VCLF). 5/2 ARVN (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW OF HUE IN RKT BELT (VCMF VCLF).
 D. 54 TH ARVN REGT (-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS (VCI VCLF). 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH /AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO (VCI VCLF).
 E. 7TH ARVN CAV IF: 2/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/137 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB JACK (NVA VCLF). 3/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF CAMP EVANS (NVA VCLF).
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AT FSB BIRMINHAM AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/501 INF (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS SOUTH AND WEST OF FSB WHIP (NVA). 1/501 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB PIKE (YC667747) (NVA).

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S E C R E T FROM AVDG-8C-P 040242A

SUBJ: FORECAST OF OPERATIONS 20- 26 APRIL 1969 (U)

REF: CG XXIV CORPS MSG DTG 271000 OCT 68, SUBJ: FORECAST OF OPERATIONS WEEKLY REPORT (U)

A. (U) FORCE MOVEMENTS: NONE

B. (S) FORECAST OF MAJOR OPERATIONS:

1. NAME: BRISTOL BOOTS (U)

2. LOCATION: RUMONG RUONG VALLEY- AREA- YD 3804, YD 9204,
YC 9686, YC 8972, YC 7880, YC 8090, YC 3890, YD 8804.

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3. DATES: 25 APR TO 13 MAY 69.

4. FORCES: 1 BN, 1ST BDE: 1 BN 545TH ARVN REGT;
3/5TH CAV; C-2/34TH ARM (-); BTRY 155 (SP), XXIV CORPS ARTY.

5. MISSION: TO CONDUCT COMBINED RIF OPERATIONS IN RUONG RUONG VALLEY TO LOCATE AND DESTROY ENEMY FORCES, INSTALLATIONS, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES.

6. CONCEPTUAL SUMMARY: ON 25 APRIL, 2 INFANTRY BNS COMBAT ASSAULT INTO RUONG RUONG VALLEY UNDER ARTILLERY COVER FROM FB DAGGER (YC 901 902) AND FB QUICK II (YD 896997); COMBINED INFANTRY, CAV, ARMOR, ENGINEER AND SP ARTY FORCE OPENS ROUTE 545 ARRIVING IN VALLEY ON 28 APRIL; FORCES CONDUCT AIRMOBILE AND MECHANIZED RIF OPERATIONS IN VALLEY TO LOCATE AND VOYLCC ENEMY FORCES, INSTALLATIONS, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES.

7. RATIONALE: THE RUONG RUONG AREA IS A HIGHLY SUSPECTED LOG-ISTICAL AREA WHICH SUPPORT THE 4TH AND 5TH NVA REGT, AND SERVES AS A TRANSHIPMENT POINT FOR MOVEMENT OF SUPPLIES FROM LAOS TO THE DA NANGHQ

. 753:3,5)6, NUMEROUS SLAR AND SNIFFER READINGS HAVE BEEN RECORDED IN THE AREA. AGENT REPORTS INDICATE THE 5TH REGT AND C116 LF CO MAINTAIN TRAINING AREAS IN THE VALLEY, A CAPTURED MAP AND VEHICLE TRACKS INDICATE POSSIBLE TRUCKS AND STORAGE AREA. A LARGE CAVE COMPLEX HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE AREA AND RECENT VR'S LOCATED

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STACKS OF CUT WOOD AND POSSIBLE SLEEPING COMPARTMENTS IN THE 8'-10' GRASS. THIS OPERATION WOULD ALSO COMPLEMENT OPN MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER NOW IN PROGRESS BY STRIKING THE ENEMY ON A BROAD FRONT.

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 COMMANDING GENERAL'S DAILY FORECAST (U)

A. MACV J-3 MSG 241045Z AUG 63

B. MACV COC MSG 120816Z NOV 68

1. (U) PURSUANT REF A AND B III MAF FORECAST FOR 16 APR FOLLOW:

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2. (S) XXIV CORPS:

A. 3D MARDIV:

(1). 4TH MAR REGT: 1/4 MAR (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF
 FSB GREENE (NVA). 2/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S
 CATAPULT AND NEVILLE (NVA). 3/4 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS
 VIC FSB RUSSEL AND N OF LZ'S SIERRA AND DODGE (NVA).

(2). 9TH MAR REGT (REINF). 1/9 CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH
 OPS VIC A-4, C-2 AND MAI LOC SECURE RTE 9 FROM CAM LO TO ELLIOT
 CB (NVA VCLF). 2/9 MAR CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB FULLER
 AND ELLIOT AND VANDERGRIFT CB'S (NVA VCLF). 3/9 MAR CONTINUES RIF
 OPS VIC HILL 950 (XD844456) AND HILL 691 (XD927443) (NVA). 3/5 CAV
 (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS W OF C-2 (NVA).

(3). 3D MAR REGT IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES
 OP MAINE GRAG (NVA). 3/3 MAR PATROLS VIC CUA VIET AND OCEANVIEW
 (NVA VCLF). AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/3 MAR CONTINUES RIF OPS
 VIC FSB'S WHISMAN AND MINK AND LZ BUCK (NVA). 1/3 MAR CONTINUES
 RIF OPS VIC LZ'S DERBY, MC CLINTOCK AND PUSAN (YD042249) AND FSB
 FISHER (YD 037280) (NVA).

(4). TF REMAGEN CONTINUES RIF OPS SOUTH AND WEST OF KHE SANH (NVA).

(5). 1ST BDE, 5TH INF (MECH) (REINF) IN CORDINATION WITH 2/2 ARVN

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BN(REINF) TERMINATED OP ELLIS RAVINE ON 15 APR. TF 1/11 INF MOVES TO FSB SHARON AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC WUNDER BEACH AND NE OF FSB TOMBSTONE(VCLF). TF 1/77 ARM CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB NANCY HAI LANG DISTRICT HQS AND SECURES LAND CLEARING OPS SW OF FSB SHARON(NVA VCLF).

B. 101ST ABN DIV:

(1). 3D ABN BDE: 1/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB'S BASTOGNE AND VEGHEL AND SECURES ENGR FORCES UPGRADING RTE 547 AND CONSTRUCTION FSB BLAZE(YD 535020)(NVA). TF 2/506 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC PHONG DIEN, AN LO BRIDGE, AND FSB JACK(VCLF). 3/187 INF WITH 2/7 ARVN CAV CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB RAKKASAN AND SW OF FSB JACK(NVA VCLF).

(2). 2ND ABN BDE IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3D ARVN REGT(-) CONTINUES OP MASSACHUSETTS STRIKER(NVA). 1/502 INF MARSHALLS AT FSB BIRMINHAM AND PREPARES FOR FUTURE OPS. 2/501 INF(-) CONTRIF SAND WEST OF FSB WHIP(NVA). 1/501 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS VIC FSB PIKE(YC667747)(NVA).

(3). 1ST ABN BDE: 1/327 INF CONTINUES SECURITY MISSION WITH LOCAL PATROL/AMBUSH OPS ALONG QL-1 FROM VIC TRUOI RIVER BRIDGE TO

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SE CORPS BDRY AND CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB'S ROY, TOMAHAWK AND LOS BANOS(VCLF VCMF). 2/502 INF (REINF) CONTINUES RIF OPS NW OF NUI KE MTN AND VIC FSB'S PANTHER II, BIRMINGHAM AND BOYD AND SECURES POHL BRIDGE(NVA VCLF). 2/327 INF(-) CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF LEECH ISLAND(NVA VCLF). : 2/327 INF CLOSES FSB FURY AND MOVES TO CAMP EAGLE.

3. (S) 1ST MARDIV:

A. 1ST AND 26TH MAR: COND SMALL UNIT OPNS AND SCTY MISSIONS IN ASG AO W/EMPHASIS ON DAY/NIGHT ACTY THROUGHOUT RKT BELT.

B. 5TH MAR: OPN MUSKOGEE MEADOW CONTINUES. 1/5 COND SCTY MISSIONS AND SMALL UNIT OPNS VIC LIBERTY BRIDGE AND LIBERTY ROAD MNNORTH, AND SPT ROK OPNS WITH A CO OCCUPYING A BLOCKING PSN VIC AT9951 AND B CO OCCUPYING A BLOCKING PSN VIC BT0049 AND SECURING LZ FOR ROK HCPTR LANDING VIC BT00518. 2/5 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS IN ARIZONA AREA VIC AT8651. 3/5 COND SCTY MISSIONS VIC LIBERTY ROAD SOUTH AND PATROLLING WITH K CO VIC AT8350 AND M CO VIC AT9650. (VC/NVA).

C. 7TH MAR: OPN OKLAHOMA HILLS CONTINUES WITH SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS IN BASE CAMPS LOCATED AND RECON IN FOR BY UNITS IN ASG AOS. 2/7 COND XOPNS WITH E CO VIC AT8163, XF CO VIC AT8062, 8063,

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G CO VIC AT7963, 7964 AND H CO VIC AT7966 AND ZC2066. 3/7(-) COND OPNS WITH I CO VIC ZC1962, 2062, L CO VIC ZC1959/1962, AND M CO OMOVING OVERLAND TO ZC1964 AND COND RECON IN FOR TO ZC2064. 3/26 (REIN) MOVES CP BY HCPTR TO VIC ZC175605 AND COND OPNS WITH I CO VIC ZC1861, K CO VIC ZC1462, L CO VIC ZC175610, K/3/7 VIC ZC175605 AND M CO COND SCTY MISSIONS VIC F5B RATTLESNAKE. 3/51 ARVN BN VIC ZC154575 AND 4/51 VIC ZC125565 COND SEARCH AND CLEAR OPNS. (VCMF/NVA CACHES/INSTALLATIONS).

4. (S) AMERICAL DIV:

A. OPN IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)

1-20 INF CONT REDUCTION FORTIFICATIONS VIC VAN HA (1) VIC (BS798514); COND CORDON AND SEARCH OPNS VIC QUY THIEN (5) VIL (BS872347); AND COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS913267 S DAM ANKHE (BAY). 3-1 INF COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS AND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PLS VIC BS805268 AND FROM BS 755380 TO BS790320 (VCMF/NVA) IN W NUI SANG MTS. 4-21 INF COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BS6346, BS6447, BS6846 IN NUI COI MOUNTAINS VIC SONG VE VALLEY (VCMF/NVA). 4TH ARVN REGT COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS W MO DUC AND CONT SCTY OPNS ON LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC QUANG NGAI.

B. OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH NW BDE/5TH ARVN REGT):

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196TH INF BDE AND 5TH ARVN REGT W/3 BN TF (2 US, 1 ARVN) COND JOINT OPNS VIC ANTENNA VALLEY (VCMF/NVA/BASE AREAS). 1-52 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCH VIC AT9633, AT9538, FROM AT9543 TO AT 9540 TO AT9342 TO AT9340 IN NUI MAT RANG MTS WHILE CONT MANEUVERING INTO ANTENNA VALLEY. 4-31 INF (PLUS) COND INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND SEARCHES VIC AT9435, AT9535, AT9629, AT9428, AT9328 IN NUI CHOM MTS AND CONT MANEUVERING N TOWARDS ANTENNA VALLEY. F TRP 17 CAV W/4/5 ARVN BN COND INTENSIVE SEARCH OPNS VIC AT9336, AT9338, AT9337 IN ANTENNA VALLEY. 3-21 INF (-) COND SEARCHES VIC AT8823 (VCMF/NVA) S HIEP DUC AND CONT SATURATION PTLs VIC BT 1228, BT1227, BT0832, BT0823 IN NUI LIET KIEM

MTS. 1-46 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS FROM BT1305 TO BT1105 AND COND SEARCHES VIC BT2107, BT2207 (VCMF/NVA) IN BASE AREA 117 2-1 INF COND RECON IN FORCE PTLs FROM BT1448 TO BT1350 TO BT1447 (VCMF/VCLF) E DUY XYUEN CTZ AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ. 3/5 ARVN BN CONT SCTY PTLs AND SMAL UNIT SEARCHES VIC QUE SON VALLEY IN SUPPORT PDP. 1/5 ARVN BN COND SCTY OPNS VIC TAM KY.

C. OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT):

1-6 INF SC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI AND COND INTENSIVE SM UNIT PTLs AND AMBUSHES IN ROCKET POCKET/ROCKET RIDGE (VCLF/SUSP MORT/RKT SITES

5-46 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS IN S ROCKET POCKET AND CONT SCTY PTLs
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 VIC BS7885 ON BAIANGAN PENINSULA IN SUPPORT PDP. 4-3 INF(-) CONT SEARCH
 OPNS VIC BS5282 WHILE 2 COS REMAIN OPCON TO 11TH INF BDE. 3/6 ARVN BN
 COND SCTY PTLs VIC LZ DOTIE (BS6385). REMAINDER 6TH ARVN REGT SEC LOC
 AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S AND COND SMALL UNIT
 PTLs IN SW GENEVA PARK OZ.

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 D. OPN FREDERICK HILL (I-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT);
 I-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN; PROVIDE DIV REACTION

FORCE FROM TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI; AND COND PREEMPTIVE OPNS. IM /
 IM E COND INTENDIBE RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BT2350 ON BARRIER ISLAND (VC
 MF/VLCF). C TRP COND SEARCH OPNS W/FF S VIC BS2025 IN PINEAPPLE
 FOREST (VCLF). F TRP 8 CAV COND VR OROCKET BELT AND RESP MSN REQUESTS
 196TH AND 198TH INF BDES.

5. (S) I CORPS:
 A. 1ST ABN DIV:
 (1). 2D ARVN REGT(-) (REINF): IF DUNG CONTINUES PATROL AND
 RIF OPS VIC A-1, A-2 AND OLD A-3(NVA VCLF). 2/2 ARVN (REINF)
 CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS VIC FSB ANGEL AND LZ'S HOLCOMB AND
 SWEET(NVA VCLF). 4/2 (-) CONTINUES RIF OPS N AND W OF C-1
 (NVA VCLF). 3/2 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S AND E OF
 FSB TORCH(NVA).
 (2). 1ST ARVN REGT(REINF): 2/1 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH
 OPS VIC FSB'S HARDCORE AND NANCY(VCLF). 3/1 ARVN CONTINUES
 CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS W OF FSB SWORD ALONG THE SONG O LAU RIVER ND
 SECURES FSB BARBARA(NVA VCLF). 4/1 CONTINUES SEARCH OPS IN
 MY CHANH AO (VCI VCLF). 1/1 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS N OF FSB DAVIS (NVA)

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 (3). 3D ARVN REGT (REINF): 1/3 ARVN CONTINUES HUE SECURITY MISSION.
 4/3 ARVN WITH BLACK PARTNER COMPANY CONTINUES RIF OPS SW OF FSB
 ZON (NVA). 3/3 ARVN CONTINUES RIF OPS OF FSB ZON ALONG ROUTE 547
 (C4895(NVA)). 4/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS S OF FSB
 I-BONE(NVA VCLF). 5/2 ARVN(-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH OPS SW
 OF HUE IN RKT BELT(VCMF VCLF).
 (4). 54 TH ARVN REGT(-) CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH/CORDON OPS
 IN VINH LOC, HUONG THUY, PHU VANG AND PHU THU DISTRICTS(VCI VCLF).
 2/54 ARVN CONTINUES CLEAR AND SEARCH /AMBUSH OPS VIC FSB ANZIO(VCI
 VCLF).
 (5). 7TH ARVN CAV TF: 2/7 ARVN CAV IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3/187
 INF CONTINUES RIF OPS S OF FSB JACK(NVA VCLF). 3/7 ARVN CAV
 CONTINUES RIF OPS NE OF CAMP EVANS(NVA VCLF).
 B. QUANG DA/ NO CHANGE.
 C. 2D ARVN DIV: SEE PARA 4.

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1. (C) REALIGNMENT OF FORCES:

REALIGNMENT OF US/ARVN FORCES COMPLETED FOLLOWING DELAYS DUE TO INCREASED GROUND ACTIVITY AND NVA/VC THREATS TO POP CENTERS. 4-3 INF(-) ARMY TO IRON MOUNTAIN OZ, OPCON 11TH INF BDE, AND INITIATE COMBAT OPNS IN CENTRAL IRON MOUNTAIN OZ. 1-52 INF ARMY TO GENEVA PARK OZ, OPCON TO 198TH INF BDE AND INITIATE COMBAT OPNS VIC TRIANGLE (C/M BS5080).

2. (C) PLANS SUMMARY:

OPERATION IRON MOUNTAIN (11TH INF BDE/4TH ARVN REGT)
1-20 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS, COND DETAILED SEARCHES W/PF'S (VCMF/VCLF) IN S IRON MOUNTAIN OZ AND COND SCTY OPNS ALONRA

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INF CONT INTENSIVE RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES (VCMF/ NVA) VIC SONG VE VALLEY AND NUI COI MTS. 4-3 INF COND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PLS SECURING LOC AND POP CE

CENTRAL IRON MT OZ VIC

DUC PHO CITY AND ALONG COASTAL PLAIN TO NORTH. 4TH ARVN REGT COND COMBAT

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PTLS AND SEARCH OPNS IN N IRON MOUNTAIN VIC QUANG NGAI CITY, NUI HANH, MO DUC AND BASE AREA 121 (VCMF/NVA).N

OPN FREDERICK HILL (196TH INF BDE/5TH ARVN REGT)

2-1 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS AND DETAILED SEARCHES IN NE FREDERICK HILL OZ (VCMF/VCLF/NVA) AND CONT SCTY LOC AND POP CENTERS. 3-21

INF COND SYSTEMATIC COMBAT PTLS IN NUI ONG COM MTS EAST NUI LOC SO CTZ (VCMF/NVA) AND CONT SM UNIT PTLS ALONG SONG KHAN RIVER VALLEY. 4-31 INF

COND SATURATION PTLS VIC NUI LIET KIEM MTS (VCMF/NVA) AND COND RECON INFORCE OPNS ALONG SONG THU BONG RIVER IN SUPPORT PACIFICATION VIC

HIEP DUC VALLEY. 1-46 INF CONT RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC BASE AREA 117 AND CONT SEARCH OPNS SW TIEN PHUOC SF/CIDG CAMP. 3/5 ARVN BN COND RECON

IN FORECE OPNS AND SCTY PTLS IN SUPPORT PACIFICATION VIC QUE SON

DISTRICT HQ'S. 2/5 ARVN BN CONDUCTS RECON IN FORCE VIC FSB YOUNG. 1/5

AND 4/5 ARVN BNS COND OPNS E FREDERICK HILL OZ.

OPN GENEVA PARK (198TH INF BDE/6TH ARVN REGT)

1-6 INF SEC LOC AND BRIDGES N AND W CHU LAI; COND DETAILED SEARCH OPNS (VCLF/SUSP MORT/ROCKET SITES) VIC ROCKET RIDGE AND ROCKET POCKET;

AND CONT SM UNIT PTLS AND SEARCHES (VCLF) IN SUPPORT LY TIN DISTRICT HQ'S. 1-52 INF COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC NUI DAU NE MTS (BS5088)

AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC SONG TRA BONG RIVER. 5-46 INF COND SCTY OPNS IN SUPPORT PDPON BATANGAN PENINSULA MAINTAINING ALLIED PRESENCE

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DURING PHASE 4 OPN RUSSELL BEACH; COND SM UNIT PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN SOUTH ROCKET POCKET; AND COND SCTY OPNS ALONG QL-1. 6TH ARVN REGT

MAINTAIN PRESENCE ON BATANGAN PENINSULA, SEC LZ DOTTIE AND SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS VIC BINH SON DISTRICT HQ'S.

OPN FREDERICK HILL (1-1 CAV/5TH ARVN REGT)

1-1 CAV SEC LOC AND POP CENTERS ALONG COASTAL PLAIN AND CONT AREA RECON; PROVIDE DIV REACTION FORCE FOR TAM KY AND QUANG NGAI CITIES

IN EVENT EN ATKS; AND COND RECON IN FORCE OPNS VIC PINEAPPLE FOREST (VCMF/NVA) TO PREEMPT AREA AND DENY USE TO EN. F TRP 8 CAV RESP MSNS

AS DIRECTED BY AMCAL DIV AND CONT VR ROCKET BELT.

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