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1st Marine Division (REIN) FMF
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28 February 1969

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1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a), (b), and
(c), enclosure (1) is submitted.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

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PART 1

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA1. DESIGNATION

1st Medical Battalion

CAPT J.V. SHARP, MC, USN
1-20 February 1969CAPT J.W. LEA, MC, USNR
20-28 February 1969SUBORDINATE UNITS

H&S Company

LT A.E. MCCONNELL, MSC, USN
1-10 February 1969LCDR W.L. WEIDNER, MSC, USN
10-28 February 1969

Company A

CDR J.C. O'BRIEN, MC, USNR
1-28 February 1969

Company B

LCDR S.D. WILSON, MC, USNR
1-28 February 1969

Company C

LCDR J.E. WILLIAMS, MC, USN
1-28 February 1969

Company D

LCDR J.B. POWELL, MC, USNR
1-28 February 19692. LOCATION

1st Medical Battalion

1-28 February 1969 DaNang, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Director of Professional Services

CDR C.L. MORE, MC, USNR
1-28 February 1969

Executive Officer

LCDR W.L. WEIDNER, MSC, USN
1-28 February 1969

Adjutant/S-1

LT A.E. MCCONNELL, MSC, USN
1-28 February 1969

S-2/S-3 Officer

1st LT R.G. CHARLES
1-13 February 19691st LT J.R. KNAPP
14-28 February 1969

OIC, Preventive Medicine Section

CDR L.R. KAUFMAN, MSC USN
1-16 February 1969LT C.A. PRICE, MSC, USN
16-28 February 1969

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S-4 Officer

LT R.L. PAYTON MSC USN
1-8 February 1969

S-5 Officer

LTJG G.S. WINDHAM, MSC, USN
8-28 February 1969

MT Officer

LTJG J.R. STEINER, MSC, USN
1-28 February 1969

MT Officer

1st LT G.W. SUTHERLAND, USMC
1-7 February 1969LT R.L. PAYTON, MSC, USN
8-14 February 19692nd LT J.R. VODAR, USMC
15-28 February 1969

Medical Supply Officer

LTJG J.R. STEINER, MSC, USN
1-28 February 1969

Organic Supply Officer

1st LT D.S. LENN, USMC
1-28 February 19694. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

<u>USN</u>		<u>USMC</u>	
<u>OFFICER</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>	<u>OFFICER</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
40	250	3	150

5. HOSPITAL STATISTICS

<u>ADMISSIONS</u>			
<u>DA-CI</u>	<u>NON-Battle</u>	<u>DISEASE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>Battle Casualties</u>	107	232	671
<u>332</u>			

<u>OUTPATIENT VISITS</u>	
	1390

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. During February 1969, the 1st Medical Battalion continued to execute its mission of providing medical support to the Division. The major improvement in the physical Facilities of the cantonment during this period was the installation of three(3) transformers which will provide more constant power for the Operating Rooms, X-Ray and the general cantonment.
2. One platoon (rein) of "A" Company continued to be located at the An Hoa Combat Base in support of Task Force Yankee which was conducting Operation Taylor Common.

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PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

13 February 1969 - Actor Sebastian CABOT visited patients hospitalized at 1st Medical Battalion.

19 February 1969 - HML Richard B. KEELER was presented the Navy Accommodation medal.
HMJ Gilbert A. HUBBARD was presented the Navy Achievement medal. Both awards were presented by Capt. J.V. SHARP.

20 February 1969 - All Marines assigned to the 1st Medical Battalion were presented a letter of appreciation by Capt. J.V. SHARP.

20 February 1969 - Change of Command Ceremony was held at 1st Medical Battalion. Capt. J.V. SHARP, MC, USN was relieved as Battalion Commander by Capt. J.W. LEA, MC USNR.

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