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1st Marine Division (-) FMF
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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Division FMF
(Attn: AC of S, G-3 Field Historian)
Subj: Command Chronology for the period of 1 September
through 30 September 1970
Ref: (a) MCO 5750.2 Series
(b) FMF PACO 5750.8 Series
(c) DivO 5750.2 Series

Encl: (1) First Medical Battalion Command Chronology

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

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1ST MED BN

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 September 1970 through 30 September 1970

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PART I
ORGANIZATION DATA

1. DESIGNATION

CDR W. A. ELLIOT MC USN
1-30 September 1970

SUBORDINATE UNITS

H&S COMPANY

LCDR K. L. DARR MSC USN
1-29 September 1970

LCDR S. C. STRINGHAM MSC USN
30 September 1970

COMPANY "A"

LCDR R. P. PAULEY MC USN
1-30 September 1970

COMPANY "B"

LCDR K. W. EDER MC USN
1-30 September 1970

COMPANY "D"

LCDR G. R. LOONEY MC USN
1-30 September 1970

2. LOCATION

DaNang, RVN
1-30 September 1970

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Director of Professional
Service

LCDR C. S. BROWN MC USN
1-2 September 1970

LCDR W. A. J. MACLEOD MC USN
3-30 September 1970

Executive Officer

LCDR K. L. DARR MSC USN
1-29 September 1970

LCDR S. C. STRINGHAM MSC USN
30 September 1970

Adjutant/S-1

LT(jg) B. T. SPARKS MSC USN
1-30 September 1970

S-2/S-3 Officer -

CAPT C. B. BERRYMAN USMC
1-30 September 1970

S-4 Officer

LT E. HOLSTIEN MSC USN
1-30 September 1970

S-5 Officer

LT(jg) R. D. NORVELL MSC USN
1-30 September 1970

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MT Officer

2ndLT J. B. RACSTER USMC
1-30 September 1970

OIC, PMS

LCDR S. C. STRINGHAM MSC USN
1-30 September 1970

Medical Supply Officer

LT(jg) A. DAVIS MSC USN
1-30 September 1970

Organic Supply Officer

1stLT R. J. RANK USMC
1-30 September 19704. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

<u>USN</u>		<u>USMC</u>	
<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>	<u>OFFICERS</u>	<u>ENLISTED</u>
44	222	3	173

5. HOSPITAL STATISTICS

<u>ADMISSIONS</u>			
<u>BATTLE CASUALTIES</u>	<u>NON-BATTLE</u>	<u>DISEASE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
133	99	417	649

OUTPATIENT VISITS

3249

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PART II

1. During the month of September 1970, the 1st Medical Battalion continued to execute it's mission of providing medical support to the 1st Marine Division, and further, continued to extend it's efforts in support of the Division's Civic Action program by conducting MEDCAPS in designated Villages, Hamlets, Hospitals, and Orphanages.

2. Preparations for the embarkation and redeployment of "C" Company, 1st Medical Battalion continued through the month of September. Emphasis during this period was placed on mobile loading plans and the preparation of accurate and complete mechanized embarkation data system (MEDS) cards. Also accomplished was limited Technical Inspections (LTI's) on all rolling stock, and agricultural inspections were held on all material. Major General K. F. WIDDECKE, Commanding General, 1st Marine Division, inspected all "C" Company equipment on 27 September, 1970. All "C" Company equipment was moved from the 1st Medical Battalion cantonment to the Deep Water Pier, DaNang on the evening of 27 September, 1970, to await shipping expected in early October.

PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

15 September 1970	Colonel BERNSTEIN toured the Hospital
21 September 1970	Colonel SCHACKER (President Reserve Officer Association) toured the Hospital
27 September 1970	Major General WIDDECKE presented the Meritorious Unit Citation to the 1st Medical Battalion

PART IV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. None.

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