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1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF  
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From: Commanding Officer  
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF

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## PART I

**ORGANIZATIONAL DATA**

**1. DESIGNATION**

First Motor Transport Battalion      Lt Col Billy E. WILSON 1-31 July 1969  
First Marine Division (Rein), FMF

**SUBORDINATE UNITS**

**NONE**

**ATTACHED UNITS**

## **NOTE**

## 2. LOCATION

Camp Pardus, DaNang, Republic of Vietnam 1-31 July 1969

### 3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer:	Major D. C. PEASE	1-31 July 1969
Sergeant Major:	Sgt. Maj. H. V. HAYNES	1-31 July 1969
S-1/Legal0/Adj:	Capt. J. J. MCGRAW	1-31 July 1969
S-3/NBC DefenseOr:	Capt. R. W. HILL	1-31 July 1969
S-3A/CommO:	2nd Lt H. J. REILYKE	1-8 July 1969
CommO:	Capt. R. W. HILL	9-31 July 1969
S-4:	1st Lt C. E. COX	1-31 July 1969
S-5:	1st Lt J. J. ABBATTISTA	1-31 July 1969
SupplyOr:	CWO-2 W. F. COCHRAN	1-31 July 1969

#### 4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

<u>USMC</u>	ENL	<u>USN</u>	ENL	<u>OTHER</u>	ENL
OFF 16	284	OFF 1	5	OFF 0	0

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

The 1st Motor Transport Battalion performed routine combat logistical functions within the 1st Marine Division TAOR. The battalion traveled 92,873 miles, transported 8,651 tons of general cargo, and transported 63,887 troops. The 1st Motor Transport Battalion remains in support of 1st Marine, 5th Marine, 7th Marine, and 26th Marine Regiments.

PART III

LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

There were no combat losses of personnel or equipment for the month of July.

Non-combat losses consisted of 2 enlisted. Both were evacuated for medical reasons other than injuries.

A total of 14 personnel from this battalion availed themselves of the R&R program during the month of July.

Personnel rotated during the month of July; 2 USMC Officers, 1 USN Officer, 16 USMC Enlisted, and 1 USN Enlisted.

Replacements received for the month of July; 2 USMC Officers, and 11 USMC Enlisted.

During the month of July 2 personnel were recommended for the Bronze Star Medal, 2 personnel were recommended for the Navy Commendation Medal, and 5 personnel were recommended for the Navy Achievement Medal.

Promotions for the month of July were 2 E-3 to E-4, 12 E-2 to E-3.

General JASKILKA presented 10,000 Miles Safe Driving Awards to Cpl BRIDGEMAN, Cpl SAJDAK, and SSgt FOSTER.

During the month of July Division G-3 training inspected the battalion training records.

During the month of July 1st Motor Transport Battalion acquired the use of warehouse #9504. Sixteen (16) refrigerators were acquired for use in the Officer and SNCO quarters. Blacktopping of the motor pool areas has been postponed until mid-August.

A total of 9 Medcaps were held by this battalion during the month of July at Dong Phuoc village. Treatment was provided for 376 persons.

Twice during the month of July visits were made to Dong Phuoc village for the purpose of passing out pamphlets and showing Pysops films.

Materials supplied to Phuoc Thanh Orphanage and Dong Phuoc village during the month of July consisted of 7 truck loads of wood, roofing tin, and sand.

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