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HEADQUARTERS

1st Motor Transport Battalion  
1st Marine Division(-)(Rein)FMF  
Camp Pendleton, California 92055

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From: Commanding Officer  
To: Commandant of the Marine Corps (Code HD)  
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Subj: Command Chronology for the Period 1 April 1971 to  
13 April 1971

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Encl: (1) 1st Motor Transport Battalion Command Chronology  
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(1) is submitted.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

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**PART I**

**ORGANIZATIONAL DATA**

**1. DESIGNATION**

**COMMANDER**

Headquarters  
1st Motor Transport Battalion  
1st Marine Division(-)(Rein)FMF  
Camp Pendleton, California 92055

Maj J. A. GALIZIO  
1 April - 13 April 1971

**SUBORDINATE UNITS**

Headquarters and Service Company  
1st Motor Transport Battalion

1stLt R. A. BRIGGS  
1 April - 13 April 1971

Company "A"  
1st Motor Transport Battalion

Capt P. MCCANN  
1 April - 13 April 1971

Company "B"  
1st Motor Transport Battalion

1stLt D. M. CLAY  
1 April - 13 April 1971

**2. LOCATION**

1st Motor Transport Battalion embarked on the USS Duluth  
LPD 6  
Company "A", 1st Motor Transport Battalion, FLC, Danang, RVN

**3. STAFF OFFICERS**

S-1/Adjutant/Legal Officer

1stLt M. H. FLANNERY  
1 April - 13 April

S-3

1stLt J. F. MCCLOSKEY  
1 April - 13 April 1971

S-4/Supply Officer

1stLt J. JORDAN  
1 April - 13 April 1971

**4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH**

USMC  
Off Enl  
7 18

USN  
Off Enl  
0 1

OTHER  
Off Enl  
0 0

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## PART II

## NARRATIVE SUMMARY

On 1 April 1971, Headquarters and Service Company and B Company, 1st Motor Transport Battalion, with a total of forty-eight (48) vehicles and twenty-six (26) personnel, departed Da Nang, RVN. The vehicles and twenty-one (21) personnel were embarked on the USS Duluth LPD 6 sailing on 1 April 1971 with an expected CONUS ETA of 17 April 1971. Five (5) personnel including the Battalion Commander departed by means of government air on 1 April 1971, reporting in to the Commanding General, 5th Marine Amphibious Brigade on 3 April 1971.

3 April 1971. A Company, 1st Motor Transport Battalion remained in RVN, located at FLC. The company was ADCON to Headquarters Battalion, 1st Marine Division and OPCON to 1st Marine Division. A Company possessed a total of eighty-one (81) vehicles and ninety-seven (97) personnel.

### PART III

## SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1 April 1971 Embarked on the USS Duluth LPD-6

3 April 1971 Commanding Officer's party arrived at  
Camp Pendleton

## PART IV

## **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

None