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OPERATION ORDER: 537-69
PATROL: RING BROOM, CO. D
DEBRIEFER: SSGT WILSON
MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000; AMS 17014
SHEET 6641 III

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
DA NANG, RVN.
241115H JUN 69

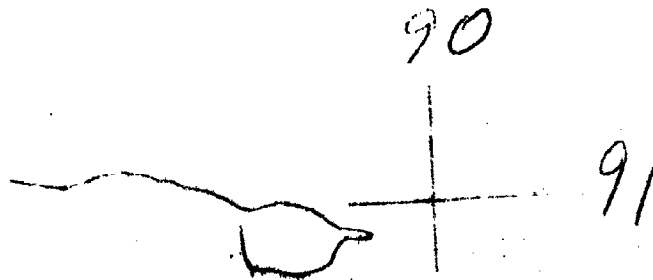
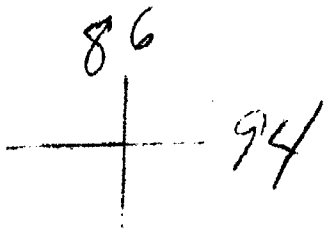
PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 HRC-25'S; 1 TX50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14; 1 M-79; 4 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO DETERMINE ENEMY ACTIVITY, TRAIL ROUTES, HARBOR SITES AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 211015H/241100H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 73 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO RM'S WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA WAS GENERALLY STEEP; 20-30' CANOPY; 3' SECONDARY GROWTH OF VINES AND SHRUBS; MOVEMENT WAS MODERATE AND WATER WAS PLENTIFUL.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ VIC. AT897908 GOOD 1xCH46 OF LOW SHRUBS; EXTRACT LZ SAME AS INSERT; TRAIL VIC. AR877912 RUNNING SE-NW, 2' WIDE AND LIGHTLY USED; OP VIC. AT895900 GOOD OBSERVATION TO THE N-E AND IS EASILY DEFENDABLE; COMM WAS GOOD WITH X-RAY.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

SGT ARMENTI
RING BROOK, CO. D
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT	ARMENTI	2251199
CPL	NEVEN	2276532
CPL	GERDIG	2454030
LCPL	CAREY	2459919
LCPL	WARFIELD	2369886
LCPL	HODGE	2304542
PFC	ATKISON	2521145
LM3	HORN	0505153

PATROL OVERLAY

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(b) BnO P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of Engagement)
(e) BnWarning order # 538-69

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Call Sign: PADDLE BOAT B-2-2

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1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PADDLE BOAT
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible enemy troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy base camps and supply routes.
3. Execution: Depart Haven on 21 June, insert Haven (UL ZC0087 LR ZC0285) Extract on 24 June within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).
4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 43.65 Alt: 35.95
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
HEADCOLD 63.10

Team leaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle sheets. Shackle Sheets will be turned into S&C immediately after De-brief.

Radio Relay: BALANCE X-RAY

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 (d) 1stMarDivO P00330.2 (Rules of engagement)
 (e) BnWarning Order #539-69

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Call Sign: GRASS ROOTS E-3-1

UNCLASSIFIED

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy base camps and supply routes.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on ²⁵~~22~~ Jun; insert Haven (UL ZC0687 IR ZC0885) Extract on ~~24~~ Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in References (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 43.65 Alt: 35.95
 Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
 HEADCOLD 63.10

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Radio Relay: BALANCE X-RAY

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OPERATION ORDER: 539-69
 PATROL: GRASS ROOTS, CO. E
 DEBRIEFER: CPL SIZEMORE
 MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000, AMS 17014
 SHEET 6541 II

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
 DA NANG, RVN.
 201320H JUN 69

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND SUPPLY ROUTES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 250930H/281300H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 75 HOURS WITH 1 SIGHTING OF 3 VC/NVA. NO FM'S WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

270805H VIC. ZC068860 3 VC/NVA MOVING ACROSS RIVER WEARING GREEN UTILITIES AND CARRYING PACKS, RIFLES AND CARTRIDGE BELTS. VC/NVA OBSERVED TEAM AND MOVED OUT OF AREA.
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA WAS GENERALLY STEEP; 30-40' CANOPY; 10' SECONDARY GROWTH OF VINES AND BAMBOO; MOVEMENT WAS MODERATE AND WATER WAS PLENTIFUL.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ VIC. ZC083854 POOR 1xCH46 OF 3' BAMBOO; EXTRACT LZ VIC. ZC083862 GOOD 1xCH46 OF 2' GRASS; TRAIL VIC. ZC073858 RUNNING E-W, 3' WIDE AND RECENTLY USED; COMM WAS POOR WITH X-RAY.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

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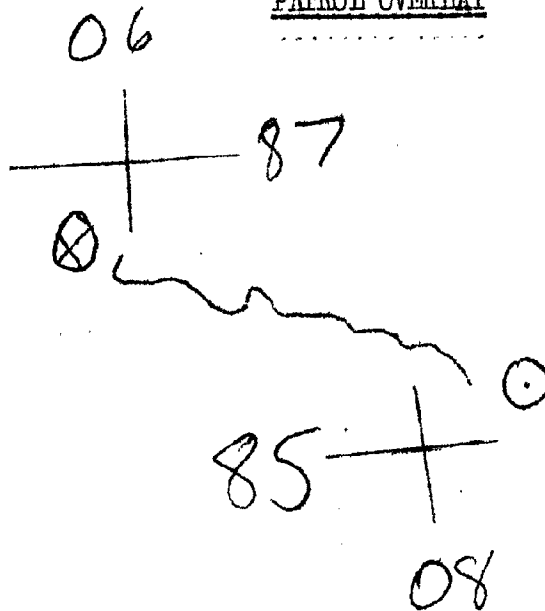
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CPL HEAD
GRASS ROOT, CO. E
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL	HEAD	2428580
CPL	GILBERT	2469423
PFC	HUDSON	2494485
PFC	MCCOMBS	2446583
IN	LATSON	D834704
PFC	FERRELL	2472342
PFC	RINGBLOOM	2455157
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PATROL OVERLAY



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OPERATION ORDER # 540-69

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180930H June 1969

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(b) BnO P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order #540-69

Call Sign: DESK WORK E-2-1

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1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PER'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate elements of the 111st NVA Regt and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 21 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT7973 IR AT8371) Extract on 25 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 35.95 Alt: 43.65
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
HEADCOLD 63.10

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Radio Relay: BALANCE ROMEO

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OPERATION ORDER: 540-69
 PATROL: DESK WORK, CO E
 DEBRIEFER: CPL STURDIVANT
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000 AMS L7014
 SHEET 6640 III

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN
 DA NANG, RVN
 251645H JUNE 69

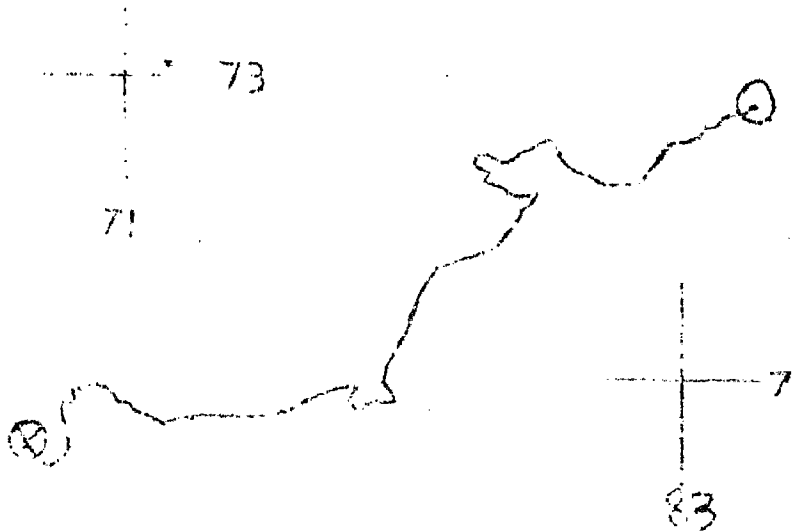
PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-34, 2 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ELEMENTS OF THE 141ST NVA REGIMENT AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 211600H/251600H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 96 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS AND CONTACT. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY STEEP. CANOPY 25-30'; SECONDARY 10-25' CONSISTING OF VINES AND SHRUBS. MOVEMENT WAS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT IZ: VIC. DA NA EXTRACT IZ: VIC. AT 834728, HOIST ZONE. TRAILS: VIC. AT 815725 E-4E, 4' WIDE, NOT RECENTLY USED. COMM: COMM WAS GOOD WITH ROMEO.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: FAIR
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: TAKE PLENTY OF WATER, AND DON'T TAKE A SCOUT DOG.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

S/SGT PRESTON
DESK WORK, CO. E.
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

S/SGT	PRESTON	2026699
PFC	VIZANEY	2463823
CPL	JACKSON	2389844
PFC	RIVARD	2485061
L/CPL	THOMAS	2443438
PFC	COOL	2496908
PFC	STONE	2502574
HM3	LANCASTER	B312855

PATROL OVERLAY

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OPERATION ORDER # 541-69

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 DA NANG, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM
 181100H Jun 1969 **64069**

- Ref: (a) Map(s), Vietnam, Sheet(s) 6640 IV, 6540 I
 (b) BnO P03000.4
 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
 (e) BnWarning Order #541-69

Call Sign: BEECH NUT D-1-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and supply caches.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 21 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZC2164 LR AT8162) Extract on 21 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 35.95 Alt: 43.65
 Artillery: ALL FFP'S WILL GO THROUGH
 HEADCOLD 63.10

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Radio Relay: BALANCE ROMEO

F. M. Porpotage
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 By direction

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OPERATION ORDER: 541-69
PATROL: BEECH NUT, CO D.
DEBRIEFER: CPL PAGE
MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS 17014
SHEETS, 6640 IV, 6540 I

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
DA NANG, RVN
261400H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 8 INF, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRG-25, 1 7750
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED AREA TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND SUPPLY CACHES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 231030H/261330H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 75 HOURS WITH 1 SIGHTING OF 2 VC/NVA. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

2 VC/NVA MOVING WEST TOWARD WATER, WEARING DARK BLUE SLIMES AND SHORTS, AND CARRYING RIFLES AND PAGES.
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY ROLLING. CANOPI, NONE, SECONDARY 10-15' CONSISTING OF HIGH THICK ELEPHANT GRASS. MOVEMENT WAS EASY AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT 12: VIC. VC 216643 GOOD 1 CH-46; ELEPHANT GRASS. EXTRACT 12: VIC. AT 809632, GOOD 1 CH-46; ELEPHANT GRASS. OP'S: VIC. AT 807623 GOOD OBSERVATION IN 360, HILL 1025, EASILY DEFENDABLE. COMM: COMM WAS GOOD WITH ROUTE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

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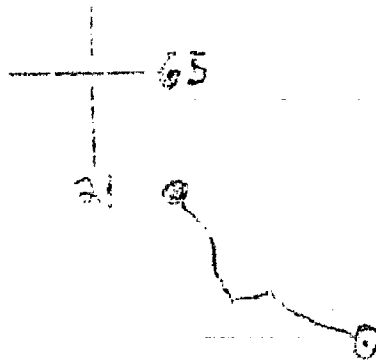
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CPL GRIFFIN
BEECHNUT, CO. D.
PARADE LEADER

15. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL	GRIFFIN	2122776
ISPL	WUCHER	2425819
ISPL	COOK	2509110
CPL	MCLEAN	2402924
PCU	MALEEN	2175823
PAC	QUIGLEY	2358752
IM3	DALLA	3838292
PAC	DUANE	2256042
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(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order# 543-69

Call Sign: SAND HURST E-3-4

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1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current O. SUM'S & PIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 22 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT9142 LR AT9440)
Extract on 25 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in References (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
PONY BOY 72.90

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Radio Relay: BALANCE ZULU

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PATROL: SANDHURST, CO B
DEBRIEFER: CPL PAGE
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000 AMS 17014
SHEET 6640 III

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN
DA NANG, RVN
251315H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: N/A
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7x50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 4 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SEARCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 221015H/251315H JUNE 69
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 7 1/2 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTING AND CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA IS GENERALLY ROLLING WITH CANOPY 50-60'. SECONDARY GROWTH 10-20' CONSISTING OF VINES, ELEPHANT GRASS. MOVEMENT IS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ AT932418 GOOD 1xCH46 6-8' ELEPHANT GRASS. EXTRACT LZ AT949406 1xCH46 SMALL ELEPHANT GRASS. COMM WAS GOOD WITH ZULU.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

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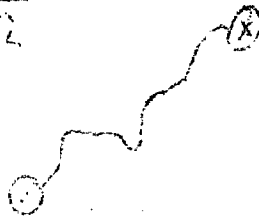
BGT FENNYCH
PATROL LEADER
SAND HURST, CO E

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT FENNYCH	2058628
PFC ROSS	2443634
LCPL HOWARD	2431151
LCPL DESAIE	2432270
CPL BLANTON	2094967
HM3 ROCHA	0838623
PFC SIMKINS	2413725
PFC MCPHERSON	2475803

PATROL OVERLAY

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(c) 1stMarDivO B3000.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order # 544-69

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Call Sign: RIDGE BEAM C-1-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPS.M'S & FIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 23 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZC1948 LR ZC2145) Extract on 26 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and Verbal

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
PONY BOY 72.90

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Radio Relay: BATA NCEZULU

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PATROL: RIDGE BEAM
DEBRIEFER: SSGT WILSON
MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS L7014
SHEET 6540 I

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
DA NANG, RVN.
261625H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 231200H/261550H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 76 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS AND CONTACT. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY ROLLING. THERE WAS NO CANOPY, SECONDARY 12' CONSISTING OF ELEPHANT GRASS. MOVEMENT WAS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: VIC. AT 796454 GOOD, 1 CH-46, LOW GRASS 3'. EXTRACT LZ: VIC. ZC 205455, GOOD 1 CH-46, LOW GRASS. TRAILS: VIC. ZC 205457, 2' WIDE, SW-NE, WELL USED. OP'S: VIC. HILL 214, GOOD OBSERVATION IN 360, NOT EASILY DEFENDABLE. COMM: COMM WAS POOR WITH ZULU.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: NONE
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

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CPL MORELL
RIDGE BEAM, CO C.
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL	MORELL	2317423
PFC	WHEELER	2455166
PFC	CHRISTENSON	2400705
PFC	MARTIN	2440459
HM2	GALLE	B701559
LCPL	NASECAWPOW	2443825
PFC	CHERRY	2447225

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OPERATION ORDER # 515-69

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Ref: (a) Map(s), Vietnam, Sheet(s), 6640 III
 (b) BnO P03000.4
 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
 (e) BnWarning Order# 545-69

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Call Sign: NAIL BRUSH E-2-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PLANS
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit routes and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on ²⁴26 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT9235 LR AT9535 to Extract on 26 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are AT9333 contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Com/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
 Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
 PONY BOY 72.90

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The leaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle Sheets. Shackle Sheets will be turned into S&C immediately after De-brief.

Radio Relay: BALANCE ALFA

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OPERATION ORDER: 515-69 1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
 PATROL: NAIL BRUSH, CO. E. DA NANG, RVN.
 DEBRIEFER: CPL PAGE 271235H JUNE 1969
 MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS L70114
 SHEET 66110 III

PATROL REPORT

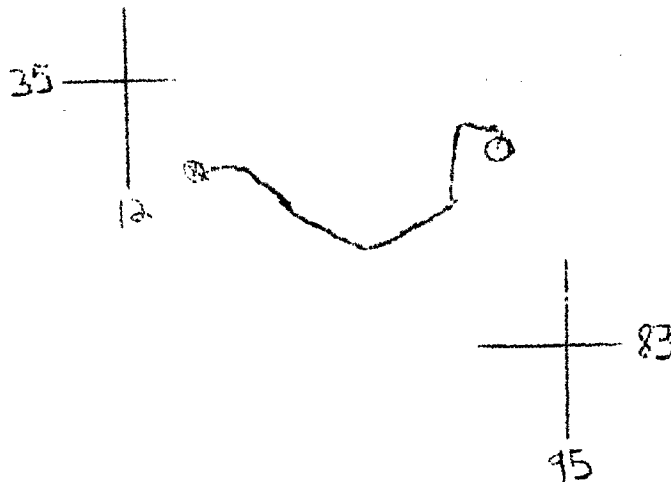
1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY TRANSIT ROUTES AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 210930H/271030H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 73 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS AND CONTACT. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN IS GENERALLY STEEP. CANOPY 15'-20', SECONDARY 3-4' CONSISTING OF FERNS. MOVEMENT IS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: VIC. AT 935345 GOOD 1 CH-46, CUT BY PREVIOUS PATROL. EXTRACT LZ: VIC. AT 914244, GOOD 1 CH-46, CUT BY TEAM. TRAILS: VIC. AT 920319, N-S, WELL USED. VIC. AT 925345, N-S, 2", WELL USED. OP'S: VIC. AT 936342 GOOD OBSERVATION OF VALLEY, NOT EASILY DEFENDABLE. COMM: COMM WAS POOR WITH ALPHA. MISC: VIC. AT 935343 TEAM FOUND HOOTH AND 15' LONG HOLE, BOTH DESTROYED BY ARTY.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: FAIR

CPL FISH
 NAIL BRUSH, CO. E.
 PATROL LEADER

10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL	FISH	2235812
LCPL	SUSSEX	2483485
PFC	MARTINEZ	2434731
LCPL	RAGHU	2232834
PFC	OLSEN	2463670
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(b) Bn P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDiv P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDiv P003330.2 (rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order # 546-69

Call Sign: MELODY TIME E-1-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INISUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit routes.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 22 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT8166 LR AT8164) Extract on 25 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 37.30 Alt: 35.40
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
HEADGOLD 63.10

Tm leaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle sheets. Shackle Sheets will be turned into SSC immediately after De-brief.

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OPERATION ORDER: 546-69
 PATROL: MELODY TIME, CO. E.
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 MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS 17014
 SHEET 6640 IV

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
 DA NANG, RVN.
 261515H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES.
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY TRANSIT ROUTES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 231100H/261500H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 76 HOURS WITH 1 SIGHTING OF CONTINUOUS 50 CALIBER MG FIRE, AND 1 INCIDENT IN WHICH TEAM BELIEVED THEY MAY HAVE BEEN RECORDED BY ENEMY FIRE. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

231225H VIC. AT 829839 TEAM HEARD APPROXIMATELY 20 ROUNDS OF AUTOMATIC FIRE. PATROL LEADER BELIEVED THEY MAY HAVE BEEN RECORDED BY ENEMY FIRE.

241100H VIC. AT 8464 TEAM HEARD CONTINUOUS 50 CALIBER MG FIRE FOR 3 HOURS.
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY ROLLING. CANOPY, NONE, SECONDARY 10-15' CONSISTING OF ELEPHANT GRASS. MOVEMENT WAS MODERATE AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT 12: VIC. AT 829839 POOR, 1 CH-46; ON SLOPE, ELEPHANT GRASS. EXTRACT 12: VIC. AT 827846, POOR, 1 CH-46, HIGH BAMBOO. TRAILS: VIC. AT 820641 E-W, 2' WIDE, WELL USED. COMM: COMM WAS GOOD WITH ROMEQ.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: NONE
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD

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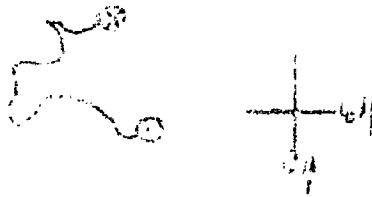
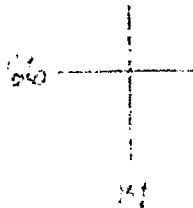
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L/CPL MAZIQUE
MELODY TIME, CO. B.
PATROL LEADER

10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE
12. COMMENTS BY THE DETRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

LCPL	MAZIQUE	2413690
LCPL	WILL	2473279
PFC	WASH	2455596
PFC	GARCIA	2428222
PFC	JOHNSON	2465440
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(b) BnO P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivC P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order # 548-69

Call Sign: REPORT CARD B-1-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INT UM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit and supply routes.

3. Executions: Depart LZ 401 on 24 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT8085 LR AT8182) Extract on 28 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Com/Electronics: Primary Freq: 35.40 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
HEADCOLD 63.10

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Tm loaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle sheets. Shackle sheets will be turned into S&C immediately after De-brief:

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OPERATION ORDER: 548-69
PATROL: REPORT CARD, CO. B
DEBRIEFER: CPL SIZEMORE
MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000; AMS L7014
SHEET 6641 III

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
DA NANG, RVN.
280850H JUN 69

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 ERC-25'S, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY TRANSIT AND SUPPLY ROUTES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 240800H/280845H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 96½ HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO EM'S WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA WAS GENERALLY STEEP; 20-30' CANOPY; 5-12' SECONDARY GROWTH OF VINES AND GRASS; MOVEMENT WAS MODERATE AND WATER WAS PLENTIFUL.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ VIC. AT837828 DONG DIEN; EXTRACT LZ VIC. AT826804 GOOD 1XCH46 OF 5-6' GRASS; TRAIL VIC. AT823817 RUNNING NW-SE, 1' WIDE AND RECENTLY USED; OP VID. AT824805 PROVIDES GOOD OBSERVATION TO THE E-S AND IS EASILY DEFENDABLE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NO RECENT SIGNS OF ENEMY ACTIVITY IN AREA.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

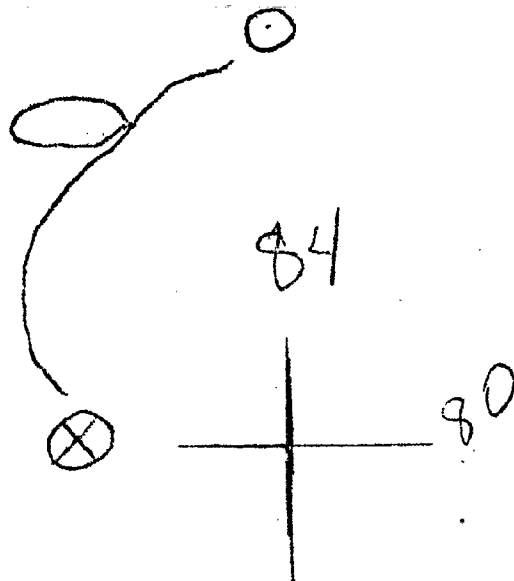
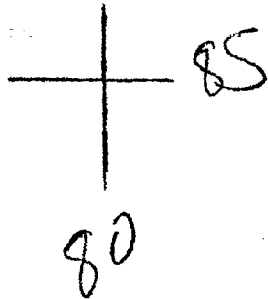
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SGT SCHILLING
REPORT CARD, CO. B
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT	SCHILLING	2232820
LCPL	TORVEND	2444292
LCPL	DIPAOLO	2454802
PFC	WOHLMAN	2438682
PFC	BERPICH	2478398
PFC	AVERY	2383582
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(b) BnO P03000.1
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P09300.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order # 549-69

Call Sign: MOOSE PEAK B-3-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operation within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 21 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZC1450 LR ZC1647) Extract on 27 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
PONY BOY 72.90

Tm leaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle sheets. Shackle Sheets will be turned into SFC immediately after De-brief.

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OPERATION ORDER: 549-69
 PATROL: MOOSE PEAK, CO E.
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT WILSON
 MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS 17014
 SHEET 6540 I.

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
 DA NANG, RVN.
 281250H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 8 ENL
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS:
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 251210H/281230H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 71½ HOURS WITH 2 SIGHTINGS OF 25 HOOTCHES WITH BUNKERS, AND 1 VC/NVA VILLAGE. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

260805H VIC. ZC 154492 VC/NVA VILLAGE OF 11 HOOTCHES. AT LEAST 6 TRAILS LEAD INTO VILLAGE. HOOTCHES WERE 8' WIDE, 10' LONG, AND 8' HIGH. ALL HOOTCHES HAD BUNKERS. USED IN LAST 4-6 MONTHS.

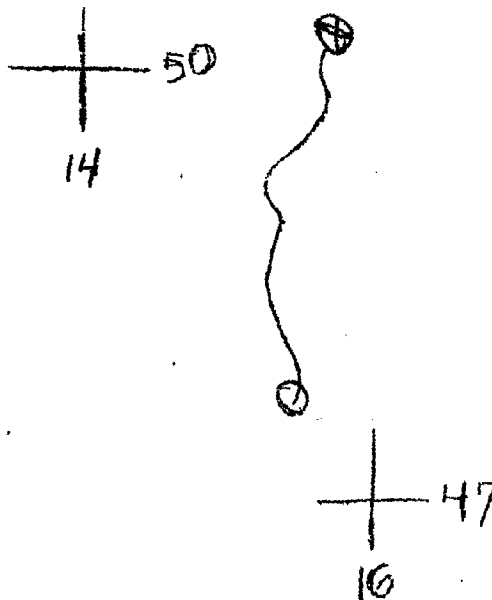
261031H VIC. ZC 154487 25 HOOTCHES WITH BUNKERS. FOUND 16 82MM ROUNDS IN ONE BUNKER. HOOTCHES ARE 8' X 10' X 8'. HOOTCHES LAST USED 4-5 MONTHS AGO.
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY STEEP. CANOPY 20-30', SECONDARY 10-15' CONSISTING OF THICK VINES, BAMBOO, AND SHRUBS. MOVEMENT WAS EASY AND THERE IS WATER ONLY IN THE LOW GROUND.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT IZ: ZC 159501 GOOD 1 CH-46, BOMBED OUT AREA. EXTRACT IZ: ZC 156474 ~~IZ~~ 1 CH-46, BOMBED OUT AREA WITH STUMPS. TRAILS: VIC. ZC 154487 2 TRAILS INTERSECTING NE-SW, AND W-E, 4' WIDE, WELL USED. COMM: COMM WAS GOOD WITH ROMEO.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A

CPL FARRELL
MOOSE PEAK, CO. B.
PATROL LEADER

9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER INDICATES THERE IS NO ENEMY ACTIVITY IN THE AREA.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL	FARRELL	2426567
CPL	HENRI	2278038
LCPL	LUNA	2483073
PLC	MEJIA	2450908
PLC	LONDON	2457334
LCPL	HERD	2421791
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PATROL OVERLAY



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 (b) BnO P03000.4
 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
 (e) InWarning Order # 550-69

Call Sign: SERVICEMAN B-2-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit and supply routes.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 24 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZC268 LR A08166) Extract on 27 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 37.30 Alt: 35.10
 Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
 HEADCOLD 63.10

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Tm leaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle sheets. Shackle Sheets will be turned into S&C immediately after De-brief.

Radio Relay: BALANCE ROMEO

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 By direction

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OPERATION ORMER: 550-69
 PATROL: SERVICE MAN, CO B
 DEBRIEFER: CPL STURDIVENT

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN
 DA NANG, RVN
 271030H JUNE 69

REFS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000 AMS L7014
 SHEET 6640 IV & 6540 I

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:

- A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
- B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: N/A
- C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7x50
- D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES

2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY TRANSIT AND SUPPLY ROUTES.

3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 240830/271000H JUNE 69

4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY

5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 73½ HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS AND CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS WERE CALLED.

6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:

A. ENEMY: N/A

B. TERRAIN: AREA IS GENERALLY STEEP, CANOPY 40-50' SECONDARY GROWTH 6-8' CONSISTING OF VINES, SHRUBS AND ELEPHANT GRASS. MOVEMENT IS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ AT805668 GOOD 1xCH46 LOW GRASS. EXTRACT LZ ZC210665 GOOD 1xCH46 LOW GRASS 3-5'. COMM WAS GOOD WITH ROMEO.

8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A

9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD

10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE

11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A

12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

SGT SMARSTY
 PATROL LEADER
 SERVICE MAN, CO B

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT SMARSTY	2060147
LCPL CURTIS	2405401
LCPL OSTRANDER	2474148
PFC MORGAN	2434754
PFC DOWNIE	2464142
PFC SMITH	2470628
PFC KERIVAN	2408487
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(b) BNO P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P03330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) Warning Order #551-69

Call Sign: PADDLE BOAT B-2-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PLAN'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 24 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT8894 LR AT9091) Extract on 27 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 45.40 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FIRMS WILL GO THROUGH
HEADCOLD 63.10

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Tn leaders will ensure that no patrol member draws or carries more than three day(s) of shackle sheets. Shackle Sheets will be turned into S&C immediately after De-brief.

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OPERATION ORDER: 551-69

PATROL: PADDLE BOAT

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MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS L7014

SHEET 6641 III

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.

DA NANG, RVN.

261300H June 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 240730H/261200H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 52½ HOURS WITH 3 SIGHTINGS OF 1 BUCKSHAW BOOBY TRAP, AND 6 VC/NVA SUSPECTS. THE SUSPECTS WERE TAKEN PRISONER. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

240815H VIC. AT 901927 1 105 ROUND, BOOBY TRAPPED. TEAM MOVED AROUND BOOBY TRAP.

251700H VIC. AT 886930 1 BUCKSHAW, 6'. BUCKSHAW HAD 1 HOLE IN IT AND WAS LYING ON TRAIL.

260745H VIC. AT 885934 TEAM WAS IN HARBOR SITE WHEN THEY HEARD MOVEMENT AND SPOTTED 1 VC/NVA SUSPECT FOLLOWING THE TEAMS CLAYMORE WIRE. THE SUSPECT WALKED INTO THE TEAMS HARBOR SITE AND WAS TAKEN PRISONER. TEAM THEN HEARD 2 MORE SUSPECTS YELLING FOR PRISONER BY NAME. THE 2 SUSPECTS MOVED TOWARDS TEAMS HARBOR SITE AND THEY WERE ALSO TAKEN PRISONER. THE TEAM HEARD NOISES AND WOOD CHOPPING. FEMALE PRISONER STARTED SCREAMING AND NOISES CEASED. OTHER SUSPECTS AROUND AREA THEN FLED. WHEN THE HELICOPTERS WERE OVERHEAD FOR EXTRACT TEAM HEARD 4-5 RIFLE SHOTS. TEAM HEARD YELLING AND MOVED TO EXTRACT LZ.

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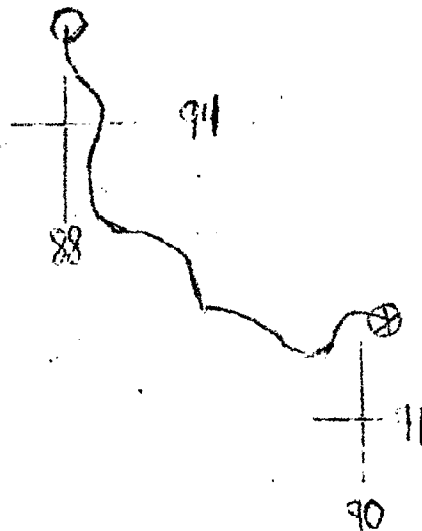
2/LT BROWN
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PATROL LEADER

261030H AS TEAM MOVED TO EXTRACT LZ, 3 MORE SUSPECTS RAN TO TEAMS REAR ELEMENT AND CHIEU HOLED. TEAM TOOK THEM PRISONER ALSO. THE HELICOPTERS BEGAN EXPENDING ORDNANCE TO COVER TEAMS REAR AND 1 SUSPECT WAS WOUNDED. THE TEAM AND THE PRISONERS WERE THEN EXTRACTED. THE PRISONERS CONSISTED OF 3 MEN, 1 WOMAN, 1 BOY, AND 1 CHILD. THEY WERE WEARING MIXED PJ'S, AND 1 WAS CARRYING A SICKLE, NO RIFLES OR MILITARY GEAR.

B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY STEEP. CANOPY 30-40', SECONDARY 8-14' CONSISTING OF ROCKS, VINES, AND BRUSH. MOVEMENT WAS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS WATER IN THE AREA.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: VIC. AT 901928 GOOD, 1 CH-46, OLD FIRE SUPPORT BASE. EXTRACT LZ: VIC. AT 879947 FAIR, 1 CH-46, LOW ELEPHANT GRASS ON TRAIL. TRAILS: VIC. AT 879947 NW-SW, 3-4' WIDE, WELL USED. VIC. AT 886930 N-W, WELL USED. COMM: COMM WAS GOOD TO POOR WITH YANKEE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 6 VC/NVA SUSPECTS TAKEN PRISONER. 1 SUSPECT KIA.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: HEAVY ACTIVITY IN AREA.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: GOOD
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

2/LT	BROWN	0106223
CPL	CRABS	2377745
CPL	MAKOUTZ	2366242
CPL	CALVA	2414777
PFC	DALIMAN	2535962
PFC	MERRITWO	2460830
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OPERATION ORDER # 552-69

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 (b) BNO P03000.4
 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
 (e) Bn Warning Order # 552-69

Call Sign: FIG NEWTON A-3-1

1. Situation: (a) See current INTELM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arm infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy transit and supply routes.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 25 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT8942 LR AT9240) Extract on 28 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Electronics: References (b) and verbal

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
 Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
 PONY BOY 72.90

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 PATROL: FIG NEWTON, CO. A.
 DEBRIEFER: CPL PAGE
 MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS 17014
 SHEET 6640 III

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
 DA NANG, RVN.
 281245H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 4 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY TRANSIT AND SUPPLY ROUTES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 251130H/281215H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 72 AND THREE-FOURTH HOURS WITH 2 SIGHTINGS OF 2 HOLES. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

251345H VIC. AT 983460 1 HOLE, 5' X 6' X 8'. 3 MONTHS OLD.

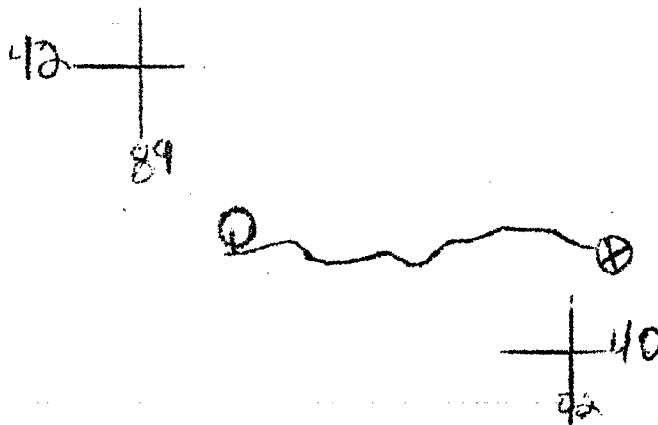
251655H VIC. AT 910218 1 HOLE, 4' X 5' X 5'. 3-4 MONTHS OLD.
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY ROLLING. THERE WAS NO CANOPY, SECONDARY 10-15' CONSISTING OF FERNS, ELEPHANT GRASS, AND VINES. MOVEMENT WAS DIFFICULT AND THERE IS NO WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT IZ: AT 921407 GOOD MB CL-46, DRY RICE PADDY. EXTRACT IZ: AT 896408 GOOD 1 CL-46, 4' ELEPHANT GRASS. TRAILS: VIC. AT 968117 SW-NE, WELL BUT NOT RECENTLY USED. VIC. AT 997307 SW-NE, WELL USED AT ONE TIME. OP'S: VIC. AT 900407, GOOD OBSERVATION TO SOUTH IN 240 DEGREES. COMM: COMM WAS GOOD WITH ALPHA.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NO RECENT SIGNS OF ENEMY.

SGT BAILLET
FIG NEWTON, CO. A.
PATROL LEADER

11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT	BAILLET	2138873
ICPL	CARRUTHERS	2426200
ICPL	BATLEY	2455341
ICPL	HALLAM	2470955
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 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Plan of engagement)
 (e) BnWarning Order # 553-69

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Call Sign: AUDITOR B-3-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INTS M'S
 (b) See current OPI'S & PIR'S
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit routes and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 25 Jun, insert Haven (UL ZC1260 IR ZC1553) Extract on 28 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instruction are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary freq 67.60 Alt: 37.30
 Artillery PL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
 POM 72.20

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Call Sign: MOVEABLE C-2-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PL'S
 (c) Attachment: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 26 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZGL950 LR ZC2147) Extract on 29 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are Contained in references (b) and (a).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
 Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH PONY BOY 72.90

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Radio Relay; BALANCE ZULU

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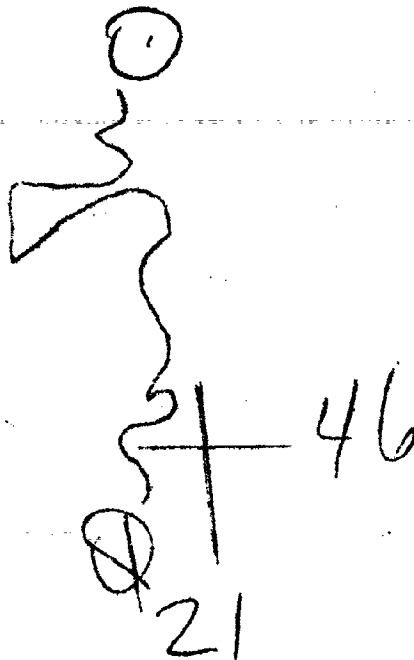
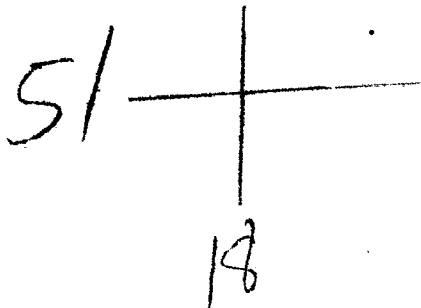
PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 5 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 HRC-25'S, 1 TX50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 261550H/291015H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 60 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO FM'S WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA WAS GENERALLY STEEP; NO CANOPY; 10' SECONDARY GROWTH OF SHRUBS AND VINES; MOVEMENT WAS DIFFICULT AND WATER WAS PLENTIFUL.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ VIC. ZC205456 GOOD 1xCH46 OF 3' GRASS; EXTRACT LZ VIC. ZC205405 GOOD 1xCH46 OF 3' GRASS; OP VIC. ZC205405 GOOD OBSERVATION TO THE E-SE AND IS EASILY DEFENDABLE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

MP EVANS
MOVEABLE, CO. C
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

IT	EVANS	0106559
SGT	BRUN	1030663
LCPL	DOMNOSKE	2494365
LCPL	HEMBEL	2232882
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(e) DnWarning Order # 556-69

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Call Sign: PRIME GUE C-1-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit and supply routes.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 27 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZC1868 LR ZC2166). Extract on 30 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Com/Electronics: Primary Freq: 37.30 Alt: 35.40
Artillery: ALL FIR'S WILL GO THROUGH
HEADCOLD 63.10

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1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
 DA NANG, RVN.
 300045H JUN 69

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 5 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 1 CLAYMORE
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY TRANSIT AND SUPPLY ROUTES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 271030H/300005H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

280900H VIC. ZC190666 TEAM FOUND BLOOD ON LEAVES AND LOGS ON FAIRLY NEW TRAIL. TEAM THEN FOLLOWED TRAIL TO ZC195665 AND FOUND BLOOD ON ROCKS IN STREAMBED. BLOOD WAS NOT DRY.
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA WAS GENERALLY STEEP; 15-20' CANOPY; 6-7' SECONDARY GROWTH OF GRASS AND SHRUBS; MOVEMENT WAS EASY AND WATER WAS PLentiful.
6. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 69 HOURS WITH 2 SIGHTINGS OF BLOOD MARKS. NO FM'S WERE CALLED.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ VIC. ZC210665 GOOD 1xCH46 OF 8' GRASS; EXTRACT LZ VIC. ZC191660 GOOD MxCH46 OF 8' GRASS; TRAIL VIC. ZC190666 RUNNING SE-KW, 2' WIDE AND RECENTLY USED; COMM WAS GOOD WITH ROMEO.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

LCPL SPEAKMAN
PRIME CUT, CO. C
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

LCPL	SPEAKMAN	2359198
LCPL	KASINGER	2414443
CPL	JONES	2409609
PFC	TALAMANTE	2495521
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Call Sign: DATE PALM C-3-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
 (c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/VA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and be prepared to conduct a prisoner snatch.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 27 Jun; insert Haven (ULAT9437 LR AT9637 to Extract on 30 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are/AT9434. contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
 Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
 PONY BOY 72.90

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1ST RE CONNAISSANCE BN.
DA NANG, RVN.
301030H JUN 69

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE ENEMY BASE CAMPS AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT A PRISONER SNATCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 271055H/300935H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 7 1/2 HOURS WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO FM'S WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: AREA WAS GENERALLY STEEP; 30-40' CANOPY; 4-5' SECONDARY GROWTH OF VINES AND THORNS; MOVEMENT WAS DIFFICULT AND WATER WAS SCARSE
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ VIC. AT914330 FAIR 1xCH46 OF LOW BRUSH; EXTRACT LZ VIC. AT941354 FAIR 1xCH46 OF LOW BRUSH; COMM WAS GOOD WITH ALPHA.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

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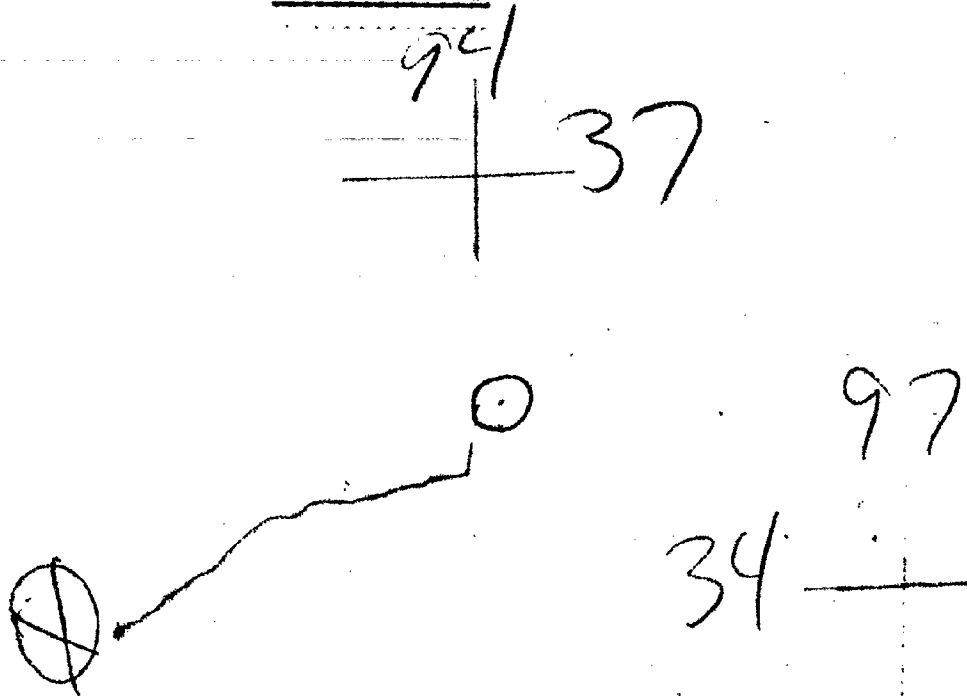
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CPL MOFFATT
DATE PAID, CO. C
PATROL LEADER

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL	MOFFATT	2416577
PFC	UUTILLA	2426304
PFC	TEWS	2538486
PFC	EDWARDS	2469186
PFC	JOHNSON	2473272
PFC	DURKE	2429102
HM3	HALLENDURGER	D819705

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OPERATION ORDER # 558-69

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Ref: (a) Map(s), Vietnam, Sheet(s), 6540 I
(b) BnO P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order # 558-69

Call Signal ASPARAGUS A-1-1

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & PIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VE/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to locate and monitor enemy transit and supply routes.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 27 Jun; insert Haven (UL ZGL 260 IR ZC1558) Extraction on 30 Jun within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FV'S WILL GO THROUGH
PONY BOY 72.90

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OPERATION ORDER: 558-69
PATROL: ASPARAGUS, CO. A.
DEBRIEFER: CPL PAGE
MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000 AMS L70114
SHEET 6540 I

1ST RECONNAISSANCE BN.
DA NANG, RVN
301000H JUNE 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 8 ENL
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25, 1 7X50
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 4 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN TO DETECT POSSIBLE VC/NVA TROOP MOVEMENT OR ARMS INFILTRATION WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO LOCATE AND MONITOR ENEMY TRANSIT AND SUPPLY ROUTES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 271100H/300930H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: THIS PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 70½ HOURS WITH 1 SIGHTING OF AN ESTIMATED 7-10 ENEMY VOICES AND MOVEMENT. NO FIRE MISSIONS WERE CALLED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

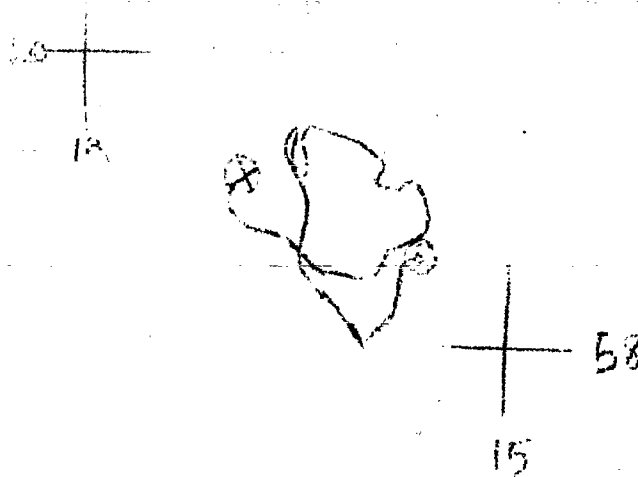
290900H ZC 134599 7-10 VC/NVA TALKING AND WALKING AROUND. FIRST HEARD VOICES AT 0900. HEARD VOICES AGAIN AT 0940H. WENT DOWN HILL TO INVESTIGATE. HEARD VOICES AGAIN AT 1105. HEARD VOICES ON AND OFF FROM 1105 TO 1530. ENEMY SEEMED TO BE SPREAD OUT IN GROUPS OF 2 OR MORE. BELIEVE THEY WERE GUARDING OR WAITING TO AMBUSH, DUE TO THICK VEGETATION AND SPREADING OF TROOPS, COULD NOT GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO SEE INDIVIDUALS.
 - B. TERRAIN: THE TERRAIN WAS GENERALLY STEEP TO LEVEL AND VARIED. CANOPY 10-80', SECONDARY 4-5' CONSISTING OF SPARCE BUSHES. MOVEMENT WAS MODERATE AND THERE IS NO WATER IN THE AREA.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: VIC. ZC 132592 GOOD, 2 CH-46, CLEARED OUT. EXTRACT LZ: VIC. ZC 145584 GOOD, 1 CH-46, BURNED OFF. COMM: COMM WAS POOR WITH ZULU, THEN TEAM SWITCHED TO DONNYBROOK AND HAD GOOD COMM.

SSGT GONCALVES
 ASPARAGUS, CO. A.
 PATROL LEADER

8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER
 RECOMMENDS ANOTHER PATROL TO CHECK OUT AREA WHERE
 VOICES WERE HEARD.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SSGT	GONCALVES	11831133
CPL	MONTEZ	2375978
LCPL	FLEMING	2339628
LCPL	DELREAL	2426061
PFC	MCADAM	2486994
PFC	GOD LOVE	2512993
PFC	PAUL	2447231
PFC	DOCKERY	2455917

PATROL OVERLAY



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270900H June 1969 **67969**

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(b) BnO P03000.4
(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
(d) 1stMarDivO P03330.2 (Rules of engagement)
(e) BnWarning Order #571-69

Call Sign: HIRELING A-1-2

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movements or areas infiltration with special emphasis to locate enemy base camps and supply caches and be prepared to conduct a prisoner search.

3. Execution: Depart on 30 Jun; insert Haven (UL AT9532 LR AT9739 to Extract on 03 Jul within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are 9633 contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FM'S WILL GO THROUGH
PONY BOY 37.00

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(b) BnO P03330.1
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(e) BnWarning Order #573-69

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Call Sign: POLICY GAME B-2-3

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S & FIR'S
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission: Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven to detect possible VC/NVA troop movement or arms infiltration with special emphasis to establish a defensive position in VIC of insert coordinates and conduct observation and be prepared to call and adjust air/artillery on all targets of opportunity. In support of Operation Pipestone Canyon.

3. Execution: Depart LZ 401 on 28 Jun; insert Haven (UL BT0051 LR BT0349)
Extract on 30 Jul within same Haven. Coordinating instructions are contained in references (b) and (e).

4. Admin/Logistics: References (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics: Primary Freq: 67.60 Alt: 37.30
Artillery: ALL FM'S 1000 00 THRU
PONY BOY 37.00

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TO: CG III MAR DIV RVN
 INFO: CXXIV CORPS PHU DAT RVN
 CG FIRST MAWING RVN
 CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN
 CG 101ST ABN DIV CEE RVN
 FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN
 SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN
 ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN
 TWENTH-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN
 MAC ONE SIX DNG RVN
 CG C FIFTH SFGA DNG RVN

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FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #152-69 010001 H TO 012400H June 69 (U)

I (C) OF 38 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 27 TMS OPER AT 19 LOC
 WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46's, 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)

1. INSERT SLATE CREW (9 MEN) AT 01030H VIC AT9340
2. INSERT RAZOR BILL (7 MEN) AT 01105H VIC ZC2051
3. INSERT FUDGE (8 MEN) AT 01120H VIC ZC1547
4. EXTRACT WEDDING RING (6 MEN) AT 01030H VIC AT9340
5. EXTRACT BIG FLOWER (8 MEN) AT 01105H VIC ZC2051
6. EXTRACT LATIN REBEL (5 MEN) AT 01120H VIC ZC1547
7. EXTRACT SEGMENT (8 MEN) AT 011230H VIC AT8337

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IND-79

1. 020420H: OBS 10 VC, RIFLES, PACKS MOVING WEST
ON TRAIL. VIC AT985478. CALLED FM; EXCELLENT
COVERAGE OF TARGET. COULD NOT OBS MOVEMENT AFTER FM ON
A0510 NOD TO GAIN TARGETS
TRAIL. USED S.I.D. AND H.C.D. TO OBS WITH OUT-
STANDING RESULTS.

2. RICE KRISPIES

a. 010830H: FOUND WELL USED TRAIL 5' WIDE. VIC
26126597. LOOKS AS IF IT WAS USED YESTERDAY.

3. GRIN REAPER "B"

a. 011035H: FOUND 20 EMPTY CANS OF FISH IN STREAM
BED. VIC AT891868. CANS WERE FRESHLY USED.

4. RAZOR BILL

a. 011315H: FOUND SOAP IN STREAM VIC 2C200514.
DO NOT KNOW HOW LONG AGO SOAP WAS USED.

5. PETRIFY IND-84

a. 011530H: OBS 4 VC/NVA KHAKIES MOVING
TO BUNKER VIC AT822542. CALLED FM; GOOD COVERAGE OF
TARGET VC/NVA MOVED INTO TRE LINE. GAVE END OF
MISSION DUE TO POOR VISIBILITY.

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1. TAKE OUT "A" (2 MEN)(RR) VIC AT8337

2. TAKE OUT "R" (2 MEN)(RR) VIC ZC2070

3. SCREEN TEST (7 MEN) VIC AT8382

4. PETRIFY (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952

5. SWANPLAND (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245

6. DARKIEP (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850

7. GREY PRINCE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946

8. TEXAS PETE (10 MEN) VIC AT8337

9. RICE KRISPIES (8 MEN) VIC ZC1160

10. FUDGE (8 MEN) VIC ZC1647

11. MADHATTER (8 MEN) VIC ZC1571

12. IPSWICH (8 MEN) VIC ZC0867

13. SLATE CREEK (9 MEN) VIC AT9239

14. RAZOR BILL (7 MEN) VIC ZC1951

15. OFF SPRING (7 MEN) VIC ZC2084

16. PICKWICK PAPER (6 MEN) VIC ZC1284

17. ICEBOUND (18 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8140

18. GRIM REAPER (6 MEN) VIC AT8987

19. GRIM REAPER "A" (6 MEN) VIC AT8890

20. GRIM REAPER "B" (6 MEN) VIC AT8987

21. GRIM REAPER "C" (6 MEN) VIC AT8989

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PLANNED EXTRACTIONS FOR 02 Jun 69 (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8085 LR AT8383)
 2. SCANDANAVIA (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1287 LR ZC1585)
 3. PONY BOY (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1372 LR ZC1670)
 4. HABLE ANN (10 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)
- E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS FOR 02 Jun 69 (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)
1. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2085 LR AT8183)
 2. PICKNICK PAPER (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1086 LR ZC1384)
 3. MAD HATTER (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1573 LR ZC1871)
 4. TEXAS PETE (10 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMEENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 010001H TO 012400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED ON HILL IN DIR SUP HQBN
AND 9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY IS DEPLOYED.

NOTE # 1 RECON PATROL SEGMENT CANCELLED AND EXTRACTED DUE TO
OPERATION BY CIDG AND USA OPERATION IN HAVEN.

NOTE # 2 TOTAL OPERATIONAL TTS DROPPED TO 38 DUE TO 1ST PLT,

"A" CO, 5TH RECON BN BECOMING ADCON/OPCON TO 2ND BN 26TH MAR

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TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

FIRST RECON BN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

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CG FIRST MAW DNG RVN

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CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

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CG 101ST ABN DIV CEE RVN

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TWENTY-SIXTH AMR DNG RVN

MAO ONE SIX DNG RVN

CG C FIFTH SFUA

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III MAF FOR CGC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT 153-69 020001H TO 022400H MAY 69 (U)

I (C) OF 11 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 27 TMS OPER AT 19 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)

1. INSERT SCANDANAVIA (7 MEN) AT 021040H VIC ZC1284
2. INSERT NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) AT 021045H VIC ZC2084
3. INSERT PONY BOY (8 MEN) AT 021140H VIC ZC1571
4. INSERT MABLE ANN (10 MEN) AT 021240H VIC AT8337
5. EXTRACT PICKWICK PAPER (6 MEN) AT 021040H VIC ZC1284
6. EXTRACT OFFSPRING (7 MEN) AT 021045H VIC ZC2084
7. EXTRACT MAD HATTER (8 MEN) AT 021140H VIC ZC1571
8. EXTRACT TEXAS PETE (10 MEN) AT 021240H VIC AT8337

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT

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CONFIDENTIAL**1. GREY PRINCE IMD-79**

A. (LE) 012230H: THROUGH USE OF AD SID 38-06, IM DETECTED 5 VC/NVA WITH PACKS MVG "SW" ON TRAIL VIC AT 982470. CALLED FM, RESULTS NEG MOVEMENT ON TRAIL AFTER FM.

B. 022025H USING ADSID AND NOD OBS APROX 8VC/NVA WITH PACKS AND RIFLES MOVING E ON TRAIL VIC AT 983478. CALLED FM, RESULTS WERE NOT OBS.

2. PETRIFY IMD-84

A. 020630H: OBS 20VC/NVA, KHAKIES & BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, MVG "SW" ON TRAIL VIC AT 810513. CALLED FM BUT INIMY MVD INTO TREELINE BEFORE ADJUSTMENTS COULD BE MADE, WORKED OVER TREELINE WITH UNK RES.

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1. TAKE OUT "A" (RL) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "B" (RL) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. SCREEN TEST (7 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. PETRIFFY (25 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT7952
5. SWAMP LAND (25 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT8245
6. BARKEEP (22 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT9850
7. GREY PRINCE (16 MEN) (2 TIS) VIC AT9946
8. MARLE ANN (10 MEN) VIC AT8337
9. NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) VIC ZC2083
10. RICE KRISPIES (8 MEN) VIC ZC1161
11. FUDGE (8 MEN) VIC ZC1547
12. PONY BOY (8 MEN) VIC ZC1574
13. SCANDANAVIA (7 MEN) VIC ZC1385
14. IPSWICH (8 MEN) VIC ZC0867
15. SLATE CREEK (9 MEN) VIC AT9838
16. RAZOR BILL (7 MEN) VIC ZC1950
17. ICEBOUND (18 MEN) (2 TIS) VIC ZC2070
18. GRIM REAPER (6 MEN) VIC AT8987
19. GRIM REAPER "A" (6 MEN) VIC AT8888
20. GRIM REAPER "B" (6 MEN) VIC AT8883
21. GRIM REAPER "C" (6 MEN) VIC AT8989

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D. PLANNED EXTRactions -FOR 03 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. CAYENNE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0868; LR ZC1166)

E. PLANNED EXTRactions -FOR 03 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. RICE KRISPIES (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1061; LR ZC1359)

2. IPSWICH (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0669; LR ZC0967)

STING RAY REPORT

A. IID - 83

A. IID - 86

B. TERM

B. COLL

C. AT838379

C. AT838379

D. TEXAS PETE/20 MAY 69/46

D. MABLE AMH/02 JUN 69/46

E. TEXAS PETE/02 JUN 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K NONE

F. 6

G. 5

H, I, J, K, NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMPLENCE 1

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 020001H 022400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP HQBN AND
9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY DEPLOYED.

NOTE #1 021448H: PETRIFY COMPLETED PRIORITY MED-EVAC 1 NBC(PATROL
MEMBER), DUE TO MALARIA VIC AT797528.

NOTE #2 CORRECTION SIT RPT 152-69 OF 01 JUN 69 ERRONEOUSLY REDUCED
THE NUMBER OF OPERATIONAL TEAMS BY 3 WITH THE PASSING OF OPCON OF
THE SLF PLT TO 1ST MAR DIV. THE SLF TEAMS HAD NOT BEEN INCLUDED IN
1ST RECON BN TEAM TOTALS.

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FIRST RECON BN SIT REP #154-69 030001H TO 032100H MAY 69 (U)

(C) OF 41 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 26 TMS OPER AT 18 LOC
 001ST MAR DIV TAOR.

- A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 CH-46'S, 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)
1. INSERT CAYENNE (9 MEN) AT 031010H VIC ZC0867
 2. EXTRACT IPSWICH (8 MEN) AT 031010H VIC ZC0867
 3. EXTRACT RICE KRISPIES (8 MEN) AT 031025H VIC ZC1060

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SIGHTINGS & CONTACT

1. GRAY PRINCE IND-79

a. 1E 022025H OBS 80 VC PACKS & RIFLES MOVING EAST ON TRAIL VIC 983478 DETECTED WITH SID. OBS WITH NOD, CALLED FM WAS UNABLE TO OBS RESULTS DUE TO DARKNESS.

2. GRIM REAPER

a. 030740H TM OBS 1 VC/NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES WITH RUCK SACK, MOVING NORTHWEST ON TRAIL VIC AT886878, NEG ACTION TAKEN

b. 031105H TM FOUND NETWORK OF SMALL TRAILS, RECENTLY & WELL USED, MEETING AT AT894883 & RUNNING FROM AT894883 TO AT894876, AT894883 TO AT896874.

c. 031155H TM FOUND 30-40 MAN BASE CAMP VIC AT89158685. USED WITHIN LAST 2-3 DAYS

3. CAYENNE

a. 031130H TM FOUND 10 MAN HARBOR SITE VIC 091665 HARBOR SITE WAS VERY OLD, HARBOR SITE CONTAINED 2 OLD BAMBOO HOOTCHES, AND WAS SURROUNDED BY BAMBOO FENCE. IT APPEARED TO BE AN ANIMAL PEN.

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4. GRAY PRINCE IND-79

a. 032010H TM OBS 160 PLUS WITH PACKS & RIFLES MOVING EAST ALONG TRAIL VIC AT98874810 DETECTED WITH SID. OBS WITH NOD. SID DETECTION ON CHANNEL 38, TONE CODE 03. TM CALLED FM WITH GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET AREA. AO, PLANE-SHIP & SPOOKY CAME ON STATION.

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PATROL LOCATIONS

1. TAKE OUT "X" (2 MEN) (RR) VIC AT8382
2. TAKE OUT "A" (2 MEN) (RR) VIC AT8337
3. TAKE OUT "R" (2 MEN) (RR) VIC ZC2070
4. ICEBOUND (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. PETRIFY (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. SWAMP LAND (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
8. BAR KEEP (23 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
9. GRAY PRINCE (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. MAELE ANN (9 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) VIC AT8183
12. FUDGE (8 MEN) VIC ZC1547
13. PONY BOY (8 MEN) VIC ZC1472
14. SCANDANAVIA (7 MEN) VIC ZC1385
15. SLATE CREEK (9 MEN) VIC AT9438
16. RAZOR BILL (7 MEN) VIC ZC1950
17. CAYENNE (9 MEN) VIC ZC0966
18. GRIM REAPER (6 MEN) VIC AT8987
19. GRIM REAPER "A" (6 MEN) VIC AT8988
20. GRIM REAPER "B" (6 MEN) VIC AT8987
21. GRIM REAPER "C" (6 MEN) VIC AT8988

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PLANNED EXTRACTATIONS-FOR 04 Jun 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. HIDEAWAY (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1951 LR ZC2118)
2. AROMA (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9540 LR AT96370)
3. YOUTH (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1759 LR ZC2057)
4. DURHAM (26 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT81453 LR AT830445)
5. GOOD CHARGER (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8175 LR AT8473)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTATIONS-FOR 04 Jun 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. RAZOR BILL (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1752 LR ZC2050)
2. SLATE CREEK (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9339 LR AT9637)
3. FUDGE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1448 LR ZC1645)
4. SWAMPLAND (25 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT81463 LR AT830445)
5. GRIM REAPER (24 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT8790 LR AT9086)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 030000H TO 032400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STANDBY IN DIR SUP HQEN AND 9

MEN RELOADED SCTY IS DEPLOYED

BOGE # 1 031635H: SCREEN TEST. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC

2 MED CAS, (CONCUSSION)

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TO: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAF DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

CG 101ST ABN DIV CEF RVN

FIFTH MAR DNG RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

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FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT # 155-69 040001H TO 042400H MAY 69 (U)

I (C) OF 41 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 23 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR.

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S 1 CH-53 2 UH-1E
GUNSHIPS)

1. INSERT DURHAM (26 MEN) AT 040955H VIC AT825454
2. INSERT MINK COAT (7 MEN) AT 041045H VIC ZC1950
3. INSERT AROMA (6 MEN) AT 041100H VIC AT9538
4. INSERT YOUTH (6 MEN) AT 041130H VIC ZC1758
5. INSERT GOOD CHARGER (6 MEN) AT 041220H VIC AT8175
6. EXTRACT SWAMPLAND (25 MEN) AT 040955H VIC AT825454
7. EXTRACT GRIM REAPER (24 MEN) AT 040930H VIC AT9284
8. EXTRACT RAZOR BILL (7 MEN) AT 041045H VIC ZC1950

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2. AT SLATE CREEK (9 MEN) AT 0110H VIC AT9813
 10. EXTRACT FUDGE (8 MEN) AT 04110H VIC 201517

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT**1. BARKEEP IMD-82**

a. (1E) 032015H: OBS 5 VC/NVA MVG "S" IN & OUT OF
 VILL VIC AT98375205, SIGHTED WITH NOD, CALLED FM
 BUT COULD NOT OBS DAMAGE.

b. 040220H: OBS 6 VC/NVA WITH PACKS MVG "W" ALONG
 TRAIL VIC AT985497, CALLED FM ENEMY MVD OUT OF SIGHT
 BEFORE CLEARANCE WAS GIVEN.

c. 040500H: OBS 12 VC/NVA PACKS, MVG "S-N" ALONG
 TRAIL VIC AT983752, CALLED FM BUT ENEMY LEFT AREA
 BEFORE BATTERY BEGAN TO FIRE.

2. GRAY PRINCE IMD-79

a. 040130H: OBS 39 VC/NVA MVG "S" ALONG TRAIL
 VIC AT982465, CALLED FM, GOOD COV OF TOT, RES
 5 CONF ENEMY KIA, UNIDENTIFIED

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1. BARKER (10) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. BARKER (10) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. BARKER (10) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. BARKER (16 MEN) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
5. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. PETRIFY (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
8. BARKER (23 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
9. GREY PRINCE (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. BARKER (9 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) VIC AT8084
12. AROMA (6 MEN) VIC AT9433
13. PONY BOY (8 MEN) VIC ZC1471
14. SCANDANAVIA (7 MEN) VIC ZC1485
15. YOUTH (6 MEN) VIC ZC1485
16. MINK COAT (7 MEN) VIC ZC2049
17. GOOD CHARGER (6 MEN) VIC AT8274
18. CAYENNE (9 MEN) VIC ZC0866

NOTES: ASTH LSK = DENOTES TEAMS IN SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON

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REF ID: A68947; 14 B10015

1. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS - FOR 05 JUN 69* (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

2. (REF EXTRACTIONS (16 DEC) DATED (06 AUG 69) 14 B10015)

EXTRACTION REPORT

A. TIME

1. 10-30

B. DATE

2. 05 JUN

C. REF ID

3. A68947

D. SCHEDULED/21 MAY 69/53

4. DUREAN/05 JUN 69/53

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1. FIRST EXTRACTION BY DAILY STEEL RAY RECAP:

2. COMMENCE 1

3. TERMINATE 1

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(14) FIRST EXTRACTION BY END OF THE MONTH STEEL RAY RECAP:

STEEL RAY

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SIGHTINGS

172

VOA/VA SIGHTED

1469

FIRE MISSIONS

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AIR STRIKES

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FIRE

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MIA	9
MIA	0
REC	4
KNBC	0

FIRST RECON END OF MONTH IN SUP RECAP: (LE)

PATROL 5 "A" Co

SIGHTINGS 10

VC/NVA SIGHTED 17

FIRE MISSIONS 0

THROWING ROCKS 0

VC/NVA KIA 1

DETAINÉES 1

COC 0

DEATH CASUALTIES: 0

KIA 0

MIA 0

MIA 0

REC 0

KNBC 0

FIRST RECON EN END OF THE MONTH CLANDESTINE: (LE)

PATROL 83

SIGHTINGS 130

VC/NVA SIGHTED 242

FIRE MISSIONS 13

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RECON CO. (REAR AREA) 040000H TO 042100H JUN 68
ALL 100000Z RECON CO. DEPLOYED ON HILL IN REAR SUP HQBN AND
- HAS SUBALINE SQTY DEPLOYED.
RECON CO. 041124Z CAYENNE COMPLETED PRIORITY MED-EVAC OF 1 PATROL
MEMBER, DUE TO POSSIBLE MALARIA.
RECON CO. 041124Z RECON CO. THERE ARE 0 TNS
AT 0 1000. COMPANY IS EMPLOYED IN TRAINING STATES

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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

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FOR COX:

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT # 156-69 050001H TO 052400H JUN 69 (U)

(C) OF 13 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 23 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (2 CH-46'S: HU-1G GUNSHIPS)

1. INSERT SENATOR (16 MEN) AT 051115H VIC AT9916

2. EXTRACT GREY PRINCE (16 MEN) AT 051115H VIC AT9916

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B. FIGHTING AND CONTACT

1. GREY PRINCE IMD-69

a. (1E) 042010H OBS THRU NOD & SID APPROX 42 VC/NVA MOVING EAST ON TRAIL CARRYING PACKS, VIC AT99494822. CALLED FM/with CONFIRMED ~~ENEMY~~ KIA'S UNIDENTIFIED UNIT

b. (1E) 042100H HEARD VC/NVA PROPAGANDA TELLING TM TO CHIEU-HOI OVER LOUD-SPEAKER. LOUD-SPEAKER LOCATED IN PADDIES "N" OF TM. TM CALLED FM ON ESTIMATED POS OF LOUD-SPEAKER.

2. BARKEEP IMD-82

a. 050920H OBS 40 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S & RIFLES MOVED INTO VILL VIC AT98375205 CALLED FM POOR COVERAGE OF TARGET.

3. CAYENNE

a. 050920H FOUND TRAIL 3' WIDE RUNNING "NW" TO "SE" VIC ZC096666, TRAIL WELL USED.

4. YOUTH

a. 050902H FOUND TRAIL 2' WIDE RUNNING "NW" TO "SE" VIC ZC189579. USED RECENTLY.

b. 051330H FOUND 2 FIGHTING HOLES, 2x4x4 DEEP, VIC ZC195577 APPROX 2 WEEKS OLD.

c. 051345H MADE CONTACT 5 VC/NVA KHAKI AK-47 AND CART. BELTS. WALKING "E" ON TRAIL VIC ZC195576. 1 ENEMY WIA CONT MISSION.

4. CAYENNE (CONT)

b. 051030H FOUND 5 BODY GRAVES VIC ZC098666. BODIES ALL ADULTS. BODIES BURIED IN CASKETS MADE OF LOGS.

5. MINK COAT

a. 051445H FOUND BASE CAMP ALONG SIDE OF HILL VIC AC208492. APPROX 2 WEEKS TO 1 MONTH OLD.

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- a. 051715H FOUND VC/NVA BASE CAMP VIC AT951392. AREA HAD BEEN HEAVILY DAMAGED BY ARTLIGHT, FOUND 10 BUNKERS 2 HOOTCHES, 3 WEEKS OLD. ALSO FOUND 2 PACKS OF TNT
7. MABLE ANN IMD-86

a. 051730H OBS 7-10 VC/WEARING BLACKS PJ'S WITH PACKS, VIC AT 871382, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS. DUE TO TERRAIN.

8. MINK COAT (CONTINUED)

b. 051645 OBS. 10 VC/NVA WITH PACKS AND CART. BELTS & 3 AK-47's. 7 SLEEPING 3 WATCHING VIC 2095137. TM OPENED FIRE 3 VC KIA CONF. VC RETURNED FIRE, TEAM BROKE CONTACT, AND CONT MISSION. CP 8 USED ORDNANCE TO ENABLE TM TO REPAIR CONTACT, (ENEMY UNIT UNK)

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1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "Y" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. ICEBOUND (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. PEIRIFT (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. BARKEEP (23 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. MABLE ANN (9 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) VIC AT8084
12. AROMA (6 MEN) VIC AT9539
13. PONY BOY (8 MEN) VIC ZC1370
14. SCANDIAVIA (7 MEN) VIC ZC1384
15. YOUTH (6 MEN) VIC ZC1957
16. MINK COAT (7 MEN) VIC ZC1949
17. GOOD CHARGER (6 MEN) VIC AT8273
18. CATENNE (9 MEN) VIC ZC1066

NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON

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E. PLANNED EXTRACTATIONS-FOR 06 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. SE MENTU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1067; LR ZC1365)
2. R DDER (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1170; LR ZC1463)
3. FLAKY SNOW (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1537; LR ZC1335)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTATIONS-FOR 06 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. MAYENNE (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0863; LR ZC1166)
2. PONY BOY (3 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1372; LR ZC1670)
3. SCA DANAVIA (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1287; LR ZC1535)
4. NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8035; LR AT8333)

STING RAY REPORT:

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| A. IMD-79 | A. IMD-88 |
| B. TERM | B. COMM |
| C. AT9946 | C. AT9946 |
| D. GREY PRINCE/21 MAY 69/46 | D. SENATOR/05 JUN 69/46 |
| E. GREY PRINCE/05 MAY 69/46 | E. F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE |
| F. 15 | |
| G. 12 | |
| H. 0 | |
| I. 17 | |
| J. 1 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIA, 1 USMC NBC | |
| K. NONE | |

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FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 1

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 050001H TO 052400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN

AND 9 MEN RIDGELINE SCTY IS DEPLOYED

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NOTE: # 1 050935H DAYLIGHT PATROL FOR SUB-SECTOR B DEPARTED
RECON BN AREA, RETURNING AT 051500H WITH NEG FINDINGS

NOTE # 2 1 NBC MED-EVAC FROM ICEBOUND COMPLETED AT 051555H
SCUTINE, LACERATIONS OF THE FACE (MINOR)

NOTE # 3 CORRECTION. TOTAL CLANDESTINE PATROLS FOR MAY
IS 124 VS. 98. MONTHLY SUMMARY IN SIT RPT #155 DID NOT
INCLUDE FIRST FORCE RECON COMPANY.

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3RD MAR CORPS ETO BAI RVN

4TH MAR DIV DNG RVN

5TH AIRBORNE DIV CHU LAI RVN

6TH ARVN DIV ETO RVN ACTION 0

7TH MAR AN HQA INFO PP

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14TH MAR DIV DNG RVN 157-69 06000H TO 062400H JUN 69 (U)

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15TH MAR DIV DNG RVN

A. INSERCTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S, 2 UH-1E GUNSHIP,

1 CH-53)

1. INSER SEVENTE (8 MEN) AT 060925H VIC ZC1066

2. INSER RUDDER (7 MEN) AT 060945H VIC ZC1370

3. INSER PLANKY SNOX (9 MEN) AT 061130H VIC ZC1384

4. EXTRACT GAYEN E (9 MEN) AT 060935H VIC ZC1066

5. EXTRACT POITY BOY (7 MEN) AT 060945H VIC ZC1370

6. EXTRACT NICHOLAS ISLAND (7 MEN) AT 061025H VIC

ATC0084.

7. SCANDINAVIA (7 MEN) AT 061130H VIC ZC1384 (EXTRACT)

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FINGERING CONTACT

1. SENATOR IMD-87

a. 060220H: OBS. WITH THE USE OF ILLUM, 2 VC/NVA WITH PACKS AND RIFLES, MVG "E" ON FINGER VIC BT000461. TM OPENED FIRE WITH SMALL ARMS AND M-79 RES ENEMY MVG OUT OF AREA.

2. AROMA

a. 060915H: FOUND 1 BASE CAMP WITH 9 LARGE BUNKERS AND 3 SMALL ONES VIC AT955398. ALL BUNKERS WERE ON THE SIDE OF THE HILL AND WERE APRX 2 MONTHS OLD TM WENT AROUND ~~WENT~~ AND FOUND 15 MORE BUNKERS. FOUR WERE MADE IN THE LAST 2 WEEKS.

3. MINK COAT

a. 060900H: FOUND 1 TRAIL COMPLEX, RUNNING DOWN FINGER VIC ZC195491 TO ZC202486. ALL TRAILS WERE WELL USED AND HAD FRESH MARKINGS, AND USED IN THE LAST 12 HOURS TO 2 DAYS.

b. 061200H: FOUND 1 W.P. BAG, 1 CANTEEN, 1 BELT AND 2 BAGS OF RICE (5 LBS) LAYING ON TRAIL VIC ZC200488. GEAR SEEMED TO BE LAID ON TRAIL WHILE ENEMY WERE GETTING WATER, CHECKED AREA BUT FOUND NOTHING.

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PATROL LOCATIONS

1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
 2. TAKE OUT "RR" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
 3. TAKE OUT "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
 4. ICEBOUND (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
 5. PETRIFY (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
 6. DURHAM (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
 - * 7. BARKER (23 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
 - * 8. SENATOR (26 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
 9. MABLE ANN (9 MEN) VIC AT8337
 10. AROMA (6 MEN) VIC AT9540
 11. RUDDER (7 MEN) VIC ZC1469
 12. FLAKEY SNOW (9 MEN) VIC ZC1585
 13. YOUTH (6 MEN) VIC ZC2057
 14. MINK COAT (7 MEN) VIC ZC2048
 15. SEGMENT (8 MEN) VIC ZC1066
 16. GOOD CHARGER (6 MEN) VIC AT8373
 17. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
- * NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON

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PLANNED INSERTIONS -FOR 07 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

- 1. JATIN REBEL (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9642; IR AT968390)
- 2. RICE KRISPIES (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1948; IR ZC2145)
- 3. BIG FLOWER (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8374; IR AT8571)
- 4. LADY'S MAN (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2061; IR AT8043)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS -FOR 07 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

- 1. AROMA (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9540; IR AT9637)
- 2. HUNK COAT (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1951; IR ZC2148)
- 3. GOOD CHARGER (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8175; IR AT8473)
- 4. YOUTH (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1759; IR ZC2057)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 060001H TO 062400H JUN 69

A. 1 PAT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP HQBN AND
 9 MAN REDGELINE SCTY DEPLOYED.

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #158-69 070001H TO 072400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 41 OPER RECON TIS THERE ARE 23 TIS OPER AT 15 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 CH-19'S)

1. INSERT LATIN REBEL (6 MEN) AT 071040H VIC AT8373
2. INSERT RICE KRISPIES (6 MEN) AT 071025H VIC ZC2048
3. INSERT BIG FLOWER (9 MEN) AT 071150H VIC AT8373
4. INSERT LADY'S MAN (6 MEN) AT 071130 VIC ZC2057
5. EXTRACT MINK COAT (7 MEN) AT 071025 VIC ZC2048
6. EXTRACT GOOD CHARGER (6 MEN) AT 071150 VIC AT8373
7. EXTRACT YOUTH (6 MEN) AT 071130 VIC ZC2057

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. SENATOR**

a. LE 062040H WITNESSED ENEMY PROPAGANDA IN ENGLISH
VIC AT995485. CALLED FM NEG CLEARANCE, BROADCASTS LASTED
45 MIN.

b. LE 062100H 75 VC/NVA DETECTED ON SID VIC BT02914778
CALLED FM NEG CLEARANCE.

2. AROMA

a. LE 061800H OBS 1 WELL USED TRAIL AND HEARD VC/NVA
BUILDING BUNKERS. TH ALSO FOUND 4 WELL USED CAVES,
VIC AT966405. TRAIL HAD BUNKERS, GRAVES AND FIGHTING
HOLES ALONG IT. EQUIPMENT CONSISTED OF CUTTING TOOLS,
COULD NOT OBS ENEMY.

3. SEGIEMT

a. 070845H FOUND 1 HOOTH WITH CAVE ENTRANCE, 1 U.S.
HELMET AND FOOTPRINTS 2 DAYS OLD, VIC ZC10658.

4. DURHAM IND-89

a. 071145H OBS 10-15 NVA AND 3-4 ACTIVE MORTAR SITES
VIC AT811455, ENEMY MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH WITH PACKS AND
AND RIFLES AND GREEN UTILITIES. TH NOTIFIED INFANTRY
OF SITUATION AND CALLED ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES ON
TARGETS.

b. 071330H OBS 17-25 NVA WITH BROWN KILAKIES, PACKS AND
RIFLES AND 1 RECOILLESS RIFLE, FIRING ON INFANTRY VIC
AT810457. TH CALLED FM AND ADJUSTED INFANTRY MORTARS WITH
EXCELLANT COVERAGE OF TARGET, TH OBS 17 ENEMY MOVING OUT
OF AREA.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "X" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. ICEBOUND (16 MEN)(2 TIS) VIC ZC2070
5. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. PETRIFY (25 MEN)(3 TIS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN)(3 TIS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. BARKE P (23 MEN)(3 TIS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN)(2 TIS) VIC AT9946
10. NABLE ANN (9 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. BUNNED (7 MEN) VIC ZC1269
12. FLAKEY SNOW (9 MEN) VIC ZC1685
13. ZEREWENT (8 MEN) VIC ZC1165
14. LATIN REBEL (6 MEN) VIC AT9740
15. RICE KRISPIES (6 MEN) VIC ZC2048
16. BIG FLOWER (9 MEN) VIC AT8373
17. LADY'S MAN (6 MEN) VIC ZC2058
18. AROMA (6 MEN) VIC AT9540

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS-FOR 08 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. DEERLODGE (12 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT8112 LR AT8510)
2. AIA KING (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-FOR 08 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. HABLE ANN (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)
2. ARONA (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9511 LR AT9637)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (NAR AREA) 07000LH TO 072400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP HQEN AND 9
MAN RIDGELINE SCTY IS DEPLOYED

NOTE # 1 071200H: SENATOR. COMPLETED A ROUTINE MED-EVAC 1 NBC CAS,
(APPENDICITIS)

NOTE # 2 ARONA, INSERT EXTENDED 1 DAY DUE TO TMS REQUEST, BECAUSE OF
SIGNS OF ENEMY ACTIVITY IN AREA.

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FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #159-69 080001H TO 082400H JUN 69 (U)

I (U) OF 41 RECO TTS THERE ARE 21 OPER AT 13 LOC WITHIN

FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 HU-1A GUNSHIPS)

1. INSERT DEERLODGE (6 MEN) AT 081115H VIC AT8340
2. INSERT ALA KING (12 MEN) AT 081315H VIC AT8337
3. EXTRACT AROMA (6 MEN) AT 081125H VIC AT9540
4. EXTRACT MABLE ANN (9 MEN) AT 081315H VIC AT8337

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT

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1. SENATOR IND-87

a. (UN) 072242H: OBS 29 READINGS ON SENSOR VIC ^{BT} ZC027477
CALLED FM, MOVEMENT CEASED BUT WAS UNABLE TO OBS DUE TO
RIDGE LINE.

b. 080026H: OBS 29 READINGS ON SENSOR IN 2-3 MAN GROUPS
^{BT} VIC ZC027477, CALLED FM, MOVEMENT CEASED.

c. 080025H: OBS 6 READINGS ON SENSOR VIC AT979504, CALLED
FM, NEG CLEARANCE WAS GIVEN.

d. 080105H: OBS 30 READINGS ON SENSOR IN 2-3 MAN GROUPS
^{BT} VIC ZC027477, CALLED FM, NEG CLEARANCE GIVEN

2. BARREFF IND-82

a. 080100H: OBS 7 VC, BLACK PJ'S WITH RIFLES, MVD "W"
ON TRAIL VIC AT981492, CALLED FM, BUT IT WAS TOO DARK
TO OBS RES.

b. 080535H: OBS 8 VC/NVA MVD "E" ON TRAIL OUT OF VILL
VIC AT934527, CALLED FM, BUT GAVE END OF MISSION, ENEMY
MVD OUT OF AREA BEFORE FM WAS FIRED.

3. LADY'S MAN

a. 080740H: OBS 3 NVA, GREEN UTIL, PACKS, RIFLES
CARTRIDGE BELTS VIC ZC208583, ENEMY OPENED UP, HOUNDING
2 PATROL MEMBERS RES: 2 USMC KIA (1) & TH WAS EXTRACTED.

4. LATIN REBEL

a. 081000H: OBS 3NVA, GREEN UTIL, PACKS, RIFLES, 2 CAPT
RIDGE BELTS VIC AT979409, TH OPENED UP, RES: 1 CONF NVA KIA
& 1 CAPT AK-47 & ASSIGNED GEAR. UNIT WAS UNKNOWN.

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b. 081115H: OBS 1.7 VC/NVA INC 2 WOMEN, MIXED UNIT,
PACKS AND AK-47'S. VIC AT976412. ENG ENEMY W/TA SA
RES: 3 EN KIA (UNIT UNK), 1 USMC WIA (M). TM EMERG EX-
TRACTED W/ALUM LADDER AT 081600H

5. FLAKEY SNOW

a. 081100H: OBS 5 NVA, KHAKIES, PACKS, RIFLES
CARTRIDGE BELTS MFG "E" ON RIVER, VIC ZCL65857.
MADE CONTACT, RES: 1 USMC WIA (P) MED-EVAC. GP-4
CALLED F/W RES UNK. CONT MISSION.

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CONFIDENTIAL**4. PATROL LOCATIONS**

1. TAKH OUT "A" (R) (2 MEN) VIC AT8332
2. TAKH OUT "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "X" (LR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. ICEBOUND (15 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SCHEEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. PEIRYPT (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURNAN (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
8. RABINERT (23 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
9. SHIMATOL (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. AIA KING (12 MEN) (1 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. BUDDER (7 MEN) VIC ZC1165
12. STAKEN SNOW (9 MEN) VIC ZC 1286
13. SUGHERT (8 MEN) VIC ZC1266
14. DEMILORGE (6 MEN) VIC AT8240
15. RICE HILSFERS (6 MEN) VIC ZC1947
16. BEN FLOWER (9 MEN) VIC AT8372

* NOTE: asterisk denotes this in dir sup of operation PIPESTONE OMEION

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS -FOR 09 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. IPSWICH (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1266; LR ZC1564)
2. MIL ABNER (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0971; LR ZC1269)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS -FOR 09 JUN 69- (IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. SQUIRE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1067; LR ZC1305)
2. RUDDER (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1170; LR ZC1168)

SPRING RAY REPORT:

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| A. IND-86 | A. IND-90 |
| B. TERM | B. COMI |
| C. AT838379 | C. AT838379 |
| D. MABLE ANN/02 JUN 69/46 | D. ALA KING/08 JUN 69/46 |
| E. MABLE ANN/08 JUN 69/46 | E, F, G, H, I, J, K NONE |
| F. 1 | |
| G. 1 | |
| H, I, J, K. NONE | |

UNCLASSIFIEDACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 080001H TO 082400H JUN 69

A2 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP HQBN AND 9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY DEPLOYED.

NOTE #1 081105H: LADY'S MAN WAS ~~EMERGENCY~~ ^{EMERG} EXTRACTED WITH 2 USMC WIA (M), VIC ATZC208538.

NOTE #2 081510H: LATIN REBEL WAS ~~EMERGENCY~~ ^{EMERG} EXTRACTED WITH 2 PATROL MEMBERS, 2 USMC WIA (M), VIC AT979409.

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 MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN
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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #160-69 090001H TO 092400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 41 OPER RECON THIS TIME AND 21 THIS OPER AT 13 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOB

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46's: 1 UH-1E GUNSHIP, 1 UH-1G COBRA)

1. INSERT IPSWICH (7 MEN) AT 091100H VIC ZC1266
2. INSERT LIL ABNER (8 MEN) AT 091120H VIC ZC1166
3. EXTRACT SILENT (8 MEN) AT 091100H VIC ZC1266
4. EXTRACT RUDDER (7 MEN) AT 091120H VIC ZC1166

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. SENATOR IHD-87**

- a. (LE) 082005H OBS 11 VC/NVA ~~WEARING~~ BLACK PT'S AND SOME PACKS VIC ZC001482. ENEMY MOVED INTO TREELINE BEFORE FM COULD BE CALLED. LOST SIGHT OF ENEMY DUE TO DARKNESS.
- b. (LE) 082015 OBS 500 NVA RAPIDLY MOVING "E" ON TRAIL, PACKS, RIFLES, UTILITIES, VIC AT990478 TO BT020501. CALLED FM, HAD 7 BATTERIES IN SUPPORT EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET COULD NOT ESTIMATE NUMBER OF CASUALTIES. REMAINING GROUP MOVED OUT OF SIGHT TO THE EAST. COM POKE 19 ON STATION, DIRECTED NAVAL GUNS, FAIR COVERAGE OF TARGET.
- c. (LE) 082105 OBS 1 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLE RAPIDLY MOVING "E" ON TRAIL, VIC AT997480, VEHICLE HAD HEADLIGHTS ON AND SEEMED TO BE DODGING ARTILLERY.
- d. (LE) 082120H OBS 30-40 NVA WITH PACKS AND RIFLES ~~MOVING~~ IN TREELINE, VIC BT000478 CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET.
- e. 090030H OBS 129 READINGS ON SENSOR CONTINUOUS MOVEMENT BT02754778. CALLED FM GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET ~~AND~~ DUE TO DARKNESS.
- f. 090035H OBS 75 READINGS ON SENSOR CONTINUOUS MOVEMENT VIC BT00205060 CALLED FM ROUNDS ON TARGET COULD NOT OBS. DUE TO DARKNESS.
- g. 090147H OBS 70 READINGS ON SENSOR CONTINUOUS MOVEMENT VIC AT97925049 CALLED FM GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.
- h. 090205H OBS 100 NVA ON TRAIL PACK ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

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D. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)

h. (CONT) VIC BT019483, CALLED FM GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET COULD NOT OBS RES.

i. 090205H OBS 33 READINGS ON SENSOR CONTINUOUS MOVEMENT VIC BT02754778, CALLED FM NEG CLEARANCE BECAUSE OF SAVAPLANE.

j. 090250H OBS 200 NVA UTILITIES PACKS, RIFLES MOVING "W" VIC BT000475, CALLED FM COORDINATED WITH CON POKE, CALLED FM UNTIL 0530. SAW GROUP OF 100 CARRYING APPROX 50-60 BODIES REMAINDER MOVED WEST, FLARESHIP PROVIDED ILLUMINATION UNTIL DAWN.

2. ALA KING IND-90

a. (LE) 081900H TH OBS 12-15 VC MOVING SOUTH TO NORTH WEARING BLACK PJ'S AND GREEN UTILITIES, KHAKIES, VIC AT875383 LOST VISUAL CONTACT BEFORE FM COULD BE CALLED.

3. BARKEEP IND-82

a. 090800H OBS 300 NVA MOVING "W" ON TRAIL CARRYING PACKS VIC AT985498, OBS WITH MOD OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET.

b. 091210H FOUND 9 NVA HIDING IN STREET BED, SHORTS KHAKIES SHIRTS, SANDALS, 6 AK-47'S, 2 SKS'S, 11 CHICONS, 2 MINE, BAYONETS, PACKS CONTAINING RICE. 7-62 SHORTS, WOMEN SHIRTS

PONCHOS AND MEDICAL SUPPLY'S, REMARKS: TH ATTEMPTED TO KILL THEM GIVEN HOT, ENEMY FIRED ON TH, TH RETURNED FIRE, 3 CONFIRMED NVA

KIA'S, 1 PRISONER, UNKNOWN UNIT, DOCUMENTS- 2 DIARIES, NUMEROUS LETTERS. NO USMC CASUALTIES. POW & DOCUMENTS DELIVERED TO PLASE MAR. REGT. CP VIA HELICOPTER.

c. 091210H TH CONTINUED NVA VIC AT984497, FOUND NEG CAS.

FOUND SCATTERED DRAG MARKS AND BLOOD TRAILS.

4. (LE) FLAKEY SNOW

a. 081500H FOUND 2 TRAILS, 3 TO 4 FT. WIDE, BURNED "W" TO "SW" VIC #016686L TO #0164865. USED WITHIN LAST 5 DAYS.

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****5. DURHAM IND-89**

- a. 091505H OBS 5 NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES CARRYING POSSIBLE 75mm RECOILLESS RIFLE ROUNDS. CALLED FM GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET COULD NOT OBS RESULTS DUE TO ENEMY MOVING OUT OF AREA. AT793464.
- b. 091915H OBS 1 ACTIVE MORTAR SITE, VIC AT611456. CALLED FM EXCELLANT COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RESULTS DUE TO DARKNESS.

6. PETRIFY IND-81

- a. 091615H 4 NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES WITH PACKS, RIFLES AND 1 MORTAR TUBE. CALLED FM REQ CLEARANCE, CALLED FOR A 0 REQ RESULTS. Enemy located vic AT 788538.

7. DEER LOBE

- a. 091730H OBS. TRAIL RUNNING (S.E. TO N.W.) VIC AT627409. APPEARS TO BE 1 MONTH OLD.

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CONFIDENTIAL**C. PATROL LOCATIONS**

1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. ICEBOUND (16 MEN) (2 TTS) VIC ZC2070
5. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. PETRIFY (25 MEN) (3 TTS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN) (3 TTS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. BARKER (23 MEN) (3 TTS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN) (2 TTS) VIC AT9946
10. ALA KING (12 MEN) (3 TTS) VIC AT8337
11. FLAKEY SNOW (8 MEN) VIC ZC1786
12. LIL AXTER (8 MEN) VIC ZC1170
13. DEER LODGE (6 MEN) VIC AT8241
14. IPSWICH (7 MEN) VIC ZC1265
15. RICE KRISPIES (6 MEN) VIC ZC1946
16. BIG FLOWER (9 MEN) VIC AT8472

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D. PLANNED EXTRACTS FOR 10 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1889 LR ZC2086)
2. MAD MATTER (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8472 LR AT8669)
3. PICKNICK PAPER (10 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT 8384 LR AT0582)
4. SCANDINAVIA (25 MEN)(3 TNS) HAVEN (UL AT790535 LR AT8153, 8052)
5. GRIM REAPER (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9645 LR AT988420)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTS FOR 10 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. FLAREY SHOT (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1537 LR ZC1885)
2. NICE KRISPIES (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1848 LR ZC2045)
3. BIG FLOWER (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8374 LR AT8571)
4. SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8384 LR AT8582)
5. PURIFY (25 MEN)(3 TNS) HAVEN (UL AT790535 LR AT8153, 8052)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON ON DAILY STING RAY RECAP: CONFERENCE 0
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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 090001H TO 092400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP HQBN AND 9 MAN RIDGELINE SET Y IS DEPLOYED.

NOTE: # 1 090630H: RIVER SWEEP VIC BT080672, RETURNED 091240H WITH NEG. RES.

NOTE: #2 091615H: DEER LODGE, COMPLETED ROUTINE MED-EVAC 1 NEG C.S., (POSSIBLE MALARIA)

NOTE: # 3 INSERT OF OFFSPRING HAVEN (UL ZC1945 LR AT7943) WAS CANCELLED DUE TO REQUEST OF FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT.

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FIRST RECON BY SIT RPT #161-69 10000H TO 102100H JUN 69 (U)

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FIRST MAR DIV TACR

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (3 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS: 1 CH-53)

1. INSERT PICKNICK PAPER (9 MEN) AT 100940H VIC AT8382

2. INSERT SCANDANAVIA (25 MEN) (3 TMS) AT 101040H VIC AT7952

3. INSERT GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) AT 101520H VIC ZC1786

4. INSERT MAD HATTER (7 MEN) AT 101540H VIC AT8172

5. EXTRACT SCREEN TEST (6 MEN) AT 100940H VIC AT8382

6. EXTRACT PETRIFY (25 MEN) AT 101040H VIC AT7952

7. EXTRACT FLAKY SNOW (8 MEN) AT 101520H VIC ZC1786

8. EXTRACT BIG FLOWER (9 MEN) AT 101540H VIC AT8172

9. EXTRACT RICE KRISPIES (6 MEN) AT 101720H VIC ZC1916

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. SENATOR IMD-87**

- a. (LE) 092040H DUFFLE BAG MESSAGE ON BOARDING OF 45 VIC
BT027477; CALLED FM; GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET; MOVEMENT CEASED.
- b. (LE) 092055H DUFFLE BAG MESSAGE READING OF 15 VIC
BT002506; CALLED FM; GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET; MOVEMENT CEASED.
- c. (LE) 092310H OBS 15 VC/NVA IN BUILDING; WITH PAGES
VIC BT009483; CALLED FM; ROUNDS ON TARGET; ONE PERSON LEFT
BUILDING.
- d. (LE) 092320H OBS 3 SMALL ARMS SITES FIRING AT FLARESHIP
VIC BT000472; TM OPENED FIRE WITH M-79 & FIRING CEASED.

2. DURHAM IMD-89

- a. 101035H OBS 1 ACTIVE ROCKET SITE FIRING 2 TO 3 ROCKETS
ON AN HOA; FROM APPROX AT8043 GRID. NEG FM DUE TO INABILITY
TO PINPOINT LOCATION OF SITE.

3. PERRIFY IMD-84

- a. (LE) 092155H RECEIVED 2 INCOMING ROUNDS, POSSIBLE
82MM, VIC AT798529. TM CALLED FM WITH UNOBSERVED RESULTS

4. BARKEP IMD-82

- a. 100930H OBS 10 VC; WEARING BLACK PJ'S CARRYING RIFLES
VIC AT776523; CALLED FM; NEG CLEARANCE DUE TO FRIENDLYS
IN AREA

5. SCANDANAVIA IMD-92

- a. 101120H OBS 2 NVA DIGGING. ENEMY WORE KHAKI TROUSERS
VIC ZC213537. CALLED FM; FAIR COVERAGE OF TARGET; UNOBSERVED
RESULTS DUE TO ENEMY MOVING INTO TREELINE.

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****6. GRIM REAPER**

a. 101715H ON INSERT RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE AS TH
DEPARTED HELO. INSERTION ABORTED, VIC AT978125

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CONFIDENTIAL**C. PATROL LOCATIONS**

1. TAKE OUT "A" (11)(2 MEN) VIC A18237
2. TAKE OUT "B" (11)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "C" (11)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. ICEBOUND (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. PICKWICK PAPER (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. SCANDANAVIA (21 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. BARKLEP (23 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENIATOR (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. ALA KING (12 MEN) VIC AT8317
11. MAD HATTER (7 MEN) VIC AT8172
12. GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1843
13. LIL ABNER (8 MEN) VIC ZC0970
14. DEERLODGE (6 MEN) VIC AT8342
15. IPSWICH (7 MEN) VIC ZC1362

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS-FOR 11 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. GRUI REAPER (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9615 LR AT988120)
2. LADY'S TAN (13 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2071 LR ZC2170) (2 TMS)
3. PALMA HAT (32 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0775 LR ZC1372) (1 TMS)
4. DISTRESS TIDE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT6061 LR AT8359)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-FOR 11 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. TORROUND (16 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2071 LR ZC2170) (2 TMS)
2. DEER LODGE (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8142 LR AT8540)

SETTING DAY REPORT:

A. TMD-84

B. TERM

C. AT7952

D. PERTIFY/28 MAY 69/46

E. PERTIFY/10 MAY 69/46

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K. 1 HOOTCH DESTROYED

A. TMD-92

B. CCHI

C. AT7952

D. SCANDIAVIA/10 JUN 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, DRUG

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CONFIDENTIAL**STING RAY REPORT: (CONT)**

A. IID-81

A. IID-91

B. TERM

B. CONT

C. AT8382

C. AT8382

D. SCREEN TEST/24 MAY 69/46

D. PICK-UP PAPER/10 JUN 69/46

E. SCREEN TEST/10 JUN 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: CONTINUE 1

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 100000H TO 202400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQBN AND 9

MAN RIDGELINE SCTY IS DEPLOYED

NOTE # 1 100800H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK

VIC AT945700, AT914578, AT914587, AT919598, AT925533, AT924606, AT945706.

RETURNED 101300H WITH NEG RES.

NOTE # 2 INSERT OF GRIN REAPER ABORTED DUE TO ENEMY FIRE ON LZ. SEE

NOTE IN SIGNIFINGS & CONTACT No. 6.

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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

CG 101ST ABN DIV CE RVN

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

HAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

CO C FIFTH SEGA DNG RVN

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ACTION 0

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #162-69 110001H TO 112400H JUN 69 (U)

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I (C) OF 11 OPER RECON TIS THERE ARE 21 TIS OPER AT 16 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46's: 2 UH-1G COBRA: 1 CH-53)

1. INSERT LADY'S MAN (13 MEN) AT 110945H VIC ZC2070
2. INSERT PANAMA HAT "A" (8 MEN) AT 111115H VIC ZC1173
3. INSERT PANAMA HAT "A" (8 MEN) AT 111140H VIC ZC1173
4. INSERT PANAMA HAT "B" (8 MEN) AT 111140H VIC ZC0972
5. INSERT PANAMA HAT "C" (8 MEN) AT 111245H VIC ZC0972
6. INSERT SLAVE CREEK (8 MEN) AT 111245H VIC ZC1566
7. INSERT RESTLESS TIDE (8 MEN) AT 111315H VIC AT8060
8. EXTRACT ICEBOUND (16 MEN) AT 110945H VIC ZC2070
9. DEER LODGE (6 MEN) AT 111345H VIC AT8341 (EXTRACT)

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGNALINGS & CONTACT****1. SENATOR IED-87**

- a. (LE) 102045H: DUFFEL BAG WITH 47 READINGS VIC BT02754778. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET MOVEMENT CEASED.
- b. (LE) 101945H OBS 10 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S HEAVY PACKS MOVING "W" ON TRAIL VIC BT002477; CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET; TROOPS DISPERSED.
- c. (LE) 102120H DUFFEL BAG WITH 48 READINGS; CONTINUOUS MOVEMENT VIC BT02754778, CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET; MOVEMENT CEASED.
- d. (LE) 102125H OBS 8 VC PACKS, MOVING "E" VIC AT994480, CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET; 2 VC THROWN INTO RICE PADDIES.
- e. (LE) 102140H DUFFEL BAG WITH 21 READINGS VIC BT027477, CALLED FM; BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE.
- f. 110045H DUFFEL BAG WITH 18 READINGS VIC BT027477 CALLED FM; GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET MOVEMENT CEASED.
- g. 110300H DUFFEL BAG WITH 16-20 VC MOVING "E" VIC AT994480, CALLED FM; GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET. DISPERSED, TH UNABLE TO OBS RES. DUE TO DARKNESS.

2. SCANDANAVIA IED-92

- a. (LE) 101820H OBS 30 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES MOVING "W", CALLED FM; EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, ENEMY MOVED INTO TREELINE; UNABLE TO OBS RES. ENEMY LOCATION VIC AT807480.

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CONFIDENTIAL**D. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)**

b. (LE) 101730H OBS 10 VC/NVA PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING
 "W" CALLED FM, GAVE END OF MISSION BECAUSE COULD NOT LOCATE
 OBS, CLEARANCE DELAYED 45 MIN. DUE TO AIRAC IN AREA. VIC ZC

c. (LE) 101915H OBS 15 VC/NVA KHAKIES, PACKS, RIFLES
 MOVING "W" VIC ZC107197, CALLED FM; GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET
 COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

d. 111615 OBS 1 BOAT WITH 1 LARGE CRATE ON BOARD FLOATING
 "E" ON RIVER. VIC ZC206546, CALLED FM; OUTSTANDING
 COVERAGE OF TARGET; BOAT DESTROYED.

3. ALA KING 11D-90

a. 110915H OBS 12 VC WITH BLACK PJ'S & KHAKIES
 FIELD TOOLS, 2-4 RIFLES, 2 LARGE PACKS, VIC AT877380.
 TI CALLED FM, WHILE AWAITING CLEARANCE VC LEFT AREA HEADING
 "SE".

b. 111100H OBS 10 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S AND KHAKIES, VIC
 AT877380, 6 WERE WORKING, 1 STANDING SGT, 1 IN
 PAGODA, 2 TRIPPING FIRE. THEY HAD FIELD TOOLS, PACKS
 AND SIGNAL GONG, CALLED FM GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET
 ENEMY FLED "SE" AND "W". GONG WITH TI STATED INDIVIDUALS
 WERE VC.

4. MAD HATTER

a. 111810H OBS 3 VC/NVA, PACKS, RIFLES, KHAKIES, VIC
 AT819714. TI ENGAGED WITH SMALL ARMS, RES 1 ENEMY KIA
 (UNIT UTK), 1 9mm PISTOL, ASSORTED MEDICAL GEAR. 1 USMC NCO,
 1 USMC NIA, TI RECEIVED TACTICAL EMERGENCY EXTRACTION.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "I" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT0382
4. LADY'S MAN (13 MEN) (2 TIS) VIC ZC2070
5. PICKWICK PAPER (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. SCANDINAVIA (25 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. BARKER (23 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT9050
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN) (2 TIS) VIC AT9946
10. ALA KING (12 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. NEW BARKER (23 MEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT9050
12. GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1888
13. LIL ABNER (8 MEN) VIC ZC1069
14. IPSWICH (7 MEN) VIC ZC1165
15. SLATE CREEK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1566
16. NESTLESS TIDE (8 MEN) VIC AT8060
17. PANAMA HAT "B" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1073
18. PANAMA HAT "A" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1173
19. PANAMA HAT "F" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0972
20. PANAMA HAT "C" (3 MEN) VIC ZC0973

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CONFIDENTIAL**D. PLANNED INSERTIONS-FOR 12 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)**

1. DELIVERY BOY (23 MEN)(3 TIS) HAVEN (UL AT9852 IR BT0050)
2. FUDGE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT0995 IR AT9190)
3. REWARD MONEY (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC11466 LR ZC1764)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-FOR 12 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. BARKEEP (23 MEN)(3 TIS) HAVEN (UL AT9852 IR BT0050)
2. LIL ANTER (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0971 LR ZC1269)
3. IPS-ICH (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1266 LR ZC1564)

STING RAY REPORT:

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A. IID-93

B. TERN

B. CORN

C. ZC205704

C. ZC205704

D. ICEBOUND/29 May 69/53

D. LADY'S MAN/11 Jun 69/53

E. ICEBOUND/11 Jun 69/53

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

F, G, H, I, NONE

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K. NONE

FIRST RECON IN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMPLETE 1

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON IN (REAR AREA) 11000H TO 112400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE IS DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQBN AND 9
T.M.
MAN RIDGELINE SCTY DEPLOYED.

NOTE: #1 ILLEGON ALA KING. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC 1 NBC CAS,
(POSSIBLE APPENDICITIS)

NOTE: #2 111500H SCANDANAVIA. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC

1 NBC CAS, (POSSIBLE APPENDICITIS)

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NOTE: # 3 INSERT OF GRIN REAPER POSTPONED UNTIL HAVEN RECEIVED AIRLIGHT.

NOTE # 4 HAD HATTER WAS EXTRACTED DUE TO TACTICAL EMERGENCY. SEE

~~SWEEPINGS & CONTACT # 4.~~

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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU-LAI RVN

CG 101ST AIR DIV CE RVN

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

CO C FIFTH SEGA DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON IN SEC RPT 163-69 12000H TO 122400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 11 OPEN RECON TIS THERE ARE 2 TIS OPR AT 16 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAC

A. INSANTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1G COBRA)

1. INSERT REWARD MONEY (6 MEN) AT 121020H VIC ZC1465
2. INSERT FUDGE (3 MEN) AT 121045H VIC AT0990
3. INSERT DELIVERY BOY (27 MEN) (3 TIS) AT 121115H VIC AT9850
4. EXTRACT LIL ADLER (3 MEN) AT 121005H VIC ZC1069
5. EXTRACT IPSWICH (7 MEN) AT 121020H VIC ZC1465
6. EXTRACT BAR KEEP (23 MEN) (3 TIS) AT 121115H VIC AT9850

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ACTION: 0

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS****1. SENATOR IND-87**

a. (LE) 111930H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE READING OF 22 VIC
BT02751778. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT
CEASED.

b. (LE) 111930H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE READING OF 9 VIC
BT00205060. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT
CEASED.

c. (LE) 111930H OBS 2 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S 1 RIFLE VIC
AT9971467. FIRED M-79 VC/NVA MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.

d. (LE) 112025H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OBS 150 VC/NVA
MOVING "F" WITH PACKS VIC AT99351801. CALLED FM,
OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET, OBS ABOUT 140 MOVE INTO
TREELINE.

e. (LE) 112020H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OBS 1 VC/NVA, BLACK
PJ'S AROUND WIRE, VIC AT996465, FIRED WITH M-79 AND SMALL
ARMS, VC MOVED OUT OF AREA.

f. (LE) 111955H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OBS 20 VC/NVA PACKS,
RIFLES, KNAKING MOVING "F" ON TRAIL, VIC AT99351801,
CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET. 10 VC WERE OBS
RUNNING FROM IMPACT OF ROUTES.

g. (LE) 112100H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE READING OF 65, VIC
BT02751778. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT
CEASED.

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****SERVIATOR (CONT)**

b. (LE) 112115H HAD UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF ENEMY IN WIRE, 20-50 METERS TO OUR "S" AND "H". THREW FRAGS AND W.P., ALSO FIRED SMALL ARMS, WHILE MOVING OUT OF WIRE ENEMY TRIPPED FLARE. AT 120870H BLOOD STAINS WERE FOUND.

1. (LE) 112135H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE READING OF 22 VIC BTO2754778, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

j. (LE) 112220H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE READING OF 22 VIC BTO2754778, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

k. (LE) 112207H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OBS 15 VC/WA BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, HIDING IN TRE-LINE VIC BTO05484, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

1. (LE) 112345H OBS UNUSUAL LIGHTS MOVING AT BASE OF HILL VIC AT995509, FIRED H-79 & MOVEMENT CEASED.

m. 124410H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OBS 180 VC MOVING "H" ON TRAIL IN GROUPS OF 15 TO 20 VIC AT991480, LOST COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

n. 120830H FOUND 1 OBS POST VIC AT997465.

2. PANAMA HAT "6"

a. 120930H HEARD MORTAR & SMALL ARMS FIRE VIC BTO974.

3. PANAMA HAT "A"

a. 121030H FOUND 1 PLT SIZE HARBOR SITE VIC ZOLL1729, APPEARED TO BE 1 MONTH OLD.

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****4. PANAMA HAT "B"**

- a. (LE) 111500H FOUND 1 HOOTH, VIC ZOO94721, 3' HIGH FENCE, 1 BAMBOO LADDER GOING TO TREETOP 60' HIGH. NO RECENT ACTIVITY.
- b. 120950H OBS 1 NVA/VC PACK, RIFLE, GREEN UTILITIES. VIC ZOO83725, USED SMALL ARMS, VC/NVA MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.
- c. 121400H FOUND WELL USED TRAIL, 3' WIDE, RUNNING "E" TO "W". (1) - 10 MAN HOOTH, WELL USED, BOTH VIC ZOO79729.

5. PANAMA HAT "C"

- a. (LE) 111300H FOUND HOOTH STRUCTURE, 2 FOX HOLES, TRAIL INTERSECTION, VIC ZOO96724. NO RECENT ACTIVITY.

6. DURHAM IID-89

- a. (LE) 111920H OBS 3 VC/NVA PACKS, MOVING "W" VIC AT836176. NOTIFIED SCANDANAVIA AND ADJUSTED MORTAR FIRE, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

7. ALA KITE IID-90

- a. 120830H OBS 15-20 VC, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, KNAKIES, RIFLES, FIELD TOOLS, VIC AT878376, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET. 4 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA'S, (UNIT UK).
- b. 120920H OBS 2 VC & 4 BUNKERS, VIC AT877378, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, VC MOVED INTO BUNKERS & BUNKERS DESTROYED.

8. SCANDANAVIA IID-92

- a. 121530H OBS 1 VC/NVA BLACK/PJ'S, RIFLES, DIGGING TUNNEL, VIC AT812493, CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES.

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CONFIDENTIAL**D. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****SCANDINAVIA (CONT)**

- b. 121615H OBS 20 VC/NVA MOVING "W" TO "E" WITH
PACKS & RIFLES, VIC ZC201514. CALLED FM WITH EXCELLENT
COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO HIGH GRASS.
- c. 121730H OBS 10 NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES,
FLAK JACKETS, MOVING "W" TO "E" VIC AT815194, AT820195.
CALLED FM WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET. LAUNDRY MAN
14 TOOK OVER FM USING AO.

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CONFIDENTIAL**C. PATROL LOCATIONS**

1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "L" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. LADY'S MAN (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. PICKWICK PAPER (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. SCANDINAVIA (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DELIVERY BOY (27 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. ALA KING (12 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. REWARD MONEY (6 MEN) VIC ZC1565
12. GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1887
13. SLATE CREEK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1667
14. PANAMA HAT "6" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1074
15. PANAMA HAT "A" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1272
16. PANAMA HAT "B" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0773
17. PANAMA HAT "C" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0973
18. RESTLESS TIDE (3 MEN) VIC AT8160
19. FUDGE (3 MEN) VIC ZC8992

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CONFIDENTIAL**D. PLANNED INSERTIONS-FOR 13 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)**

1. WEDDING RING (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT7946 LR AT8244)
2. PONY BOY (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8637 LR AT8834)

E. NONE**SPRING RAY REPORT:****A. ID-82****B. TERM****C. AT9850****D. BARKEP/27 May 69/46****E. BARKEP/12 Jun 69/46****F. 13****G. 7****H. 1****I. 8****a. 1 P.O.W.****J. NONE****K. NONE****A. ID-94****B. CQEN****C. AT9850****D. DELIVERY BOY/12 Jun 69/46****E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE****FIRST RECON IN DAILY SPRING RAY REGAP: COMMENCE 1****TERMINATE 1****CONTINUE 5****UNCLASSIFIED****ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON IN (REAR AREA) 12000H TO 122400H JUN 69**

**A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIRECT SUP HQ. PLUS
9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TEL.**

**NOTE: #1 120725H: DIVING TEL DEPARTED RECON IN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK
VIC AT928842, AT926866, AT928863; RETURNED AT 120915 WITH NEG RES.**

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IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAU DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CIU LAI RVN

CG 101ST AIR DIV CE RVN

FIFTH MAR AIR HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON IN SIT RPT #164-69 130000H TO 132400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 11 OF 2 RECON TIS THERE ARE 27 TIS OPER AT 19 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR

A. INSERTIONS AND EXT ACTIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1G COBRA: 1 CH-53)

1. INSERT POLY BOX (7 MEN) AT 131100H VIC AT8636

2. INSERT WEDDING RING (9 MEN) AT 131150H VIC AT8245

3. INSERT SEGMENT (8 MEN) AT 131720H VIC AT9742

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. SENATOR IND-87**

a. (LE) 122005H DUFFEL BAG READING OF 200 VC/NVA WITH MIXED UTILITIES, KHAKIES, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W" TO "E", VIC BT002482. CALLED FM WITH OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET.

b. (LE) 122155H DUFFEL BAG READING OF 30, VIC BT0274778. CALLED FM WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

c. (LE) 122130H OBS 60 VC/NVA WITH MIXED UTILITIES, PACKS, MOVING "E", VIC BT003482. ENEMY MOVED INTO TREELINE BEFORE FM COULD BE CALLED.

d. 130330H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 18 VC/NVA WITH BLACK PJ'S, HEAVY PACKS, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL, VIC AT99424804. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD ONLY OBS 6 RUNNING AFTER IMPACT OF ROUNDS.

e. 130400H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 25 VC/NVA WITH BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, VIC BT00364825. MOVING "W" ON TRAIL. CALLED FM, COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

2. PANAMA HAT "A"

a. (LE) 121815H FOUND 2 BUNKERS, 1½'x5'x3', NOT RECENTLY USED, VIC ZC123726.

3. PANAMA HAT "C"

a. (LE) 121440H FOUND WELL USED TRAIL RUNNING "NE" TO "SW" & 10-15 FOXHOLES, VIC ZC095730.

b. (LE) 121405 FOUND 1 HOOTCH, 1 FOXHOLE, & 2 BUNKERS, VERY OLD, VIC ZC094721.

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a. (LE) 121900H OBS 30 NVA WITH GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "SE", VIC AT802197. CALLED FM WITH OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET, 2 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK), 2 HOOTCHES & 1 BUNKER DESTROYED.

5. DELIVERY BOY IMD-94

a. (LE) 122045H OBS 12 VC/NVA WITH PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "E" VIC BT001507. CALLED FM, BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE.

b. (LE) 122030H OBS 6-10 VC/NVA WITH PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "H" VIC AT988520. CALLED FM, BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE.

6. DURHAM IMD-89

a. 130605H OBS 20 VC/NVA BROWN KHAKIE, SHORTS, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W" VIC AT806459. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO VEGETATION.

7. RESTLESS TIDE

a. 131340H HEARD 1 EXPLOSION AND 2 RIFLE SHOTS VIC AT806621.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "X" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. LADY'S MAN (13 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. PICKNICK PAPER (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. SCANDINAVIA (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DELIVERY BOY (27 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. ALA KING (12 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. REWARD MONEY (6 MEN) VIC ZC1565
12. GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1987
13. FUDGE (8 MEN) VIC AT9093
14. SLATE CREEK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1667
15. RESTLESS TIDE (8 MEN) VIC AT8259
16. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC AT8636
17. WEDDING RING (9 MEN) VIC AT8245
18. SUGGEST (8 MEN) VIC AT9742
19. PANAMA HAT "6" (3 MEN) VIC ZC1074
20. PANAMA HAT "A" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1274
21. PANAMA HAT "B" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0972
22. PANAMA HAT "C" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0972

*NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN DIR SUP OF PIPESTONE CANYON

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS--FOR 14 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. YOUTH (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8270 LR AT8568)
2. RAZOR BILL (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8262 LR AT 8560)
3. PETRIFY (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1988 LR AT8186)
4. MINK COAT (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9845 LR BT010435)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS--FOR 14 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. RESTLESS TIDE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8061 LR AT8359)
2. GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1889 LR ZC2086)
3. SLATE CREEK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1569 LR ZC1766)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 130001H TO 132400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQBN/PLUS 9
MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

NOTE: # 1 130700H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK
VIC ZC015715, ZC032649, AT990641, AT997706; RETURNED AT131026H WITH NEG
RES.

NOTE: # 2 131515H FUDGE. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC 1 NBC CAS
(BROKEN LEG).

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III MAR FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #165-69 14000h TO 142400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 14 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 26 TMS OPER AT 18 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR (3 D FLAT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN OPON
 FIRST RECON BN (3 TMS).

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S: 1 UH-1G COBRA)

1. INSERT MINK COAT (7 MEN) AT 140950H VIC AT9946
2. INSERT PETRIEX (9 MEN) AT 141610H VIC ZC1987
3. RAZOR BILL (8 MEN) AT 141710H VIC AT8259 (INSERT)
4. EXTRACT FUDGE (8 MEN) AT 141545 VIC AT9092
5. EXTRACT GOOD LUCK (8 MEN) AT 141610 VIC ZC1987
6. EXTRACT SLATE CREEK (8 MEN) AT 141610 VIC ZC1987
7. EXTRACT RESTLESS TIDE (8 MEN) AT 141710 VIC AT8259

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. SENATOR IMD-87**

a. (LE) 131950H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 7 VC/NVA WITH BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL VIC BT003482. USED MORTAR, ROUNDS SHORT, VC MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.

b. (LE) 132010H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 28 VC/NVA WITH BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL VIC BT003482. USED MORTAR, ROUNDS SHORT, VC MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.

c. (LE) 132050H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 40 NVA WITH PACKS MOVING "E" ON TRAIL VIC BT003482. CALLED FM. BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE, NVA MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.

d. (LE) 132055H DUFFEL BAG WITH 19 READINGS, VIC BT027477. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

e. (LE) 132100H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 9 VC, BLACK PJ'S MOVING "W" ON TRAIL VIC AT994480. USED 81mm MORTAR, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, OBS 5 VC FALL IN RICE PADDIES.

f. (LE) 132105H DUFFEL BAG READING "43" VIC BT 027477. CALLED FM, ROUNDS ON TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

g. (LE) 132215H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 26 READINGS, VIC BT02754778. CALLED FM, MOVEMENT CEASED.

2. SCANDANAVIA IMD-92

a. (LE) 131800H OBS 40 NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, MOVING "W" ON PADDY DYKE. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

b. (LE) 132145H OBS 10 LIGHTS CROSSING RIVER "S" TO "N", VIC AT845548. CALLED FM, LIGHTS WENT OUT.

c. (LE) 132230H OBS 3 - 50 CAL. POS FIRING AT AO & FIXED WING, VIC AT8450. COULD NOT ESTIMATE

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****2. SCANDANAVIA (CONT)**

d. 141030H ~~FOUND~~ 1 HARBOR SITE VIC AT805525. SITE CONTAINED 2 BUNKERS, 1 CONCEALED FIRE PLACE, NUMEROUS BLOOD TRAILS. EST. 20 VC/NVA STAYED HERE IN LAST FEW DAYS.

e. 141125H ~~FOUND~~ 7 BUNKERS WITH 3 FR SH SETS OF FOOT PRINTS, VIC AT807528. BUNKERS WERE NEW AND BUILT IN WALL OF STREAM BED.

f. 141210H ~~FOUND~~ ONE WOMEN 25-30 YEARS OLD HIDING IN BUNKER VIC AT807527. DETAINED AND TURNED OVER TO 5TH MAR REG.

g. 141130H ~~FOUND~~ 25 BUNKERS DUG INTO STREAM BED VIC AT806525 TO AT807527. BUNKERS WERE 4'x4'x6'.

h. 141135H OBS 1 VC, BLACK PJ'S, RIFLE CARTRIDGE BELT, MOVING "W" ON STREAM, VIC AT806525. ~~ENGAGED WITH SMALL ARMS~~ SEARCHED AREA, ^{RESULTS} NEG ~~SIGN OF~~ VC.

3. DELIVERY BOY IMD-94

a. (LE) 132240H OBS 3 VC WITH BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W" ^{ON} ~~ALONG~~ TRAIL, VIC AT987497. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET. UNABLE TO OBS RESULTS DUE TO DARKNESS.

b. (LE) 132220H OBS 2 VC BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W", VIC AT98915180. CALLED FM, ~~GAVE END OF MISSION~~ DUE TO ROUNDS DANGER CLOSE.

4. SECTMENT

a. (LE) 131805H OBS 40 VC/NVA DARK BLUE SHIRTS, BLACK SHORTS CARRYING RIFLES AND PACKS, VIC AT977122. CALLED FM; CP8 CAME ON STATION AND UTILIZED FIXED WING; EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET. COULD NOT OBS DUE TO VEGETATION.

b. 141810H 10 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W" ON WELL USED TRAIL. NEG ACTION. WAS TA ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
VIC AT960418

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****5. WEDDING RING**

a. 141050H ~~FOUND~~ ONE SLEEPING PLACE USED RECENTLY, VIC

AT820441.

b. ~~FOUND~~ 1 BOMB SHELTER RECENTLY USED, VIC AT819440; HAD

TUNNEL ENTRANCE 10' LONG. SHELTER WAS 6'x10'x4'.

c. 141115H ~~FOUND~~ 1 HOOTCH RECENTLY USED VIC AT819440.

HOOTCH WAS 5'x6'x4'.

6. PANAMA HAT "A"

a. 141000H ~~FOUND~~ ONE TRAIL RUNNING "N" TO "S" ON FINGER,

VIC ZC124744. ~~SHOWS~~ NO SIGN OF RECENT USE.

b. 141100H ~~FOUND~~ ONE 2 MAN HOOTCH ON TRAIL, VIC ZC122747

HOOTCH WAS 2-3 MONTHS OLD. TRAIL SHOWS RECENT USE.

7. REWARD MONEY

a. 140230H OBS 3 VC/NVA WALKING "NE" DOWN TRAIL, VIC

ZC155659. ENEMY WERE CARRYING FLASHLIGHTS. NEG ACTION.

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1. TAKE OUT "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
2. TAKE OUT "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
3. TAKE OUT "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
4. LADY'S MAN (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. PICKWICK PAPER (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. SCANDANAVIA (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. DURHAM (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DELIVERY BOY (27 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. SENATOR (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. ALA KING (12 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. EDWARD MONEY (6 MEN) VIC ZC1665
12. PETRIFY (9 MEN) VIC ZC1987
13. RAZOR BILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8260
14. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC AT8635
15. PANAMA HAT "6" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1073
16. PANAMA HAT "A" (8 MEN) VIC ZC1174
17. PANAMA HAT "B" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0972
18. PANAMA HAT "C" (8 MEN) VIC ZC0972
19. WEDDING RING (9 MEN) VIC AT8143
20. SEGMENT (9 MEN) VIC AT9742
21. MINK COAT (7 MEN) VIC AT9944

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CONFIDENTIAL**D. PLANNED INSERTIONS-FOR 15 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)**

1. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0955 LR ZC1253)
2. LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1666 LR ZC1964)
3. YOUTH (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8270 LR AT8568)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-FOR 15 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. PANAMA HAT "A", "6" (16 MEN)(2 TIS) HAVEN (UL ZC0775 LR ZC1372)
2. PANAMA HAT "B", "C" (16 MEN)(2 TIS) HAVEN (UL ZC0775 LR ZC1372)
3. REWARD MONEY (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1466 LR ZC1764)
4. SEGMENT (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9543 LR AT9941)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BY DAILY STING RAY RECAP: CONFERENCE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 14000H TO 142400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

NOTE: # 1 141850H: SEGMENT. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC 1 NBC CAS, (FRACTURED ANKLES).

NOTE: # 2 FUDGE EXTRACTED DUE TO REQUEST OF 26TH MAR REGT.

NOTE: # 3 INSERT OF YOUTH NOT COMPLETED DUE TO DARKNESS.

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TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #166-69 150000N TO 152400N JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 13 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 22 TMS OPER AT 11 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 3RD FLT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN OPCON FIRST RECON BN (2 TMS VICE 3 TMS)

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (3 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)

1. INSERT SPOON HILL (6 MEN) AT 151245H VIC AT8469
2. INSERT REPORT CARD (7 MEN) AT 151300H VIC ZC0953
3. INSERT LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) AT 151425H VIC ZC1555
4. EXTRACT RING BROOK (8 MEN) AT 151140H VIC AT9742
5. EXTRACT NIGHT SCHOLAR (32 MEN) (10:45 P. AT 151245H VIC ZC0953, ZC0972
6. EXTRACT DATE PAIM (6 MEN) AT 151125H VIC ZC1555
7. EXTRACT PRIME CUT (7 MEN) AT 151945H VIC AT9944.

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3. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT

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BRASS BOOTS (WEDDING RING)

(LE) a. 111630H FOUND 1 ENEMY SURPRISE FIRING DEVICE (CHICOM GRENADES) IN TREE VIC AT811436.

2. LUCKY LARK (SCANDANAVIA) IMD-91

(LE) a. 111835H OBS 6 NVA, KHAKIES, PACKS, RIFLES MOVING "E" VIC ZC203544. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, 1 CONFIRMED KIA (UNK UNIT).

(LE) a. 111915H OBS 10-12 NVA GREEN UTILITIES, RIFLES, PACKS, MOVING "W" VIC AT818502. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET COULD NOT OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

e. 151145H OBS 1 SAMPAN, MOVING "W" TO "E", VIC AT814544. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, SAMPAN DESTROYED.

3. RUTAGE (DURHAM) IMD-89

(LE) a. 111945H OBS 7 VC/NVA, DARK UTILITIES, RIFLES, MOVING "E" VIC AT818471. COORDINATED FM WITH LAUNDRY MAN, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

4. PARKER PEN (SENATOR) IMD-87

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(LE) a. 112000H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE 10 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL VIC AT98404773. CALLED FM EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RESULTS DUE TO DARKNESS.

(LE) b. 112007H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE 60 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S MOVING "E" ON TRAIL, VIC BT00364825. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS

(LE) c. 112050H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE READING OF 75-CENT MOVEMENT VIC BT02754778. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

d. 150100H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 23 READINGS, VIC BT027477.

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d. (CONT) CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

e. 150305H DUFFEL BAG READING OF 86, VIC BT027477. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

f. 150555H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 2 VC/NVA & CART, KHAKIES, PICKING UP BODIES. CALLED FM, BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE. VIC AT98404773.

5. DEFEND (DELIVERY BOY) THD-94

(LE) a. 142230H OBS 3 NVA BLACK PJ'S, MOVING AROUND 50 CAL Pcs. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, RECEIVED END OF MISSION DUE TO CHECK FIRE VIC AT985575.

b. 150530H OBS 2 STATIONARY LIGHTS IN VILLAGE, VIC AT985519. CALLED FM, BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE.

6. RING BROOM

a. 150730H OBS 20 VC/NVA BLACK PJ'S, RIFLES, APPROACHING TM, VIC AT977421. TM ENGAGED WITH GRENADES & SA FIRE, OBS 5 ENEMY WIA.

b. 150900H TM RECEIVED INCOMING ENEMY GRENADES, VIC AT977421, RESULTING IN 2 MINOR FRIENDLY WIA'S. AO'S ARRIVED, DIRECTED DIRECT FIRE & FIXED WING/ON TARGET; ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. TM EXTRACTED UNDER FIRE AT151123H.

7. PRIME CUT

a. 151700H OBS APPROX 60 NVA CARTRIDGE BELTS, PACKS, RIFLES (AK-47'S) VIC AT998439. TM ENGAGED WITH SMALL ARMS RES IN 1 USMC WIA (M). GP 10, 12, 2; CAME ON STATION AND ADJUSTED FIXED WING & DELIVERED ORD. TM EXTRACTED 151945 VIC AT995448.

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2. ~~(S)~~ (U) (C) (P) (R) (E) (M) (I) (N) ITC AT-297

1. DATE APPROVED BY (2-1)(2 MEM) VIC ZC2070

4. DEPORTED SUBJECTS (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIO 7-25-70

3. 000 2000 (9 MAR) VTC 018352

7. TYPE DATE (25 MAR) (3 THU) VIC AT7952

7. INVESTIGATION (26 MEM) (3 TMS) VIC AT3215

* B. Bureau (24 pages) (3 TIS) VIC AT0850

4. 2. CARRIED OUT (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9916

10. ~~MALE~~ ~~MALE~~ (12 MEN) VTC AT8337

SECRET (9 MAR) VIC 201986

7-14-68 10:00 PM (C. HEN) VIC AT8261

7-7-68 10:00 AM. RATES (7 MEN) VIG AT8635

1. The first step is to identify the problem. This involves understanding the situation and the goals that need to be achieved.

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D. PLANNED EXTRACTIIONS-FOR 16 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

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1. RABBIT BUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT811463 LR AT830445)

2. DATE PALM (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8736 LR AT9034)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTION-FOR 16 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. RUTMAGE (24 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT811463 LR AT830445)

2. PARALLEL BARS (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8057 LR AT8334)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 6

ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 150001H TO 152400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MAN
RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

NOTE: # 1 150845H DETROIT TIGERS. COMPLETED A ROUTINE MED-EVAC 1 NBC CAS
(SCHRAPNEL IN LEFT LEG)

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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

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CG 101ST ARN DIV CEE RVN

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

NAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

CG 6 FIFTH SEGA DNG RVN

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FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT 167-69 160001H TO 162400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 13 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 22 TMS OPER AT 14 IDC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACB.

1. INSURPTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CR-16'S: 2 UH-1G GORRA)

1. INSERT RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) AT 161025H VIC AT8245

2. INSERT DATE PALM (7 MEN) AT 161230H VIC AT8245

3. EXTRACT RUMAGE (26 MEN) (3 TMS) AT 161025H VIC AT8245

4. EXTRACT PARALLEL BARS (7 MEN) AT 161230H VIC AT8245

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B. SIGHTING & CONTACT

1. SPOON BILL

- a. LE 151555H FOUND 1 FIGHTING HOLE 3"x4"x4", VIC AT841703
- b. LE 151640H FOUND RECENTLY USED TRAIL LEADING INTO CAVE VIC AT841702. CAVE WOULD ACCOMMODATE 14 MEN.

2. LUCKY LARK IMD-92

- a. LE 151915H OBS 30 NVA WITH RIFLES, GREEN UTILITIES, MOVING "S", VIC AT814575. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.
- b. LE 151945H OBS 12 VC/NVA, PACKS, RIFLES, GREEN UTILITIES, MOVING "W", VIC AT808503. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.
- c. 160830H OBS 1VC, BLACK PJ'S, VIC AT790540. TM APPREHENDED VC BY WOUNDING HIM. MEDEVAC COMPLETE 160905H. TAKEN TO G-4, NSA

3. PARKER PEN IMD-87

- a. LE 152000H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 356 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "E" ON TRAIL, VIC BT003482. CALLED FM, NEG CLEARANCE DUE TO FRIENDLIES IN AREA.

4. DEFEND IMD-94

- a. LE 152030H OBS 4 VC/NVA, HEAVY PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING ACROSS SANDBAR, VIC AT989518. CALLED FM, GAVE END OF MISSION DUE TO BATTERY BEING IN USE ON ANOTHER FM. ENEMY MOVED OUT OF SIGHT
- b. 161215H OBS 2 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W", VIC AT979523. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES.

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****5. GRASS ROOTS**

a. 160920H OBS 2 VC/NVA, KHAKIES, RIFLES, PACKS, CART BELTS, VIC AT794438. TM MADE POINT CONTACT & RETURNED FIRE. RES = 1 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

b. 160925H OBS 6 NVA, KHAKIES, RIFLES, PACKS, CART BELTS, FOLLOWING TM, VIC AT794438. TM MADE POINT CONTACT & RETURNED FIRE RES IN 2 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

6. CONGA POINT

a. 161000H FOUND 9, (2 MAN) FIGHTING HOLES, VIC ZC178652.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. BALANCE "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. DETROIT TIGERS (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. BAD ACTOR (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. LUCKY LARK (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFEND (27 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. PARKER PEN (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. BALANCE "A" (12 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. SERVICEMAN (9 MEN) VIC ZC2086
12. COFFEE TIME (8 MEN) VIC AT8461
13. DATE PALM (7 MEN) VIC AT8834
14. LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1765
15. SPOON BILL (6 MEN) VIC AT8369
16. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) VIC ZC1154
17. GRASS ROOTS (9 MEN) VIC ZC2143

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS FOR 17 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8364 LR AT8561)

2. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2044 LR AT8012)

3. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2050 LR AT 7947)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS FOR 17 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. COFFEE TIME (8 MEN) HAVEN (ULAT8262 LR AT8560)

2. GRASS ROOTS (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT7944 LR AT8242)

STING RAY REPORT:

A. IMD-89

A. IMD-95

B. TERM

B. COMM

C. AT8245

C. AT8245

D. DUE DATE /1 JUN 69/46

D. RABBIT HUTCH/16 JUN 69/46

E. RUMMAGE/16 JUN 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

F. 8

G. 6

H. 1

I, J, K, NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 1

TERMINATE 1

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 160001H TO 162100H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE IS DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MAN

RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

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IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

DRAFTER

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

FIRST RECON BN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAW DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

CG 101ST ABN DIV CEE RVN

ACTION O

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

INFO PP

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

CLASSIFICATION

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TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #168-69 170001H TO 172400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 13 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 23 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1E GUNSHIP)

1. INSERT PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) AT 171055H VIC AT8461

2. INSERT MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) AT 171115H VIC ZC211C

3. INSERT FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) AT 171215H VIC ZC2119

4. EXTRACT COFFEE TIME (8 MEN) AT 171055H VIC AT8461

5. EXTRACT GRASS ROOTS (9 MEN) AT 171115H VIC ZC2113

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. LUCKY LARK IND-92**

a. (LE) 161925H OBS 22 NVA, WITH GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "E" TO "W", VIC AT822502. CALLED FM WITH OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET. RES 5 ENEMY KIA'S (UNIT UNK).

2. LUNGA POINT

a. (LE) 161630H FOUND 1 PUNJI PIT, 6'x6'x2' WITH 15 TO 20 STAKES INSIDE, VIC ZC179652.

3. DEFEND IND-94

a. LE 162245H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 3 VC/NVA IN HOOTCH. VIC AT985515, 50 CAL FIRE CAME FROM THIS HOOTCH EARLIER. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

b. 171445H OBS 10 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL, VIC AT986538. CALLED FM, BATTERY IN CHECK FIRE. RECALLED FM AT 171545H, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS DAMAGE DUE TO TREELINE.

4. BALANCE "A" IND-90

a. 170900H OBS 12 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, FIELD TOOLS, 4 RIFLES, 4 STANDING IN GROUP, 8 WORKING IN FIELD, VIC AT873392. CALLED FM, VC FLED TO "NE" BEFORE ADJUSTMENTS COULD BE MADE.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. BALANCE "X" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. DETROIT TIGERS (13 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. BAD ACTOR (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. LUCKY LARK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFEND (27 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. PARKER PEN (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. BALANCE "A" (12 MEN) VIC AT8337
11. SERVICEMAN (9 MEN) VIC AT8087
12. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) VIC AT8461
13. DATE PALM (7 MEN) VIC AT8934
14. LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1864
15. SPOON BILL (6 MEN) VIC AT8469
16. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) VIC ZC1154
17. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2049
18. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) VIC ZC2142

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. PLANNED INSERTIONS-~~FOR~~ 18 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)**

1. CAROUSEL (14 MEN) (2 TNS) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)
2. SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8089 LR AT8387)
3. RECORD (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1865 LR ZC2163)
4. GRADE LEVEL (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0287 LR ZC0485)
5. MAY FLY (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0487 LR ZC0685)
6. BENCH MARK (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9344 LR AT9642)
7. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8069 LR AT8367)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-~~FOR~~ 18 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. BALANCE "A" (12 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)
2. SERVICEMAN (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1988 LR AT8186)
3. LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1666 LR ZC1964)
4. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0955 LR ZC1253)
5. SPOON BILL (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8270 LR AT8568)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 17000LH TO 172400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MAN
 RIDGELINE TM.

NOTE: # 1 170715H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIC
 AT928842, AT926866, AT928863; RETURNED AT 170945H WITH NEG RES.

NOTE: # 2 171700H: 3 MAN DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON A BODY RECOVERY
 DIVE, VIC BT032649. COMPLETED MISSION, RETURNED 171900H.

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III MAR FOR COG

FIRST RECON ON SIT RPT 169-69 180001H TO 182400H JUN 69 (U)

(S) OF 13 OPER RECON TIS THERE ARE 24 TIS OPER AT 15 LOC WITHIN

FIFTH MAR DIV 1AOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (2 CH-46'S)

1. INSERT CAROUSEL (14 MEN) (2 TIS) AT 181240H VIC AT838379

2. EXTRACT BALANCE "A" (12 MEN) AT 181240H VIC AT838379

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1. HONEY LARK ID-92

(LE)a. 171710H OBS 8 NVA, KHAKIES, PACKS, MOVING "W", VIC
 ZC200519. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE
 TO OBS RES DUE TO WEATHER CONDITIONS.

2. DEPEND ID-94

(LE)a. 171800H OBS 10 NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING
 "W", VIC AT995538. CALLED FM, C.P. 2 CAME ON STATION, RES
 1 CONFIRM ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

3. RABBIT HUTCH ID-95

(LE)a. 171915H OBS 3 NVA, KHAKIES, RIFLES, MOVING "W" VIC
 AT825475. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO
 OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

4. SPOON BILL

(LE)a. 170800H OBS 45 NVA ON TRAIL, MOVING IN GROUPS OF 7-10
 WITH PACKS, RIFLES (AK-47'S), UTILITIES, VIC AT835696. NEG
 ACTION TAKEN DUE TO NEG COMI.

5. TIM WINTON

(LE)a. 171245H BOUND 1 TRAIL EXTREMELY WELL USED. "NE" T
 VIC ZC213495. LACK OF COVER AND CONCEALMENT INDICATES
 EXCLUSIVE USE AT NIGHT.

b. 181145H OBS 3 VC (FEMALES) PACKS, BLACK PJ'S, MOVING
 "W", VIC ZC204498. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

6. CAROUSEL ID-96

a. 181615H OBS 8 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, SITTING
 VIC AT872395. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, GAVE
 END OF MISSION, C.P. 66, 10 CAME ON STATION, FIRED ORDNANCE,
 RES 1 CONFIRM ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

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1. BALANCE "X" (TR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (TR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (TR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. DETROIT TIGERS (13 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. BAD ACTOR (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. LUCKY LARK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
8. DEWEED (27 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. PARKER PEN (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (14 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. SERVICEMAN (9 MEN) VIC AT8087
12. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) VIC AT8362
13. DATE PALM (7 MEN) VIC AT8924
14. LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) VIC ZC8364
15. SPOON BILL (6 MEN) VIC AT8469
16. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) VIC ZT1154
17. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2049
18. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) VIC AT7943

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19 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. STONE HOUSE (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8089 LR AT8387)
2. RECORD (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1865 LR ZC2163)
3. GRADE LEVEL (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0287 LR ZC0485)
4. MAY FLY (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0487 LR ZC0685)
5. BENCH MARK (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9342 LR AT9640)
6. STEEL BREEZE (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8069 LR AT8367)
7. PENNY WISE (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1351 LR ZC1649)
8. NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8935 LR AT9233)
9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT9947 LR BT0145)
- E. PLANNED EXTRACTIIONS-FOR 19 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)
1. SERVICEMAN (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1988 LR AT8186)
2. LONGA POINT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1666 LR ZC1964)
3. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0955 LR ZC1253)
4. SPOON HILL (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8270 LR AT8568)
5. DATE PALM (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8736 LR AT9034)
6. PARKER PTN (16 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT9947 LR BT0145)

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| A. TMD-50 | A. TMD-96 |
| B. TSM | B. COMI |
| C. AT838379 | C. AT838379 |
| D. ALA KING/08 Jun 69/46 | D. CAROUSEL/18 Jun 69/46 |
| E. BALANCE "A"/18 Jun 69/46 | E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE |
| F. 7 | |
| G. 5 | |
| H. NONE | |
| I. 4 | |
| J, K, NONE | |

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 180000H TO 182400H JUN 69

A. 1 FLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MAN
BEDGE LINE SGTY TH.

NOTE: # 1 180830H: DIVING TH DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIA
BT015715, BT032649, AT290641, AT997706; RETURNED AT 181130H WITH NEG RES.

NOTE: # 2 INSERTION OF SWIFT SCOUT, RECORD, GRADE LEVEL, MAY FLY, BENCH MARK
SUMMER BREEZE, AND EXTRACTIONS OF SERVICEMAN, LUNGA POINT, REPORT CARD, AND
SPOON BILL WERE NOT COMPLETED DUE TO LACK OF AIRCRAFT. AIRCRAFT DIVERTED TO
FORCE RECON CO. FOR EMERGENCY EXTRACTION.

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IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAW DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

CG 101ST ABN DIV CEE RVN

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

CO C FIFTH SFQA DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #170-69 190001H TO 192400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 43 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 23 TMS OPER AT 11 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (1 CH-53)

1. INSERT RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 191215H VIC AT9946
2. EXTRACT PARKER PEN (16 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 191215H VIC AT9946
3. EXTRACT DATE PALM (7 MEN) AT 191615H VIC AT8834

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT****1. CAROUSEL IND-96**

a. 191515H OBS 5 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, 2 RIFLES, WORKING IN FIELDS, VIC AT873391. CALLED FH, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO VEGETATION.

2. FIG NEWTON

a. 190915H OBS 3-5 NVA, LIGHT GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, MOVING "W", VIC ZC202490. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

3. MOOSE PEAK

a. 190945H FOUND TRAIL, NOT RECENTLY USED RUNNING "E"-"W", VIC AT788432.

4. PUPPET SHOW

a. 191500H MADE POINT CONTACT WITH 5 NVA, KHEKIES, RIFLES, (1 WITH PISTOL), VIC AT823628. RES. 2 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA'S (UNIT UNK). A.O. CAME ON STATION AND FIRED ORDNANCE WITH UNK RES. TM CONTINUED MISSION.

3. MOOSE PEAK (CONT)

b. 191720H OBS 35 VC/NVA, INCL 10 WOMEN, PACKS, RIFLES, (AK-47) (1) PISTOL, ASSORTED PJ'S, AND KHAKIES (BUSHES ON UNIFORMS AS CAMOUFLAGE), MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC ZC212440. CALLED A.O. C.P. 4, 5, ON STATION, UTILIZED ARTY AND FIXED WING. RES 200m OF TRAIL & 3 CAVES DESTROYED. 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK).

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CONFIDENTIAL**C. PATROL LOCATIONS**

1. BALANCE "XP" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "B" (RR) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
4. DETROIT FIDERS (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. BAD MOTOR (9 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. LUCKY LARK (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFENSE (27 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CARGO (14 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. SERVITMAN (9 MEN) VIC AT8067
12. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) VIC AT8462
13. LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1864
14. SPOON BILL (6 MEN) VIC AT8469
15. REPORT CARD (7 MEN) VIC ZC1154
16. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2048
17. MOOSE PEAK (9 MEN) VIC ZC2143

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D. HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FOR AD 800 (IN ORDER OF DISCOVERY)

1. HONOLULU (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200809 IR 10000)
2. KAUAI (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200809 IR 20000)
3. NIIHAU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200807 IR 20000)
4. MAUI (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200807 IR 20000)
5. KAUAI (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200802 IR 20000)
6. HONOLULU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200809 IR 20000)
7. KAUAI (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200801 IR 20000)
8. NIIHAU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200802 IR 20000)
9. KAUAI (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200802 IR 20000)
10. HONOLULU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200801 IR 20000)
11. KAUAI (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200801 IR 20000)
12. NIIHAU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200801 IR 20000)
13. HONOLULU (23 MEN) (3 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200801 IR 20000, 30000)

E. HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FOR AD 800 (IN ORDER OF DISCOVERY)

1. HONOLULU (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
2. KAUAI (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
3. NIIHAU (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
4. MAUI (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
5. HONOLULU (25 MEN) (3 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000, 30000)
6. HONOLULU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
7. KAUAI (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
8. HONOLULU (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)
9. NIIHAU (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL 200803 IR 20000)

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CONFIDENTIAL**STING RAY REPORT:**

A. IID-97

B. TERM

C. AT998464

D. SENATOR/05 June 69/46

E. PARKER PEN/19 June 69/53

F. 51

G. 49

H, I, J, K, NONE

A. IID-97

B. COMM

C. AT998464

D. RIO GRANDE/19 June 69/53

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMIENCE 1

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 190001H TO 192400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE IS DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQEN PLUS 9 MAN
RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

NOTE # 1 190745H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIC
AT914578, AT945700, AT925553, AT914587, AT924606, AT945706, AT919598;
RETURNED AT 191145H WITH NEG RES.

NOTE # 2 191529H: DATE PALM. COMPLETED 2 PRIORITY MED-EVAC NBC (HEAT EXHAUSTION).
ENTIRE TM EXTRACTED DUE TO HEAT CASUALTIES.

NOTE # 3 INSERTIONS OF SWIFT SCOUT, RECORD, GRADE LEVEL, MAY FLY, BENCH MARK,
SUMMER BREEZE, PENNY WESE, NIGHT SCHOLAR, AND EXTRACTIONS OF SERVICEMAN,
LUNGA POINT, REPORT CARD, AND SPOON BILL WERE NOT COMPLETED DUE TO LACK OF
AIRCRAFT. AIRCRAFT DIVERSED TO FORCE RECON CO FOR EMERGENCY EXTRACTATIONS.

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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV DNG RVN

TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAW DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

CG 101ST ABN DIV CEE RVN

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #171-69 200001H TO 202400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 43 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 22 TMS OPER AT 14 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (6 CH-46's: 2 UH-1G COBRA's)

1. INSERT SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) AT 200845H VIC AT8087
2. INSERT RING BROOM (8 MEN) AT 200910H VIC AT8990
3. INSERT RECORD (7 MEN) AT 201105H VIC ZG1861
4. INSERT SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) AT 201120H VIC AT8469
5. INSERT TEA TIME (8 MEN) AT 201155H VIC AT8462
6. INSERT HIRELING (9 MEN) AT 201330H VIC ZC2143
7. INSERT BENCHMARK (7 MEN) AT 201445H VIC AT9541
8. INSERT NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) AT 201500H VIC AT8935
9. INSERT SPOON BILL (8 MEN) AT 201

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CONFIDENTIAL**A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (CONT)**

10. INSERT DONNY BROOK (16 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 201835H VIC AT797528
11. EXTRACT SERVICEMAN (9 MEN) AT 200845 VIC AT8087
12. EXTRACT RING BROOM (8 MEN) AT 201945H VIC AT8990, (EXTRACT RING BROOM, EXTRACT DUE TO NEG COMM AFTER INSERT, RESCHEDULED FOR 21 JUNE 69)
13. EXTRACT LUNGA POINT (6 MEN) AT 201105H VIC ZC1864
14. EXTRACT SPOON BILL (6 MEN) AT 201120H VIC AT8469
15. EXTRACT PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) AT 201155H VIC AT8462
16. EXTRACT MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) AT 201330H VIC ZC2143
17. EXTRACT REPORT CARD (7 MEN) AT 201410H VIC ZC1145
18. EXTRACT FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) AT 201410H VIC ZC2048
19. EXTRACT BAD ACTOR (9 MEN) AT 201744H VIC AT637828
20. EXTRACT LUCKY LARK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 201835H VIC AT797528

UNCLASSIFIED**B. SIGHTINGS AND CONTACT****1. RIO GRANDE IIB-97**

(LE)a. 192200H 5 READINGS ON SENSOR, VIC BT00205060. CALLED FM MOVEMENT CEASED.

2. FIG NEWTON

a. 200630H 15-20 VC/NVA, MIXED PJ'S, KHAKIES, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL VIC ZC208488. NEG ACTION TAKEN, CONT MISSION.

b. 200730H RECENTLY USED BASE CAMP, PLT SIZE, VIC ZC194484. C.P. 2, CALLED FIXED WING. UNABLE TO OBS RES.

c. 200915H 6 VC/NVA, KHAKIES, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, VIC ZC202486. A.O. WITH 1 FLIGHT FIXED WING UTILIZED, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, RES 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS.

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CONFIDENTIAL**B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)****2. FIG NEWTON (CONT)**

d. 201100H 8 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, KHAKIES, PACKS, MOVING "NW" CARRYING 1 BODY, VIC ZC205487. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET. UNABLE TO OBS RES.

3. MOOSE PEAK

a. 200650H 5 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, WEARING BUSHES FOR CAMOUFLAGE, MOVING "SW", VIC ZC212436. NEG ACTION TAKEN, CONT MISSION.

4. GRADE LEVEL

a. 200815H ON INSERT NEAR LZ, 8 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, RIFLES, (AK-47) CROSSING BRIDGE, VIC ZC033864. HELO CREW ENGAGED WITH 50 CAL AND RECEIVED GROUND FIRE. INSERT ABORTED, NO CASUALTIES NO DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT.

5. SUMMER BREEZE

a. 201645H 1 BUNKER, 2 CAVES, VIC AT833687. CAVES 5 MAN CAPACITY, BUNKER 2 MAN CAPACITY. RECENTLY USED, CONT MISSION.

6. HIRELINE

a. 201200H PATROL WAS FLIPPING WITH MOOSE PEAK, VIC ZC212436 WHEN 2 VC/NVA WALKED INTO LZ SECURITY. TM ENGAGED WITH SA WITH NEG RES. INSERT ABORTED AND MOVED TO LZ 390mtrs "W" INSERT/EXTRACT COMPLETED. HUEY GUNSHIPS WORKED OVER AREA.

b. 201320H AFTER INSERT AT ZC213437, REAR SECURITY OBS 1 VC/NVA FOLLOWING TM. ENGAGED WITH SA AND HUEY GUNSHIP COVERED TRAIL. BROKE CONTACT AND CONT MISSION, NEG CASUALTIES.

c. 201715H HEAVILY USED TRAIL 2' WIDE 1' DEEP IN HARD GROUND. RUNS "SW" TO "NE" NEAR STREAM, VIC ZC213437.

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CONFIDENTIAL**C. PATROL LOCATIONS**

1. BALANCE "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. DETROIT TIGERS (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON HILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DONNY BROOK (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HURCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFEND (27 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT987508
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (14 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. TEA TIME (8 MEN) VIC AT8362
12. WIRELING (8 MEN) VIC ZC2144
13. NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) VIC AT8934
14. SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) VIC AT8088
15. RECORD (7 MEN) VIC ZC1964
16. BENCH MARK (7 MEN) VIC AT9441
17. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) VIC AT8368

*NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN DIR SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON.

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CONFIDENTIAL**D. PLANNED EVENTS-FOR 21 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)**

1. PERRY WING (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1351 LR ZC1649)
2. RING BROOD (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8694 LR AT8891)
3. MAY FLY (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0487 LR ZC0685)
4. GRADE LEAD (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0287 LR ZC0435)
5. DECK WORK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT7973 LR AT8371)
6. LUNGA POINT (15 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL ZC2071 LR ZC2170)

E. PLANNED DESTRUCTIONS-FOR 21 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. DETROIT BOMBERS (15 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL ZC2071 LR ZC2170)

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A. IMD-91

B. TERM

C. AT837828

D. PICKWICK PAPER/10 June 69/46

E. BAD ACTOR/20 June 69/46

F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

A. IMD-98

B. COMM

C. AT837828

D. SPOON BILL/20 June 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

A. IMD-92

B. TERM

C. AT797528

D. SCANDANAVIA/10 June 69/46

E. LUCKY LARE/20 June 69/46

F. 25

G. 17

H. NONE

I. 8

J, K, NONE

A. IMD-99

B. COMM

C. AT797528

D. DORRY BROOD/20 June 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

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FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 2

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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 200001H TO 202400H JUN 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON ~~STAND~~ BY IN DIR SUP OF EQBN PLUS 9 MAN
RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

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TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN

CG FIRST MAW DNG RVN

CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN

CG 101ST ABN DIV CDE RVN

FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN

SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN

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TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN

MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

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III MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #172-69 210001H TO 212400H JUN 69 (U)

I (C) OF 43 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 23 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TACR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (6 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1G COBRA)

1. INSERT RING BROOM (8 MEN) AT 211020H VIC AT8990
2. INSERT MAY FLY (8 MEN) AT 211145H VIC ZC0386
3. INSERT LUNGA POINT (15 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 211700H VIC ZC2070
4. INSERT DESK WORK (8 MEN) AT 211700H VIC ZC2070
5. INSERT SANDHURST (9 MEN) AT 211559H VIC AT8468
6. INSERT SEVICEMAN (42 MEN)(1 PLT) AT 211257H VIC ZC0386
7. EXTRACT SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) AT 211610H VIC ZC0386
8. EXTRACT DETROIT TIGERS (13 MEN) AT 211700H VIC ZC2070
9. EXTRACT MAY FLY (8 MEN) AT 211800H VIC ZC0386

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A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (CONT)

10. EXTRACT SAND HURST (9 MEN) AT 211800H VIC AT8468

11. EXTRACT SERVICEMAN (42 MEN) (1 PLT) AT 21175H VIC ZC0386

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT

1. RIO GRANDE IND-97

(LE)a. 202125H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 7 READINGS, VIC BT02754778.

CALLED FM, MOVEMENT CEASED.

2. DEFEND IND-94

(LE)a. 201712H OBS 37 VC/NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES,

MOVING "N" FROM VILLAGE, VIC AT984522. C.P.68 & C.P.11 USED

ORDNANCE & FIXED WING, UNOBSERVED RES DUE TO SMOKE AND DARKNESS.

3. NIGHT SCHOLAR

a. 210830H OBS 2 PEOPLE, KHAKIES, CULTIVATING FIELD VIC

AT902347. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

4. TEA TIME

a. 211000H FOUND 1 CAVE 2 MONTHS OLD, LARGE ENOUGH FOR 4

PEOPLE, VIC AT837624.

b. 211105H OBS 2 NVA KHAKIES, 1 RIFLE, 1 122mm ROCKET, MOVING

"N" ON TRAIL, VIC AT838625. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

5. BENCH MARK

a. 210800H FOUND 1 TRAIL RECENTLY USED, 2' WIDE, RUNNING

"N" TO "S", VIC AT951415.

b. 210830H FOUND 1 GRAVE SITE, WITH 10-15 GRAVES, VIC AT947415.

TM DUG UP 1 GAVE AND FOUND BODY, 3-4 MONTHS OLD WITH GRAY KHAKIES.

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B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT (CONT)

5. MAY FLY

a. 211126H OBS UNK NUMBER OF VC/NVA FIRING SMALL ARMS & POSSIBLE R.P.G. AT HELICOPTER ON ATTEMPTED INSERT ON GRADE LEVEL, VIC 20035865. HELICOPTER CRASHED AND BURNED. RES 6 USMC KIA (RECON), 2 USMC KIA (AIR WING), 2 USMC WIA (EVAC) (RECON), 3 USMC WIA (EVAC) (AIR WING). REACTION TM SUMMONED FOR SECURITY DURING MED-EVAC OF SURVIVORS AND RECOVERY OF BODIES AND CLASSIFIED EQUIPMENT. SEE NOTE # 3

7. SUMMER BREEZE

a. 210955H MADE POINT CONTACT WITH APPROX 20-25 VC/NVA WITH RIFLES, CART BELT, MIXED PJ'S AND GREEN UTILITIES, MOVING DOWN TRAIL, VIC AT833687. CALLED A.O. WHICH UTILIZED FIXED WING ON BURNING POS. RES 1 USMC WIA. MED-EVAC SUMMONED RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE AND WAS FORCED TO LAND DUE TO DAMAGES. VIC 813683. SEE NOTE # 2

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. BALANCE "X" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (15 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON BELL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DONNY BROOK (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFEND (27 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (11 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. TEA TIME (8 MEN) VIC AT8363
12. HIRBLING (8 MEN) VIC 82145
13. NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) VIC AT8314
14. SLEET SCOUT (6 MEN) VIC AT8187
15. RECORD (7 MEN) VIC ZC1964
16. BENCH MARK (7 MEN) VIC AT9341
17. RING BROOM (8 MEN) VIC AT8990
18. BARK WORK (8 MEN) VIC ZC2070

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS-FOR 22 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. PEET WISE (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1351 LR ZC1609)
2. SAND HURST (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9142 LR AT9140)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-FOR 22 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. BENCH MARK (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9342 LR AT9610)

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| A. IND-92 | A. IND-100 |
| B. TERM | B. COMM |
| C. ZE205704 | C. ZE205704 |
| D. LADY'S MAN/11 June 69/53 | D. LUNGA POINT/21 June 69/46 |
| E. DETROIT TIGERS/21 June 69/46 | E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE |
| F, G, H, I, NONE | |
| J. 7 USMC CASUALTY (MBC) (SHRAPNEL IN LEG) | |
| K. NONE | |

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 1
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ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (PEAR AREA) 210001H TO 212400H Jun 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MAN
 RIDGELINE SCTY TEL.

NOTE: # 1 SUMMER BREEZE, 1 USMC EMERGENCY MED-EVAC 211315H (SHRAPNEL IN BACK).

NOTE: # 2 SUMMER BREEZE EMERGENCY EXTRACT, UTILIZING ALUMINUM LADDER. 2 USMC
 WIA (M) AIRCRAFT HEAVILY DAMAGED BY GROUND FIRE. SEE SIGHTINGS & CONTACT # 7

NOTE: # 3 SERVICE MAN REACTION PLATOON EXTRACTED WITH MAY FLY UPON RECOVERY
 OF BODIES AND SEARCH OF AIRCRAFT FOR WEAPONS AND CLASSIFIED EQUIPMENT. SEE
 SIGHTINGS & CONTACT # 6

NOTE: # 4 SAND HURST REACTION SQUAD EMPLOYED FOR SECURITY OF DOWNED PEACH
 BUSH MED-EVAC HELICOPTER. IN EXTRACTED WITH RECOVER

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NOTE: # 5 INSERT OF PENNY WISE NOT COMPLETE DUE TO TACTICAL COMMITMENTS.
 NOTE: # 6 INSERT OF GRADE LEVEL CANCELLED DUE TO CASUALTIES.
 NOTE: # 7 INSERT OF MAY FLY POSTPONED

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TO: CG XII MAF

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS

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TWENTY-SIXTH MAR -26

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XII MAF FOR COC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #17-69 220001H TO 222100H JULY 69 (U)

1. (C) OF 12 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 21 TMS OPER AT 16 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1G COBRA'S)

1. INSERT SAND HURST (8 MEN) AT 221045H VIC AT9341
2. INSERT PENNY WISE (7 MEN) AT 221100H VIC ZC1649
3. EXTRACT BENCH MARK (7 MEN) AT 221045H VIC AT9341

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B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACT

1. RABBIT HUTCH

a. 220405H OBS 1 VC/NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES, PROBING POS
"NW", VIC AT824453. RECEIVED 1 INCOMING GRENADE, RES 1 USMC
WIA. (M)

2. NIGHT SCHOLAR

a. 220820H OBS 6-8 PEOPLE WORKING IN RICE PADDIES, KHAKI^{RT} SHIRTS,
BLACK PJ'S, SHOVELS, ~~STICKLES~~, BASKETS, VIC AT906345, 909347.
FOOT
b. 221045H FOUND ONE TRAIL RECENTLY USED RUNNING "W" 1' ^{RT} WIDE,
VIC AT914345. ONE WEEK OLD FLT SIZE HARBOR SIZE WAS NEXT TO
TRAIL.

3. TEA TIME

a. 221210H FOUND 1 FLT SIZE B SE CAMP, RECENTLY USED, IN ROCK
FORMATION, VIC AT834633. ALSO FOUND 19482mm MORTAR RDS, 1 ~~MO~~,
1 AMMO POUCH, AND ONE DEMO KIT.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

1. BALANCE "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (15 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON BILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DOWDY BROOK (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFEND (27 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (15 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (14 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. TEATIME (8 MEN) VIC AT8363
12. HIRELING (8 MEN) VIC ZC2145
13. NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) VIC AT9134
14. SNIFF SCOUT (6 MEN) VIC AT8187
15. RECOVER (7 MEN) VIC ZC2064
16. SANDHURST (8 MEN) VIC AT9241
17. DESK WORK (8 MEN) VIC AT8978
18. RING BROOK (8 MEN) VIC AT8990
19. PENNY WISE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1450

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D. PLANNED INSERTIONS FOR 23 JUNE 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. BENCH NOT (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2164 LR AT8162)
2. RIDGE BEAM (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1948 LR ZC2145)
3. MELODY TIME (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8166 LR AT8464)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS FOR 23 JUNE 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. RECORD (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1865 LR ZC2163)
2. HERALING (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1946 LR ZC2143)
3. TEATIME (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8366 LR AT8563)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: CONTINUE 0

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 220001H TO 222400H JUNE 69.

1. 1 PIP SIZE REACTION FORCE IS DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9 MEN
WIDELINE SCTY TM.

NOTE: # 1 TOTAL OPERATIONAL TMS REDUCED BY ONE BECAUSE OF CASUALTIES
SUSTAINED IN GRADE LEVEL MISHAP OF 21 JUNE 1969.

3. (a) FIRST FOR RECON SIT REP # 173 220001H TO 222400H JUN 69 ~~#1~~

A. (C) OF SEVEN OPER RECON PTLS THERE ARE NO PTLS OPERATING WITHIN THE
III MAF TAOR.

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 TO: CG III MAF DNG RVN
 INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN
 CG FIRST MAU DNG RVN
 CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN
 CG 101ST ABN DIV CEE RVN
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 SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN
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ACTION 0

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III MAF FOR CGC

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #174-69 230001H TO 232400H JUN 69 (U)

(C) OF 42 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 25 TMS OPER AT 16 LOC WITHIN
 FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (2 CH-46'S: 3 UH-1H COBRA'S: 1 CH-53)

1. INSERT MELODY TIME (6 MEN) AT 231050H VIC AT8264
2. INSERT BEACH NUT (9 MEN) AT 231050H VIC AT7962
3. INSERT RIDGE BEAM (7 MEN) AT 231155H VIC ZC1946
4. EXTRACT TEATIME (8 MEN) AT 231050H VIC AT8264
5. EXTRACT RECORD (7 MEN) AT 231050H VIC AT7962
6. EXTRACT HIRGLING (7 MEN) AT 231155H VIC ZC1946

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1. LONNY BROOK IMD-99

(LE)a. 221830H OBS 15 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING ON TRAIL, VIC AT803572. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO TREELINE.

b. 230715H OBS 1 CAMP FIRE, VIC AT801567. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE ON TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO THICK FOLIAGE.

2. PHINY WISE

(LE)a. 221730H FOUND TRAIL, RECENTLY USED RUNNING "S" 3 FT. WIDE VIC ZC148498.

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3. CAROUSEL IMD-96

(LE)a. 221705H RECEIVED 2 SHIPER RDS, VIC AT838379, NEG CASUALTIES, UNABLE TO OBS WHERE SHOTS CAME FROM.

(LE)b. 222130H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 10 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S & KAKIES, PACKS, RIFLES, CROSSING STREAM, VIC AT847355. CALLED FM, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO VEGETATION.

4. RIO GRANDE IMD-97

(LE)a. 221940H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, CONT MOVEMENT, 7 READINGS ON FIRST CHANNEL & 11 READINGS ON SECOND CHANNEL, MOVING "HW", VIC AT94794580. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED.

b. 230810H OBS 70 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, WHITE PJ'S, 7 RIFLES, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL, VIC AT986478. ENEMY DIVIDED INTO SMALL GROUPS AND MOVED INTO TREELINE, C.P. 13, C.P. 7 UTILIZED ORDNANCE ON 7 MAN GROUP. RES 5 CONFIRMED KBA'S (UNIT UNK).

c. 231315H OBS 2 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, MOVING "E" ON TRAIL VIC BN12163. FIRED 81mm MORTAR, RES 1 ENEMY CONFIRMED KIA (UNIT UNK).

5. DEFEND IMD-94

(LE)a. 222045H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 17 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS,

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RIFLES, MOVING IN AND OUT OF VILL, VIC AT988518. CALLED FM,
EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO VEGETATION.

6. RING BROOM

a. 231230H FOUND ONE 2 FT. WIDE TRAIL, RECENTLY USED, RUNNING
"SE" TO NW, VIC AT877912.

7. NIGHT SCHOLAR

(1E)a. 221500H FOUND HARBOR SITE FOR APPROX 30-40 PEOPLE, VIC AT915345,
USED WITHIN LAST 2 WEEKS.

b. 230815H OBS 2 VC/NVA, BROWN KNAKIES, PACKS, MOVING "S" ON
HEAVILY USED TRAIL, VIC AT917342. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

c. 231400H OBS 3 VC/NVA, MIXED UNIFORMS, CART BULTS, 2 RIFLES
(AK-47'S), MOVING ALONG TRAIL, VIC AT915338. TM ATTEMPTED PRISONER
SOURCE. RES 3 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA'S (UNIT UNK) WITH
CAPTURED RIFLES AND DOCUMENTS.

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1. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (15 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON BILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DONTY BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. DEFEND (27 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (14 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) VIC AT9134
12. SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) VIC AT8187
13. SANDHURST (8 MEN) VIC AT9241
14. DESK WORK (8 MEN) VIC AT8172
15. RING BROOK (8 MEN) VIC AT8890
16. PENNY WISE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1549
17. BEACH NUT (9 MEN) VIC AT7963
18. RIDGE BEAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC1946
19. MELODY TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT8264

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D. PLANNED EXTRACTATIONS-FOR 24 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. PADDOCK BOMB (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8894 LR AT9091)
2. MAY FLY (26 MEN) (3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT9852 LR BT0050)
3. SERVICEMAN (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL Z02068 LR AT8166)
4. REPORT CARD (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8085 LR AT8482)
5. NAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) HAVEN (~~HR~~ ^{TO} AT9235 ~~LR~~ AT9535 TO AT9333)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTATIONS-FOR 24 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. RING BROOM (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8694 LR AT9093)
2. DEPEND (27 MEN) (3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT9852 LR BT0050)
3. SWAMP SCOUT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8039 LR AT8337)
4. NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8935 LR AT9233)

STING RAY REPORT: NONE

FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: CONTINUE 0
 TERMINATE 0
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11 (C) ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 230001H TO 232400H JUNE 69.

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF ~~EDGE~~ PLUS 9 MAN
 RIDGELINE SCFY TM.

NOTE: # 1 230800H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIC
 AT926866, AT928842, AT928863; RETURNED AT 231000H WITH NEG RES.

NOTE: # 2 ADDITIONAL MARINES SENT TO DONNY BROOK, INCREASE TOTAL NUMBER OF OPER
 TMS EMPLOYED ON TH~~AT~~ POS.

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 INFO: CG XXIV CORPS PHU BAI RVN
 CG FIRST MAR DNG RVN
 CG AMERICAL DIV CHU LAI RVN
 CG 101ST AIR DIV CSE RVN
 FIFTH MAR AN HOA RVN
 SEVENTH MAR DNG RVN
 ELEVENTH MAR DNG RVN
 TWENTY-SIXTH MAR DNG RVN
 MAG ONE SIX DNG RVN

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FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #275-69 210001H TO 212100H JUN 69 (U)

I (c) OF 12 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 26 TMS OPER AT 17 LOC WITHIN FIRST
 MAR DIV TAOR.

A. INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1G COBRA'S; 1 CH-53)

1. INSERT REPORT CARD (8 MEN) AT 210800H VIC AT8382
2. INSERT PADDLE BOAT (9 MEN) AT 210815H VIC AT9092
3. INSERT SERVICEMAN (8 MEN) AT 210815H VIC AT8066
4. INSERT HAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) AT 210915H VIC AT9134
5. INSERT MAY FLY (26 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 211030H VIC AT9850
6. EXTRACT SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) AT 210820H VIC AT8187
7. EXTRACT NIGHT SCHOLAR (8 MEN) AT 210915H VIC AT9134
8. EXTRACT DEF END (27 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 211030H VIC AT9850
9. EXTRACT RING BROOM (8 MEN) AT 211050H VIC AT8990

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2. 201100H OBS 2 VC/NVA, DARK-BLUE SHORTS AND SHORTS, PACKS,
RIFLES, MOVING "W" TOWARD RIVER, VIC 20216639, NEG ACTION TAKEN.
2. DORRY BROCK ID-99
(1E) 2. 231830H OBS 26 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "S"
ON TRAIL, VIC AT301567. G.P. 12 & 70 CAME ON STATION AND TOOK
GROUND FIRE. A.O. REQUESTED FIXED WING, NO FIXED WING AVAILABLE.

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1. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (11 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON BILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DOWNY BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HURCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. HAY FLY (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. GAROUSEL (14 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. NAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) VIC AT9234
12. SERVICEMAN (8 MEN) VIC AT7966
13. REPORT CARD (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
14. SANDHURST (8 MEN) VIC AT9140
15. DESK WORK (8 MEN) VIC AT818721
16. PENNY WISE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1550
17. BEACH NUT (9 MEN) VIC AT8063
18. RIDGE BRAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC2046
19. MELODY TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT8264
20. PADDLE BOAT (9 MEN) VIC AT8992

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D. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS FOR 25 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

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1. HIDEOUT (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8942 LR AT9240)

2. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1450 LR ZC1447)

3. AUDITOR (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1260 LR ZC1558)

4. GLASS ROCK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0687 LR ZC0885)

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS FOR 25 JUN 69--(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. SANDHURST (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9142 LR AT9440)

2. RUMBY WISE (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1351 LR ZC1449)

3. DESK WORK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT7973 LR AT8371)

STING RAY REPORT:

A. IAD-91

A. IAD-101

B. TERM

B. COMM

C. AT987508

C. AT987508

D. DELIVERY BOY/12 June 69/53

D. MAY FLY/24 June 69/53

E. DEFEND/24 June 69/53

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

F. 15

G. 9

H. 1

I. 1

J, K, NONE

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II (C) ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 240001H TO 242400H JUNE 69

A. 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STAND BY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS 9
MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.NOTE: # 1 240800H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIO
BT01571N, BT032649, AT990641, AT997706; RETURNED AT 241210H WITH NEG R.S.GR-4
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Subj: [REDACTED] BE SET FOR 250000H TO 252400H JUN 69 (U)

ON 25 JUN 69 DEPT REMAIN THIS THERE ARE 26 TMC OVER AT 17 100 17 0000 HOURS
PARADIV TAOR.

2. OPERATIONS AND EXTRAGATIONS (3 CH-53s, 2 CH-46 COBRAS, 1 CH-53)

A. INSERT GRASS ROOT (8 MEN) AT 250905H VIC ZC0385

(1) INSERT VIC HENTON (8 MEN) AT 251215H VIC AT9210

(2) INSERT MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) AT 251229H VIC ZC1550

B. EXTRACT SANDHURST (8 MEN) AT 251212H VIC AT9210

(1) EXTRACT PENNY WISE (7 MEN) AT 251229H VIC ZC1550

(2) EXTRACT DESKWARE (8 MEN) AT 251615H VIC AT8772

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1. PAIDEN POINT

(DE)a. 210815H FOUND 1 SURPRISE FIRING DEVICE-105mm ROUND, VIC
AT901927. MIG ACTION TAKEN.

2. MAY FLY IND-101

(DE)a. 210955H OBS 7 VC/NVA, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "S", VIC
AT995547. CALLED FM, GAVE END OF MISSION DUE TO DARKNESS.

(DE)b. 212035H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 5 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS,
MOVING "W", VIC AT987522. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET.
COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

(DE)c. 212115H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, OBS 11 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S,
MOVING "S" ON TRAIL, VIC AT987512. FIRED 60mm. NEG RESULTS
DUE TO ENEMY DISPERSING INTO TREELINE.

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3. BOWY BROOK IND-99

(DE)a. 211830H OBS 15 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING
"S" ON TRAIL, VIC AT801567. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF
TARGET, RES 1 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

(DE)b. 212200H OBS 2 LIGHTS, VIC AT791524. CALLED FM, GOOD
COVERAGE OF TARGET, LIGHTS WERE EXTINGUISHED.

4. RIO GRANDE IND-97

(DE)a. 211640H OBS 10-15 VC/NVA ON BICYCLES, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS,
RIFLES, MOVING "NW" ON TRAIL, VIC BT022483. C.P.'S 4, 11, 67
CAME ON STATION, USED OWN ORDNANCE RESULTING IN 1 CONFIRMED
ENEMY KBA (UNIT UNK).

(DE)b. 211800H OBS 20-30 NVA, KHAKI'S, BLACK & WHITE PJ'S,
PACKS, RIFLES, IN SUSPECTED STAGING AREA, VIC BT026477.
CALLED FM, NEG CLEARANCE.

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RECON BRAM

2. 2.110CH FOUND WELL USED-TRAIL, 2 FEET WIDE RUNNING
WITH, VIB 20205-57.

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1. DELAWARE RIVER (R2)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. DELAWARE RIVER (R2)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. DELAWARE RIVER (R2)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (12 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOTON RIVER (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DORRIS BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HURCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
8. MAY RIVER (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
9. RTO GRABBER (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (12 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. WAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) VIC AT9334
12. SQUATTOURIAN (8 MEN) VIC AT7966
13. REPORT CARD (8 MEN) VIC AT8282
14. BEACH HUT (9 MEN) VIC AT8063
15. RIDGE BEAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC2045
16. MELODY TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT8464
17. PADDLE BOAT (9 MEN) VIC AT8893
18. FIG MANTON (8 MEN) VIC AT9140
19. GRASS ROOT (8 MEN) VIC ZC0785
20. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1549

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1. MOVABLE (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1950 LR ZC2117)

2. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS-FOR 26 JUN 69-(IN ORDER OF PRIORITY)

1. BLIND BEAR (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1948 LR ZC2115)

2. BEACH HUT (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2161 LR AT8162)

3. SECURITY TIDE (5 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8166 LR AT8164)

SLIP- PAF REPORT: NONE

PRIORITY: HIGH IN DAILY SITING PAF RECAP: COMIENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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(C) ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 250001H TO 252400H JUNE 69.

1. 1 ALT NIZE REACTION FORCE IS DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HORN PLUS
2. 1 ALT REACTION FORCE IS DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HORN PLUSNOTE: # 1 ZC0930H: CAROUSEL. COMPLETED A ROUTINE MED-SECAC 1. NPT
GAS (FIRST 2. SECOND DEGREE BURNS ON HAND).NOTE: # 2 INSERT OF AUDITOR CANCELLED DUE TO OPER BY C.I.D.G.
WITHIN AREA OF PROPOSED HAVEN.**UNCLASSIFIED**

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TO: CG 1ST MAR (AMPHIB) (100)

FROM: CG 1ST MAR

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TWENTY-SIXTH MAR -26

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SUBJ: MINS RECON IN SIT RPT #177-69 26000H TO 262400H JUN 69 (U)

1. (C) IF 42 OPER RECON TBS THERE ARE 23 TBS OPER AT 14 LOC WITHIN

TBS 1ST DIV TBS.

2. (C) INSERCTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. REVERIE (7 MEN) AT 261600H VIC ZC2045

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. PADDLE BOAT (9 MEN) AT 261150H VIC AT8793

2. BEACH HUT (9 MEN) AT 261320H VIC AT8063

3. BATTERY TUB (6 MEN) AT 261130H VIC AT8364

4. RIDGE BEAM (7 MEN) AT 261600H VIC AT2045

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

1. NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

1. NONE

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F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR (27 - June - 1969)

1. DATE PALM (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9437 LR AT9637-9434)
2. PRIDE GUT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1868 LR ZC2166)
3. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1260 LR ZC1558)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR (27 - June - 1969)

1. NAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9235 LR AT9535-9333)
2. SERVICEMAN (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2068 LR AT8166)

3. (C) LOCATIONS OF PATROLS AS OF 262400H (June - 1969)

1. BALANCE "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "H" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LONGA POINT (14 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON HILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DORRY BROOK (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. MAY FLY (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (13 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. NAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) VIC AT9334
12. SERVICEMAN (8 MEN) VIC ZC2166
13. REPORT CARD (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
14. MOVEABLE (7 MEN) VIC ZC2046
15. FIG NEWTON (8 MEN) VIC AT9040
16. GRASS ROOFS (8 MEN) VIC ZC0686
17. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1548

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7 (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS.

A. PADDLE BOAT

(LE)(1) 251700H FOUND 16inch BUCKSAW LAYING ON TRAIL, VIC
AT886930.

(2) 260300H CAPTURED 6 VIETNAMESE, 3 MEN, 2 BOYS, 1 WOMAN, AT855933
HIG WEAPONS OR DOCUMENTS, POSSIBLE WOODCUTTERS. HEARD RIFLE SHOTS
FROM *H*. TH EXTRACTED WITH DETAINEES. DURING EXTRACTION 1
DETAINEE RECEIVED A MINOR WOUND BY GUNSHIP. DETAINEES TURNED OVER
TO 26 MAR LTA.

B. RIO GRANDE IND-97

(LE)(1) 251800H OBS 4 VC/NVA, UTILITIES, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES,
MOVING *NW* ON TRAIL, VIC Z0026477. USED 81mm MORTAR, ENEMY
MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.

(LE)(2) 251930H OBS 19 VC/NVA, KHAKES, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES,
MOVING *NW* IN SQUAD FORMATION, VIC Z0022484. CALLED FM. GOOD
COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS DUE TO TREELINE.

(LE)(3) 252050H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 31 READINGS, NOTIFIED *H*
WHO IN TURN CALLED FM.

C. DONIV BROOK IND-99

(LE)(1) 251915H OBS 16 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING
NE ON TRAIL, VIC AT799570. C.P. 12 CAME ON STATION, EXPENDED
ORDNANCE AND CALLED FM, OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE
TO OBS DUE TO DARKNESS.

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(C) OBS 5 VC/NVA, BLACK P'S, PICKING UP RUBBISH IN
OLD INFANTRY POSITION, VIC BT012542. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE
OF TARGET 1. CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

(LE)(2) 251830H OBS 3 VC/NVA, BLACK P'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING
"S" ACROSS TRESTLE, VIC AT998547. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF
TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

(LE)(3) 252017H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 1 VC/NVA, MOVING "E" ON TRAIL
VIC AT989517. UTILIZED 60mm MORTAR, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET,
COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

(LE)(4) 252010H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 7 VC/NVA, MOVING "E" ON TRAIL
VIC AT989517. UTILIZED 60mm MORTAR, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF
TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

(LE)(5) 252045H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 5 VC/NVA, MOVING "N", VIC
AT987517. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

(LE)(6) 252315H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 150 VC/NVA, PACKS, RIFLES,
3 82mm MORTAR TUBES, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL, VIC AT985497. CALLED
FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

E. FIG NEWTON

(LE)(1) 251635H FOUND WHEEL-USED TRAIL 2-3 MONTHS OLD, RUNNING "NE",
VIC AT914408.

F. CAROUSEL LMD-96

(LE)(1) 252130H HEARD 5-10 VC PROBING POS, VIC AT838379. POS RECEIVED
INCOMING SMALL ARMS FIRE & CHI CON GRENADES. TM RETURNED FIRE,
ENEMY MOVED OUT OF AREA, RES 1 USMC WIA (M).

(LE)(2) 252300H OBS 2 VC, MOVING "E", VIC AT840379. ENGAGED ENEMY
WITH 50 CAL & M60 MACHINEGUN, UNABLE TO OBS RES.

(3) 260140H OBS 1 BOAT MOVING "W" ON RIVER, VIC AT814369. NEG
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FOUND VILL, NOT USED WITHIN LAST 4-6 MONTHS, 11

HOOTCHES, 8' WIDE 10' LONG 8' HIGH. VIC ZG1511192. ALL HAVE BUNKERS.

(2) 261030H FOUND 2 INTERSECTING TRAILS, 4' WIDE AND WELL-USED
 RUNNING "SW" & "SE", VIC ZG1511187.

(3) 261031H FOUND 25 HOOTCHES, NOT RECENTLY USED, WITH BUNKERS,
 VIC ZG1511187. FOUND 16 - 82mm MORTAR RDS. IN 1 OF THE BUNKERS,
 HOOTCHES ARE 8'x10'x8'.

H. GRASS ROOT

(1) 261330H FOUND 1 TRAIL, NOT RECENTLY USED APPROX 3 FEET WIDE,
 RUNNING "W", VIC ZC073858.

G. ACTIVITIES FIRST RECON BN (REAR AREA) 260001H TO 262100H JUN 69

(1) 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STANDBY IN DIR SUP OF HQBN PLUS
 9 MAN RIDGELINE SGTY TM.

(2) 260800H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK
 VIC AT928842, AT928826, AT928863; RETURNED AT 261000H WITH NEG RES.

(3) 260725H: CAROUSEL. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC 1 USMC
 WIA (SHRAPNEL IN JAW).

(4) 261900H: FIG NEWTON. COMPLETED A PRIORITY MED-EVAC 1 NBC
 CAS (BROKEN FOOT).

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TO: CG III MAF (ATTN: G-2 COL)

INFO: CG XXIV CCEPS

CG FIRST MAR

CG AMERICAL DIV

CG 101ST ABN DIV

FIFTH MAR

SEVENTH MAR

ELEVENTH MAR

TWENTY-SIXTH MAR

MAG ONE SIX

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FIRST RECON BNRELEASED
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AG/S, G-2

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SUBJ: FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #178-69 270001H TO 272100H JUN 69 (U)

1. (C) OF 42 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 24 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TACR.

2. (C) INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. PRIDE CUT (6 MEN) AT 271015H VIC ZC2166

2. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) AT 271030H VIC ZC1259

3. DATE PALM (7 MEN) AT 271100H VIC AT9133

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. SERVICEMAN (8 MEN) AT 271015H VIC ZC2166

2. NAIL BRUSH (6 MEN) AT 271100H VIC AT9133

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

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E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETE

NOTE

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR (28 - June - 1969)

1. RACE AVENUE (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0487 LR ZC0685)
2. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2085 LR AT8183)
3. MUSK OX (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8743 LR AT9041)
4. RUITAGE (23 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT814463 LR AT830445)
5. PENNY WISE (12 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR (28 - June - 1969)

1. GRASS ROOTS (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0687 LR ZC0885)
2. REPORT CARD (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8085 LR AT8482)
3. FIG NEWTON (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8942 LR AT9240)
4. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT814463 LR AT830445)
5. CAROUSEL (11 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT8339 LR AT8537)
6. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1450 LR ZC1647)

3. (C) LOCATIONS OF PATROLS AS OF 272400H (June - 1969)

1. BALANCE "X" (R)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (14 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON BILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DOWDY BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. MAY FLY (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. CAROUSEL (13 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337

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PIPESTONE CANYON (8 MEN) VIC AT8280

12. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) VIC ZC1458

13. DATE PALM (7 MEN) VIC AT9221

14. PRIME CUT (6 MEN) VIC ZC2066

15. HICKORY (7 MEN) VIC ZC2047

16. BIG NEWTON (8 MEN) VIC AT9221

17. GRASS ROOTS (8 MEN) VIC ZC0586

18. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1547

*NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES THIS IN DIR SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON.

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAILABLE RECON TEAMS

A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS AND CONTACTS

A. GRATE MIXES

(1) 270005H OBS 3 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, RIFLES, HEAVY PACKS, CART BELTS, GRENADES, MOVING "HE" ACROSS RIVER, VIC ZC068860. HEAVY ACTION THERE.

B. RIO GRANDE IMD-97

(LE)(1) 261615H OBS 5 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, & 1 RADIO, MOVING "HE" ON TRAIL, VIC BT024463. INFORMED C.P. 70 OF SITUATION C.P. EXPENDED ORDNANCE, UNABLE TO OBS RES.

C. MAY FLY IMD-101

(LE)(1) 262330H OBS 2 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, CART BELTS, 1 9mm PISTOL, MOVING "W" ON TRAIL, VIC AT989502. TM ATTEMPTED PRISONER SNATCH, VC NOTICED PRESENCE OF TM & TM ENGAGED WITH SMALL ARMS. RES, 1 CONFIRMED GRENADIER KIA (UNIT UNK), CAPTURED 1 PISTOL & DOCUMENTS. CAPTURED DOCUMENTS SENT TO G-2

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(2) 270730-271030H BDA, FOUND 6 ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS, 2 CHI

COMMS, VIC AT989501-AT997505. CAPTURED DOCUMENTS SENT TO G-2.

6. (C) (1) 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STANDBY IN DIRECT SUP OF HQBN
PLUS 9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

(2) 271049H: DOWRY BROOK. COMPLETED A ROUTINE MED-EVAC 1 NBC GAS

(2nd DEGREE BURNS ON CHEST & LEG)

(3) 10 MAN AMBUSH (NIGHT) IN SUPPORT OF HQBN.

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TO: CG III MAF (ATTN: G-2 COL)

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INFO: CG XXIV CORPS

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III MAF FOR COG

SUBJ: FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #179-69 280001H TO 282400H JUN 69 (U)

1. (C) OF 42 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 24 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC WITHIN
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2. (C) INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1E GUNSHIPS)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) AT 280840H VIC AT8081
2. MUSK OX (7 MEN) AT 281115H VIC AT8940
3. PAGE AVENUE (6 MEN) AT 281250H VIC ZCQ586
4. HIRELING (8 MEN) AT 281340H VIC BT0146
5. PENNY WISE (12 MEN) (2 TMS) AT 281520H VIC AT8337

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. REPORT CARD (8 MEN) AT 280845H VIC AT8280
2. FIG HEATON (8 MEN) AT 281115H VIC AT8940

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B. (CONT)

1. MOOSE PEAK (8 MEN) AT 281215H VIC ZC1547
2. GRASS ROOTS (8 MEN) AT 281250H VIC ZC0566
3. CAROUSEL (13 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 281520H VIC AT8337

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

1. LID-103 RUMIAGE AT825454

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

1. LID-95 RABBIT HUTCH AT825454

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETE

1. THE FLIP BETWEEN RUMIAGE & RABBIT HUTCH WAS NOT COMPLETED DUE TO THE UNSCHEDULED PATROL INSERTS, HIRLING AND POLICY GAME RESULTING IN CREWS EXCEEDING FLYING TIME.

F. INSERT PLANNED FOR (29 - June - 1969)

1. PARKER PEN (17 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT9947 IR BT0145)
2. DEFEND (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1751 IR ZC2049)
3. SUMMER BREEZE (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT848C IR AT878C)
4. RUMIAGE (23 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT814463 IR AT830445)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR (29 - June - 1969)

1. RIO GRANDE (15 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT9947 IR BT0145)
2. MOVEABLE (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1950 IR ZC2147)
3. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT814463 IR AT830445)

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3. (C) LOCATIONS OF PATROLS AS OF 282400H (June - 1969)

1. BALANCE "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
2. BALANCE "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8337
3. BALANCE "R" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC2070
4. LUNGA POINT (14 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
5. SPOON HILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382
6. DONNY BROOK (25 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952
7. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8245
- * 8. HAY FLY (26 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9850
- * 9. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT9946
10. PENNY WISE (12 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT8337
11. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) VIC AT8084
12. HIRRELING (8 MEN) VIC BT0346
13. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) VIC ZC1359
14. DATE PALM (7 MEN) VIC AT9334
15. PRIME CUT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1966
16. MOVEABLE (7 MEN) VIC ZC2048
17. MUSK OX (7 MEN) VIC AT8941
18. PAGE AVENUE (6 MEN) VIC ZC0586

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NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN DIR SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON.

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A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS AND CONTACTS

A. DONNY BROCK IND-99

(LE)(1) 272000H OBS 3 LIGHTS, VIC AT826534. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, LIGHTS WENT OUT.

(2) 281145H OBS 5 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, KHAKIES, RIFLES, MOVING "N" ON TRAIL, VIC AT601567. C.P. 16 AND HOSTAGE "Y" CAME ON STATION, EXPENDED ORDNANCE. RESULTS 1 ENEMY KBA (UNIT UNK).

(3) 281500H HAD A.O. CHECK OUT AREA, VIC ZC206544 FOR POSITIVE ENEMY ACTIVITY. C.P. 2 SPOTTED 2 CAMOUFLAGED SAMPANS HIDDEN ALONG SIDE OF RIVER. SAMPANS DESTROYED BY A.O.

B. MAY FLY IND-101

(LE)(1) 271845H OBS 4 VC/NVA, MIXED BLACK PJ'S, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, MILLING AROUND AREA, VIC AT975542, CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, COULD NOT OBS RES DUE TO TREES.

(2) 280035H OBS 31 VC/NVA, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "S" ON TRAIL, VIC AT987517. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, 2 CONFIRMED ENEMY WIA (UNIT UNK)

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C. RIO GRANDE IND-97

(LE)(1) 271930H OBS 18 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "NW" ON TRAIL, VIC BTO27477 TO BTO25484. C.P. 40 CAME ON STATION, EXPENDED ORDNANCE WITH 8 CONFIRMED ENEMY KBA (UNIT UNK). CALLED FM WITH GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

D. PRIME CUT

(1) 280900H FOUND BLOOD ON LEAVES AND LOGS ON TRAIL, RUNNING "NW", VIC ZC198666.

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5. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS (CONT) (C)

D. PRIME CUT (CONT)

(2) 281100H FOUND FRESH BLOOD ON ROCKS AND LEAVES ALONG STREAM BED, VIC ~~281~~195665.

A. HIRELING

(1) 281610H OBS 10 VC/NVA, GREEN CAMOUFLAGED UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC BTO28166. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS R/S DUE TO ENEMY MOVING INTO TREE LINE.

(2) 281610H OBS 11 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL. U.S. ARMY GUNSHIPS SIGHTED 100 NVA MOVING TOWARD TMS POS. NEG ACTION TAKEN ON PART OF TM, AC ENG TOT. UNOBS RES.

6. (C) (1) 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE DEPLOYED IN DIR SUP OF HQEN PLUS 9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

NOTE: # 1 INSERT OF POLICY GAME WAS CANCELLED BY HIGHER HEADQUARTERS

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FOR CG III MAF (ATTN: G-2 COL)

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CG 101ST ABN DIV

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III MAF FOR COC

SUBJ: FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #180-69 290001H TO 292400H JUN 69 (U)

1. (C) OF 42 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 25 TMS OPER AT 16 LOC WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

2. (C) INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTATIONS (2 CH-46'S: 2 UH-1G COBRA'S)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. DEFEND (7 MEN) AT 291030 VIC ZG2048
2. SUMMER BREEZE (9 MEN) AT 291130H VIC AT8586
3. PARKER PEN (14 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 291150H VIC AT9946
4. RUMTAGE (23 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 291305H VIC AT8245

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. MOVEABLE (7 MEN) AT 291030H VIC ZG2048
2. RIO GRANDE (16 MEN)(2 TMS) AT 291150H VIC AT9946
3. RABBIT HUTCH (22 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 291305H VIC AT8245

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C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

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D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

NONE

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR (30 - June - 1969)

1. AUDITOR (22 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT790535 LR AT8153-AT8052)

2. NIGHT SCHOLAR (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1668 LR ZC1966)

3. RING BROOK (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1459 LR ZC1757)

4. DETROIT TIGERS (9 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8384 LR AT8582)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR (30 - June - 1969)

1. DONNY BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN (UL AT790535 LR AT8153-AT8052)

2. PRIME CUT (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1868 LR ZC2166)

3. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1260 LR ZC1558)

4. DATE PALM (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT9437 LR AT9637-AT9434)

5. SPOON HILL (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL AT8384 LR AT8582)

3. (C) LOCATIONS OF PATROLS AS OF 292400H (June - 1969)

1. BALANCE "X" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337

2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337

3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070

4. LUNGA POINT (14 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070

5. SPOON BILL (8 MEN) VIC AT8382

6. DONNY BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952

7. RUMMAGE (23 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245

* 8. MAY FLY (26 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850

* 9. PARKER PEN (17 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946

10. PENNY WISE (12 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337

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11. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) VIC AT7984
12. TITANIC (8 MEN) VIC BT0246
13. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) VIC ZC1458
14. DATE PALM (7 MEN) VIC AT9435
15. PRIME CUT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1966
16. MUSK OX (7 MEN) VIC AT8841
17. PAGE AVENUE (6 MEN) VIC ZC0586
18. DEFEND (7 MEN) VIC ZC2049
19. SUMMER BREEZE (9 MEN) VIC AT8587

*NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN DIR SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON.

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAILABLE RECON TMS.

- A. INCREASE: NONE
- B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. MAY FLY IMD-101

(LE)(1). 281835H OBS 7 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, 3 RIFLES, 1 PACK, MILLING ABOUT TREELINE, VIC AT992549. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO VEGETATION.

(LE)(2) 282015H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 24 VC/NVA, PACKS, MOVING "N" VIC AT987522. ENGAGED ENEMY WITH 60mm WITH NEG RES.

(LE)(3) 282205H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE, 50 VC/NVA, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "E" ON TRAIL, VIC AT985494. CALLED FM, ENEMY DISPERSED AND MOVED OUT OF SIGHT.

(4) 290900H OBS 7 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, SITTING, VIC BT020495. CALLED FM, 1 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA (UNIT UNK).

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B. RIO GRANDE IND-97

REC NOTICE OF SIGHTING BY USA. L.R.P. OF
(LE)(1) 281755H RECEIVED NOTICE OF SIGHTING BY U.S. ARMY L.R.P. OF

300 NVA, PACKS RIFLES RPG. MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC BTO18453.
~~300 NVA, PACKS, RIFLES, R.P.G., MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC BTO18453.~~
 CALLED AO; AO. CALLED FM RES 40 KBA (UNKN UNIT).
~~CALLED A.O.; A.O. CALLED FM, RES 40 CONFIRMED KBA (UNIT UNK)~~

(2)
 (LE)(2) 281835H OBS 1 VC/NVA, RIFLE, FIRING AT A.O., VIC BTO07482.

A.O. USED ORDNANCE, NEG RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

(3)
 (LE)(2) 282305H DUFFEL BAG MESSAGE OF 140 READINGS, VIC AT97875050.

CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET MOVEMENT CEASED.

C. HIRELING

(LE)(1) 281600 - 282000H OBS 160 VC/NVA, KHAKIES, GREEN UTILITIES,

BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC BTO27467.

A.O. USED FIXED WING, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, OBS 5 BODIES
 BEING CARRIED AWAY FROM AIR STRIKE (UNIT UNK).

(2) 291400H OBS 3 VC/NVA, GREEN CAMOUFLAGED UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES,
 MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC BTO31473. CALLED FOR A.O. CP 20 ON
 STATION, USED FIXED WING, WITH 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS.

D. PENNY WISE IND-102

(1) 290745H OBS 9 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "N"
 ON DIKE, VIC AT878379. CALLED FM, WITH 1 CONFIRMED ENEMY KBA.
 (UNIT UNK).

E. MUSK OX

(1) 291100H FOUND 1 CAVE WITH 2 BEDS, APPROX 2 MONTHS OLD, VIC
 AT892416.

6. (C) (1) 1 PLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STANDBY IN DIR SUP OF HQEN PLUS
 9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
 TO: CG III MAF (ATTN: G-2 COL)

INFO: CG XXIV CORPS

CG FIRST MAR

CG AMERICAL DIV

CG 101ST ABN DIV

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III MAF FOR COC

SUBJ: FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #181-69 300001H TO 302100H JUN 69 (U)

1. (C) OF 42 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 22 TMS OPER AT 13 LOC WITHIN
 FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.

2. (C) INSERTIONS AND EXTRACTS (2 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1G COBRA'S; 1 CH-53)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. NIGHT SCHOLAR (7 MEN) AT 300805H VIC ZC1966
2. DETROIT TIGERS (9 MEN) AT 300915H VIC AT8382
3. AUDITOR (22 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 301045H VIC AT7952

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. PRIME CUT (6 MEN) AT 300805H VIC ZC1966
2. SPOON BILL (8 MEN) AT 300915H VIC AT8382
3. ASPARAGUS (6 MEN) AT 300925H VIC ZC1158
4. DATE PALM (7 MEN) AT 300930H VIC AT9135
5. HIRELING (8 MEN) AT 302000H VIC BT0116
6. DONNY BROOK (25 MEN)(3 TMS) AT 301045H VIC AT7952

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2. (C) (CONT)

C. INSERTS AT COMPLETED

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1. RING BROOM

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

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E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

1. INSERT OF RING BROOM NOT COMPLETED DUE TO LACK OF CLEARANCE FROM FIFTH SFGA.

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR (01 - July - 1969)

1. NAIL BRUSH (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1884 LR ZC2182)

2. BAD ACTOR (16 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL ZC2071 LR ZC2170)

3. MOON DASH (7 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0687 LR ZC0885)

4. DESK WORK (2 MEN) HAVEN (UL BT0118 LR BT0346)

5. RING BROOM (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC1459 LR ZC1757)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR (01 - July - 1969)

1. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC2085 LR AT8183)

2. LUNGA POINT (14 MEN)(2 TMS) HAVEN (UL ZC2071 LR ZC2170)

3. PAGE AVENUE (6 MEN) HAVEN (UL ZC0487 LR ZC0685)

3. (C) LOCATIONS OF PATROLS AS OF 302400H (June - 1969)

1. BALANCE "X" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8382

2. BALANCE "A" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC AT8337

3. BALANCE "R" (RR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC2070

4. LUNGA POINT (14 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC ZC2070

5. DETROIT TIGERS (9 MEN) VIC AT8382

6. AUDITOR (22 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT7952

7. RUMMAGE (23 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT8245

* 8. MAY FLY (25 MEN)(3 TMS) VIC AT9850

* 9. PARKER PEN (17 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT9946

10. PENNY WISE (12 MEN)(2 TMS) VIC AT8337

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3. (C) (CONT)

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11. NIGHT SQUAD (7 MEN) VIC ZG1766

12. PUPPET SHOW (8 MEN) VIC ZC2184

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13. MUSK OX (7 MEN) VIC AT8842

14. PAGE AVENUE (6 MEN) VIC ZC0486

15. DEFEND (7 MEN) VIC ZC1950

16. SUMMER BREEZE (9 MEN) VIC AT8587

NOTE: ASTERISK DENOTES TMS IN DIR SUP OF OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON.

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAILABLE RECON TMS.

A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS AND CONTACTS

A. HIRLING

(LE)(1) 291900H OBS 5 VC/NVA, GREEN CAMOUFLAGED UTILITIES,

PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING OUT OF ROCKS ON TO TRAIL, VIC BT023458
 BELIEVED TO BE A TUNNEL COMPLEX NEARBY. C.P. 20 ON STATION,
 CALLED FIXED WING WITH GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, NEG RES DUE
 TO DARKNESS.

(LE)(2) 292000H OBS 280 VC/NVA, GREEN CAMOUFLAGED UTILITIES,
 KHAKIES, PACKS, RIFLES, MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL. SPOCKY 11
 CAME ON STATION AND WORKED AREA WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF
 TARGET. ENEMY SPLIT INTO SMALLER GROUPS AND CONTINUED TO
 MOVE "NE". DUE TO HEAVY FOG IN VALLEY, TM WAS UNABLE TO OBS
 ANYTHING FURTHER.

(F) 300820H OBS 3 VC/NVA, GREEN CAMOUFLAGED UTILITIES, PACKS,
 RIFLES, MOVING "SW" ON TRAIL, VIC BT023458. C.P. 70 UTILIZED
 FLIGHT OF FIXED WING WITH 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, SPARKS, FLAMES,
 30-40 FEET HIGH. A.O. SIGHTED 1 CONFIRMED ENEMY KBA (UNIT UN),

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AND 3 CAVES.

B. RUINAGE LID-104

(LE)(1) 291845H OBS SUSPECTED CAMP FIRE, VIC AT817147. CALLED

FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, UNABLE TO OBS RES DUE TO CANOPY.

(2) 301130H FOUND SURPRISE FIRING DEVICE BURIED IN TRAIL VIC,

AT824454. DETONATED IN PLACE.

C. DESPOND

(1) 300905H MADE POINT CONTACT WITH 10 VC/NVA, BLACK PJS,

KHAKIES, PISTOLS, RIFLES, PACKS, MOVING "N" ON TRAIL VIC,

ZC196497. RES 4 CONFIRMED ENEMY KIA'S (UNIT UNK). C.P. 63

CAME ON STATION AND EXPENDED ORDNANCE ON SUSPECTED ENEMY POS.

WITH GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET. TM BROKE CONTACT AND CONTINUED

MISSION. NO DOCUMENTS OR WEAPONS CAPTURED.

D. SUMMER BREEZE

(1) 301000H FOUND TRAIL, NOT RECENTLY USED, 3 FEET WIDE

RUNNING "S", VIC AT854879.

E. PENNY WISE LID-102

(1) 300800H OBS 15 VC, BLACK PJS, MOVING "W" ACROSS

PADDY, VIC AT897382. CALLED FM, ENEMY MOVED INTO DEFILADE,

UNABLE TO OBS RES.

A. HIRELING (CONT)

(4) 301650H OBS 3 VC/NVA GREEN CAMO PLACED UTILITIES, 1 PAK,

MOVING "NE" ON TRAIL, VIC BT023458. NEG ACTION TAKEN.

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5. (C) (CONT)

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(5) 301714H OBS 27 VC/NVA, GREEN CAMOUFLAGED UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES, FLAK JACKETS, MOVING "HE", VIC BT023458. 5 OF ENEMY SIGHTED TM, NEG ACTION TAKEN.

(6) 301820H TM MADE POINT CONTACT WITH 3 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS, RIFLES, NEG CASUALTIES TAKEN. C.P. 13, 70 EXPENDED ORDNANCE ON ENEMY POS WITH UNOBSERVED RES. TM RECEIVED TACTICAL EMERGENCY EXTRACTION DUE TO COMPROMISE OF PATROL POS AT 302000H.

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6. (C) (1) 1 BLT SIZE REACTION FORCE ON STANDBY IN DIR SUP OF HQBI FGUS

9 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM.

(2) STING RAY REPORT:

(LE) A. TMD-96

A. TMD-102

B. TERM

B. COMM

C. AT838379

C. AT838379

D. CAROUSEL/18 June 69/46

D. PERRY WISE/28 June 69/46

E. CAROUSEL/28 June 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

F. 5

G. 3

H. 0

I. 1

J. 1 USMC WIA

K. NONE

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(LE) A. TMD-97

A. TMD-103

B. TERM

B. COMM

C. AT998464

C. AT998464

D. RIO GRANDE/19 June 69/53

D. PERRY WISE/29 June 69/53

E. RIO GRANDE/29 June 69/53

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

F. 17

G. 9

H. 3

I. 11 KIA'S, 47 KBA'S

J. 0

K. NONE

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6. (C) (CONT)

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B. TERM

C. AT8245

D. RABBIT HUTCH/16 June 69/46

E. RABBIT HUTCH/29 June 69/46

F. 2

G. 1

H. 0

I. 0

J. 1 NBC CAS

K. NONE

A. IMD-92

B. COMM

C. AT8245

D. RUMIAGE/29 June 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

A. IMD-98

B. TERM

C. AT837828

D. SPOON BILL/20 June 69/53

E. SPOON BILL/30 June 69/53

F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

A. IMD-105

B. COMM

C. AT837828

D. DETROIT TIGERS/30 June 69/53

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

A. IMD-99

B. TERM

C. AT797528

D. DONNY BROOK/20 June 69/53

E. DONNY BROOK/30 June 69/53

F. 9

G. 5

H. 1

I. 1 KBA

J. 2 NBC CAS

K. NONE

A. IMD-106

B. COMM

C. AT797528

D. AUDITOR/30 June 69/46

E, F, G, H, I, J, K, NONE

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(3) FIRST RECON BN DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 2

TERMINATE 2

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(4) FIRST RECON BN END OF MONTH STING RAY RECAP:

STING RAYS 18

SIGHTINGS 137

VC/NVA SIGHTED 4038

FIRE MISSIONS 106

AIR STRIKES 2

VC/NVA KIA 31

DETAINÉES 2

IWC 10

USMC CASUALTIES 14

KIA 0

WIA 0

MIA 0

NBC 11

KNBC 0

(5) FIRST RECON BN END OF MONTH IN SUP RECAP:

PATROLS 7

SIGHTINGS 103

VC/NVA SIGHTED 3457

FIRE MISSIONS 100

AIR STRIKES 1

VC/NVA KIA 15

DETAINÉES 3

IWC 0

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USMC CASUALTIES	0
KIA	0
WIA	0
MIA	0
NBC	0
KNBC	0

(6) FIRST RECON BN END OF MONTH CLANDESTINE

PATROLS	82
SIGHTINGS	67
VC/NVA SIGHTED	924
FIRE MISSIONS	7
AIR STRIKES	3
VC/NVA KIA	12
DETAINEES	6
INC	4
USMC CASUALTIES	21
KIA	9
WIA	5
MIA	0
NBC	7
KNBC	0

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(7) 300800H: DIVING TM DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK
 VIC AT928863, AT928842, AT926866; RETURNED AT 301010H WITH NEG RES.

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6. (C) (CONT)

(8) HIRELING RECEIVED TACTICAL EMERGENCY EXTRACTION DUE TO
COMPROMISE OF TMS POSITION. SEE SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS (A-5,6)

(9) PERSONNEL ON HAND :

USMC OFFICERS	(37)
USN OFFICERS	(1)
USMC ENLISTED	(670)
USN ENLISTED	(14)

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HEADQUARTERS
1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

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3/JPC/trl
08 Jun 1969

BATTALION BULLETIN 1510

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Reconnaissance Indoctrination Course 7-69

Ref: (a) BnO F03000.4

Encls: (1) Training Schedule
(b) Roster of Personnel

1. Purpose. To promulgate the training schedule for a special Reconnaissance Indoctrination Course to be conducted at Camp Reasoner, Da Nang, RVN, for newly joined personnel.
2. Background. The Reconnaissance Indoctrination Course (RIC) is designed to familiarize the newly joined personnel with the principle, techniques and tactics of ground reconnaissance patrolling in the Republic of Vietnam environment.
3. Action.
 - a. The Battalion S-3 will conduct the subject course on 17 Jun 1969 through 26 Jun 1969 in accordance with the schedule outlined in enclosure (1).
 - b. Company Commanders will ensure that newly joined operational and communication personnel subsequent to 17 Jun 1969 are available to commence instructions as scheduled by this Headquarters, (S-3).
 - c. Company Commanders will provide instructors as outlined in enclosure (1) and troop handlers as assigned by this Headquarters (S-3).
 - d. Cysgt AKIOKA is designated as the NCOIC of this course.
 - e. The roadway in front of the Battalion Recreation building is designated as the muster area.

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4. Self-cancellation 30 Jun 1969

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By direction

Distributions: "B" plus

Each instructor

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CO, 1st Eng

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TRAINING SCHEDULE

FIRST DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	RMKS
0630	Master	NCOIC	MSUTER		UTIL	
0730	Area		Area			
0730	Morn	-do-	Bn Mess		-do-	Mess
0800	Meal					gear
0830	Intro	BN	E.C.M.		-do-	Pad &
0900		CO	Club			Pen
0900	Brev Code	BN	-do-	Instr	-do-	-do-
1000	Salute	S-3		Notes		
1000	Map &	NCOIC	-do-	FM	-do-	-do-
1500	Compass			21-26		
1500	Chemical	BN NCB	-do-	FM	-do-	Gas
1700	Agents	NCO		21-200		Mask
1745	Even	NCOIC	Bn		-do-	Mess
1830	Meal		Mess			gear

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SECOND DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	USE	RMKS
0700	Muster	NGOIC	SCUBA		NOTE	DRAT
0730			Locker		# 1	S/O
0730	Morn	-do-	Bn			Mess
0800	Meal		Mess			Gar
0800	Enroute	-do-	Nam-C			
0830	to Beach		Bridge			
0830	River	Mobile	-do-	Instr	Pad &	
0930	Crossing	Trng		Notes	Pen	
0930	River	NGOIC	-do-	-do-	-do-	
1030	Recon					
1030	Rubber	NGOIC	-do-	PMEM		
1130	Boats			2-2		
1130	NOON	NGOIC	-do-			
1230	MEAL					
1230	Rubber					
1230	Sent	NGOIC	-do-	PMEM		
1600	Application			2-2		
1600	Enroute	NGOIC			NOTE	
1645	1st Recon				# 1	

NOTE # 1. Trainees attending will wear swim trunks, utility jackets - carry M-16/L w/2 Magazines (loaded) and 2 meals w/o rations.

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THIRD DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	RMKS
0730	Rules of	Mobile	E.M.	NAYMC	UTIL	Pad &
0800	engagement	Trng	Club	26114		Pen
0800	Morn	NCOIC	Bn Mess		-do-	Mess
0900	Meal					Gear
0900	Indiv	Mobile	E.M.	-do-	-do-	Pad &
1000	Response	Trng	Club			Pen
1000	Personal	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
1100	Response					
1100	Fire Arms	Bn	-do-	Bn O	-do-	-do-
1200	Safety	Armor		8000		
1200	M-16A1	-do-	-do-	FM	-do-	-do-
1300	Rifle			23-9		
1400	Cliff	NCOIC	HILL	FM	NOTE	Helm
1500	Rappel		327	31-72	# 1	
1500	Holo	-do-	LZ 401	Instr	NOTE	
1700	Rappel			Note	# 2	
1700	Even	-do-	Bn		UTIL	Mess
1800	Meal		Mess			Gear

NOTE #1. Trainees will draw from their company supply 2 snap links, 1 pair of gloves, 1 sling rope. Each company will provide 2 Climbing ropes for the class. Helmets are a mandatory requirement while climbing rocks and cliffs.

NOTE # 2. Trainees will have the same equipment as above with the exceptions of the helmets.

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FOURTH DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	RMKS
0700	Muster	NGOIC	Motor	LEM	Note	
0715			Pool	Chap 2	#1	
0715	Enroute	-do-			-do-	Pad &
0730	11thMar					Pen
0900	F.O	11thMar	11thMar	Instr	-do-	-do-
1000	Procedure		GP	Note		
1200	Enroute	NGOIC			-do-	
1700	1st Recon					
1715	Even	-do-	Bn		UTIL	Mess
1800	Mess		Mess			Gear

NOTE #1. Trainees attending will have the following equipment; Rifle w/10 Magazines (loaded), helmets, body armor, 2 meals (ration), 2 antens (filled), compass, laid pack, ponch & belt suspenders.

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FIFTH DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	RMKS
0730	Optical	Bn	E.M	Instr	Util	Pad &
0800	Equip	Armor	Club	Notes		Pen
0800	Morn	NCOEC	Bn Mess		-do-	Mess Coar
0900	Meal					
0900	Camouflage	NCOIC	E.M	FM	-do-	-do-
1000	Per Equip		Club	21-75		
1000	Selecting	NCOIC	-do-	FMFM	-do-	-do-
1100	Harbor sites	%		6-5		
1100	I.A.	-do-	LZ 401	Instr	-do-	Note #1.
1200	Drill			Note		
1300	REC-25	BN	B.M.		-do-	Pad &
1400		COMM	Club			Pen
1400	Voice Comm	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
1500	Procedure					
1500	1st Aid	BN	-do-	BnMed	-do-	-do-
1730		PA.S.		Manual		
1730	Even	NCOIC	BN Mess		-do-	Mess
1830	Meal					Coar
1915	Night Opt	Bn Armor	Muster	Instr	-do-	
2015	Devises		S-2	Notes		

NOTE #1. Trainees will bring their rifle and cartridge belt for immediate action drill down on LZ 401.

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SIXTH DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	REMS
0700	Church	Bn	Bn	LEM	UTIL	
1000		Chaplain	Chapel	Chap 5		
1000	M-79 &	Bn	Bn	Instr	-do-	Pad &
1100	50 Cal	Armory	Armory	Notes		Fsn
1200	M-60	Mobile	Enl Loc	-do-	Note #	-do-
1200		Tng	Rifle Range		1	
1200	Fan Fire	OIC &	-do-		-do-	-do-
1400	M-60	Armorer				
1600	Enroute	NCOIC			-do-	
1630	1st Recon					
1645	Even	-do-	En Mess		Util	Mess
1730	Meal					Gear

NOTE #1. Trainees will take the following equipment: Helmet, Body arm
M-16A1 rifle w/10 Magazines (loaded), 2 canteens (filled), one aid pa
belt suspenders and poncho.

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SEVENTH DAY

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	RMKS
0500	Reveille Duty	NCO				
0510						
0510	Muster	NCOIC	Motor	MPM	Note #	
0545			Pool	Chap 2	1	
0545	Enroute	-do-			-do-	
0630	1st Eng					
0630	Morn	-do-	1stEng			
0700	Meal					
0700	Landmine	1stEng	-do-	Instr	-do-	Pad &
1630	Warfare	Bn		Notes		Pan
1630	Enroute	NCOIC			-do-	
1730	1st Recon					
1730	Even	-do-	Bn		Util	Mess
1800	Meal		Mess			Gear

NOTE #1. Trainees will take the following equipment: Helmet, body armor M-16A1 rifle w/10 Magazines (loaded) and one aid packet, Belt suspender and Poncho.

2. Eighth Day Same as the Seventh Day

3. Ninth Day Same as the Seventh Day

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Tenth Day

TIME	SUBJ	INSTR	PLACE	REF	U&E	RMKS
0700	Special	DIV	E.M	Instr	Util	Pen &
0800	Ordinance	Ordinance	Club	Notes		Pad
0800	Morn	NGOIC	Bn Mess		-do-	Mess
0900	Meal					Gear
0900	Patrol	-do-	E.M. Club	-do-	-do-	Pen &
1000	Techniques					Pad
1100	Selecting	-do-	-do-	FM	-do-	-do-
1100	HLZ's			57-38		
1100	Road	-do-	-do-	FM	-do-	-do-
1500	Recon			5-36		
1500	Intell	S-2	S-2		-do-	-do-
1600	Brief		Briefing Room			
1600	GRADUATION	Bn CO &	-do-			-do-
1700		SgtMaj				

Enclosure (1)

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ROSTER OF PERSONNEL

NAME	RANK	SERNO/MOS	UNIT
DAVIES, R.P.	PFC	248539 /0311	"A"
CROSS, D.C.	PFC	2481315/0331	"A"
HLAVKA, S.C.	PFC	2506350/0331	"A"
MARRUFO, J.	LCpl	2442670/0311	"A"
SPARKS, R.L.	LCpl	2352455/0311	"A"
PELLETTER, J.E.	PVT	2452450/0331	"E"
STALLINGS, R.E.	PFC	2513591/0311	"E"
THOMAS, W.J.	PFC	2482431/0311	"E"
MEGA, S.A.	PFC	2495663/0311	"D"
ELLESON, D.J.	PFC	2492657/0311	"D"
SANDERS, S.	HM3	B582069/8404	"D"
JONES, M.L.	CPL	2409609/0311	"C"
HOBROCK, R.E.	LCpl	2445173/0311	"C"
THOMAS, W.B.	LCpl	2448511/0311	"C"
DOLAN, J.S.	PFC	2498505/0311	"C"
TEWS, S.D.	PFC	2538486/0311	"C"
WILGUTT, R.M.	PFC	2519040/0311	"C"
LECUYER, D.R.	PFC	2518784/0311	"E"
SMITH, D.A.	PFC	2513196/0311	"E"
KNUTSON, M.L.	PFC	2505219/0311	"E"
PFALZER, D.E.	PFC	2518805/0311	"D"

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NAME	RANK	SERVICE NO.	UNIT
NEIL, R.J.	PFC	2492559/0311	B
BRANNAN, P.D.	PFC	2527766/0311	B
GARCIA, R.R.	PFC	2513509/0311	B
FOGARTY, HE+	PFC	25323680/0311	B
BAIN, R.A.	PFC	2498993/0311	B
SMICK, D.D.	PFC	2512154/0311	D
STEWART, L.B.	PFC	2464007/0311	D
GREGORI, D.E.	PFC	2449001/0311	D
MCCORMICKS, K.G.	PFC	2445760/0311	D
HAMILTON, J.E.Jr.	CPL	2434314/0311	E
HALL, D.L.	Sgt	2099698/0311	E
MATA, R.G.	PFC	2531439/0311	E
HEICKARD, J.V.	PFC	2521196/0311	E
BUEN, T.M.	PFC	2467519/0311	H&S

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1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

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29 May 1969

BATTALION BULLETIN 1510

From: Commanding Officer

To: Distribution List

Subj: Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course 5-69

Ref: (a) CG, 1stMarDiv msg R250239Z Apr 69

Encl: (1) Training Schedule
(2) Roster of Students

1. Purpose. To promulgate a training schedule for Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course 5-69 to be conducted at Camp Reasoner, DA NANG, Vietnam during the period 1 Jun to 6 Jun 1969.

2. Background.

a. Reference (a) allocated SCUBA School quotas to the Battalion for the fourth (4th) quarter, fiscal year 1969.

b. In order to ensure maximum participation in, and benefit from, SCUBA School, a Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course will be conducted during the period 1 Jun to 6 Jun 1969.

c. Personnel listed in enclosure (2) will attend the subject course.

3. Action.

a. The Battalion S-3 will conduct the subject course in accordance with the schedule outlined in enclosure (1).

b. Company Commanders will ensure that personnel contained in enclosure (2) are available to commence instruction at 0645, Sunday, 1 Jun 69.

c. Company Commanders will provide instructors as outlined in enclosure (1).

d. SSgt ROBINSON, M.Jr. is designated as the NCOIC of the Pre-SCUBA
Indoctrination Course 5-69.

4. Self-Cancellation 10 Jun 1969

J. P. Cole
J. P. COLE
By direction

DISTRIBUTION "C" plus
Each instructor (1)
Each student (1)

Copy to;
G-2 (2)
G-3 (Trng) (3)

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First Day

TIME	SUBJ	TYPE	INSTR	AREA	REF
0730 0800	Indoctrination	L	OIC	Rec Room	Instr Notes
0800 0900	Church Call				
0900 1200	Diving Physics	L	Corpsman	-do-	USN Div Manual
1200 1330	Underwater Physiology	L	-do-	-do-	-do-
1330 1500	Diving Diseases	L	-do-	-do-	-do-
1500 1600	Spot Quiz & Critique	Ex	-do-	-do-	-do-

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Second Day

TIME	SUBJ	TYPE	INSTR	AREA	REF
0645 0730	Physical Training	A	NCOIC	E2401	TM 22-200
0730 0800	Chow			Mess Hall	
0800 0900	Enroute Beach	A	NCOIC	Spanish Beach	
0900 1000	Condition Swim w/out Fins	A	-do-	-do-	500 Meters Instr Notes
1000 1200	Diving Equipment & Basic Diving Procedures	L, D, A	-do-	-do-	US Diving Manual
1200 1300	Chow			-do-	
1300 1320	Technique w/fins & Use of Face Mask	L, D	-do-	-do-	-do-
1320 1500	Timed Swim	A	-do-	-do-	500 Meters
1500 1630	Enroute/Care Cleaning of Equipment	A	-do-	STORA Locker	

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Third Day

TIME	SUBJ	TYPE	INSTR	AREA	REF
0645 0730	Physical Training	A	NCOIC	LZ401	TM 22-200
0730 0800	Chow			Mess Hall	
0800 0900	Enroute Beach	A	NCOIC	Spanish Beach	
0900 1000	Hazards & Marine Life	L	-do-	-do-	USN Diving Manual
1000 1100	Diving Physics	L	Corpsman	-do-	-do-
1100 1200	Repetitive Dive Tables	L,A	NCOIC	-do-	-do-
1200 1300	Chow			-do-	
1300 1400	Repetitive Dive Tables	L,A	NCOIC	-do-	-do-
1400 1600	Indoctrination Swim w/gear	D,A	-do-	-do-	-do-
1600 1730	Enroute/Care & Cleaning of Equipment	A	-do-	SCUBA Locker	

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Fourth Day

TIME	SUBJ	TYPE	INSTR	AREA	REF
0645 0730	Physical Training	A	NCOIC	L2401	TM 22-200
0730 0800	Chow			Mess Hall	
0800 0900	Enroute Beach	A	NCOIC	Spanish Beach	
0900 1200	Underwater Navigation & Accuracy Swim	L,D,A	-do-	-do-	750 Meters USN Diving Manual
1200 1300	Chow			-do-	
1300 1400	Review Physics	L,A,	NCOIC	-do-	USN Diving Manual
1400 1600	Accuracy Swim	A	-do-	-do-	1000 Meters
1600 1730	Enroute/Care & Cleaning of Equipment	A	-do-	SCUBA Locker	

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Fifth Day

TIME	SUBJ	TYPE	INSTR	AREA	REF
0645 0730	Physical Training	A	NCOIC	LZ401	TM 22-200
0730 0800	Chow			Mess Hall	
0800 0900	Enroute Beach	A	NCOIC	Spanish Beach	
0900 1200	Ditch & Don Equipment	L,D,A	-do-	-do-	USN Diving Manual
1200 1300	Chow			-do-	
1300 1430	Repetitive Dive Tables	L,A	NCOIC	-do-	USN Diving Manual
1430 1530	Review Physics	L,A	-do-	-do-	-do-
1530 1700	Accuracy Swim	L,A	-do-	-do-	1000 Meters
1700 1800	Enroute/Care & Cleaning of Equipment	A	-do-	SCUBA Locker	

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Sixth Day

TIME	SUBJ	TYPE	INSTR	AREA	REF
0645 0730	Physical Training	A	NCOIC	LZ401	TM 22-200
0730 0800	Chow			Mess Hall	
0800 0900	Enroute Beach	A	NCOIC	Spanish Beach	
0900 1100	Final Dive	A	-do-	-do-	USN Diving Manual
1100 1200	Review	A	-do-	-do-	-do-
1200 1300	Chow			-do-	
1300 1430	Final Exam	A	NCOIC	-do-	USN Diving Manual
1430 1500	Critique	A	-do-	-do-	-do-
1500 1630	Enroute/Care & Cleaning of Equipment	A	-do-	SCUBA Locker	

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NAME	RANK	SERNO/MOS	UNIT	RTD
COPPER, W.G.	PFC	2469755/0311	Co "B"	Jan 70
WHITE, J.A.	LCPL	2451070/0531	Co "A"	Jan 70
HOLLOWAY, R.L.	LCPL	2410199/0311	Co "C"	Oct 69
WEESE, G.L.	LCPL	2424403/2533	Co, "D"	Mar 70
DRISKIE, R.L.	LCPL	2457718/0311	Co "E"	Nov 69
KLEINER, G.S.	LCPL	2456363/0311	Co "E"	Nov 69
RICHIE, J.D.	2ndLt.	0106920/0302	ForReconCo	Feb 70
CHAMPE, C.R.	1stLt.	0102666/1802	ForReconCo	Feb 70

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A. Statistical Data Chart

	<u>OPERATION PIPESTONE CANYON</u>	<u>1st Recon Bn</u>	<u>1st Force Recon Co.</u>	<u>TOTALS</u>
PATROLS	7	100	8	115
SIGHTINGS	103	204	14	321
VC/NVA SIGHTED	3457	5062	500	8919
FIRE MISSIONS	100	113	2	215
AIR STRIKES	1	5	29	35
NOF MISSIONS	0	0	0	0
VC/NVA KILLED	15	43	10	68
IWC	3	8	0	11
DETAINEES	0	14	1	15
USMC CASUALTIES:	0	35	6	41
KIA	0	9	1	10
WIA (EVAC)	0	8	2	10
MIA	0	0	0	0
NBC (EVAC)	0	18	3	21
KNBC	0	0	0	0

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