

Force Logistic Support Group  
III Marine Amphibious Force and Naval Component Command  
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Ref: (a) MCO 5750.2 Command Chronology of 19 July 1965  
(b) CG, III MAF memo 1031/RPL/ife over 5211 2 September 1965

Encl: (1) Organizational Data  
(2) Narrative Summary

1. In accordance with references (a) and (b) enclosures (1) and (2) are submitted.

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Part I-Organizational Data

1. Designation/Location:

a. Force Logistic Support Group - Coordinates BT 000745 on map sheet NE 49-13.

b. Force Logistic Support Unit One - Coordinates BT 530105 on map sheet NE 49-1.

c. Force Logistic Support Unit Two - Coordinates YD 900140 on map sheet NE 48-16.

2. Period covered by this report is 010001H December to 312400H December 1965.

3. Name/rank of Commanding Officer and staff or chief subordinate including T/O billet:

a. FLSG OPERATIONAL ORGANIZATION AT END OF PERIOD.

(1) HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE COMPANY

Group Headquarters

(a) Commanding Officer Col. M. J. PADALINO

(b) Executive Officer Col. H. C. REED

(c) S-1/Adj Maj. W. H. DISHER

(d) S-2/S-3 LtCol. D. D. POWELL

(e) S-4 Capt. R. K. FEATHERSTON

(f) Company Commander Capt. J. K. MILLER

(2) Supply Company

Commanding Officer LtCol. K. W. HENRY

(3) Maintenance Company

Commanding Officer LtCol. J. M. HAYES

(4) Truck Company

Commanding Officer Capt. G. B. TUCKER

b. Force Logistic Support Unit #1

Commanding Officer

LtC

c. Force Logistic Support Unit #2

Commanding Officer

Maj O. W. RITTER

4. Average monthly strength during the period:

	USMC		USN		
	Off	Enl	Off	Enl	Total
a. Force Logistic Support Group	52	1,609	4	34	1,699
b. Force Logistic Support Unit #1	25	848		8	881
c. Force Logistic Support Unit #2	<u>6</u>	<u>191</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>201</u>
Total	83	2,648	4	46	2,781

PART II - NARRATIVE SUMMARY

3-4 Dec. A Technical Assistance Team from Fleet Marine Force, Pacific visited the FLSG.

7 Dec. MajGen. L. W. WALT, Commanding General, III Marine Amphibious Force visited the FLSG and talked with personnel from Maintenance Company.

8 Dec. LtGen. V. H. KRULAK, Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific visited the FLSG, was briefed by the Commanding Officer and toured portions of the FLSG area.

13 Dec. Completed relocation of a Bulk Fuel Farm from the Southeast to the Northwest end of the DaNang Air Base. This farm consisted of thirty-six (36) 10,000 gallon fuel bags. The re-location resulted in reducing pipeline requirements by two (2) miles and eliminating two (2) booster stations. Moved 1,000 55 gallon drums of packaged POL to new packaged POL Supply Point.

14 Dec. Conducted familiarization firing for the 50 caliber anti-aircraft machine gun crews. Fifty (50) men from FLSG participated in the familiarization firing.

22 Dec. BGen. L. E. ENGLISH visited the FLSG and was briefed by the Commanding Officer.

23 Dec. RAdm. J. W. KELLY, Chief of Chaplains, U. S. Navy visited the FLSG and dedicated the new FLSG Chapel. MGen. L. W. WALT, CG, III MAF attended the dedication.

24-25 Dec. Traditional Christmas religious services conducted and special menu was served at the FLSG and FLSU #1 and #2.

30 Dec. MajGen. L. J. FIELDS, Commanding General, 1st Marine Division FMF visited the FLSG and was briefed by the Commanding Officer.

31 Dec. The combined strength of the Force Logistic Support Group and Logistic Support Units increased by 42 enlisted personnel during the month, 3 Marine officers, 138 enlisted Marines and 2 Navy enlisted were joined. During the same period 3 Marine officers and 98 Marine enlisted were transferred.

31 Dec. During the month the following Motor Transport Support was provided:

Personnel Transported	81,229
Cargo Transported	19,825 \$/T
Distance Traveled	191,678 Miles

A recap of other Force Logistic Support Group Functions follows:

- a. Data Processing key punched 66,100 cards, transceived 70,376 cards and processed 8,777,700 transactions during the regular updating runs.
- b. Clothing in the amount of \$98,063 was provided on an in-kind issue basis to Marines; Navy in-kind issue amounted to \$8,107, Cash Sales totaled \$9,160 and other miscellaneous transactions amounted to \$1,157.
- c. EOD destroyed 11,254 assorted rounds and recovered 1,187 rounds.
- d. Shipping and Receiving processed 3,688 short tons, 360,900 cubic feet of outgoing materiel and 2,014 short tons, 225,271 cubic feet of incoming materiel, (This does not include materiel belonging <sup>to</sup> <sub>A</sub> tactical organizations).
- e. A total of 6,469 maintenance work orders were received and 6,250 work orders were completed during the period. A break-down of work orders by technical category follows:

<u>Commodity</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>Remaining</u>
Comm/Elec	1830	1534	1070
Engineer	798	773	442
Motor Transport	2010	1969	955
Ordnance	1226	1542	573
General Supply	605	432	167

- f. The Fleet Stock Account filled 19,878 demands. All priority 02 and 05 requisitions that cannot be filled from stock on hand are passed to 3d FSR.

i. During the month, the essential data . . . and put in the final form for a Table of Organization and Table of Equipment for a Corps Logistic Command with a Corps Logistic Support Group at DaNang, a Corps Logistic Support Unit at Hue Phu Bai and a Corps Logistic Support Group at Chu Lai; the Corps Logistic Command to be located with the Headquarters, III Marine Amphibious Force.