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1st Force Reconnaissance Company (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), FMP
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

AN HQA COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

010001H FEBRUARY 69 TO 282400H FEBRUARY 69

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PART A

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA1. DESIGNATIONCOMMANDER

1st Force Reconnaissance Company

Maj. R. E. SIMMONS 1-28Feb69

ATTACHED UNITS

3rd Reconnaissance Battalion,
Company "E", 2nd Platoon
1st Reconnaissance Battalion,
Company "E", 2nd Platoon
5th Reconnaissance Battalion,
Company "A", 1st Platoon

2nd Lt. S. D. HELLMANN 1-17Feb69
1st Lt. F. M. FORCHAGE 1-22Feb69
2nd Lt. S. D. HELLMAN 17-28Feb69

2. LOCATION

1-28 Feb 1969, 1st Force Reconnaissance Company: An Hoa, RVN.

3. STAFF OFFICERS

Executive Officer
S-2
S-3
Supply Officer
Communications Officer
Motor Transport Officer

Capt. R.D. WILLIAMS 1-28Feb69
SSgt. J.D. MATHIS 1-28Feb69
1st Lt. A.R. FINLAYSON 1-28Feb69
2nd Lt. G.T. PICKETT 1-28Feb69
1st Lt. R.W. HANSEN 1-28Feb69
Capt. R.D. WILLIAMS 1-28Feb69

4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

	<u>OFF</u>	<u>USMC</u> <u>ENL</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>USN</u> <u>ENL</u>
1st Force Recon Co	9	138	0	7
2nd Plt, Co "E",				
3rd Recon Bn	1	26	0	2
2nd Plt, Co "E",				
1st Recon Bn	1	23	0	1
1st Plt, Co "A",				
5th Recon Bn	1	25	0	2

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PART B
NARRATIVE SUMMARY

The First Force Reconnaissance Company conducted normal patrolling activities in general support of Task Force "Yankee" during the month of February 1969. The results of this activity are documented in PART D.

PART C

- 01Feb69 During the month of February 1969, the company continued to support Task Force "Yankee" in reconnaissance operations.
- 01Feb69 During the month of February 1969, Operation TAYLOR COMMON continued with 1st Force Reconnaissance Company (Rein) in general support.
- 17Feb69 Second Platoon, Company "E", 3rd Reconnaissance Battalion redesignated First Platoon, Company "A", 5th Reconnaissance Battalion by Task Force "Yankee" message 170855Z.
- 27Feb69 Second Platoon, Company "E", 1st Reconnaissance Battalion departed An Hoa and returned to Da Nang, RVN.

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4. Statistical Data Chart

	D. NING	AN HQ.	TOTALS
RETROLS	74	29	103
SIGHTINGS	426	28	454
VC/NV. SIGHTED	1763	169	1932
FIRE MISSIONS	123	13	136
AIR STRIKES	19	2	21
PGF MISSIONS	0	0	0
VC/NV. KL.	53	9	62
TWC	5	1	6
DEATHS	1	1	2
USMC CASUALTIES:	19	16	35
KIL	1	0	1
WIL (TVAC)	2	13	15
MIL	0	0	0
MDC (TVAC)	16	3	19
KMDC	0	0	0

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 #22: Co Operation Order #53-69 dtd 02 Feb 69 Cancelled
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 #41: Patrol Report 3E-23 Hunt Club dtd 19 Feb 69
 #42: Co Operation Order #65-69 dtd 12 Feb 69
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 #44: Co Operation Order #66-69 dtd 11 Feb 69
 #45: Patrol Report F-51 Screen Test dtd 18 Feb 69
 #46: Co Operation Order #67-69 dtd 11 Feb 69
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 #49: Patrol Report E3-22 Crazy Bone dtd 17 Feb 69
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#61: Patrol Report F-32 Pony Team dtd 20 Feb 69
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OPERATION ORDER #35

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241100H Jan 1969

Ref: (a) Map, VIETNAM, Sheet 6540 II
 (b) 1stReconBnO P03000.4
 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1F (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2 (Rules of Engagement)
 (e) SoFragO 435-69

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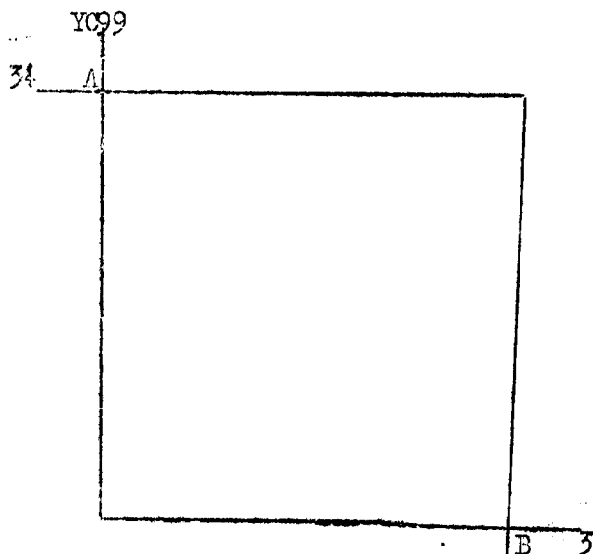
Unit/Call Sign: FORE FATHER (F-11) Patrol Leader: Sgt. J. MCNOROUGH

1. Situation. (a) See current INDSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the ford vic ZC017327 for possible enemy troop and arms infiltration. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 261000H; insert vic ZC006326 and extract at 291100H vic ZCTDA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
 Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
 DESKWORK LIMA YANKEE 55.05 155'S H
 Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
 NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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 A. R. FINLAYSON
 By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
1stReconBn(S-3)	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)



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OPERATION ORDER: #35-69
 PATROL: FORD FATHER (F-11)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET 6540 II

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOA, RVN.
 011845H

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'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE FOROVIC ZC0017237 FOR POSSIBLE ENEMY TROOP AND ARMS INFILTRATION. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 281620H/011350H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 69½ HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED. PATROL HAD (3) USMC NBC (E).
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: NONE
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 60-70 FEET. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 5-10 FEET HIGH, CONSISTING OF ELEPHANT GRASS AND VINES. MOVEMENT: 150 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSER LZ: YC994336 1 XCH-46 SLOPING GROUND WITH 8 FEET HIGH ELEPHANT GRASS. EXTRACT LZ: ZC007327 HOIST ON SLOPE. POOR ZONE FOR HOIST. TRAILS: ZC002328 PATROL FOUND A TRAIL RUNNING SE TO NW. TRAIL APPROXIMATELY (3) FEET WIDE AND SHOWED NO SIGNS OF RECENT USE. APPROXIMATELY (5) METERS OFF TRAIL WAS AN OLD (APPROXIMATELY 3 MONTHS) HARBOR SITE WHICH HAD OLD PANS AND DISHES SCATTERED AROUND IT. CP'S: ZC006328 COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: WHILE EXTRACTION OF THE PATROL WAS IN PROCESS THE POWER HOIST OF THE CH-46D BECAME INOPERABLE AND IT WAS NECESSARY TO UTILIZE A CLIMBING ROPE TO EXTRACT (3) MEMBERS OF THE PATROL. AFTER THE (3) MEMBERS WERE ON THE ROPE THE HELICOPTER LIFTED AWAY FROM THE ZONE AND TOWARD A SANDBAR APPROXIMATELY (1,200) METERS AWAY. AS THE HELICOPTER WAS OVER THE SANDBAR THE (3) MEMBERS FELL TO THE GROUND. RESULTS: (3) USMC NBC (E) INVESTIGATION PENDING.

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8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: FAIR; (3) USMC NBC.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL FOUND NO INDICATION OF RECENT ENEMY ACTIVITY IN THE AREA. ALL TRAILS AND HIDEOUT SITES SHOWED NO SIGNS OF RECENT USE.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

SGT McDONOUGH NBC	1807652
CPL HINES	2306202
PFC MURR	2320425
PFC BOSTON	2463097
PFC FLEMING	2293031
HM3 WELCH	B132316
PFC GRANT NBC	2434975
PFC GRIGGS NBC	2448126

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DISTRIBUTIONS

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G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO G-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO G-3	(5)
1ST FAG	(2)
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(d) 1stMarDiv0 P003330.2A (Rules of Engagement)
(e) CoFrag0 #38-69

Unit/Call Sign: PICKWICK PAPER (F-21) Patrol Leader: Sgt R.W PETERS

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a Sting Ray Patrol within your assigned Haven. You will call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity without fail primarily by employing arty ambushes.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 280800H; insert via ZC192512 and extract at 311000H via ZC184297.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
DESKWORK LIMA YANKEE 55.05
FLAG DIP "F" 55.05
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

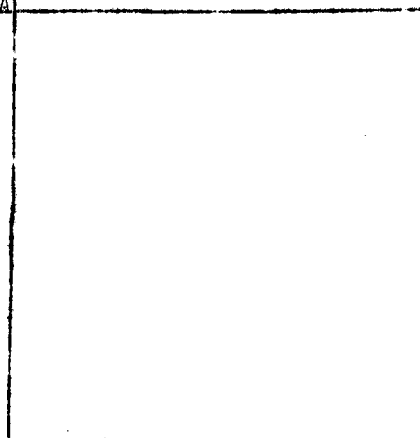
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Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)

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OPERATION ORDER: #38-69
 PATROL: PICKWICK PAPER (F-21)
 DEBRIEFER: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET 0540 II

7ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOA, RVN.
 021630H FEB 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL, 3 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S & 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-54, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A STING RAY PATROL WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN. YOU WILL CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY WITHOUT FAIL PRIMARILY BY EMPLOYING ARTY AMBUSHES.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 311455H/021422H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 3 HOURS WITH 2 SIGHTINGS OF A TOTAL OF 4 NVA/VC, WHICH RESULTED IN 2 CONTACTS. RESULTS OF CONTACTS: UNKNOWN. 1 AIRSTRIKE WAS USED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN
 - A. ENEMY:

021133H AT ZC190313 2 NVA/VC FOLLOWING PATROL ON TRAIL APPROXIMATELY 30 METERS BEHIND. 1 ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, 1 HAD NO SHIRT. BOTH HAD CARBINES AND WEB GEAR. PATROL FIRED ON ENEMY. RESULTS UNKNOWN. PATROL BROKE CONTACT AND REQUESTED GUNSHIP SUPPORT.

021212H AT ZC190313 PATROL OBSERVED 2 NVA/VC MOVING ACROSS BOMB CRATER. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, HAD WEB GEAR, PACKS, AND WORE DUSH COVERS. 1 CARRIED AK-47 OTHER WEAPON NOT OBSERVED.

021230H AT ZC191313 HEARD ESTIMATED 40 NVA/VC FIRING ON GUNSHIPS WITH SA AND AV, WHILE GUNSHIPS MAKING RUNS.

021230H-021430H AT ZC191312 PATROL HEARD SOUNDS USED AS SIGNALS TO DIRECT SEARCH FOR THEM. SIGNALS CONSISTED OF WHISTLES, WHOOPS, AND RANGING ON METAL.

021430H ZC191312 AS PATROL WAS BEING EXTRACTED THEY HEARD HEAVY MACHINE GUN (POSSIBLE 50 CAL.) FIRING ON CHOPPER.
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 20-50 FEET HIGH. 12 FEET SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH THICK. CONSISTING OF VINES, THORNS, MATTED AND DEAD MATERIAL. MOVEMENT: 50 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.

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7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT IZ: ZC187335 POOR RAPPEL ZONE. EXTRACT IZ: ZC191312 LADDER. TRAILS: 2-4 FEET WIDE, RECENTLY USED. OP'S: ZC194314 SOUTH, EAST, NORTH. COMMUNICATIONS: OFF RIDGELINES POOR. MISCELLANEOUS: FOUND BURNT TENNIS SHOES ON TRAIL.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: RESULTS UNKNOWN.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: EXCELLENT.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: RECOMMEND AIRSTRIKE IN AREA AND ANOTHER RECON TEAM FOR BOMB DAMAGE ASSESSMENT. (AIRSTRIKE ZC190320-ZC175295)
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: EXCELLENT.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

CPL WILLIAMSON	2356121
CPL PARRISH	2397420
CPL PICKETT	2211634
PTC CAPERS	23227993
PTC CLAGETT	2455366
PTC DOMELSON	2437059
1M DAVIES	D439983

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DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCG	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
3ST FAG	(2)
1ST RECON BN	(2)

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 (c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1G Ch 1&2 (Intelligence SOP)
 (d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2A (Rules of Engagement)
 (e) ColFrogO #40-69

Unit/Call Sign: CRAZY BONE (3E-22) Patrol Leader: Cpl M. G. FINKLE

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the trail network vic ZC1734. Monitor all enemy traffic and be prepared to conduct an ambush if the opportunity presents itself. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation Taylor Common.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 280930H; insert vic ZC203355 and extract at 311200H vic ZC179346.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
 Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
 FLAG DIP "T" 55.05
 DESKWORK LIMA YANKEE 55.05
 Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
 NIGHT SCHOLAR "T"

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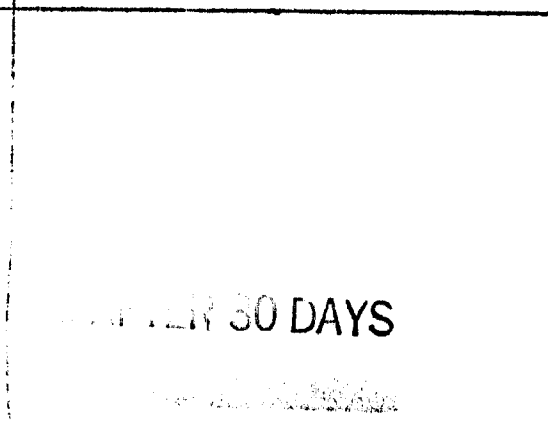
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 Task Force "Y" FSCC (1)
 Task Force "Y" COC (1)
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 3rdMarRegt FSCC (1)
 5thMarRegt COC (1)
 5thMarRegt FSCC (1)
 CO, 1st MAG (1)
 1stReconBn (Rein) (S-3) (1)
 1stForceReconCo (Rein) (S-3) (1)



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OPERATION ORDER: #40-69
 PATROL: CRAZY BONE
 DEBRIEFER: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
 MAPS: VIETNAM 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET 6540 V

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOA, RVN.
 021230H JAN 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRO-25'S + M-49 SCOPE
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE TRAIL NETWORK VIC ZC1734
 MONITOR ALL ENEMY TRAFFIC AND BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT AN AMBUSH IF THE
 OPPORTUNITY PRESENTS ITSELF. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR
 ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 301445H/021120H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 68 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR
 CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS USED. 1 USMC NBC (MINOR) SEE SECTION 7.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 50-60 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY
 UNDERGROWTH 15-20 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBOO, BUSHES, VINES,
 THORN BUSHES. MOVEMENT: 200 METER PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC190337 GOOD 1 XCH-46 OLD INFANTRY
 LZ, CLEARED. EXTRACT LZ: ZC178346 GOOD 1 XCH-46 BUSHES IN ZONE.
 TRAILS: MAIN TRAIL WAS 3-4 FEET WIDE AND WELL USED. DUG-IN IN SOME
 SPOTS UP TO 7 FEET. SECONDARY TRAILS LEADING OFF MAIN TRAIL WERE
 1-2 FEET WIDE, NOT DUG IN AND JUST AS WELL USED AT ONE TIME. ALL OF
 THESE TRAILS HAVE NOT BEEN USED IN ABOUT A WEEK. OP'S: NONE.
 COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS:
 WIDE RUBBER TIRE TRACKS ALONG MAIN TRAIL. POSSIBLE EYEGLASS. ...
 TRACKS. USMC NBC (MINOR) - CAUSED BY FALL FROM CHOPPER DURING INSERT
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER BELIEVES AREA BASE
 CAMP BUT ENEMY PULLED OUT RECENTLY.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: NONE USED

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12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: SIZE OF TRAILS INDICATES POSSIBLE SECTION OF HILL. TRAILS BRANCHING OUT OF MAIN TRAIL COULD BE TO BASE CAMPS.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

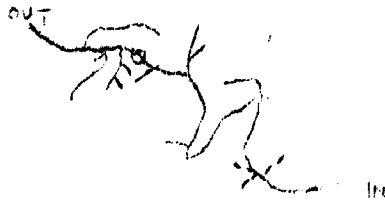
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CPL FINKLE	2375675
CPL KELLY	2254560
PFC WILKINS	2304349
PFC MUSSELMEN	2442556
PFC WEBER	2405509
PFC SYLVESTER	2405039

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DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH M'R REGT	(2)
CO 3RD M'R REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
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(e) ComFragO #41-69

Unit/Call Sign: SCREEN TEST (F-51) Patrol Leader: 2nd Lt. C. L. LOWDER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OFSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven placing special emphasis on CHAU PHONG village via Z09449 and Z09450. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity. In support operation Taylor Common.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Flip flop with SADDLE DAG (1E-21). Depart LZ BARNES at 290800H; insert via AT9345 and extract at 011000H via TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "B"

A. R. Finlayson
A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
CO, 1st FIC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)

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OPERATION ORDER: #44-69
 PATROL: SCREEN TEST (F-51)
 DETRIEVE: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET 6640 IV

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 031300H FEB 1969

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 PRG-25'S 2 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 4 CLAYMORES, 1 M-49 SCOPE
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN PLACING SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON CHAU PHONG VILLAGE VIC ZC9449 AND ZC9450. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 311503/031228H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 45 HOURS WITH 6 SIGHTINGS OF 19 NVA/VC, AND ONE CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: 2 USMC WIA (MINOR). PATROL CALLED FIRE MISSION AND 2 AIRSTRIKES RESULTS: 4 NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE).
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

010950H AT AT931495 PATROL OBSERVED 5 NVA/VC COMING OUT OF POSSIBLE TUNNEL COMPLEX. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJ'S AND STRAW HATS. ENEMY CARRIED NO GEAR. ENEMY PROCEEDED BY DIFFERENT ROUTES TO A HUT APPROXIMATELY 500 METERS TO NW (VIC AT926500) ENEMY WENT INTO HUT WITH TIN ROOF, SURROUNDED BY HEDGEROWS.

011210H AT AT945515 PATROL OBSERVED 3 VC/NVA RUNNING INTO VILLAGE AND CONTINUING THROUGH. ENEMY WAS WEARING WHITE SHIRTS, SHORTS, AND STRAW HATS. ENEMY WAS CARRYING HEAVY BOXES POSSIBLY AMMO. PATROL COULD SEE INFANTRY SWEEPING IN DISTANCE. ENEMY PROBABLY RUNNING FROM FRIENDLY FORCES.

011400 AT AT926500 PATROL OBSERVED 4-5 VC/NVA ENTER HUT MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJ'S AND STRAW HATS, AND 1 SK. CALLED FM, WITH GOOD COVERAGE. REST 4 VC/NVA KIA (PROBABLE)

020000 AT AT940472 PATROL HEARD MOVEMENT EAST OF O. P. WHEN ILLUMINATION CALLED. TEAM HEARD SOUNDS OF 702 GEAR HITTING DECK AS IF PEOPLE WITH GEAR WERE HIDING FROM LIGHT.

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021745H AT AT945474 PATROL OBSERVED 4 VC/NVA MOVING ACROSS STREAM. ENEMY WORE BLACK P.J.'S 2 WORE WHITE SHORTS. ALL CARRIED 702 WEAPON. 1 WAS UNIDENTIFIED RIFLE. ENEMY WORE NVA PITH HELMETS. ONE ENEMY WITH PITH HELMET ALSO CARRIED STRAW COOLIE HAT. ENEMY THEN PROCEEDED TO VIC AT940470 AND APPEARED TO BE LOOKING IN BUSHES. ENEMY THEN SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS ALONG TRAIL, AS IF IN AMBUSH POSITIONS. PATROL CALLED A. O. WHO COVERED TARGET WITH OWN ORDNANCE. RESULTS: UNKNOWN, BUT THERE WAS NO MOVEMENT WHEN A. O. LEFT.

021030H AT AT944477 PATROL OBSERVED 1 NVA/VC AND HEARD ESTIMATED 4 OTHERS. COULD NOT OBSERVE WELL DUE TO DARKNESS. ENEMY WAS MOVING CLAMOROUSLY BEHIND AND ABOVE PATROL, APPEARED TO BE LOOKING FOR PATROL.

021945H AT AT945474 HEARD MOVEMENT IN WATER. UNKNOWN SIZE UNIT.

022010H AT AT944477 PATROL OBSERVED 1 NVA/VC. DARKNESS DID NOT PERMIT TEAM TO SEE CLEARLY. TEAM THREW 2 GRENADES TO MARK THE TARGET FOR SPOOKY. PATROL RECEIVED 1 CHICOM GRENADE. PATROL THREW 1 GRENADE, AND RECEIVED 2 CHICOM GRENADES. PATROL FIRED CLAYMORE WEAPON AND BROKE CONTACT. RESULTS: 2 USMC WIA (MINOR).

D. TERRAIN: MODERATELY STEEP-ROCKY. NO CANOPY. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 3-4 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF SCRUBS. MOVEMENT: EASY 800 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: PLENTIFUL.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: AT943485 TRUCKED IN. EXTRACT LZ: GOOD 1 XCH-46 ZONE. TRAILS: 2 TRAILS ON MAP VIC AT9447 2-3 FEET WIDE, WELL AND RECENTLY USED. OP'S: VIC AT944479 GOOD VISIBILITY TO NORTH NOT EASILY DEFENDABLE. VIC AT944475 GOOD VISIBILITY SE, SOUTH, SW, NOT EASILY DEFENDABLE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 2 USMC (WIA) MINOR. 4 NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE).
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: OUTSTANDING
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER RECOMMENDS OP IN SAME SPOT IN NEAR FUTURE.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: AIR OUTSTANDING, ARTY EXCELLENT.
12. COMMENTS BY THE BRIEFER: NONE

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13. PATROL MEMBERS:

LOPL COURTNEY	2367270
SGT KILLEN	1858321
2NDLT LOWMEYER	0107449
PFC CRANE	2442435
HN NOLLE	B724650
PFC GUMMO	2413062
CPL LYNCH	2346262

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PATROL OVERLAY

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST FAG	(2)
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Unit/Call Sign: FIG NEWTON "A" (1E-22) Patrol Leader: 1STLT F. M. PORPOTAGE

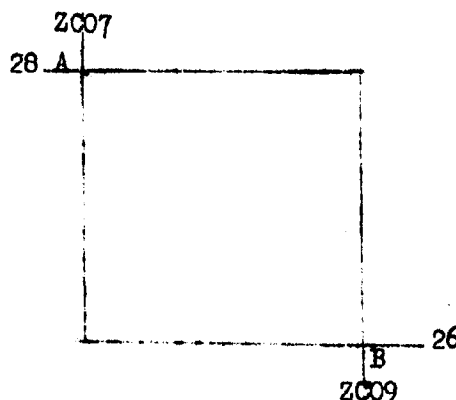
1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Provide security for an engineer team clearing a LZ on hill 545 vic ZC03272. In support of operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 311000H; insert vic ZC03272 and extract at 311400H vic ZC03272.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

A. R. Finlayson

A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)



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OPERATION ORIENT: #47-69
 PATROL: FIG NEWTON A(TE-22)
 DETRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHEIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L70-14,
 SHEET 6540 II

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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 11 ENL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: ENGINEERS: (1) OFF, (4) ENL.
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 TCSO'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 2 M-14, 2 M-79, 6 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: PROVIDE SECURITY FOR AN ENGINEER TEAM CLEARING A LZ ON HILL 545 VIC ZC082272 IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 311200H/011700H
4. ROUTE: NONE. PATROL REMAINED AT INSERT POINT AND CLEARED AN HLZ.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 29 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: NONE.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 50 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 10-15 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBOO AND THICK VINES. MOVEMENT: N/A WATER: NONE ON HILLTOP.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC082272 RAFFELLED IN. EXTRACT LZ: ZC082272 1 XCL-46 LEVEL HILLTOP WITH NO OBSTACLES. TRAILS: NONE. CP'S: VIC ZC082272 HAS GOOD FIELD OF OBSERVATION TO THE WEST AND SOUTH. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
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 DETRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

1STLT POROTAGE	0103011	EFC CAR	2402995
CPL DICKINSON	2264706	EFC CHASEL	2409497
HM3 HAMMONS	D705297	EFC KULCHINSKI	2451072
PFC METZ	2406112	CPL MANNERING	2357114
PFC BENTLEY	2406195		
PFC LARSON	2443751		
PFC LEWIS	2471744		
PFC BRISTLE	2457760		
SGT MCRAN	2075252		
		<u>ENGINEERING ATTACHEMENTS</u>	
		2ND GAUCH	0105097
		CPL DORES	2397168
		LCPL DORSEI	2394171
		LCPL BREWER	2291813
		PFC BRAND	2428755

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
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Unit/Call Sign: ICE BOUND (F-32) Patrol Leader: Cpl T. A. OTT

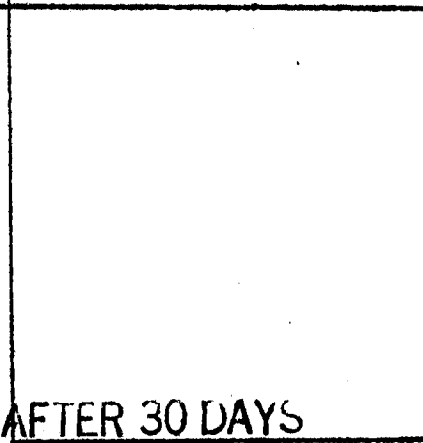
1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of a suspected bunker and base camp complex via ZC0352. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity. In sup operation TAYLOR COMMON
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 300800H; insert via ZC044510 and extract at 021000H via ZC TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2 (1)
G-3 (1)
Task Force "Y" FSOC (1)
Task Force "Y" COC (1)
3rdMarRegt COC (1)
3rdMarRegt FSOC (1)
5thMarRegt FSOC (1)
5thMarRegt COC (1)
CO, 1st FAG (1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3) (1)
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OPERATION ORDER: #42-
PATROL: ICE BOUND (F-32)
DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 1 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF A SUSPECTED BUNKER AND BASE CAMP COMPLEX VIC ZCO352. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 061430H/071730H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 27 HOURS WITH (1) SIGHTING OF (3) NVA/VC WHICH RESULTED IN (1) CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: (1) NVA/VC KIA (CONFIRMED), NO USMC CASUALTIES. MARINE GUNSHIPS PROVIDED EXCELLENT CLOSE AIR SUPPORT.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

061515H: VIC ZCO41520 PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH (3) NVA/VC. ENEMY APPROACHED PATROL FROM REAR AND LAST MAN IN PATROL OPENED FIRE KILLING (3) AND WOUNDING (1). THE THIRD NVA/VC RETURNED FIRE BUT WAS INEFFECTIVE. PATROL BROKE CONTACT WHILE UTILIZING MARINE GUNSHIPS TO SUPPRESS MOVEMENT TO THE SOUTH, SOUTHWEST AND WEST. PATROL CONTINUED MISSION WITH NO FURTHER INCIDENT. ENEMY WERE WEARING U.S. TYPE CAMOUFLAGE UTILITIES, ALL WORE PACKS AND WEB GEAR, NO HEADGEAR. ALL WERE ARMED WITH AK-47'S. RESULTS: (1) NVA/VC KIA (CONFIRMED) NO USMC CASUALTIES.
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. NO CANOPY. MOST OF AREA COVERED WITH SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 5 TO 10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES AND SCRUB BRUSH. MOVEMENT: 150 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZCO33523 (RAPPEL) HELICOPTER HOVERED AT 40 FEET, BOMB CRATER. EXTRACT LZ: ZCO53517 1 XCH-46 BOMB CRATER ON SOUTHERN SLOPE OF HILL. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.

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8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: (1) NV/V (CONF),
NO USMC CASUALTIES.

9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.

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10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER STATES THAT OTHER
THAN THE (3) ENEMY THAT CONTACT WAS MADE WITH THERE IS NO EVIDENCE
OF ENEMY TRAFFIC THROUGH AREA IN LAST TWO WEEKS.

11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE GUNSHIPS PROVIDED EXCELLENT
COVERAGE.

12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

CPL OTT	2319808
PFC ANTONS	2435481
PFC GRIMES	2469416
PFC CAR	2409479
PFC CREEL	2409479
LTC MURPHY	2467070

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DISTRIBUTIONS:

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
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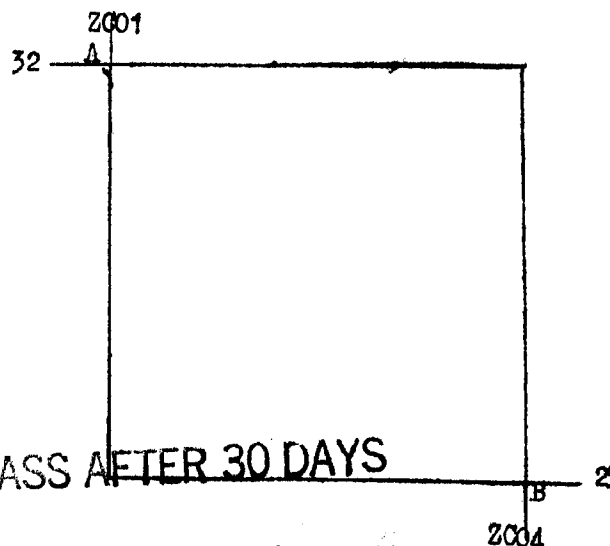
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Unit/Call Sign: PENNY WISE (1E-23) Patrol Leader: Cpl W. P. PLYER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Install a personnel detection device vic ZC015320 and then conduct a reconnaissance of route 14 vic ZC029311. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity. In support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 020800H; insert vic ZC020319 and extract at 051000H vic TB/.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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A. R. FINLAYSON
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Distribution:

G-2 (1)
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Task Force "Y" FSCC (1)
Task Force "Y" COC (1)
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3rdMarRegt FSCC (1)
5thMarRegt COC (1)
5thMarRegt FSCC (1)
CO, 1st FIC (1)
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OPERATION ORDER: #49-69
PATROL: PENNY WISE (TE-23)
DEBRIEFER: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
SHEET 6540 II

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061115H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S & 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 3 M-14, 5 REMOVABLE SLAMMERS
2. MISSION: INSTALL A PERSONNEL DETECTION DEVICE VIC ZCO15320 AND THEN CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF ROUTE 14 VIC ZCO29311. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 031300H/060952H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 96 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS WERE USED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

051550H AT ZCO16322-ZCO19321 COMPANY SIZE HARBOR SITE. UNDERBRUSH HAD BEEN CLEARED OUT BESIDE TRAIL. HAS NOT BEEN USED IN ABOUT 2 MONTHS.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: SCATTERED 15-20 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: VERY THICK 5-10 FEET HIGH. CONSISTING OF VINES, SCHRUBS, AND THORN BUSHES. MOVEMENT: 25 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: NO WATER ON HIGH GROUND.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZCO16323 GOOD 2 XCH-46, FORD IN RIVER WITH STONE BASE. EXTRACT LZ: ZCO16323 GOOD 1 XCH-46, STREAM WITH OLD BRIDGE HALFWAY ACROSS. HELICOPTER PUT REAR WHEELS ON BRIDGE, TEAM WALKED ON. TRAILS: ZCO16325-ZCO17323 TRAIL 25 FEET WIDE AT ONE TIME, OVERGROWN WITH BRUSH 6-8 FEET HIGH, LEAVING 2 FOOT WIDE TRAIL. CP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: EXCELLENT COMMUNICATIONS TO NIGHT SCHOLAR "A". OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ROAD IS POSSIBLY USED AS COURIER ROUTE. COULD BE EASILY CLEARED.

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11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A.

12. COMMENTS BY THE DELIVERER: NONE.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

CPL PLYLER	2277000
PFC STAPLETON	2435964
PFC OLSEN	2463670
PFC BLALOCK	2455603
PFC DORING	2466873
PFC MARTINEZ	2434733
PFC MAZIQUE	2415690

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DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST FAG	(2)
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Unit/Call Sign: STEEL RIM (3E-21) Patrol Leader: Cpl S. G. MCDANIEL

1. Situation. (a) See current INFSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the HA RA STREAM area vic ZC0144. Place special emphasis on locating and monitoring enemy traffic on any trails in this area. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity. In support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 030800H; insert vic ZC019463 and extract at 061000H vic TBA.

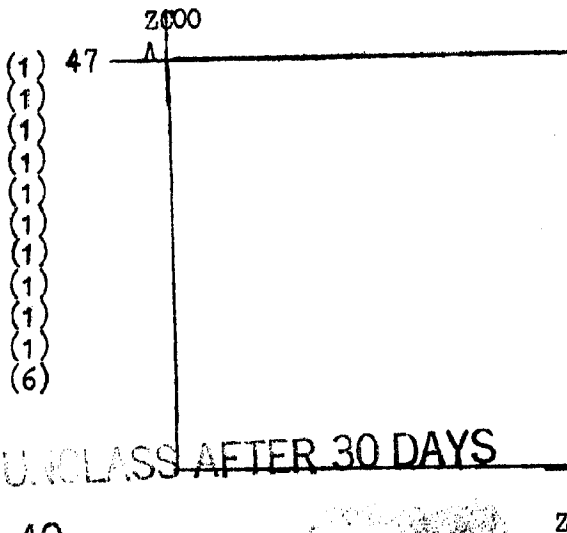
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2
G-3
Task Force "Y" FSCC
Task Force "Y" COG
3rdMarRegt COC
3rdMarRegt FSCC
5thMarRegt COC
5thMarRegt FSCC
CO, 1st F&G
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OPERATION ORDER: #40-69
 PATROL: STEEL RIM (3B-21)
 DEBRIEFER: 3SGT. J. D. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS 27014,
 SHEET 6540 I

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 101400H FEB 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 ENL, 1 USN
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRG-25'S 1 TX50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE HA RA STREAM AREA VIC ZC0144. PLACE SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON LOCATING AND MONITORING ENEMY TRAFFIC ON ANY TRAILS IN THIS AREA. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 061330H/101100H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 93 $\frac{1}{2}$ HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 60-70 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 12-15 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES AND BAMBOO VERY THICK. MOVEMENT: APPROXIMATELY 50 METERS PER HOUR DUE TO STEEPNESS OF TERRAIN AND THICKNESS OF VEGETATION. WATER: ONLY WATER AVAILABLE IS SONG CAI.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC002447 1XCH-46 FAIR ZONE AT BOTTOM OF A RAVINE. EXTRACT LZ: ZC025443 MULTIBIRD ZONE LEVEL CULTIVATED AREA. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: ZC010447, RIDGELINE, NARROW FIELD OF VISION TO SE TOWARD RIVER (SONG CAI). COMMUNICATIONS: POOR COMMUNICATIONS DUE TO DEFILADE TERRAIN. OBSTACLES: IMPASSABLE CLIFF AT ZC010445. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER STATES THAT AREA COVERED SHOWED NO INDICATION OF ANY USE AT ALL. THE TWO (2) TRAILS LOCATED WERE WELL WORN BUT SHOWED NO SIGNS OF RECENT TRAFFIC.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

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15. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL MC DANIELS
LCPL LEFFLER
CPL SCHROEDER
PFC LORD
PFC GARZA
PFC CARLISLE
HN HEISE
PFC DUCAN

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PATROL OVERLAY

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Unit/Call Sign: HUNT CLUB (3L-23) Patrol Paper/Loop M. 16 CUSTER

1. Situation. (a) See current IN'SUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the junction of the SONG GIANG and the DONG CAI vic YC971362. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity. In support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 030900H; insert vic YC963388 and extract at 061100H vic YC968362.

4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
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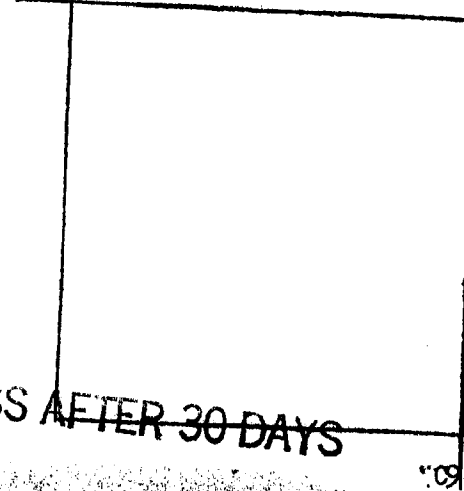
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Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FIC	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
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OPERATION #49-69
PATROL: HUB (3E-23)
DEERLEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS 17014,
SHEET 6540 II

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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'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE JUNCTION OF THE SONG GIANG AND THE SONG CAI VIC YC971362. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 071400H/101030H FEB 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 60½ HOURS WITH NO ACTUAL SIGHTINGS AND NO CONTACTS. ARTILLERY WAS UTILIZED WITH GOOD COVERAGE.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

071925H-072010H: VIC YC961369 PATROL HAD MOVEMENT APPROXIMATELY (90) METERS NW. PATROL ALSO NOTICED (3-4) FLASHLIGHTS APPROXIMATELY (400) METERS TO THE SE. AT 072010H THE MOVEMENT CEASED AND FLASHLIGHTS WERE NO LONGER VISIBLE.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: AS HIGH AS 120 FEET. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 8-10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBOO AND ELEPHANT GRASS, VERY THICK. MOVEMENT: 250 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: SPARSE ON HIGH GROUND.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: YC968363 1 XCH-46 BOMB CRATER ON LEVEL GROUND. NO OBSTACLES IN ZONE. EXTRACT LZ: YC962360 (HOIST) HELICOPTER HOVERED AT APPROXIMATELY 30 FEET OVER RIDGELINE. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: NONE USED. COMMUNICATIONS: FAIR COMMUNICATIONS WITH RELAYS, WHIP ANTENNA NECESSARY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ALL TRAILS FOUND IN "HAVEN" SHOWED DEFINITE SIGNS (PALE FOOT PRINTS) OF RECENT (SAME DAY) HEAVY MOVEMENT IN BOTH DIRECTIONS.

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EFFECTIVENESS SUPPORTING ARMS: ARTILLERY ORIGINATED WITH
TARGET COVERAGE.

12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

LCPL CUSTER	2361056
LCPL DONOVAN	2393998
2NDLT HELLMANN	4306203
CPL SOLOCON	2433971
HM3 THORSON	D616146
PFC HERRMANN	2292763
PFC CRAWFORD	2452323
PFC ELLERTHORPE	2457606
PFC WISENER	2433857

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PATROL OVERLAY

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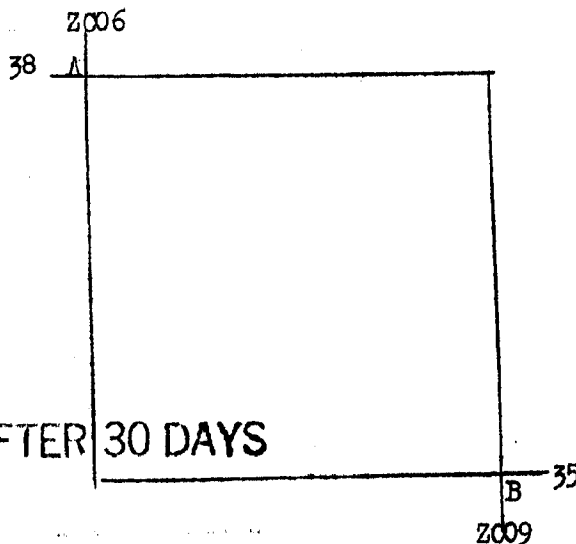
Unit/Call Sign: MOOSE PEAK (F-31) Patrol Leader: Cpl S. D. CARVER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a BDA from vic ZC074370 to vic ZC074362. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 020900H; insert vic ZC074370 and extract at 021400H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rd Mar Regt COC	(1)
3rd Mar Regt FSCC	(1)
5th Mar Regt COC	(1)
5th Mar Regt FSCC	(1)
1st Recon Bn (Rein) (S-3)	(1)
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Unit/Call Sign: FIG NEWTON "A" (1E-22) Patrol Leader: 1st Lt F. H. POMPINO

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM's
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the junction of the SONG GIANG and the SONG CAI RIVERS. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 040800H; insert via YC980337 and extract at 070900H via TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

R. E. Simmons
R. E. SIMMONS

Distribution:

G-2	(1)	36
G-3	(1)	
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)	
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)	
3rd Mar Regt COC	(1)	
3rd Mar Regt FSCC	(1)	
5th Mar Regt FSCC	(1)	
5th Mar Regt COC	(1)	
CO, 1st FAG	(1)	
1st Recon Bn (Rein) (S-3)	(1)	
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PATROL: FIG NEWTON "A" (1E-22)
DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
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SHEET 6540 II

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142100H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 6 ENL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE JUNCTION OF THE SONG GIANG AND THE SONG CHAI RIVERS. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 101015H/141645H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 102½ HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: VARIED FROM ELEPHANT GRASS TO CANOPY 150 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF LIGHT BRUSH. MOVEMENT: 100 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: NONE ABOVE RIVER.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: YC980337 1XCH-46 GENTLE SLOPE COVERED WITH ELEPHANT GRASS. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: YC973339 2 XCH-46 SIMILAR TO INSERT ZONE. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: YC969346 HAS GOOD POINT OF OBSERVATION TO THE WEST AND NW. COMMUNICATIONS: FAIR COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: 141000H: VIC YC972338 PATROL LOCATED (1) U.S. ARMY UH-1E AIRCRAFT, NUMBER ON AIRCRAFT IS (66943). PORTIONS OF HELICOPTER APPEARED TO BE SALVAGABLE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER RECOMMENDS A POSSIBLE BETTER O.P. IN THE (YC9736) AREA. THERE ARE SUITABLE RAPEL INSERT POINTS IN THIS VICINITY.

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1. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING AIMS: N/A.

12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

1STLT PORPOTAGE	0103011	
CPL DICKINSON	2264786	YC 95
PFC METZ	2406112	36
PFC BENTLEY	2406195	
PFC LARSON	2443751	
PFC BRISTIE	2457710	
HN LANCASTER	D312055	
SGT CROCKET	2257776	

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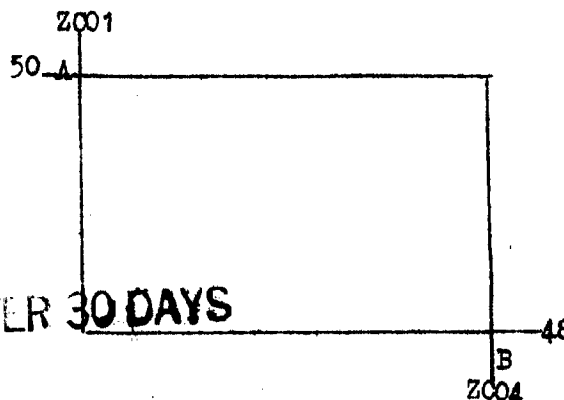
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(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned haven. Place special emphasis on observing the SONG BOUNG vic ZC028508 for possible enemy arms and troop infiltration. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 040900H; insert vic ZC017488 and extract at 071100H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
SELEBY "A" 63.8
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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Unit/Call Sign: **SADDLE BAGS** (1E-21) Patrol Leader: Sgt R. P. KEISTER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of grid squares ZC0536 and ZC0636 placing special emphasis on locating enemy anti-aircraft sites and observation towers. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 050800H; insert vic ZC073371 and extract at 081000H vic TBA.

4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
COFFEE CUP 49.85 155H
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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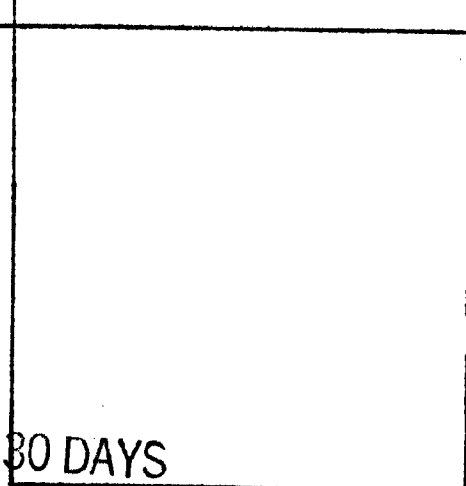
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CO, 1st FAG (1)
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Unit/Call Sign: PICKWICK PAPER (F-21) Patrol Leader: Sgt R. W. PETERS

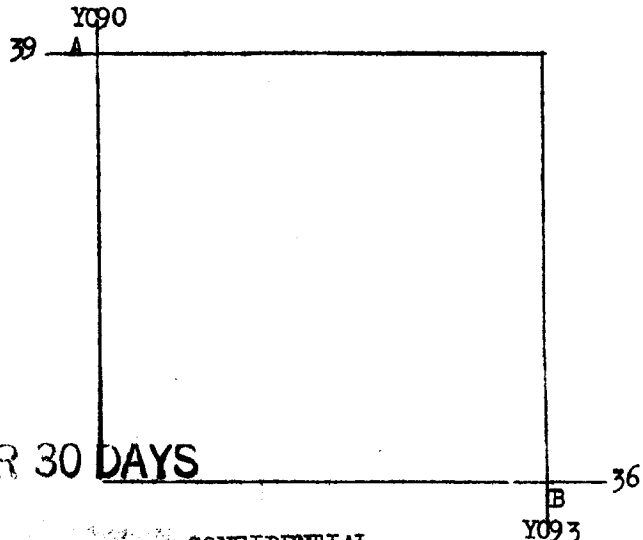
1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven placing special emphasis on vic Y09038 and Y09037. Front 4 is reported in this area. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 050830H; insert vic Y0912382 and extract at 080930h vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Coffee Cup 49.85 155H
Radio Relay NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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Unit/Call Sign: CRAZY BONE (3E-22) Patrol Leader: Cpl K. P. KELLY

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a prisoner grab via ZC196324. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 051000H; insert via ZC190337 and extract at ~~081238~~ via TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
 Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
 Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
 NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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 CO, 1st FAG (1)
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 PATROL: CRAZY BOY (TE-22)
 DEER: SSgt. J. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 3:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET 6540 I

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PATROL REPORT

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1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 8 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRO-25'S 1 M-49 SCOPE
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A PRISONER GRAB VIC ZC196324. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 071600H/091130H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 43½ HOURS WITH (2) SIGHTINGS OF A TOTAL OF (12) NVA/VC WHICH RESULTED IN (1) CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: (1) NVA/VC KIA (CONFIRMED), (1) FEMALE DETAINEE, NO USMC CASUALTIES. MARINE GUNSHIPS WERE UTILIZED WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

001325H: VIC ZC202328 PATROL OBSERVED (1) VN MAN AND (1) VN BOY WALKING NE ON A PADDY DIKE. MAN WORE BLACK PJS. BOY (APPROXIMATELY 15 YEARS OLD) WORE KHAKI SHORTS AND A KHAKI SHIRT. NEITHER WAS ARMED OR CARRYING ANY EQUIPMENT.

091000H: VIC ZC206332 PATROL OBSERVED (10) NVA/VC MOVING ACROSS RICE PADDY AREA. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJ'S, NO HEADGEAR, (1) WAS ARMED WITH AN SKS. PATROL ATTEMPTED TO CAPTURE THESE ENEMY BUT ENEMY DISPERSED AND FLED TO THE WEST AND EAST TOWARD HILLS. PATROL TOOK ENEMY UNDER FIRE WITH M-16 AND KILLED ONE (1). PATROL APPROACHED KIA TO SEARCH BODY WHEN A VN FEMALE WAS APPREHENDED. PATROL WAS SAFELY EXTRACTED WITHOUT FURTHER INCIDENT. VN FEMALE DETAINEE WAS FORWARDED TO T F "Y" IIT. RESULTS: (1) NVA/VC KIA CONFIRMED, (1) VN FEMALE DETAINEE, NO USMC CASUALTIES.
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 40 TO 80 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 6 TO 10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF THICK BAMBOO AND VINES. MOVEMENT: 400 METERS PER HOUR ON TRAILS AND 100 METERS PER HOUR THROUGH VEGETATION. WATER: ABUNDANT.

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7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: 190337 1 XCH-4 ZONE ON HILLTOP. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: ZC205332 MULTIBIRD ZONE AREA IS RICE PADDIES. TRAILS: ALL TRAILS FOUND WERE APPROXIMATELY (2) FEET WIDE AND SHOWED SIGNS OF BEING USED RECENTLY BY LARGE GROUPS OF ENEMY. MAJORITY OF PRINTS WERE BAREFOOT OR SANDALS, VERY FEW WORE BOOTS. SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: NONE USED. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: PATROL DISCOVERED (1) DUD 500 - POUND BOMB VIC ZC202333. NO ACTION TAKEN.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: (1) NVA/VC KIA (CONFIRMED), (1) VN DETAINED (FEMALE). NO USMC CASUALTIES.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER STATES THAT ENEMY ARE USING ALL TRAILS SHOWN ON OVERLAY AND ARE LIVING IN THE GENERAL VICINITY OF ZC2033.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE GUNSHIPS PROVIDED EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL FINKIE	2375675
CPL KELLY	2254560
LCPL MORRIS	2297375
PFC WILKINS	2304349
PFC MUSSELMAN	2443596
PFC WEBER	2405589
PFC SYLVESTER	2405039
PFC AMES	2406055

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CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
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Unit/Call Sign: SCANDINAVIA (F-41) Patrol Leader: Sgt D. D. GLENN

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of vic Y0942448 then move away from this area and call and adjust a heavy volume of artillery fire on to it (75-100 Rds). Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 080830H; insert vic Y0944453 and extract at 111000H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
SELBY BELVADERE 55.05
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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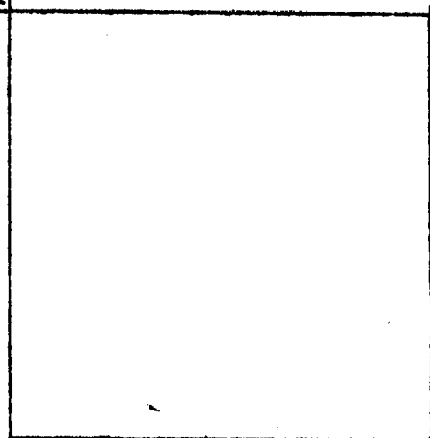
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Unit/Call Sign: FORE FATHER (F-11) Patrol leader: 2NDLT C. E. POWDER

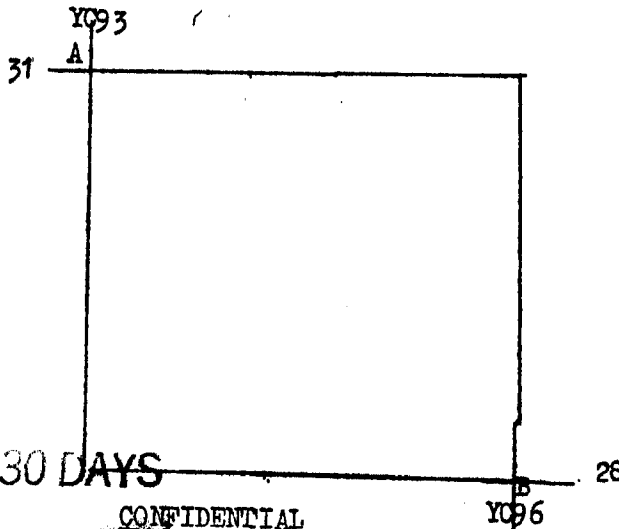
1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of vic Y0946293 and then move away from this area and call and adjust a heavy volume of artillery fire on it (75-100 RDS). Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 080930H; insert vic Y0942297 and extract at 111130H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
SELBY BELVADERE 55.05
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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OPERATION ORDER: #58-69
 PATROL: FORE FATHER (F-11)
 DETRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET(S) 6540 II & III

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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 6 ENL,
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF VIC YC946293 AND THEN MOVE AWAY FROM THIS AREA AND CALL AND ADJUST A HEAVY VOLUME OF ARTILLERY FIRE ON IT (75-100 RDS). BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 101425H/141655H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 90+ HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. MARINE ARTILLERY UTILIZED WITH GOOD COVERAGE.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 80-90 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF ELEPHANT GRASS AND BRUSH. MOVEMENT: 100 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: YC949295 1XCH-46 LEVEL FINGER COVERED WITH ELEPHANT GRASS. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: YC947290 2 XCH-46 LEVEL GROUND COVERED WITH ELEPHANT GRASS. NO OBSTACLES. OP'S: NONE USED. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE MISCELLANEOUS: 132100H: VIC YC946293 PATROL HEARD A CONVERSATION BETWEEN TWO STATIONS ON FREQUENCY (47.00). THESE TWO STATIONS TRANSMISSIONS WERE ENTIRELY IN FRENCH. THESE TRANSMISSIONS LASTED UNTIL 13 2300H.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER SUGGESTS A MISSION TO MONITOR ANY FURTHER TRAFFIC ON FREQUENCY (47.00).

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EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE ARTILLERY UTILIZED WITH GOOD COVERAGE.

12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

2NDLT LOWDER
SGT ARTLEY
PFC FLEMING
PFC THURMAN
PFC MARR
PFC GREENE
LCPL CURRIE

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 (e) CoFragO #59-69

Unit/Call Sign: SADDLE BAG (F-21) Patrol Leader: Sgt R. P. KEISTER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven placing special emphasis on locating a suspected enemy battalion size base camp vic AT8842. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation Taylor Common.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 081000H; insert vic AT994450 and extract at 111200H vic AT863440.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
 Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
 FLAG DIP "E" 35.8
 FUDGE CAKE "A" 33.65
 Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

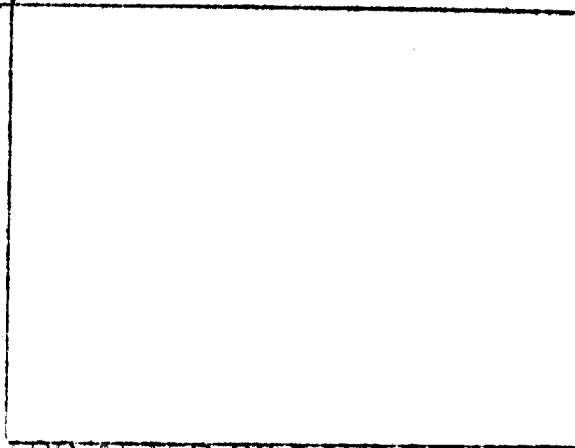
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PATROL: SADDLE BAG (F-21)
DEBRIEFER: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: KIT CARSON SCOUT
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-251S & 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 3 CLAYMORES & REMINGTON 700 SNIPER RIFLE
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN PLACING SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON LOCATING A SUSPECTED ENEMY BATTALION SIZE CAMP VIC AT0842. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 081715H/120923H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 04 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS USED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS AND STEEP HILLS MIXED. CANOPY: 40-45 FEET HIGH AS SHOWN ON MAP. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: THICK 15-20 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBOO, VINES, AND SCRUBS. MOVEMENT: EASY BECAUSE OF TRAILS, 300 METERS PER HOUR OFF TRAILS. WATER: PLENTIFUL.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: N/A WALKED IN. EXTRACT LZ: AT073444 GOOD, 1 XCH-46, LOW BRUSH 3 FEET HIGH. TRAILS: AS INDICATED ON MAP. AT0743 AT0842, CIVILIAN ACTIVITY, MANY SMALL TRAILS IN ALL DIRECTIONS. CP'S: AT094433, GOOD OBSERVATION NORTH AND SOUTH. NOT EASILY DEFENDABLE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: POSSIBLY ENEMY AT AT090420, GOOD AREA FOR CONCEALMENT.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A

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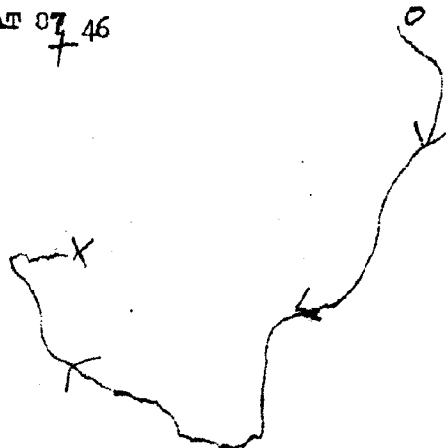
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT. KEISTER
 PFC KIEINER
 PFC SUSSEX
 PFC NASH
 PFC GARCIA
 PFC MAZIQUE
 MR. MAO

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(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2A (Rules of Engagement)

(e) CoFragO #60-69

& C NO. 60-69

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Unit/Call Sign: MOOSE PEAK (F-31) Patrol Leader: Sgt T. L. MORAN

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S

(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)

(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Remain behind after the movement from FSB PIKE by the CIDG and then move to a position where you will be able to observe the abandoned FSB. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation Taylor Common.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 081100H; insert vic ZC193456 and extract at 111300H vic TBA.

4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0

Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65

FLAG DIP "T" 35.8

FUDGE CAKE "A" 33.65

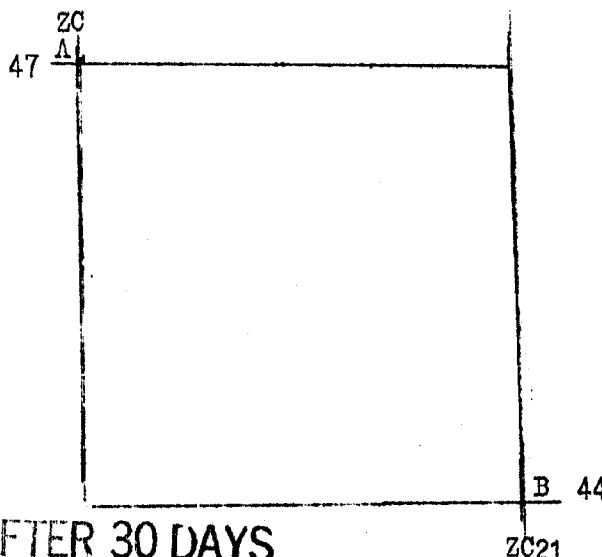
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Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
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OPERATION ORDER: #60-69
 PATROL: MOOSE PEAK (F-31)
 MESSENGER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS 17014,
 SHEET 6540 1

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOA, RVN.
 131200H FEB. 1969

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 PRC-25'S 1 TX50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 2 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: REIN IN BEHIND AFTER THE MOVEMENT FROM FSB PIKE BY THE CIDG AND THEN MOVE TO A POSITION WHERE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO OBSERVE THE ABANDONED FSB. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 091325H/131015H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 93 HOURS WITH (5) SIGHTINGS OF A TOTAL OF (26) NVA/VC WHOSE RESULTS IN (1) CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: (2) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES. MARINE ARTILLERY AND GUNSHIPS UTILIZED WITH GOOD COVERAGE, UNKNOWN ENEMY CASUALTIES.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

111445H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (3) NVA/VC MOVING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH ACROSS RIDGELINE. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, NO HEADGEAR, (1) WAS ARMED WITH (1) SKS. PATROL CALLED FIRE MISSION OVER RIDGELINE, ARTILLERY IMPACTED AT ENEMY'S POSITION. RESULTS: UNKNOWN ENEMY CASUALTIES.

120935H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (3) NVA/VC MOVING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH ACROSS RIDGELINE. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, (1) ARMED WITH (1) SKS. PATROL CALLED FIRE MISSION, ENEMY FIRED TO SOUTH. RESULTS UNKNOWN.

121025H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (2) NVA/VC MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH ACROSS RIDGELINE. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, (1) WORE PACK, CARTRIDGE BELT, AND HAD (1) SKS. ENEMY MOVED FROM SIGHT BEFORE ACTION COULD BE TAKEN.

121055H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (7) NVA/VC WALKING AROUND RIDGELINE LOOKING FOR EQUIPMENT. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES AND BUSH HATS. (3) ENEMY WORE CARTRIDGE BELTS, THESE (3) WERE ARMED WITH (1) SKS, (1) LAW, AND (1) UNKNOWN TYPE RIFLE. FIRE MISSION CALLED, AS FIRST ROUND IMPACTED, ENEMY FIRED TO THE NE.

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130910H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH (7) NVA/VC. ENEMY WERE A MIXTURE OF BLACK PJS AND GREEN UTILITIES. ENEMY WERE ARMED WITH M1-47'S. PATROL INITIATED CONTACT WHILE APPROACHING HILLTOP. ENEMY AND PATROL EXCHANGED SMALL ARMS FIRE AND ENEMY BROKE CONTACT. PATROL MOVED TOWARD EXTRACTION H2Z AND SIGHTED (4) MORE NVA/VC. THESE ENEMY WERE A MIXTURE OF BLACK PJS AND GREEN UTILITIES. PATROL MARKED THE ENEMY'S POSITION AND GUNSHIPS STRAFLED AREA AND UTILIZED (HE) ROCKETS WITH GOOD COVERAGE. PATROL WAS EXTRACTED AT 131015H WITHOUT INCIDENT. RESULTS: (2) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.

TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 20 FEET HIGH, BROKEN, SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 5 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES AND SHRUBS. MOVEMENT: 300 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT 1Z: ZC193455 2 XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT 1Z: SAME AS INSERT. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: ZC179457, GOOD OBSERVATION TO NE ONLY. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH NIGHT SCHOLAR USING WHIP ANTENNA. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: VICINITY ZC179457 IS SUITABLE RAFFEL INSERT ZONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 2 NG/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER RECOMMENDS THAT AREA IN THE VICINITY OF (ZC193455) BE CONSTANTLY KEPT UNDER H2Z FIRE SO AS TO CURTAIL ENEMY ACTIVITY AT THAT LOCATION.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE ARTILLERY AND GUNSHIPS PROVIDED GOOD COVERAGE.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: ENEMY WHO WERE SIGHTED AND MADE CONTACT WITH WERE POSSIBLY STEERING AREA FOR ABANDONED FRIENDLY EQUIPMENT AS PATROL SURPRISED ENEMY AT FIRST CONTACT.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:	ZC 17 47 +	<u>PATROL OVERLAY</u>
SGT MORAN	2075252	
SGT PATE	3984114	
SGT ELLISON	2022497	
PFC MARTIN	2441049	
PFC KUICHINSKI	2451072	
HN3 DOX	TC44066	
2NDLT RITCHIE	0706920	

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSOC	(2)
CO 5TH MNR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MNR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST FAG	(2)
1ST RECON BN	(2)

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(c) 1stMarDivO P3800.1G Ch 1&2 (Intelligence SOP)

(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2A (Rules of Engagement)

(e) CoFragO #61-69

1ST FORCE RECON CO
S & C NO. 70-69
0340

Unit/Call Sign: SCANDINAVIA (F-41) Patrol Leader: Sgt D 12 GLENN 16

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of a suspected enemy main supply route vic Y0939494. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 110830H; insert vic Y0940493 and extract at 140930H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: SELBY "A" 55.05
SELBY BELVADERE 55.05
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

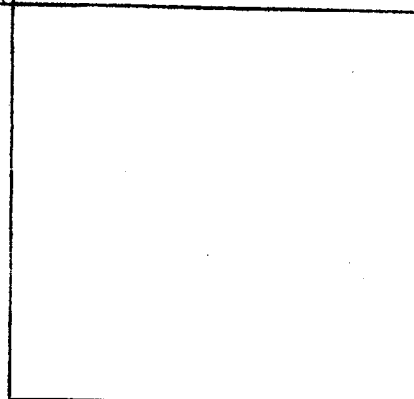
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Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)

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OPERATION ORDER: #61-69
 PATROL: SCANDINAVIA (F-41)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
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1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOA, RVN.
 121500H FEB 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 4 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRO-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF A SUSPECTED ENEMY MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE VIC YC39494. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 111300H/121300H FEB 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 24 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED. PATROL WAS EXTRACTED DUE TO COMMUNICATIONS DIFFICULTIES.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 40-50 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH 10-15 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF SHRUBS AND VINES. MOVEMENT: 200 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT ON LOW GROUND.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: YC940493 1 XCH-46 DRY STREAMBED. EXTRACT LZ: SAME AS INSERT. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: NONE USED. COMMUNICATIONS: AERIAL OBSERVER WAS ONLY MEANS OF COMMUNICATIONS. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER RECOMMENDS THAT A SATISFACTORY RADIO RELAY BE ESTABLISHED PRIOR TO ANY FURTHER OPERATIONS IN THIS AREA.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.

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***3. PATROL MEMBERS:**

SGT. GLENN
LCPL HUBARD
PFC ROTH
PFC CUPP
2ND LT BROWDER

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2315049
2411297
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PATROL OVERLAY

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2
G-3
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC
CO 5TH MAR REGT
CO 3RD MAR REGT
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3
1ST FAG
1ST RECON BN

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TRAIL OVERLAY

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(c) 1st Mar Div O P 3800.1G Ch 1&2 (Intelligence)

(d) 1st Mar Div O P 003330.2A (Rules of Engagement)

(e) Co Frag O #62-69

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S & C NO. 71-89

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Unit/Call Sign: PICKWICK PAPER (F-21) Patrol Leader: Sgt R. W. PETERS

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1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven placing special emphasis on vic AT8842 for possible enemy troop and arms infiltration. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 120800H; insert Flip-Flop SADDLE BAG and extract at 150900H vic AT894450.

4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

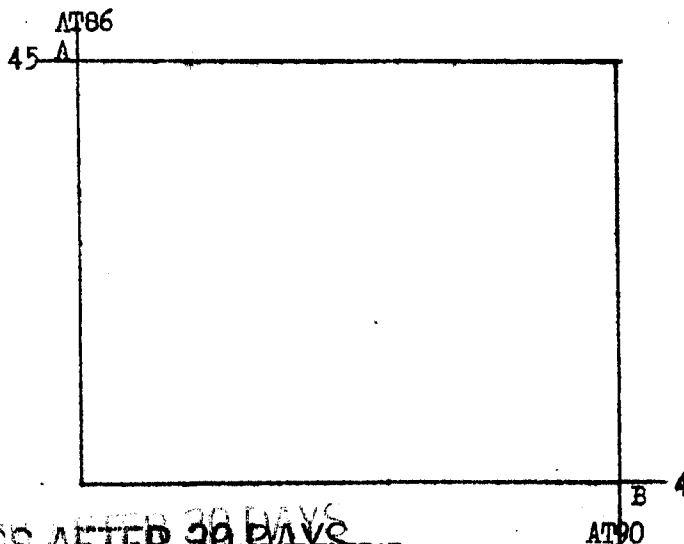
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: FLAG DIP "X" 35.8
FUDGE CAKE "A" 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2 (1)
G-3 (1)
Task Force "Y" COC (1)
Task Force "Y" FSOC (1)
CO, 1st MAG (1)
3rd Mar Regt COC (1)
3rd Mar Regt FSOC (1)
5th Mar Regt COC (1)
5th Mar Regt FSOC (1)
1st Recon Bn (Rein) (S-3) (1)
1st For Recon Co (Rein) (S-3) (6)



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OPERATION ORDER: #62-69
 PATROL: OFF SPRING (F-21)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS L7014,
 SHEET(S) 6640 III&IV

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOA, RVN.
 151330H FEB. 1969

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 PRC-25'S, 1 7X50'S, 1 STARLIGHT SCOPE.
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HAVEN PLACING SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON VIC ATO842 FOR POSSIBLE ENEMY TROOPS AND ARMS INFILTRATION. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/ AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 120930H/151200H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 7 1/2 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. ONE (1) FIRE MISSION WAS CALLED WITH GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS, OCCASSIONAL STEEP TERRAIN. CANOPY: 30-50 FEET HIGH IN SOUTHERN PORTION OF HAVEN. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 5-15 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES, SCRUB BRUSH AND BAMBOO. MOVEMENT: VARIED FROM 200 TO 1,000 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ATO73444 MULTIBIRD ZONE LEVEL GROUND. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT POINT: ATO74457 TEAM WALKED TO THIS POINT AND WAS TRUCKED TO CP. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: ATO79429 HAS A GOOD POINT OF OBSERVATION TO THE EAST, SE AND NE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALUTATION. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
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: MARINE ARTILLERY UTILIZED WITH GOOD COVERAGE.

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12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER

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13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT PETERS	2044051
CPL PARRISH	2397420
CPL SHOCK	2260910
HN DAVIES	B419903
CPL WILLIAMSON	2356121
CPL PICKETT	2211634
2NDLT ROLLINGS	0107099

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSOC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
GST TAG	(2)
1ST RECON BN	(2)

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(d) 1stMarDivO P003330.2A (Rules of Engagement)

(e) CoFragO #63-69

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S & C NO 72
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Unit/Call Sign: ICE BOUND (F-32) Patrol Leader: Cpl T. A. OTT

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the abandoned village of YOUNG vic YO996352 and observe and report all enemy movement along the SONG CAI vic YO9935. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 131000H; insert vic YO980337 and extract at 171500H vic TBA.

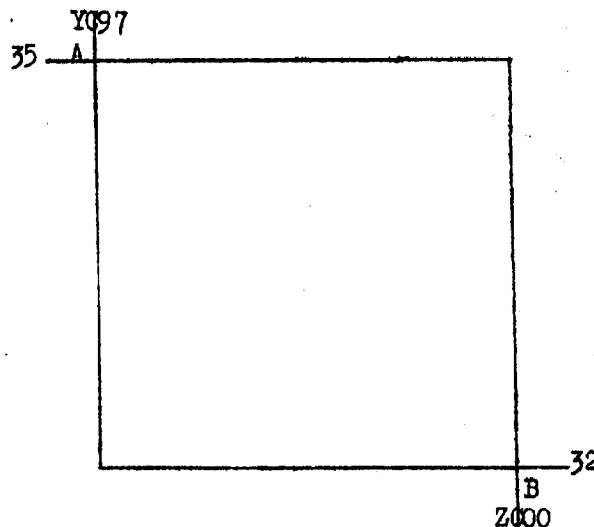
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: SELBY "A" 55.05
SELBY BELVADERE 55.05
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

A. R. Finlayson
A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)



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OPERATION ORDER: #63-69
 PATROL: PONY TEAM (F32)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS 17014,
 SHEET 6540 II

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 171600H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 5 ENL. 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 1 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S 1 PRC-64
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE ABANDONED VILLAGE OF YOUNG VIC YC996352 AND OBSERVE AND REPORT ALL ENEMY MOVEMENT ALONG THE SONG CAI VIC YC 9935. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 151430H/171430H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 40 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR NO CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 15 TO 25 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: APPROXIMATELY 3 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBOO AND THICK BRUSH. MOVEMENT: 400 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC014328 1 XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP SMALL STUMPS. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: YC993345 1 XCH-46 LEVEL GROUND NO OBSTACLE. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: YC994345, GOOD OBSERVATION TO NORTH AND NW. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALUTATION "D" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE ENCOUNTERED. MISCELLANEOUS: ONE (1) MEMBER OF PATROL WAS INBC DUE TO FALL.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: FAIR; (1) USMC INBC
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NONE
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.

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13. PATROL MEMBERS:

2NDLT BROWDER	0105634
PFC GRIMES	2469416
CPL HICKERSON	2357027
PFC MURPHY	2467070
HM3 BRICHER	0025110
SGT PATE	1904414
PFC MARTIN	2441749

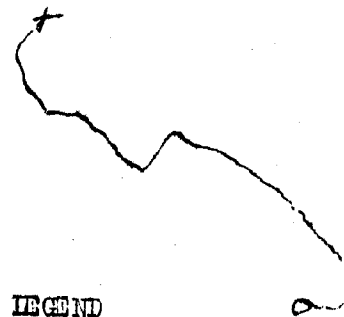
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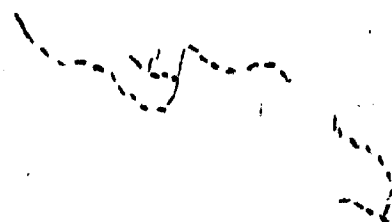
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Unit/Call Sign: HUNT CLUB (3E-23) Patrol Leader: Cpl M. G. FINKLE

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Establish a clandestine radio relay within your assigned Haven and be prepared to relay all communications between NIGHT SCHOLAR and all operating teams to your South and West. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMTON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 130800H; insert vic ZC095303 and extract at 181600H vic ZC088319.

4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

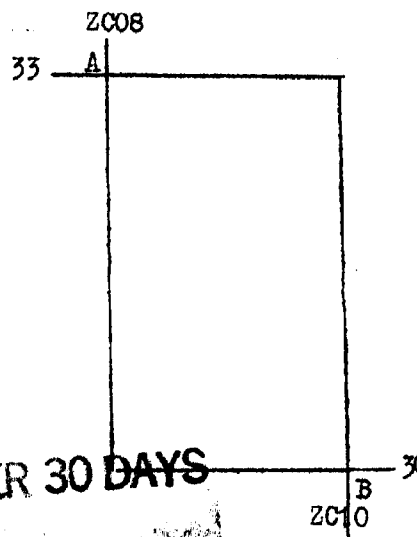
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

A. R. Finwayson

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By direction

Distribution:

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 PATROL: HUNT CLUB (3E-23)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHEIS
 MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AIS L7071,
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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 3 ENL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S & 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLYMORES, 1 M-60.
2. MISSION: ESTABLISH A CLODESTIME RADIO RELAY WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED HEAVEN AND BE PREPARED TO RELAY ALL COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN NIGHT SCHOOL AND ALL OPERATING TEAMS TO YOUR SOUTH AND WEST. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CONIC.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 131245H/190945H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 141 HOURS WITH (1) SIGHTING OF A TOTAL OF (4) NVN/VC. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

171545H: VIC ZC001270 PATROL OBSERVED (4) NVN/VC WEARING BLACK TJS, NO HEADGEAR OR EQUIPMENT. ENEMY WERE COLLECTING EQUIPMENT FROM HILLTOP AND MOVED AWAY TOWARD THE EAST.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: APPROXIMATELY 40 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: NONE. MOVEMENT: PATROL WAS STATIONARY. WATER: NONE ON HILLTOP.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC095301 1 XCH-53 LEVEL HILLTOP, NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: SAME AS INSERT. TRAILS: NONE. OP'S: ZC095301 HAS GOOD OBSERVATION POINT TO WEST AND SOUTH. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALUTATION. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
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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13. PATROL MEMBERS:

LCPL CUSTER	2361056
LCPL DONOVAN	2393990
PTC HERRIN	2292765
PTC ELLISTHORPE	2457606
PTC GRANTFORD	2452323
MSG THORSON	D646146
CPL SOLOMON	2333977
LCPL SIMPSON	2439909
SSGT CCHD	

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Unit/Call Sign: PENNY WISE (1E-23) Patrol Leader: Cpl W. P. PLYLER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the trail vic Z0007437 and monitor all enemy traffic on it. Place special emphasis on locating any AA positions threatening FSB TOMAHAWK vic Z0017417. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 130800H; insert vic Z0017433 and extract at 170900H vic Z0013430.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: SEMBY "A" 55.05
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

A. R. Finlayson
A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
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RECONSTRUCTION ORDER # 65-69
PATROL: BEECH NUT (12-23)
DETACHMENT: SGT. MAJ. KOZAKENICK
MPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, MJS L7074,
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1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
IN HO., RVN.
101930H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 8 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 3 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE TRAIL VIC ZC007437 AND MONITOR ALL ENEMY TRAFFIC ON IT. PLACE SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON LOCATING ANY ENEMY POSITIONS THREATENING FSB TONKINH VIC ZC017427. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CONNOR.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 151412H/101620H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 3.4 HOURS WITH 1 SIGHTING OF 2 VC/INVA WHICH RESULTED IN 1 CONTACT. RESULT: 2 VC/INVA KIA. NO SUPPORTING ARMS USED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

152300H-160200H AT ZC005435 HEARD 2-3 VC/INVA MOVING IN NO DISCERNIBLE DIRECTION.

161130H AT ZC161130 2 INVA/VC WALKING DOWN TRAIL EAST TO WEST. ENEMY WAS WEARING TIGER STRIPED UTILITIES AND 1 DUSH COVER. ENEMY IN FRONT HAD RIFLE POSSIBLE U.S. TYPE CARBINE. ENEMY SAW PATROL AT ABOUT 25 METERS PATROL OPENED FIRE. PATROLMEN SAW BOTH ENEMY BEING HIT BY ROUNDS BUT BODIES ROLLED DOWN INCLINE. PATROL THREW GRENADES WHERE BODIES ROLLED AND HEARD NO MOVEMENT. RESULTS: 2 VC/INVA KIA.

162300H-170200H AT ZC004436 PATROL HEARD 2-3 ENEMY MOVING IN NO DISCERNIBLE DIRECTION.

172300H-180200H AT ZC001435 HEARD 2-3 VC/INVA MOVING IN NO DISCERNIBLE DIRECTION.
 - B. TERRAIN: MOSTLY FLAT. CANOPY: 25-45 FEET THICK. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 6 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES-SMALL SCHRUBS. MOVEMENT: VERY EASY 200 TO 300 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: NO WATER IN AREA.

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7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC001436 GOOD HUTEBIRD ZONE.
SCATTERED IMPERIAL GRASS 3 FEET HIGH. EXTRACT LZ: SAME AS INSERT.
TRAILS: MANY SMALL TRAILS LEADING FROM MAIN TRAIL MARKED ON MAP.
PATROL LEADER NOT SURE OF POSITIONS DUE TO DISORIENTATION IN TERRAIN.
OP'S: NONE IN AREA. COMMUNICATIONS: EXCELLENT. OBSTACLES:
NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: ANIMALS IN AREA, LARGE RATS, BIRDS, AND
TIGERS.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 2 VC/INVA. KIA.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: NERVOUS BECAUSE OF NO SLEEP.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER BELIEVES AREA
COULD HAVE BEEN WAY STATION AT ONE TIME. RECOMMEND TPO-10.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

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CPL PLYER	2277000	
CPL BROWN	2212996	YC 99
PFC STEPHENSON	2405964	+
PFC OLSEN	2463670	
PFC MARTINEZ	2434733	
PFC BLACKLOCK	2455803	
PFC LEWIS	2471744	
PFC DORING	2466073	

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
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Unit/Call Sign: SCREEN TEST (F-51) Patrol Leader Bgt T.W. KILLIN

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of vic Z00625 placing special emphasis on monitoring any heavily used trails in the vicinity. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 131030H; insert vic Z0077245 and extract at 171130H vic Z0064267.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

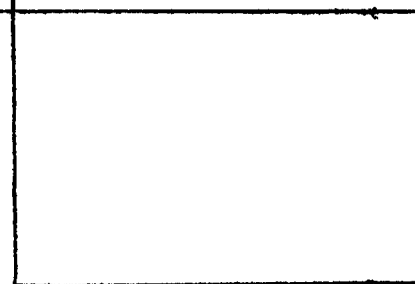
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OPERATION ORDER: # 66-69
PATROL: SCREEN TEST (F-54)
DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHEIS
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, LIN 17014,
SHEET 6540 II

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
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161300H FEB. 69

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 7 BNL, 3 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF VIC ZC0625 PLACING SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON MONITORING AND HEAVILY USED TRAILS IN THE VICINITY. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CONCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 141630H/161030H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 90 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED. ONE (1) BASE CAMP/WAY STATION WAS LOCATED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: N/A.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 60-70 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 15-20 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBEOO AND THIN BRUSH. MOVEMENT: 200 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC033270 1 XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP, NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: ZC03244 2 XCH-46 GENTLY SLOPING CULTIVATED AREA, WITH STUMPS 2 TO 3 FEET HIGH. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: NONE USED. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALOTATION "U" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: 151130H: VIC ZC032256 PATROL FOUND ONE (1) BASE CAMP/WAY STATION. IT CONSISTED OF (10) HUTS (10'x20'x12'), (2) BENCHES (16'x40'x12'), (10) BUNKERS (3'x4'x10'), AND (20) FIGHTING HOLES. SEE DIAGRAM.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ENEMY POSSIBLY USING COMPLEX FOUND VICINITY ZC032256 FOR PERIODIC WAY STATION. THIS AREA WAS USED WITHIN PAST WEEK.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A

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12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

Sgt KILLEN	3050327
Cpl STONCH	2546262
Cpl COUNTRY	2367270
Pfc CLINE	2442435
Pfc ANDERSON	2465306
Cpl PRICE	2337637
Pfc WALLIS	2400099
IN NOBLE	2724650

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TASK FORCE "V" FSCC	(2)
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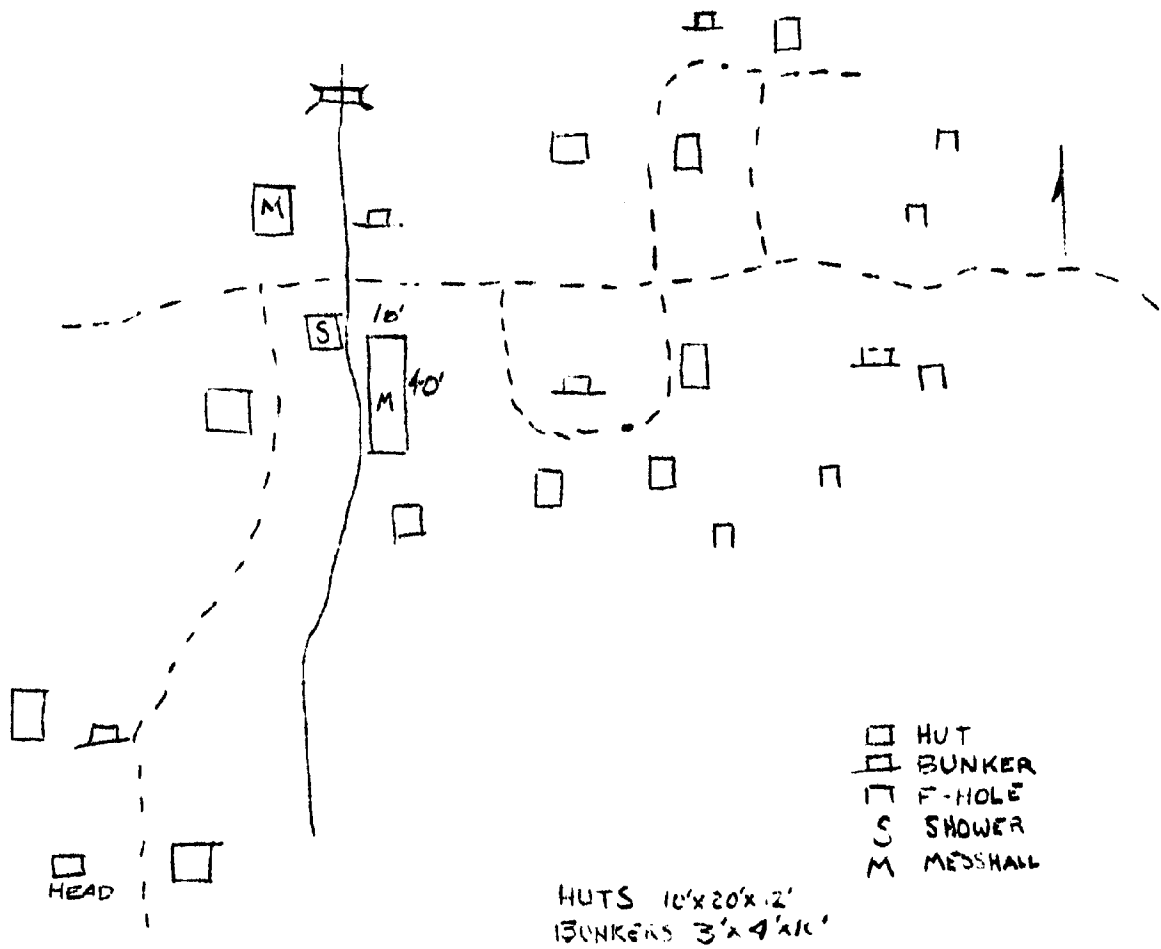
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Unit/Call Sign: STEEL RIM Patrol Leader: Cpl. S. G. / J. McDONNELL / 6

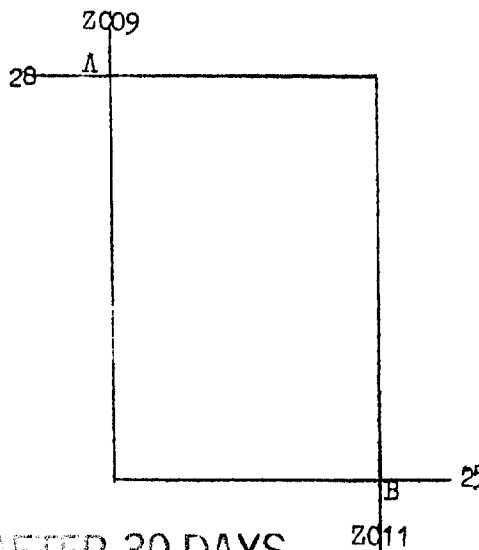
1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the trail junction vic ZC097270 and monitor any enemy traffic on the approaches to FSB BOLO. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 131130H; insert vic ZC105271 and extract at 171300H vic ZC10653.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: PUPPET SHOW 33.65
Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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PATROL: STEEL RIM (3E-21)
DEBRIEFER: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
MAPS: VIETNAM, 3:50,000, JIS 17014,
SHEET 0540 II.

2ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
AN HOI, RVN.
102130H FEB. 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'S & 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-54, 1 M-79, 2 CLYMORES.
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE TRAIL JUNCTION VIC ZC097270 AND MONITOR ANY ENEMY TRAFFIC ON THE APPROACHES TO FSD BOLO. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 141630H/201345H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 93 HOURS WITH 2 SIGHTINGS OF 25 VC/HVA. CALLED 1 FIRE MISSION. RESULTS: UNKNOWN.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

161030H AT ZC095265 PATROL RECEIVED 1 WELL AIMED ROUND SNIPER FIRE. FROM UNKNOWN WEAPON POSSIBLE U.S. CARBINE. ROUND CAME FROM VIC ZC097265. ROUND WAS AIMED AT RADIOMAN.

161600H-162000H AT ZC082270 PATROL HEARD 10 ENEMY YELLING AND CALLING TO ONE ANOTHER IN VIC OF FSD BOLO. ENEMY SEARCHING THROUGH DEBRIS.

170700H-171100H AT ZC082270 10 ENEMY OBSERVED SEARCHING FSD BOLO. 4 ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, 6 WORE BLACK PJS, SOME DUSH COVERS, 3 HELMETS, 4 PACKS, 3 CARTRIDGE BELTS, 2 AK-47, 3 SKS, 1 CARBINE. ENEMY WAS SEEN COLLECTING C-RATIONS, PLASTIC SHEETS, AND OTHER UNKNOWN OBJECTS.

173425H AT ZC092256 PATROL OBSERVED 1 WELL CONSTRUCTED HUT. 20 FEET LONG 30 FEET WIDE, TILTED SLOPING ROOF. NOTHING VISIBLE INSIDE. EVIDENCE OF RECENT USE OF AREA SEEN BY PATROL SO HUT WAS NOT SEARCHED.

171730H AT ZC082270 PATROL OBSERVED 15-20 ENEMY WEARING GREEN UTILITIES, DUSH COVERS, AND HAD WEB GEAR. ENEMY CARRIED WEAPONS BUT THEY WERE UNOBSERVABLE. 1 ENEMY WORE UNIDENTIFIED HELMET. CALLED FIRE MISSION. SALVATION "A" ADJUSTED FIRE DUE TO PATROLS' POOR LOCATION TO OBSERVE. COVERAGE FAIR. RESULTS: UNKNOWN.

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D. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. SCATTERED DOUBLE CANOPY 70-80 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 20 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES, BAMBOO, SCRUBS, AND THORNS. MOVEMENT: DIFFICULT, 100 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: WAS PLENTIFUL.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC002270. FSD BOLO. EXTRACT LZ: ZC002251, POOR, NOIST, HELICOPTER HOVERED AT 120 FEET. TRAILS: WELL USED IN MOST CASES (SEE OVERLAY). CP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: AREA LEECH INFESTED.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: UNKNOWN
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD BUT TIRED
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: AIRLIGHT OF GRID SQUARE ZC0925.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: FAIR, BECAUSE OF TIME INVOLVED.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL McDANIEL	2409436
LCPL ROBINSON	2306924
PFC LEFFLER	2421007
PFC LORD	2405920
PFC LUNCAN	2438355
1ST NISE	D612536
PFC GARNISSE	2420355

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G-3	(2)
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CO 5TH AIR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD AIR REGT	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST FAG	(2)
1ST RECON BN	(2)

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Unit/Call Sign: CRAZY DONE Patrol Leader: Spt R. P. REINH

1. Situation: (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Establish an OP where you can observe and report all enemy activity on the abandoned FSB "PIKE" vic ZC193456. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operati on TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 131130H; insert vic ZC193456 and extract at 171230H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
 Artillery: FUDGE CAKE "A" 33.65
 BLACK BOTTOM 33.65
 Radio Relay: NIGHT SCHOLAR "A"
 NIGHT SCHOLAR "D"

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 A. R. WINLAYSON
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Distribution:

G-2 (1)
 G-3 (1)
 Task Force "Y" COC (1)
 Task Force "Y" FSOC (1)
 CO, 1st FAG (1)
 3rdMarRegt COC (1)
 3rdMarRegt FSOC (1)
 5thMarRegt COC (1)
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OPERATION ORDER: #60-69
 PATROL: CRAZY BOIE (B3-22)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. HATHIS
 H.P.S: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS 17014,
 SHEET 6540 I

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 171700H FEB 69

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 7 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 4 CLAYMORES, 1 M-60
2. MISSION: ESTABLISH AN OP WHERE YOU CAN OBSERVE AND REPORT ALL ENEMY ACTIVITY ON THE ABANDONED PSD "PIKE" VIC ZC193456. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 131000H/171500H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 101 HOURS WITH (4) SIGHTINGS OF A TOTAL OF (17) NVA/VC WHICH RESULTED IN (1) CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: (3) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

134040H: VIC ZC102440 PATROL MADE CHANCE CONTACT WITH (6) NVA/VC. ENEMY WORE A MIXTURE OF BLACK PJS AND GREEN UTILITIES. ENEMY WERE ARMED WITH AK-47S AND SKSs. PATROL INITIATED CONTACT AND (3) ENEMY WERE HIT AND FELL IN THE EXCHANGE OF AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE. ENEMY BROKE CONTACT AND FIED SOUTH. PATROL CHECKED AREA AND FOUND BLOOD TRAILS, FRAG MARKS, AND ONE (1) BLOOD STAINED PITH HELMET. RESULTS: (3) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.

151105H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (4) NVA/VC MOVING NE TO SW OVER HILLTOP. ENEMY WORE BLACK SHORTS AND KHAKI SHIRTS. ONE (2) WAS ARMED WITH (1) SKS. NO ACTION TAKEN. ENEMY LEFT AREA BEFORE FIRE MISSION COULD BE CALLED.

160815H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (3) NVA/VC MOVING NE TO SW OVER HILLTOP. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJS. TWO (2) WERE ARMED WITH AK-47S. NO ACTION TAKEN.

160045H: VIC ZC193455 PATROL OBSERVED (4) NVA/VC MOVING SOUTH TO NORTH. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJS. TWO (2) ARMED WITH AK-47S. NO ACTION TAKEN.

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- D. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 60-80 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 4-10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES AND BAMBOO, VERY THICK ON LOW GROUND. MOVEMENT: 200 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: SUFFICIENT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC197443 & XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP, NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: ZC181445 & XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP. FAIR ZONE WITH SMALL STUMPS. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: ZC182445, GOOD OBSERVATION TO THE NORTH. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALUTATION. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 3 NVA/VC KIL (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ENEMY IN VICINITY ARE POSSIBLY SEARCHING FOR ANY EQUIPMENT WHICH MAY BE LEFT AT FRIENDLY POSITIONS.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL KELLY	2254560	17
CPL SCHROEDER	2192230	47+
2NDLT HELLMANN	0106203	
LCPL MORRIS	2297375	
PFC MUSSELMAN	2443596	
PFC MEIER	2435509	
PFC SYLVESTER	2435039	
PFC AMES	2406055	

PATROL OVERLAY

DISTRIBUTIONS

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(2)
CO 3RD MAR REGT	(2)
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1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
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1ST RECON BN	(2)

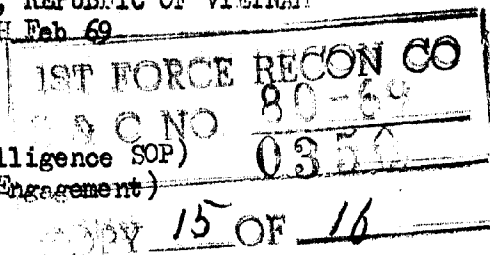
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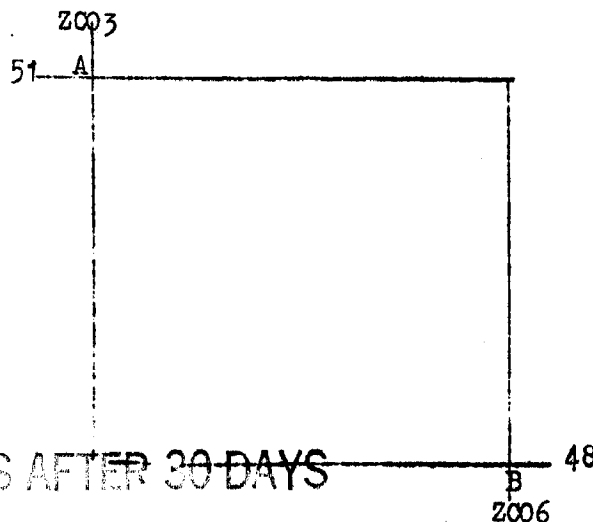
Unit/Call Sign: DUBLIN CITY (F-41) Patrol Leader: Sgt. D. D. GLENN

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of vic ZC0550 and implace three Sensor Devices vic ZC053501. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 160830H; insert vic ZC057495 and extract at 190930H vic ZC048504.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: COFFEE CUP 38.75
SET BY "A" 38.75
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
SALUTATION. "D"

A. R. Finlayson
A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSOC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSOC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSOC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)



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OPERATION CAMEL #69-69
PATROL: DUBLIN CITY (F-41)
DEBRIEFER: SGT. IN KOZAKIEWICH
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, LIS L7014,
SHEET 6540 I

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
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211900H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 3 MIL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMBAT AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S & 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF VIC Z00550 AND IMPLANT THREE SENSOR DEVICES VIC Z0053501. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CONCOM.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 191035H/221732H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 79 HOURS WITH ONE SIGHTING OF 3 VC/INVA. 1 USMC NBC (E). (SEE SECTION 7-MISC) NO SUPPORTING ARMS USED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:

A. ENEMY:

201000 AT Z0059496 PATROL SAW 3 INVA/VC MOVING EAST ON TRAIL BY RIVER. 2 COOLIE HATS, 1 PITH HELMET, 1 KIMCHI SHIRT, 2 BLACK PJS'. 1 CARRIED SKS. 2 ENEMY CARRYING UNOBSERVED OBJECT BETWEEN THEM.

201245 AT Z0049499 PATROL HEARD GRENADE-LIKE EXPLOSIONS VIC OF NBC IED-EVAC.

210945H-211410H VIC Z0053498 WHILE PATROL WAS ON MOVE TO HNZ, HEARD SA ROUNDS FIRED AT REGULAR INTERVALS. APPROXIMATELY 6 ROUNDS. POSSIBLE SIGNAL BY ENEMY.

211445H AT Z0059449 PATROL HEARD VOICES TO EAST. UNKNOWN DISTANCE.

- B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 10-20 FEET HIGH AND THICK. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 3-10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES, SCHRUBS, THORN BUSHES (GLOVES HEFTED). MOVEMENT: MODERATE 200 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: NO WATER ABOVE RIVER.

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7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: Z0055494 GOOD 1 XCH-46. LOW SCIRUBS ON SAND BAR. EXTRACT LZ: Z0056499 FAIR 1 XCH-46. 2 FEET GRASS. BOIE CRATER. TRAILS: AS SHOWN ON MAP. OP'S: Z0055996; FAIR OBSERVATION TO NORTH-EAST. COMMUNICATIONS: POOR. MISCELLANEOUS: SENSOR DEVICES EMPLOYED AND ACTIVATED Z0055495, Z0055497 Z0053503. NBC: Z006004AT Z0049501 PATROL MEMBER HAD ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE WOUNDED SELF IN LEFT FOOT. PATROL MEMBER MED-EVAC AT Z00950H AT Z0049499.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOGNITIONS: BELIEVE ENEMY TO BE NORTH OF PATROLS ROUTE DUE TO SHOTS HEARD.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING FIRE: N/A.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DESCRIBER: NONE.
13. PATROL MEMBERS: PATROL OVERL/Y

SGT GIEHN	2055492
SGT SANDERS	2250732
LCPL HUBBARD	24111143
PFC TAYLOR	2432064
PFC ROTH	2315049
PFC GARLIC	2463413
PFC CUPP *	2411297
PFC JONES	2401537
MM2 MERCIER	2010239

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DISTRIBUTIONS

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G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH INF REGT	(4)
CO 3/5	(2)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST TAG	(2)
1ST RECON BN	(2)

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Unit/Call Sign: PUPPET SHOW (F-31) Patrol Leader: Sgt. LORAN, T. L.

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of vic ZC0322 and emplace three Personnel Sensors vic ZC035229. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 160900H; insert vic ZC054233 and extract at 191000H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: DESKWORK "L" "Y" 38.75
FLAG DIP "F" 38.75
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
SALUTATION "D"

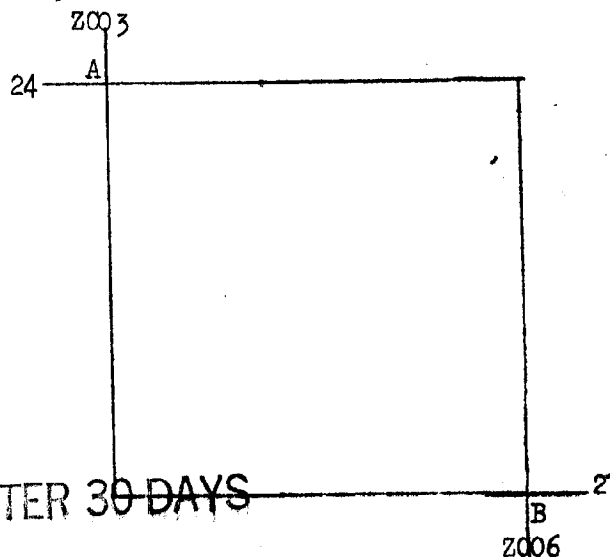
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A. R. FINLAYSON

By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)



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OPERATION ORDER: #70-69
 PATROL: PUPPET SHOW (F-37)
 DETRIEFER: SGT. M. KOZLIEWICH
 MOPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, DIS L7014,
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1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HC, RVN.
 211030H FEB. 1969

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 PRC-25'S & 1 TX50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 1 CLAYMORE.
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF VIC ZC0322 AND REPLACE THREE PERSONNEL SENSORS VIC ZC035229. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMMON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 101022H/211412H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED PERIOD OF 76 HOURS WITH NO SIGHTINGS OR CONTACTS. NO SUPPORTING ARMS USED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY: NONE.
 - B. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 10-20 FEET SCATTERED. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 6 FEET HIGH. THICK ON LOW GROUND CONSISTING OF VINES, DAIBOO. MOVEMENT: VARIED 150 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC055227 FAIR 2 XCH-46 ZONE, STUITS. EXTRACT LZ: ZC049230 GOOD 1 XCH-46. CULTIVATED CORN FIELD. STREAM IN CENTER. TRAILS: 2 FEET WIDE OLD TRAIL, NOT USED RECENTLY. OP'S: ZC046232 GOOD OBSERVATION TO NORTH AND NORTH-WEST. COMMUNICATIONS: FAIR. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: MANY CORNFIELDS IN AREA VIC ZC049230. PATROL FOUND 2 GRAVES 10 METERS APART VIC ZC051239 OF CIRCULAR TYPE. EACH HAD 2 URNS ON OPPOSITE SIDES. SENSOR DEVICES REPLACED AND ACTIVATED AT ZC046232, ZC045232, ZC044231.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: AREA NOT USED BY ENEMY.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A

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12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: NONE.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

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SGT MORAN	2099252
SGT ELLISON	2022497
PFC KULCHINSKI	2454072
PFC CREEL	3409479
PFC CANON	2479253
MSG DOX	5374066
2NDLT RITCHIE	0706920

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G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(4)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
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 (e) CoTragO #71-69

Unit/Call Sign: FLAKEY SNOW (1E-21) Patrol Leader: Cpl J. L. DICKINSON

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Observe and report all enemy activity on the abandoned FSB PIKE. Establish observation posts 1000 meters or more from FSB PIKE in order to accomplish your mission. Be prepared to call arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 170900H; insert via ZC182445 and extract at 200900 via ZC193455.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
 Artillery: DEER LODGE "A" 34.5
 Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
 SALUTATION "D"

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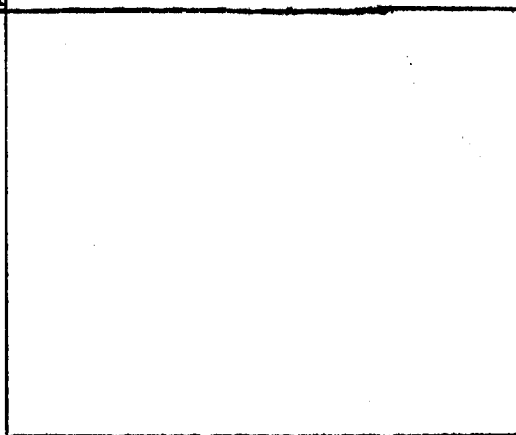
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Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
1stForReconCo(Rein)(S-3)	(6)

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OPERATION ORDER: 471-69
 PATROL: FLIGHTY SNOW (12-21)
 DEBRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. MATHEIS
 MFS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, JNS 17014,
 SHEET 6540 II

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 AN HOI, RVN.
 201100H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 3 BIL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMBAT OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 MCO-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMOR'S
2. MISSION: OBSERVE AND REPORT ALL ENEMY ACTIVITY ON THE ABANDONED FSD FIRM. ESTABLISH OBSERVATION POSTS 1000 METERS OR MORE FROM FSD FIRM IN ORDER TO ACCOMPLISH YOUR MISSION. BE PREPARED TO CALL ARTY/AM ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CORRAL.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 171500H/200900H FEB 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 66 HOURS WITH (1) SIGHTING OF (3) NV/VG WHICH INSULATED IN (1) FIRE MISSION. RESULTS OF FIRE MISSION UNKNOWN.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

201340H: VIC 20194455 PATROL OBSERVED (3) NV/VG MOVING FROM A BUNKER TO A TRENCHLINE (FROM EAST TO WEST). ENEMY WERE WEAR GREEN SHIRTS AND BLACK SHORTS, (2) CARRIED RIFLES. 1 FIRE MISSION WAS CALLED, BUT ENEMY MOVED FROM FIELD OF VISION BEFORE FIRE FOR EFFECT. RESULTS UNKNOWN.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS SLOPE. CLIMB: 70-80 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 6-10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF BAMBOO AND VINES. MOVEMENT: 150 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: SUFFICIENT.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT 12: 20102445 1 XCH-46 LEVEL GROUND NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT 12: 20197446 (1 XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP NO OBSTACLES. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: 20107453 H'S GOOD OBSERVATION POINT TO THE EAST. COMMUNICATIONS: FAIR COMMUNICATIONS; WHEN NECESSARY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: 101500H: VIC 20187453 ONE (1) PATROL MEMBER WAS RELEVAGED BECAUSE OF VOMITTING, HEADACHES, AND FEVER.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD; (1) IEC (E)

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10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER OBSERVED ENEMY ON FSD PIKE. ENEMY ARE POSSIBLY LIVING IN VACATED FRIENDLY POSITIONS.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE ARTILLERY PROVIDED GOOD COVERAGE.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: SUGGEST COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF ALL DEFENSE POSITIONS VACATED BY FRIENDLIES.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

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CPL DICKINSON	2264706
PFC MAZIQUE	2413690
PFC NASH	2455596
PFC SUSSEX	2433435
PFC CHRISTIAN	2471434
PFC DEETZ (REDEV.G)	2470440
PFC GARCIA	2420222
PFC KLEINER	2456363

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Unit/Call Sign: TEXAS PETE (1E-22) Patrol Leader: 1stLt F. H. PORPOTAGE

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct reconnaissance and surveillance operations within your assigned Haven placing special emphasis via AT8842 for possible enemy troop and arms infiltration into the AN HOA CB area. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 180900H; insert via AT874440 and extract at 211000H via TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: DEER LODGE "A" 34.5
ICE BOUND 33.65
DEFEND "A" 52.1
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
SALUTATION "D"

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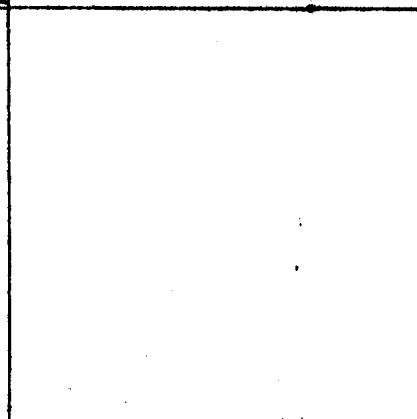
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Distribution:

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G-3	(1)	
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)	
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)	
CO, 1st PAC	(1)	
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)	
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)	
5thMarRegt COC	(1)	
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)	
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OPERATION ORDER: # 72-69
 PATROL: TEXAS PETE (1B-22)
 DETRIEFER: SGT. H. KOZAKIEWICH
 MFS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, MFS 17014,
 SHEET(S) 6640 III & IV

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
 AN HOI, RVN.
 211500H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 6 ENL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRG-15'S 1 7X50'S 1 STARLIGHT SCOPE
2. MISSION: CONDUCT RECONNAISSANCE AND SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS WITHIN YOUR ASSIGNED ZONE PLACING SPECIAL EMPHASIS VIC AT0342 FOR POSSIBLE ENEMY TROOP AND ARMS INFILTRATION INTO THE AN HOI CB AREA. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CONCH.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 100315H/211335H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED PERIOD OF 82 HOURS WITH 1 SIGHTING OF 2 VC/IVA. WHICH RESULTED IN 1 CONTACT. RESULTS: UNKNOWN. NO SUPPORTING ARMS USED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

100400H AT AT075445 PATROL WALKING SOUTH. 2 ENEMY EMERGED FROM BUSHES APPROXIMATELY 15 METERS FROM PATROL AND RAN SOUTH. PATROL FIRED SMALL ARMS. ENEMY COULD NOT BE OBSERVED DUE TO HOURS OF DARKNESS BUT APPEARED TO BE WEARING WHITE SHORTS. CHECKED AREA, NEGATIVE RESULTS.

100410H AT AT075445 PATROL HEARD MOVEMENT TO THEIR NORTH WEST. APPROXIMATELY 2 PEOPLE MOVING AWAY FROM PATROL.
 - B. TERRAIN: STEEP TO ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 70-80 FEET, SCATTERED. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 10 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES/DAKCO. MOVEMENT: MODERATE, 200 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: WATER TO NORTH.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: WALKED IN. EXTRACT LZ: AT03424, MULTIBIRD ZONE. OLD RICE PADDY. TRAILS: MANY SMALL TRAILS IN RUBBER TREE AREA (SEE HISC INFORMATION). CP'S: AT036420, TRAMETER, GOOD OBSERVATION TO WEST. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD. OBSTACLES: NONE. INCONSPICUOUS: MANY LZS IN AREA. RUBBER TREES VIC AT-0743.

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- RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH ENEMY: UNKNOWN.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: HEAT TIRED OUT PATROL MEMBERS.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: IF AREA TO BE PATROLED INSERT FURTHER SOUTH TO PRECLUDE LONG WALK TO OP AREA.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DETAILER: NONE.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

1STLT PORPOTAGE	0103011
SGT CROCKETT	2257776 AT 06
PFC IETZ	2406112 46 +
PFC BRISTIE	2457710
PFC BENTLEY	2406195
PFC LARSON	2443758
LCPL BILLIS	2357509
HM LANCASTER	B312055

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G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" FSCC	(2)
CO 5TH MAR REGT	(4)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST TAG	(2)
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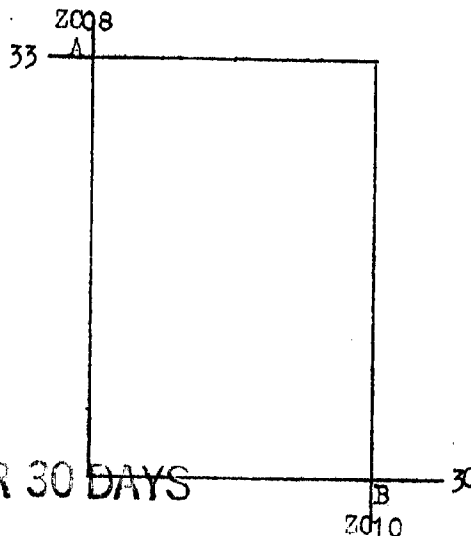
Unit/Call Sign: MAY FLY (F-11) Patrol Leader: 2ndLt. C. L. LOWDER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and FIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Establish a clandestine radio relay in the Hill 1143 area vic ZC0930 and ZC0831. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR GUYTON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 190830H; insert vic ZC094303 and extract at 220900H vic ZC088319.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 and 47.0
Artillery: SELEBY "A" 38.75
COFFEE CUP 38.75
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
SALUTATION "D"

A. R. Finlayson
A. R. FINLAYSON
By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSOC	(1)
CO, 1st MAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSOC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSOC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
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OPERATION ORDER: #73-69
PATROL: HAY FLY (F-11)
RETRIEVER: SSGT. J. D. HATHIS
MPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, LBS 17014,
SHEET 6540 II

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
AM HOA, RVN.
251200H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 8 ENL
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMBAT AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 FRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 3 CLAYMORES, 1 M-60.
2. MISSION: ESTABLISH A CLAMBLETTIE RADIO RELAY IN THE HILL 1143 AREA VIC ZC0930 AND ZC0834. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CONDON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 191000H/250900H FEB. 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 143 HOURS WITH ONE (1) SIGHTING OF A TOTAL OF (2) INVA/VC WHICH RESULTED IN (1) CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: (2) INVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES. NO SUPPORTING ARMS UTILIZED.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

211400H: VIC ZC090311 PATROL OBSERVED (2) INVA/VC ATTEMPTING TO RUN AWAY FROM THEM. PATROL OPENED FIRE ON ENEMY, WHO BOTH FELL TO THE GROUND AND DID NOT RETURN FIRE. PATROL THREW GRENADES WHICH EXPLODED WITHIN (10) FEET OF THE FALLEN ENEMY. PATROL MOVED FROM AREA OF CONTACT AND CONTINUED MISSION. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, GREEN BUSH COVERS, CARTRIDGE BELTS, BOTH ARMED WITH AK-47S. RESULTS: (2) INVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CANOPY: 30-40 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 3-5 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES AND BRUSH. MOVEMENT: 250 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: NONE FOUND.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC095303 1 XCH-46 LEVEL HILLTOP, NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: ZC093313 1 XCH-46 GRADUALLY SLOPING GROUND, WITH STUMPS 4-6 FEET HIGH. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH S. LUTATION. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.

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8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 2 NVN/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: PATROL IS WEAK FROM LACK OF FOOD AND WATER FOR (3) DAYS.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: WEATHER IS A DEFINITE HINDERANCE TO OPERATIONS IN THE AREA. HELICOPTERS CAN BE USED ONLY BETWEEN SUNRISE AND 1000 DAILY.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: N/A.
12. COMMENTS BY THE RECONNAISSANCE: FUTURE MISSIONS TO THIS VICINITY SHOULD REGISTER SUPPORTING ARMS CONCENTRATIONS ALONG PLANNED PATROL ROUTE AS CLOSE AIR SUPPORT WOULD BE GREATLY HINDERED BY WEATHER IF NEEDED TO ASSIST TEAM IN CONTACT.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

2NDLT LOWMYER	0107449
PFC HARR	2323425
PFC GREENE	2406476
CPL SPANGLER	2309690
PFC STROUD	2401004
PFC WILLY	2305790
PFC FLEMING	2293031
PFC THURMAN	2400650
PFC LAURENT	2463027

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 CC 3/5
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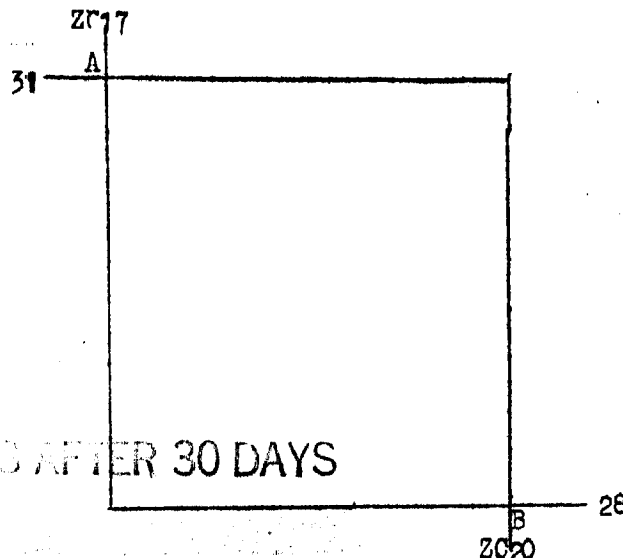
Unit/Call Sign: PONEY TEAM Patrol Leader: 2ndLt. E. R. BROWDER

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Establish an OP on Hill 132 and observe and report all enemy movement near the ford vic 188303. Register in an artillery ambush near the ford and call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMBON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 200900H; insert vic ZC163305 and extract at 231000H vic ZC186305.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: SIFT SCOUT 34.5
PEARL CHEST "B" 34.5
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
SALUTATION "D"

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By direction

Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdMarRegt COC	(1)
3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
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OPERATION ORDER: # 74-69
 PATROL: PONY TEAM (F-32)
 DESIGNEE: SSGT. J. D. MATHEIS
 MTS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, JIS L7014,
 SHEET 6540 II

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 AN HOI, RVN.
 201530H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 1 OFF, 5 BNL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 TX50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: ESTABLISH AN OP ON HILL 132 AND OBSERVE AND REPORT ALL ENEMY MOVEMENT NEAR THE FORD VIC 100303. REGISTER IN AN ARTILLERY AMBUSH NEAR THE FORD AND CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMBON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 201200H/201400H FEB. 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED PERIOD OF 2 HOURS WITH (1) SIGHTING OF A TOTAL OF (23) NV/VC WHICH RESULTED IN (1) CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT: (3) NV/VC KIA (CONFIRMED) (3) NV/VC (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES. MARINE GUNSHIPS AND FIXED WING UTILIZED WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:

.. ENEMY:

201210H: VIC ZC177296 PATROL OBSERVED (5) NV/VC ON A TRAIL APPROXIMATELY (75) METERS AWAY. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJS, PACKS NO HEADGEAR, AND CARRIED AK-47S. PATROL INITIATED CONTACT AND KILLED (1) ENEMY AND ONE (1) OTHER ENEMY FELL TO GROUND WITH GUNSHOT WOUNDS IN THE CHEST. ENEMY FLED TO WEST AND PATROL MOVED TO EAST. AT 201225H, PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH (7) NV/VC. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, NO HEADGEAR, AND WERE ARMED WITH AK-47S. PATROL KILLED ONE (1) ENEMY WITH AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE, OTHER ENEMY FLED TO THE NORTH. AT 201230H, PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH (3) NV/VC. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, NO HEADGEAR, AND WERE ARMED WITH AK-47S. PATROL KILLED (1) ENEMY AND OTHER (2) FLED TO THE WEST. AT THIS TIME MARINE GUNSHIPS CAME ON STATION AND WERE DIRECTED TOWARD ENEMY POSITIONS WHERE THEY STRAFED AND EXPENDED (10) ROCKETS WHILE RECEIVING AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE. AT 201245H, PATROL TOOK (4) NV/VC UNDER AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND M-79 FIRE. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES, NO HEADGEAR, AND WERE ARMED WITH (3) AK-47S AND (1) SKS. ONE (1) ENEMY WAS HIT BY AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE AND FELL TO GROUND, OTHER (3) HELPED HIM MOVE TOWARD NORTH AND AWAY FROM PATROL. AT 201300H, PATROL FIRED ON (1) NV/VC WHO WORE GREEN UTILITIES, NO HEADGEAR, AND

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WAS FIRED WITH AN AK-47. PATROL SAW ROUNDS HIT ENEMY IN BODY AND HE FELL OVER HILLSIDE OUT OF SIGHT. AT 201330H, PATROL FIRED ON (3) NV/VC. ENEMY WORE BLACK PJS, NO HEADGEAR, AND WERE FIRED WITH AK-47S. ENEMY FLED TO THE EAST. MARINE FIXED WING CAME ON STATION AT THIS TIME AND SUPPRESSED ENEMY FIRE SUFFICIENTLY SO THAT THE PATROL COULD BE SAFELY EXTRACTED. RESULTS: (3) NV/VC KIA (CONFIRMED), (3) NV/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.

D. TERRAIN: ROLLING HILLS. CANOPY: 15 FEET HIGH, SPARSE. NO SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH. MOVEMENT: 150 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: ABUNDANT.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC177296 1 XCH-16 SLOPING GROUND NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: SAME AS INSERT. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. CP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 3 NV/VC KIA (CONFIRMED), 3 NV/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ENEMY ARE POSSIBLY UTILIZING AREA AS A SUPPLY ROUTE AS INDICATED BY PACKS SEEN ON SCENE OF ENEMY INVOLVED IN CONTACT.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE GUNSHIPS AND FIXED WING UTILIZED WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: SUGGEST USE OF TFO-10'S AND H&I'S TO INTERDICT ENEMY TRAFFIC IN AREA.

13. PATROL MEMBERS:

SGT PATE	1984414
2NDLT ROLLINGS	0107099
SGT MORIN	2143436
PFC GRIMES	2469416
PFC MARTIN	2447749
PFC MURPHY	2467070
MSG DRICHER	0825110

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Unit/Call Sign: OFF SPRING (F-21) Patrol Leader: Sgt. R. W. PETERS

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
(c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the CNG THU SLOVE area vic ZC1648 and vic ZC1748 for possible enemy troop and arms infiltration into the ARIZONA area. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMBON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 201000H; insert vic ZC156476 and extract at 231100H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
Artillery: DEER LODGE "A" 34.5
BLACK BOTTOM 34.5
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
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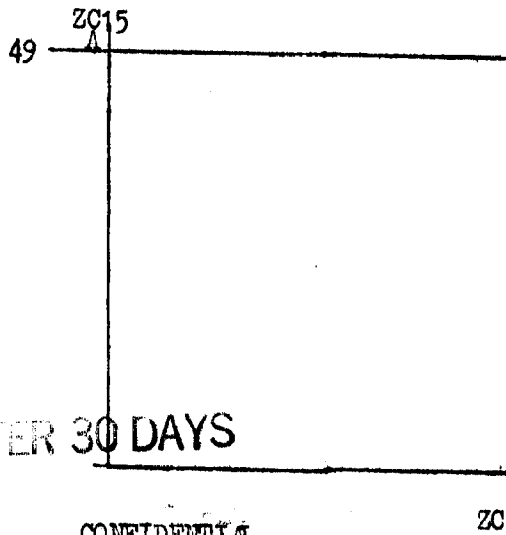
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3rdMarRegt FSCC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3)	(1)
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OPERATION ORDER: #75-69
PATROL: OFF SPRING (F-21)
PATROLMAN: SGT. M. KOZAKIEWICH
MAPS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, LHS L7014,
SHEET 6540 I

1ST FORCE RECONNAISSANCE CO.
AN HOA, RVN.
201600H FEB. 1969

PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 3 ENL.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE
 - C. COMM AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S & 7X50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-14, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES & SHOT GUN
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE CNG THU SLOPE AREA VIC ZC1640 AND VIC ZC1740 FOR POSSIBLE ENEMY TROOP AND ARMS INFILTRATION INTO THE ARIZONA AREA. BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CORON.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 200930H/201520H
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY.
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A TOTAL OF 6 HOURS WITH 2 SIGHTINGS OF 6 VC/NVA, RESULTING IN 2 CONTACTS. RESULTS OF CONTACTS, 2 VC/NVA KIA, 1 FM CALLED, RESULTS UNKNOWN. CALLED NO, RAN GUNSIPS, RESULTS: UNKNOWN.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:

... ENEMY:

201205H AT ZC154403 PATROL WAS MOVING EAST ON TRAIL WHEN THERE WAS A POINT TO POINT CONTACT. THERE WERE TWO ENEMY. THE FIRST WAS WEARING SANDALS, TAN SHORTS, AND A T-SHIRT WITH THE SLEEVES CUT OFF AT THE SHOULDER. HE WAS ARMED WITH AN AK-47, AT SLING ARMS AND HAD A LARGE BAG OF RICE STRAPPED TO HIS BACK. AS HE TURNED A SLIGHT CORNER IN THE TRAIL THE PATROLS' POINT SAW HIM AND FIRED. ENEMY ATTEMPTED TO RUN BUT RAN INTO SECOND ENEMY WHO ROUNDED CORNER. 1ST ENEMY WAS HIT AND WENT DOWN. 2ND THREW DOWN PACK AND RAN. PATROL SEARCHED AREA AND FOUND 2 PACKS AND SHOULDER TYPE RICE BAG. (POSSIBLE THREE ENEMY) WHEN PATROL SEARCHED AREA THEY RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE. THEY RETURNED FIRE AND RECEIVED NO MORE. RESULTS: 1 NVA/VC KIA, 1 IWC.

201200 AT ZC154403. PATROL RECEIVED 2-3 UNAIMED SMALL ARMS FIRE ROUNDS.

201230H AT ZC154403. PATROL MOVED WEST 20-30 METERS TO OBSERVE TRAIL. 4 ENEMY WERE OBSERVED MOVING EAST QUICKLY WITH WEAPONS AT THE READY. THEY WERE ALL WEARING OILY GREEN UTILITIES, NVA MED GEAR, NVA HELMETS, BLOUSED TROUSERS OVER BLACK HIGH-TOP

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THIN SHOES. ALL HAD AK-47S. 1 PATROL MEMBER FIRED ON FIRST NVA. THEN DROPTED BACK TO RELOAD. WHEN HE MOVED DOWN TRAIL AGAIN HE OBSERVED TWO NVA DRAGGING BODY DOWN TRAIL. PATROL MEMBER FIRED ON ENEMY AND THREW GRENADES. RESULTS: 1 NVA KIA.

201220H-201425H AT ZC159483 PATROL RECEIVED UNLINED, SPORADIC SMALL ARMS FIRE.

201425H AT ZC154483 AO SENT BY SALUTATION ARRIVED. RAIN GUNSHIPS AROUND PATROL. GUNSHIPS EXPENDED ALL ORDNANCE. INCOMING SA CEASED.

D. TERRAIN: GENERALLY STEEP. CANOPY: 40 FEET HIGH AND SCATTERED. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: VERY LITTLE, VINES AND BAMBOO, Matted. MOVEMENT: DIFFICULT OFF TRAILS. WATER: NO AVAILABLE WATER.

7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC155476 PAIR 1 XCH-46, BOMB CRATERS IN LZ. EXTRACT LZ: ZC154483 GOOD LADDER, TRAILS: 1 PATROL MOVED ON WELL USED TRAIL WITH WOODEN STEPS ON UPGRADES. SP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: 2ND NVA KIA WORE RED AND BLACK COLLAR TIES. SMALLER THAN REGULAR NVA COLLAR TIE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: 2 VC/NVA KIA.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: EXCELLENT
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: NAVALIN DROPT ON GRID SQUARE ZC1547, ZC1548.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: ARTY POOR. PATROL COULD NOT ADJUST. FIRE INACCURATE. AO AND GUNSHIPS EXCELLENT.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: AREA GOOD SPOT FOR AIRLIGHT.

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13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

SGT MEYERS	2044051
CPL WILLIAMSCH	2356121
CPL SHOCK	2260910
CPL PURISH	2397420
CPL PICKETT	2211634
LCPL EARLE	2429279
PFC CAMPBELL	2321993
PFC LOPEZ	2400573

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DISTRIBUTIONS:

G-2	(5)
G-3	(2)
TASK FORCE "Y" TSCG	(2)
CO 5TH INF REGT	(4)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-2	(5)
1ST FOR RECON CO S-3	(5)
1ST F.I.G	(2)
1ST RECON BN	(2)

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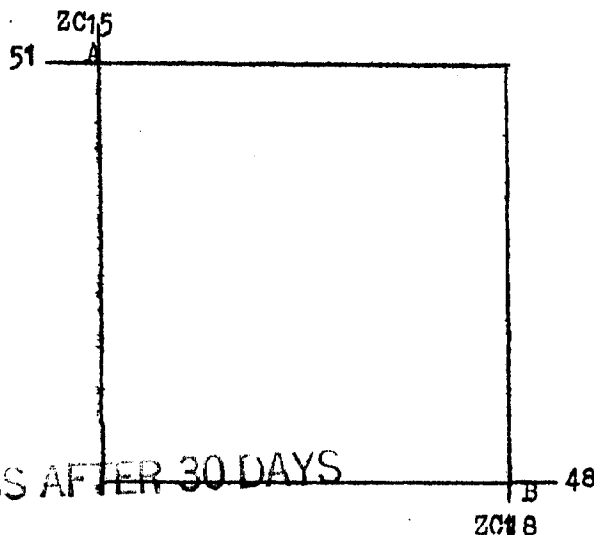
Unit/Call Sign: OFF SPRING (F-21) Patrol Leader: Cpl R. L. WILLIAMSON

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the ONG THU SLOPE area vic ~~ZC1650~~ ZC1579 placing special emphasis on locating any well used trails leading into the ARIZONA area. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 220930H; insert vic ZC173488 and extract at 251030H vic TBA.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 36.8 Alternate: 47.0
 Artillery: DEERLODGE "A" 34.5
 Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
 SALUTATION "D"

R. E. Simmons
 R. E. SIMMONS

Distribution:

G-2 (1)
 G-3 (1)
 Task Force "Y" COC (1)
 Task Force "Y" FSOC (1)
 CO, 1st FAG (1)
 3rdLn5thMar COC (1)
 5thMarRegt COC (1)
 5thMarRegt FSOC (1)
 1stReconBn(Rein)(S-3) (1)
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Unit/Call Sign: STEEL RIM (3E-21) Patrol Leader: Cpl S. G. MCDANIEL

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
(b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-2/S-3)
(c) Attachments: NONE

2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the stream junction vic ZC136378 and the trail network throughout grid square ZC1337. Monitor all enemy traffic and be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COTTON.

3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 221000H; insert vic ZC134357 and extract at 251100H vic TBA.

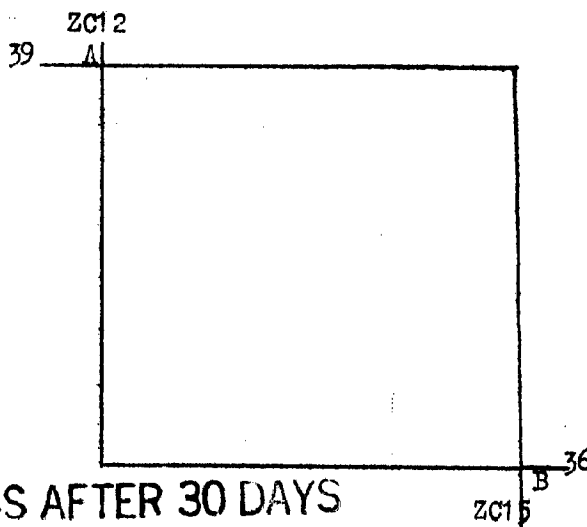
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.

5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
Artillery: DEFEND "F" 55.05
Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
SALUTATION "D"

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Distribution:

G-2	(1)
G-3	(1)
Task Force "Y" COC	(1)
Task Force "Y" FSCC	(1)
CO, 1st FAG	(1)
3rdBn5thMar COC	(1)
5thMarRegt COC	(1)
5thMarRegt FSCC	(1)
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 PATROL: STEEL RIN (32-21)
 DETAILER: SSGT. J. D. HENNES
 MFS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, NIS L7014,
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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 - A. COMPOSITION: 6 MIL, 1 USN.
 - B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 - C. COMMAND AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 TRC-25'S 1 TX50'S
 - D. SPECIAL EQUIP: 1 M-1, 1 M-79, 2 CLAYMORES
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE STEEL JUNCTION VIC 20135370 AND THE TRAIL NETWORK THROUGHOUT GRID SQUARE 201337. MONITOR ALL ENEMY TRAFFIC AND BE PREPARED TO CALL AND ADJUST ARTY/ AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR CORRAL.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 251555H/261025H FEB. 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 66½ HOURS WITH (1) SIGHTING OF (3) IVA/VC. NO CONTACTS WERE MADE. PATROL CALLED ONE (1) FIRE MISSION, ON AN AREA WHERE MUCH MOVEMENT AND TALKING WAS HEARD, WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. RESULTS: UNKNOWN.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:
 - A. ENEMY:

261630H: VIC 20143375 PATROL FOUND (15) FIGHTING HOLES (3'x2'x2') NOT MORE THAN (3) DAYS OLD.

271000H: VIC 20143379 PATROL HEARD A LARGE NUMBER (OVER 20) OF ENEMY WHO WERE LOUDLY TALKING AND SWEEPING IN RIVER. PATROL MOVED AWAY FROM ENEMY AND CONTINUED MISSION. PATROL LATER CALLED HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE ON AREA WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. RESULTS UNKNOWN.

271345H: VIC 20140372 PATROL OBSERVED (3) IVA/VC MOVING NORTH ON TRAIL. ENEMY STOPPED WITHIN (70) METERS OF PATROL THEN MOVED DOWN TRAIL TO NORTH. PATROL CROSSED TRAIL AND OBSERVED THAT ENEMY WERE DARK CLOTHING. NO FURTHER OBSERVATION COULD BE MADE AS ENEMY WERE MOVING RAPIDLY AROUND BEND IN TRAIL.
 - B. TERRAIN: WAS STEEP. CLIPY: 60-80 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH: 20 FEET HIGH CONSISTING OF VINES AND B.1800, THICK. MOVEMENT: 100 METERS PER HOUR, EXCEPT ON TRAILS; THEN AT 1000 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: WATER ALL STEADY FLOWS.

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7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC134377 MULTIBIRD ZONE ABANDONED
FSD CUTLASS. EXTRACT LZ: SAME AS INSERT. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY.
CP'S: NONE. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALUTATION
"D" RELAY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: N/A.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD.
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER STATES AREA IS
HEAVILY TRAVELED BY ENEMY AND ALL FIGHTING HOLES FOUND WERE
FRESHLY DUG.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE ARTILLERY PROVIDED
EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: RECOMMEND H&I FIRES ON POSSIBLE TPQ-10
TO INTERDICT ENEMY TRAFFIC IN VICINITY ZC1437.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

PATROL OVERLAY

CPL McDANIEL	2409136
LCPL BERNST	2411661
PFC HOFFER	2421007
PFC LORD	2405970
PFC CHRISTIAN	2420355
1ST HENSE	3612536
PFC GARZA	2435106

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CC 3/5
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1ST FOR REGON CC S-3
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Unit/Call Sign: OFF SPRING (F-11) PatRol Leader: Sgt. R. M. PETERS

1. Situation. (a) See current INTSUM'S
 (b) See current OPSUM'S and PIR'S (S-3/S-2)
 (c) Attachments: NONE
2. Mission. Conduct a reconnaissance of the trail running E-W from vic ZC164365 to ZC177362. Monitor all enemy traffic on this trail. Be prepared to call and adjust arty/air on all targets of opportunity in support of Operation TAYLOR COMMON.
3. Execution. Utilize references (a) through (e) to assist in completing the patrol. Depart LZ BARNES at 270830H; insert vic ZC164365 and extract at 020900H vic ZC175353.
4. Admin/Logistics. Reference (b) and verbal.
5. Comm/Electronics. Primary Freq: 47.0 Alternate: 36.8
 Artillery: DEFEND "F" 55.05 ALTERNATE 62.50
 Radio Relay: SALUTATION "A"
 SALUTATION "D"

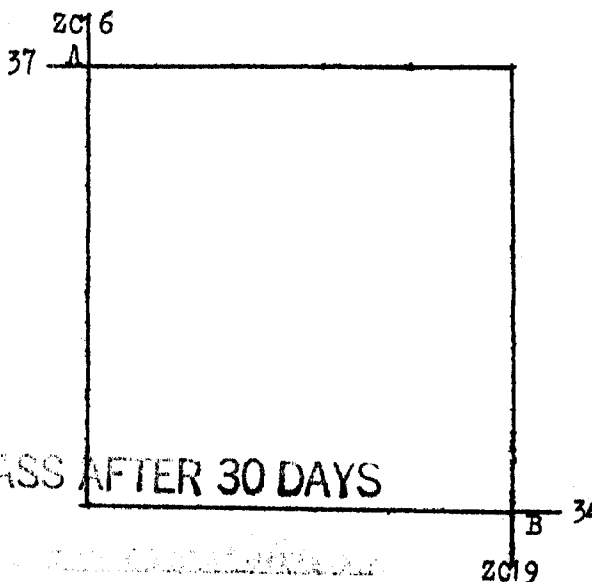
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 5thMarRegt COC (1)
 5thMarRegt FSOC (1)
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OPERATION CAMEL: 403-69
 PATROL: CPT STRONG (F-21)
 DETRIEFER: SSGT. J. D. HATHIS
 LMS: VIETNAM, 1:50,000, AMS 1701,
 SHEET 6520 II

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PATROL REPORT

1. SIZE, COMPOSITION, AND EQUIPMENT:
 A. COMPOSITION: 1 CPT, 6 BM.
 B. SPECIAL ATTACHMENTS: NONE.
 C. COMBAT AND OBSERVATION EQUIP: 2 PRC-25'S 1 7X50'S
2. MISSION: CONDUCT A RECONNAISSANCE OF THE TRAIL RUNNING E-W FROM VIC ZC16365 TO ZC177362. MONITOR ALL ENEMY TRAFFIC ON THIS TRAIL. BE READY TO CALL IN ARTILLERY/AIR ON ALL TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION TAYLOR COMB.
3. TIME OF DEPARTURE AND RETURN: 271450H/201020H FEB. 1969
4. ROUTE: SEE ATTACHED OVERLAY
5. SYNOPSIS: PATROL COVERED A PERIOD OF 19 1/2 HOURS WITH (1) SIGHTING OF A TOTAL OF (16) NVA/VC WHICH RESULTED IN (1) CONTACT: (1) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES. MARINE ARTILLERY AND "SPOOKY-13" GUNSHIP PROVIDED EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
6. OBSERVATION OF ENEMY AND TERRAIN:

A. ENEMY:

271515H: VIC ZC169361 PATROL HEARD APPROXIMATELY (10) ENEMY WITH WHAT SOUNDED LIKE (2) DOGS OF UNKNOWN TYPE. PATROL UTILIZED A FIRE MISSION TO COVER THEIR MOVEMENT FROM THE AREA.

271545-1645H: VIC ZC16365 PATROL MADE CONTACT WITH A TOTAL OF (16) NVA/VC. ENEMY WORE GREEN UTILITIES AND WEB GEAR, AND WERE ARMED WITH AK-47s. PATROL AND ENEMY EXCHANGED SMALL ARMS FIRE WHICH RESULTED IN (1) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE). PATROL UTILIZED ARTILLERY AND MOVED TO A DEFENDABLE POSITION.

272025H: VIC ZC165365 PATROL IN HARBOR SITE RECEIVED (1) INCOMING GRENADE. PATROL RETURNED GRENADES. PATROL RECEIVED SPORADIC SMALL ARMS FIRE AND GRENADES UNTIL APPROXIMATELY 2300H. AT 2100H "SPOOKY-13" CAME ON STATION AND SUPPRESSED ENEMY MOVEMENT. "SPOOKY-13" RECEIVED AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE DURING STAFFING RUNS. DURING THIS TIME (2115H) PATROL HEARD AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF ENEMY MOVING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH AT ZC159365. A FIRE MISSION WAS CALLED WHICH RESULTED IN (2) SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND SMOKE CAME FROM VICINITY OF MOVEMENT.

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201020H: VIC ZC165365 EXTRACTOR HELICOPTERS RECEIVED AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE UPON EXTRACTION OF PATROL. FIRE CAME FROM EAST APPROXIMATELY (100) METERS AWAY.

5. TERRAIN: WAS SWEET. CANOPY: 50-80 FEET HIGH. SECONDARY UNDERGROWTH CONSISTING OF VINES AND BRUSH, VERY THICK. MOVEMENT: 75-100 METERS PER HOUR. WATER: NONE FOUND.
7. OTHER INFORMATION: INSERT LZ: ZC166365 1 XCH-46 HEVEL HILLTOP. MAIN-AREA ZONE. NO OBSTACLES. EXTRACT LZ: ZC165365 1 XCH-46 EXCELLENT ZONE HEVEL HILLTOP. TRAILS: SEE OVERLAY. OP'S: LZ'S ZC166365 AND ZC165365 HAVE EXCELLENT O.D. SITES TO ALL DIRECTIONS. COMMUNICATIONS: GOOD COMMUNICATIONS WITH SALUTATION "D" ONLY. OBSTACLES: NONE. MISCELLANEOUS: NONE.
8. RESULTS OF ENCOUNTERS WITH THE ENEMY: (1) NVA/VC KIA (PROBABLE), NO USMC CASUALTIES.
9. CONDITION OF THE PATROL: GOOD
10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: PATROL LEADER BELIEVES ENEMY TO BE IN AREA IN STRENGTH OF AT LEAST ONE (1) COMPANY. RECOMMENDS THAT INFANTRY EXPLOIT THE SITUATION.
11. EFFECTIVENESS OF SUPPORTING ARMS: MARINE ARTILLERY AND "SPOOKY-13" AIRCRAFT PROVIDED EXCELLENT COVERAGE.
12. COMMENTS BY THE DEBRIEFER: THE ENEMY APPEARS TO BE OCCUPYING THE AREA IN STRENGTH AND IS APPARENTLY UTILIZING THE AREA FOR STAGING OR A BASE CAMP.
13. PATROL MEMBERS:

CPL WILLIAMSON	2356129
CPL FURNISH	2397420
CPL SHOCK	2260910
CPL PICKETT	2214634
LCPL BART	2429279
LCPL LOPEZ	2400573
2NDLT TROWER	0105614

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G-3	(2)
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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET RPT 010001H TO 012000H JAN 69 (C)

1. (C) AT IDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) EXTRACT FROM TACTIC (F-11) AT 011355H VIC Z0008322 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORICH. HAS IN 3 USMC NBC (S).
- (2) EXTRACT FROM TACTIC "A" (F-11-22) AT 011615E VIC Z0082270 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORICH

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 010930H SCREEN TEST (F-51) VIC AT931495. TM OBSERVED 5 VO/HVA COMING OUT OF POSSIBLE TUNNEL OR BURROW COMPLEX. TM WORE BLACK PJ'S.
- (2) 011210H SCREEN TEST (F-51) VIC AT945515. TM OBSERVED 3 VO/HVA CARRYING HEAVY GEAR RUNNING FROM INFANTRY WHO WERE MAKING A BUMP OF AREA. TM WORE WHITE SHIRTS & SHORTS & SHORT PANTS.
- (3) 011400H SCREEN TEST (F-51) VIC AT926500. TM OBSERVED 4 TO 5 VO/HVA GOING INTO A BUNCH. TM WORE BLACK PJ'S.

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C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC 200930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC 201441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) CRAZY BONT (3L-22) VIC 201734 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) SCOTTEN TOST (R-51) VIC 209447 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) PICK-ICK PATER (R-21) AT 020900H "HAVEN" UL 201732, LR 202029 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) SCANDINAVIA (R-41) AT 020930H "HAVEN" UL Y09642, LR Y09944 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) ICE BOUND (R-32) AT 020800H "HAVEN" UL 200254, LR 200551 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) PERRY WISE (R-25) AT 021030H "HAVEN" UL 200133, LR 200429 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (5) NIGHT CLUB (3L-23) AT 030900H "HAVEN" UL Y09539, LR Y09836 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (6) STIFF RIN (3L-21) AT 030930H "HAVEN" UL 200047, LR 200344 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

E. PLANNED INTERACTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BONT (3L-22) AT 020900H "HAVEN" UL 201736, LR 202135 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES FIRST FORCE RECON CO (RWIN) (REAR AREA) 010001H TO
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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET REP #33 020001H TO 022400H MAR 69 (C)

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A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1H'S UTILIZED)(1) INSERT PICKNICK PAPER (P-21) AT 021115H VIC ZC187315 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COMBON(2) EXTRACT CRAZY BONE (32-22) AT 021130H VIC ZC178346 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMBON(3) EXTRACT PICKNICK PAPER (P-21) AT 021422H VIC ZC191312 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COMBONB. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS(1) (LATE ENTRY) 011600H SCREEN TEST (P-51) VIC AT928494. TM
OBSERVED (1) BUNKER/TUNNEL COMPLEX. TM USED OBSERVED TECH
AC ON BUNKER/TUNNEL WITH UNOBSERVED RESULTS.(2) 021153H PICKNICK PAPER (P-21) VIC ZC190313. TM ENGAGED WITH
(2) NVA/VC WHO WERE FOLLOWING THE TM. TM WORE GREEN UTILITY, 1
HAD NO SHIRT AND CARRIED (2) CARBINES & WEB GEAR. TM BROKE
CONTACT. RESULTS WITH TM UNKNOWN.**CONFIDENTIAL**

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AND GEAR, PACKS, AND BUSH CUTTERS AND CARRIED (1) AK-47 AND
OTHER WEAPONRY NOT MENTIONED.

- (4) 021230H PICKWICK PAPER (E-21) VIC ZC191313. TM HEARD
ESTIMATED (40) INVA/VC FIRING ON GUNSHIPS WITH S/A & AM
WHILE GUNSHIPS WERE MAKING RUNS. TM ALSO HEARD SOUNDS USED
AS SIGNALS TO DIRECT SEARCH FOR THEM. SIGNALS CONSISTED OF
WHISTLES, WHOOPS, AND BANGING ON METAL. TM WAS EXTRACTED
021430H VIC ZC191312. TM HEARD HEAVY MG FIRE POSSIBLE 50
CAL. THE EXTERNAL LADDER RIG WAS USED.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOOLAR "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) NIGHT SCHOOLAR "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) SCOTTEN TEST (E-51) VIC AZ9447 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 030900H "HAVEN" UL YC9647, LR YC3944
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) ICE MOUND (E-32) AT 030930H "HAVEN" UL ZC0254, LR ZC0539
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) PENNY WISE (1E-23) AT 031000H "HAVEN" UL ZC0133, LR ZC0429
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) DIRT CLUB (3E-22) AT 040900H "HAVEN" UL YC9539, LR YC9136
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) STEEL RIB (3E-21) AT 040930H "HAVEN" UL ZC0047, LR ZC0344
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) FIG MENTION "A" (1E-22) AT 041030H "HAVEN" UL YC9539, LR YC9136
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(7) JACOB B. BAI (F-31) AT 041030H "HAYDEN" UL 200150, LR 200443
IN CUP OF TAYLOR COMICH

B. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

(1) JOHN W. TEST (F-51) AT 030900H "HAYDEN" UL AT9348, LR AT9645
IN CUP OF TAYLOR COMICH

SPRING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE ROOM CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY REPORT: CONTINUED 0
TERMINATE 0
CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES FIRST FORCE ROOM CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 020001H TO 022100H
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FROM: CG, 1ST MAF

A. R. Finlayson DRAFTER

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAW, DANANG, RVN

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CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AMERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

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CO, FIRST FAG, AN HOA, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET REP #34 030001H TO 032400H FEB 69 (O)

1. (C) AN HOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS (2 MARINE CL-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)(1) EXTRACT SCREEN TEST (F-51) AT 030930H VIC AT9347 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMMON(2) INSERT PENNY WISE (1E-25) AT 031308H VIC ZC0132 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMMONB. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS(1) (LATE ENTRY) (2) USMC KIA (1) USN KIA (DNR) REPORTED ON 230845H
JAN 69. BODIES WERE RECOVERED ON 021400H FEB 69 VIC ZC068306.(2) (LATE ENTRY) 021930H: SCREEN TEST (F-51) VIC AT944477: TM OBSR
(1) NVA/VC & HEARD EXTRACTED (4) OTHERS. TM COULD NOT OBSR DUE
TO DARKNESS. EN WAS MOVING CLANDESTINELY BEHIND & ABOVE TM. EN
APPEARED TO BE LOOKING FOR TM.(3) (LATE ENTRY) 022010H: SCREEN TEST (F-51) VIC AT944477: TM OBSR
(1) NVA/VC. TM THREW (2) GRENADES TO MARK THE TARGET FOR SPOOKY.
TM RECD (1) CHICOM GRENADE. TM THREW (1) GRENADE & RECD (2)

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CHICOM GRENADES. IT THEN FIRED A CLAYMORE & BROKE CONTACT. RESULTS OF CONTACT (2) USMC KIA (MINOR). IN CASUALTIES UNK.

- (4) 040930H: ICE BOUND (E-32) VIC Z0043520. THREAT FIRE IN CIL-46D FROM (3 OR 4) IVA/VC WEARING BLACK PJ'S WHILE BEING INSERTED. EN HAD SXS'S. CIL-46D RECD (8) ROUNDS SMALL ARMS FIRE.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC Z00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC Z01441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) PENNY WISE (1E-23) VIC Z00132 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) ICE BOUND (E-32) AT 040900H "HAVEN" UL Z00234, LR Z00551 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) HOUSE PEAK (E-31) AT 040930H "HAVEN" UL Z00150, LR Z00448 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 041000H "HAVEN" UL Y09647, LR Y09944 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) BIG NEWTON "A" (1E-22) AT 041030H "HAVEN" UL Y09536, LR Y09833 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) WHITE CLUB (3E-23) AT 050900H "HAVEN" UL Y09539, LR Y09836 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) STEEL RIB (3E-21) AT 050930H "HAVEN" UL Z00047, LR Z00344 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (7) SADDLE BAG (1E-21) AT 051000H "HAVEN" UL Z00538, LR Z00835 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (8) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 051030H "HAVEN" UL Z01735, LR Z02032 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(9) PICKWICK PAPER (F-21) AT 051100H "HAVEN" UL YC9115, LR YC9432
IN SUP OP TAYLOR COMMON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

NONE

STING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 030001H TO 032400H
FEB 69

(1) (LATE ENTRY) 021400H TO 021830H: NIGHT SCHOLAR II VIC ZC026442: A

(4) MAN DIVING TM ASSIGNED TO K3/5 TO SEARCH FOR 1 BODIES. TM
SEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS.

(2) 051130H TO 051915H: NIGHT SCHOLAR II VIC ZC026442: A (4) MAN DIVING
TM ASSIGNED TO K 3/5 TO CONTINUE SEARCH FOR (5) BODIES. SEARCH
RESULTED IN FINDING (1) HELMET, (2) IN 6 MAGZINES & 1 M26 GRENADE.
NEG RESULTS ON BODIES.

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

SECTION FIRST FORCE REGION CC (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AMERICAL DIV, GBU LAI, RVN

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CG, FIRST MAG, AN HDA, RVN

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CG, FIRST REGION BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE REGION CC (REIN) SIT REP #55 040001H TO 040400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HDA-14.

A. INSTRUCTIONS & EXTRACT CNS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S AND 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

(1) INSERT ICE BOUND (R-32) AT 041000H VIC ZC047530. ABORTED DUE

TO HELICOPTER TAKING FIRE IN INSERTION ZONE IN SUP OF TAYLOR

COMMON

B. SIG TINGS & CONTACTS

(1) 041045H ICE BOUND (R-32) VIC ZC047530. GUNSHIP'S ROCK S/A AND

A/WEING FIRE FROM UNKNOWN ENEMY FORCE. TRANSPORT ROCK FIREMOUNT

ORBITING INSERTION ZONE. INSERT ABORTED.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

(1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) PENNY WISE (R-25) VIC ZC0132 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

(1) HIGGINS PEAK (R-31) AT 050930H "HEAVEN" UL ZC0150, LR ZC0150 IN SUP

OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(2) SCALP HAT (P-41) AT 051000H "HAVEN" UL Y09647, LR Y09947 IN

SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(3) FIG HENTON "A" (1E-22) AT 051030H "HAVEN" UL Y09536, LR Y09833

IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(4) SADDLE BAG (1E-21) AT 051100H "HAVEN" UL Z00538, LR Z00835 IN

SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(5) HUNT CLUB (3E-21) AT 060900H "HAVEN" UL Y09539, LR Y09836 IN

SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(6) STEEL RIM (3E-21) AT 060930H "HAVEN" UL Z00047, LR Z00344 IN

SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(7) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 061030H "HAVEN" UL Z01735, LR Z02032 IN

SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(8) PICKNICK PAPER (P-21) AT 061100H "HAVEN" UL Y09133, LR Y09432

IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

NONE

STING RAY REPORT

NONE

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 040001H TO 042400H FEB 69

(1) 041300H TO 041700H: NIGHT SCUDLAR II VIC Z0026442. A (4) MAN DIVING

TH CONTINUED TO SEARCH FOR (5) BODIES FROM KILC 3/5 WHO DROWNED.

DIVING TH FOUND NEGATIVE RESULTS ON BODIES.

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FROM: CG, 1ST MARDIV

ACTION: CG, FIRST FORST RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST REG, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

CG, AIRCRAFT DIV, CUU LAM, RVN

CG, FIRST REG, AN NHA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON CO (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORST RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #36 050001H TO 052400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN NOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 MARINE CT-46D'S AND 2 MARINE UH-10'S UTILIZED)(1) REPLY NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" AT 051400H VIC YC0930 IN THE CP TAYLOR
COTTONB. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS(1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC YC0930 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COTTON
(2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC YC1441 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COTTON
(3) PENNY WISE (1E-23) VIC YC0132 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COTTOND. PLANNED INSERTIONS(1) ~~1008H PAX (P-34) AT 0600H "HAVEN" UL YC0450, LR YC0440 IN
SUP CP TAYLOR COTTON~~(2) SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 061000H "HAVEN" UL YC9647, LR YC9944 IN
SUP CP TAYLOR COTTON(3) FIG IREACH "A" (1E-22) AT 061030H "HAVEN" UL YC9536, LR YC9833
IN SUP CP TAYLOR COTTON**CONFIDENTIAL**

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, 1ST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAL DIV, 3RD LAF, RVN

CG, FIRST PAC, AN NOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIG REC #57 060001H TO 062400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AM NOA-14

A. INSTRUCTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)(1) EXTRACTION BERRY WINE (E-23) AT 060952H VIC ZOO131 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMMON

(2) INSERT ICE BOUND (E-32) AT 061442H VIC ZOO452 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) EXTRACTION NIGHT SCHOLAR 11 AT 061600H VIC ZOO244 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS(1) 061515H ICE BOUND (E-32) VIC ZOO41520. TM MADE CONTACT WITH 3 NVA
WEARING COMBAT UTILITIES, CARRYING AK-47'S WITH WEB GEAR & PACV.
TM VALUED UP ON TM. TM ENGAGED TM WITH S/A FIRE RESULTING IN (1)
NVA CONFIRMED KIA. TM RETURNED S/A FIRE. TM UTILIZED MARINE
GUNSHIPS TO BREAK CONTACT AND CONTINUED MISSIONC. PATROL LOCATIONS

(1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC ZOO930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC ZOO1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) ICE BOUND (E-32) VIC ZOO452 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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- (1) STEEL RIG (3E-21) AT 070200H "HAVEN" UL 200047, LR 200344 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (2) PICKNICK PAPER (2-21) AT 070930H "HAVEN" UL Y09039, LR Y09336 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (3) HUNT CLUB (3E-23) AT 071000H "HAVEN" UL Y09539, LR Y09836 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (4) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 071030H "HAVEN" UL 201735, LR 202032 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (5) FIG SPEECH "A" (1E-22) AT 071100H "HAVEN" UL Y09536, LR Y09833 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (6) SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 080930H "HAVEN" UL Y09246, LR Y09543 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (7) FORT FATHER (E-11) AT 081000H "HAVEN" UL Y09331, LR Y09628 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION
- (8) SADDLE BAG (1E-21) AT 081030H "HAVEN" UL AT9047, LR AT9344 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION

PLANNED INTERACTIONS

- (1) ICE BOUND (E-32) AT 071130H "HAVEN" UL 200254, LR 200551 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMION

STING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP:

CELEBRATE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 060001H TO 062400H FEB 69
- (4) 061000H TO 061600H NIGHT SCOUTER II VIC 20026442. A (4) MAN DIVING TR

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SEARCH FOR (1) DO NOT KILL [REDACTED] NO DECEIT. [REDACTED] IN
FOUND (2) M-16 RIFLES AND (1) USED [REDACTED]. THE RESULTS ON BODY ARE VERY.

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FROM: TF YANKS

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, 1ST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAN DIV, CUBA, RVN

CG, 1ST MAR, AN KHA, RVN

CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST MAR DIV (REIN) SET REF #33 070001H TO 072400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AM IDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 MARINE CL460'S & 2 MARINE UB-16'S UTILIZED)

- (1) INSERT STEEL RING (3E-21) AT 071045H VIC ZC0044 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) INSERT BUNT CLUB (3E-23) AT 071412H VIC Y09636 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) INSERT GRAY BUNT (3E-22) AT 071610H VIC ZC1833 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) EXTRACT IC1 BOUND (E-11) AT 071730H VIC ZC0451 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 071630H GRAY BUNT (3E-22) VIC ZC1833. IN OBSERVED TRAIL. TRAIL WAS TWO FEET WIDE AND RUNS SW TO SE. STEPS ARE CUT INTO ROCKS WHERE TRAIL GOES DOWN HILL

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCOUTER "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) NIGHT SCOUTER "B" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) STEEL RING (3E-21) VIC ZC0044 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) BUNT CLUB (3E-23) VIC Y09636 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (5) GRAY BUNT (3E-22) VIC ZC1833 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

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FROM: BT YANKEE

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

C, FIRST FAG, AN HPA, RVN

C, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP 080001H TO 082400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN FOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS

NONE

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 081200H CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC 30199329. TM FOUND ONE TRAIL JUNCTION RUNNING SW TO SE. THIS TRAIL JOINS A WELL USED TRAIL RUNNING SW TO NE
- (2) 081320H CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC 30200328. TM HEARD VOICES OF APPROX 20 TO 30 VC/NVA OVERBUSH WOOD, TALKING LOUD AND CASUALLY
- (3) 081325 CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC 30202328. TM SIGHTED 2 VC WEARING BLACK PJ'S & KHAKI SHORTS WALKING SW TO NE ON RICE PADDY DIKE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC 300930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC 301441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) STEEL RIM (3L-21) VIC 300144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) HUNT CLUB (3L-23) VIC 309536 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (5) CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC 302033 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS**CONFIDENTIAL**

1ST MARDIV 2100/4 (9/67) (1) SADDLE BAG (1L-21) AT 090200H "HAVEN" UL AT8645, LR AT9042

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IN SUP OF TAYLOR GUNION

- (2) FIG NEWTON "A" (12-22) AT 090930H "HAYEN" UL Y09536, LR Y09833 IN
SUP OF TAYLOR GUNION
- (3) MORE PATHER (E-11) AT 091000H "HAYEN" UL Y09531, LR Y09628 IN
SUP OF TAYLOR GUNION
- (4) SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 091030H "HAYEN" UL Y09246, LR Y09543 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR GUNION
- (5) MOORE PEAR (E-31) AT 091100H "HAYEN" UL Y01847, LR Y02144 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR GUNION

E. PLANNED EXTRACTABLE

NONE

SPRING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY REPORT: CONTINUE 0
 TERMINATE 0
 CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 080000H TO 082400H FEB 69

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FROM: THE YANKEE

A.R. Finlayson DRAFTER
SECTION 1 OF FIRST RECON CO (REIN)

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (R III)

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INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAN DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST FAG, AN IDA, RVN

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CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #40 090001H TO 092400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN IDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE OH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) EXTRACT CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 091130H VIC 70206332 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
SECTION
- (2) INSERT MOORE PEAK (E-31) AT 091305H VIC 70193457 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
SECTION

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 091000H CRAZY BONE (3E-22) VIC 70206332. TH 2000 (10) NVA/VC MOVING
ACROSS RICE PADDY AREA UNDER S/A FIRE. IN WERE BLACK PJ'S (1) WAS
ARMED WITH AN SEC. RESULTS OF CONTACT (1) NVA/VC KIA (1) VN FEMALE
DETAINEE.
- (2) 091500H HUNT CLUB (3E-23) VIC 70954374 TH OBS (1) TRAIL 4 TO 6 METERS
WIDE WHICH RAN N TO S. TRAIL SHOWED SIGNS OF RECENT HEAVY MOVEMENT.
- (3) 091645H STEEL RIM (3E-21) VIC 70019441. TH 2000 APPROX 15 AK-47 RDS
AT THIS LOCATION WITH NEG RESULTS.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC 700930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR SECTION

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- (2) NIGHT SOCIETY "D" VIC YC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) NIGHT CLUB (3L-21) VIC YC0241 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) NIGHT CLUB (3L-21) VIC YC9636 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (5) NIGHT CLUB (E-31) VIC YC9943 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (6) NIGHT CLUB (1L-21) VIC YC8843 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

D. PLANNED INTERCTIONS

- (1) NIGHT CLUB "A" (1L-22) AT 100900H "HAVEN" UL YC9536, LR YC9833 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) NIGHT CLUB (E-11) AT 100930H "HAVEN" UL YC9531, LR YC9628 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 101000H "HAVEN" UL YC9516, LR YC9543 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

E. PLANNED INTERACTIONS

- (1) NIGHT CLUB (3L-23) AT 100900H "HAVEN" UL YC9539, LR YC9836 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) NIGHT CLUB (3L-21) AT 100930H "HAVEN" UL YC0047, LR YC0344 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

STING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0
 TERMINATE 0
 CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 090001H TO 092400H FEB 69

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FROM: TF YANKEE

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAW, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST FAG, AN KHA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #41 100001H TO 102400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS (2 MARINE OH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) (LATE LIVERY) INSERT SADDLE BAG (1E-21) AT 092400H AT VIC AT697450 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) INSERT FIG HATTON "A" (1E-22) AT 101020H VIC Y0974343 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) EXTRACT METAL RING (3E-21) AT 101043E VIC Z0025443 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (4) EXTRACT BOMB CLUB (3E-23) AT 101050H VIC Y0962368 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (5) INSERT MORE PAPER (3E-11) AT 101425H VIC Y0949290 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC Z00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

- (2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "B" VIC Z01441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

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(5) FIG HANSON "A" (1L-22) VIC Y09733 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(6) WORT RATHER (E-11) VIC Y09429 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS(1) INSTR SCANDINAVIA (E-41) AT 110930H "HAVEN" UL Y09352, LR Y09649
IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMONE. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

NONE

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NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0
TERMINATE 0
CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 100001H TO 102400H FEB 69

NONE

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AMERICAN DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

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SECTION 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #42 110001H TO 112400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

(1) INSERT SCANDINAVIA (F-41) AT 111510H VIC Y09449 IN SUP OF TAYLOR

COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

(1) 111445H MOOSE PEAK (F-31) VIC ZC193455. TM OBSERVED (3) VC/NVA

WEARING GREEN UTILITIES WITH (1) BAG & (1) SKS RIFLE. TM CALLED FM,

ANALYST OBSERVE RESULTS. EN MOVED OVER RIDGELINE OUT OF SIGHT.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

(1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC ZC09350 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "B" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) MOOSE PEAK (F-31) VIC ZC1845 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(4) FIG NEWTON "A" (1L-22) VIC Y09635 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(5) FORT FATHER (F-11) VIC Y09429 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(6) SCANDINAVIA (F-41) VIC Y09449 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(7) SADDLE BAG (1L-21) VIC AT8644 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

(1) PICKNICK PAPER (F-21) AT 120930H "HAYES" UL AT8645, LR AT9042 IN

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TOP OF TAYLOR COTTON

D. PLANTED EXTRACTS

(1) SADDLE BAG (1L-21) AT 120930H "HAVEN" UL AT8645, IR AT9042 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COTTON

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1ST FORCE REDON CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY RECAP:

COMBENCE	0
TERMINATE	0
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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)(REAR AREA) 110001H TO 112400H FEB 69

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAN DIV, OBU LAL, RVN

CG, FIRST MAG, AN TOA, RVN

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SECTION 1ST FORCE RECON CO (RECON) SIT REP #43 120001H TO 122400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

(1) INSERT PICKNICK BAPER (F-21) AT 120923H VIC AT8745 IN SUP OF TAYLOR

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(2) EXTRACT SADDLE BAG (F-21) AT 120923H VIC AT8745 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(3) EXTRACT SCANDINAVIA (F-41) AT 121310H VIC Y09349 IN SUP OF TAYLOR

COTTON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

(1) 120955H MOOSE PEAK (F-31) VIC Z0193455. TH OBS (3) NVA/VC WEARING

GREEN UTILITIES & BUSH COVERS WITH (1) PACK & (1) SKS. TH CALLED

FM NVA/VC DEPARTED AREA.

(2) 121025H MOOSE PEAK (F-31) VIC Z0193455. TH OBS (2) NVA/VC WEARING

GREEN UTILITIES & BUSH COVERS WITH (1) CARTRIDGE BRIT, (1) PACK &

(1) SKS. TH CALLED FM WITH UNK RESULTS.

(3) 121025H MOOSE PEAK (F-31) VIC Z0193455. TH OBS (7) NVA/VC WEARING

GREEN UTILITIES & BUSH COVERS WITH (3) CARTRIDGE, (1) SKS, (1)

L.A.A.W. (1) UNK TYPE RIFLE. TH CALLED FM UNK RESULTS.

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- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC 200930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC 201441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) MOOSE PEAK (E-31) VIC 201745 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) FIG NEWTON "A" (1E-22) VIC Y09635 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) FORE FATHER (E-11) VIC Y09429 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) PICKWICK PAPER (E-21) VIC AT8643 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSPECTIONS

- (1) STEEL RIM (3E-21) AT 130930H "HAVEN" UL 200928, LR 201125 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) SCREEN TEST (E-51) AT 131000H "HAVEN" UL 200626, LR 200924 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) HUNT CLUB (3E-23) AT 131030H "HAVEN" UL 200833, LR 201030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 131100H "HAVEN" UL 201747, LR 202144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) PENNY WISE (1E-23) AT 140900H "HAVEN" UL Y09945, LR 200242 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) ICE BOUND (E-32) AT 140930H "HAVEN" Y09735, LR 200032 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

- (1) FORE FATHER (E-11) AT 130900H "HAVEN" UL Y09331, LR Y09628 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) FIG NEWTON "A" (1E-22) AT 130930H "HAVEN" UL Y09336, LR Y09833 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) MOOSE PEAK (E-31) AT 131000H "HAVEN" UL 201747, LR 202144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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1ST FORCE REG N CO (REIN) DAILY SITING WAY RECAP: CONFERENCE 0
TERMINATE 0
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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 120001H TO 122400H FEB 69

NONE

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FROM: TP YAKOE

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A.R. Finlayson

DRAFTER

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

CCW 0429

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

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SECTION 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT R/P #44 130001H TO 132400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AS UCA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)(1) INSERT CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 131010H VIC 2C1744 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMTON(2) EXTRACT MOOSE PEAK (E-31) AT 131016H VIC 2C1945 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMTON(3) INSERT HUNT CLUB (3E-23) AT 131247H VIC 2C0940 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COM.
NONB. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS(1) 130918H MOOSE PEAK (E-31) VIC 2C1945. TM MADE CONTACT WITH
ESTIMATED (7) VC/NVA WEARING A MIXTURE OF BLACK PJ'S & GREEN UTILITIES
CARRYING AK-47'S. TM BROKE CONTACT AND MOVED TOWARD EXTRACTION HLZ
AND SIGHTED (4) MORE VC/NVA. EN MORE MIXTURE OF BLACK PJ'S & GREEN
UTILITIES. TM UTILIZED MARINE GUNSHIPS ON BULKY POSITION. RESULTS
(2) NVA/VC KIA (PROB), NEG USMC CASUALTIES.(2) 131040H CRAZY BONE (3E-22) VIC 2C18448. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (6)
VC/NVA WEARING BLACK PJ'S & GREEN UTILITIES MOVED S TO N ON TRAIL.
EN CARRIED (2) RIFLES & MORE (1) HUNTER. TM ENGAGED**CONFIDENTIAL**

- ### D. PLAINED INSERTIONS

- ### PLANNED ATTRACTIONS

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE REGN CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 130001H TC 132400H FEB 69

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SUBJECT: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

CCN: 474

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN - RUMMAHA

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET RE 045 140001H TO 142400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 ARMY UH-1B'S & 1 OV-10 UTILIZED)

- (1) INSERT STEEL REM (3L-21) AT 141630H VIC ZC0827 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) INSERT SCREEN WEST (E-51) AT 141630H VIC ZC0827 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) EXTRACT BIG BENTON "A" (1E-22) AT 141645H VIC Y09655 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) EXTRACT MORE BENTON (E-11) AT 141655H VIC Y09429 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) (LATE ENTRY) 131600H CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC ZC194440. TM FOUND CAVE. CAVE ENTRANCE 3'X3', INSIDE DIA 12" TO 15", 5' HIGH.
- (2) 141045H MORE BENTON (E-11) VIC Y0948288. TM HEARD (10-15) RIFLE SHOTS.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) NIGHT SCHOLAR "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) NIGHT SCHOLAR "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC ZC1814 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

1ST MARDIV 2100/149/670000H (3L-23) VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AIRCRAFT DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

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C, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #46 150001H TO 152400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 ARMY UH-1B'S & 1 OV-10 UTILIZED)

- (1) EXTRACT OFF SPRING (E-21) AT 151200H VIC AT8746 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) INSERT BEECH HUE (1E-23) AT 151412H VIC Z00043 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) INSERT PONY TEAM (E-32) AT 151430H VIC Y00132 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 151105H CRAZY BONE (3E-22) VIC Z0193455. TM OBS (4) VC/NVA WEARING BLACK PJ BOTTOMS & KHAKI TOPS MOVING NE TO SW OVER HILL. BN HAD (1) SKS RIFLE. TM CALLED FIC WITH UNK RESULTS.
- (2) 151130H REPORT CARD (E-51) VIC Z0082256. TM FOUND (1) VC/NVA BASE CAMP CONSISTING OF (10) HOODLES, (20) BUNKERS, & (50) FIGHTING HOLES. AREA AROUND BASE CAMP HAD FRESH TRACKS & FRESHLY TURNED DIRT.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC Z00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) SALUTATION "D" VIC Z01441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) VIC Z01844 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (4) BEECH HUE (1E-23) VIC Z00043 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (5) PONY TEAM (E-32) VIC Z00132 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (6) HUNT CLUB (3E-23) VIC Z00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (7) SPOT L REIN (3E-21) VIC Z00927 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

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D. PLAINTED INSERTIONS

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- ### E. PLAINED EXTRACTIONS

- # STING RAY REPORT

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1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY RNCAP:

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORON RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 150001H TO 152400H FEB 69

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN) CCN 555 SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #47 160001H TO 162400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN IDA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS

NONE

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 160815H CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC ZC193455. TM OBS (3) VC/NVA MOVING NE TO SW OVER RIDGELINE. EN MORE BLACK PJ'S & CARRIED (2) RIFLES.
- (2) 160845H CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC ZC193456. TM OBS (4) VC/NVA MOVING S TO N. EN MORE BLACK PJ'S & CARRIED (2) RIFLES. TM CALLED FM WITH UNK RESULTS.
- (3) 161130H BEECH HUT (1L-23) VIC ZC006436. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (2) VC/NVA WALKING E TO W ON TRAIL. EN MORE TIGER STRIPS & BUSH COVERS & CARRIED (1) RIFLE. RESULTS OF CONTACT UNK.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN
- (2) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN
- (3) CRAZY BONE (3L-22) VIC ZC1844 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN
- (4) BEECH HUT (1L-23) VIC ZC0043 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN
- (5) PONY TRAIL (E-32) VIC YC9934 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

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- (6) MINT CLUB (3L-23) VIC Z00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN
- (7) STEEL RIM (3L-21) VIC Z00926 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN
- (8) REPORT CARD (E-31) VIC Z00824 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) DUBLIN CITY (E-41) AT 120900H "HAVEN" UL Z00531, LR Z00648 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN
- (2) PUPPET SHOW (E-31) AT 120930H "HAVEN" UL Z00524, LR Z00621 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN
- Gen* (3) FLACKY SHOW (1L-21) AT 130100H "HAVEN" UL Z01747, LR ZC2144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN
- (4) TEXAS PETE (1L-22) AT 181030H "HAVEN" UL AT8744, LR AT9041 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BOND (3L-22) AT 170900H "HAVEN" UL ZC1747, LR ZC2144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMEN

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NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP:

COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 160001H TO 152400H FEB 69

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C.P. Finleyson

DRAFTER

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

CCN: 593

SECTION FIRST FORCE REG II CC (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, FIRST PAC, AN NGA, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #48 170001H TO 172000H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN NGA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS

- (1) EXTRACT PONY TROT (F-32) AT 171430H VIC Y0992344 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) INSERT BLANKY SMO (1E-21) AT 171500H VIC Z0183446 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) EXTRACT GRAY BONE (3E-22) AT 171500H VIC Z0183446 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 171015H PONY TROT (F-32) VIC Y0982356. TH OBSR (3) VC/NVA MOVING NW ACROSS RIVER. EN WORE BLACK PJ'S.
- (2) 171100H STEEL RIM (3E-21) VIC Z0082270. TH OBSR (10) VC/NVA WEARING BLACK PJ'S & GREEN UTILITIES WITH (3) HELMETS, (4) PACKS, (3) CARTRIDGE BELTS, (2) SKS RIFLES AND (1) CARBINE. EN WAS SEARCHING AREA AT ABOVE GRID FOR ANY DISCARDED GEAR BY FRIENDLIES.
- (3) 171425H STEEL RIM (3E-21) VIC Z0092279. TH OBSR (1) 20X30 FT HUT. HUT WAS WELL CONSTRUCTED.
- (4) 171515H HUNT CLUB (3E-23) VIC Z0081270. TH OBSR (4) VC/NVA WEARING BLACK PJ'S COLLECTING GEAR.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC Z00930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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- (2) SALTSTADT (P-51) VIC 201441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) BLANKY (P-51) (1E-21) VIC 201044 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (4) BUSH HUB (1E-23) VIC 200043 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (5) HUNT CLUB (3E-23) VIC 200930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (6) SWEET RIM (3E-21) VIC ²⁰¹⁰²⁵ ~~201025~~ IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (7) REPORT CARD (P-51) VIC 200824 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

D. PLANNED INSITUATIONS

- (1) DUBLIN CITY (P-41) AT 180930H "HAVEN" UL 200351, LR 200648 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) PUPPET SHOW (P-51) AT 181000H "HAVEN" UL 200324, LR 200621 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) TEXAS RIVER (P-22) AT 181030H "HAVEN" UL 200744, LR 200941 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

E. PLANNED EXTRACCTIONS

- (1) BUSH HUB (1E-23) AT 181100H "HAVEN" UL 200945, LR 200243 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) ~~HUNT CLUB (3E-23) AT 181130H "HAVEN" UL 200933, LR 201030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON~~ *200*
- (3) SWEET RIM (3E-21) AT 181200H "HAVEN" UL 200928, LR 201125 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (4) REPORT CARD (P-51) AT 181230H "HAVEN" UL 200626, LR 200924 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

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NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STEIN RAY RECAP:

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 170001H **CONFIDENTIAL**

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAL DIV, CIN LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST MAG, AN HOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET REF #29 160001H TO 162400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS

- (1) INSERT PUPPET SHOW (E-31) AT 161022H VIC ZC054223 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) EXTRACT REPORT CARD (E-31) AT 161027H VIC ZC079243 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) EXTRACT BUDGET NOT (1E-23) AT 161620H VIC ZC002434 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (4) EXTRACT BUDGET RIN (1E-21) AT 161745H VIC ZC100253 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (5) INSERT TEXAS PINE (1E-22) AT 160300H VIC ZC073436 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 160400H TEXAS PINE (1E-22) VIC ZC073447. TE HEARD MOVEMENT OF APPROX (2) VC/HVA AT UNO THEIR PCS.
- (2) 161236H DUBLIN CITY (E-41) VIC ZC057495. TE OBSERVED 3/A & A/V FIRE WHEN THEY WERE TRYING TO BE INSERTED. GUNSHIPS UTILIZED IN AREA AFTER CH-46D LIFTED OUT ZONE.
- (3) 161340H FLAKY SHOW (1E-21) VIC ZC194455. TE OBSR (3) VC WEARING GREEN UTILITIES & SHORTS (2) EN CARRIED RIFLES. (1) EN IN BUNKER & (2) IN TREE LINE. TE CALLED EN WITH NEG RESULTS.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) FLAKY SHOW (1E-21) VIC ZC1846 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

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- (4) HUNT CLUB (3L-23) VIC 200930 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) TEXAS PINE (1E-22) VIC A23743 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) PUPPET SHOW (E-31) VIC 200523 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) HAY FLY (E-11) AT 190930H "HAVEN" UL 200833, LR 201030 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) DUBLIN CITY (E-41) AT 190900H "HAVEN" UL 200351, LR 200648 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) PONY TEAM (E-32) AT 200900H "HAVEN" UL 201731, LR 202030 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) OFF SPRING (E-21) AT 200930H "HAVEN" UL 20¹⁵⁴⁹30, LR 201846 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

- (1) HUNT CLUB (3L-23) AT 190930H "HAVEN" UL 200833, LR 201030 IN SUP CP TAYLOR COMMON

STEVE RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE REGION CO (REIN) DAILY STEVE RAY RECAP:

COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE REGION CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 180001H TO 182400H FEB 69

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AMERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

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CO, FIRST FAG, AN HOA, RVN

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CO, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CO, 5RD BN 5TH MAR

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET REP #50 190001H TO 192400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) INSERT MAY FLY (R-11) AT 190956H VIC ZC095302 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) EXTRACT HUNT GROUND (R-23) AT 190957H VIC ZC095302 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) INSERT DUBLIN CITY (R-41) AT 191030H VIC ZC055495 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 191405H MAY FLY (R-11) VIC ZC091310. TM HEARD HIGH PITCH & BUZZING SOUND. BELIEVED TO BE RADIO EQUIPMENT. TM WILL INVESTIGATE.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) FLAKY SNOW (1E-21) VIC ZC1944 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) TEXAS PETS (1E-22) VIC AT8842 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) DUBLIN CITY (R-41) VIC ZC0550 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) MAY FLY (R-11) VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (7) PUPPET SHOW (R-31) VIC ZC0423 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) PONY TRAIN (R-32) AT 200930H "HAYST" UL ZC1111, IN ZC2028 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(2) OFF SPRING (P-21) AT 201000H "HAVEN" UL ZC1549, IR ZC1846 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COTTON

(3) CRAZY BONT (3D-22) AT 210930H "HAVEN" UL YC9738, IR ZC0035 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COTTON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

(1) FLAKY SHOW (1D-21) AT 201030H "HAVEN" UL ZC1747, IR ZC2144 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COTTON

STING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP:

COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 190001H TO 192400H FEB 69

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ACTION: 1. FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CO, FIRST PAC, AN HOA, RVN

CO, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CO, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CC (REIN) SET REF #51 200001H TO 202400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-94

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE OH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) EXTRACT OFF PLAZKEY SLOW (E-21) AT 200900H VIC ZC197445 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (2) INSERT OFF SPRING (E-1) AT 200930H VIC ZC153477 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (3) INSERT PONY TEAM (E-34) AT 201130H VIC ZC176301 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (4) EXTRACT PONY TEAM (E-31) AT 201410H VIC ZC176301 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON
- (5) EXTRACT OFF SPRING (E-11) AT 201520H VIC ZC155474 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMBON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 201205H OFF SPRING (E-21) VIC ZC154483. TM OBER (2) VC/NVA WEARING SANDALS AND TAN SHIRTS AND SHORTS WITH (1) AK-47 AND PACKS. TM OPENED FIRE RESULTING IN (1) VC/NVA KIA. TM RECOVERED (1) AK-47, (2) PACKS & (1) BAG OF RICE.
- (2) 201210H OFF SPRING (E-21) VIC ZC154483. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (4) VC/NVA MOVING E ON TRAIL WEARING GREEN UTILITIES HELMETS & BOOTS WITH WEB GEAR AND AK-47'S. RESULTS (1) VC/NVA KIA. NO USMC CASUALTIES.
- (3) 201210H PONY TEAM (E-32) VIC ZC177296. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (5) VC/NVA WEARING BLACK PJ'S MOVING ON TRAIL. TM CARRIED AK-47'S AND PACKS. RESULTS (1) VC/NVA KIA.
- (4) 201225H PONY TEAM (E-32) VIC ZC177296. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (7) VC/NVA CARRYING AK-47'S AND WEARING GREEN UTILITIES. RESULTS (1) VC/NVA KIA.

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- (5) 201230H PONY TEAM (F-32) VIC ZC177296. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (3) VC/NVA. TM WORE GREEN UTILITIES AND CARRIED AK-47'S RESULTS (1) VC/NVA KIA.
- (6) 201245H PONY TEAM (F-32) VIC ZC177296. TM TOOK (4) VC/NVA UNDER AUTO WEPS AND M-79 FIRE. TM WORE GREEN UTILITIES & CARRIED (3) AK-47'S & (1) SKS RIFLE. RESULTS (1) VC/NVA KIA PROB.
- (7) 201245H DUBLIN CITY (F-41) VIC ZC059487. TM HEARD GRENADE EXPLOSIONS AT ABOVE GRID. BELIEVED TO BE NEARLY PROBE OF AREA WHERE TM MED-EVACED (1) USMC NSC EARLIER.
- (8) 201300H PONY TEAM (F-32) VIC ZC177296. TM FIRED ON (1) VC/NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES AND CARRYING (1) AK-47. RESULTS (1) VC/NVA KIA PROB.
- (9) 201350H PONY TEAM (F-32) VIC ZC177296. TM FIRED ON (3) VC/NVA WEARING BLACK PJ'S & CARRYING AK-47'S. TM UTILIZED MARINE GUNSHIPS & FIRED WING AND WAS EXTRACTED.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (2) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (3) TEXAS PETE (1E-22) VIC AT8841 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (4) DUBLIN CITY (F-41) VIC ZC0549 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (5) MAY FLY (F-11) VIC ZC0932 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (6) PUPPET SHOW (F-31) VIC ZC0422 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 210930H "HAVEN" UL ZC1772, IR ZC0935 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (2) STEEL RIM (3E-21) AT 220930H "HAVEN" UL ZC1239, IR ZC1536 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (3) REPORT CARD (F-51) AT 221000H "HAVEN" UL ZC0946, IR ZC1243 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON

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E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

(2) PUPPET SHOW (F-51) AT 211030H "HAVEN" UL 200524, LR 200621 IN 102 02
TAYLOR COMMON

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (HEAR AREA) 200001H (1) 202400H FEB 69

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AERICAL DIV, CITU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST FAG, AN HOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CG, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP 052 210001H TO 212400H FEB 69 (1)

1. (C) AN HOA-14

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 MARINES CH-46D'S & 2 MARINES UH-1H'S UTILIZED)

- (1) EXTRACT TEXAS PTFE (1E-22) AT 211355H VIC AN084424 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) EXTRACT PUPPET SHOW (E-31) AT 211412H VIC Z0047290 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 211400H MAY FLY (E-11) VIC Z0090311. TM MADE CONTACT WITH (2) TO (3) VC/ NVA WEARING GREEN UTILITIES & GREEN BUSH COVERS MOVING SE ON TRAIL. EN CARRIED (2) AL-47'S & WEB GEAR. TM FIRED ON EN WITH UNK RESULTS.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "A" VIC Z00931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) SALUTATION "D" VIC Z01441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) MAY FLY (E-11) VIC Z00931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) DUBLIN CITY (E-41) VIC Z00549 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 220930H "HAVEN" UL Y09736, IN Z00035 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) SPECTA RIM (3E-21) AT 221000H "HAVEN" UL Z01239, IN Z01236 IN SUP OF

TAYLOR COMMON

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- (3) SUPPORT CARD (E-51) AT 221030H "HAVEN" UL 200946, IR 201047 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) FOXE TANK (E-52) AT 221100H "HAVEN" UL 200833, IR 201030 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMMON
- (5) OWE SPRING (E-21) AT 221130H "HAVEN" UL 201551, IR 201848 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMMON
- (6) HUNT CLUB (E-23) AT 220930H "HAVEN" UL 201530, IR 201827 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMMON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

- (1) DUBLIN CITY (E-41) AT 221200H "HAVEN" UL 200351, IR 200648 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) MAY FLY (E-41) AT 221230H "HAVEN" UL 200833, IR 201030 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMMON

SPRING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE REGON CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY RECAP:

CONTINGENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE REGON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 210001H TO 212400H FEB 69

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FROM: TF YANKIE

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAP, DANANG, RVN

CG, AERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST MAG, AN HOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CG, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET REP #33 220001H TO 222400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE OH-46D'S & 1 MARINE UH-1G UTILIZED)

(1) EXTRACT DUBLIN CITY (F-41) AT 221752H VIC ZC055503 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

(1) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

(2) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

(3) MAY FLY (F-41) VIC ZC0931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

(1) CRAZY BONE (SE-22) AT 230930H "HAVEN" UL Y09738, LR ZC0035 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

(2) STEEL RIM (SE-21) AT 231000H "HAVEN" UL ZC1233, LR ZC1536 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

(3) REPORT CARD (F-31) AT 231030H "HAVEN" UL ZC0847, LR ZC1144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

(4) PONY TEAM (F-32) AT 231100H "HAVEN" UL ZC0833, LR ZC1030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CORN

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(5) OFF SPRING (E-28) AT 231130H "HAVEN" UL 201551, IR 201848 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMCON

(6) HUNT CLUB (SE-23) AT 231200H "HAVEN" UL 201550, IR 201827 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMCON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIENS

(1) MAY FLY (E-11) AT 231250H "HAVEN" UL 200833, IR 201070 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMCON

SPRING RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY RECAP:

COMMENTS 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (REAR AREA) 220001H TO 222400H FEB 69

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

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CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AERICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

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CC, FIRST FAG, AN IDA, RVN

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CO, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CO, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET REP #3 230001H TO 230400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN IDA-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS

NONE

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

(1) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(2) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(3) MAY FLY (F-11) VIC ZC0931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

(1) CRAZY BONE (SE-22) AT 240930H "HAVEN" UL Y09738, LR ZC0035 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(2) STEEL RIM (SE-21) AT 241000H "HAVEN" UL ZC1239, LR ZC1536 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(3) REPORT CARD (E-51) AT 241030H "HAVEN" UL ZC0847, LR ZC1144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

(4) PONY TEAM (E-32) AT 241100H "HAVEN" UL ZC0835, LR ZC1030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

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~~(5) - CTF SPAIN (7-21) AT 241400H "HAVEN" UL 201551, LR 201640 IN SUP OF~~

TAYLOR COMCON

(5) INST COND (5-23) AT 241200H "HAVEN" UL 201530, LR 201627 IN SUP OF

TAYLOR COMCON

E. PLANNED EXTRICATIONS

(1) MAY FLY (U-11) AT 241230H "HAVEN" UL 200833, LR 201030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR

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NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY SPRING RAY RECAP:

COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (FAM AREA) 230001H TO 232400H FEB 69
 230630H 1ST FORCE RECON CO VIC AR872473. CO AREA RECEIVED (2) 82 ^{mm} RNDs
 FROM URK EW LOCATION. RESULTS: SUPERFICIAL DAMAGE TO (1) USMC TRAILER AND
 CO AMMORY. NEG USMC CASUALTIES.

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAN DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST TAG, AN HOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CG, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP 453 240001H TO 242400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN F-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS

NONE

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

(1) SALUTATION "A" VIC 200931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(2) SALUTATION "D" VIC 201441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) MAY FLY (F-11) VIC 200931 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

(1) CRAZY BONE (3L-22) AT 250930H "HAVEN" UL Y09730, IR 200033 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(2) STEEL RIM (3L-21) AT 251000H "HAVEN" UL 201239, IR 201536 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) REPORT CARD (F-51) AT 251030H "HAVEN" UL 200847, IR 201144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

(4) PONY TEAM (F-52) AT 251100H "HAVEN" UL 200833, IR 201030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(S) AT 231100H "HAVEN" UL ZC1500 IR ZC1827 IN SUP OF

TAYLOR COMMON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

(1) MAY FLY (F-4) AT 231200H "HAVEN" UL ZC0833, IR ZC1030 IN SUP OF TAYLOR

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NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP: COMMENCE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (0) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (FJD AREA) 240001H TO 242400H FEB 69

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMTRICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST FAG, AN HOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CG, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CG (REIN) SET REF 256 250001H TO 252400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) INSERT PONY TEAM (E-32) AT 250920H VIC ZC091310 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) EXTRACT MAY FLY (E-11) AT 250920H VIC ZC091310 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) INSERT STEEL RIM (3E-21) AT 251549H VIC ZC135337 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 251110H REPORT CARD (E-51) VIC ZC087433. INSERTION CH-46D TOOK S/ FIRE FROM 2 TO 4 VC/NVA. EN WAS OBSR FIRING FROM BUNKERS. EN WORE GRAY SHIRTS AND HAD AK-47'S. MARINE GUNSHIPS WERE UTILIZED AFTER ABORTED INSERT. RESULTS UNK.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) STEEL RIM (3E-21) VIC ZC1336 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) PONY TEAM (E-32) VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BONE (3E-22) AT 260930H "HAVEN" UL Y09738, IN ZC0035 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(2) REPORT CARD (E-51) AT 881000H "HAVEN" UL ZC0847, LR ZC1144 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COMMON

(3) HUNT CLUB (SE-23) AT 881030H "HAVEN" UL ZC1530, LR ZC1827 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COMMON

(4) TRAILER PARK (E-61) AT 881100H "HAVEN" UL Y09647, LR Y09944 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COMMON

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FIRST FORCE RECON CO (RTN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP:

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE REGON CO (REIN) (FWD AREA) 250001H TO 252400H FEB 69
251632H 1ST FORCE REGON CO VIC AT872073. CO AREA RECEIVED (4) 122MM ROCKETS
RND5 FROM UNK EN LOCATION. RESULTS (1) UGEC VIA MINOR.

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FROM: YANKER

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)
 INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN
 CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN
 CG, AMTRICAL DIV, CHU LAI, RVN
 CO, FIRST TAG, AN IDA, RVN
 CO, FIRST REGN BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN
 CO, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION FIRST FORCE REGN CO (REIN) SIT REP #57 260001H TO 262400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN IDA-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS

NONE

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) STEEL RIM (3L-21) VIC ZC1437 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) PONY TEAM (E-32) VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BONE (3L-22) AT 270930H "HAVEN" UL Y09738, LR ZC0035 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (2) OFF SPRING (E-21) AT 271030H "HAVEN" UL ZC1637, LR ZC1934 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (3) REPORT CARD (E-51) AT 271100H "HAVEN" UL ZC0847, LR ZC1144 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON
- (4) BONE CLUE (3L-23) AT 271130H "HAVEN" UL ZC1530, LR ZC1827 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COTTON

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(5) TRAILER PARK (P-61) AT 271200H "HAVEN" UL Y09647, LR Y09944 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMION

(6) PUPPET SHOW (L-31) AT 280930H "HAVEN" UL Z00540, LR Z00837 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMION

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

NONE

STING RAY REPORT

NONE

FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP:

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TERMINATE 0

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2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (FWD AREA) 260001H TO 262100H FEB 69

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FROM: TS YAKEN

ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAF, DANANG, RVN

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CG, AIRCAL DIV, CUE LAI, RVN

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CG, FIRST MAG, AN KHA, RVN

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CG, FIRST REGON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SET RTZ #38 270000H TO 272400H FEB 69 (C)

(C) AN HCA-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTATIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE OH-10'S UTILIZED)

- (1) INSERT ONE SPUR (2-21) AT 271458H VIC ZC163365 IN SUP OF TAYLOR
COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

- (1) 271000H SIGHTED RIN (2-21) VIC ZC143579. TM HEARD NUMEROUS EN VOICES
IN OR NEAR RIVER AT ABOVE GRID.
- (2) 271200H SIGHTED RIN (2-21) VIC ZC143573. TM FOUND ONE TRAIL. TRAIL
APPROX (2) METERS WIDE AND FOLLOWS RIVER.
- (3) 271315H PONY TEAM (2-32) VIC ZC091301. TM OBSR 3 VC/NVA WEARING
BLACK & BROWN TOPS WITH (2) STRAW HATS & (1) UTILITY COVER. TM
ONLY ABLE TO OBSR EN FROM WAIST UP.
- (4) 271545H SIGHTED RIN (2-21) VIC ZC143572. TM OBSR 3 VC/NVA MOVING
N ON TRAIL. EN JOINED OTHERS, REMAINED IN AREA FOR SHORT PERIOD
OF TIME THEN MOVED OUT OF AREA.
- (5) 271415H PONY TEAM (2-32) VIC ZC091301. TM OBSR 3 VC/NVA MOVING S
ON TRAIL. EN WORE BLACK & BROWN TOPS, (2) STRAW HATS, & (1) UTILITY COVER.

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AND RECOVERED (1) INCENDING GRENADE. TEN THIRTY THREE (1) GRENADE.
 TEN MOVED DOWN TO CHECK OUT TRAIL FOUND NEG RESULTS. RESULTS OF
 CONTACT (2) USING VIA MINOR, UNKNOWN CASUALTIES.

- (6) 274545H OFF SPRING (E-21) VIC 20169361. HE HEARD APPROX (10)
 VC/NVA MOVING & MOVING ALONG TRAIL. HE CALLED HE UNABLE TO OBSER
 RESULTS DUE TO CAMO. HE UTILIZED APPROX 2 SCOUT DOGS.
- (7) 274500H WOODCHAMP GARD (E-51) VIC 20094467. INSERT CH-46 RECEIVED
 GROUND FIRE FROM APPROX (10) TO (15) VC/NVA. HE HAD AK-47'S &
 POSSIBLY (1) 50 CAL MG. HE WAS OBSER FIRING FROM BUNKERS. INSERT
 HELICOPTER TOOK HIT RESULTING IN (6) USING VIA (3) EVACUATED (3)
 MINOR. GUNNERS UTILIZED IN AREA AFTER CH-46 LIFTED OUT OF ZONE.
 RESULTS UNKNOWN.
- (8) 274645H OFF SPRING (E-21) VIC 20165365. HE OBSER (16) VC/NVA WEAR-
 ING GREEN UTILITIES & WERE BEAR CARRYING AK-47'S & SRS RIFLES. HE
 CALLED IN ON HIS POSITIONS. UNABLE TO OBSER RESULTS.

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) SITUATION "D" VIC 201449 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (2) SITUATION "A" VIC 200930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (3) POINT TEAM (E-32) VIC 200930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (4) SHELTER RUN (E-21) VIC 201436 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (5) OFF SPRING (E-21) VIC 201636 IN SUP OF TAYLOR CANYON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BOMB (E-22) AT 280930H "HAYEN" UL 209778, LR 200035 IN SUP
 OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (2) BOMB BOMB (E-23) AT 281000H "HAYEN" UL 201530, LR 201827 IN SUP
 OF TAYLOR CANYON
- (3) TRAILER PARK (E-51) AT 281030H "HAYEN" UL 209647, LR 209944 IN SUP
 OF TAYLOR CANYON

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E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

(1) STEEL RIM (SE-21) AT 281130H "HAYDEN" UL 201536Z 201536 IN SUP

OF TAYLOR COLONY

STEEL RAY REPORT

NONE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STEEL RAY RECAP:

CONTINUED 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (FED AREA) 270001H TO 272400H FEB 69

NONE

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ACTION: CG, FIRST MAR DIV (REIN)

SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN)

INFO: CG, FIRST MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, III MAR, DANANG, RVN

CG, AMERICAN DIV, CHU LAI, RVN

CG, FIRST PAC, AN HOA, RVN

CG, FIRST RECON BN (REIN), DANANG, RVN

CG, 3RD BN 5TH MAR

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SECTION FIRST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) SIT REP #59 200001H TO 202400H FEB 69 (C)

1. (C) AN HOA-11

A. INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 MARINE CH-46D'S & 2 MARINE UH-1G'S UTILIZED)

- (1) EXTRACT OFF SPRING (F-21) AT 201020H VIC ZC163265 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) EXTRACT STEEL RAIL (SE-21) AT 201030H VIC ZC133363 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) INSERT HUNT CLUB (SE-23) AT 201230H VIC ZC164289 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

B. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

NONE

C. PATROL LOCATIONS

- (1) PONY TEAM (F-32) VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) HUNT CLUB (SE-23) VIC ZC1628 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (3) SALUTATION "A" VIC ZC0930 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (4) SALUTATION "D" VIC ZC1441 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

D. PLANNED INSERTIONS

- (1) CRAZY BONE (SE-22) AT 010930H "HAVEN" UL YC9738, LR ZC0635 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON
- (2) TRAILER PARK (F-61) AT 011020H "HAVEN" UL YC9647, LR YC9944 IN SUP OF TAYLOR COMMON

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(3) PUPPET SHOW (P-31) AT 01030H "HAVEN" UL 200540, IR 200037 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMBON

(4) DUBLIN CITY (P-41) AT 011100H "HAVEN" UL 200833, IR 201030 IN SUP
OF TAYLOR COMBON

E. PLANNED EXTRACTIONS

(1) PONY TEAM (P-32) AT 011100H "HAVEN" UL 200833, IR 201030 IN SUP OF
TAYLOR COMBON

STING RAY REPORT

NOTE

1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) DAILY STING RAY RECAP:

CONTINUE 0

TERMINATE 0

CONTINUE 0

2. (C) ACTIVITIES 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REIN) (FED AREA) 280001H TO 282400H FEB 69
(LATE ENTRY) 271905H RECEIVED 2 RDS 62MM RECOILLESS RIFLE FIRE. CALLED ARTILLERY
ON VIC 2086184448 WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE. RESULTS UNK.

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