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 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
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27 January 1966

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1ST MARINES SAC CONTROL BN

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From: Commanding Officer
 To: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF

1ST MARINES SITREP 07 as of 27 January 1966

Enclosure: (1) 1st Battalion, 4th Marines SITREP as of 27 January 1966
 (2) Consolidated Operations Summary
 (3) Overlay of CP locations, original only

1. ATTACHMENTS.

4. Co A (-) (Rein), 1st Advanc Bn. One LVTEL and ten LVTP5's are in direct support of 1/4. Two LVTP5's are in direct support of 2/4. Thirteen LVTP5's, One LVTEL and One LVT command tractor are in direct support of Task Force Delta. Battalion LVT's are deadlined to Company Maintenance.

5. Co B (-) (Rein), 2d Adv Bn. Company Headquarters continues maintenance and logistical support of the Onos platoons in direct support of one infantry battalion. One defensive position in the Headquarters, 4th Marines perimeter was manned from 261830H to 270630H with no enemy contact. The 1st Platoon is in direct support of the 1st Battalion, 4th Marines with the light section in the Battalion CP and the heavy section is located in the Company A area. The 2d platoon continues in direct support of the 1st Battalion, 4th Marines and is located at HILL 69. No enemy contact during the last twenty four hours. Deadlined equipment included two M35's, one M49 and one M422.

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c. Co A (-) (Bn), 1st Tank Bn. Company Headquarters continues logistical support of the two tank platoons. The 2d platoon is in direct support of 1/4 at Hill 69. At 0200 twelve rounds of small arms fire was received from the vicinity of MF 455078 at present positions. No fire was returned due to friendly troops in the immediate area. The 3rd platoon is in direct support of 1/4. A light section moves from normal daytime positions at MF 527089 to nighttime positions at MF 526106. No enemy contact during the last twenty four hours. Deadlined equipment included one M3GA1.

d. Co A (-) (Bn), 1st Engr Bn.

- (1) Completed strongbacks for 2/4, one hundred % complete.
- (2) Constructed two heads for 1st Marines.

WATER DISTRIBUTION

Potable	13,670 gallons
Raw	11,000 gallons
Total	23,670 gallons

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By direction

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1ST BN, 4TH MARINES SITREP NUMBER 266 AS OF 271600H JANUARY 1966

1. Unit Action With Contact.

a. At 270210H, a Company D squad ambush at (BT 459072) received four incoming sniper rounds from (BT 461078). No rounds were returned due to the distance and uncertainty as to the exact location of origin of the sniper.

b. At 270220H, a Company B reinforced squad outpost located at (BT 458143) was attacked by approximately 20 to 30 VC. The VC initiated the attack with 4-5 60mm mortar rounds and A/W (suspected .50 Cal MG) fire from (BT 457147), immediately followed by approximately five grenades thrown into the squad CP position killing the squad leader and radio man immediately. The VC then threw grenades and fired S/A's at the machine gun and 3.5 rocket launcher positions. After the initial grenade and S/A attack, the remaining two fire teams regrouped and set up a hasty defense at (BT 458142) and returned fire. The attack came from a southerly direction and was the opposite direction from which the outpost was orientated. A significant point is that the VC knew exactly where the squad CP and machine gun were located. An additional point, the raiding party covered an area of more than 200 meters that was well covered with trip flares, no flares were tripped. The weapons and equipment lost by the squad outpost were two .45 caliber pistols, one M-79 and 17 rounds of ammo, one M-14 rifle, one 3.5 inch rocket launcher, and one PRC/6 radio. There were five friendly killed in action. The squad outpost observed approximately six to ten VC being carried away in a southerly direction toward (BT 460135).

c. At 270900H, a Company A squad patrol located at (BT 443056) received one sniper round from an undetermined origin. The enemy was not observed and no fire was returned. At 270915H, the patrol discovered one booby trapped grenade at (BT 445057). The booby trap was disarmed with no casualties. Numerous propaganda signs were observed in the area of (BT 455055). One sign translated to read "We will try again to defeat American Imperialism."

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for J. A. SCHUMACHER
Capt USMC
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PLANS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: BN REGT TAOR
 PERIOD: 1001Z TO 1000Z

DATE

TYPE	ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY/NIGHT	SQUAD DAY/NIGHT	PLATOON DAY/NIGHT	COMPANY*I DAY/NIGHT	BATTALION*I DAY/NIGHT
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)		A B				
LISTENING POST (LP)		C D				
AMBUSH (AMB)		E F <i>??</i>	G H <i>5 7</i>	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)		K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)		Q R <i>9 13</i>	S T	U V <i>1</i>		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)				W X <i>(COMBAT PATROL)</i> Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)			EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

REMARKS:

#1 All Company and Battalion size operations will be reported and will be classified as either CLR or CLR as is most appropriate

CONTACT ACTION REPORT
FOR PERIOD

ORGANIZATION 1001Z TO 1000Z DATE 27 Jan 1966

+ USE TYPE ACTION ABBREVIATIONS SHOWN ON BOX SCORE FORM.
USE REMARKS SECTION FOR ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION OF CAPTURED MATERIAL IF NECESSARY

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ORGANIZATION: BN REGT TAOR
 PERIOD: 1001Z TO 1000Z

Jan 1966

DATE

TYPE	ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY/NIGHT	SQUAD DAY/NIGHT	PLATOON DAY/NIGHT	COMPANY* ¹ DAY/NIGHT	BATTALION* ¹ DAY/NIGHT
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)		A B				
LISTENING POST (LP)		C D				
AMBUSH (AMB)		E F	G H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)		K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)		G R	S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)			W X (COMBAT PATROL)	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL	

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1ST BN, 4TH MARINES (3) (REIN)
CHU LAI, VIETNAM
271200H JANUARY 1966

A hand-drawn map of the Kauai coastline, oriented vertically. The map shows the northern and western parts of the island with various coastal features and landmarks. A thick line represents a patrol route, starting from the bottom right and moving generally northward. The route is marked with several labels and numbers:

- KAHOOHINE** (top right)
- KAHUKU** (middle right)
- WAIKANE** (center right)
- KAPAA** (bottom right)
- B-3** (bottom right)
- MONOKEA** (center)
- WAIKANE** (center)
- B-38** (bottom left)
- KAPAA** (bottom left)
- B-3** (bottom left)
- WAIKANE** (left side)
- SEALION** (center left)
- KAHEOHE** (top left)
- 517 REPO #7, 27 Jan** (top left)
- 1st Marine** (top left)
- IGHT PATROLS FOR** (middle left)
- 19 JANUARY 1966** (bottom left)

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A hand-drawn map of a coastline, possibly a lake or river, with irregular, winding lines representing the shore. The word "FALL" is written vertically along the upper portion of the map, and the word "CARLING" is written vertically along the lower portion. There are several small arrows pointing towards the center of the map from the coastline.

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NIGHT PATROLS FOR 29 JANUARY 1966

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>POD/POR</u>	<u>LAYOVER/AMBUSH</u>
A	FT	A-1	300430H	300600H	527110	
A	FT	A-2	300130H	300430H	527110	
A	FT	A-3	300230H	300530H	529107	0300-0500
A	FT	2,3,7,8	292015H	300130H	527110	2045-0100
A	FT	4,5,10	292015H	300130H	529107	2045-0100
B	SQD	B-2B	292200H	292400H	477144	
B	SQD	B-3B	292100H	300100H	510129	
B	SQD	B-3C	292400H	300600H	510129	
C	FT	WHEEL-1	291900H	292130H	525089	
C	FT	WHEEL-2	292200H	292400H	525089	
C	FT	KILL 1-8	292015H	300130H	525089	2045-0100
D	SQD	VAT-69	292030H	300030H	487102	2130-2330
D	SQD	JIM BEAM	300100H	300530H	487102	0200-0400
H&S	FT	SEA LION	291900H	300700H	524091	
H&S	SQD	POPPA FOXTROT	291800H	300600H	524091	0300-0500

COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. 3D PLAT, CO A, 1ST AMTRAC BN. PROVIDE TWO COXSWAINS FOR THE WATERBORNE PATROL TO ENFORCE CURFEW FROM 2000-0500.
2. H&S COMPANY. PROVIDE FOUR MARINES AND ONE RADIO OPERATOR FOR COORDINATED USMC/PF AMBUSH. PROVIDE FOUR MARINES AND ONE RADIO OPERATOR FOR THE WATERBORNE PATROL. REPORT TO SPLASH POINT BY 1930H.
3. COMPANY B.
 - A. KAHUKU (BT 477144) IS A PATROL BASE MANNED 24 HOURS A DAY BY ONE PLATOON (REIN) WITH ONE MACHINE GUN SQUAD (.50 CAL), AND A SECTION OF 81MM MORTARS.
 - B. KAHOOLAWA IS AN OUTPOST (BT 459144) MANNED 24 HOURS A DAY BY A SQUAD (REIN) WITH ONE SQUAD M-60 MACHINE GUN, AND ONE SECTION 3.5 ROCKETS.
 - C. B-3C IS A NINE MAN PATROL. A THREE MAN LISTENING POST WILL BE PLACED IN POSITIONS AT PALI, MOLOKAI, WAIKANE. THESE LP'S WILL RETURN BY SEPERATE ROUTES.
4. THERE WILL BE NO DEVIATION FROM SCHEDULED PATROL ROUTES WITHOUT PRIOR NOTIFICATION AND APPROVAL OF THE BATTALION S-3.

CONTINUED NIGHT PATROLS FOR 29 JANUARY 1966

A	FT	RED	292200H	292200H
D	SQD	A 1	291900H	300600H
D	SQD	A 2	291900H	300600H
D	SQD	A 3	291900H	300600H
D	SQD	X 1	291900H	300600H
D	SQD	X 2	291900H	300600H
D	SQD	X 3	291900H	300600H

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DAY PATROLS FOR 29 JANUARY 1966

UNIT	SIZE	NAME	TOD	TOR	POD/POR	LAYVOER/AMBUSH
A	FT	GREEN-4	291300H	291600H	528110	
A	FT	WHITE-3	290900H	291100H	529105	
B	SQD	B-2A	290800H	291000H	467144	
B	SQD	B-3A	290900H	291300H	510129	
C	FT	RAMBLER-1	290800H	291030H	525089	
C	FT	RAMBLER-2	291300H	291530H	525089	
C	FT	RAMBLER-3	291400H	291600H	525089	
D	SQD	FALL CITY	290830H	291130H	487102	
D	SQD	LONE STAR	291200H	291430H	487102	
D	SQD	CARLING	291500H	291700H	487102	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-1	290630H	290930H	524119	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-2	291200H	291600H	524119	
MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-3	291230H	291530H	524119	
A	FT	ORANGE #1	290430H	291100H		
A	FT	ORANGE #2	291500H	291530H		
A	FT	ORANGE #3	291400H	291630H		
A	FT	RED	291500H	291700H		
D	FT	D-23	290700H	291530H		
D	FT	D-1	290700H	291430H		

290900H to 291300H

HO69002	HO69262	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69264	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69267	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69268	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69269	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69270	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69273	6 187	12	V
HO69004	HO69276	6 187	12	V

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B	SQD	A 1	291900H	300300H
B	SQD	A 2	291900H	300300H
B	SQD	A 3	291900H	300300H
B	SQD	X 1	291900H	300300H
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MAG-36	SQD	ZULU-3	291230H	291530H	524119	
A	FT	CRAYON #1	291300H	291600H		
A	FT	CRAYON #2	291300H	291600H		
A	FT	CRAYON #3	291300H	291600H		
A	FT	RED	291300H	291600H		
A	FT	RED	291300H	291600H		
A	FT	RED	291300H	291600H		

HO69001	HO69002	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69003	HO69004	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69005	HO69006	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69007	HO69008	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69009	HO69010	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69011	HO69012	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69013	HO69014	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69015	HO69016	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69017	HO69018	6 "C" V	M	T
HO69019	HO69020	6 "C" V	M	T

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: BN. REGT TAOR
 PERIOD: 1001Z TO 1000Z

DATE

TYPE	ACTION	FIRE TEAM DAY/NIGHT	SQUAD DAY/NIGHT	PLATOON DAY/NIGHT	COMPANY#1 DAY/NIGHT	BATTALION#1 DAY/NIGHT
SCOUT SNIPER (SS)		A B				
LISTENING POST (LP)		C D				
AMBUSH (AMB)		E F	G H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)		K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)		G R	S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)			W X (COMBAT PATROL)	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)			EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

REMARKS:

- ① Battledoor or Ambush
- ② Ambush or Combat Patrol

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INFO SOURCE (a)

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D.A. PATROLS FOR 27 JANUARY 1966

UNIT	SIZE	NAME	ZOD	ZOR	ZOD/ZOR	LAYOVER/AMBUSH
A	PT	WHITE 3	270900H	271100H	525105	
A	PT	GREEN 2	271300H	271600H	526110	
B	SQD	B-1A	270900H	271100H	477144	
B	SQD	B-2A	270800H	271300H	510129	
C	PT	RAMBLER 1	270800H	271100H	525089	
C	PT	RAMBLER 2	271300H	271600H	525089	
D	SQD	SCHLITZ	270900H	271100H	487102	
D	SQD	BUD	271600H	271800H	487102	
D	SQD	MILLERS	271800H	271200H	487102	
D	SQD	COONS	271200H	271400H	487102	
M	36	ZULU 1	270730H	271130H	524119	
M	36	ZULU 2	271200H	271400H	524119	
MAG	36	ZULU 3	271300H	271600H	524119	
A	PT	ORANGE 1	270800H	271100H		
A	PT	ORANGE 2	271300H	271500H		
A	PT	ORANGE 3	271400H	271630H		
A	PT	BLUES	271100H	271300H		
D	PLT	B-1A	271000H	271400H		
D	PLT	A-1	270700H	271400H		

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PT	A-1	280230H	280530H	527110	0300-0500	
PT	A-2	272030H	272400H	527110	2100-2330	
PT	A-3	272330H	280230H	529107	2400-0200	
PT	A-4	271930H	272200H	527110		
PT	A-5	280400H	280630H	527110		
SQD	B-1B	272300H	280100H	477144		
SQD	B-2B	272400H	280500H	510129		
SQD	B-2C	272100H	280300H	510129		
PT	WHEEL 1	271900H	272200H	525089		
PT	WHEEL 2	272230H	280100H	525089		
PT	WHEEL 3	280100H	280400H	525089		
PT	KILL 1	272100H	280100H	525089	AMBUSH	
PT	KILL 2	272200H	280200H	525089	AMBUSH	
PT	KILL 3	272300H	280300H	525089	AMBUSH	
PT	KILL 4	272300H	280500H	525089	AMBUSH	
PT	KILL 5	271900H	272300H	525089	AMBUSH	
PT	KILL 6	272000H	272400H	525089	AMBUSH	
SQD	GLW	272400H	280400H	487102	0100-0230	
SQD	HUM	272200H	280200H	487102	2300-0030	
SQD	MP	272000H	272400H	487102	2100-2230	
SQD	VOIKA	280200H	280600H	487102	0300-0430	
HSB	SQD	POPPA FOXTROT	271800H	280600H	524091	2200-2400
HSB	PT	SEALION	271900H	280700H	524091	
A	PT	RED	272400H	280200H		
A	PT	B	272300H	280500H		
A	PT	B	272300H	280500H		

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TYPE	SIZE	NAME	ZOR	ZOR	ZOR/ZOR	LAUNCHER/AMMO/SH
L	SQD		271900H	280600H		
D	SQD	#3	271900H	280600H		
A	PT	A.B. #1	272000H	280630H		
A	PT	A.B. #2	272000H	280630H		
A	PT	A.B. #3	272000H	280630H		
A	PT	A.B. #4	272000H	280630H		
A	PT	A.B. #5	272000H	280630H		

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