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1st Marines (-) (Rein)
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
APO, San Francisco, 96602

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
Subj: 1ST MARINES SITREP 65 as of 27 March 1966

Ref: (a) DivO 3100.1B

Encl: (1) 1st Battalion, 4th Marines SITREP as of 27 March 1966
(2) 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines SITREP as of 27 March 1966
(3) 3d Battalion, 1st Marines SITREP as of 27 March 1966
(4) Consolidated Operations Summary

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1), (2), (3) and (4) are submitted herewith.
2. The primary mission of the 1st Battalion, 4th Marines; 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines; and 3d Battalion, 1st Marines remain the same. There has been no change in the disposition of forces in the last twenty four hours.
3. Attachments
 - a. Co A (-) (Rein), 1st Tank Bn, no change.
 - b. Co A (-) (Rein), 1st Engr Bn, no change.
 - c. 1st, 2nd and 4th Platoons of Co A (-) (Rein), 1st AmTrac Bn.
 - d. 2nd and 3d platoons of Co B (-), 3d AF Bn.
4. Training

<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>NUMBER ATTENDED</u>
M-72	1 Hour	20
M-60	1 Hour	30
Field Fortifications	4 Hour	30
Rifle Inspection	1 Hour	30
Land Mine Warfare	16 Hours	26

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5. Psychological Warfare

a. Several projects are in the planning stage however, there was no psychological warfare conducted the past week.

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1ST BN, 4TH MARINES SITREP NUMBER 322 AS OF 272200H MARCH 1966

1. Unit Action with Contact.

- a. At 0230H, the 2d Platoon, D Company while on an all night ambush at positions from (BT 522077) to (BT 519062), fired on a VCS at (BT 520067). The victim, was the recipient of all 7 of the rounds fired. After recovering the body, it was determined that the Vietnamese was a female, about 29 years of age, without an ID card. She was Med Evaced at first light.

2. Unit Action without Contact. None3. Miscellaneous.

- a. Training during this period was primarily on-the-job. Emphasis was placed on the area applicable to the assigned mission of the Battalion according to MOS. The following number of Marines attended the below listed classes:

<u>Subject</u>	<u>No. of Hours</u>	<u>No. of Marines Attending</u>
Combat Signals	4	172
First Aid	4	172
Offensive Formations	8	160
Patrolling	8	172
Employment M-60 Machine Gun	4	50
Employment 3.5 Rocket Launcher	4	50
Field Sanitation	4	172
Technique of Night Firing	4	45
Misfire Procedure	2	50
81mm Mortar Section Drill	3	40
Rules of Engagement	1	172


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1st Lt. USMC

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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)	Q R	S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

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SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	Q R	S T	U V		
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1st Bn 4th Mariner (-)(Redn)
CHU LAI, VIETNAM
271300H 1965 March

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>
D-1	PLT	D	311930H	010700H

PATROL PLANS FOR
31 March 1966

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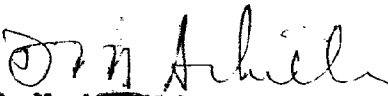
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2D BATTALION, 4TH MARINES SITREP NUMBER 61 AS OF 262400H TO 272400H

1. Narrative. No Enemy contact.
2. TRAINING. No training was conducted due to operational commitments.
3. PSY/WARFARE. Approximately 1500-2000 Pay/air leaflets were distributed during operation Texas.


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PERIOD: _____ 1001Z _____ TO _____ 1000Z _____

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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)	Q R	S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X	Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
CLEARING (CLR)		EE FE	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

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SITREP # 61

PLANS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 2ND BN 4th REGT CHULAITAOR27 MAR 66

DATE

PERIOD: 1001Z TO 1000Z
27 2400H - 28 2400H

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)	2 C 4 D				
AMBUSH (AMB)	E 10 F	G 6 H	I J		
RECON PATROL (REC)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	Q R	3 S T	U V		
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		W X	3 Y Z	AA BB	CC DD
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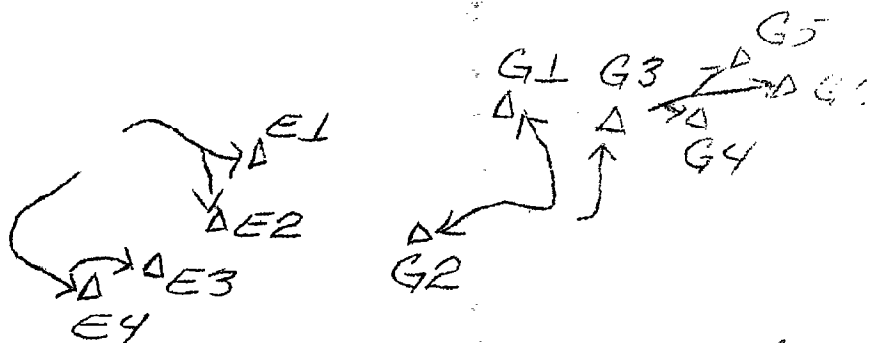
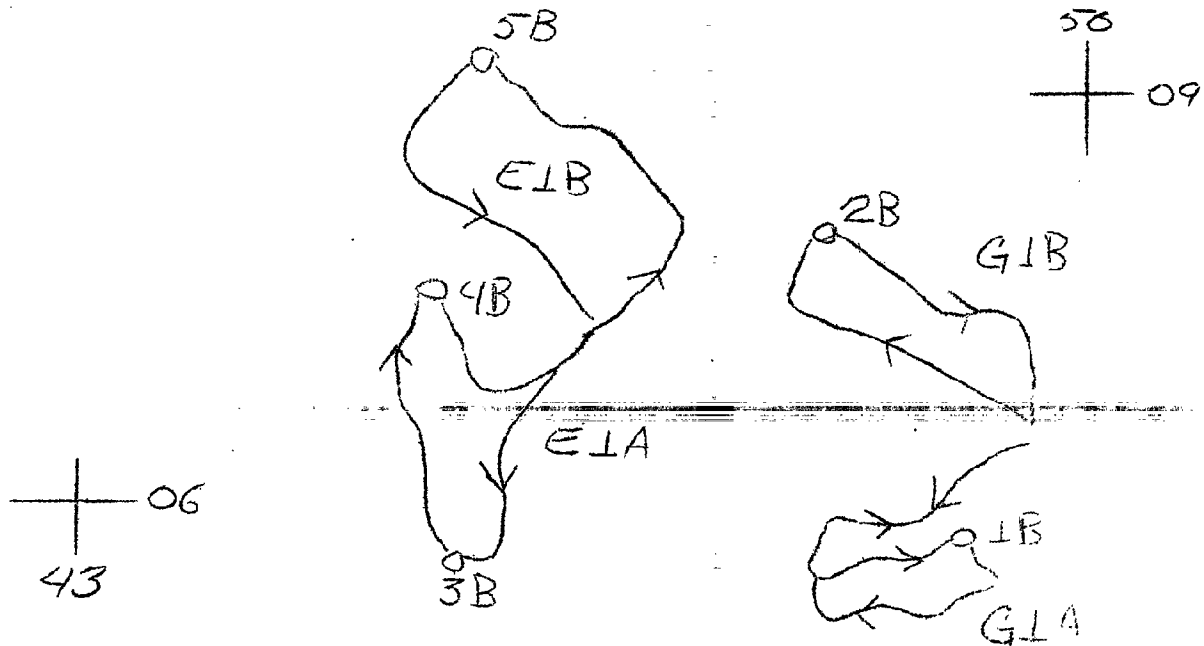
1. DAYLIGHT PATROLS

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
Co G	SQD	G-1A	300900H	301200H	SEC
Co G	SQD	G-1B	301300H	301600H	SEC
Co E	SQD	E-1A	300900H	301200H	SEC
Co E	SQD	E-1B	301300H	301600H	SEC

2. NIGHT PATROLS

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD</u>	<u>TOR</u>	<u>MISSION</u>
Co G	F/TM	G-1	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co G	F/TM	G-2	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co G	F/TM	G-3	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co G	F/TM	G-4	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co G	F/TM	G-5	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co G	F/TM	G-6	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co E	F/TM	E-1	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co E	F/TM	E-2	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co E	F/TM	E-3	302000H	310700H	AMB
Co E	F/TM	E-4	302000H	310700H	AMB

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2ND B, 4TH MARINES
PATROLS & AMBUSHES
30 MAR 66

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3rd Battalion, 1st Marines
3rd Marine Division (Rein), FMF
APO, San Francisco, 96602

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27 March 1966

STATE FOR PERIOD 262100H TO 272100H

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

A. Contacts. Negative.

B. Miscellaneous. At 271900H, 2nd Platoon, Company E CHOP OPCON from 1st Battalion, 4th Marines to 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines. Concurrently, 2nd Platoon, Company E CHOP OPCON to 1st Battalion, 4th Marines for designated duties as Chu Lai Airfield Security.

C. Training

1. Formal training conducted during the week of 21 - 27 March 1966 included the following:

<u>COURSE</u>	<u>REPORTS</u>	<u>PERSONNEL ATTENDING</u>
Land Mine Warfare School, Company A, 1st Engineer Battalion	14	10

2. 2nd and 3rd Sections of 81mm Mortar Platoon completed respectively five hours of instruction on 81mm mortar subjects and six hours of gun drill.

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: 3rd BN 1st REGT 6th LAI TAOR

27 May 1966

PERIOD: 26 2400h May TO 27 2400h May 1966

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PLANS SUMMARY

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ORGANIZATION: 3rd BN 1st REGT 10th DIV LAOS TAOR

27 MAR 1966

PERIOD: 27 2400h TO 28 2400h MAR 1966

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				
RESTRAINING POST (LP)	C D				
AMBUSH (A-B)	2 3 E F	5 G H	I J		
RECON PATROL (R/C)	K L	M N	O P		
SECURITY PATROL (SEC)	5 2 Q R	2 7 S T	U V	AA AB	CC DD
SEARCH & DESTROY (S&D)		S X	Y Z	AA AB	CC DE
CLANING (CLR)		(CO BAT PATROL) EE FF	GG HH	II JJ	KK LL

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DAY PATROLS FOR 30 MARCH 1966

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOD/TOR</u>	<u>POD/POR</u>	<u>LAYOVER/AMBUSH</u>
I	FT	RAVEN	300730-301215	523089	Security
I	FT	PENNY	301200-301800	523092/ 523089	301400-301700
I	FT	LINTA	301230-301730	529102	301430-301630
L	FT	STARROW	300945-301310	517154	Security
L	FT	EAGLE	301420-301810	517154	Security
L	Sqd	ROBIN	300840-301210	517154	Security/UA
M	Sqd	SHRIMP	300700-301230	487103	Security
M	Sqd	KILLDEER	301300-301730	487103	Security
MAG-36	Sqd	ZULU-2	300630-300900	516112	Security
MAG-36	Sqd	ZULU-3	300830-301200	516112	Security
MAG-36	Sqd	ZULU-4	301200-301500	516112	Security
MAG-36	Sqd	ZULU-1	301430-301800	516112	Security

NIGHT PATROLS FOR 30 MARCH 1966

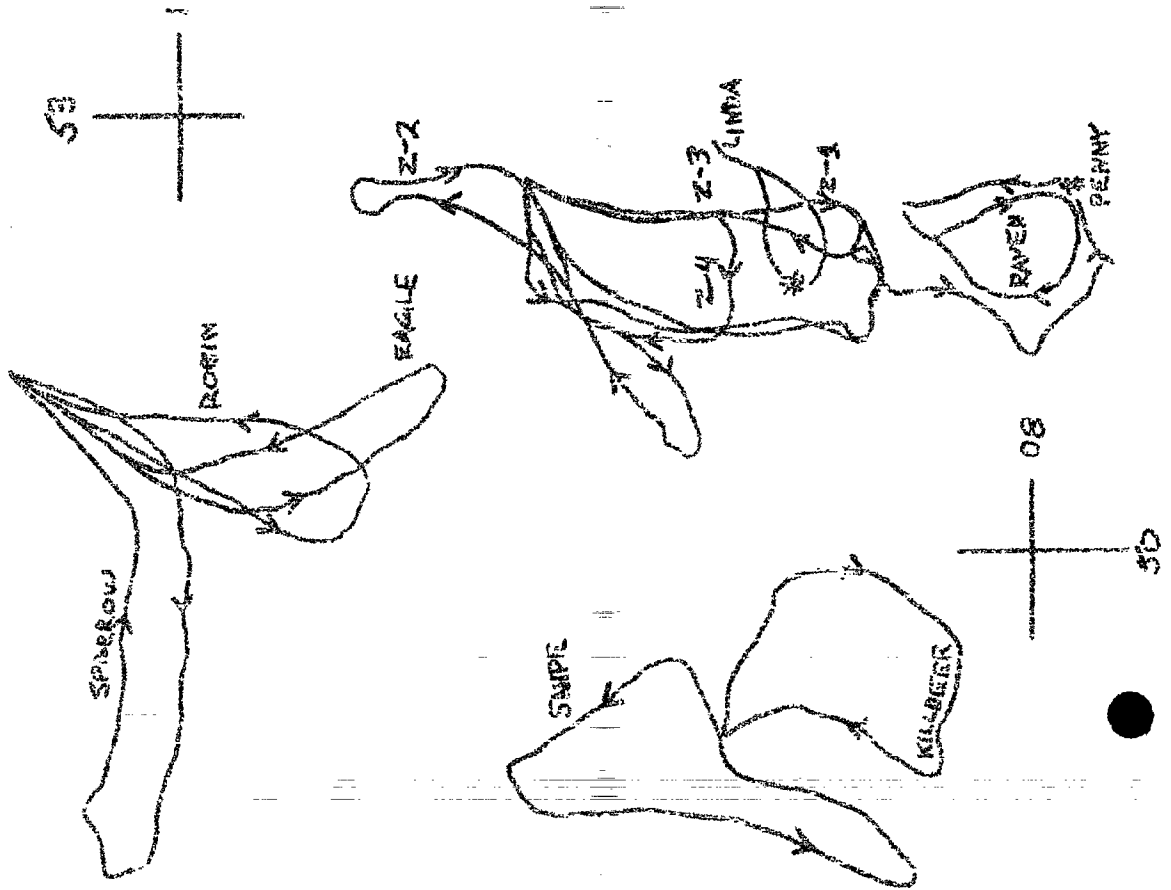
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I	Sqd	DAGMAR	302000-310030	531082/ 523092	302100-302330
I	Sqd	PAULINE	301930-302345	523092	302030-302300
I	Sqd	MATHILDA	310015-310715	523089	310115-310645
I	Sqd	BUZZARD	302330-310645	523092	Security
L	Sqd	HAWK	310245-310510	477144	Security
L	Sqd	SWALLOW	302145-310140	517154	Security/Drop AGNES
L	FT	ALICE	302215-310145	477144	302300-310110
L	FT	SAMMY	310140-310645	517154	310210-310620
L	Sqd	AGNES	302215-310715	517154	302345-310550
M	Sqd	WREN	302100-310130	487103	Security
M	Sqd	OWL	302300-310400	487103	Security
M	FT	KAYKO	310100-310700	487103	310200-310630
M	FT	RAYKO	302200-310400	487103	302300-310330
M	FT	AIKO	302400-310700	487103	310045-310630
M	FT	SEIKO	302000-310100	487103	302100-312400
H&S	FT	SEA LION	301900-310500	487103	Security

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FAIRBATTALION, FIGHT MARINES
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DAY PATROLS FOR 30 MARCH

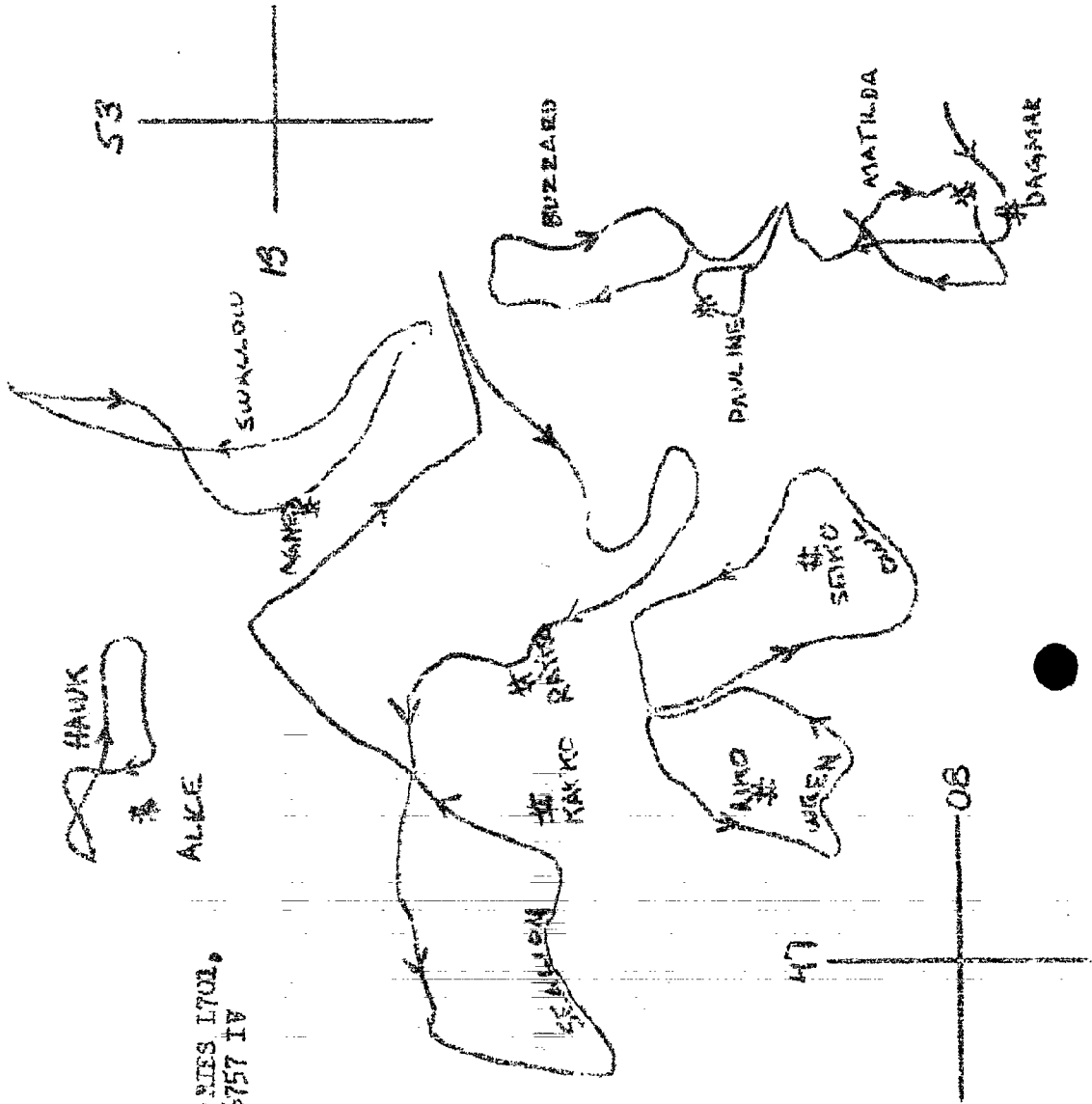
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2ND BATTALION, 1ST MARINES
CHU LAM, VIETNAM

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OPERATIONS SUMMARY

ORGANIZATION: BN 1st REGT CHU LAI PAOR

PERIOD: 27 ~~1966~~ 1966 TO 27 ~~1966~~ 1966

~~27~~ 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				
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