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Daily Operations Summary 311600H August - 011600H September 1970

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THUA THIEN PROVINCE

1. 3rd CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

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2. 312050H: A CAP 2-3-8 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 3 VC with weapons moving W at BT 046616, 2 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and ChiCom grenades and fled S. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

3. 312340H: A CAP 2-3-10 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on an USEF with weapons moving E at BT 067542, 4 km S of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled W. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

4. 312355H: A CAP 2-7-2 patrol, at BT 031623, 2.5 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters, received 1 ChiCom grenade from an unknown person and unknown direction. The patrol did not return fire for lack of a discernable target. One USN received minor fragmentation wounds from the exploding grenade. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 USN WIA(M).

5. 010200H: Responding to a request for assistance from a local non-CAP PF Platoon 129 in contact with an USEF, at AT 919725, 4 km NW of Hieu Duc District Headquarters, CAP 2-1-1 and CAP 2-1-2 moved to reinforce the non-CAP Platoon. Upon entering the non-CAP PF compound at the above grid the reaction force received RPGs, SAF and 1 satchel charge from 5 VC. The combined force returned organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. Six non-CAP PF were WIA in the contact. The PF WIA were medevaced by helicopter to 95th Evacuation Hospital. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 6 non-CAP PF WIA(E). 1 PF WIA(M).

6. 010830H: A CAP 2-1-1 patrol discovered 3x50 lb box mines each rigged with pressure firing devices, beside highway TL 540 at AT 915731, 2.5 km N of Hieu Duc District Headquarters. The mines were blown in place. A sweep of the area for further SFDs was nonproductive. RESULTS: 3x50 lb box mines destroyed.

7. 010900H: CAGO 2-8, located at AT 937783, 9.5 km NW of Hoa Vang District Headquarters, was deactivated. CAP 2-8-1, with a geographic center of the TAOC at AT 913805, 12.5 km NW of Hoa Vang District Headquarters, was deactivated. CAP 2-8-2, with a geographic center of the TAOC at AT 899792, 13 km NW of Hoa Vang District Headquarters, was deactivated. CAP 2-8-3, with a geographic center of the TAOC at AT 909815, 14 km NW of Hoa Vang District Headquarters, was deactivated. The deactivations were with the approval of CG, III MAF.

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8. 011000H: CAP 2-7-6, with a geographic center of the TAOC at BT 074704, 6.5 km SE of Hoa Vang District Headquarters, was deactivated. The deactivation was with the approval of CG, III MAF.

QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

9. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

SUMMARYENEMYWEAPONSFRIENDLY

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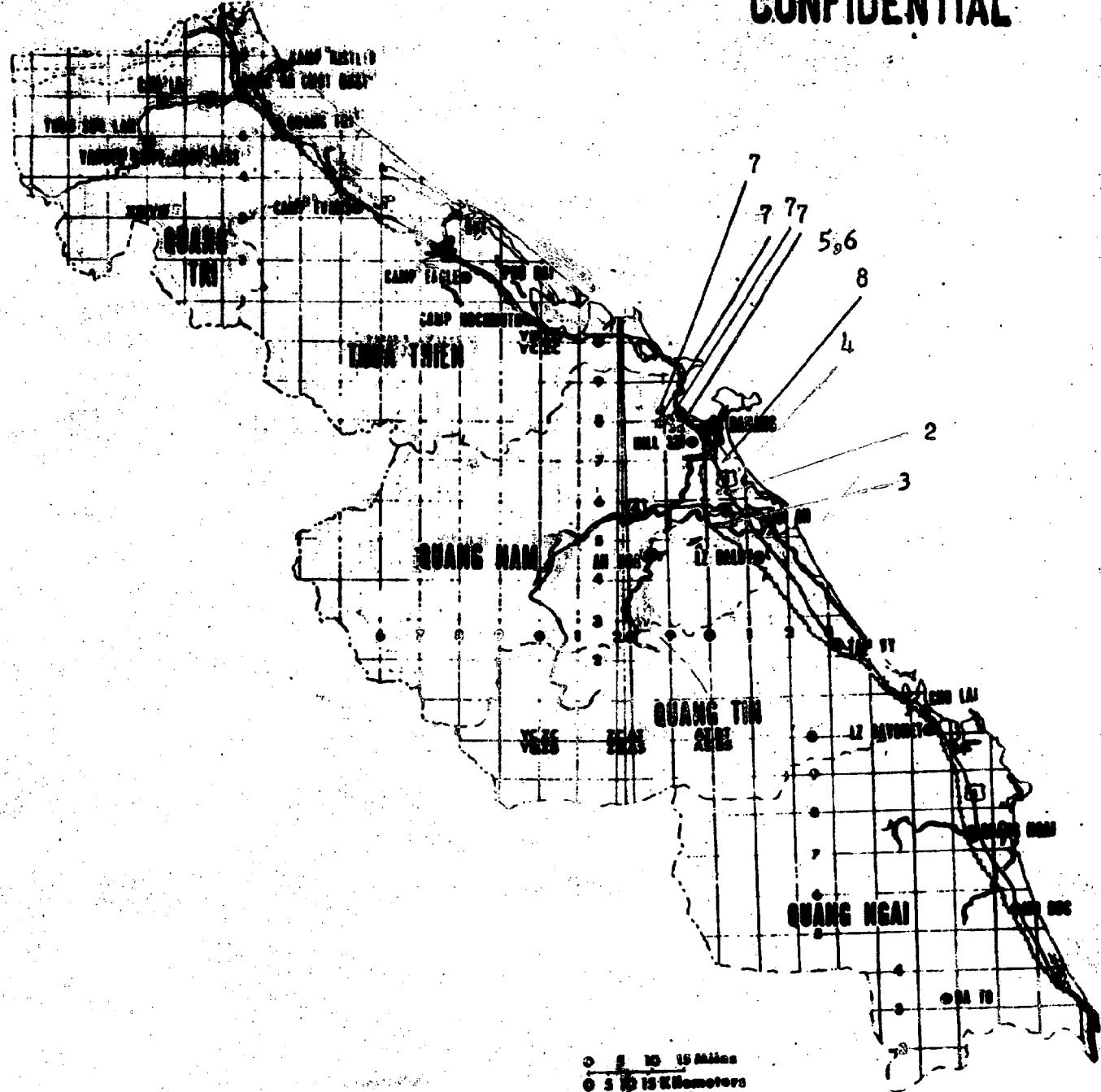
1 USN WIA(M)

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1. 011700H: OPCON of the CAF shifted from CG, XXIV Corps to CG, III MAF in accordance with CG, XXIV Corps msg 050145Z Aug 70.

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3. 011745H: Two VN children turned in to a CAP 2-1-5 patrol base at AT 964668, 4.5 km SE of Hieu Duc District Headquarters, 2 tin cans, each containing 1 lb of C-4 and rigged with a pressure firing device. The SFDs were destroyed. A VIP payment was made. RESULTS: 2 SFDs destroyed.

4. 011955H: A CAP 2-1-2 patrol received SAF and 2 ChiCom grenades from an USOF at AT 929716, 2.5 km N of Hieu Duc District Headquarters. The patrol returned organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee N. A sweep of the area was non-productive. RESULTS: Negative.

5. 012206H: While on a combined operation involving CAP 2-7-10 and a non-CAP RF Company 180, the force received 1 ChiCom grenade thrown by an unknown person at BT 036640, 6.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The force returned organic weapons fire on suspected enemy locations causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. One non-CAP RF was WIA from the exploding grenade. The RF WIA was medevaced by helicopter. During a sweep of the area, the patrol apprehended 15 VN civilians between the ages of 20 and 55. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the VN were detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. RESULTS: 1 non-CAP RF WIA(E); 15 VN detained.

6. 020615H: Two off-duty CAP 2-7-3 PF, while walking S along QL-1, received 1 ChiCom grenade thrown by an unknown person at BT 026647, 7.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. Hearing the explosion, a CAP 2-7-3 patrol base dispatched a patrol to investigate. The patrol discovered 2 PF WIA from the exploding grenade. The patrol rendered first aid and medevaced the PF by helicopter. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 2 PF WIA(E).

7. 020630H: Two off-duty CAP 2-7-2 RF and two VN civilians were WIA from an exploding unknown type booby trap rigged with an unknown type firing device while attempting to remove a VC flag from a flag pole at BT 040624, 5km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. A CAP 2-7-2 patrol base hearing the explosion dispatched a patrol to investigate. The patrol discovered the 2 RF and 2 VN civilians WIA, rendered first aid and medevaced them by helicopter. A search of the area for further SFDs was nonproductive. RESULTS: 2 RF WIA(E), 2 VN civilians WIA(E).

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8. 021425H: A USMC member of a CAP 2-4-3 patrol detonated a 105mm HE booby trap with an M-26 grenade affixed to the 105mm round and rigged with a trip wire firing device located beside a trail at BT 168588, 1 km N of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The USMC was KIA from the exploding SFD. RESULTS: 1 USMC KIA.

9. 021600H: A CAP 2-4-3 patrol discovered 2 bunkers in the vicinity of BT 168586, 1 km NE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters, containing assorted munitions and one 105mm HE round booby trap rigged with a trip wire firing device in one of the discovered bunkers. The SFD, bunkers and assorted ordnance were destroyed. One Claymore mine M-57 Firing Device and 1 M-16 magazine were delivered to District Headquarters. RESULTS: 1 SFD, 50 rounds of M-16 ammunition, 2 M-79 HE rounds, one 60mm mortar round and one 3.5in HE round destroyed; 1 Claymore mine M-57 Firing Device and 1 M-16 magazine captured.

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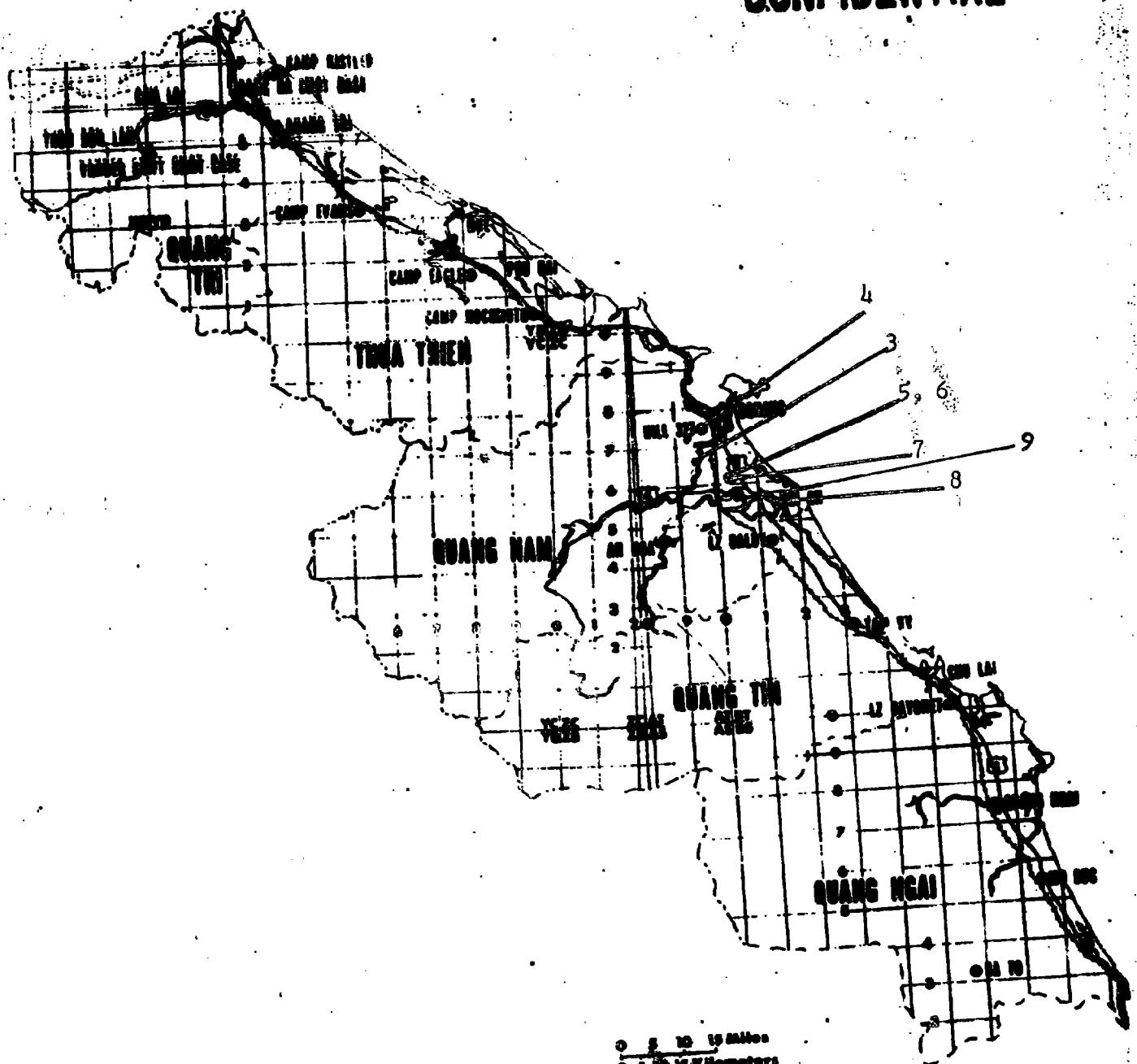
10. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
	15 VN DETAINEES	NONE	1 USMC KIA
			2 PF WIA(E)
			2 RF WIA(E)

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2. 021845H: A CAP 2-7-2 patrol received SAF from 5 VC at BT 023624, 6 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The patrol returned organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee SW. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

3. 022105H: A CAP 2-3-8 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 3 VC with weapons, moving E at BT 045616, 4 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy fled E without returning fire. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

4. 022110H: A CAP 2-3-3 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 2 VC with weapons moving SW at BT 052594, 2 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled W. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

5. 030015H: A CAP 2-1-5 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on an estimated 6 VC with weapons moving E at AT 954667, 3.5 km SE of Hieu Duc District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled S and E. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

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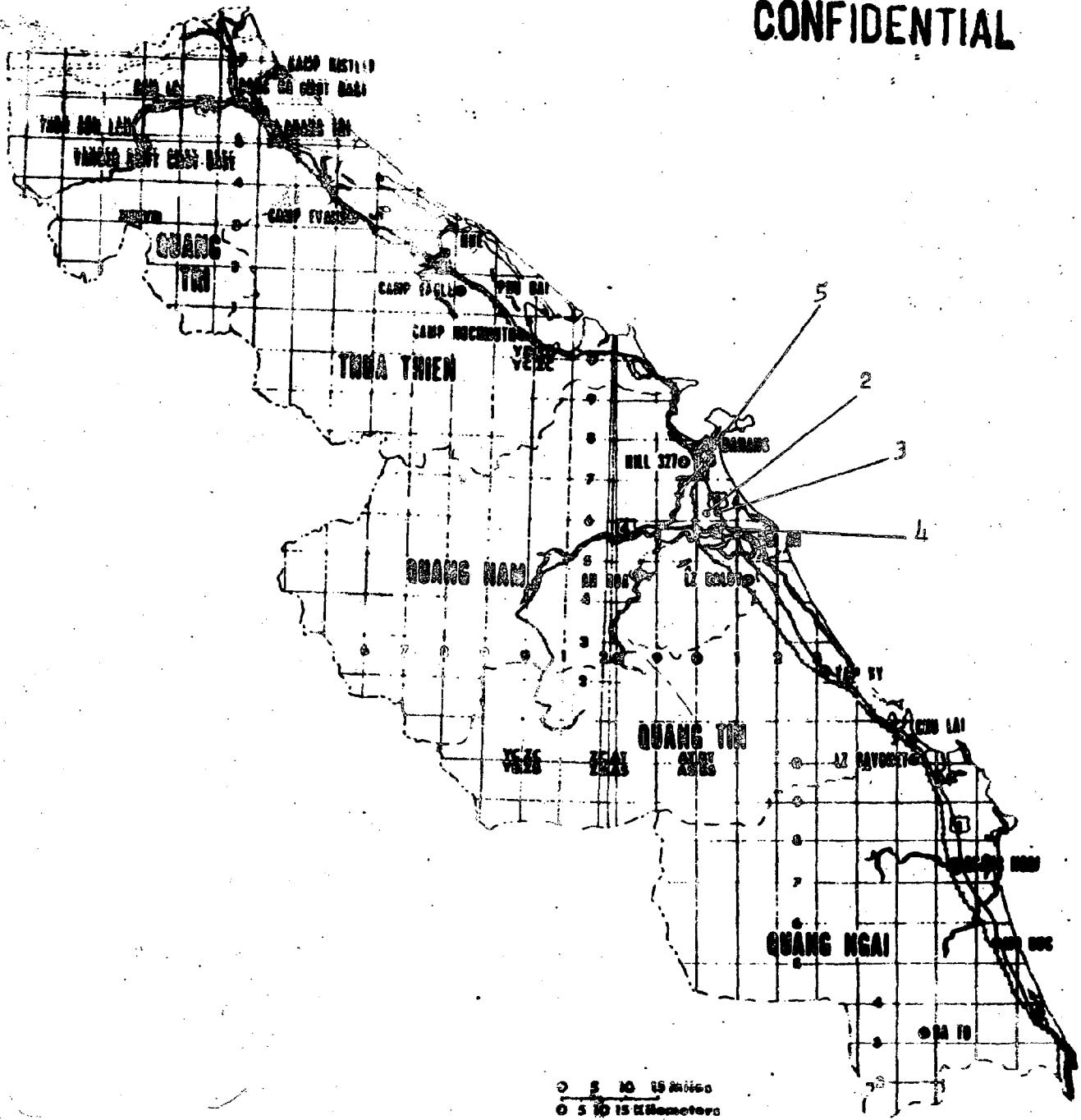
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<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
	NONE	NONE	NONE

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2. 031030H: A PF member of a CAP 2-4-3 patrol detonated an M-26 grenade booby trap rigged with a trip wire firing device, located beside a trail at BT 168587, 1.5 km NE of Hien Nhon District Headquarters. The PF was rendered first aid and medevaced by helicopter. A search of the area disclosed 3 M-72 LAWS, 1 M-26 grenade, 1 M-79 HE round and one 105mm HE round. The ordnance was destroyed in place. RESULTS: 1 PF WIA(E); 3 CSWC; 1 M-26 grenade, 1 M-79 HE round and one 105mm HE round destroyed.

3. 032045H: A CAP 2-3-8 patrol received 5 B-40 and two 60mm mortar HE rounds from an USEF at BT 045615, 4 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The patrol returned fire with organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

4. 032145H: A CAP 2-7-5 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 2 VC with weapons moving S at BT 053696, 5 km SE of Hoa Vang District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and 3 ChiCom grenades and fled W. One USMC received minor fragmentation wounds from the exploding grenades. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(M).

5. 032330H: Responding to a request for assistance from a non-CAP PF Platoon 85, in contact with an estimated 20 VC, a CAP 2-2-4 patrol moved to reinforce the non-CAP PF platoon. The patrol joined the non-CAP PF platoon at AT 866573, 5 km W of Dai Loc District Headquarters, and the enemy fled N. The patrol called an 82mm mortar fire mission on probable enemy routes of withdrawal. One non-CAP PF received gunshot wounds during the contact and was medevaced by helicopter. Three VN civilians, wounded by enemy fire, were rendered first aid and medevaced by helicopter. One VN civilian, wounded by enemy fire, was rendered first aid and released. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 non-CAP PF WIA(E), 3 VN civilians WIA(E) and 1 VN civilian WIA(M).

6. 041400H: Acting on information from 3rd CIT, a CAP 2-3-8 patrol conducted a search of Quang Loc Tay (3) Village at BT 047614, 3.8 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The patrol apprehended 13 VN males and 5 VN females. Seven of the VN males and 1 female appeared on the District Black List. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, all of the VN were detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. RESULTS: 8 VCI captured, 10 VN civilians detained.

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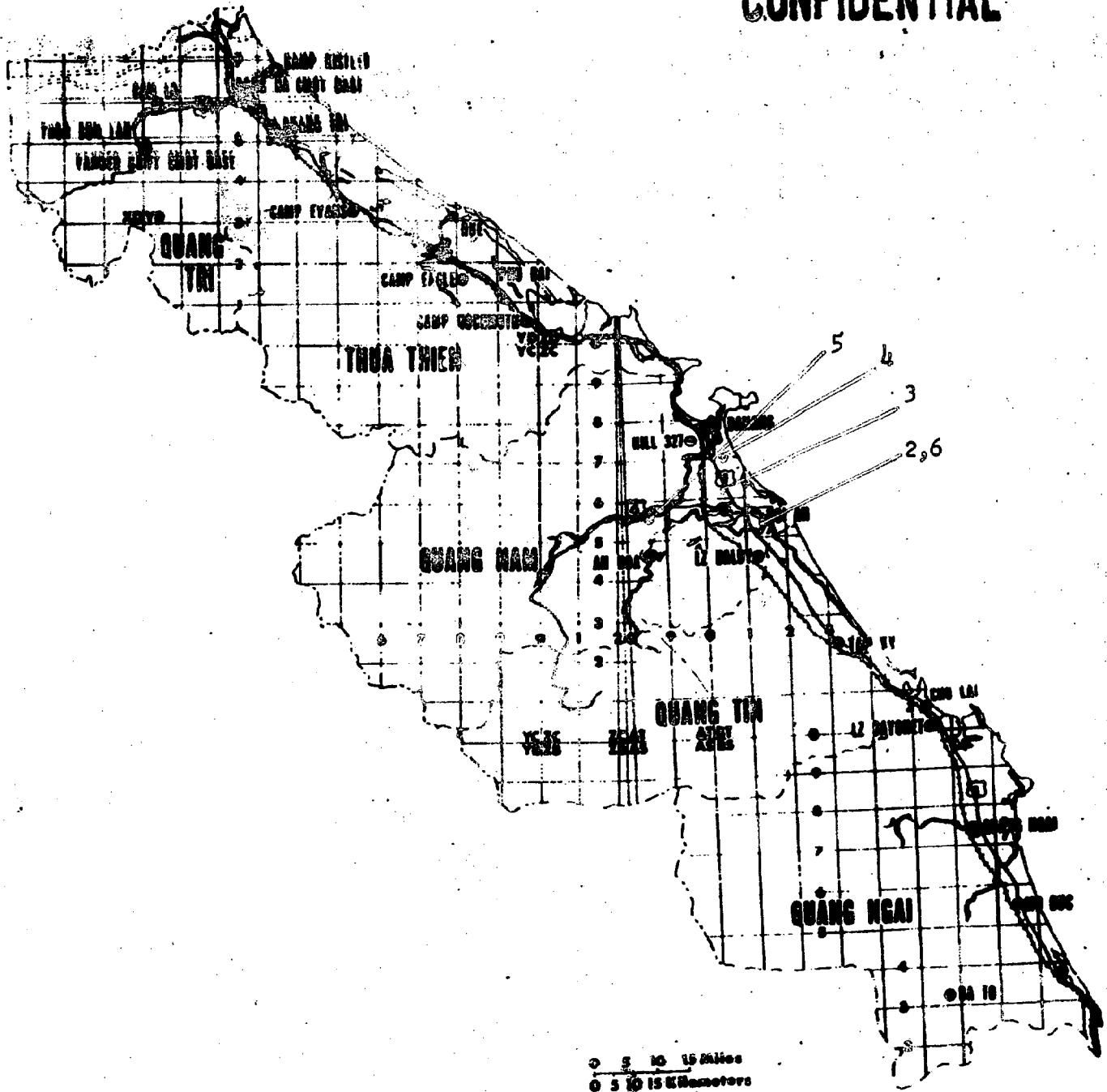
<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
	8 VCI	3 CSWC	1 PF WIA(E)
	10 VN DETAINEES		1 USMC WIA(M)

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

2. 042009H: A CAP 2-7-4 patrol received 1 ChiCom grenade from an unknown person at BT 044623, 4 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The patrol returned fire with organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

3. 042035H: A CAP 2-7-1 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 6 VC with weapons moving E at BT 031642, 7 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and 3 M-79 HE rounds and fled W. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

4. 042210H: A CAP 2-2-4 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 5 VC with weapons moving W at AT 863575, 5.5 km W of Dai Loc District Headquarters. The enemy fled in an unknown direction without returning fire. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

5. 050515H: A CAP 2-3-8 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 10 VC with weapons moving N at BT 048613, 3.7 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with M-79 HE rounds and SAF and fled S. Two USMC received minor fragmentation wounds during the contact. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 2 USMC WIA(M).

6. 050955H: A CAP 2-4-3 patrol discovered one 81mm mortar illumination round, 1 M-79 HE round and 2 M-26 grenades in a bunker at BT 168584, 1 km NE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The ordnance and bunker were destroyed. A search of the area for further bunkers was nonproductive. RESULTS: One 81mm mortar illumination round, 1 M-79 HE round, 2 M-26 grenades and 1 bunker destroyed.

QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

7. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.SUMMARYENEMYWEAPONSFRIENDLY

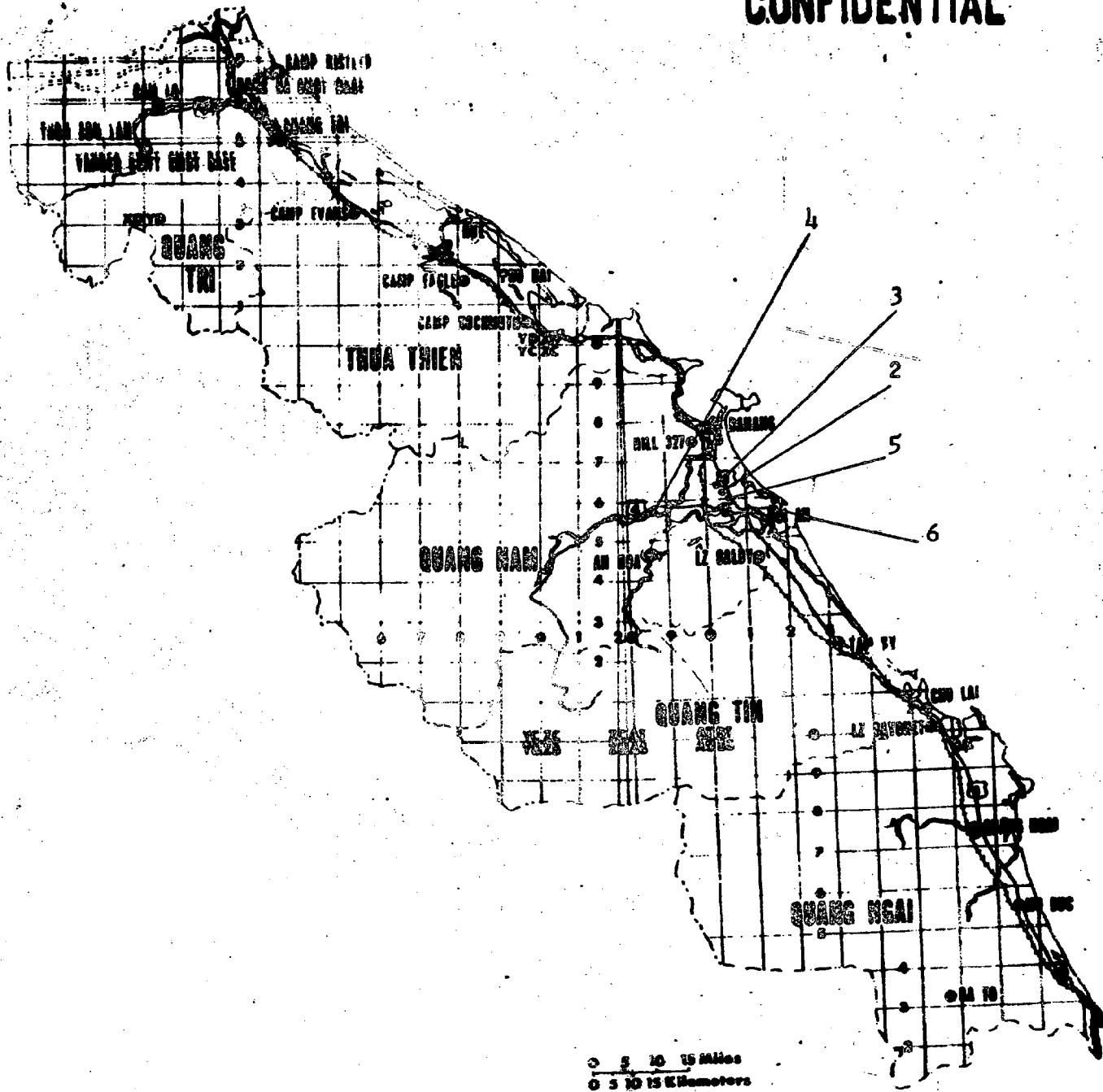
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2 USMC WIA(M)

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2. 052042H: A CAP 2-7-3 ambush received SAF and 4 ChiCom grenades from 6 VC at BT 028659, 6.5 km S of Hoa Vang District Headquarters. The ambush returned fire with organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee N. Three USMC received minor fragmentation wounds from the exploding grenades. A sweep of the area disclosed heavy blood trails. RESULTS: 3 USMC WIA(M).

3. 060920H: A CAP 2-4-5 patrol received fragmentation from a command detonated 105mm HE round at BT 167571, 800m SE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The patrol called a 60mm mortar fire mission on suspected enemy positions. One USN received minor fragmentation wounds from the exploding 105mm round. While searching the area for additional SFDs, 1 USMC was WIA when he detonated an unknown type booby trap rigged with a pressure firing device located on a trail in vicinity of the above grid. The USMC WIA was medevaced by helicopter. A further search of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(E), 1 USN WIA(M).

4. 060935H: Acting on information received from local villagers, a CAP 2-4-6 patrol discovered in a bunker at BT 113594, 5 km NW of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters, 1 VC with minor fragmentation wounds, 1 M-72 LAAW, 3 M-26 grenades, assorted medical gear and miscellaneous clothing. A further sweep of the area disclosed 1 VN male with an improper identification. Unresponsive to CAP PF questioning, the VN along with the VC POW were detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. The bunker, ordnance, clothing and medical supplies were destroyed. RESULTS: 1 VC POW; 1 VN detained; 1 CSMC; 3 M-26 grenades, assorted medical supplies and miscellaneous clothing destroyed.

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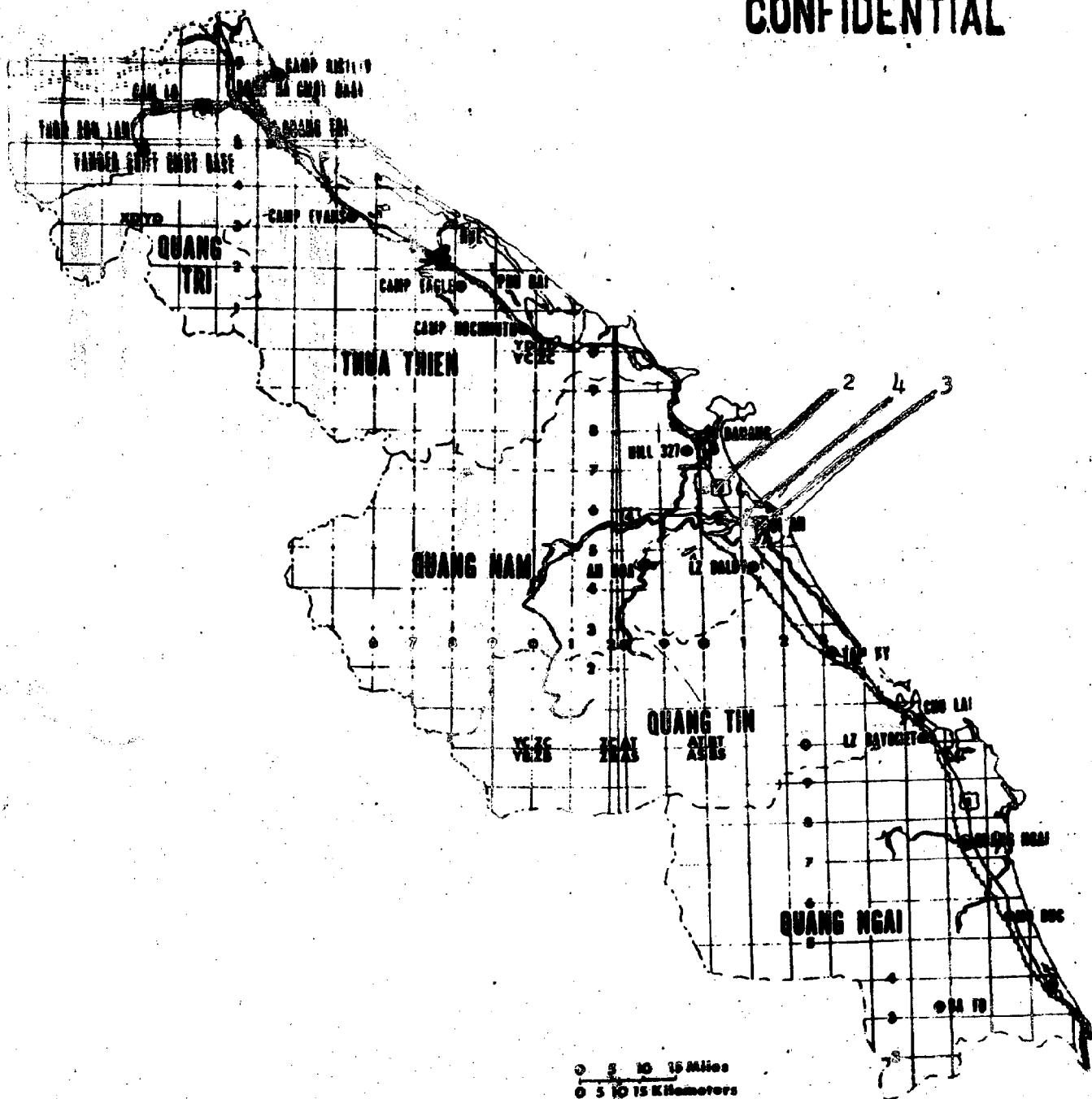
<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
	1 VC POW	1 CSMC	1 USMC WIA(E)
	1 VC DETAINEE		3 USMC WIA(M)
			1 USN WIA(M)

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1. 070900H: Headquarters, 3rd CAG located at Phu Bai Combat Base at ID 882133, was deactivated. The deactivation was with the approval of the CG, III MAF.

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2. 062059H: A CAP 2-7-8 patrol received SAF from 3 VC at BT 054661, 7.5 km SE of Hoa Vang District Headquarters. The patrol returned fire with organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. A sweep of the area disclosed several blood trails. RESULTS: Negative.

3. 062230H: A CAP 2-1-4 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 3 VC carrying weapons moving E at AT 950690, 2.7 km E of Hieu Duc District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with RPGs and fled S. One USMC received minor fragmentation wounds during the contact. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(M).

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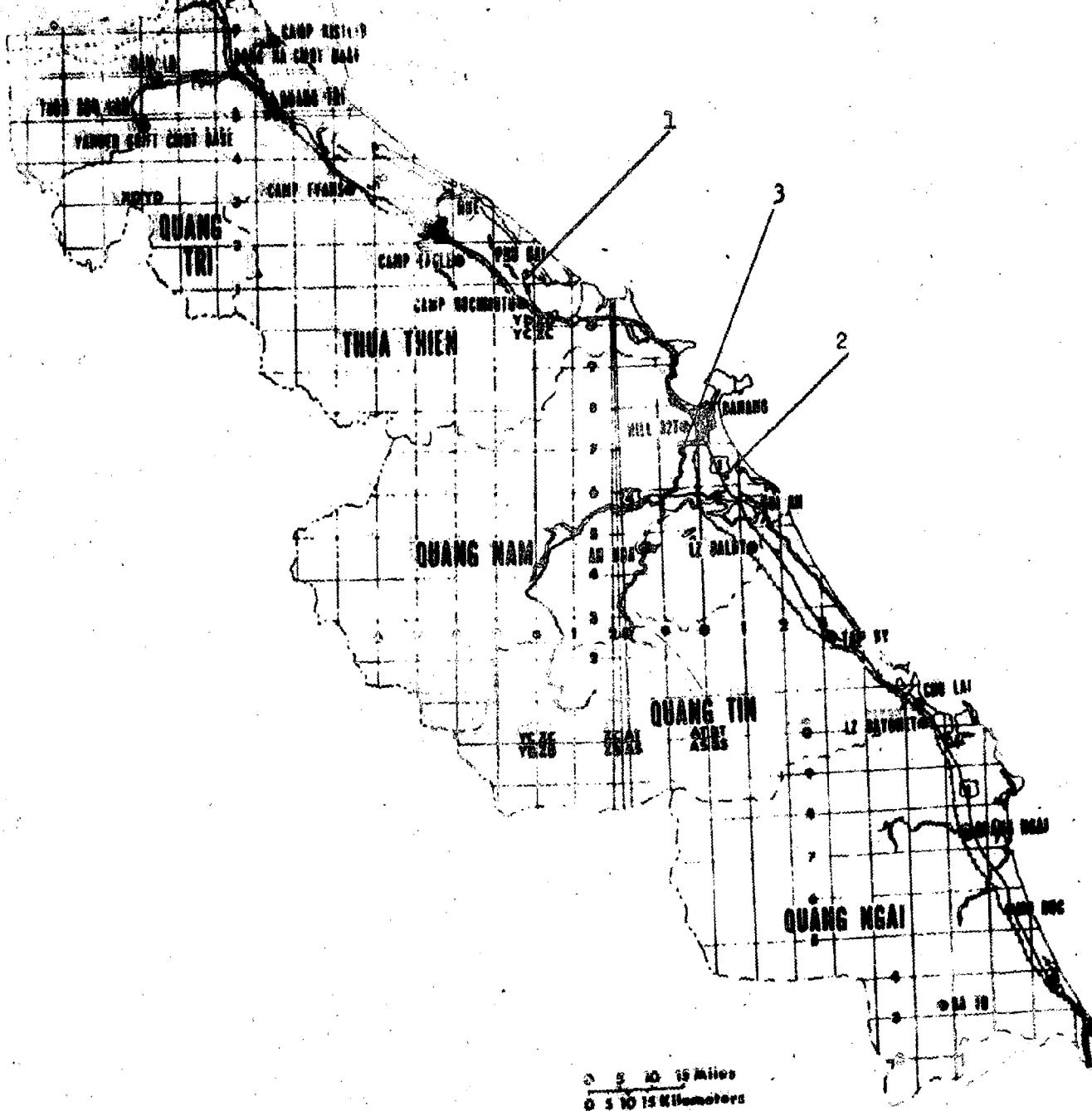
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	NONE	NONE	1 USMC WIA(M)

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1. 072110H: A CAP 2-4-3 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 3 VC with weapons moving N at BT 176581, 1.5 km NE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled E. The ambush requested an on station PBR unit to move S along the river to intercept the fleeing enemy. The PBR unit received SAF and RPG rounds from an USEF located on the east bank of the river in the vicinity of the above grid. The ambush called an artillery fire mission on suspected enemy positions. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

2. 072130H: A CAP 2-3-8 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 3 VC with weapons moving SE at BT 051611, 3.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy fled SE without returning fire. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

3. 080040H: A USMC member of a CAP 2-7-10 detonated an M-26 grenade booby trap rigged with a trip wire firing device, located beside a trail at BT 037638, 6.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The USMC WIA was medevaced by helicopter. A search of the area for further SFDs was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(E).

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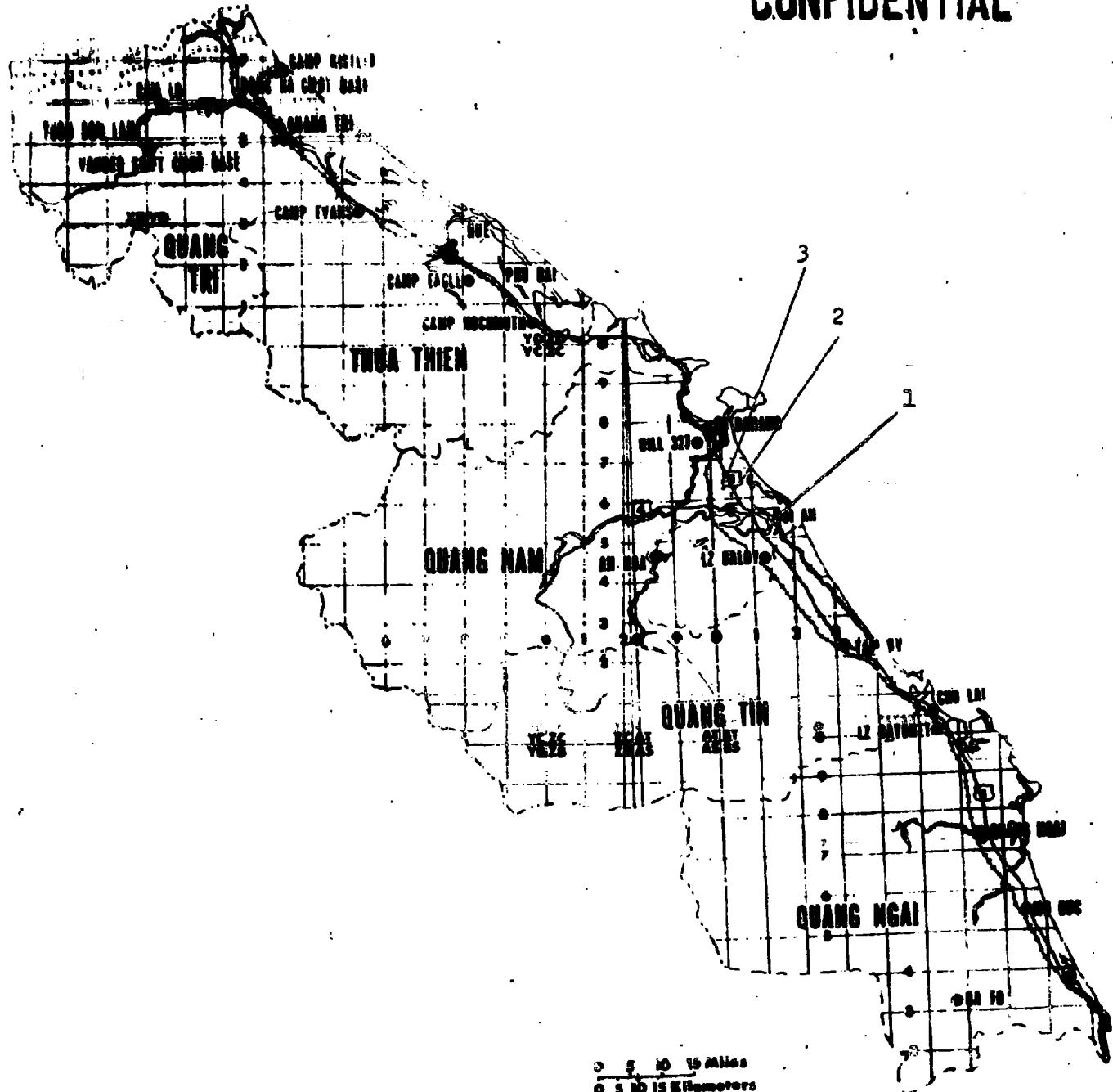
<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
	NONE	NONE	1 USMC WIA(E)

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1. 090945H: Acting on information from local villagers, a CAP 2-3-6 patrol detained and searched a VN vehicle at BT 064585, 600m NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The search disclosed 6 VN females and 25 cases of C-rations. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the VN were delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation along with the cases of C-rations and vehicle. RESULTS: 6 VN civilians detained; 25 cases of C-rations and 1 vehicle impounded.

QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

2. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

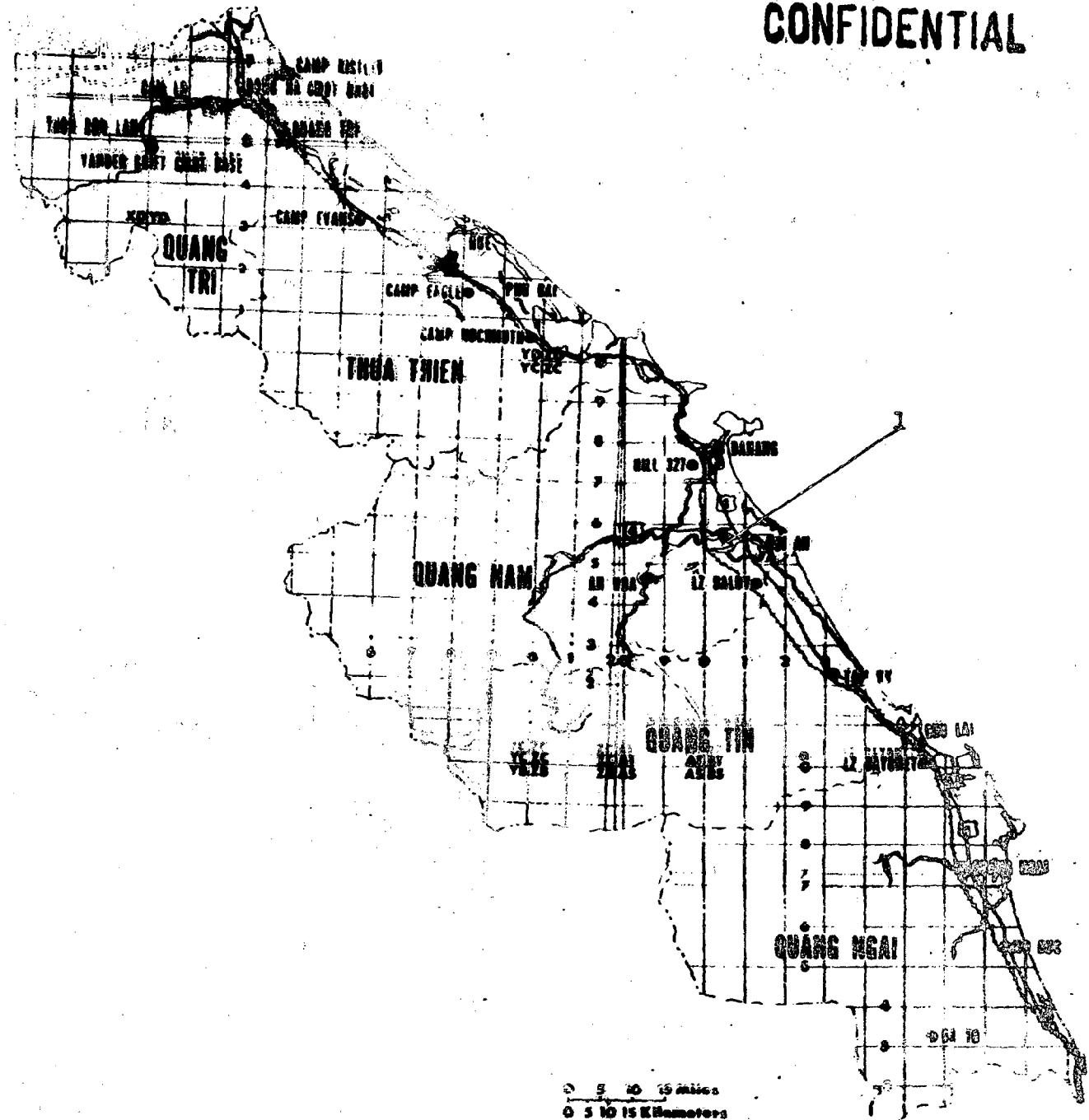
<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
6 VN DETAINEES	NONE	NONE	NONE

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 091800H: Acting on information from local villagers, a search and sweep operation, planned and coordinated by Dien Ban District Chief and CACO 2-3 Commander, was conducted by CAP 2-3-7 and CAP 2-3-8 at BT 056626, 2.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. CAP 2-3-7, after being inserted by helicopter, received SAF from an USOF located in Tanh Quit (4) Hamlet. The CAP returned fire with organic weapons fire and maneuvered to neutralize the enemy. CAP 2-3-8, initially acting as a blocking force, commenced a sweep from the W and joined CAP 2-3-7 in vicinity of the above grid. Continuing the operation, the force, supported by 2 helicopter gunships, moved through the hamlet causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. A search of the area disclosed 14 VC KIA and 1 VC POW captured. Seven VN civilians were apprehended trying to evade the force. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the VN were detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation along with the POW. A further search of the area disclosed 1 AK-47, 2 SKS, three 9mm pistols, 14 locally fabricated grenades, 2 ChiCom grenades, 2 M-26 grenades and assorted documents and medical supplies. The weapons, documents and medical supplies were delivered to District Headquarters. The ordnance was destroyed. RESULTS: 14 VC KIA, 1 POW, 7 VN civilians detained; 6 IWC, 14 locally fabricated grenades, 2 ChiCom grenades, 2 M-26 grenades destroyed; assorted documents and medical supplies captured.

2. 101400H: A CAP 2-7-10 patrol observed a VN male attempting to evade the patrol at BT 046646, 6.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The patrol moved to apprehend the VN and discovered a bunker located in vicinity of the above grid. The patrol initiated organic weapons fire on the bunker. A search of the area disclosed 1 VC KIA and assorted VN language documents. Continuing on, the patrol discovered a second bunker located along a river bank in vicinity of the above grid. The patrol initiated organic weapons fire on 1 VC attempting to escape from the bunker. A search of the area disclosed 1 VC KIA, 1 bag containing 1 green VN utility uniform with no unit identification and 25 cans of assorted C-rations. The documents, uniform and C-rations were delivered to District Headquarters. The bunkers were destroyed. RESULTS: 2 VC KIA; 2 bunkers destroyed; assorted documents, 1 green VN uniform, and 25 cans of C-rations captured.

QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

3. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

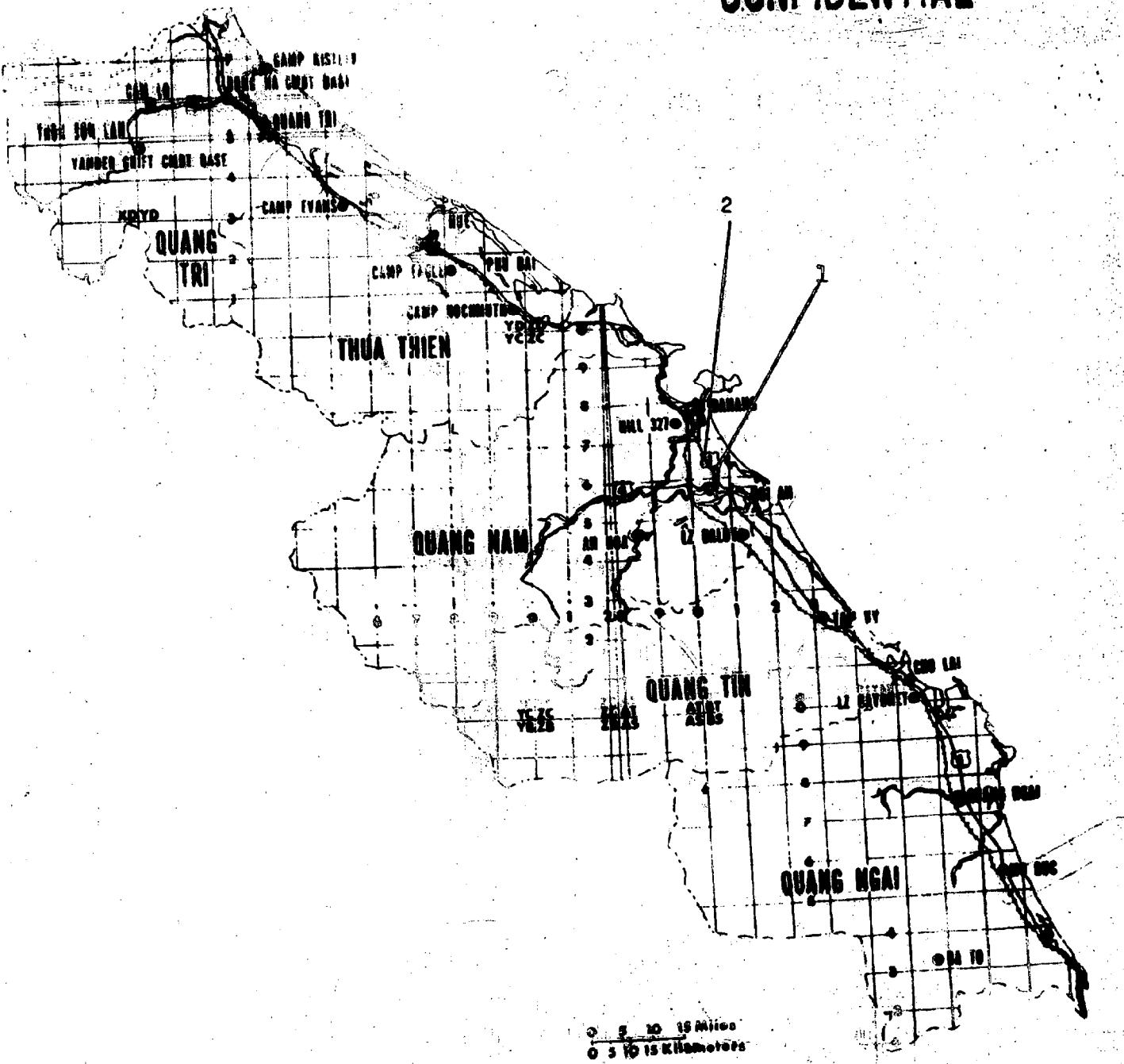
<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
	16 VC KIA 1 VC POW 7 DETAINEES	6 IWC	NONE

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 110015H: A CAP 2-2-1 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on an estimated 9 VC with weapons moving S at AT 933500, 2.7 km NE of Dai Loc District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled NE. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

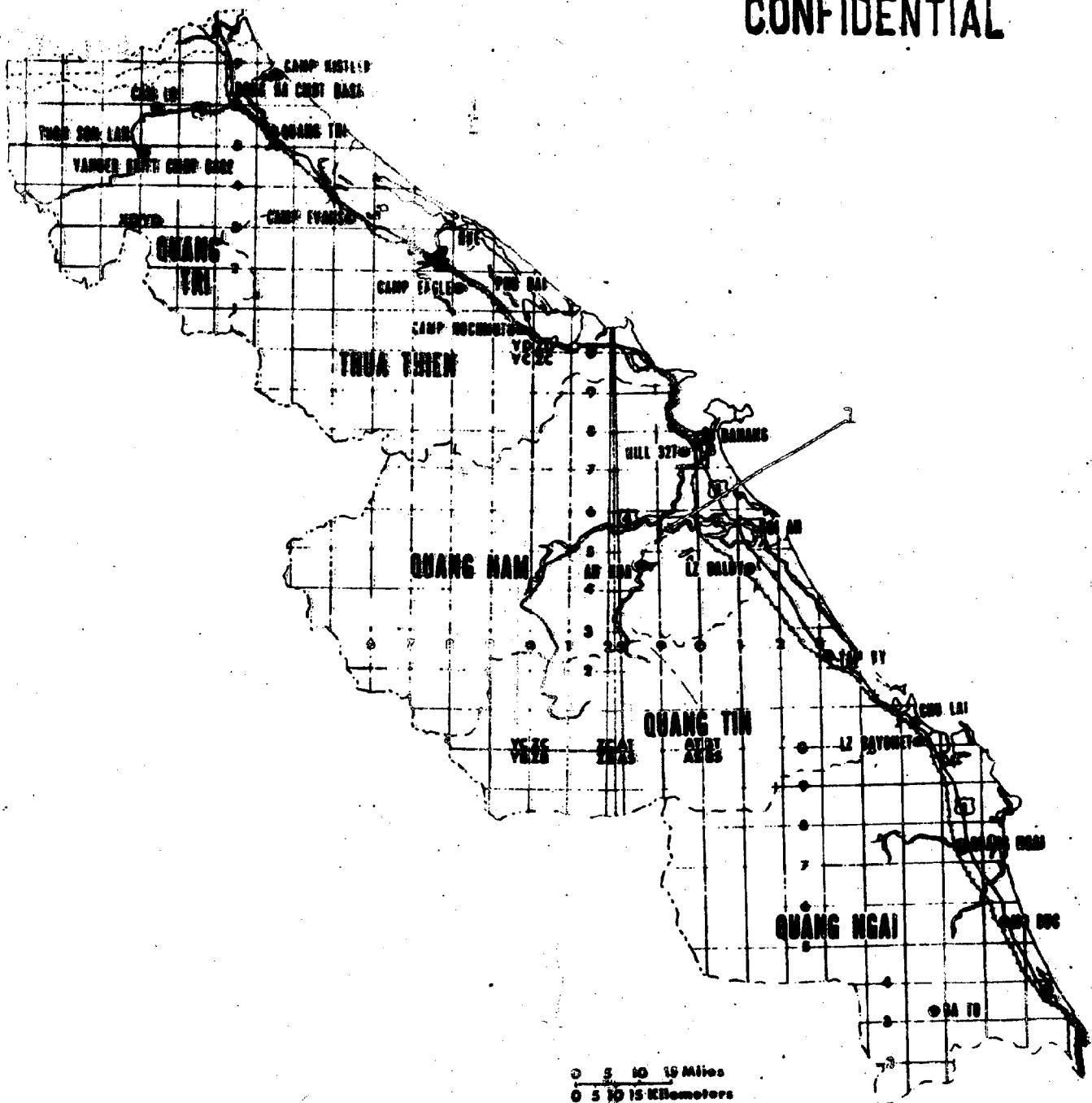
QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

2. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

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	NONE	NONE	NONE

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 111600H: CAP 2-4-5, while supporting land clearing operations, discovered 8 bunkers at BT 168586, 1.3 km N of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. A search of the bunkers disclosed 1 anti-personnel pressure type mine, and one 105mm HE round not rigged as an SFD. The ordnance and bunkers were destroyed. A further search of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 anti-personnel mine, one 105mm HE round and 8 bunkers destroyed.
2. 112021H: A CAP 2-7-1 ambush received SAF, M-79 HE rounds and an estimated twelve 60mm mortar HE rounds from an USEF at BT 027636, 6.5 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The ambush returned fire with organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee in an unknown direction. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.
3. 121010H: A CAP 2-1-4 patrol, while conducting a routine identification card inspection, observed 1 VN male attempting to avoid the inspection point at AT 958684, 3 km E of Hieu Duc District Headquarters. After repeated VN language warnings to halt, the patrol initiated organic weapons fire on the fleeing VN. A search of the area was nonproductive. While returning to their patrol base, the patrol observed 1 VN female attempting to avoid the patrol in vicinity of the above grid. The patrol apprehended the VN. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the VN was detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. RESULTS: 1 VN detained.

QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

4. 1st CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

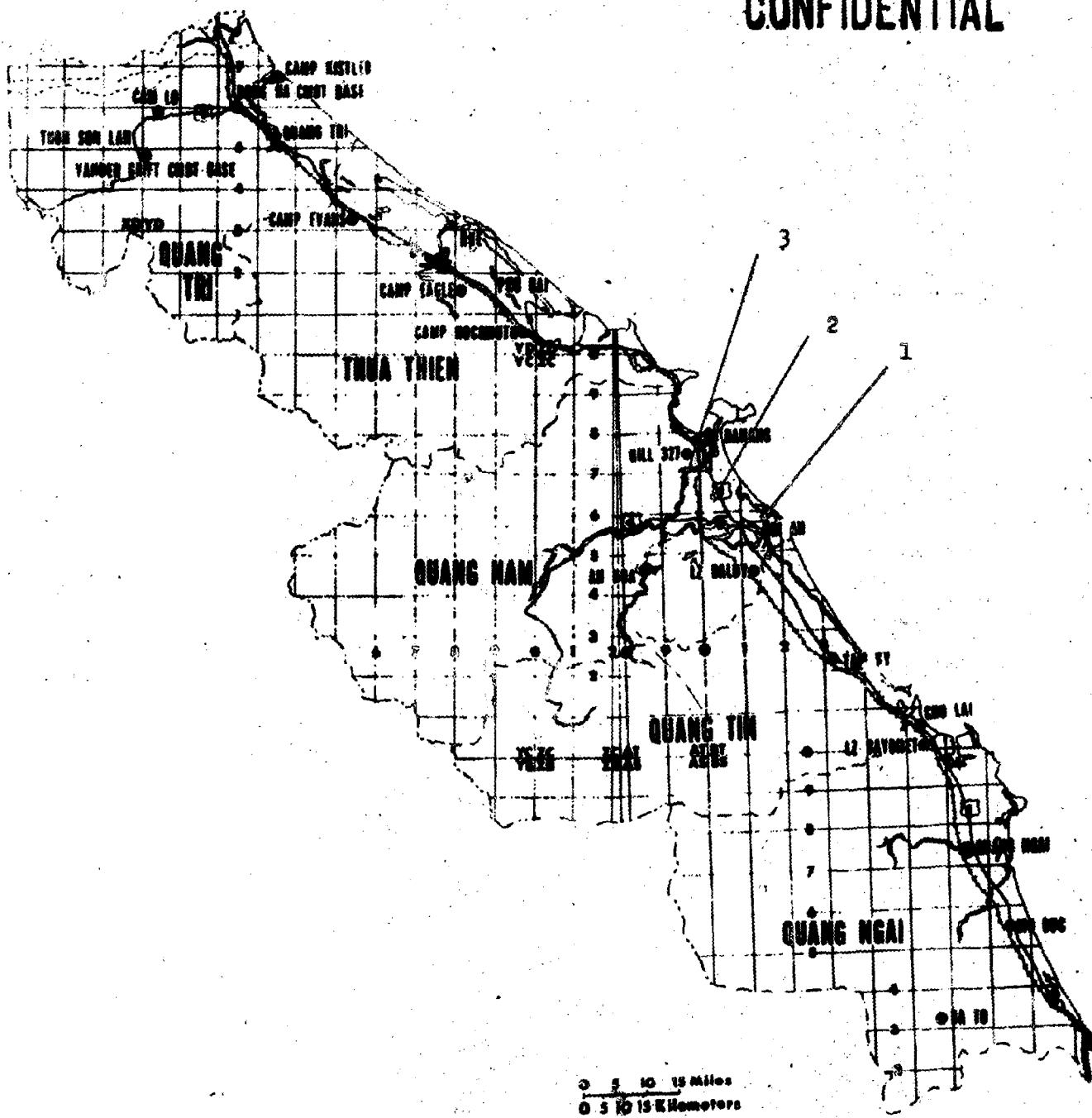
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1 VN Detainee	NONE	NONE	

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 121715H: A CAP 2-4-3 patrol discovered 4 bunkers at BT 168586, 1.2 km NE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. A search of the bunkers disclosed 15 pounds of rice, assorted ordnance, and one 60mm mortar HE round rigged as a SFD. The ordnance and bunkers were destroyed. The rice was distributed among the CAP PF. A further search of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: $\frac{1}{2}$ lb TNT, 4 M-79 HE rounds, 8 M-26 grenades, one 105mm HE round, 1 SFD destroyed; 15 lbs of rice captured.

QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

2. 130900H: Headquarters, 1st CAG located at Chu Lai Combat Base at BT 530115, was deactivated. The deactivation was with the approval of the CG, III MAF.

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	NONE	NONE	NONE

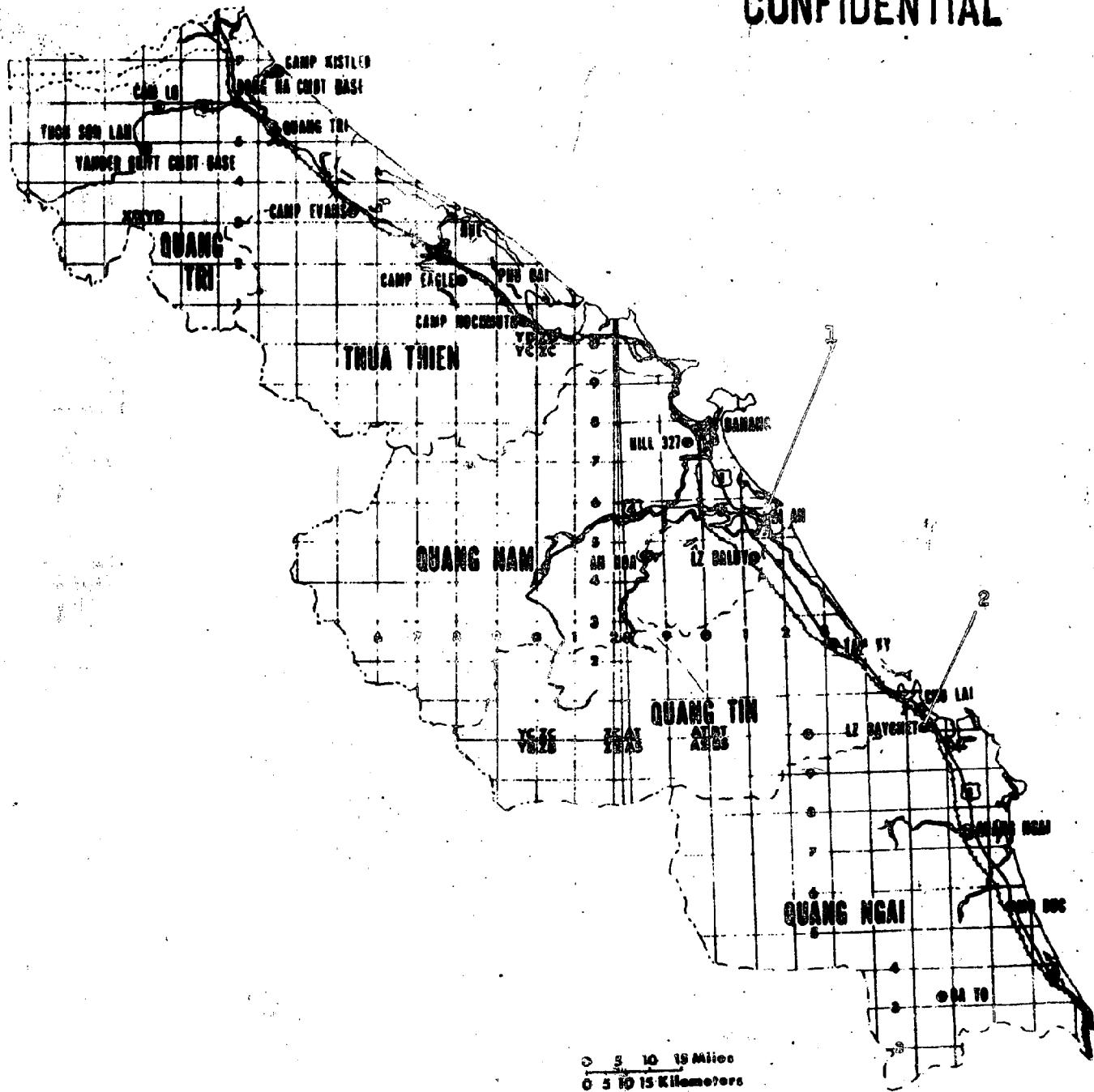
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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 132230H: A CAP 2-3-5 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 4 VC with weapons moving S at BT 078558, 2.5 km S of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with 2 ChiCom grenades and fled S. Two USMC received minor fragmentation wounds in the contact. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 2 USMC WIA(M).
2. 141155H: A CAP 2-4-3 patrol received AWF and SAF from an USEF at BT 176586, 2.5 km NE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The patrol returned fire with organic weapons fire and called an 81mm mortar fire mission on probable enemy locations. Assisted by an AO, a sweep of the area disclosed 3 bunkers discovered by the patrol and 3 bunkers observed by the AO. The bunkers were located in vicinity of the above grid and a search of each was nonproductive. The bunkers were destroyed. RESULTS: 6 bunkers destroyed.

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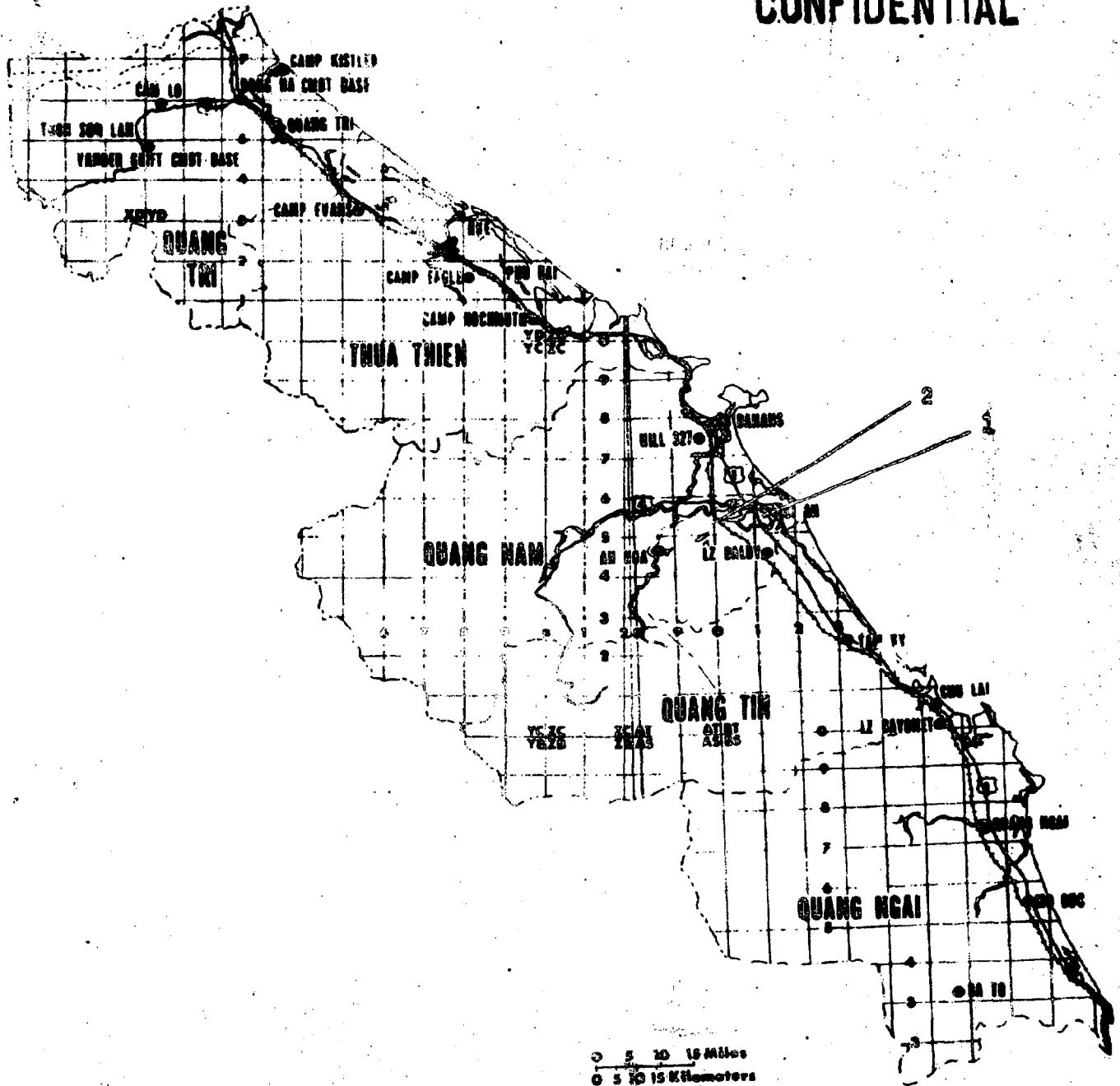
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2 USMC WIA(M)

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 151245H: A CAP 2-3-2 patrol apprehended 1 VN male carrying rice and attempting to avoid the patrol at BT 057605, 2.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The VN had an improper identification card. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the VN was detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. The rice was also delivered to District Headquarters. RESULTS: 1 VN civilian detained; 20 lbs of rice captured.
2. 141700H: While conducting a multi-CAP search and sweep operation, CAPs 2-7-2, 2-7-4, 2-7-10, and a control element from CACO 2-7 Headquarters apprehended 18 VN civilians at BT 054637, 5.7 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. District representatives accompanying the control element identified 3 of the VN as VCI. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the remaining 15 VN along with the 3 VCI were detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. During the operation the force discovered 6 "Toe Popper" mines buried beside trails in vicinity of the above grid. The SFIDs were destroyed in place. RESULTS: 3 VCI captured, 15 VN civilians detained; 6 SFIDs destroyed.

<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
3 VCI	NONE	NONE	

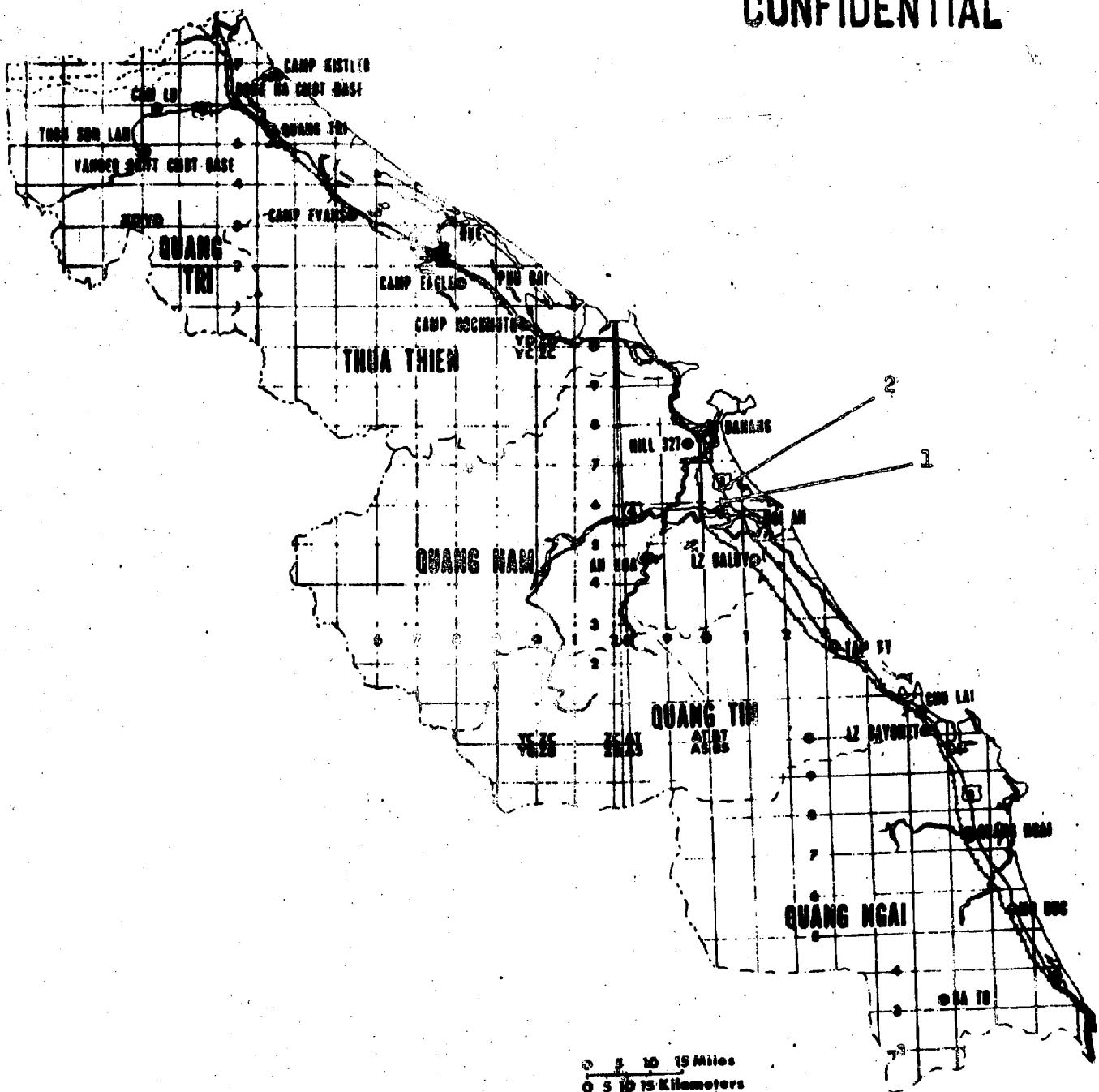
16 VN DETAINEES

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 2nd CAG had negative contact with the enemy during the reporting period.

<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 161955H: A USMC member of a CAP 2-7-8 patrol detonated an M-26 grenade booby trap, rigged with a trip wire firing device, located beside a trail at BT 061658, 7.5 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The USMC received minor fragmentation wounds from the SFD. A sweep of the area for further SFDs was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(M).
2. 162045H: A CAP 2-3-3 ambush received 2 ChiCom grenades from 4 VC at BT 052593, 2 km NW of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The ambush returned organic weapons fire causing the enemy to flee W. A CAP RF received minor fragmentation wounds from the grenades. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 RF WIA(M).

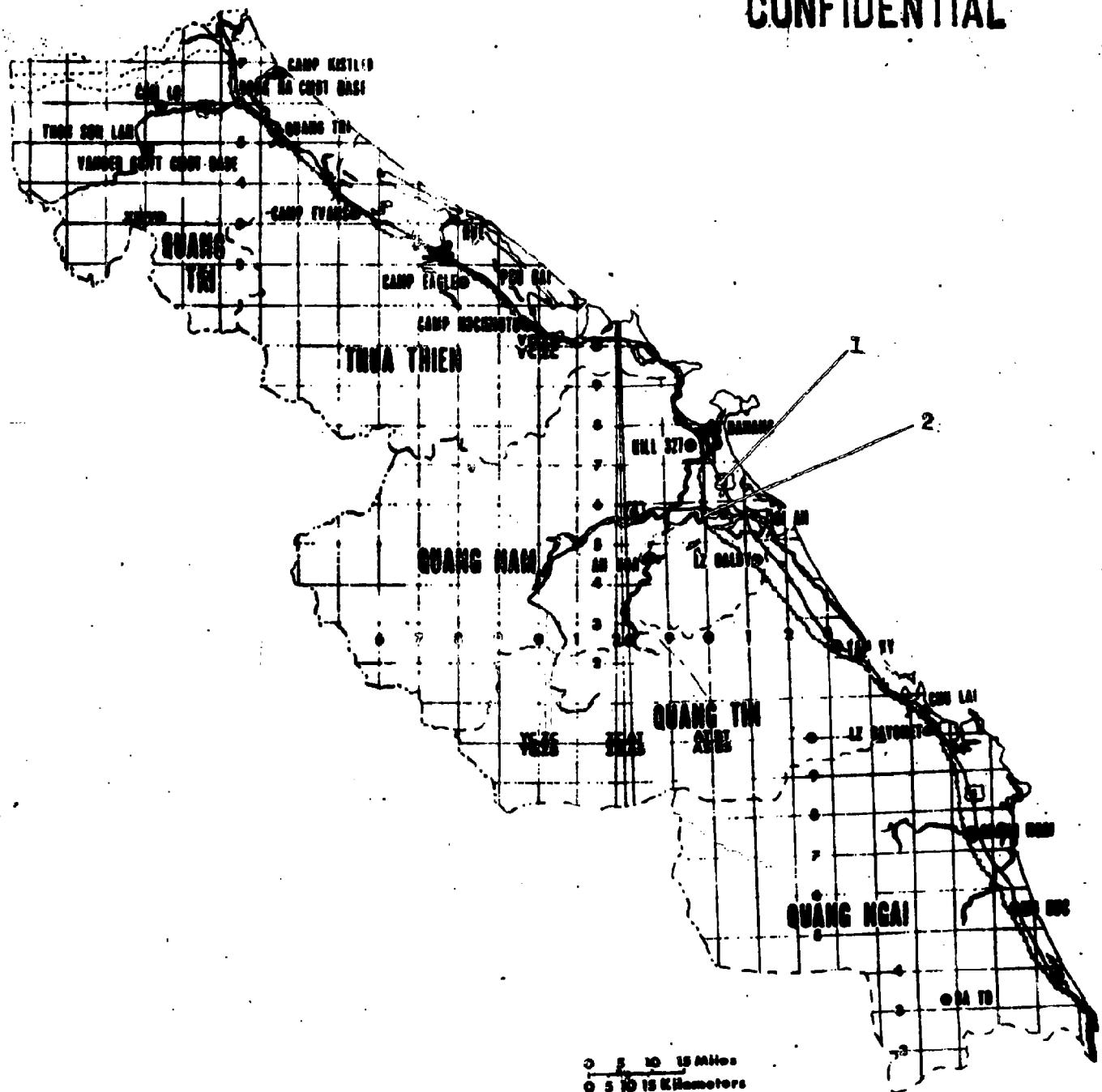
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	NONE	NONE	1 USMC WIA(M) 1 RF WIA(M)

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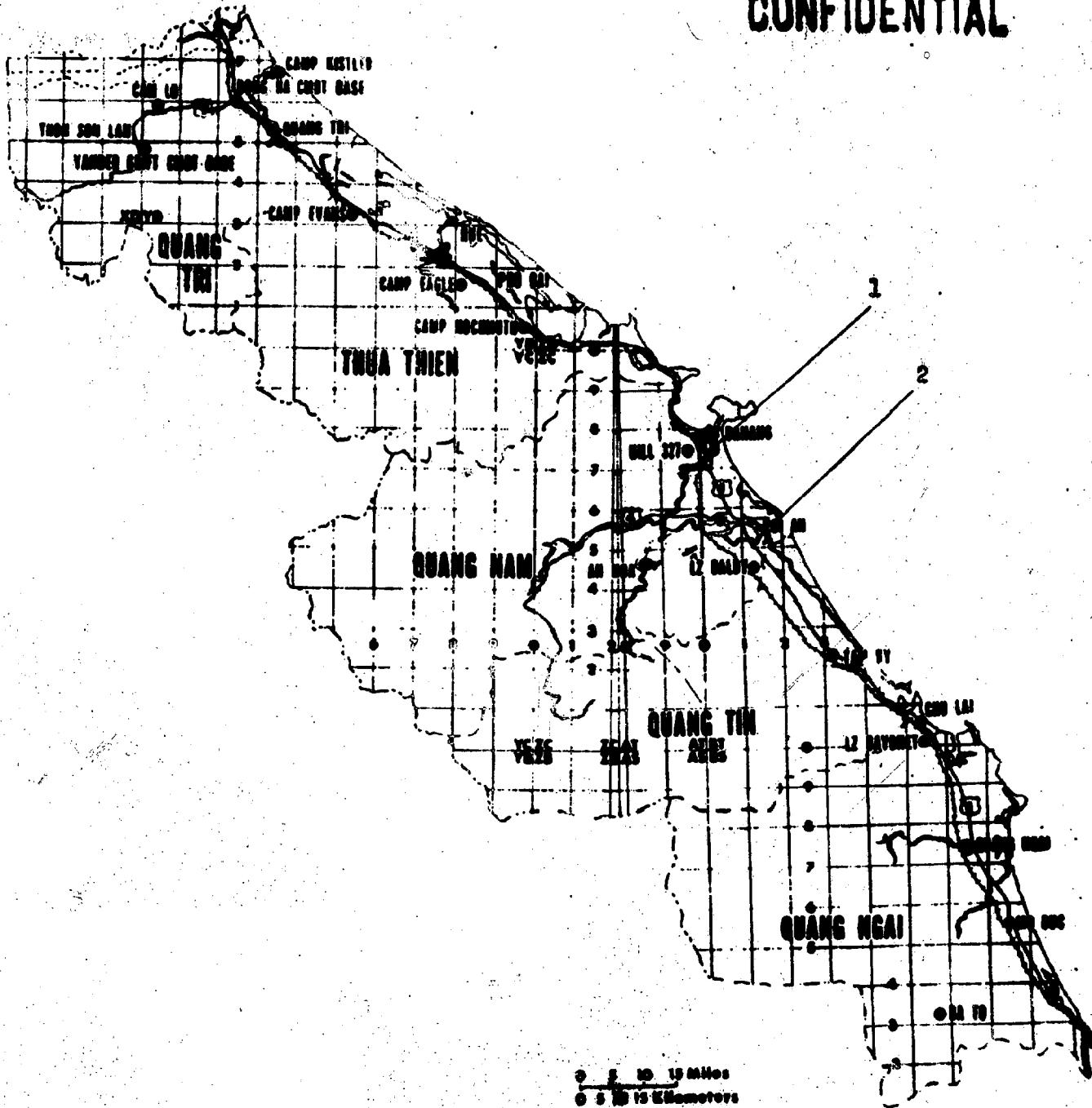
QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 171940H: Hearing an explosion, a CAP 2-1-4 patrol base dispatched a patrol to investigate. While approaching the scene of the explosion, the patrol initiated organic weapons fire on 2 VC with weapons fleeing W at AT 947692, 2 km E of Hieu Duc District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and 1 ChiCom grenade. One USMC received minor fragmentation wounds during the contact. A sweep of the area disclosed 1 VN male with an improper identification card. Unresponsive to questioning by CAP PF, the VN was detained and delivered to District Headquarters for further interrogation. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(M); 1 VN civilian detained.
2. 172010H: A CAP 2-4-7 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 1 VC carrying a weapon and moving NW at BT 180556, 3 km SE of Hieu Nhom District Headquarters. The enemy fled in an unknown direction without returning fire. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: Negative.

<u>SUMMARY</u>	<u>ENEMY</u>	<u>WEAPONS</u>	<u>FRIENDLY</u>
1 VN DETAINEE	NONE		1 USMC WIA(M)

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QUANG NAM PROVINCE

1. 182130H: A CAP 2-3-6 ambush initiated organic weapons fire on 2 VC with weapons, moving E at BT 063590, 1 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with 2 M-79 HE rounds and fled W. Two USMC received minor fragmentation wounds during the contact. A sweep of the area disclosed 1 M-26 grenade not rigged as an SFD. The grenade was destroyed in place. RESULTS: 2 USMC WIA(M); 1 M-26 grenade destroyed.
2. 182135H: A CAP 2-4-3 patrol received SAF and 1 M-79 HE round from an estimated 4 VC at BT 169578, 700m E of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The patrol returned fire with organic weapons causing the enemy to flee W. A CAP PF received minor fragmentation wounds during the contact. A sweep of the area was nonproductive. RESULTS: 1 PF WIA(M).
3. 190400H: A CAP 2-3-8 ambush observed 3 VC with weapons, moving W at BT 048611, 3.7 km N of Dien Ban District Headquarters. The ambush dispatched a patrol to intercept the enemy. The patrol initiated organic weapons fire on the enemy. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled SE. A sweep of the area disclosed assorted civilian shirts and trousers, 1 pack containing 8 lbs of rice and assorted medical supplies. The clothing, rice and medical supplies were turned over to District Headquarters. RESULTS: 5 civilian shirts, 3 civilian trousers; 1 pack; 8 lbs of rice and assorted medical supplies captured.

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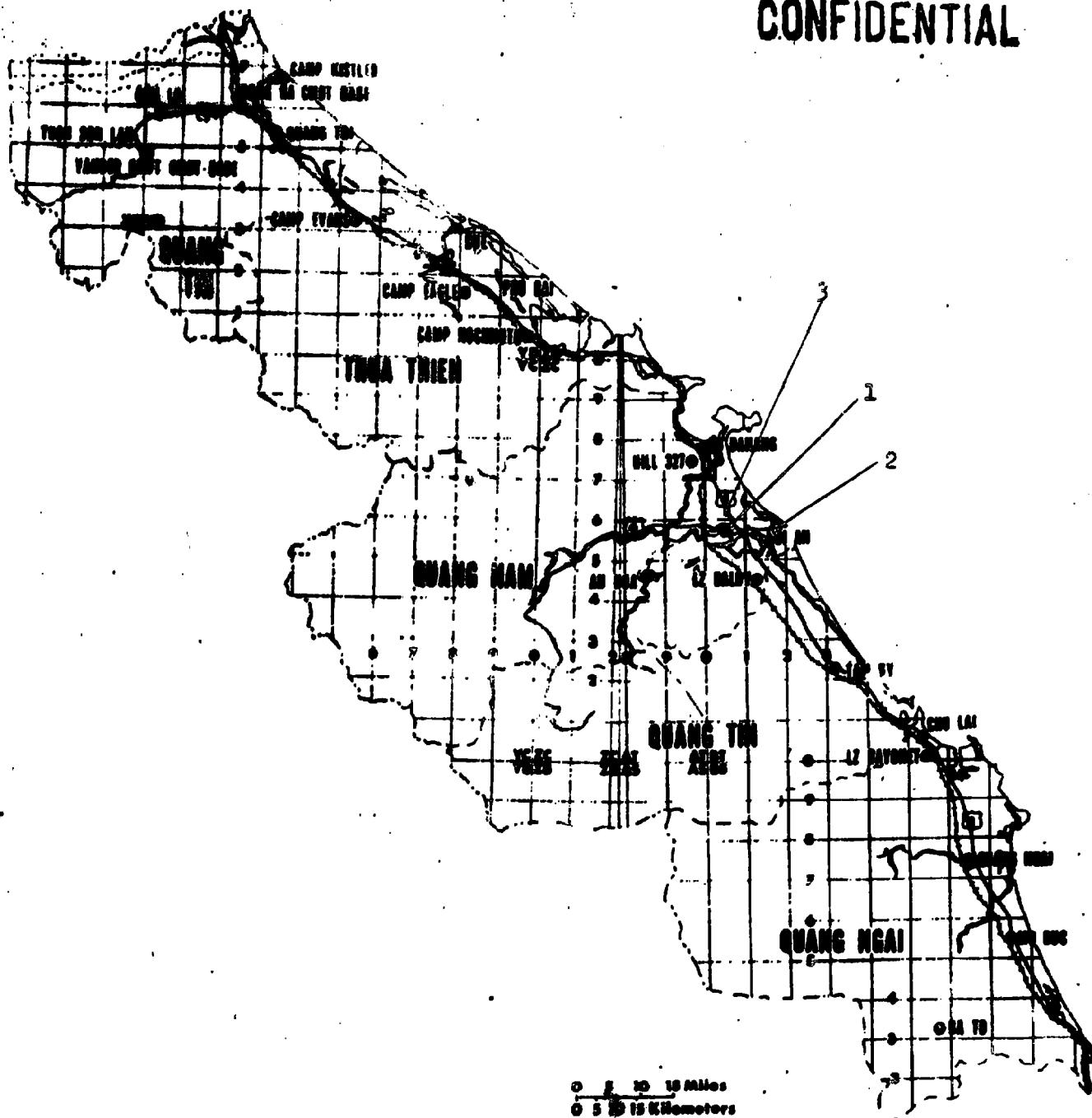
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2 USMC WIA(M)

1 PF WIA(M)

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1. 192130H: A CAP 2-4-1 patrol initiated organic weapons fire on 2 VC with weapons moving NW at BT 176593, 2.5 km NE of Hieu Nhon District Headquarters. The enemy returned fire with SAF and fled SW. A sweep of the area was nonproductive.
RESULTS: Negative.

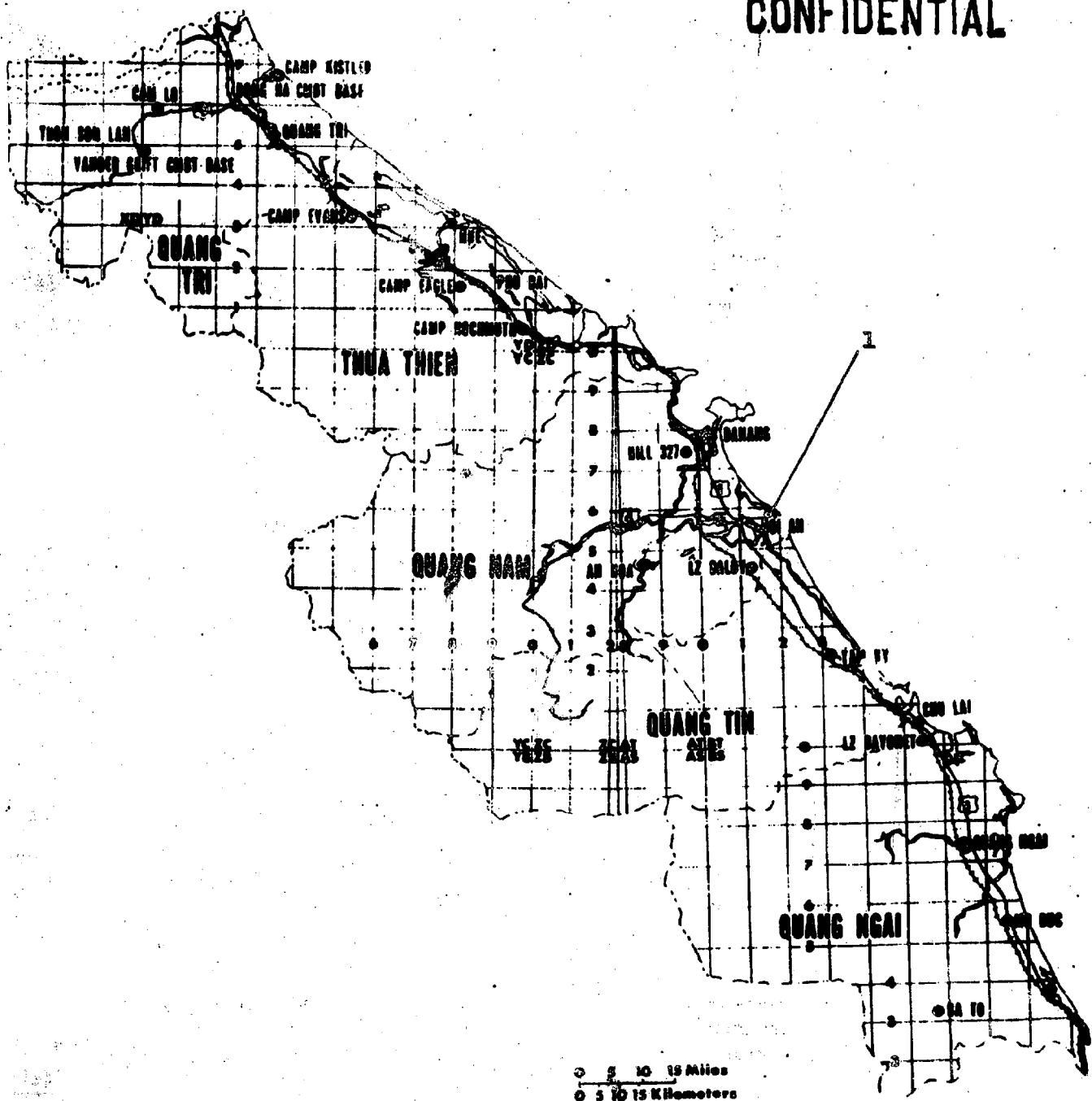
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	NONE	NONE	NONE

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1. 202045H: WHILE ENROUTE TO NIGHT AMBUSH, CAP 2-7-2 INITIATED SMALL ARMS FIRE ON (2) VC AT BT 033629, 4 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. VC RETURNED SMALL ARMS FIRE AND FLED TO THE WEST. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

2. 202245H: CAP 2-3-4 INITIATED M-60, M-16 AND M-26 FIRE ON (3) VC MOVING EAST TO WEST AT BT 090572, 3 KM SE OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. VC RETURNED (1) M-26 GRENADE AND FLED IN AN UNKNOWN DIRECTION. A SWEEP OF THE AREA WAS NONPRODUCTIVE. RESULTS: (1) USMC WIA(M).

3. 211300H: TWO VN CIVILIAN CASES OF POSSIBLE PLAGUE HAVE BEEN FOUND IN VILLAGE AT BT 950665, 7 KM SW OF HOA VANG DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP 2-1-5 IS UP TO DATE ON PLAGUE SHOTS TO INCLUDE BOOSTERS ADMINISTERED THIS DATE.

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 211600H - 221600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 212022H: WHILE ENROUTE TO AMBUSH SITE A CAP 2-7-1 PATROL RECEIVED PROBING

SAF FROM 5 VC APPROXIMATELY 100 METERS TO THE SOUTH AT GRID BT 027636, 5.5 KM

NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. THE CAP RETURNED M-16 AND M-79 FIRE

CAUSING THE ENEMY TO FLEE IN UNKNOWN DIRECTION. SWEEP OF AREA NONPRODUCTIVE.

RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

2. 212355H: A CAP 2-3-5 AMBUSH AT GRID BT 078559, 2.2 KM SE OF DIEN BAN

DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS, RECEIVED ONE INCOMING M-26 GRENADE FROM AN USEF

APPROXIMATELY 80 METERS TO THE WEST. THE CAP RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE

CAUSING THE VC TO FLEE WEST. ONE PF WAS KIA, 1 PF WAS WIA(E) AND 1 PF WAS

WIA(M) WITH SHRAPNEL WOUNDS FROM THE INCOMING GRENADE. A SWEEP OF THE AREA WAS

NONPRODUCTIVE. RESULTS: 1 PF KIA; 1 PF WIA(E), 1 PF WIA(M).

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3. 220125H: CAP 2-4-5 WHILE IN THEIR NIGHT AMBUSH SITE AT GRID BT 164570, 1.5

KM EAST OF HIEU NHON DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS, SPOTTED 4 VC APPROXIMATELY 100 METERS

TO THEIR EAST. CAP INITIATED SAF. VC RETURNED FIRE AND FLED EAST. ONE USMC WAS

WIA(E) IN THE CONTACT. A SWEEP OF THE AREA FOUND 15 LBS OF RICE. RESULTS: 1

USMC WIA(E); 15 LBS OF RICE CAPTURED.

4. 221200H: CAP 2-2-1 WHILE ON RICE HARVEST SECURITY HEARD AN EXPLOSION AND
 SIMULTANEOUSLY RECEIVED SAF FROM 2 VC 150 METERS TO THEIR NORTH AT GRID BT 943585,
 2.5 KM EAST OF DAI LOC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE
 CAUSING THE VC TO FLEE NE. SWEEP AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 221600H - 231600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 221927H: CAP 2-7-1 WHILE ENROUTE TO AMBUSH SITE SPOTTED 3 VC AT GRID

BT 032636, 5 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. THE CAP INITIATED

CONTACT AT 150 METERS. VC RETURNED SAF AND FLED WEST. SWEEP REVEALED (1) HEAVY BLOOD TRAIL. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

2. 222030H: CAP 2-3-6 WHILE IN NIGHT SITE RECEIVED (2) INCOMING M-26 GRENADES AND (1) M-79 ROUND FROM (4) VC 45 METERS TO THEIR NORTH AT GRID BT 066587, 0.7

KM N OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. THE CAP RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE.

VC FLED NORTH. SWEEP AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

3. 222030H: CAP 2-1-4 WHILE IN AMBUSH SITE AT GRID AT 946687, 1.7 KM E OF

HIEU DUC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS SPOTTED (3) VC 100 METERS TO THEIR SOUTH.

CAP 2-1-4 INITIATED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE. VC FLED IN AN UNKNOWN DIRECTION.

DURING SWEEP CAP 2-1-4 SPOTTED (2) VC FLEEING NORTH. THE CAP INITIATED CONTACT.

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VC FLED NORTH WITHOUT RETURNING FIRE. SWEEP OF AREA PRODUCED NEGATIVE

RESULTS: RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 241600H - 251600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 241930H: CAP 2-7-2 PATROL INITIATED FIRE ON (3) VC WITH WEAPONS MOVING NORTH 150 METERS AWAY AT GRID BT 024631, 5.8 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS.

VC FLED INTO A HAMLET WITHOUT RETURNING FIRE. A SWEEP REVEALED (3) VN CIVILIANS WIA FROM FRIENDLY FIRE. ONE VN MALE CIVILIAN WAS MEDEVACED. RESULTS: (1) VN CIVILIAN WIA(E) AND (2) VN CIVILIANS WIA(M).

2. 242020H: CAP 2-8-7 WHILE IN NIGHT SITE RECEIVED INCOMING B-40 AND M-60 FIRE FROM AN USEF 150 METERS TO THE SE AT GRID BT 038620, 4.2 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE. ENEMY FLED SOUTH. SWEEP AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. ONE PF AND (1) USMC RECEIVED SHRAPNEL WOUNDS IN THE CONTACT. RESULTS: (1) PF WIA(E) AND (1) USMC WIA(M).

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3. 250015H: WHILE IN NIGHT SITE CAP 2-3-5 RECEIVED ONE INCOMING M-26 AND SAF FROM AN USEF 45 METERS TO THE SOUTH AT GRID BT 080557, 3 KM SE OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE CAUSING ENEMY TO FLEE WEST. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

4. 250815H: CAP 2-1-1 PATROL DISCOVERED (4) BUNKERS IN VICINITY OF GRID AT 925727, 4.5 KM N OF HIEU DUC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. THE BUNKERS CONTAINED (1) DEAD PIG AND (2) M-79 ROUNDS. WHILE BLOWING BUNKERS A SECONDARY EXPLOSION OCCURED WHICH RESULTED IN (1) USMC WIA(M). RESULTS: (1) USMC WIA(M) AND (2) M-79 ROUNDS DESTROYED.

5. 250930H: CAPS 2-4-1 AND 2-4-3, WHILE ON JOINT OPERATION IN VICINITY OF GRID BT 168595, 2 KM N OF HIEU NHON DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS, DISCOVERED (2) 105MM BOOBY TRAPS, (1) 81MM MORTAR ROUND BOOBY TRAP, (1) FOOT TRAP NON-EXPLOSIVE, (1) UNDETERMINED TYPE BOOBY TRAP AND (2) BUNKERS. BUNKERS AND BOOBY TRAPS WERE

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DESTROYED IN PLACE. RESULTS: (2) 105MM BOOBY TRAPS, (1) 82MM BOOBY TRAP, (1) FOOT TRAP NON-EXPLOSIVE, (1) UNKNOWN TYPE BOOBY TRAP AND (2) BUNKERS DESTROYED.

6. 251345H: CAP 2-1-5 WHILE ON PATROL DISCOVERED (2) BOOBY TRAPS, WHICH CONSISTED OF CHICOMS IN CANS WITH TRIP WIRES, AT GRID AT 953655, 3.5 KM SE OF HIEU DUC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. THE BOOBY TRAPS WERE BLOWN IN PLACE. RESULTS: (2) CHICOM TYPE BOOBY TRAPS DESTROYED.

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1 USMC WAS WOUNDED AND EVACED. CAP DID NOT RETURN FIRE DUE TO LACK OF DISCERNABLE TARGET. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(E).

7. 260815H: CAP 2-4-5 ON DAY PATROL FOUND 1 BANNER, 1 VC FLAG AND NUMEROUS LEAFLETS AT GRID BT 174582, 1.5 KM S OF HIEU NHON DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. LEAFLETS DELIVERED TO DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. RESULTS: 1 BANNER, 1 VC FLAG AND NUMEROUS LEAFLETS CAPTURED.

8. 260930H: CAP 2-2-1 WHILE ON RICE HARVEST SECURITY DISCOVERED 1 TUNNEL AND 25 LBS OF RICE HIDDEN BY A HAYSTACK AT GRID AT 944587, 2.6 KM E OF DAI LOC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. NINE VN CIVILIANS, 5 FEMALES AND 4 MALES, UNRESPONSIVE TO QUESTIONING BY CAP PF WERE DETAINED AND DELIVERED TO DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS ALONG WITH THE RICE. TUNNEL WAS DESTROYED. RESULTS: 9 VCS; 25 LBS OF RICE CAPTURED; 1 TUNNEL DESTROYED.

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TO THEIR EAST AT GRID BT 055606, 2.7 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. NO RETURN FIRE. ENEMY FLED W. SWEPT AREA. ROUND 2 VC KIA AND 1 AK-47. RESULTS: 2 VC KIA; 1 IWC.

4. 252050H: WHILE ENROUTE TO AMBUSH SITE CAP 2-7-8 RECEIVED SAF FROM AN USEF 150 METERS TO THE WEST AT GRID BT 059660, 8 KM N OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED SAF. ENEMY FLED WEST. SWEPT AREA. 1 USMC RECEIVED MINOR WOUND IN CONTACT. RESULTS: 1 USMC WIA(M).

5. 260100H: WHILE IN NIGHT SITE CAP 2-3-5 INITIATED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE ON AN USEF 100 METERS TO THEIR SOUTH AT GRID BT 076553, 3 KM SE OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. ENEMY RETURNED FIRE AND FLED SW. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

6. 260115H: CAP 2-3-6 RECEIVED INCOMING SAF FROM AN UNKNOWN DIRECTION FROM AN USEF. CAP WAS IN NIGHT SITE AT GRID BT 067586, 200 METERS NORTH OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 251600H - 261600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 251715H: CAP 2-7-4 WHILE ON PATROL SPOTTED 3 VC 50 METERS TO THEIR E AT GRID BT 054635, 5 KM N OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP INITIATED CONTACT. VC RETURNED FIRE AND FLED W. 3 VN CIVILIANS UNRESPONSIVE TO CAP PF QUESTIONING WERE DETAINED AND DELIVERED TO DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. A FURTHER SEARCH REVEALED 1 VC KIA, 1 M-26 GRENADE AND SEVERAL DOCUMENTS. ONE USMC RECEIVED A MINOR WOUND IN THE CONTACT. M-26 WAS BLOWN IN PLACE. DOCUMENTS DELIVERED TO DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. RESULTS: 1 VC KIA; 1 USMC WIA(M); 3 VCS; 1 M-26 DESTROYED; DOCUMENTS CAPTURED.

2. 251815H: A CAP 2-4-7 PATROL FOUND 1 DUD 81MM HE ROUND, 1 ANTI PERSONNEL MINE AND 1 M-14 TOEPOPPER AT GRID BT 185555, 3.2 KM SE OF HIEU NHOM DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. 81MM ROUND WAS NOT RIGGED AS SFD. ORDNANCE DESTROYED. RESULTS: 2 SFD'S AND 1 81MM ROUND DESTROYED.

3. 252040H: CAP 2-3-2 INITIATED CONTACT WITH ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE ON AN USEF 200 METERS

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4. 262105H: CAP 2-7-3 IN THEIR NIGHT SITE RECEIVED (1) INCOMING M-79 HE ROUND FROM AN USEF 200 METERS TO THEIR EAST AT GRID BT 028658, 7 KM SE OF HOA VANG DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE. VC FLED IN UNKNOWN DIRECTION.

RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

5. 262110H: CAP 2-4-1, WHILE ON PATROL, SPOTTED (4) VC 100 METERS TO THE NORTH AT GRID BT 178593, 2.6 KM NE OF HIEU NHON DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP 2-4-1 INITIATED ORGANIC WEAPONS FIRE, CAUSING VC TO FLEE NORTH. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 261600H - 271600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 261935H: CAP 2-3-6 WHILE IN THEIR NIGHT SITE AT GRID BT 067591, 1 KM N OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS RECEIVED (4) B-40 AND (3) M-26 GRENADES FROM AN USEF 50 METERS TO THEIR NORTH. THE CAP RETURNED M-60 AND SAF. ENEMY FLED IN UNKNOWN DIRECTION. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

2. 262017H: CAP 2-7-7 WHILE IN AMBUSH SITE SPOTTED (3) VC 75 METERS TO THE N AT GRID BT 028704, 2.8 KM SE OF HOA VANG DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP INITIATED FIRE. VC RETURNED (2) GRENADES AND FLED SOUTH. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

3. 262030H: CAP 2-3-7 RECEIVED (2) M-26 AND SAF FROM AN USEF TO THE SOUTH AND WEST AT GRID BT 038617, 3.8 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP 2-3-7 RETURNED M-60 AND SAF CAUSING THE ENEMY TO FLEE WEST. ONE USMC RECEIVED SHRAPNEL WOUNDS DURING THE CONTACT. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: (1) USMC WIA(E).

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 271600H - 281600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 281030H: CAPS 2-1-4, 2-1-5 AND (4) PF PLATOONS ON A COMBINED SWEEP/ATT GRID AT 955689, 2.6 KM EAST OF HIEU DUC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS FOUND (2) 250 LBS BOMBS, (1) 155MM HE ROUND NOT RIGGED AS SFD AND 1 UNKNOWN TYPE ROCKET RIGGED FOR COMMAND DETONATION. ALL ORDNANCE WAS DESTROYED IN PLACE. RESULTS: 1 SFD, (2) 250 LBS BOMBS AND (1) 155MM HE ROUND DESTROYED.

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MORTAR FIRE MISSION AND RETURNED OWE. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

8. 290700H: ACTING ON INTELLIGENCE FROM VILLAGERS, CAP 2-7-5 FOUND 1 VN KIA BY SAW AND 1 VN KIA WITH HIS THROAT SLASHED. VILLAGERS REPORTED VN WERE ASSASSINATED BY VC.

CAP FOUND 5 LEAFLETS WRITTEN IN ENGLISH AND VIETNAMESE. LEAFLETS TAKEN TO DISTRICT DIOCC. INCIDENT OCCURRED AT GRID BT 054697, 4.2 KM SE OF HOA VANG DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. RESULTS: 2 VN CIVILIANS KIA; 5 LEAFLETS CAPTURED.

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4. 282113H: CAP 2-7-2 AMBUSH OBSERVED (2) VC 150 METERS TO THEIR SOUTH AT GRID BT 035624, 4.8 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP INITIATED OFW. VC FLED SOUTH WITHOUT RETURNING FIRE. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

5. 282145H: A CAP 2-7-4 PATROL RECEIVED (2) INCOMING CHICOM GRENADES FROM (2) VC 50 METERS TO THEIR WEST AT GRID BT 043623, 4.1 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED SAF. VC FLED WEST. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.

6. 282210H: CAP 2-2-1 AMBUSH INITIATED OFW ON (4) VC 100 METERS TO THEIR NORTH AT GRID AT 925575, 1.2 KM EAST OF HIEU DUC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. VC FLED W WITHOUT RETURNING FIRE. SWEPT AREA FOUND 1 M-26 GRENADE AND (1) 10 LB SHAPE CHARGE MINE. ORDNANCE BLOWN IN PLACE. RESULTS: 1 M-26 GRENADE AND (1) 10 LB SHAPE CHARGE MINE DESTROYED.

7. 290308H: CAP 2-2-4 AMBUSH AT GRID AT 860574, 5.7 KM W OF HIEU DUC DISTRICT HeadQUARTERS RECEIVED (6) CHICOM GRENADES AND SAF FROM (6) VC AT RANGE OF 50 METERS. CAP CALLED 81MM

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 281600H - 291600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 281815H: CAP 2-7-10 PATROL RECEIVED SAF FROM USEF 350 METERS TO THEIR NORTH AT GRID BT 044647, 6 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED SAF. VC FLED UNKNOWN DIRECTION. SWEPT AREA. RESULTS: NEGATIVE.
2. 282000H: HEARING AN EXPLOSION CAP 2-7-8 PATROL BASE DISPATCHED PATROL TO INVESTIGATE AT GRID BT 052659, 7.4 KM SE OF HOA VANG DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. PATROL DISCOVERED (2) VN KIA, 940 VN WIA. RESULTS: 2 RD KIA; 1 RD WIA(E), 1 RF WIA(E), 1 VN CIVILIAN WIA(E), 1 VN WIA(M).
3. 282007H: A CAP 2-7-1 PATROL RECEIVED SAF AND 1 RPG ROUND FROM USEF AT GRID BT 037657, 6.5 KM NW OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. CAP RETURNED FIRE. VC FLED WEST. DURING SWEEP PATROL RECEIVED (1) RPG ROUND CAUSING 3 USMC WIA(M). CAP RETURNED FIRE. VC FLED UNKNOWN DIRECTION. CONTINUED SWEEP WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. RESULTS: 3 USMC WIA(M).

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DAILY OPERATIONS SUMMARY: 291600H - 301600H SEPTEMBER 1970

1. 291645H: ACTING ON INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM LOCAL VILLAGERS CAP 2-7-8 PATROL APPREHENDED (1) VN FEMALE AND (1) VN MALE CARRYING (2) M-26 GRENADES AT BT 052659, 8 KM NORTH OF DIEN BAN DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. THE VN MALE WAS IDENTIFIED AS VC BY LOCAL VILLAGERS, THE VN FEMALE UNRESPONSIVE TO QUESTIONING WAS DETAINED. THE POW AND DETAINEE WERE DELIVERED TO DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS FOR INTERROGATION. RESULTS: 1 VC POW; 1 VN DETAINED.

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