HEADQUARTERS 3d Medical Battalion 3d Marine Division FPO San Francisco, 96602

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- 1. In accordance with references (a) and (b), the following report is submitted:
 - a. 3d Medical Battalion, 3d Marine Division (Rein) FMF
 - (1) Location: Coordinates AT 889145
 - (2) Period covered by this report: 1 through 28 February 1967
 - (3) Commanding Officer and Staff Officers:
 - (a) Commanding Officer CDR J. T. VINCENT, MC, USN
 - (b) Executive Officer LCDR J. S. ROMINE, MC, USN
 - (c) S-1/Adjutant/Admin Officer LT C. "R" WATERS, MSC, USN
 - (d) Special Assistant to Bn C.O. 2ndLT L. D. RICHARDS, USMC
 - b. Significant events during the month of February 1967:
 - (1) Personnel:

(a) Corpsmen staffing is minimal to man facilities at Dong Ha, Phu Bai, DaNang, and to provide contigency support and to staff outgoing BLT's (without rotation). Present corpsmen staffing averages 69% of manning level and is felt to be marginal for combat support of the division. This was reported on last month's command chronology and the percentage has dropped from 75% to 69%.

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(b) The following awards were presented to personnel attached to this command: Bronze Star: 1, Navy Commendation Medals with Combat Device: 4.

(2) Administration:

- (a) Direct Out-of-Country patient evacuation: OO. Number of patients transferred to the USS REPOSE: 25. Number of patients transferred to NSA Hospital: 61. Number of patients transferred to 22nd CSF: 70. Number of patients returned to duty: 125.
 - (3) Miscellaneous: None

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