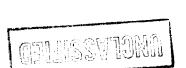
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THIRD MAR DIV SITEP NUMBER 240 AS OF OLIGOZIJAN. 1966

1. THIRD MAR DIV HIGHLIGHES.

A. Box source	(DAY) D	(NIGHT)	M				
	VI ale	TEAM N	SQU. D	AD N	PLAT D	00#	COMPANY D N
SCOUT SMIPE	8	6					
Listening Post	2	92					
AMBUSH	1	33	2	90		4	
RECOM PATROL	11	9	8	4	3	6	
ShCUAITY PATGOL	11	10	28	38	5	3	
SKARCH & DESTROY			10	27	3	1	1
TOTAL	33	151	48	159	11	14	1

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	A(SIZE	TYPE	PRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	EMENY UNIT/ LOSSES
QUANG MAN					
AT 936664	31201 <i>5</i> H	នយា	AXB	F/1/1/NOME	UNK /UNK
AT 923674	312015H	sqp	A) (B	F/1/1/HOME	UNK/UNK
BT 072673	31210 5 H	ado	AKB	B/1/9/NOHE	UNK /UNK
BT 056640	011100H	∞	5/D	C/1/9/1 WIA	UMK/UMK
AT 990642	312010H	PLT	SEC	F/2/9/NOME	UNK/UNK
AT 995643	011200H	နဏ္ဍာ	S/D	F/2/9/1VIA	UHK/UHK
AT 962660	0 10400 H	PLT	SEC	L/3/3/1010E	UNK/UNK
AT 966648	01090 5 H	SQD	8/D	M/3/3/NOME	UNK/UNK
AT 959657	010945H	SQD	s/D	H/3/3/NOUE	UMK/UMK
AT 955648	010945H	800	s/d	H/3/3/1WIA	UNK/2WIA(POS)
QUANG TIM					
BT 463146	011505H	8QD	SEC	B/1/4/2WIA	UNK /UNK
BT 447055	011246H	0 0	S/D	F/2/4/BOMR	UNK/1WIA(CAPT) 2 WIA (POS)
QUANG MGAI					<i>\frac{1}{2}</i>
BS 637909	311330H	sąp	SEC	B/1/7/HOM:	UMX/2VC8
BS 623983	312220H	c o	SEC	B/1/7/10胜	UNK/UNK
BS 618985	010001H	0 0	8EC	B/1/7/MORE	UNK/UNK
BT 561028	010025H	CO	SURC	HAS/1/7/WOME	UNK/UNK
THUA THIRM					
YD 856133	312255H	SQD	OP	H&S/2/1/NONE	UPAK /UNIK
YD 790110	011700H	PL T	PAT	A/3/RECOM/1KIA	UNK/UNK
GLANG TIN BT 465024	£11200H	P11	Pat	E/3/7/NONE	UNK/2VC

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C. DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS. A TOTAL OF 416 SEPERATE OFFENSIVE ACTIONS WERE CONDUCTED TO GAIN CONTACT WITH VC FORCES. RESULTING IN 19 CONTACTS.

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2. DA HANG OPERATIONS

A. THIND MARINES

(1) BOX SCURES

	FIRET SAH	SUL	AD	
	D N	D	N	
LISTERLING FOST	26			
Artālišti			20	
RECON PATROL		5	2	
SECURITY PATROL		2	3	

(2) 1ST BN. 1ST MAKINES. AT 312015H. A GRENADE EXPLODED APPROXIMATELY 300 METERS FROM A GO F SQUAD AMBUSH VIC (AT 936654). IT COULD NOT BE DETERMINED WHERE THE GRENADE CAME FROM BUT IT WAS ASCERTAINED THAT FRIENDLY UNITS HAD NOT THROWN A GRENADE INTO THAT VICINITY. NO USMC CASUALTIES.

AT 312015H. CO F SQUAD AMBUSH VIC (AT 923694) BEGSIVED ABOUT 20 RDS OF AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE FROM A POINT WORTH OF THE AMBUSH. FIRE WAS NOT RETURNED AS NO SPECIFIC TARGET COULD BE PINPOINTED. HO USHC CASUALTIES.

(3) 30 BN. 30 MARINES. AT 010400H. THE 3D PLT OF CO L VIC (AT 962660)
RECEIVED ONE INCOMING SA RD. NO CASUALTIES. DIRECTION OF INCOMING RD
UNDETERMINED. NO FIRE WAS RETURNED.

AT 010905H. A CO M SQUAD VIC (AT 966648) RECEIVED A HEAVY VOLUME OF SAFIRE FROM AN ESTIMATED 5 VC. 38 RDS OF 105HM WERE FIRED IN RETURN. AREA SEARCHED. NEOATIVE RESULTS.

AT 010915H A CO H SUJAD PAT VIC (AT 959657) RECEIVED HEAVY SA FIRE FROM UNK NUMBER OF VC.

AT 010945H, SEVERAL SA ROS WERE RECEIVED BY A CO M SQUAD PAT VIC (AT 955648)

RESULTING IN ONE USMC WIA. FIRE WAS IMMEDIATELY RETURNED. AT ONE POINT DUR
ING THE FIRE FIGHT, APPROXIMATELY 8 VC'S WERE SEEN DRAGGING TWO BODIES WITH

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B. 9TH MARINS

(1) BOX SCORES

	<u>Fire</u> D	T EAM N	<u>ՏՎՍ</u> D	AD N	PLAT D	OON	COMPANY D N
SCOUT SNIPER	2						
LISTENLING PLET		25					
AMBUSH	1	7	2	29			
RECON FATROL	4	7					
SECORITY PATROL	3		2	12	3	1	
SEARCH AND DESTROY	<i>*</i>		7	23			1

- (2) 1ST BN. OTH MARINES. AT 312105E, A COMPANY B SQUAD ARBUSH VIC (BT 072673) OBSERVED THREE VC MOVING ALONG A DIKE APPROXIMATELY 100 METERS EAST OF THE AMBUSH SITE. THE AMBUSH OPERED FIRE, THE VC FLED. NO CASUALTIES. AT 011100E, COMPANY C POSITIONS VIC (BT 056640) RECRIVED APPROXIMATELY 30 HOURDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE RESULTING IN ONE USHO WIA. FIRE WAS RETURNED BY THE MARINES. VC BROKE CONTACT. NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 2D BH. 9TH MARINES. AT 312010H, THE 3D PLATOON OF COMPANY F VIC

 (AT 990642) RECEIVED THREE ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM TWO DIFFERENT LOCATIONS.

 FIRE WAS RETURNED BY THE PLATOON CAUSING THE VC TO CHASE FIRE AND BREAK CONTACT.

 HD CASUALTIES.

AT 011200H, A COMPANY P SQUAD PATHOL SUSTAINED ONE WIA WHILE IT WAS DESTROYING A BOOBY TRAP VIC (AT 995643).

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C. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	NUMBER MISSIONS				SUPPORT	ING
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	HAT	RVE
155н		·	80	80	80	
10 <i>5</i> H	4	2	241	247	245	2
107HT			2	2	2	
8n H		1		1	1	

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	HE	ILLUM	MB	TOTAL
15 <i>5</i> H	115			115
10 <i>5</i> H	738		2	740
107HT	2			2
H #8	1			1

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D. 3D RECUN BN

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE	PLATO		
	Ū	N	D	N
SCOUT SHIPER	2	2		
AMBUSH				3
RECOM PATROL			3	3

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. FOURTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	F1 RE	TEAK	squ D	AD H	PLA!	NO ON
LISTENING POST	2	7				
AMBUSH		26		17		1
SECURITY PATROL	6	4	14	13		

- (2) 1ST BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 011505H, A SQUAD PAT FROM CO B LOCATED AT (BT 463146) RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM AN UNK NUMBER OF VC LOCATED VIC (BT 461148). IN DEPLOYING TO RETURN FIRE, A BOOBY TRAP WAS TRIPPED AND TWO MARINES WOUNDED. BOTH REQUIRING: EVACUATION. FIRE WAS RETURNED AND AN ARTILLERY MISSION CALLED. A SWEEP OF THE AREA BY THREE LYT'S PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 2D BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 011246H. A PLT FROM CO F MADE CONTACT WITH 5 VC AT (BT 447055). IN THE EMSUING FIRE FIGHT, 3 VC WERE WOUNDED. TWO OF THE WOUNDED VC ESCAPED. ONE WAS CAPTURED, ALONG WITH ONE FRENCH RIFLE AND ONE CHICOM CARBINE.

B. SEVENTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES

	FLIE	VI KAM N	<u>Sul</u> D	IAD N	PLAT D	OON N
SCOUT SWIP NK	2	2			-	
LISTERING POST		19				
AMBUSH				4		
RECON PATROL	1	2	1			
SECURITY FATROL	2	6	2	1	2	2
SEARCH AND DESTHOY			3	4	3	1

(2) 1ST BM. 7TH MARINES.

- (A) LATE REPORT: AT 311330H, A SUD PAT FROM CO D APPREHENDED TWO VCS AT (BS 631909). BOTH VCS WERE POINTED OUT BY AN INTELLIGENCE AGENT FROM BINH SON.
- (E) AT 312220H, CO B COMBAT FAT BASE RECEIVED 200-250 RDS SA FIRE FROM VIC (ES 623983). FIRE RETURNED WITH SA, 81 MM MORTARS, 106 MM RECOILLESS RIPLES AND 90 PM TANA GENS, ARTIFLERY MISSION CALLED. A SEARCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED NO EVIDENCE OF ENERGY CASUALTIES. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
- (C) AT 010001H, A. CO B OF AT (BS 618985) RECEIVED 30 RDS OF SA FIRE FROM AN UNK NUMBER OF VC LOCATED VIC (BS 623983). THE OF RETURNED FIRE WITH AN M-60 MACHINE GUN WITH UNK RESULTS. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
- (D) AT GLOOZSH, THE SI HM MONTAR BUT RECEIVED THREE ROS SA FIRE FROM THE NORTHEAST AT CLOSE HANGE. A SENTRY RETURNED FIRE AND THE VC WITH.

 DREW. THERE WERE NO PRIEMBLY CASUALTIES OR ENGAN ENERY CASUALTIES.

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(3) 2ND BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 011200H A PATROL FROM E COMPANY
APPREHENDED TWO (2) VC AT (BT 465024) AS RESULT OF PATROL ACTION.
WOUNDED VC WAS EVACUATED TO B MED. THE OTHER VC WAS SENT TO SHULLAI
POW COMPOUND

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C. ARTY BY GROUP

(1) BOX SCORES.

MUMBER MISSIONS			SUPP	DETING			
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	MAY	RYM	OTHER
1550			6	6	6		
15 5 H	3			3	1	1	1
10 5 H	6		38	44	43	1	
107HT	1		11	12	11	1 ,	

MUNDS EXPENDED

HE	ILLUM	WP	TOTAL
1550 12		6	18
15 5 H 12			12
10 5 H 542	29	9	<i>5</i> 80
107HT 50	5		5 5

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM		SQUAD		PLATOON	
	D	it	D	N	D	N
SCOUT SHIFER	2	2				
AMBUSH				2		
RECON PATROL			2	2		3

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4. PEU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM	SQUAD		
	D N	D	7	
LISTENING POST	15			
aneush			8	
SECURITY PATROL		4	7	

(2) 2D BB. 1ST MARINES. AT 312255H, AN ESTIMATED FOUR VC FIERD SIX ADUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE AT HILL 180 (TD 856133) DEFENDED BY A REINFORCED SQUAD FROM HAS COMPANY. SMALL ARMS FIRE WAS RETURNED IMMEDIATELY. VC CRASED FIRE AND BROKE CONTACT. AREA SEARCH AT FIRST LIGHT. REGATIVE RESULTS. NO USMC CASUALTIES.

AT Ollyooh, A PLATOON PATROL FROM COMPANY A. 3D RECOM BATTALION, RECEIVED
APPROXIMATELY 40 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE VIC (TD 790110) FROM AN UNKNOWN
MINBER OF VC. THE PATROL IMMEDIATELY RETURNED FIRE AND CALLED ARTILLERY
ROUNDS ON THE SUSPECTED VC POSITION. THE POSITION WAS LATER SEARCH. NEGATIVE
RESULTS. PATROL SUSTAINED 1 FRIENDLY KIA.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

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	OBS	UNOBS	UNOBS HAI TOTAL MAT 1 1 149 148 149 149 DS EXPENDED	KAZ	
15 5 !!	1				1
1054		149	148	149	149
	<u>.</u>	OUNDS EXP	EIDED		
	HE	ILLIM	MP	TOTAL	
155E				13	
1058	160			160	

SUMMARY

(A) DIVISION BOX SCORES

	D	SQUA D	D H	PLA	NOOM .	COMPANY D N
SCOUT SNIPER	12 3					
LISTENING POST	2 91					
ANBUSH	3 🖟 31	5	97		9	
HECON PATROL	8 7	3		8	7	
SECURITY PATROL	9 9/	34	42	8	4	
SKARCH & DESTROY	* ///	23	23	3	2	1
CLEARING				4	4	John Samer Committee Committee Committee

(B) THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCTED PATHOLS AND 142 AMBUSHES DURING THE

MEXT 24 HOURS.

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FROM: CG 3D MAR DIV TO: CG 1/1 18/F INFO: CG FMAW

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1. THIRD MAR DIV HUMLINITS

A. BOX SCORES. DAY _ D. NIGHT _ H

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SCOUT SNIPER	1.0	3			·			
LISTENING POST	2	91						
AMBUSH	ì	30	3	86		3		
PATROL	10	10		30	9	6	1	1
SEARCH AND DESTI	YOY		20	37	3		3	1
SUB TOTAL	23	133	55	153	12	9	4	2
TOTAL 391								

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b. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COURDINATES	DATE/ ACT	ion <u>Type</u>	FRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSED	ene hy unit/ Losses
(AB 90 57 08)	021 020H PLT	SEC	B/1/1/NONE	UNK/1 VCC
(Br 056659)	011800H PLT	5 4D	C/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 993680)	021025 PLT	SEC	Has/2/9/None	UNK/UNK
(AT 991633)	021315H 54D	S&D	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
(aT 991633)	021600H S(4)	D&D	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 955672)	011715h SQD	S&D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 9 636 60)	011915h PLT	SEC	H/3/3/NONE	uar /unk
(at 973662)	011915H PLT	SEC	H/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 971662)	011915H PLT	SEC	M/3/3/NONE	unk /unk
(AT 962660)	011916H M.T	SEC	L/3/3/1 MIA	UNK/UNK
(AT 943680)	012225H SQD	AMB	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/2 KIA, 4 KIA (PRBB) 6 WIA (PROB)
(AT 972660)	012225h PLT	SEC	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 977651)	012230H 54D	SEC	H/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(AT 956665) (AT 954651) (AT 963660)	020730H SQD 021250H SQD 021245H MT	S ad Sad Sac	L/3/3/NONE L/3/3/1 VIA L/3/3/NONE	UNK /UNK UNK /UNK UNK /UNK
QUANG TIN (HT 526091)	01220QH FT	SEC	HAS/1/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 435160/ ST 435152)	020818R PLT	5 & D	B/1/4/NONE	UNK /UNK
(BT 437156)	02085511 PLT	San	B/1/4/1 WIA	unk/unk
(BT 438153)	021.03211 CO	ടക	B/1/4/1 WIA	UNK JUNK
(BT 495102)	021100H SAD	SEC	D/1/4/NUNE	UNK/1 VCC
(BT 4314)	02133511 00	Sad	B/1/4/NONE	UNK/11 VCS
(BT 439145)	021335F CC	S&D	B/1/4/HONE	UNK /UNK
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URDINATES QUANG TIN	Date/ Time	ACTIC SIZE	din Timpedin	FICTENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	ENEMY UNIT /
(BT 43108¢)	021145H	PLT	S&D	G/2/4/NONE	unk /unk
(ET 51.5065)	021330E	PLT	SEC	E/2/4/NONE	UNK/1 VCS, 1VCS WIA
uuang ngai (BS 605 915)	011945li	PLT	SEC	D/1/7/NONE	unk /unk
JUANG TIN (BT 557016)	01.2 10 0.5H	PLT	SEC	D/1/7/HONE	UNK /UIIK
JUANG NGAI (BT 623022)	0.20550H	SUD	AMB	H/1/7/NONE	UNK / 2 WIA.VCC. 1 KIA
(BS 620993)	02070 0 H	FT	SEC	E/1/7/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(ES 606 920)	02081.0H	PLT	SEC	MAG-36/D/1/7/NONE	UNK JUNK
THUA THIEN (YD 790115) (YD 784097)	011700H 020945H	PLT AO SPOT	REC FOR ART	A/1/RECON/1 KIA Y 4/12/MONE	unk/unk unk/4 kia
(YD 825084)	021000H	PLT	SEC	E/2/1/NONE	UNK/2 KIA . 1 RIFLE, 1 PISTOL

6. <u>DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS</u>. THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION CONTINUED THE SEARCH FOR VC FORCES IN THE DANANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES AS 391 ACTIONS WERE INITIATED AND 33 CONTACTS MADE. SID'S AND SCOUT SNIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED WITH NO SIGNIFICANT RESULTS.

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2. DANANG SPARATIONS

A. THIED MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	Flar			JAD	-	CON
	D	n	D	, Ai	D	M
LISTANING POST		26				
AMBUSH				21		
HECON PATROL			3		2	1
SECURITY PATROL			2	4	2	

(2) <u>1ST BB. 1ST MARLINES</u> AT 021020H CO B APPREHENDED A TWENTY YEAR OLD VCS AT (AT 905708). HE WAS TAKEN TO HIEU DUC DISTRICT HQ WHICH CONFIRMED HIM AS A VC.

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B. 9TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRETEAN		SQUAD		PLATOOM	
	D	X	D	n	D W	
LISTENING POST		25				
AMBUSH	1	3	3	27		
RECOM PATROL	1					
SEARCH & DESTROY			19	33	1	

- (2) 1ST bN. 9TH MARINES. BETWEEN 011800H AND 011830H PLATOON PATROL FROM CO C RECEIVED SPCKADIC SA FIRE WHILE ENROUTE TO NEW PLATOON PATROL BASE. (BT 056659)

 FIRE RETURNED IN EACH INSTANCE AND AREA SEARCH WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. ONE USING FROM CO B SQD PATROL KTA AT 021630 (BT 090658) BY ECOPY TRAP. BELIEVED TO BE THE 1055M RDS.
- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARLHEIT. SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F AT (AT 991633) RECEIVED SIX RDS SA FIRE AT 021315H. FIRE RETURNED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.

AT 021600H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F RECEIVED FIFTY RDS SA FIRE AT (AT 991633).
FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. NO FRIERDLY CASUALTIES.

(4) 3D BN, 3D MARINED. AT 011715H, SQUAD PATROL FROM CO L VIC (AT 955672) PICKED UP ONE VCS WITH FALSE ID CARD.

AT 011915H PLATOON DEFENSIVE POSITION (AT 962660) RECEIVED SMALL AMOUNT OF SA AND AUTO APRS FIRE RESULTING IN ONE USHC WIA.

RECEIVED HEAVY SA ARD AUTO UPNS FIRE FROM AP. ROX EIGHTY VC IN THREE SEPERATE CONTACTS.

APPROX THERTY VC FIRED AT 1ST PLATOON FROM NE AND SE AT A RANGE OF APPROX 100 METERS.

VC WERE ARRED WITH AUTOMATIC CARBINES, BAR'S AND ONE BEST FED MG. 2D PLT RECEIVED

FIRE FROM SE DIRECTION FROM APPROX 35 VC ARMED WITH AUTOMATIC CRESINES, BAR AND M_1'S FROM APPROX 50 METERS.

3D PLT RECEIVED FIRE FROM APPROX 25 VC ARMED WITH 2 MG'S, AUTO CARBINES PAGE 400 APPROX 25 VC ARMED WITH 2 MG'S APPROX 25 V

AND M_1'S: FIVE PARACHUTE FLARES ALSO FIRED. HEAVY VOLUME OF FIRE RETURNED AT CLOSE RANGE WENCH BROKE UP THE ATTACK BEFORE IT COULD PENETRATE THE PERIMETER NO FERENDLY CASUALTIES AND NO CONFIRMED VC CASUALTIES.

AT 012230H SQUAD AMBUSH FROM CO M VIC (AT 973656) FIRED AT FOUR VC FROM APPROX
TEN METERS RESULTING IN ONE VC RIA. FIRE FROM LARGER VC FORC CAUSED AMBUSHE TO
BREAK CONTACT AND RETURN TO CP. AT 012225H SQUAD AMBUSH FROM CO L AMBUSHED SEVEN
VC (AT 948674) AND OBSERVED TWO OF THE VC GO DOWN. AMBUSH SITE MOVED 200 METERS
NORTH AND OBSERVERED VC REGROUPING. AMBUSH FIRED AGAIN AND ALL VC WENT DOWN RE*
SULTING IN TWO VC KIA (BC) AND FOUR VC POSSIBLY KIA. POOLS OF BLOOM AND
INDICATION OF BODIES DRAGGED ON GROUND. PATROL ESTIMATED SIX VC WIA. CONTRECT
BROKEN AND AREA SEARCHED AFTER FIRST LIGHT 2 JAN AND .45 CAL PISTOL PAMPHLETS.
CHICOM GRENADE, AND THREE m-26 GRENADES POUND.

AT 020730H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO L PICKED UP ONE VCS (AT 956665). AT 012225H

PLT FROM CO M IN DEFENSIVE POSITION (AT 971661) PROBED BY TWELVETVC. FIRE RETURNED

AND NO FRIENDLY OR KNOWN VC CASUALTIES. AT 021245H CO M RECEIVED THRITY RDS SA FIRE

FROM VIC (AT 961653). FIRE RETURNED WITH RIGHT SIXTY MM RDS. AT 021250H SQD PATROL

TRIPPED GRENADE BOOBY TRAP VIC (AT 954651) RESULTING IN ONE USMC WIA.

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C. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	MINE	CR N18310) <u>185</u>		SUPPO			
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	KAT	ARYN		
	2	1	252	255	247	8		
	ROUN	OS EXPER	DED					
	HT.							
155 H	161							
105H	500							
8ª H	6							
TOTAL	667							

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D. 3D RECON BN

(1) BUX SCORES

	FIRE TEAM	SCUAD N		PLATCON D N		COMPANY D N	
SCOUT SNIPER	2	b	14		13	D	17
ambush			4		1		
PATROL		4	4	1	1	17	1
TOTAL	2	4	8	1	2	1	1

E. 3D ENGR. DW. 74 ENGINEERS CONDUCTED 17 SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF FOUR INFANTRY BATTALION. IN DA NANG TAOR.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. FOURTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	<u>Flar</u> D	YAK Y	SQ D	NAD N	PLAT D	N OOM	COMP.	ANT.
SCOUT SNIPER	3	1						
LISTERING POST	2	7						
AMBUSH		26		17		1		
SECURITY PATROL	6	3	14	12		1		
SKARCH & DESTROY					1		2	

(2) 1ST BN. 4TH FARINES. AT 012204H HAS CO OBSERVED ONE MAR IN
FRONT OF THEIR DEFENSIVE POSITIONS VIC (BT 526091). THE MAN REFUSED TO
HALT WHEN CHALLENGED AND WAS OBSERVED TO FALL WHEN FIRED UPON. THE ADJACENT
PSN SAW THE MAN GET UP AND RUN INTO THE BUSH. ILLUMINATION WAS FIRED AND A
PATROL WAS SENT INTO THE AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 020818H A PLATOON FROM CO B RECEIVED S/A FIRE VIC (BT 435152) AND (BT 435 160). ARTILLERY WAS CALLED AND THE AREA WAS THOROUGHLY SEARCHED AFTER THE MISSION WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 020855H CO B RECEIVED S/A FIRE VIC (BT 437156) WOUNDING ONE MARINE. ENEMY BROKE COUTACT.

AT 021032H ONE MARINE FROM CO B WAS WOUNDED WHEN A 60MM MORTAR BOOBY TRAP WAS ACTIVATED VIC (BT 438153).

AT 021100H A SQUAD SECURITY PATROL FROM CO D APPREHENDED ONE VC VIC (BT 495102).

ARMED WITH TWO HAND GRENADES AND SEVERAL DOCUMENTS.

AT 021330H CO B WHILE CONDUCTING A SEARCH OF PHU VIEW HARLET VIC (BT 4314)
APPREHENDED 11 VCs.

AT 021335H CO B UPON LEAVING THE VILLAGE CAME UNDER SPORADIC S/A FIRE VIC (BT 439145).

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(3) 2ND BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 02:1145H A PLATOON FROM CO G MECHIVED S/A

FIRE VIC (BT 431081). FIVE ARMED VC WERE OBSERVED VIC (BT 429090). THEY

WERE FIRED ON AND PURSUED TO VIC (BT 423096), WHERE THE VC BROKE CONTACT AND

FLED THE AREA.

AT 021330H A SQUAD PATHOL FROM CO E RETURNING TO THE MLR. SAW TWO FLEEING VN.

THREE WARRING SHOTS SWERE FIRED AND THEY CONTINUED TO HUM. THEY WERE THEN TAKEN

UNDER FIRE, ONE WAS WOUNDED AND BOTH WERE APPREHENDED. BT 5150 65

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(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAN D B		SQU.	AD W	PLAT D	100 11	COMPANY D	
SCOUT SNIPER	2							
LISTANING POST		19						
AMBUSH				6				
RECON PATROL	2	2	2					
SECURITY PATROL	2	5	•2	1	3	, 3		
SEARCH & DESTROY			1	4	1		1	1.
REMARKS: . INCLU	DES A	CIVIC A	CTION	PATH)L			

(2) 1ST BH. 7TH MARINES. AT 011945H A PLATOON PATROL PHON CO D ABCRIVED APPROXIMATELY 50 RDS OF S/A FIRE, BOTH AUTOMATIC AND SEMI_AUTO_ MATIC, FROM SIX WPMS. PATROL REMURNED FIRE. A SEARCH OF THE AREA AT FIRST LIGHT REVEALED BLOOD PATCHES AND A BLOOD TRAIL INDICATING ONE VC KILLED OR WOUNDED.

AT 012105H CO D OBSERVED ONE VCS APPROACHING THE LINES VIC (BT 557016). AFTER CHALLENGING. THE MARINES THREW A HAND GRENADE, AND THE MAN WAS OBSERVED HUNNING AVAY.

AT 020550H AN AMBUSH FROM CO B FIRED ON FIVE VC VIC (BS 623022). ILLUMINATION WAS FIRED AND TWO VC WIA WERE CAPTURED AND ONE VC VAS KILLED. THE REMAINING VC WITHDARW INTO THE DENSE PORTLAGE.

AT 020700H CO B APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (BS 620990), WHO'S MAKE APPEARED ON THE WANTED LIST.

AT 020810H WHILE A PLATOON FROM CO D WAS RETRACTING FROM A PATROL BASE RECRIVED ONE RD S/A FIRE VIC (BS 606920).

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C. ARTY BN GROUP

(1) BOX SCORES

		<u>B4 M1351</u>	245		SUPPORTING		
	<u>OBS</u>	HAI	TOTAL		XAR		
	7	48	55		55		
	ROUN	DS EXPEN	D- D				
	班	ILLIM	<u>wp</u>	TOTAL			
1550	26		14	40			
155H	7			7			
10 5 E	402	92	26	522 (2: HC SHOKE)		
107年	27		3	30			
8ª H	9			9			
TOTAL	473	92	43	608			

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4. PHU HAI OPERATIONS

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM D N	SCUAD	N
LISTENING POST	14		
AHBUSH			9
SECURITY PATROL		4	7

(2) 2D BN, 1ST MARINES. AT OLIFOON RECON PATROL FROM CO A . 3D RECOR BE EXCHANGES 8/A FIRE WITH THREE VC AT (YD 790115). ONE USHC KIA. ARTILLERY FIRES PLACED ON VC: VC CASUALTIES UNKNOWN.

AT 020945H AIR OBSERVER SPOTTED 10-15 VG AT (YD 784097): ARTILLERY FIRED AND THREE VC KIA OBSERVED AND AIR OBSEVER FIRED HIS ROCKET KILLING ONE OTHER VC. VC DRESSED IN GREEN CAMOUFLAGE UNIFORMS. AT 021000H PATROL FROM COMPANY B EXCHANGED 8/A FIRE WITH THREE VG AT (YD 831094) KILLING TWO, AND WOUNDING ONE WHO WAS CAPTURED. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. ONE VC KIA WAS VC DISTRICT CHIEF. ALSO CAPTURED WHEN ONE .45 CALIBER PISTOL, ONE PAIR FIELD MLASSES. AND MAPS.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORIS

		NUMBER MISSIONS			SUPP	SUPPORTING			
	OBS	UNOBS	lial.	TOTAL	MAP	RVN	OTHER		
1551	1			1			1		
105il		L	57	58	57		1		
10741	1			1			1		

KOUNDS EXPENDED

	HE	<u> ILLUM</u>	WP	other	TOTAL
155H	36				3 6
10 5 H	87				87
107HT	36				36

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5. PLANS SUMMARY

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

	FLIGHTEAM		SQUAD		PLATOON		COMPANY	
SCOUT SNIPER	6	} 2	14	N	1)	N	D	N
LISTERATO POST	2	86						
AMSU(4)		24	2	76		6		
PATROL	8.4	10	32	31.	6	5	1	1
SEARCH & DESTROY			16	37	3	1.	1	1
SUB TOTAL	26	122	50	144	9	12	2	2
TOTAL 367								

B. THE DIVESION WHILE COMPUCT 104 PATROLS AND 108 AMBUSHES DURBING THE NEXT 24 HOURS PERIOD.

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1. THIRD MARDIY HIGHLIGHTS

A. BOX SCORES	(DAY) D (NIGHT,		richt)	N				
	PIRETE D	쌲	D SQUA	M D	PLATOO D	H	D COMPA	M. M.
SCOUT SHIPER	5	4		,				
LISTENING POST	5	89		•				
AMBUSII		24	2	79		6		
RECON PATROL	2	5	10	6	5	3		
SECURITY PATROL	7	15	24	25	5	2		
SEARCHADESTROY			17	35	3		1	1 .
TOTAL	19	135	53	145	13	11	1	1
TOTAL - 378								

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. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACT SIZE	ION TYPE	FRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	enemy unit/ losses
QUANG NAM BT 0 906 4 0	030535н	CO	s/d	B/1/9/1 WIA	none/none
AT 995670	022030н	PLT	PERIM	F/2/9/NONE	unk/unk
AT 996643	022 200H	PLT	PERIM	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 991642	022230н	PLT	PERIM	P /2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 969663	021930н	PLT	PERIM	m/3/3/none	UNK/UNK
AT 974663	021930н	PLT	PERIM	m/3/3/none	unk/unk
AT 971699	031255н	SQD	PERIM	1/3/3/NONE	UNK/1KIA(POSS)
BT 125605	031215H	CO	s/p	B/1/9/NONE	unk/unk
BT 113625	031635Н	CO	s/d	B/1/9/NONE	unk/unk
AT 840590	020020H	PLT	recon	he con/none	unk/1 vo kia
QUANG TIN BT 462146	030800H	PLT	AMB	B/1/4/Hone	UNK/ 2 VCS
BT 482094	031350H	SQD	SEC	D/1/4/HCHE	UNK/ 1 VCS
QUANG NGAI BS 632990	021830K	()()	DEF	B/1/#/NONE	UNK/NONE
BT 594000	022300H	EIQD	SEC	0/1/7/NONE	UMK/MONE
BS 571921	022015H	PLT	S/D	L/3/7/HOROR	UNIK/UNIK
BS 572922	030700H	PLT	SAD	1/3/7/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
BS 560976	0 30720 H	PLT	Sad	L/3/7/NONE	UNK/ 1KIA. 1 WIA (POSS) 1 VOC
BS 553913	03124 0H	PLT	Sad	L/3/7/NOKE	unk/unk
B3 553922	030953H	PLT	SAD	L/3/7/HOME	UNK/2 VCS

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C. THIRD HARINE DIVISION HIGHLICHTS. 2D BN, 9TH MARINES (REIN) COMMENCED WAR BONNET. SEE T IRD MAR DIV SPECIAL SITREPS NUMBERS 1, 2, & 3. OPERATION CONTINUES.

ELSEWHERE IN THE DA NANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES 19 CONTACTS WERE
GAINED WITH VC ELEMENTS RESULTING IN 3 VC KILLED (1 POSSIBLE), 1 VC CAPTURED,
1 VC WIA (POSSIBLE) AND 5 VCS APPREHENDED.

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DA NAME OPERATIONS

A. THIRD MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	Fireteam D n	SQUAD D N	PLATOON D N
LISTENING POST	25		
AMBUSH		25	
SECURITY PATROL	•	2 3	3
SEARCH & DESTROY		2	3
TOTALS	25	4 28	6
TOTALS - 63			

TOTALS - 63

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- (2) 1ST BN, 1ST MARINES. NO CONTACT.
- (3) 2D BN. 3D MARINES. NO CONTACT

HIPTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

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	PIRETEAN D	SQUAD D B	PLATOOP D	D H	BATTALION D H	
LISTENING POST	19				<i>;</i>	
APRUSH	•	19			t t	
PATROL	8					
SEARCE & DESTROY		15 29			1 1	
SUB TOTALS	30	13 28			1 1	
TOTALS 71			•			

(2) 1ST M. OTH MARINES. AT 050535M, ONE MARINE FROM 00 B WAS WIA WHEN A TANK HIT A MINE VIC (MY 090640) WHILE BEHOUTH TO MACKING POSITION. TANK SUSTAINED MODERATE DANAGE.

AT 051215H, 00 B APPENENDED FIVE VOS VIC (MP 125605).

AT 051635M, OO B FIRED SOME ROUNDS AT SUBPROTED YO MACHINE GUM POSITION VIC (BF 11)625). HO COMPTIMED WC CASUALTIES. ALL ACTIVITIES IN CO B IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION "WAR BORRET". CO B OFFICE 2/9 FOR OPERATION WAR BORRET.

(3) 20 M. 9TH MARINES. AT 022090H, THE 1ST PLE OF CO P VIC (AT 995670) RECEIVED THREE RISCF SA PIRE PRON VIC (AT 998663). SA AND M-79 FIRE RETURNED. WC CRASED FINE. NO USING CASUALFIES.

AT 022200H, THE 3D PLT OF CO F EEG (AT 996643) OBSERVED TWO WG (AT 997653) FIRING TO THE NORTH. THEPLY FIRED ON THE VC WHO DOEDLATELY TOOK OF VER. AREA SEARCHED. MEGATIVE RESULTS. A

AT 022250H, THE 3D PLE, CO F VIC (AT 991642) HECE IVED 25 RDS OF SA FIRE. THE PLT DOEDIATELY RETURNED PIREWITH SA AND 16 GOM MORTAR RDS. AND SEARCHED WITH MEGATIVE RESULTS. NO CASUALTIES. IN COMMUNITIES OF VAR BOURST.

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(4) 3D BN. 3D MARIBES. AT 021930H. THE 2D PLT OF CO M (AT 969663) AND
THE 3D PIM VIC (AT 974664) RECEIVED FOUR RDS OF SA FINE. AN ARTILLERY FIRE
MISSION WAS CALLED ON THE SUSPECTED VC POSITION. AREA SEARCHED FOLLOWING MORNING.
MEGATIVE RESULTS. HO USEC CASUALTIES.

AT 022218H, A COMPANY I SQUAD SERVING AS A RIVER BLOCK SECURITY (AT 971699)
OBSERVED A SOME CAUGHT IN THE RIVER BARRIER. THE OWNER OF THE BOAT WAS
CHALLE NORTH SEVERAL TIPES AS HE ATTEMPTED TO LEAVE THE CHALL. HE WAS SROT
AS HE JURISD FROM THE BOAT. THE SQUAD OBSERVED HIM GO INTO THE WATER AND
DID NOT COME UP. HE WAS PRESUMED KIA. HIS BODY NOT RECOVERED.

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C. 12TH MARINES

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(1) BOX SCORES

	1	TUMBER M	•	SUPPORTING	
	OBS	UNOBS	H&I	TOTAL	MAP
155G	1		8	9	9
155H	2		56	58	58
105H	11	2	199	2 12	212

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	HE	ILLUM	WP	OTHER	TOTAL
155G	9				9
155H	84		1		85
105H	599		98		697

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D. 3D RECON BN

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(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM		SQUAD		PLATOON	
	D	n	מ	N	D	N
SCOUT SNIPER	2	2				•
Al-Bush				4		1
RECON PATROL			6	4	3	1
TOTALS	2	2	6	8	3	2
TOTALS - 23						

(2) 3D RECON BN. AT 030020H, ONE VC WAS OBSERVED FORWARD OF CO C
POSITION (BT 8459). THE VC WAS CHALLENGED FOLLOWING WHICH HE STARTED TO FLEE.
HE WAS SHOT AND KILLED. BODY RECOVERED. VC WAS CARRYING 35 POUNDSOF RICE
AND NOTEBOOK DOCUMENTS. NO WEAPON. NO USMC CASUALTIES.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. FOURTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRET D	EAM II	<u>80</u>	QUAD N	PLAT D	N N
LISTENING POST	2	7				
AMBUSH		21		19		
SECURITY PATROL	5	5	15	13		
SEARCH & DESTROY					2	
TOTALS	7	30	15	32	2	-
TOTAL - 86						

- (2) <u>1ST BN. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 030800H, A COMPANY B AMBUSH VIC (BT 462146) APPREHENDED TWO 92) FEMALE VCS. A P. F. PLATOON COMMANDER INFORMED THE MARINES THAT THEN HERE THE WIVES OF VC. ONE WOMEN DID NOT HAVE AN ID CARD. AT 031350H, A COMPANY D PATROL APPREHENDED TWO 92) VCS VIC (BT482094). ONE OF THE VCS DID NOT HAVE ANY IDENTIFICATION, AND THE VILLAGE CHIEF DID NOT KNOW HIM.
 - (3) 2D BN, 4TH MARINES. NONE.

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B. SEVENTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCURES

	PIRI D	e <u>team</u> N	<u>sq</u> i D	N N	PLA!	KOO1	COMP D	A <u>ny</u> N
SCOUT SNIPER	3							
LISTENING POST	3	22						
AMBUSH			2	6				
RECOR PATROL	2	2	2					
SECURITY PATROL	2	ઠ	3	2	2	2		
SEARCH & DESTROY			2	3			1	1
TOTALS	10	30	9	11	• 2	2	1	1
TOTALS - 66								•

- (2) 1ST BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 021830H, COMPANY B DEFENSIVE POSITIONS RECEIVED 15 ROUNDS S/A FIRE FROM (BS 632990) FROM AN ESTIMATED THREE (3) VC. A SQUAD WAS SENT TO SEARCH THE AREA, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
 - (3) 2D BN. 7TH MARINES. NONE
- (4) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 022015H, A PLATOON PATROL FROM COMPANY L RECEIVED S/A FIRE FROM AN ESTIMATED 5 OR 6 VC VIC (BS 571921). THE PATROL RETURNED FIRE AND PURSUED THE VC, BUT LOST CONTACT. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. AT 030700H, A PLT PATROL FROM CO L SIGHTED ONE VCS, WHO ATTEMPTED TO FLEE. THE VCS WAS CAPTURED AT (BS 572922), AND PROVED TO HAVE NO IDENTIFI-CATION. AT 030720H, A PLT PATROL FROM CO L RECEIVED FIRE FROM 9 VC AT(BS 560976). THE PLT RETURNED FIRE AND PURSUED THE VC. THE ACTION RESULTED IN 1 VC KIA, 1 VC CAPTURED AND POSSIBLY ONE VC WIA. CAPTURED ONE M-1 RIFLE, TWO M-26 GRENADES AND A CARTRIDGE BELT WITH AMMO. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. AT 030933H. A PLT PATROL FROM CO L CAPTURED TWO (2) VCS VIC (BS 553922). NEITHER VCS HAD

C. ARTILLERY BATTALION GROUP

(1) BOX SCORES

		NUMBER MI	SSIONS		SUPPORTING
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	HAF
155G			4	4	4
155H	13		3	16	16
105H	5		27	32	32
107HT			16	16	16

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	HE	ILLUM	WP	OTHER	TOTAL
155G	11				11
155H	80		6		86
105H	323		3		329
107H	90				60

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAN		SQUAD		PLATOON	
	D	11	מ	N	D	N
SCOUT SNIPER		2				
AMBUSH				2		2
RECON FATROL			2	2	2	2
TOTALS		2	2	4	2	4
TOTALS - 14						

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 2ND BN. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE	TE/M	sq	JAD	PLAT	
	D	N	D	Ħ	D	N
LISTENING POST		16				
AMBUSH				4		3
SECURITY PATROL			4	7		
TOTALS	*******	16	4	11	-aa	3
TOTAL - 34						

(2) 2D SN, 1ST MARINES. NO CONTACT.

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J. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	N	UMBER M	•	SUPPORTING	
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	MAT
155H	2			2	2
105H		2	90	92	92

ROUNDS EXPENDED

	HE	ILLUM	WP	OTHER	TOTAL
155H	65				65
105H	109				109

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5. PLAN SUMMARY

DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	PIR:TI	M	D) N	HATO D	M OM	D D	N X
BOOM THIER	7							
LIST THE POST	5	79		N.				
IKUEMA	2	23	1	65		7		
RECON TANDAMIA	5	6	6	4	5	5		
SECURITY MATROL	8	11	25	43	7	6		
SEARCH & DESTROY			13	24	3		2	1
TOTALE	25	119	45	136	15	18	2	ī

TOTAL 361

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 131 PATROLS AND 96 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.

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TO: CO III MAF

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1. THIRD MARDIY HIGHLICHES

A. BOX SCORES	(D	AY) D		(NIGH	r) i	N		
	FIRE D	T EAM N	SQL D	AD N	PLAN D	1001 N	D D	PANY
SCOUT SNIPER	5					-		
LISTERING POST	4	77						
AMBUSH		30	3	62		8	1	
RECON PATROL	2	2	4	4	7	7		
SECURITY PATROL	8	11	25	29	7	6		
SEARCH & DESTROY			12	23	3		2	1
SUB TOTALS	19	120	44	118	17	21	2	1
TOTALS - 342								

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DIVISION CONTACTS					
PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	acti <u>size</u>	TYPE	friendly unit/ Losses	LOSSES
QUANG NAM AT 926605	032110н	c o	Sad	B/1/1/1WIA	unk/unk
AT 896601	032220Н	င	S&D	B/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 991642	032120Н	SQD	SEC	F/2/9/NONE	unk/unk
AT 995647	040950Н	SQD	SEC	F/2/9/3WIA	unk/unk
AT 997646	041000H	SQD	S&D	F/2/9/HONE	UNK/UNK
AT 953653	032220Н	PLT	S&D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 965641	0 40715 H	PL T	S&D	m/3/3/none	unk/unk
	04081 0 H	FT	SEC	M/3/3/2WIA	UNK/UNK
	040830Н	PLT	S&D	M/3/3/1WIA	UNK/UNK
AT 964645	041030H	PLT	S&D	M/3/3/2WIA	UNK/UNK
AT 963645	041030h	SQD	Sau	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 958653		-	Sad	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
AT 958674	041205H	SQD		L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
at 959676	041245H	SQD	S&D	, , , , , ,	•
AT 835664	0 40935 H	PLT	REC	D/3D RECON/IWIA	
AT 826660	041135H	PLT	REC	D/3D RECON/NONE	UNK/2 KIA
AT 825660	041145H	PLT	REC	D/3D RECONTHONE	UNK/UNK
AT 8685	041300н	SQD	red	A/3D RECONTNONE	: UNK/7 VCS

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	DATE/ TIME	ACTION SIZE TYPE	FRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	enem. Losse
QUANG TIN BT 468140	041222H	SQD SEC	B/1/4/none	UNK/UNK
BT 469026	032105н	SąD S&D	E/2/7/1 WIA	UNK/UNK
QUANO NGAI B5 502922 BS 537992	041110H 041128H	SQD SEC SQD S&D	k/3/7/1 WIA I/3/7/NONE	unk/unk unk/unk
BS 517905 BS 517897	041215H	CU S&D	1/3/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
THUY THIEN YD 821025	031820н	AG/ARTY	4/12/NONE	UNK/2 KIA

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C. MAJOR UNIT OPERATIONS

- A. WAR BONNET (SEE SPECIAL SITREP)
 - (1) TYPE OF OPERATION
 - B. SEARCH AND DESTROY
 - (2) AREA OF OPERATIONS
- C. QUANG NAM: BOUNDARIES (BT 123634) TO (BT 183589) AND BOUNDED BY SONG HA XUA. CONG HIEP, AND SONG DE VONG ON THE WEST.
 - (3) UNITS PARTICIPATING
 - D. 2D BN. 9TH MARINES (REIM)
 - (4) TIME OF COMMENCEMENT
 - Е. 030650Н
 - (5) TIME OF TERMINATION
 - F. 041130H

FRIENDLY LOSSES

ENEMY LOSSES

WIA: ONE

KIA1 ONE

VCS CAPTURED: TWENTY

CAPTURED: ONE US CARBINE

ONE FIRST AID PACKET

ONE PONCHO

D. THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION INITIATED 342 DEFENSIVE ACTIONS AGAINST VC FORCES IN THE DA NANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES. TWENTY THREE CONTACTS WERE MADE AS THE MARINES TOOK ADVANTAGE OF IMPROVED WEATHER TO CONTINUE THE SEARCH FOR THE VC. TPS-21 EMPLOYED BY CO L 3/3 PICKED UP A TARGET OF 5 - 8 VC AND FIRED SIMM MORTARS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. SID'S AND SCOUT SNIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED WITH NO SIGNIFICANT RESULTS.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS

A. THIRD MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM D N	<u> </u>	UAD N	PL AT	N N
LISTENING POST	15				
AMBUSH			15		
SECURITY PATROL		1	3	3	3
SEARCH & DESTROY				1	
TOTAL - 41					

(2) <u>1ST BN, 1ST MARINES</u>. AT 032233H CO A RECEIVED SIX ROUNDS SA FIRE AT (AT 923692): FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. AT 040800H SCHAD PATROL HROM CO A AT (AT 912692) RECEIVED TWO RDS SA FIRE WITH NO CASUALTIES. FIRE WAS RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. REMAINDER OF EATTALION COMMITTED TO OPERATION LONG LANCE (SEE SPECIAL SITREP)

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B. NINTH MAILINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIREFEAM N		<u>5.J</u>	AD
	1)	K	D	N
LISTENING POST		20		
AMBUSE		4	2	1.9
SPARCH & DESTROY			9	18
TOTAL - 72				

- (2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES AT 041600H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C RECEIVED TEN RDS SA FIRE FROM (BT 063651). PATROL RETURNED FIRE AND CONDUCTED SEARCH OF AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. SEE SPECIAL SITREPS OPERATION WAR BONNET. AT 092120H SQUAD FROM CO F LOCATED AT HA DONG BRIDGE (AT 991642) RECRIVED TWENTY RDS SA FIRE. 60MM AND SA FIRED. RESULTS UNKNOWN. AT 040950H SQUAD PATROL TRIPPED BOOBY TRAP (AT 995647) RESULTING IN THREE USMC WIA. AT 041000H SAME SQUAD TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY SA FROM (AT 997646) BY ESTIMATED FIFTEEN VC. SQUAD RETURNED FIRE AND 81 MM AND ARTY FIRED WITH VC BREAKING CONTACT. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. AND UNKNOWN RESULTS.
- (4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 032220H FIVE TO EIGHT VC PICKED UP BY AN TPS-21
 IN CO L AREA VIC (AT 953653); SIMM FIRED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. AT 040715H PLATOON (-)
 PATROL FROM CO M FIRED AT SIX ARMED VCIN OPEN FIELD VIC (AT 965664). ONE VC KNOCKED
 DOWN AND GARRIED AWAY INTO TREE LINE. AT 040730H 72 RDS 1034M FIRED INTO TREE LINE
 (AT 965641); AREA SEARCH AND BLOOD STAINED BLACK PAJAMES AND HAT FOUND. AT 040610H
 A FIRE TEAM FROM CO M TRIPPED BOOBY TRAP AT (AT 970659) RESULTING IN TWO MARINES WIA,
 SY PLT, CO M
 TWO ARVN WIA, AND ONE CIVILIAN WOUNDED. AT 040830H SA FIRE RECEIVED FROM VIC

 (AT 964645) RESULTED IN ONE USMC WIA. FIRE RETURNED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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AT 041030H PLT (-) PATROL, RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM FOUR VC (AT 960643) RESULTING IN TWO USMC WIA. FIRE RETURNED MITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. AT 041046H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO L FIRED ON VC IN CAME FIRLD (AT 958653). AREA SEARCH AND FLDOD STAINS FOUND. AT 081205H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO L PICKED UP ONE VCS AT (AT 958674). AT 041245H SAME PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VCS AT (AT 959676).

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C. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

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	TE II	11114 1	<u>ar</u> 9	YT HISR	TOTAL.	
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155H	66				66	
105H	516	1	9		535	
8°H	2				2	

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D. 3D RECON BN

(1) BOX SCORES

	THETEAM		SQUAD		PLATOON D N	
	3.7	N	D	N	D	N
SCOUT SHIPER	2					
AMBUSH				2		5
RECOR PATROL			2	2	б	6
TOTAL - 25						

WHILE OPERATING VIC (AT 8685) AT 041300H. AT 040935 PLATOON FROM CO D
DETONATED BOOBY TRAP VIC (AT 835664) RESULTING IN ONE MARINE SUSTAINING
A MOUND BUT NOT CERIOUS ENOUGH TO REQUIRE EVAC. AT 0411354 PLATOON PATROL
BROW CO D KILLED TWO VC AT (AT 826660) AND CAPTURED TWO WEAPONS: ONE RUSSIAN
BURP GUN AND ONE MAS 36. AT 041145H SAME PATROL DISCOVERED TWO VC EATING
A WILD PIG VIC (AT 825660): PATROL FIRED AT VC AND WOUNDED ONE, BUT BOTH
ESCATES.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. FOURTH MARLINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE 'E	M N	S QU D	M VD	PLATOO D	N N
LISTENING POST	2	7				
AMBUSII		26		16		
SECURITY PATROL	6	5	14	8		
SEARCH & DESTROY					2	

TOTAL - 86

(2) <u>1ST BN. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT **041222H A SQUAD SECURITY PATROL FROM**CO B DISGOVERED TWO FRAG GRENADES BOODY TRAPS WHICH WERE WIRED INTO A
PUNJI PIT VIC (BT 468140). BOOBY TRAPS BLOWN IN PLACE BY THE PATROL.

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B. SEVENTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

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SCOUT SNIPER	3							
LISTENING POST	2	19						
AMBUSH			1	6				
RECON PATROL	2	2						
SECURITY PATROL	2	6	1	2	4	3		
SEARCH & DESTRO	Y		3	5			1	1
TOTAL - 63								

(2) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT O41110H A SQUAD SECURITY PATROL FROM CO K
RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM VIC (BS 602992). SUSTAINING ONE MINOR WIA. AREA SWEPT
WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 041128H A SQUAD PATROL FROM CO I RECEIVED SA FIRE
VIC (BS 537992). AREA IMMEDIATELY SWEPT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 041215H
CO L (-) CONDUCTING TWO PLATOONS COMBAT PATROLS RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM VIC
(BS 513905) AND (BS 517897). OBSERVED ONE VC IN A CAMOUFLAGE UNIFORM RUNNING
AT VIC (BS 517897). RETURNED FIRE. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 032105H A HARINE IN A SQUAD PATROL FROM CO E STEPPED INTO A BEAR TRAP VIC (ET 469026)

LATE ENTRY

(3) 20 BM TOW MAKINES

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C. ARTY BN GROUP

(1) BOX SCORES

	NUMB	er HISS	ONS	SUPPO	kti
	<u>obs</u>	H&I	TOTAL	MAF	R
	21	62	83	82	
		DS EXPE	IDED TOTAL		
1550	11E 58	WP 12	70		
15 5 H	8 6		86		
10 5 H	447	28	476		
107HT	56		56		
8*H	5		5		
TOTAL	693				

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	SQUAD		SQUAD F		PLAT	OON
	ħ	K	D	N		
AMBUSH		2		1		
RECON PATROL	2	2	1	1		
TOTAL - 9						

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(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM		SQUAD		PLATOON	
	D	И	D	K	D	N .
LISTENING POST		16				
AMBUSH				2		2
SECURITY PATROL			9	16		
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(2) 2D BH. 1ST MARIHES. AT 031820H AIR OBSERVER DIRECTED ARTY FIRE ON TWO VC AND OBSERVED TWO VC KIA.

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.. 4TH BN, 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

		NUMBER	MISSI	ONS		SUPPORTING
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155H	1				1	1
105H		3 8)	72	7	9	73
107HT	5		- •		5	5
	und	ROUNDS	EXPEN	ED		
	HE	ILL.UM	WP C	THER	TOTAL.	
155H	30				30	•
105H	90				90	
107HT	74		30		1.04	

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A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

	D M	RETEAM N	S (I	JAD N	PL.	HOOTA N	<u>ÇOM</u> D	PANY
SCOUT SNIPER	5	1						
LISTENING POST	2	104						
MBUSH		31		69		6		
RECOR PATROL	5		6	4	8	7		
SECURITY PATROL	9	10	26	32	5	3		
SKARCH & DESTROY			14	14	6		1	1
CLEARING OPERATION								
TOTAL -	21	146	46	119	19	16	1	1
TOTALS - 369					•	•		

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 115 PATROLS AND 106 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.

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A. DA NANG TAOR.
   3D HARDIV
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      He BN
                                    AT 954752
      3D MARINIS
                                    AT 944762 -
          1ST BN. 1ST MARINES
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         1ST BN, 9TH MARINES
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            CO B
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            CO C
            CO D
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         2D BN. 9TH MARINES
                                  AT 992677
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                                  BT-992677 041724
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12TH MARLINES	AT 957857 ✓
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1ST BN. 12TH MARINES	45 957758 (yourston Mallard)
A-BIRY 1/12	
A BTRY 1/11	AT 922791
C. DTRY	AT 921737
2D BN, 12TH MARINES	4 1 995722 996725
D BTRY	AT 064680 062 680
E BTRY	AT 988672
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L BTRY, 4TH BN, 12TH MARINES	AT 965717
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3D ENGR. BN	AT 949755
3D MED BN	AT 969754
3D RECON BN	AT 959749
3D MI. BN	AT 988720
1ST AMTRAC BN	AT 990713
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3D TANK BN	AT 385743 9 5# 773
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- (1) 4TH MARINES

 CP (BT 533089)

 CO B, 3D AT BN

 CD (BT 533089)

 CP (BT 523088)

 CP (BT 523088)

 CP (BT 566062)

 3D BN, 12TH MARINES

 CP (BT 551048)

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 CO A

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 - CO C CP (BT 525090) V
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- (3) 2D BN. 4TH MARINES
 - CD E CP (BT 515065) 46 30 7 3
 - CD F CP (BT 534075) 534078
 - CO G CP (BT 515065)
 - CO H CP (BT 468068)
 - EAS CO CP (BT 534076) ×
- (4) 1ST BN, 7TH MARINES CP (BT 565044) V
- CG A CP (BT 572029), V
 - CO B CP (BT 624991) 566020
 - co c CP (BT 566020) 624991
 - CO D CP (BT 558019)
 - 81 MORTAR PLT. CP (BT 561028)
 - CO A, 3D AMTRAC BN CP (BT 568039)
 - BTRY G, 3D BN, LLTH MAR CP (BT 566042)
 - OP#10 OP (BS 561997)
 - OP#11 OP (BT 583027)

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D BN, 7TH MARINES	CP (BT 518041)
H&S CO	CF (BT 518041) V
CO E	CP (BT 495038) V
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CO G	CP (BT 515047) V
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2D BN, 1ST MARINES

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YD 892146 V

CO E

YD 854359- 882 140 V

CO GG

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4TH BN, 12TH MARINES

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FROM: CG, THIRD MARDIV

TO: THIRD MAR DIV (COLLECTIVE)

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THIRD MAR DIV SPECIAL SITREP 040300H OPN WAR BONNET

- 1. COMMENCING AT 030650H THE 2D BN, 9TH MARINES (_)(REIN) SUPPORTED BY LVT'S TANKS, ONTOS AND ENGINEERS CROSSED LINE OF DEPARTURE (BT 078718) TO AREA OF OPERATION TO SHARCH AND DESTROY ENEMS FORCES IN THE COASTAL AREA IMMEDIATELY SOUTHEAST OF THE DA NANG TAUR (BOUNDRIES: (BT 123634) TO (BT 183589) AND BOUNDED BY SOUG HA AUA, CONG HIEP, AND SONG HE WONG ON THE WEST.
- 2. COMPANY E/2/9 COMPANY H/2/9 AND COMPANY E/3/3 COMPRISED THE INFANTRY ELEMENTS
 IN THE MECHANIZED MOTORIZED COLUMN WHICH PROCEEDED ALONG THE BEACH AT APPROXIMATELY
 15 NNOTS PER HOUR REACHING THE SCUTHERN TIP OF THE AREA OF OPERATIONS (BT 184590)
 AT APPROX 040910H WHERE IT EXECUTED A TURNABOUT REACHING PHASE LINE GREEN (BT 171594)
 TO BT 184590 BY 040940. IN THE MEANTIME CO L/3/9 WAS HELILIFTED TO MORTH BLOCK
 POSITION (BT 125634) COM B/1/9 MOVED BY POCTMARCH TO NORTHWEST BLOCKING POSITION
 (BT 115619): 927TH RP COMPANY OCCUPIED BLOCKING POSITION (BT 162593) AND THE
 706TH RF COMPANY MOVED TO ITS BLOCKING POSITION (BT 162600). BY 031140H., THE
 FORWARD COMPANIES (E ON RIGHT, H ON LEFT) REACHED PHASE LINE BROWN (BT 160597)
 TO (BT 170609). BURING THE INTERIM, JUNKS FROM THE COASTAL SURVEILLANCE FORCE
 APPREHENDED 9 VCS FLUSHED SEAWARD BY THE PROSENCE OF MARINE FORCES IN THE AREA.

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CO K/3/3. FOLLOWING INTRACE OF COMPANIES E AND H, WAS TO HAVE CROSSED THE SONG HIEP AND SECURE OBJECTIVE "A" (BT 1559) AFTER THE FORWARD COMPANIES CLOSED ON PHASE LINE BROWN. HOWEVER, APPROPRIATE CROSSING SITES FOR LYTS WERE NOT FOUND AND THE LYT LANDING WAS ABORTED IN FAVOR OF A HELILIFT AT 1215H. CO B/1/9 APPREHENDED FIVE (5) VCS VIC (BT 125605).

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- 4. AT 032240H, CO B/1/9 KILLED ONE VC VIC (BT 132603). V6 WBABON U.S. CARBINE CARTRIDGE BELT, FIRST AID POUCH AND PONCHO CAPTURED.
- 5. DURING REMAINDER OF OPERATION, THE BATTALION PROGRESSED WITH NO OPPOSITION BY THE VC. OPERATION TERMINATION AT 041130H WHEN 2/9 UNITS CLOSES ON THE DA NANG TAOR. FINAL BOX SCORES SHOWS 1 USMC WIA (WHEN TANK HIT MINE AT 030530H WHILE ENROUTE TO CO B/1/9 BLOCKING PSN.) AND 1 VC KIA AND 20 VCS.

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FROM: CO, THIRD MARDIV

TO: THIRD MAR DIV (COLLECTIVE)

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THIRD MAR DIV SPECIAL SITEEP 040300H OPN WAR BORNET

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THIRD MARDIV (COLLECTIVE)

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THIRD MARDIV SITREP NUMBER 244 AS OF 051000Z JAN 66

1. THIRD MAROLV HIGHLIGHTS

A. BOX SCORES (DAY) D (NIGHT) N

	FIRET RAM		SQUAD DD N		PLATOON D N		COMPANY D N		BATTALION N	
SOOUT SNIPER	6									
LISTENING POST	2	84								
AMBUSH		28	1	77		4				
RECON PATROL	6	7	7	11	4	4	1	1		
SECURITY PATROL	9	10	24	33	2	3				
SEARCH AND DESTRO	Y		16	15	10			1	1	
SUB TOTALS	23	129	48	136	16	II	T	72	I	
TOTAL - 367										

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACT. SIZE	ION TYPE	FRIENDLY UNIT	ENEMY UNIT/
QUANG NAM BT 043662	05 083 0H	SQD	PAT .	c/1/9/NONE	unk/1 vcs
AT 991635	05 1015 #	SQD	s/D	F/29/NONE	UNK/1WIA
AT 946678	042105H	SCD	AMB	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 KIA
AT 947676	050801H	PLT	s/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
AT 989687	0 50 815H	CO	s/D	K/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 955675	050931 H	PLT	s/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/ 8 VCS
QUANG TIN BT 415159	050825H	HILO	RECON	H&s/1/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 478052	042100H	SQD	AMB	E/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 474061	0 4210 0H	SQD	AMB	H&S/2/4/NONE	unk/unk
BT 484047	0 42110 H	SQD	AMB	E/2/4/NONE	unk/unk
B T 499069	042300Н	FLT	SEC	H/2/4/NONE	unk /un k
BT 499064	042322H	FLT	SEC	H/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 429089	051229H	PLT	s/d	F/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 429 088	°0 5130 0Н	PLT	s/d	F/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT >17039	050030н	CO	SEC	H& S/2/7/NONE	unk/unk
в т 399148	051 025H	SUR S	BEC SUR	3/12/NONE	UNK/3 KIA, 1 VCC, 1VCS
QUANG NGAL BT 656001	0 51 035H	PLT	s/D	B/1/7/1W1A	unk/unk
BT 629001	051040н	SQD	s/d	B/1/7/IWIA	UNK/UNK
BS 583929	05114)H	SQD	s/D	M/3/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
BS 533894	051205Н	GO	s/D	L/3/7/2WIA	UNK/UNK

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C. MAJOR UNIT OPERATIONS

- 1. LONG LANCE (SEE SPECIAL SITREPS)
 - A. TYPE OF OPERATION
 - (1) SEARCH AND DESTROY
 - B. AREA OF OPERATIONS
 - (1) SEE 1ST BN, 1ST MAR OP ORD 130-65
 - C. UNITS PARTICIPATING
 - (1) 1ST BN, 1ST MARINES (-)
 - D. TIME OF COMMENCIMENT. 1900 3 JAN 1966.
 - E. OPERATION CONTINUING

FRIENDLY LOSSES

ENEMY LOSSES

WIA: 13

KIA: 7

WIA: 4

VCS: 9

D. THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION INITIATED 367 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS WITH 20 CONTACTS AGAINST VC PORCES IN THE DANANG, CHU-LAI AND PHU-BAI ENCLAVES AS CLEARING SKIES AND WARM WEATHER CONTINUED TO IMPROVE GROUND TRAFFICABILITY. SID'S AND SCOUT SNIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED, WITH ONE SID ONTACT REPORTED.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS

A. THIRD MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM D N	SQUAD D N	PLATOON D N
LISTENING POST	15		
AMBUSH		25	
SECURITY PATROL		3 3	
SEARCH AND DESTROY		2	4
TOTAL - 52			

(2) 1ST BN. 1ST MARINES. SEE SPECIAL SITREP FOR OPERATION LONG LANGE.

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B. NINTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	F1 REPLAM D N		SOUAD D N		PLATO D	N OC
LISTENING POST		22				
Haugh		7	1	18		
RECON PATRUE	4	5	1	7		
SEARCH AND DESTROY			12	14	2	

- TOTAL 93

 (2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. A CO C SQD PAT APPREHENDED ONE

 ARVN DESERTER WHO CLAIMED TO HAVE BEEN CAPTURED BY THE VC AT

 050830H VIC (BT 043662). HE WILL BE DELIVERED TO APPROPRIATE

 ARVN AUTHORITIES.
- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. A CO F SQD PAT AT (AT 941635)

 RECEIVED 100-200 RDS OF SA FIRE FROM AN ESTIMATED 7 VC. AT

 051015H PAT RETURNED SA FIRE AND FIRED AN ARTILLERY MISSION ON THE SUSPECTED VC PSN. AREA SEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS.
- (4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 042105H, A COMPANY L SQD AMBUSHED THREE VC (AT 946678). ONE VC WAS KIA. THE OTHER TWO ESCAPED IN THE DARKNESS. RECOVERED FROM THE DEAD VC WERE THREE CHICOM GRENADES, CARTRIDGE BELT, FIRST AID PACKET, ONE PAIR OF KHAKI TROUSERS.

AT 050801H, ONE VCS WAS APPREHENDED BY A CO L PLT VIC (AT 947676); AT 050815H, THE FORWARD SECURITY ELEMENTS OF CO K

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RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN RDS OF SA FIRE VIC (AT 989687).

FIRE RETURNED: AREA EAS SEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS. AT 050931H,

EIGHT VCS WERE APPREHENDED AT (AT 955675) BY A CO L PLT. THE

VCS WERE DRAFT AGE MALES; DELIVERED TO 1TT.

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C. 12TH MARINES

11:00

(1) BOX SCORES

	NUMB:	<u> 135</u>	<u>ions</u>	SUPPO	RTING
	\mathbf{o}_{BS}	H/1	TOTAL	MAF	RVN
155G		7	7	5	2
155H	2	67	69	69	
105H	10	363	373	373	
	ROUNI)S EXPE	NDE.D		
	HE				
155G	7				
155H	76				
105H	556	12			

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D. 3D RECON BN

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE TEAM D N	SQU D	IA D N	PLAT D	00N N	COMPA D	NY
SCOUT SNIPER	2						
AMBUSH			2		3		
REBON PATROL		2	2	3	3	1(-)	1(-)
TOTAL - 19							

3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. FOURTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	$\frac{FIR}{D}$	ET EAM N	SQUAD N	PLATOON D N
LISTENING POST	2	7	,	
AMBUSH		21	20	
SECURITY PATROL	7	3	12 13	
SEARCH AND DESTROY				4
TOTALS - 89				

- (2) 1ST BR. 4TH MARINES. AT 050825H WHILE THE BN CMDR WAS MAKING AN ABRIAL RECON 7 PERSONS WERE OBSERVED TO RUN FROM A BUILDING VIC (BT 415159) AND FIRE SA AT THE HELICOPTER. FIRE WAS NOT RETURNED DUE TO THE EVASINE ACTION TAKEN BY THE HELICOPTER. HELICOPTER RECEIVED ONE HIT.
- (3) 2D BN, 4TH MARINES. AT 042100H A SQD AMBUSK FROM CO E OBSERVED TWO VC VIC(BT 47805.2) 50 METERS SOUTH OF THEIR PSN. VC WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE AND A SEARCH OF THE AREA WAS CONDUCTED WITH NEG RESULTS.

AT THE SALE TIME ANOTHER SQD AMBUSH FROM HES CO VIC (BT 474061) OBSERVED SEVERAL VC RUNNING FROM WEST TO EAST VIC (BT 479055). VC TAKEA UNDER PIRE AND AREA WAS SEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS.

AT 042110H A SQD AMBUSH FROM CO E FIRED ON FOUR TO FIVE VC'S NEAR THEIR PSHS VIC (BT 484047), SEARCHED AREA WITH NEG RESULTS.

AT 042300H A PLT FROM CO H LOCATED AT AN TAN BRIDGE VIC

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(BT 497067) FIRED AT FOUR VC VIC (BT 499069), VC FLED TO THE NORTH, TWO ADDITIONAL VC OBSERVED WHO FLED TO THE WEST.

AT 042322 A PLT FROM CO H OBSERVED THREE VC VIC (BT 499064) 81 MM MORTAR FIRE WAS CALLED, AREA SEARCHED AT RIRST BIGHT WITH NEG RESULTS.

AT 051229H A REINFORCED PLT FROM CO F IN THE HILL 22 AREA VIC(BT 453038) RECEIVED TWO RDS SA FIRE VIC (BT 429089).
PLT RETURNED FIRE AND PURSUED BUT LOST CONTACT.

AT 051300H REINFORCED PLT FROM CO F RECEIVED THREE RDS SA FIRE VIC (BT 429088), OBSERVED THREE VC'S DISAPPEAR INTO THE WOODLINE BEFORE THEY COULD BE TAKEN UNDER FIRE.

B. SEVENTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	$\frac{P \mathbf{I} \mathbf{h}}{\mathbf{D}}$	et eam	<u>.sq</u> 1	UA D N	PLA	roon N	COMPANY D N
LISTEBING POST		20		•			
AMBUSH				5			
RECON PATROL	2	2	2				
SECURITY PATROL	2	7	1	3	2	3	
SEARCH AND DESTRO	Y		2	1			1
CLEARING			1				
TOTAL - 54							

(2) <u>1ST BN. 7TH MARINES.</u> AT **051035H** A PLATOON FROM CO B
RECEIVED 20 RDS SA FIRE FROM THREE VC VIC BT **656001.** RETURNED
FIRE AND A ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED ON THE AREA. AREA SEARCH*
ED, NEG RESULTS. SUSTAINED ONE USMC WIA.

AT 051040H A SQD FROM CO B SUSTAINED ONE WIA WHEN A MARINE OPENBO A DOOR THAT WAS BOOBY TRAPPED VIC (BT 629001).

- (3) 2D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 050030H H&S CO DETECTED MOVEMENT WITH THE SID. TWO PERSONS WERE OBSERVED AND TWO HAND GRENADES WERE THROWN BY H&S CO PERSONNEL. AREA WAS SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT, NEG RESULTS.
- (4) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 051140H A SQD FROM CO M RECEIVED SA FIRE VIC (BS (583929). FIRE RETURNED AND VC BROKE CONTACT.

AT 051205H TWO MARINES FROM CO L WERE WOUNDED WHILE REMOVING A BICYCLE THAT WAS BOOBY TRAPPED LYING ACROSS A TRAIL, VIC(BS 533894).

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C. ARTY BN GROUP

(1) BOX SCOKES

(1)	DUA D	<u>yourse</u>			
	NUMBE	r missi	ONS		SUPPORTING
	O BS	11/1	TOTAL		<u>MA F</u>
155 0	3	6	9		9
155H	5		5		5
105H	3	25	28		28
105HT	1	4	5		5
ви н		1	1		1
	ROUN	DS EXPE	NDED		
	HE	III	WP	TOTAL	
155G	25		9	34	
155H	29			29	•
105H	349	5		255*	
107HT	32	3		35	
gn H	3			3	

* 1 HC SMOKE

(2) THE SURVEY SECTION FROM THE ARTILLERY BN GROUP WERE LOCATED IN VIC (BT 399148) TO SURVEY DEFENSIVE CONCENTRATIONS FOR PF FORCES WHEN THEY RECIEVED A REPORT FROM THE VILLAGERS THAT VC WERE COLLECTING FOXES IN THAT AREA. REQUESTED AIR COVERAGE AND A UNIE ARRIVED ON STATION AND LOCATED TARGET. UNIE COMMENCED FIRING ON VC IN TRENCHES. 15 MARINES ASSAULTED BOTH VILLAGES AT 051025H. THE VC SUFFERED THREE KIA, ONE VCC AND ONE VCS. ONE CHICOM MOSSIN-NAGAUT MODEL 53 AND FRENCH MAS 36 RIFLE WERE CAPTURED. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES PAGE.

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAM D N	<u>ຣວບ</u> ງີ	A D N	PLA?	N 001
SCOUT SNIPER	1				
AMBUSH			2		1
RECON PATROL		2	2	1	1
TOTAL - 10					

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 20 BN. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRETEAM D N	SOI	JA D	PLATOON D N
LISTENING POST	20			
AMBUSH			5	
SECURITY PATROL		8	14	
TOTAL - 47				

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

		NUMBER 1	alssion	<u>vs</u>	SUPPORT	LNG
	QBS	UNOBS	H/I	TOTAL	MAF	
155H	2			2	2	
105Н	1	99	98	100	100	
		ROUNDS	E KP END	ED		
	HE	Mb	TOTA	Ļ		
155H	6	9	15			
105H	208	7	215			

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5. PLAN SUMMARY

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

	PIRE	TEAM N	SOU	格	PLATO D	NOC	D COMP.	NY	BATTA	LION
SCOUT SNIPER	3	3								
LISTENING POST	2	90								
AMBUSH	2	32	1	73		3				
RECON PATROL	4	9	9	11	3	3	1	1		
SECURITY PATROL	9	8	24	30	6	6				
SEARCH AND DESTROY			21.	36	5				1	1
SUB TOTALS	20	143	55	150	I	13	T	I	Ţ	T

TOTAL - 396

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT PATROLS AND 111 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.

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THIRD PARMY SITREP NUMBER 245 AS OF 0610002 JAN 1966

1. THIRD HARDIY HIGHLIGHTS.

A. BOA SCORES. (DAY) D (NIGHT) H

	FIRED	EAN N	8:41/ D	N N	<u>PLAT</u> D	N N	CC PANY D N	BATTA	NOLLI N
SOCOT SHIPSR	6								
LISTATING POST	2	9 6							
AMBUSH	2	32		82		3			
RUCOR PATROL	2	7	9	11	3	3			
SECULITY PATROL	10	8	30	42	6	6			
SEALCH a DESTROY	•		20	30	4	1	2	1	1
TOTAL	22	143	59	165	13	13	2	1	1

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS.

	ROVINGE/ PORELMATED	DATE/	ACT SIZE	TON TYPE	FRIENDLY UNIT/	PRIEMDLY UHIT/ LOSSES
	ANG RAE/ 935688	061 0 3 0R	N	/A	3 ATBn/1 KIA, 3	WIA UNK/UNK
BT	035677	0 51 82 5 H	PIX	14B	C/1/9/2 WIA	UMK/UNK
BT	031649	051845H	ಸಭು	RB	G/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNE
AT	99 9699	0-2320H	SQD	AMB	G/2/9/1 WIA	UNK/UMA
AT	974674	060930	5 ್ಟರಿ	SEC	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/2 AIA
AT	959681	06122 5 H	SQD	5≝C	M/3/3/NONE	UNE/3 RIA
ΑT	96 8679	061225H	SQD	a/ a	3 ENGR/1 HIA	UNK/1 KIA
	ANG TIN/ 438056	0 60 014£	ೆ ಫರಿ	AMB	G/2/4/NONE	UNK/NONE
BT	434092	061140н	K mpa	S&D	E/2/4/N NE	UNK/NONE
BT	56101 5	0 <i>5</i> 2000H	¢υ	S::0	D/1/7/NONE	UNK/HUNE
BS	614982	052200Н	للهاد	SEC	C/1/?/NONE	UNK MENE
BT	49 4020	обоз о он	P. COLAR	AMI	E/2/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT	51 5047	∂608 05 H	ĊÜ.	SEC	0/2/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
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- C. MAJOR UNIT OFERATIONS.
 - 1. LANG LANCE (SEE SPECIAL SITEEPS)
 - A. TYPE OF CLERATION: SEARCH AND DESTROY
 - B. AREA OF OPERATION: SEE 1ST BN. 1ST MAK OP ORDER 130-65
 - C. UNITS PARTICIPATING: 1ST BN. 1ST MAR (-) (REIN)
 - D. TIME OF COMMENCEMENT: 031900 JAN 1966
 - B. OPERATION CONTINUES

FRIENDLY LOSSES

ENEMY LOSSES

2 KIA: 21 VIA

35 VC KIA (12 CONFIRMED, 23 EST); 20 WIA (EST)

6 VCC: 13 VCS

D. GOOD HEATHER AGAIN THEVAILED IN THE DA NANG, CHU LAI AND THU BAI ENCLAVES

AS MARINE FORCES CONSECTED 317 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS TO LOCATE AND DESTROY VC ELEMENTS.

AND QUEE(wia)

WHICH WERE IN ADDITION TO OPN LONG LANCE.

5 VC WERE KILLED, AS A RESULT OF THESE ACTIONS, SID'S AND SCUT SHIPER TRANS WERE

EMPLOYED WITH NEGATIVE CONTACTS REPORTED.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SUI D	N N	PLA'	TOON N	BATTA D	LION
SCOUT SHIPER LP,	14						
AMBUSH			16				
SECURITY PATROL		2	3	3	3		
SEARCH & DESTROY						1	1
TOTAL	14	2	19	3	3	1	1

(2) 1ST BN. 1ST MARINES. SEE SPECIAL SITREP OPERATION LONG LANCE.

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B. MINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

(1)	PIES.	TANK :	SOE!	D I		4
LISTENIEG POST		33			,	
•	2	7		31		
AMBUSH		4		7		
RECON PATHOL		,				
SECURITY PATROL				12		
			15	22	2	
SKANCH & DESTROY	2	Þ٢	21	72	2	
TOTAL	2	_				G VI

- (2) 1ST BE, 9TH MARINES. TWO HARINES PROM CO C WIA AT 051825R WHEN UNKNOWN NUMBER VC FIRED TEN RIS A/W FROM (BT 030673) INTO FLT PATROL BASE (BT 035677). FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH MEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 2D BH. STH MARINES. AT 051845H SQUAD RIVER BLOCK FROM CO G
 RECEIVED FIVE RDS SA FIRE FROM TO CAN (2) (BT 034650). RETURNED 30 RDS SA
 FIRE AND APPARENTLY WOUNDED ONE VC. AT 052320H SQUAD AMBUSH FROM CO G (AT 999699)
 RECRIVED FOUR TO FIVE RDS SA FROM (BT 600701). ONE USEC WIA: UNKNOWN VC
 CASUALITIES.
- (4) 3d MM. 3D MARINES. AT 960930R AT (AT 974674) SQUAD PATROL PRON
 CO M EMTERING LA BONG (1) WITH PAT RECREVED THREE RIS SA FIRE. PATROL MUMED
 INTO ARRA FLUSHING OUT POUR VC AND WORNDERS TWO WHO WERE EVACUATED. OTHER
 THO ESCAPED TO NORTH. SQUAD PRON CO M ACCOMPANIED PAT SUPPORTED BY ONE DOG
 TEAM TO DESTROY ORTIFICATIONS: VMAP COMMANDOS ALSO SUPPORTED OPERATION. AT
 061225H PAT SENT YOUNG BOY IN TO CHECK TURNEL (AT 959681) AND BOY SAID NO
 VC WERE IN TURNEL AND RAN. AT THAT TIME ORIGINADE THROWS FROM TURNEL EILLED
 ONE MEMBER OF FAT AND MOUNDED ANOTHER. MARINES KILLED THREE VC IN TUNNEL AN
 POUND SUITCASE WITH GLOTHING, ONE BLOCK THT AND DOCUMENTS.

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C. 12TH HARLES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SOCRES.

			TORS	
	OBS	HAI	TOTAL	
1550		5	5	
155H		86	86	
1054	3 .	235	238	
	ROUN	ds elp	MED	
	HE !	<u>ur</u>		
1551	86	h _k		
10 Fi	482	3		

D. RECOM RM.

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRSTERN	SCI	A Br	ROOM B
SCOUT SHIPER	2 🚏			
AMBUSH			2	3
RECON PATROL		4	2 3	3
TOTAL	2	4	4 3	6

SQUAD SIZE OPERATION FROM CO A SHCOUNTERED UNENOWS NUMBER OF VC AT (AT 818852). FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

E. 3D ENGR BH. DEMO-SHEEP TEAM SUPPORTED CO M IN CAM HE COMPLEX. TURNEL LOCATED AT (AT 966679) AND ARYN CAPTAIN DIRECTED TEN YEAR OLD BOY TO SEARCH TURNEL AND HE REPLIED "NO VC". AS CAPTAIN ENTERED TURNEL, VC EMERGED PROM AMOTHER HOLE THREE PEST AWAY AND THREM GRENADE KILLING ARYN CAPTAIN AND WOUNDING ONE ENGINEER. ANOTHER ENGINEER KILLED VC. 77 ENGINEERS CONDUCTED 15 SMEEPS.

P. 3D AT BH. AT OGLOZOM AT (12 937687) HEAR MINU DUC HQ M-37 (PC) HIT MINE. CAS USHC WIA AND ONE USING KIA: MINE SUSPECTED TO HAVE BEEN 30 LBS THT BLECTRICALLY DETONATED. CRATER SIZE: WIDTH-12 FERT: DEPTH-6 FERT.

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). CHE LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FOURTH MARTIES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

,	D	TANK .	SCID	4	PLATOON D
SCOUT SNIPER	1				
LISTENING POST	2	7			
AMBUSE		25		17	
SECURITY PATROL	7	3	13	12	
SEARCH & DESTROY					2
TOTAL	`10	35	13	29	2

(2) 2D BM. 4TH MARINES. AT 060014H A SQUAD AMBUSH FROM THE COLF CO PATROL, OPERATING OUT OF MY PHU (2), SIGHTED THREE VC AT (BT 438056).

THEY WERE FIRED ON WITH THE H-79 AND SOME SMALL ARMS FIRE, HOWEVER, THE VC MANAGED TO ESCAPE.

AT 061140H, A PLT SEARCH AND DESTHOY PATROL FROM E CO RECEIVED 10

RDS OF SA FIRE FROM (BT 434092). THERE WERE 4 VC SIGHTED, WHO WERE

IMMEDIATELY TAKEN UNDER FIRE AND PURSUED. THE VC MANAGED TO ESCAPE BEFORE

THE PATROL COULD CLOSE THE GAP BETWEEN THEM. A WALLET WAS FOUND, HOWEVER,

WHICH CONTAINS SOME DOCUMENTS TO BE TURNED OVER TO THE BE 5-2.

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B. SEVENTH HARLIES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	G EKT	TAN	SON	4	PLAN	NOON.
SCOUT SHIPER	2					
LISTENING POST		20		•		
AMBUSH	, ^{\$1}			6		
RECON PATROL	2	2	3			
SECURITY PATROL	3-	5	1	2	3	3.
SEARCH & DESTROY			5	8	2,	1,
TOTAL	7	27	9	16	5	4

(2) 1ST BH. 7TH MARINES. AT 05200H, BT 561016, CO D SID'S DETECTED MOVEMENT AT BT 561015. ILLUMINATION OF AREA PROVIDED OBSERVATION THREE VCS. THE MARINES FIRED 10 RDS OF SA'S AND 10 M-79 AND M-72 RDS AT THE VCS. A SEARCH WAS MADE OF THE AREA AT 060630H AND ONLY POOT PRINTS WERE FOUND IN THE AREA.

AT 052200H, BS 614983, A CO C PATROL OBSERVED ONE VC, WITH A RIFLE HELD OVER HIS HEMD, CROSSING A STREAM AT BS 614982. THE PATROL KILLED THE VC HIS WEAPON SANK TO THE BOTTOM AND THE BODY FLOATED OUT IN THE SOMO TRA BONG RIVER.

PRONT OF THEIR AMBUSH POSITION AT BT 494020 AND OPENED FIRE WITH SA'S.

EMENY LOSSES ARE NOT KNOWN. AT 06080 % CO G RECEIVED ONE RD OF SHIPER FIRE
AT BT 515047. HO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES RESULTED. A PATROL CHECKED THE AREA

FROM WHICH THE RD WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN FIRED. NO CONTACT WAS MADE

IN THAT AREA.

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(\$) 3D PM. 7TH MARINEE. AT 052005 H CO I FIRETRAM SIZE COMBAT OUTPOST, VIC (BS 548012) NOTICED THREE PERSONS APPROACHING THEIR POSITION. OP CRALLENGED PERSONS AND AT THIS TIME THE OP RECEIVED AN UNKNOWN AMOUNT OF CARBINE RUS. THE OP RETURNED THE FIRE, AND M-79 RD WAS FIRED AND THE OP HEARD A LOUD SCREAM. TWO FIRETRAMS WERE DISPATCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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C. ARTILLERY BN ORCUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

NUMBER MISSIONS						SUPPORTED
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL		HAP
1550			2	2		2
1558			4	4		•
105H	13	2	28	43		43
105HT	•		11	11		11
	ROUN	DS FIPEN	DED	ü		
1550	4	*	TOTAL		•	
15 5 H	17		17			
10 5 H	544	13	558	•		
107HT	67		67			
•	l HC S	MOKE				

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	PIRETEAN N	SOL	4
SCOUT SHIPER	1		
AMBUSH			2
RECON PATROL		2	2
TOTAL	1	2	4

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS.

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	D RET	4	<u>50</u>	4
LISTENING POST		22		
AMBUSH				8
SECURITY PATROL	4 		8	13
TOTAL		22	8	21

B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	WIN	er nissi	ONE.		9	SUPPORTING		
	OBS.	UNOBS	HAL	TOTAL		MAP	EVE	
155H	2			84			2	
105H	2	82	62	84		82	22	
	ROUNI	S EXPEN	ard.					
	HE	WP						
1551	147	5						
105H	262							

5. PLANS SUFMARY.

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	PIRETE D	Ä.	SOU.	D.	PLAT	NOX.	COMPANY D N
SCOUT SNIPER	7	146					
LISTENING POST	2	90					
AMBUSH	2	23	6	91		6	
RECON PATROL	2	11	15	18	M.	2.	
SECURITY PATROL	10	9	33	38	4	4	
SEARCH & DESTROY			15	17	5	1	2
TOTAL	23	133	69	154	10	12	2

TOTAL: 403

B. THE DIVISION WILL COMDUCT 146 PATROLS AND 128 AMBUSHES DURING THE MEXT 24 HOURS.

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PRIORITY 07/60/2 JANSS

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THIRD MARDIV SITREP NUMBER 246 AS OF 0710002 JAN 1966

1. THIRD HARDLY HIGHLICHTS.

A. BOX SCORES. (DAY) D (MICHT) N

	TRE	4	SOU D	4 .	PLAN	CH	BATTA	TON
SCOUT SHIPER	7							
LISTENIEG FOST	10	85						
ANBUSH	2	50	1	90		5		
RECON PATROL	7	13	10	20	3	3		
SECURITY PATROL	12	10	33	3	3			
SEARCH & DESTROY			22	14	6		1	1
SUB TOTAL	38	158	53	157	12	11	1	1
POPAL: 431								

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS.

341434	AAUTUATO.				
PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/	ACT I	TYPE	PRIREDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	ENERT UNIT/
Guano nan/ By 088698	070925H	SQD	MINE CLEAR	D/1/9/3800/3KIA	UNK/2KIA
BT 086665	071215H	PLT	5/D	B/1/9/MONE	UMK/1XIA
BT 086698	0 71730H	R#(-)	s/p	1/9/MIA-	UNK/IKIA, 96VCS
BT 090690	071600H	œ	S/D	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/LKIA
AT 998638	0 71120 H	PLT	PAT	F/2/9/1MIA ~	UNK/UNK
AT 978667	0 62330 H	SQD	ANGS .	M/3/3/HOHE	UNK/2NIA
AT 953684	07 1020H	CO	SEC	L/3/3/HOME	UNIX/UNIX
AT 957684	0711288	PLT	PAT	M/3/3/181A, 191A	•
QUANO TIN/				•	
BT 431142	070315H	PLT	8/0	B/1/4/MBMS	UNK/IRIA, IMIA
BT 433145	0708154	PLI	S/D	B/1/4/NONE	UNK/1VCS
BT 429158	071035E	PLI	S/D	B/1/4/NORE	UNE/UNE
BT 433148	071115E	PLT	S/D	B/1/4/wome	UNK/16VCS
BT 441042	071020H	MI	s/D	8/2/4/DEA *	UNK/ONK
81 462072	071200H	PLT	SEC	R/2/4/HOME	UNK/UNK
QUANO NOAI/ NS 623983	0619 3 08	00	SEC	8/1/7/HOME	UMK /UNK
GRANG TIN/					
BT 561014	0 701308	OD	SEC	D/1/7/MCME	UMK/UMK
QUANG MGAI/					
BS 592943	071025H	PLE	5/0	D/1/7/NOHE	UMK/1VCS

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C. MAJOR UNIT OPERATIONS

- 1. LONG LANCE (SEE SPECIAL SITERPS)
 - A. TYPE OF OPERATION: SEARCH AND DESTROY
 - B. AREA OF OPERATION: SEE 1ST BK. 1ST MAR OP ORD 130-65
 - C. UNIT PARTICIPATING: 1ST IM. 1ST MAR (-) REIN
 - D. TIME OF COMMENCEMENT: 030900 JAN 1966
 - E. OPERATIONSCONTINUING

PLIEBILY LOSSES

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MONE

1 VC KIA

3 VCC

D. CONTINUED FAIR WEATHER SET ALL THERE ENGLAVES HAS GREATLY ASSISTED TRAFFICABILITY. 431 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS WERE CONDUCTED THROUGHOUT THE DIVISION AREA WITH 17 CONTACTS. ONE SID CONTACTED REPORTED WHICH ALERTED PERSONNEL TO THE PRESENCE OF THREE VCS. SCOUT SHIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED WITH HEG CONTACTS.

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2. DA NAMO OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES

	D N	SCHAD D	DATOON	BATTALION
LISTENING POST	14			
AMBUSH		8		
SECURITY PATROL		3 3	1	
SEARCH AND DESTROY				1 1
TOTAL - 31				

(2) 1ST DE ST MARINES. LONG LANCE CONTINUES. SEE SPECIAL SETREPS FOR DETAILS ON THE OPERATION.

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	PIRI D	TEAM	50	4	PLATOON D
SCOUT SHIPER	1				
LISTENING POST		2			
ACDUSH	2	43	3	42	
RECON PATROL	5	11	1	14	
SEARCH AND DESTROY			21	11	3
TOTAL - 177					

(2) AT 09025H. A FIRETEAM MICH CO D REINFORCED WITH ENGR PERS. ON A KINE CLEARING MISSION SUSTAINED 3 KIA VIC (ET 088698) WHEN IT ENGAGED APPROX 30 VC ARMED WITH ABOUT 10 AUTOMATIC WINS, HAND GRENADES AND POSSIBLE SOME M-79 GRENADE LAUNCHERS. THE VC SUFFERED TWO KIA AS A RESULT OF THE FIREFIGHT. THE VC DACKE CONTACT AS MARINE REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED WITH 2 TANKS.

AT 971215H, A CO B PLT KILLED ON VC VIC (AT 086665) AS HE ATTEMPTED TO MECAPE PROM THE PLT AS IT WAS SEARCHING THE AREA FOR THE V6 CEP WHICH HAD ENGAGED CO D. TWO CHICOM GRENADES WERE FOUND ON THE VC. BETWEEN 070945H AND 071730H, LET BE ! UNITS CONDUCTED A SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATION IN THE ORNERAL VIC OF (ST 086698) TO (BY 113648). ONE MARINE WAS MIA WHEN HE DETONATED A BOOBY TRAP BELIEVED TO BE A CHICOM GRENADE. A TOTAL OF 96 VCS WERE APPREHENDED BY 188 BR UNITS DURING THE SWEEP. AT 071600H CO A UNITS COMMICTED A SAD OPERATION VIC (BY 090690) UNCOVERED A VC BODY WHO APPARENTLY WAS KILLED BURING THE CO D ENGAGEMENT EARLIER IN THE DAY. (SE: THIRD HARDIV MSG MR 221 OF 07x305H JAMUARY FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS CONCERNING THIS INCIDENT).

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- DRESSED IN BLACK AND CARRYING TWO MEAPONS ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF A STREAM VIC (AT 978667). THE VC FELL WHEN FIRED UPON. THE ADBUSH SEARCHED THE AREA LATER AND FOUND TRACES OF BLOOD. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT AT LEAST ONE VC WIA. AT O71128H, A CO H PLT PATROL VIC (AT 957684) RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM ABOUT 15 VC ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE RIVER. THE PATROL RETURNED FIRE IMMEDIATELY WITH SA'S, M-79, AND SIMM MORTARS. THE VC BOKE CONTACT. NO COMPIRMED VC EASUALTIES. USING SUSTAINED ONE KIA AND ONE WIA. TWO SAUAD PATROLS IN THE VICINITY OF WHERE THE VC WERE IMMEDIATELY MOVED. THTO THE AREA; AN ARMED UH-1E CONDUCTED STRAFTING HURS ON THE TARGET. AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 071020H A COMPANY L VEHICLE RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM FOUR VC VIC (AT 953678).

THE VEHICLE WAS NOT HIT AND CONTINUED ON ITS JOURNEY. A SQUAD PATROL WAS SENT TO SEARCH THE AREA. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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C. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER MISSIONS			4 1.1	SUPPORTINO		
	OBS	UNOBS	HAT	TOTAL	KAZ	RYH	
155G			10	10	10		
1551	3		125	128	1.26		
105H	3	2	266	293	291	2	
109HT				16	16		

ROUNDS EXPENDED

IIE WP

155G 10

1559 143 4

105H 571 2

107HT 32

D. 10 RECON BN

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRETBAN D N		S X	AD N	PLA D	<u> 2001</u>
SCOUT SNIPER		:: ::				
AMBUSH				4		
RECON PATROL			4	4	3	3
TOTAL - 20						

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- 3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.
 - A. FOURTH MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	PIRE D	MAS 1	SCUAD D B		PLATOON		
SCOUT SNIPE	1						
LISTENING POST	5	11					
AMBUSH		7		17			
SECURITY PATROL	7	4	1.0	13			
SEARCH & DESTROY					2		
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(2) <u>1ST BM. ATH HARINES</u>. AT 070305H A PLT PROM OD B RECEIVED HEAVY SA FIRE PROM PHU VINH HAMLET VIC (BT 433142). PLT RETURBED FIRE KILLING ONE VC AND WOUNDING ONE VC. THE HOUNDED VC ESCAPED DEFORE PATROL COULD RECOVER BOOT.

AT 070815H PLT PATROL FROM GO B APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (BT 433145) WHO SEEMED INTERESTED IN ONE OF THE CAVES.

AT 071035H PLT PATROL PROM CO B RECEIVED SA FIRE VIC (BY 429158). RETURNED FIRE AT THREE VC WHO FLED THE AREA. UPON BEING RETRACTED BY LYT'S VC AGAIN OPENED FIRE, WHEN FIRE WAS RETURNED SA FIRE CRASED PLY COMPLETED RETRACTION WITHOUT FURTHER INCIDENT.

AT 071115H A PLT THEROL FROM CO B APPREHENDED TEN VCS IN THE HAMLET OF PHU VINE VIC (ET 433142) WHO WERE OF MILITARY AGE.

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(3) 2D BH. ATH MARINES. AT 072020H A PLATOON PATROL FROM CO F
TRIPPED A HAND GRENADE BOOST TRAP PLACED ON A GATE. ONE USHC WIA TWO OTHER
BOOST TRAPS AND NEW PUNJE STAKES FOUND ON SIDE OF TRAIL VIC (BT 441042).
BOOST TRAPS DESTROYED IN PLACE.

AT 071200H ONE CAN TYPE NEWS VIC (BY 462072) AND PIVE CAN TYPE MINES VIC (BY 460070) WERE POINTED OUT BY VN CHILDREN IN THE AREA OF HILL 69.
MINES APPEARED TO BE IN A ZIO ZAG PATTERS APPROX 10 NETERS APRIL. ENGINEERS CALLED INTO BLOW MINES IN PLACE.

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B. SEVENCE MARINES

(1) BOY SCORES

	PIRETE D	AM N	SQU.	$\frac{\mathbf{D}}{\mathbf{N}}$	PLATOO D	NC N
SCOUT SNIFER	2					
LIST FULL OST	5	15				
AMBUSH				7		2
RECON PATROL	2	2	3			
SECURITY PATROL	5	6.	3Ŀ	γĻ	3	3
SEARCH AND DESTROY			l	3	1	

TOTALS - 65

(2) <u>1ST BN. 7TH MARINES</u>. AT 061930H CO B RECEIVED EIGHT RDS OF SA FIRE VIC BS 623983. AREA WAS ILLUMINATED, BO NOVEMENT OBSERVED.

AT 070130H CO D SID DEVICES VIC BY 563015 DETECTED MOVEMENT AT VIC BY 561014. AREA WAS ILLUMINATED REVEALING THREE VCS APPROACHING THE MER. TAKEN UNDER FIRE, VCS WITHDREW, AREA WAS SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 071025H A PLATOON PATROL FROM CO D APPREHENDED ONE VCS HIDING BEHIND A ROCK.

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C. ARTILLERY BE GROUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMB	er nisə	ONS		SUPPORTING
	085	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	KAE
1550	1			1	1
155H			5	5	5
10 5 E	2	3	29	. 34	34
105ET			9	9	9
844			3	3	3
	ROUN	DS EXPE	DED		
	HE	OTHER	TOTAL		
1550	6		6		
1551	20		20		
105H	442	2	444		
107HT	54		54	÷	
8°H	3		3		

D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	D N	S JUAD D N
SCOUT SKIPER	1	
ABBUSH		2
RECON PATROL		2: 2
TOTAL - 7		

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 2D BE. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	DESTRUM	BOUAD	DIATOON
LISTENING POST	24		
AMBUSE		5	3
SECURITY PATROL		6 13	
TOTAL - 51			

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B. 4TH BR. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCHEES.

	HIMB	R MISSI			SUPPORTING			
	OBS	UNORS	HAI	TOTAL	MAZ			
1551	1		10	10	n			
1058	6		80.	87	87			
105et	15			15	15			
155H	N NOIN	S EXPEN W TO 34	W.					
1991	141	141						
107111	188	15 20	3					

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A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

	P	HEAN	60	4	PLATE D	4	COMPANY D N	BATTAL	TON
SCOUT SHIPER	7								
LISTENING POST	5	95							
AMBUSH	2	17	2	7		3			
RECON PATROL	. 5	10	13	17	3	3			
SUSURITY PATROL	12	· 9	30	39	4	3			
SHARGH AND DESTROY			15	25	8		1	1	1
TOTALS:	N	131	60	155	15	9	3.	1	1
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B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 145 PATROLS AND 98 AMBUSERS DURING THE MEXT 24 HOURS.

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THIRD MARINY SITREP NUMBER 247 AS OF OBLOODE JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARLITY HIGHLIGHTS.

A. BOX SCORES. (DAY) D (MIGHT) M

			SCI D	4	PLAT	001	COMP.	N	BATT	TION
SCOUT SHIPER	6	29								
LISTENING POST	2	66								
AMBU SE	2	23	2	7		2				
RECON PATROL	7	9	11	14			1	1		
SECURITY PATROL	11	1.5	36	48	4	3				
SEARCH & DESTROY			11	9	7	1			1	, 1
SUB TOTAL	28	140	60	142	12	6	1	1	1	1
TOTAL - 391										

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3.	DIVISION	CONTACTS.
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PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	TIME DATE		ION IYPE	PRIBUDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	LOGSES
DT 045718	071.850H	PLT	CP.	E/2/9/#ONE	UNK/VEK
AT 986614	080913H	ထ	SAC	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 993601	080958H	ထ	SIAC	7/2/9/1 WIA	UNK/UNK
AT 995642	080.000H	940	/MB	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 005611	0811100	00	EIAC	CO F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
H 007618	080.1.55H	00	EIAC ,	F/2/9/2 WIA	UNK/1 KIA
BT 027621	087 600H	00	SIAC	F/2/9/1 KIA, 3 WIA	UMK/UMK
# 944688	071. 706 H	SO	5 .0	1/3/3/NOME	UNK/ 1 VCS
AT 955665	0811491	SŒ	SIAM	L/3/3/NONE	UMK/ 1 VCS
AT 959682	081 520H	800	Siap	M/3/3/ 1 DOW	ORK/OHK
AT 955665	081 71 OH	PT	SED	H/3/3/1 KIA	UNK/UNK
AT 955680	0811509	PLT	SAD	L/3/3/2 MEA	UMK/2 KIA
CDANG TIN BT 461146	0 722508	SØ	ANTB	2 PLT/B/1/4/NOWE	UNK/NONE
BT 448055	080958H	PLT	SaD	E/2/4/NONE	ank/ank
Hr 438052	061.21.5H	PLT	SAD	B/2/4/WORB	UNK/MONE
BT 5	AP1 21 AP	PLT	41.475	a la la lunua	UNK/UNK
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HT 441.046	681.3408	PLA	SAD	E/2/4/HOHE	UNK/1. YCS
CUANG NGAI BS 590921	0 80910K	PLT	SAD	E/3/7/2 WIA	UNK/NONE
BS 581916	080,0058	PLT	SAD	E/3/7/NOME	UNK/HONE
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C. MAJOR UNIT OPERATIONS.

- 1. LONG LANCE.
 - A. TYPE OF OPERATION: SEARCH ANDDESTROY
 - B. AREA OF OPERATION: SEE 1ST BE, 1ST MAR OF ORD 130-65
 - C. UNITS PARTICIPATING: 1ST BN. 1ST MAR (-) (REIN)
 - D. TIME OF COMMENCEMENT: 031900H
 - E. TIME OF TERMINATION: 081615E
 - F. RESULTS:

PRICEDLY LOSSES

KIA: THREE

WIA: TWENTY-ONE

EXEMY LOSSES

KIA: SEVEN

KIA(POSS): TEN

WIA(POSS): TEN

VCC: TEN

YCS: TEN

KBA: TEN

ERA(EST): THIRTEES

WBA(POSS): FIFTEEN

EQUIPMENT CAPTURED: ONE CHICOM GRENADE

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400 RDS 30CAL AND

D. THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION INITIATED 391 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS TO FIND AND FIX THE VC IN THE DA MANG, CHE LAI AND PHU SAI UNDER SUNNY SKIES AND WEATHER THAT CONTINGES TO IMPROVE THE MOBILITY OF THE IMPANTATION, WHEELED AND TRACKED VEHICLES. SHOWER CONTACTS WERE HADE WITH VC FORCES. SID'S AND SCOUT SNIPER TRANSWERE EMPLOYED THROUGHOUT WITH NO SIGNIFICANT RESULTS. OPERATION LONG LANCE TERMINATED AT 08161-74 (SEE SPECIAL SITREPS).

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- A. THIRD MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	CTURY DAY	2	BUTTER
LISTERING POST	3,4		
AMBUSH		12	
SECURITY PATROL		7 3	,
SEARCH & DESTROY			1 1

B. MINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	TIRETEAM B		S-TIAD D N		PLATOON	
SCOUT SWIPER		1			,	
LISTENING POST		26				
AMBUSH	2	7	2	28		
RECON PATROL	5	7	2	8		
SECURITY PATROL			6	10	2	
SEARCH & DESTROY			10	8	4	1

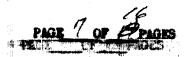
- TOTAL 129
 (2) 15T BH. 9TH MARINES. AT 071820H VIC (BT 050662) SCHAD PATROL FROM CO
 SEVEN
 C RECEIVED SEVEN RES SA FIRE. FIRE RETURNED WITH TWO RDS 3.5 IN RDS 400H, 215
 RDS SA. AREA SEARCHED WITH HEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 081130H TANK ACCOMPANYING CO C
 RETURNING TO CO CP HIT MINE AT (BT 063646). THERE WAS NO DAMAGE TO TANK.
- FROM TWO WINS. RETURNED 100 REG SA AND THREE M-79 RDS. SEARCHED AREA WITH HEDATIVE RESULTING AT OBLOODE SCUAD PATROL FROM CO E DETOMATED BOOST TRAPPED ORENADE RESULTING IN ONE USEC WIA AT OBOSOON CO F CROSSED LOD ON COORDINATED USECLARVE SAD OPERATION. AT OBOSOON RESULTS. DESTRUYED FROM VIC (AT 994606).

 PIRED SA AND ARTY WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. DESTRUYED THREE TORS OF RICE, NEDICAL SUPPLIES, FIFTY M-1 CARTIDGES AND ONE STAM SHELL IN GS (AT 9961). AT G809588 ONE MARINE MOUNDED FROM SECONDARY EXPLOSION WHEN BOOST TRAPPED GRENADE WAS DESTROYED AT (AT 993610). AT OBILION VIC (BT 005611) RECRIVED HEAVY VOLUME SA END M-79 FIRE FROM EST 20-30 VG. METURNED FIRE MITH SA, ARTY, AND AIR STRIKE. AIR STRIKE WITH BOCKETS AND MAPALM PROVIDED EXCELLENT TANGET GOVERAGE. POSSIBLY EIGHT VC KILLED BY AIR STRIKE, AT OBILISE VIC (BT 007618) ONE VC WITH MEB GRAR AND TWO CHICON GRENADES KIA. TWO MARINES MIA BUT IND BOT REQUIRE EVAC. AT

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OBLEGOR HEAVY VOLUME SA FIRE RECEIVED KILLING ONE AND WOUNDING THREE MARINES
AT (BT 027621). FIRE RETURNED INCLUDING FORTY RDS 1090K. RESULTS UNKNOWN.

(4) 3D BB. 3D MARINES. AT 071706H ONE VCS PICKED UP BY SCHAD PATROL PRON CO L AT (AT 944688). AT 081149H SCHAD PATROL PRON CO L CAPTURED ONE VCS AT (AT 955665). SAT 081150H, CO L PLT (-) PATROL RECRIVED HEAVY VOLUME SA FIRE PRON VIC (AT 958650) FROM APPROX 10 VC. TWO VC KIA AND TWO USING WIA. ESTIMATE ADDITIONAL EIGHT VC KIA BY ARTY MISSION. AT 081520H SCHAD PATROL FROM CO M RECEIVED FOUR RDS SHIPER PIRE AT (AT 959682) FROM ACROSS RIVER. FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. ONE USING DOWN AT 081710 PIRETEAN PATROL FROM CO M TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY TWO VC WITH A/M FIRE. RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS: ONE USING KIA. (968650)



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C. 12TE MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	HUMBER MISSIONS						
	ORS	HAI	TOTAL				
1550		10	10				
15 5 H	27	110	137				
1054	7	336	343				
	BOUN	DS EXP					
	羆	邓					
1550	10						
159	135	7					
10 5 E	517	10					

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- D. 3D RECOI BY.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

a.	PIRKEAN D N	SCHAD	PIATOON
SCOUT SNIPER	2		
ANNUSH			2
RECON PATROL		4 4	
TOTAL - 16			

E. <u>3D ENGR BU</u>. 71 ENGINEERS CONDUCTED TWELFE SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS IN THEDA MANG TAOR.

3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

- A. FOURTH MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	TIRE	iram B	SCHAD D N	PLATCON B
SCOUT SHIPER	1			
LISTENING POST	2	7		
AMOUSE		14	1	•
SECURITY PATROL	6	11	12 1	2
SEARCH & DESTROY	ħ.			1
TOTAL - 80				

- (2) <u>1ST BN. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 972150R, A SQUAD AMBUSE FROM CO B AT (BT 461145) SIGRTED A BOAT VIC (BT 456146) MOVING TOWARD THEIR POSITION. THE BOAT WAS CHALLENGED BUT DID NOT STOP. WHEN FIRED ON, THE BOAT REVERSED COURSE. RESULTS UNKNOWN.
- (3) <u>2D BH. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 080958H, A PLF PRON CO E FOUND SIX AP NIMES ON A TRAIL AT (BT 446055). THE NIMES WERE DESTROYED IN PLACE.

AT 061215M, A PLT PATROL FROM CO E RECRIVED 5 RDS SA FIRE FROM VIC (BT 438052). THE PATROL SEARCHED THEMENA WITH MEGATIVE MESULTS. THERE WERE NO PRIENDLY CASUALITIES.

AT 081310H, A PLT PATROL FROM CO E DISCOVERED A MINE ON A TRAIL AT (BT 440044). THE MINE WAS DESTROYED IN PLACE.

AT 081340H. A PLT PATROL FROM CO & RECEIVED 2 RDS SA FIRE VIC (BT 441046). THE PATROL SEARCHED THE AREA AND APPREHENDED ONE VCS.



S. SEVENTH MARLESS.

TOTAL - 61

(1) BOX SCORES.

	GUES	AN .	SCI	4	PLATO	4
SCOUT SHIPER	2					
LISTENING POST		19				
AMBUSH				10		
RECOR PATROL	2	2	3			
SECURITY PATROL	5	•		3	•	3
SEARCH & DESTROY			1	1	2	

(2) 3D BE. 7TH MARINES. AT 080910H, CO K RECRIVED 3 RDS INCOMING 60MM MORTAR FIRE AT (BS 590921). AN AC WAS CALLED BUT FOUND NOTHING. THERE WERE 2 USING WIA.

AT 081005H, CO K RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM 3 VC AT (BS 581916). THE FIRE WAS RETURNED NEWS PATROL DESPATORED TO PURSUE THE VC, WITE NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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C. ARTILLERY BR GROUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NI M	ER M	SSIONS_	SUPPORTING	
	OBS	ano	es im	NAL	KAT
1550			8	E \$	8
15 %	1		14	1.5	15
105H	5		27	32	32
10587	7		2	Ş:	9
	ROUL	DS EX	PENDAD.		-
	31	P	TOTAL		
1550	8	6	14		
1558	61		61		
1051	377	•	361		•
107HT	105	6	111		

D. RECOM GROUP ALITHA.

(1) FOX SCORES.

	DHELEVE	SCE AD
SCOUT SHIPER	1 -	
AMBUSH		2,
RECOM PATROL		2 2

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- PET BAT OPERATIONS.
 - A. 2D BH. 1ST MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	PIRETEAN	SULD
	D K	DN
LISTENING POST	28	3
ANGUSR		1
SECURITY PATROL		11 20
TOTAL - 60		1

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B. ATH BM. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER MISSIONS				SUPPORTINO
	ORS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	MAZ
1551		10	10	10	16
10 5 i	7	811	81	88	88
10791	15		· .	1,5	15
155E	HOUN.	DS REPEN	44		
105H	141				
107HT	188	15			e.

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A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	FILES D	HAM	SCI	M H	PLATUON D N	COM	PAIL
SCOUT SHIPER	22						
LISTENING POST	2 m _	87					
AMBUSH	2	24	2	80	2		
RECOH PATROL	5	12	12	15		1	1
SECURITY PATROL	12	15	33	49	3 2		
SEARCH & DESTROY			15	17	6	1	
SUB TOTAL	32	138	62	161	9 4	2	1
TOTAL - 408							

B. THE DIVISION WILL COMPUCT 160 PATROLS AND 110 AMERICANS DURING THERE.
MENT TWENTY-POUR HOURS.

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THIRD MAR DIV SITREP NUMBER 248 AS OF 091000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIY HIGHLIGHTS

A. BOX SCORES.	(DAY)	ū	(NIGHT)	N		
	Fine. D	Ceam N	<u>ا برند</u> ا برند	N D	i LaT D	ii N
SCOUT SNIFER	- 3	1				
LISTENING MOST	2	98				
AMBUSH		28	2	85		1
RECON FATROL	5	9	10	15		1
SECURITY PATROL	19	24	27	49	4	1
SEARCH AND PESTROY			15	33	6	2
SUB TOTALS	29	160	54	182	10	5
TOTAL - 440						

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В.	DIVISION	CONTACTS.

D. DATELLA	M COMPROTO.				
PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTIO SIZE	N TYPE	FRINELDY UNIT/ LOSSES	enemy unit/ Losses
QUANG NAM/ AT 902774	090 31 0H	SQD	AMB	C/1/3/NONE	unk/none
BT 063645	08 1805 н	PLT	CP	C/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 057720	082 01 5H	BN	CP	HCB-8/NONE	UNK/2KIA(PROB)
BT 064644)	082115H	PLT	CP	C/1/9/1WIA	unk/unk
BT 002645	0821.55H	PLT	CP	c/1/9/none	unk/unk
BT 114645	091145H	PLT	PAT	A/1/9/NONE	UNIK/UNK
BT 072686	091 <i>2</i> 45H	PLT	PAT	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/5 VCS
BT 068642	090930Н	SQD	PAT	C/1/9/IWIA	UNK/7KIA, 13WIA (PROB)
at 066634	091330Н	son	PAT	C/1/9/NONE	UNK/AVTA(PROB)
BT 045716	082110H	FT	WAB.	H/2/9/NONE	unk/unk
AT 955665	081145H	SQD	s/p	H/3/3/NONE	unk/2vcs
at 957678	08145011	PLT(-) s/D	m/3/3/none	UNK/HONE
ar 964667	09073011	∞	BLOCK	POS L/3/3/NONE	UNK/IVCC. IVCS
AT 961668	090810H	∞	PLOCK	POS L/3/3/NONE	UNK/2VCS
at 969693	090 941 H	00	s/p	D/1/9/NONE	UNK/1VCS
AT 967684	091130Н	∞	s/D	D/1/9/NONE	u nk/12uc s
AT 952682	091410H	SQD	s/D	L/3/3/NONE	unk/3vcs
at 958679	091430!	∞()	s/p	1/3/3/1×1A	UNK/NONE
QUANG TIN/ BT 43 203 8	091 343H	PLT	s/p	H/2/4/NONE	unk /ii one
BT 432039	091.343н	PLT	s/p	H/2/4/NONE	UNK/HONE
BT 433043	091441н	PLT	s/D	H/2/4/NONE	unk/lkia
BT 436053	09152111	PLT	s/D	H/2/4/NONE	UNK/NONE
quang ngai/ BS 558016	0821.05H	00	SEC	D/1/7/NONE	unk/none
BS 625993	08224 <i>5</i> H	oo <i>ş</i>	sect	16C/1/7/NONE	unk /none

.ince/	DAT 6/	AGT:	ION	FRIENDLY UNIT/	enemy/unit
COOKERTIATES	TIME	SIZE	TYPE	LOSSES	TOSS-27
BC 553016	0821.05H	æ	STC	D/1/7/HONR	max/none
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THE DAMANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES UNDER EXCELLENT WEATHER CONDITIONS.

LIMITED CONTACT WAS GAINED WITH VC ELEMENTS.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.						
	FIRE	TEAM N	SCO	IAD N	PLA	TOON
	υ	N	D	N	IJ	R
LISTENING POST		18				
AMBUSH				20		
SECURITY PATROL			2	3	1	1
SUB TOTAL		18	2	23	1	1
TOTAL - 45						

(2) <u>1ST BN. 1ST MARINES</u>. CO C EXCHANGED SEVERAL RDS SA FIRE
WITH FOUR VC AT 090310H AT (AT 902774). SEARCH OF THE AREA HAD NEG RESULTS.

B. <u>NINTH MARINES</u>.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	PIRETEAM D N		SQUAD D N		PLATOON D N	
LISTENING POST		27				
AMBUSH		7		30		
RECON PATROL	3	7		8		
SEARCH & DESTROY			15	30	2	2
SUB TOTAL	3	41	15	68	2	2
TOTAL - 131						

(2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 081805H CO C (BT 063645) RECEIVED SIX RDS SA FIRE. FIRE RETURNED, AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO USMC CASUALTIES. AT 082015 TANK FIRED ON BOAT WITH TWO VC ON THE RIVER (BT 057720) SINKING BOAT AND RESULTING IN TWO VC KIA (POSE). AT 082115H TWO RDS SA FIRE RECEIVED BY CO C FROM (BT 064644): FIRE RETURNED. AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. ONE USMC WIA. AT 082155H FRAG GRENADE THROWN AT CO C LP (BT 062645) CAUSING NO CASUALTIES. FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 091145H CO A RECEIVED THREE RDS SA FROM (BT 114645). FIRE RETURNED, AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. CO B APPREHENDED FIVE VC AT 091245H AT (AT 072686). AT 090930H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C RECEIVED FIRE FROM BRICK BUILDING (BT 061637). SQUAD ATTEMPTED TO FLANK BUILDING AND RECEIVED MORE FIRE FROM HAMLET (BT 061633). FIRE RETURNED WITH SA, LAW, 3.5 IN ROCKETS, 81MM, AND 60MM. SQUAD THEN REIN-FORCED WITH ONE SQUAD AND TWO TANKS AND SEARCHED AREA. CIVILIANS SAID SEVEN VC KIA AND THIRTEEN VC WIA WERE CARRIED AWAR TO SOUTH. . AT 091330H SQUAD PATROL FROM COOK RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE WHEN APPROACHING (BT 066634). RETURNED FIRE AND ADVANCED AND AT (BT 068629) RECEIVED HEAVY SA FIRE AND A/W FIRE AND CALLED IN SIMM AND RECEIVED NO FURTHER FIRE. BEGAN TO CHECK AREA (38 968630)

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AND RECEIVED 300 RDS FROM THREE POSITIONS. REINFORCED BY TANKS AND ASSAULTED VIC (BT 068627). VC PROKE CONTACT. NO USMC CASUALTIES. THREE VC OBSERVED HIT VIC (BT 068627) AND BELIEVE MORE HIT BY MORTAR AND TANK FIRE.

- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 68221 SH CO H SQUAD AMBUSH OBSERVED FOUR
 THE PROPLE VIC (BT 046716) AND THREW GRENADE AND FIRED SA. CONTACT BROKEN
 WITH BC CASUALTIES.
- (4) 3D PN. 3D MARINES. AT 090730H CO L APPREHENDED TWO VCS AT (AT 964667).

 AT 090810H CO L FICKED UP TWO VCS AT (AT 961668). AT 090941H CO D. 1ST BN.

 9TH HURIERS UNDER OPCON 3D BN. 3D MARINES APPREHENDED ONE VCS AT (AT 969693).

 AT 091130H THELVE VCS APPREHENDED BY CO D VIC (AT 967684). TEN FIGHTING HOLES

 DESTRICYED GAME ARGA. AT 091410H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO L PICKED UP THREE VCS

 AT VIC (AT 952682). AT 091430H ONE USMC FROM CO I WIA BY BOOBY TRAP AT

 (AT 958679). IN 100 BUUNCTION BOTH 3D BN. 3D MARINES S/D OPN ON 9 JUN 1966.

 BLUU DUC DISTRICT HOUS CONDUCT AD A S/D OPN IN GG (AT 0368). DURING THES OPN

 THO VC WERD CAPTURED. THOSE TWO VC ARE KNOWN TO BE HORKING IN THIS VIC AND

 MEAND EROPONSIBLE TO HIGHER INCIDENTS AND ACTS OF TELEORIGH. SEVEN VC MERCE

 ELIA IN SAME ARGA. NUMERICUS DOCUMENTS, 26 HAND GRENADES, ONE N-14 AND OTHER

 MEAPONS WERE FOUND IN TUNNELS AND CAVES VIC (AT 937679) AND (AT 9386683).

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(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SQUAD D N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT SNIPER	ı		
AMBUSH		n 4	1
RECON PATROL		4 4	1
SUB TOTAL	1	4 8	2
TOTAL - 15			

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C. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBE	R MISSION	<u>5</u>		SUPPO	RTING
	OBS	UNOBS	HAI	TOTAL	MAF	RVN
1550			25	25	11	14
1 55E	1	ı	62	64	63	1
1 05H	7	2	353	362	360	2
8 " K			6	6		6

ROUNDS EXPENDED

HE WP 25

155H 75

155G

105!! 513 3

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- 3. CHU LAT OPERATIONS.
 - A. FOULTH MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRE D	ream N	SQU/ D	N N	PLAT D	OON N
SCOUT SNIPER	1					
LICTUAING POST	2	10				
₩IB US H		21		19		
RECON PATROL				1		
SECURITY PATROL	14	18	18	2 6		
SEARCH & DESTROY					2	
SUB TOTAL	17	49	18	26	2	
TOTAL - 112						

- (2) 1ST BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 082240H A PATROL FROM CO D RECEIVED ONE INCOMING HAND GRENADE AND TWO RDS SA FIRE VIC BT 486116. HAND GRENADE FAILED TO EXPLODE. PATROL SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS, ONE COVERING AND ONE SEARCHING. NEGATIVE ENEMY CONTACT.
- (3) 2D BN, 4TH MARINES. AT 091343H A PLT FROM CO H ENCOUNTERED THREE MINES VIC BY 432039 AND FOUR MINES VIC BY 432038. SIX MINES WERE M-79'S THAT WERE BOOBY TRAPPED AND ONE PRESSURE AT MINE. MINES BLOWN IN PLACE.

AT 091441H A PLT FROM CO H OBSERVED ONE VC VIC BT 433043. TAKEN UNDER FIRE KILLING THE VC. CAPTURED ONE CHICOM CARBINE.

AT 091521H A PLT FROM CO H RECEIVED SA FIRE VIC BT 436053. ARTILLERY MISSION FIRED. AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

B. SEVENTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRISTEAM D N		SQUAD D H		PLATOO!	
SCOUT SNIPER	ì	N	ע	H	ע	H
LISTENING POST		19				
actust				5		
RECON PATROL	2	2	2			
SECURITY PATROL	5	6		3	1	1
SEARCH & DESTROY				3	1	
SUB TOTAL	8	27	2	11	2	1
TOTAL - 51						

(2) <u>1ST BN. 7TH MARINES</u>. AT 082105H CO D RECEIVED SA FIRE VIC BS 558016.
CO RETERNED FIRE, UNEMOWN RESULTS.

AT 082245H CO C OBSERVED ONE MAN VIC BS 625993 FORWARD OF THE CO POSITION.

ONE HAND GRENADE WAS THROWN, SEARCHED AREA, NEGATIVE RESULTS.

(3) 3D BH. 7TH MARINES. AT 090230H A FT PATROL FROM CO I RECEIVED SA
FIRE FROM THREE VC VIC BT 534914. PATROL RETURNED FIRE AND VC BROKE CONTACT.
AT 090300H A FT PATROL FROM CO I OBSERVED EIGHT VC VIC BT 548012. PATROL
FIRED ON VC OBSERVING ONE TO FALL. VC BROKE CONTACT AND FLED THE AREA.

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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBE	R MISSI	ONS		SUPPO	RTING
	<u>OBS</u>	H&I	TOT	AL.	MAF	RVN
155G	1	5	6		5	1
155H	1	14	15	•	15	
10 5 11	6	34	40	1	40	
105HT	5		5		5	
	HOUND	S EXPEN				
15 5 G	<u>HE</u>	<u>ILL</u> 12	<u>WP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> 29		
155H	63		2	65		
105H	327		77	406		
107HT	15			15		

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) HOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAN N	<u>50</u>	UAD N
SCOUT SWIPER	1		
k(p.(1902)1s			2
RECOM PATROL		4	2
SUB TOTAL	1	4	4
TOTAL - 9		·	•

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4. THU BAL OPERATIONS.

A. 2D BN . 1ST MARTINES.

(1) BOY SORUS.

	- Designation of	FIRETEAM		IAD
	D	N	D	N
LICTUNING POST		24		
AMBUCH				3
SECURITY PATROL			8	17
SUB TOTAL		24	8	20
mom 12				

TOTAL - 52

(2) 2D BN. 1ST MARINES. THE OP ON HILL 225 SPOTTED TWO INDIVIDUALS AT O81820H WHO MERE HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED AT (YD 849085). 81MM AND 1064M FIRED ON VC POSITION AND SEARCH OF AREA MADE WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 082240H THE OP NOTICED MOVEMENT FORWARD OF 125 POSITION AND FIRED THIRTY RDS SA. SEARCH OF AREA HAD NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBE	R MISSION	<u>s</u>		SUPPO	RTING
	<u>obs</u>	UNOBS	H&I	TOT AL	MAF	RVN
155H	1			1		1
105H		151	150	151	151	
10741	8			8		8
	ROUNI	S EXPENDE	<u>D</u>			
	HE	4				
155H	11	3				
105H	168					
107HT	71	21				

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5. PLANS SUMMARY

(A) DIVISION BOX SCORES

	FIR D	<u>USTEAM</u> N	<u>Sa</u> D	UAD N	PLA: D	rcon N
SCOUT SMIFER	4	1				
LIGITATING POUR	2	95				
AV.BUSH		21	2	77		1
RECUN FATROL	3	3	8	15	2	
SECURITY PATROL	11	10	24	33	4	1
SEARCH AND DESTROY			25	26	5	
SUB TOTALS	20	130	5 9	151	11	2
TOTAL _ 323						

(B) THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 114 PATROLS AND 101 AMBUSHES BURING THE NEXT 24 HOURD.

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FROM: OG THIRD MARDIV

TO: OG III MAF INFO: OG FMAW

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THIRD MARDIV SITREP NUMBER 249 AS OF 101000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIV HIGHLIGHTS.

A. BOX SCORES. (DAY) D (NIGHT) N

	FIRE D	TEM N	Su D	UAD N	PLA D	TOON N
SCOUT SNIPER	6	1				
LISTENING POST	2	76				
AMBUSH	2	21	2	72		2
RECON PATROL	5	3	8	16	2	2
SECURITY FATROL	9	15	17	18	5 .	2
SEARCH & DESTROY			22	27	8	4
SUB TOTAL	24	116	49	133	15	10
TOTAL - 347				-		

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B. DIVISION C	ONT ACTS				
PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION SIZE	YPE YPE	MRIENLAY/ LOSSES	LOSSES
QUANG NAM AT 934658	092020	FT	LP	F/1/1/NONE	unk/unk
AT 930667	0920 30 н	FI	LP	D/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 935718	092 31 5H	PLT	SEC	D/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 121641	092330Н	PLT	PPH	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 102642	101410H	PLT	CP	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/U N K
Br 102642	101500H	PLT	C P	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 061632	101530H	SQD	PAN:	C #1/9/2 WIA	UNK/UNK
BT 040724	091830н	(X)	SEC	H/2/9/NONE	unk/1 vcs
at 966644	092345H	SQD	АМІЗ	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/2 POS KIA
at 994673	100900Н	PLT	SEC	F/2/9/NONE	UNK /UNK
AT 991633	101320Н	PLT	SÆD	F22/9/H ONE	unk/unk
AT 954652	091800Н	SQD	S&D	1/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 KIA 2 VCS
AT 952644	100708H	PLT	S&D	LI/3/3/ NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 954641	100900Н	PLT	SAD	L/3/3/NONE	unk/unk
QUANG TIN BT 417093	10093011	PLT	S&D	E/2/4/None	UNK/UNK
BT 451061	101038H	FLT	S&D	H&S/2/4/NONE	UNK/2 KIA
BT 442055	101135Н	PLT	SAD	R&S/2/4/NONE	UNK/1 WIA
BT 419104	101140Н	PLT	S&D	E/2/4/NONE	unk/unk
BT 438045	10 131 4H	PLT	S&D	H&S/2/4/NONE	U NK/UNK
BT 427098	101315н	PLT	SaD	e/2/4/None	unk/unk
Quand ngai bt 566020	092 32 0H	α	SEC	B/1/7/NONE	unk/unk
THAY THIEN YD 803067	0921.35H	PLT	OP	0/2/1/NONE	un k/unk
YD 910150	091945H	PLT	SEC	2D CA OO./NONE	UNK/UNK
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_NCE/	DATE/	ACTION	FRIENDLY/	ENEMY UNIT/
COORDINATES	TIME	SIZE TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES
YD 911147	092200Н	FLT SEC	20 CA CO./1 K	CIA UNK/2 POS KIA

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C. DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS. THIRD HARDIV UNITS CONSOCTED 347 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS **I...

21 CONTACTS. CLEAR DRIES AND WARM WEATHER GREATLY ASSISTED TACTICAL OPERATIONS BY IMPROVING OBSERVATION AND GROUND TRAFFICABILITY

BY 102000H THE REGIMENTAL COMMAND GROUP 3 D MARINES, 1ST BN. 3D MARINES(-).
3D 8E. 7TH MARLINES (-) AND SUPPORTING UNITS WERE PREPOSITIONED FOR OPERATION.
"HALLARD".

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2 DA WANG OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SQU	AD N	PLATOON D N
LISTENING POST	23			
AMBUSH			19	
SECURITY PATROL		5	3	3
SEARCH & DESTROY				1
SUB TOTAL	23	5	22	4
TOTAL - 54				

(2) <u>1ST BN. 1ST MARINES</u>. AT 092020H, ONE HAND GRENADE AND ONE RD OF SA FIRE WERE DIRECTED AT A CO F LP VIC (AT 934658). AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 092030H, A CO D LP EXCHANGED SEVERAL RDS OF SA FIRE WITH TWO VC VIC (AT 930667). AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 092315H, THE 2D PLT. CO D RECEIVED THREE RDS OF SA FIRE VIC (AT 935718). FIRE WAS RETURNED. NO CONFIRMED VC CASUALTIES.

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B. MINTH MARINES.

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(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRET D	EIM	SOU. D	AD N
SCOUT SNIPER	2	1		
LISTENING POST		28		
AMBUSH	2	3	2	33
RECON PATROL	5	3	2	10
SEARCH & DESTROY			18	24
SUB TOTAL	9	35	22	67
TOTAL - 133				

(2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 092330H, A CO B PLT PATROL BASE OBSERVED SIX BOATS ATTEMPTING TO LAND VIC (BT 121641). THE PLT FIRED AT THE BOAT WITH WATAND ATTILLERY. ONE BOAT WAS SUNK. ENEMY CASUALTIES UNKNOWN.

AT 101410H, THE 3D PLT OF CO A RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY 15 RDS OF SA FIRE VIC (BT 102642) FROM AN ESTIMATED THREE VC. THE PLT RETURNED FIRE WITH SA. AREA SEARCHED. 31 PUNJI PITS WERE DISCOVERED. AT 101500H, 12 RDS OF SA FIRE WAS RECEIVED BY THE 3 D PLT OF CO A VIC (BT 102642) FROM AN ESTIMATED SIX VC. SMALL ARMS FIRE AND AN ARTILLERY FIRE MISSION WERE DIRECTED AT THE SUSPECTED VC FOSITION. RESULTS UNKNOWN.

AT 101636H, ATCOME SQUAD PATROL RECEIVED 50-60 RDS OF SA FIRE, 7 RDS OF 40MM.

1 3.5" RD FROM VIC (BT 061632). THE PATROL ASSAULTED THE VC POSITION. THE VC BROKE CONTACT AND FLED. THE PATROL FOUND A WELL DUG IN POSITION REINFORCED WITH A BAMBOO FRACE. ONE MARINE TRIPPED A BOOBY-TRAPPED GRENADE WHICH RESULTED IN TWO WIA. NO CONFIRMED VC CASUALTIES.

(3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 092345H, A CO F SQUAD AMBUSH RETURNING TO CO CP DETECTED A VC AMBUSH VIC (AT 966644) AND FIRED AT IT. TWO VC WERE SEEN TO FALL AND SCREAMS WERE HEARD. THE SQUAD WAS REINFORCED WITH TWO TANKS AND ONE ADDITIONAL PAGE 6 OF 2/PAGES

REPORTED BEING HARRASSED BY A SHIPER LOCATED VIC (BT 001669). A SHIPER TEAM ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE THE SHIPER WITH HEOATIVE RESULTS. AT 091830H, CO H RECEIVED TWO RDS OF SA FIRE FROM VIC (BT 040724). A FIRETEAM SENT TO LOCATE THE SHIPER APPREHENDED ONE VCS WHO WAS ATTEMPTING TO HIDE FROM THE PATROL. THE VCS HAD NO ID CARD. AT 101320H, A CO F PLT PATROL RECEIVED ONE RD OF SMALL ARMS FIRE VIC (AT 991633). THE PLT RETURNED FIRE. AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

(4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 091800H. A CO L SQUAD PATROL FOUND TWO VIETNAMESE. ONE MALE AND ONE FEMALE. CARRYING A DEAD VC. THE FEMALE WAS THE DEAD VC. MOTHER. THE MALE WAS APPROXIMATELY 26 YEARS OF AGE. NEITHER MAD ID CARD. THE VC WAS REPORTEDLY KILLED IN A FIREFIGHT WITH MARINES THE PREVIOUS DAY. LOCATION OF PIREFIGHT UNKNOWN. THE TWO VCS AND THE VC BOUY WERE EVACUATED TO HIEU LUC DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS. AT 100708H. A CO L PLT PATROL RECEIVED THREE RDS OF SA FIRE FROM AN. UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC VIC (AT 952644). THE PLT ATTEMPTED TO ENGAGE THE VC WHO BROKE CONTACT AND FLED. NO CASUALTIES. AT 100900H. A CO L PLT RECEIVED SA FROM VIC (AT 954641) FROM AN ESTIMATED FIVE VC ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THE SONG YEN. THE PATROL RETURNED FIRE WITH 60MM MORTARS. 105MM ARTY. AND SA. ONE POSSIBLE VC KIA. NO USMC CASUALTIES.

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C. 12TH MARIUES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES

	NUMBE	R MISSI		SUPPORTING	
	OBS	UNOBS	H&I	TOTAL.	MAP
1550		2	6	8	8
155H			126	126	126
105H	7		318	325	325
	ROUNI	S EXPEN	DED		
	HE	III	Mb		
1550	8				
15 5 #	126				
105H	536	8	2		

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D. 3D RECON BN.

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(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SQUAD D N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT SNIPER	2		
AMBUSH		4	1
RECON PATROL		4 4	1 1
SUB TOTAL	2	4 8	1 2
TOTAL - 17			

CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FOURTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SOORES.

	PIRE D	TEAM N	sou D	AD N	PLATOOP D
SCOUT SNIPER	1				
LISTENING POST	2	7			
AMBUSH		17		10	
SECURITY PATROL	7	6	12	10	
SEARCH AND DESTROY					2
TOTAL - 74					

(2) 2D BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 100930H. A REINFORCED PLT PATROL FROM CO EAT (BT 421091) RECEIVED 8 RDS SA FIRE FROM (BT 417093). THE FIRE WAS RETURNED AND THE AREA CHECKED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. SHORTLY THEREAFTER THE PATROL SIGHTED SIX VC AND AGAIN FIRED ON THEM. WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 10 038H. A PLT PATROL FROM HAG CO AT (BT 454065) RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM VC SIGHTED AT (BT 451061). THE FIRE WAS RETURNED AND THE VC PURSUED. A SEARCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED TWO VC KIA AND THREE WPNS CAPTURED - ONE SUB-MACHINE GUN AND TWO RIFLES. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.

AT 101135H, A PLT PATROL FROM HAS CO AT (BT 442055) RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM (BT 441657). THE MIRE WAS RETURNED AND ONE WOUNDED VC WAS SEEN TO CRAWL INTO THE BUSHES. THE VC MANAGED TO ESCAPE. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.

DURING THE FIRING, A VIETNAMESE WOMAN WAS WOUNDED IN THE LEG AND LATER EVACUATED

AT 101140H, A PLT PATROL FROM CO E AT (BT 419104) SIGHTED EIGHT ARMED VC.

THE VC WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE, BUT THEY FLED. THE AREA WAS SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 101314H. A PLT PATROL FROM HAS CO AT (BT 441047) RECEIVED HEAVY AUTOMATIC
WPNS FIRE FROM THE VILLAGE OF KY LONG (2) (BT 438045). A STRIKE BY ARMED
HELICOPTERS WAS CALLED AND THE PATROL SEARCHED THE VILLAGE. HEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 101315H. A PLT PATROL FROM CO E AT (BT 431100) RECEIVED ONE RD OF SA FIRE FROM (BT 427098). AN M-70 RD WAS FIRED IN RETURN AND THE AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

B. SEVENTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRE D	TEAM N	SQ D		PLAT D	NOON
LISTENING POST		18				
AMBUSII		1		4		
SECURITY PATROL	2	9		5	2	2
SEARCH AND DESTROY			4	3	2	
TOT at _ 52						

- (2) 1ST BH. 7TH MARINES. AT 092320H. OD B RECEIVED ONE RD OF HARLSSING FIRE IN THEIR DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AT (BT 566020). THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
 - (3) 3RD BN. 7TH MARINES. OPCON 3RD MARINES.

C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMB	ER MIS	SIONS	,	SUPPORTING
	OBS	H&I	TOTAL		MAP
1550		2	2		2
15 5 H	2	6	8		8
1.0 5H	5	30	35		35
107HT	2	9€	<u> </u>		101
	ROUN.	DS EXP	ENDED		
	HE	ILL	HC WP	TOTAL	
1550	4		4	8	
155H	81			81	
105н	373		5 4	382	
107HT	25	я	1	Ωħ	

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SQUAD D N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT SNIPER	1.		
ANBUSH		2	1
RECON PATROL		2 2	1 1
SUB TOTAL	1	2 4	1 1
TOTAL	9		

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS.

- A. 20 BN. 1ST MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM		SOL	AD
	D	N	D	N
LISTENING POST		16		
AMBUSH				4
SECURITY PATROL			7	20
SUB TOTAL		16	7	24

TOTAL - 47

(2) <u>2D BN. 1ST MARINES.</u> THE OBSERVATION POST ON HILL 225 (YD 8006)
SFOTTED TWO VC VIC (YD 803067) AT 092135H AND FIRED SA AND ARTILLERY. NO
CONFIRMED VC CASUALTIES.

AT 091945H. THE 2D PLT, COMBINED ACTION CO RECEIVED AN INCOMING HAND GRENADE AND TWO RDS OF SA FIRE VIC (YD 910150). AREA SEARCHED. NEG RESULTS.

AT 092200H. AN ESTIMATED TEN VC PROBED THE PERINTER OF THE 2D PLT COMBINED ACTION CO. VIC (AT 911147). SA FIRE EXCHANGED. ONE MARINE KIA. IT WAS POSSIBLE THAT TWO VC MERE KIA AS A RESULT OF THE ENCOUNTER: HOWEVER. DEARCH PRODUCED NEG RESULTS.

5. PLANS MUMMARY

(A) DIVISION BOX SCORES

	<u>FIRE</u> D	TEAN	SQL D	IAD N	PLA'	roon N	BATT D	ALION N
SCOUL SNIPHE	4	 1. 1 .		£4	1,	H	1,5	N
LISTENING POST	2	90	,					
ambush	2	18		40	2	36		
RECON PATROL	8	3	6	6	4	13		
SECURITY PATROL	12	12	21	37	2	2		
SEARCH AND DESTROY			20	29	6	2	2	1
SUB TOTALS	28	124	47	112	14	53	2	1
TOT AL - 380								

(B) THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 126 PATROLS AND 98 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

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COMMAND POST LOCATIONS.

A. DA NANG TAOR.

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	3 D MARDIV		AT	954752
	НОВИ		TA	954752
	3D MARI	NES .	AT	944762
	151	BN. 1ST MARINES	TA	953723
		CO A	AT	953723
		CO B	AT	925693
		co c	AT	923732
		CO D	AT	902777(DURING OPN MALLARD)
		00 F(2/1)	AT	938663
	1st	BM. 3D MARINES LESS ONE CO(OPERATIO	ON MAL	LARD)
		co D/1/3	AT	898822(DURING OPN MALLARD)
	9TH MAR	ines	AT	996725
	lst	BN. 9TH MARINES	BT	068715
		CO A	BI	096658
		со в	BT	043691
		c o c	BT	063745
		CO D	BT	068715
	2D I	BN, 9TH MARINES	AT	999677
		CO E	AT	983661
		CO F	ΑT	983661
		CO G	AT	024659
		CO H	BT	041724
	3D B	N. 3D MARINES	AT	974707
		00 I	AT	98 8726
		со к	TA	992687

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AT 992687

со г	AT 954668
CO H	AT 973663
12 TH MARINES	AT 957857
1ST 8" HOWBIRY	AT 955775
1ST BN. 12TH MARINES	(OPERATION MALLARD)
2D BN. 12TH MARINES	AT 996725
D BIRY	AT 062680
E BTRY	AT 988672
L BTAY, 4TH BN, 12TH MARINES	AT 965717
3D AT BN	AT 987711
3D KNGR BN	AT 969754
3D MED BN	AT 969754
3D RECON BN	AT 959749
3D HT BN	AT 988720
1ST AMTRAC BN	AT 990713
3D DENTAL CO	AT 969754
3D TANK BH	AT 985713

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., 4	TH MARINES.	BT	533089	
C	O B. 3D AT BN	BT	533089	
C	O C. 3D TANK BN	BT	523088	
O	O A, 1ST AMTRAC BN OB, 3d Enge BN	g r	566062	555052 BT 566062
	D BN. 12TH HARINES	BT	551048	DI Secon
(2) 1	ST BN, 4TH MARINES	8 T	525090	524091
C	O A	BT	529110	
C	0 в	BT	511125	
C	o c	BT	525090	
Ç	0 0	BT	487102	
(3) 2	D BN. 4TH MARINES	BT	534078	
0	OE	BT	463073	462072
C	o F	BT	534078	465071
C	0 G	et	515065	
C	ОВ	BT	468068	
(4) 7	th marines	BT	560048	
C	O C. 1ST AT BN	BT	560048	
C	O B. 1ST TANK BN	BT	560048	•
C	O A. 3D AMTRAC BN	BT	569040	
O	O C, 1ST ENGR BN	BT	560048	
(5) 1	ST BN. 7TH MARINES	BT	565044	
C	0 &	BT	572029	
O	0 B	BT	566020	* 90
α	o c	BS	624991	
, α	O D	BT	558019	
B.	try G. 3D Bn. 11th Marines	BT	566042	
(6) 2	D BN. 7TH HARINES	BT	518041	

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CO E	BT 495038 (\$ \$ \$52817
CO F	BT 531024
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CO K (3/7)	BT 545017
AIRFIELD DEFENSE UNIT PROU Co / IST Bn, 4th minerous (7) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES (-)	BT 530078 BT 532078
OPCON 3D HARINES FOR OPERATION HALLARD	
ARTY BU GRO	
3d Bn, 11th MARINER Btry G Btry II Btry I	BT 554043 BT 567046 BT 548044 BT 552043
30 Bm, 12TH MARINES: Btry G Btry H	BT 549096 BT 527070 BT 546098
GENERAL SUPPORT Btry M, 4TH Bm, 11TH MARING 301 155 GIONS MORTHA Btry, 30 BN, 11TH MARINES 18T PIT, 18T 8" HOW Btry	BT 559091 BT 579067 BT 547049 BT 550049
lot Bu, 11 TH MARINES	BT 653045

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HU-FHU BAL TACK 2D BN. LOT MARINES YD 885139 YD 892146 СО Н YD 882140 OU in đũ Gũ YD 882140 4 TH SR. 12 III MAKINED YD 883142 YD 883142 h BThY w Bray, 1ST BN, 12TH MARINES YD 890144 GF-4

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FROM: CG THIRD MARDIV

TO: CO III MAF INFO: CO FMAW

THIRD MARDIV (COLLECTIVE)

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THIRD MARINIV SITREP NUMBER 250 AS OF 111000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIY HIGHLIGHTS.

A. BOX SCORES. (DAY) D (NIGHT) N

	FIRET EAM		SQUAD		PLATOON	
SCOUT SNIPER	3	Я	υ	М	ע	N
LISTENING POST	2	90	•			
AMBUSH	2	18	2	81		2
RECON PATROL	6	3	8	17	2	2
SECURITY PATROL	12	12	18	36	5	2
SEARCH & DESTROY			20	29	8	3
SUB TOTAL	25	123	48	163	15	9
TOTAL - 383						

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	Date/ Time	AC 512E	TYPE ·	FRIENDLY/ 1055ES	ENEMY UNIT/
LUANG NAM BT 047645	10190511	PLT	P MB	0/1/9/1 WIA	UNK/UNK
BT 055645	11083011	نساد	PAT	C/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
BT 102640	1105458	SUD	rat	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 KIA (PROB)
HT 094637	111240н	SQD	PAT	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 004663	10230511	الله	AMBUDA	2/2/9/NONE	unk/uhk
at 9 99636	110830Н	للهاد	PAT	F/2/2/2 WIA (DOW)	UNK/1 KIA (POSS)
BT 000635	1112118	ತ್ನುವಿ	FAT	F/2/9/NONE	URK/UNK
AT 955673	102100H	0 0	CP ₁	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 9656 56	101930H	CO	5/0	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 974659	102010E	CO	s/p	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 953655	11091511	CO	s/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
AT 953655	111005H	ರು	s/p	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
QUANG TIN BT 399126	111045H	ыN	s/D	G/2/4/NONE	UNK/NONE
BT 405115	111240	ыN	5/D	g/2/4/Ronea	unk/none
BT 405115	111255H	BN	s/D	G/2/4/NONE	UNK/NONE
BT 405115	111302H	BN	S/D	G/2/4/HONE	UNK/NONE
BT 427104	1113341	BN	s/p	G/2/4/NONE	UNK/NONE
QUANG NGA1		* *	-,-	- j - j - j - j - j - j - j - j - j - j	om promis
BS 563996	102020H	Sup	UP	D/1/7/NONE	unk/none
BS 667992	111000Н	PLT	S/D	C/1/7/NONE	unk/unk

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C. <u>DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS</u>. OPERATION MALLARD. SEE THIRD HAR DIV SPECIAL SITREPS. OPERATION CONTINUES.

GOOD WEATHER AGAIN PREVAILED THROUGHOUT THE DA NANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES. MARINE UNITS CONDUCTED 398 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS RESULTING IN LIMITED CONTACT WITH VC ELEMENTS.

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- 2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.
 - A. THIRD MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	D N	SOL D	IAD N	D N
LISTENING FOST	-a. 23			
AMBUSH			19	
SECURITY PATROL		5	3	3
SEARCH & DESTROY				1
SUB TOTAL	23	5	22	4
TOTAL - 54				

(2) <u>1st bn. 1st marines</u>. See operation mallard sitreps for details. Operation continues.

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B. NINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX 5 CORES.

	FIRET	EAH N	<u>ទីបូប</u> D	N (I)	PLATO D	N N
SCOUT SNIPER	1					
LISTENING POST		29				
AMBUSH	2	3	2	38		
RECON PATROL	3	3	1	11		
SEARCH & DESTROY			18	29	4	1
SUB TOTAL	6	35	21	78	4	1
TOTAL - 145						

- (2) 1ST BN, 9TH MARINES. AT 101905H, THE 2D PLT CO C LOCATED VIC (BT 047645)

 RECEIVED 50 RDS OF SA FIRE. THE VC BROKE CONTACT WHEN THE PLT RETURNED FIRE. NO

 USMC CASUALTIES. AT 110830H, A SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC

 (BT 055645); HE WAS OBSERVED ATTEMPTING TO HIDE FROM THE SQUAD. AT 110545H,

 A CO A SQUAD PATROL VIC (BT 102648) SPOTTED A MAN IN A BOAT AND CHALLENGED HIM

 TO HALT. THE PATROL FIRED AND HIT BOTH THE MAN AND HIS BOAT. IT IS PRESUMED

 THAT THE MAN WAS KILLED. HIS BODY WAS NOT RECOVERED BUT HIS BOAT WAS CAPTURED

 WHEN IT DRIFTED TO SHORE. AT 111240H, A CO A SQUAD RATROL VIC (BT 094637)

 RECEIVED 30 RDS OF SA FIRE FROM AN ESTIMATED 8 VC. THE SQUAD RETURNED FIRE

 IMMEDIATELY; THE HOSTILE FIRE CEASED. THERE WERE NO MARINE CASUALTIES. NO

 CONFIRMED VC CASUALTIES. AREA SEARCHED; NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 102305H, A CO P SQUAD AMBUSH VIC (BT 004663)

 RECEIVED SA RDS: FIRE RETURNED IMMEDIATELY. CONTACT BROKEN. NO CASUALTIES.

 AT 110830H, A CO F SQUAD PATROL RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY 500 RDS OF SA AND AUTOMATIC WPES FIRE, VIC (AT 999636). THE PATROL SATURED THE SUSPECTED VC POSITION

 WITH SA FIRE AND 26 RDS OF 81MM MORTARS. ONE VC WAS KIA; TWO MARINES WERE WIA

 WHO LATER DIED OF WOUNDS. AT 111221H, A CO F SQUAD PATROL VIC (BT 000635)

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RECEIVED SA FIRE. THE PATROL RETURNED FIRE. CONTACT BROKEN. AREA CHECKED.
NEGATIVE RESULTS.

(4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. CO L. CP RECEIVED LIGHT SA FIRE AT 102100H FROM (AT 955673). RETURNED FIRE WITH TWO RDS H-70 AND FOUR RDS 81MM HE AND SA. VC BROKE CONTACT. AT 110915H VIC (AT 953655) TWO VC APPREHENDED BY SQUAD PATROL. ONE SUSPECT WAS CARRYING EXPENDED CARTRIDGE CASE. AT 112005H VIC (AT 959659) ONE VCS APPREHENDED WHEN PARTS OF PRC-10 AND BATTERIES WERE FOUND NEAR HIS HOUSE.

CO N. AT 102010H CO M PICKED UP MOVEMENT BY SID VIC (AT 974699). FIRED SA AND 60MM MORTAR. AND 81MM ILLUMINATION. MOVEMENT CEASED, CHECKED OUT AREA WITH PATROL. NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 101930H CO M RECEIVED FOUR RDS CARBINE FIRE FROM VIC (AT 965656). RETURNED FIRE WITH FOUR RDS 60MM MORTAR. FIRE CEASED.

HASCO. NO CHANGE IN MISSION OR CP LOCATION. EMPLOYING A .50 CAL. SPOTTING RIFLE MOUNTED ON 106MM RR TO SHOOT AT AND CONTROL BOAT TRAFFIC ALONG THE SONG CAU DU AND SON YEN RIVERS. A MINE FIELD IS BEING INSTALLED AT THE SOUTH END OF RIVER BLOCK VIC (AT 971697).

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C. 12TH MARINES.

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(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

NUMBER MISSIONS							
	<u>OBS</u>	<u>II&I</u>	TOTAL				
1550		10	10				
155H	2	74	76				
10 5 H	6	30 8	314				
8"il		6	6				
ROUNDS EMPENDED							
	<u>HE</u>	ILL	WP.				
1550	10						
155H	92						
105H	495	2	9				
8"H	6						

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D. 3D RECON BN.

41 1 mg

(1) BOX SCORES.

	<u>FIRETEAN</u> D N	SQU D	AD N	PLAT D	OON N
SCOUT SNIPER	1				
AMBUSH			4		1
RECON PATROL		4	4	1	1
SUB TOTAL	1	Ð,	8	1	2
TOTAL -16					

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FOURTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAN D N		<u>SUU</u> D	TD LD
LISTENING POST	2	7		
AMBUSH		15		11
SECURITY PATROL	7	6	6	10
SUB TOTAL	9	28	6	21

TOTAL - 64

(2) <u>28D BN. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 111045H, COMPANY G RECEIVED 2 ROUNDS SNIPER FIRE AT (BT 399126) FROM (BT 394124). A SEARCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO CASUALTIES.

AT 111240H, COMPANY G RECEIVED 10 ROUNDS AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE AT

(BT 405115) FROM (BT 401116). A SEARCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS.

THERE WAS 1 USMC WIA.

AT 111255H, COMPANY G RECEIVED 10 ROUNDS SHALL ARMS FIRE AT (BT 405115)
FROM (BT 406112). A SEARCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO
CASUALTIES.

AT 111302H, COMPANY G RECEIVED SHALL ARMS FIRE AT (BT 405115) FROM APPROXIMATELY 6 VC AT (BT 393113). A SEARCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO CASUALTIES.

AT 111334H, COMPANY G RECEIVED HEAVY AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE AT (BT 427104). THE COMPANY DEPLOYED AND THE VC BROKE CONTACT. NO CASUALTIES.

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B. SEVENTH KARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRE	TEAP B	SQU D	AD H	PLA'	NOO1
LISTENING POST		.15				
AMBUSH				3		
RECON PATROL	3					
SECURITY PATROL	5	6		3	2	2
SEARCH AND DESTROY			2		3	2
SUB TOTAL	8	21	2	6	5	4
TOTAL LO						

TOTAL - 47

(2) 1ST BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 102020H, A TRIP FLARE WAS IGNITED AT THE BASE OF COMPANY D'S OUTPOST \$10 (BS 563996). THE AREA WAS ILLUMINATED AND ONE VCS WAS SEEN RUNNING AWAY. HE WAS TAKEN UNDER FIRE WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

NO CASUALTIES.

AT 111000H, A PLATOON PATROL FROM COMPANY C RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY 200 ROUNDS SMALL ARES FIRE AT (BS 663990) FROM 5 VC AT (BS 667992) AND (BS 673987). THE MARINES RETURNED FIRE AND THE VC BROKE CONTACT. NO CASUALTIES.

(3) 3RD BN. 7TH MARINES. OPCON 3PD MARINES FOR OPERATION HALLARD.

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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

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(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	MUM	BER MIS	SIONS	SUPFORTING
	GBS	H&I	TOTAL.	MAF
155G		2	2	. 2
155H	2	8	10	
10 <i>5</i> H		3?	37	37
105HT		9	9	9
	<u>iwui</u>	IDS EXP	SNDED	
	HE	ILL	TOTAL.	
1550	8		8	
155H	49	3	52	
105H	412		412	La Company

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D. NECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEN D N	<u>SQ</u> 1	AD N	PLAT D	N N
SCOUT SHIPER	1				
AMBUSH	·		2		1
RECON PATROL		3	2	1	1
SUB TOTAL	1	3	4	1	2
TOTAL - 11					

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS.

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAN D N	SOI D	IAD N
LISTENING FO T	16		
AMBUSH			4
SECURITY PATROL	··•	7	20
SUB TOTAL	16	7	24
TOTAL - 47			

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMB	ER MISSION	<u>s</u>		SUPPORTING
	<u> </u>	UNCHA	TIET.	TOTAL	MAF
155H	7			7	7
105E		121	120	121	121
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	HE	M.B.	!		
155H	38	12			
105H	138				
107HT	97				

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5. PLANS SUMMARY.

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	PIRETE D	N N	SQU D	N N	PLATO D	N N
SCOUT SHIPER	3	2				
LISTENING POST	2	92				
AMBUSH	2	20	2	75		2
RECON PATROL	3	6	5	18	2	2
SECURITY PATHOL	12	12	26	40	3	3
SEARCH & DESTROY			25	32	8	1
SUB TOTAL	22	132	58	165	13	8

TOTAL - 398

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 132 PATROLS AND 101 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

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FROML CG THIRD MARDIY

TO: CG III MAF INFO: CG FMAW

THIRD MARDIY (COLLECTIVE)

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THIRD MARDIV SITREP NUMBER 251 AS OF 121000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIY RIGHLIGHTS.

A. BOX SCORES. (DAY) D (NIGHT) N

	FIRETEAM D N		SQUAD D N		PLATOON D N		BATTALION N	
	U	и	L i			••	-	
SCOUT SNIPER	3	2						
LISTENING POST	2	5 5						
AMBUSH	2	20	1	101	1	1		
RECON PATROL	6	4	7	16	2	1		
SECURITY PATROL	12	1.2	26	40	3	3		
SEARCH & DESTROY	`,		29	29	8	1	2	2
SUB TOTAL	25	93	63	186	13	6	2	2
TOTAL - 290								

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME		YPE YON	PRIENDLY/ LOSSES	ENEMY UNIT/ LOSSES
QUANG NAM AT 940671	112137н	နယ္စာ န	Sisc:	F/1/1/5 WIA	UNK/UNK
MT 928669	12141311	SQD S	BEC	F/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
ET 087644	111900H	PLT S	EEC	A/1/9/NONE	unk/unk
m 092642	120500H	PLT P	PAT!	A/1/9/1 WIA	UNK/UNK
m 065634	1.20 700 H	SQD A	MB	C/1/9/NONE	UNK/12 KIA (POSS)
m 065673	120 915 H	SQD F	PAE!	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
Br 089691	12113 5 H	PLT P	>A1:	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/ 1VCS
ur 085681	1212351	PLT F	PATI:	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
Br 044723	121500H	PLT F	PASI:	H /1/9/H one	UNK/1 VCS
nt 997643	1.20445H	PT A	MB	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/2 KIA (POSS)
at 986662	120 815 H	PLT S	5/p	F/2/9/HONE	UNK/UNK
AT 953665	112000H	FLT C	C P	L/3/3/HONE	UNK/UNK
CHANG TIN PT 518102	120145#	FT S	SEC	A/1/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
ur 460068	112240H	PIT S	SEC .	H/2/4/1 WIA	UNK/UNK
ET 522057	112250H	PLT S	SSC	Has/2/4/None	UNK/UNK
BT 431098	121102H	PLT S	s/p	E/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
QUANG NGAI NT 653040	1.20 5 00H	PLT S	5 / 15	C/1/7/NONE	unk/unk
BT 646045	120910H	PLT S	a\a	C/1/7/NONE	UNK/ 4 KIA. 2 CAP TIVE
QUANG TIN BT 521048	12021511	plt s	ec •	H/2/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
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C. DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS. OPERATION MALLARD CONTINUES SECOND DAY OPERATIONS
WITH LIMITED CONTACT WITH VC ELEMENTS. SEE THIRD MAR DIV SPECIAL SITUATION REPORTS.

EXCELLENT WEATHER PREVAILED THROUGHOUT THE DA NANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENGLAYES AS MARLINE UNITS LANNCHED 290 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS, GAINING 20 CONTACTS WITH VC/ PLEMENTS.

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2. DA NANO OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SCU D	AD N	PLATOON D N	BATTAL D	ION N
LISTENING POST	25					
AMBUSH			18			
SECURITY PATROL		5	7			
SEARCH & DESTROY				1	2	2
SUB TOTAL	25	5	25	1	2	2
TOTAL - 60						

- (2) 1ST BN. 1ST MARINES. APPRACION WITH OPERATION MALLARD, A SQUAD FROM THE ROAD SECURITY FOR THE MSR IN CONNECTION WITH OPERATION MALLARD, A SQUAD FROM THE 3D PLATOON, COMPANY F TRIPPED A BOOBY TRAP VIC (AT 940671) AT 112113H. FIVE MARINES RECEIVED WOUNDS FROM THE EXPLOSITION. AT 121413H. A SQUAD PATROL FROM THE SAME PLATOON DISCOVERED AND DESTROYED A BOOBY TRAP AT (AT 928669).
- (3) <u>1ST BN. 3D HAHINES</u>. OPERATION HALLARD CONTINUES. SEE OPERATION MALLARD FOR DETAILS.

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	Flight D	lisari N	<u>540</u>	A.0	PLATOON N
SCOUT SNIPER	IJ	2	Ų	17h	D N
LISTENING POST		2 8			
AMBUSE.	2	4	1	40	
PATRGI,	3	4	1	10	
SEARCH & DESTROY			2 8	27	4
SUB TOTAL	5	38	3 0	27	4
TOTAL	154				

(2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. CO A AT 111900H AN UNKNOWN HUMBER OF VC AT

(BT 087644) FIRED FOUR S/A ROUNDS AT THE 3D PLATOON AND BROKE CONTACT WHEN THE

PLATOON RETURNED FIRE AND PURSUED. AT 120500H THE 3D PLATOON HAD ONE WIA WHEN HE

DETENATED A MINE AT (BT 092642). SHORTLY AFTER THIS THE PLATOON RECEIVED TWO S/A

ROUNDS FROM (BT 094642). NO FIRE WAS RETURNED.

CO B.A PATROL FROM THE 3D PLATOCIN, LOCATED AT (BT 065673) OBSERVED ONE VCS AT 120915H WHO APPEARED TO BE FLEEING FROM A CO C FIREFIGHT WHICH WAS TAKING PLACE TO THE SOUTHWEST. THE VCS WAS CAPTURED. PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (BT 089691) AT 121135. SENT TO ITT AT 121235H PATROL APPREHENDED VC POINTED OUT BY LOCAL POLICE CHIEF. VC HAD A VC GAS HASK IN HIS FOSSESSION.

CO C. AT 120700H AN AMBUSH LOCATED AT (BT 065634) OBSERVED FIVE VC AT (BT 065634) AND FIRED ON THEM, POSSIBLY KILLING THREE. THE VC WITHEREW TO THE NORTH END OF PHONG HO VIC (BT 065631). THE PATROL SEARCHED THE AMBUSH SITE AND FOUND MANY BLOOD STAINS. THE PATROL THEN ENTERED PHONG HO AND ENGAGED THE VC. TWO TANKS JOINED THE PATROL AND

OBSERVED A VC UNIT (LOCATION AND EXACT SIZE NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME) AND FIRED NINE ROUNDS OF 90MM, POSSIBLY KILLING NINE VC. THE NINE VC WERE SEEN TO BE THROWN IN THE AIR BY THE BLAST OF THE 90MH ROUNDS. AND CAME OVERHEAD AND RECEIVED AUTOMATIC WEAPONS HITS FROM (BT 066623) AND (BT 066620). THE AO CALLED IN TWO 105MM MISSIONS ON THESE LOCATIONS AND SILENCED THE ENEMY FIRE. AT APPROX 121100H. THE VC BROKE CONTACT AND FLED TO THE SOUTH.

- (3) <u>38 BN. 30 MARINES</u>. CO L. AT 112000H THE 1ST PLATOON PICKED UP CONTACT ON SID-150 VIC (AT 953665), FIRED TWO M-79 ROUNDS AND THREW TWO HAND GRENADES.

 ILLUMINATED WITH 81MM MORTAR, SQUAD PATROL SENT OUT TO CHECK. NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- CO F. AT 120665H A FIRE TEAM AMBUSH AT (AT 997643) OBSERVED TWO VC 30 METERS TO THE MORTH AT (AT 997642). AMBUSH FIRED 60 ROUNDS S/A TWO VC SEEN TO FALL. AREA SEARCHED AND ONE CODLIE HAT WAS RECOVERED. AT 120805H A PLATOON (REIN) S/D PATROL DEPARTED CO CP VIC (AT 986662). TWENTY-THREE TUNNELS AND FIVE GATES DESTROYED IN VILLAGE OF HA DONG VIC (GS 9964) FROM 120830H TO 121145H. PAPERS AND OVERLAY FOUND AT (AT 998645) AT 120915H. PAPERS AND OVERLAY TURNED OVER TO BH S-2. CHICOM GREHADE DESTROYED IN PLACE. FIVE STEEL PUNJI STAKES FOUND AT (AT 997643) AND DESTROYED.

CO H. AT 121500H VIC (BT 044723) APPREHENDED 1 VCS. SENT TO ITT.

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C. 12TH MARINES

(1) ARTILLERY BATTALION BOX SCORES

	NUMBER MISSIONS					SUPPO	RTING
	OBS	UNOI	<u>BS</u>	<u> H&I</u>	TOTAL	MAF	RVN
	5	3		375	38 3	367	16
	AMMO	EXPE	NDED				
	HE	ILL	WP				
155 G	5						
155 H	90	1					
105 H	481	2	6 2				
8" H	12						

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D. THIRD RECON BN

(1) POX SCORES

	FIRETLAM D N	S NAD N	<u>P17.1</u> D	NOON
SOUT SHIPER	1			
AMBULII		4		1
PATROL		4 4	2	1
SUB TOTAL	1.	4 8	2	2
TOTAL 17				

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FOURTH MARDIES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETS	XAX H	SQU D	AD N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT SNIPER	1				
LISTENING POST	2	7			
MIPUSH		16		11	
SECURITY PATROL	7	6	1.2	10	
SEARCH & DESTROY					1
SUB TOTAL	10	29	12	21	ı
TOT AL - 73					

- (2) <u>1ST BN. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 120145H, JOINT USMC/SEC POST #2 AT (BT 518102) RECEIVED 3 ROUNDS SMALL ARMS FIRE. COMMUNICATIONS WERE ESTABLISHED WITH A COMPANY A PATROL IN THE AREA, WHICH CHECKED OUT THE SUSPECTED ORIGIN OF THE FIRE. NEGATIVE RESULT. NO CASUALTIES.
- (3) 2D BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 122240H, A PLATOON FROM COMPANY E MANNING OP 69 AT (BT 468068) RECEIVED ONE INCOMING HAND CRENADE, WOUNDING ONE MARINE. NO VC WERE SIGHTED.

AT 112250H, A PLATOON FROM HAS COMPANY IN MLR POSITIONS SAW 2 ARMED VC AT (BT 522057). THE VC WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE AT ABOUT 300 METERS WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

AT 121102H, A PLATOON FROM COMPANY E CONDUCTING A SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATION VIC (ST 431098) RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC. THE FIRE WAS RETURNED AND THE AREA SWEPT. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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B. SEVENTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	PIRETE D	AM N	S W	AD N	PLATO D	ON N
LISTENING POST		15				
AMBUSH				5		
RECON PATROL	3					
SECURITY PATROL	5	6		3	3	3
SEARCH & DESTROY			1	2	2	1
SUB TOTAL	8	21	1	10	5	4
TOVAL - 49						

TOTAL - 49

(2) 1ST BN. 7TH HARINES. AT 120500H, A PLATOON PATROL FROM COMPANY C

OBSERVED ONE VC. ARMED WITH A RIPLE. AT (BT 653040). THE MARINE FIRED FIVE ROUNDS

AT THE VC AS HE FLED INTO A SMALL HAMLET. A SEARCH OF THE HAMLET PRODUCED NEGATIVE

RESULTS.

AT 120910H, A PLATOON PATROL FROM COMPANY C OBSERVED 6VCS ATTEMPTING TO ESCAPE BY BOAT AT (BT 646045). WARNING SHOTS WERE FIRED IN AN ATTEMPT TO STOP THE BOAT, BUT VCS
THE BOAT REFUSED TO STOP. THE MAILINES THEN FIRED ON THE OCCUPANTS, KILLING 4 AND CAPTURING THE REMAINING 2.

(3) <u>2D BN, 7TH MARINES</u>. AT 120215H, 2 FRAGMENTATION GRENADES WERE THROWN INTO THE RMK COMPOUND AT (BT 521048). TWO VC WERE SIGHTED RUNNING AWAY AND FIRED ON BY A PLATOON FROM COMPANY H, WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

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C. ARTILLERY BN CHOUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCURES.

	NUMBE	NISSIO	NS		SUPPORTING
	OBS	HAT	TOTAL		KAT
1550		3	3		3
155H		6	6		6
105H	6	32	38		38
105HT	12	12	24		24
	ROUND	S EXPEND	<u>ED</u>		
	HE	III.	M.	TOTAL	
155G	13		5	18	
155H	36			36	
105H	406	10	10	426	
107HT	175		14	189	

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D. RECON OROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

ं.क च	D N	SQUAD D N	PLATOON
SCOUT SNIPER	1		
AMBUSH		2	
RECON PATROL		2 2	
SUB TOTAL	1	2 4	
TOTAL - 7			

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS.

A. 20 BN. 1ST MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	D N	SQUAD D N
LISTENING POST	16	
AMBUSH		3
SECURITY PATROL		9 20
SUB TOTAL	16	9 23
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(2) <u>2D BN. 1ST MARINES</u>. THE 3D PLATOON. COMPANY G. ENROUTE TO AN AMBUSH POSITION, ENGAGED 20 VC VIC (YD 808168) AT 111910H. DURING THE FIREFIGHT, FIVE VC WERE OBSERVED TO FALL AND WERE PRESUMED WIA. NO MARINE CASUALTIES.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER M	SSIONS		SUPPORTING
	UNOBS	HAI	TOT AL	MAP
155H	2		2	2
105H	2	128	130	130
	ROUNDS E	XPENDED		
	HE	₩.	TOTAL	
155H	48	2	50	
105H	219		219	

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5. PLANS SUMMARY.

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	di administratione	TEAM	SQUAD		PLATOON		BATTALION		COHLANKA	
	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	· D	N
SCOUT SHIPER	3	1								
LISTENING POST	2	94								
MUSH	2	21	2	76		1				
RECON PATROL	3	3	13	16	2	1				
SECURITY PATROL	12	1.2	31	40	2	2				
SEARCH & DESTROY			20	24	5	1	P	2	1	
SUB TOTAL	22	131	66	156	9	5	2	2	1	
TOTAL - 394										

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 147 PATROLS AND 102 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

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1. THIRD MAR DIV HIGHLIGHTS

A. BOX SCORES

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SOLUT SHIPER	4	
LISTENING POST	2	
AMBUSH	2	21 2 1
PATROL	15	
SEARCH & DESTROY SUB_TOTAL	23	10.00
TOTAL 388		

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COURDINATES	DATE/	ACTION SIZE	TYPE	FRD UNIT/ LOSSES	enm unit/ losses
THUY THIEN (YD 908121)	1302 30 H	SąD	SEC	3_CAC/NONE	UNK/HONE
JIANG NAM/ (AT 928613)	122015R	لأياد	SEC	r/2/1/1 WIA	UNK/HONE
(AT 920590)	122200H	S QD	SEC	F/2/1/NONE	unk/none
(AT 903695)	130800H	ವ ್ಕ ರಿ	BMA	B/1/1/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(BT 093645)	130730H	PLT	s/D	A/1/9/2 WIA	unk/hone
(BT 110623)	130030н	PLT	s/D	A/1/9/ NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 070685)	130725H	للهاة	5/D	B/1/9/ NONE	unk/4 vcs
(BT 077663)	13075 0H	تنيات	s/b	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/ 1 VCS
(BT 003627)	131039H	CO	s/D	G/1/9/NUNE	UNK/UNK
(BT 100635)	1310448	S ್ಯರಿ	s/D	A/1/9/NUNE	UNK/UNK
(AT 992679)	122215H	BN	PERIM	188/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 949679)	130840H	. S.40	S/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(AT 969665)	121915H	CO CP	HARS	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/NONE
(AT 969662) (AT 968664)	122100H	CO CP	fire SID Contact	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/3WIA (POSS)
(AT 826855)	1304428	เริ่งมี	AMB	/HOOBA DE/A	UNK/UNK
JUANG TINE (BT 443155)	130833#	l PLIT	5/0	A/1/4/NONE	UNK/NONE

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C. THIRD MAK DIV HIGHLIGHTS. OPERATION MALLARD CONTINUES ITS
THIRD DAY OF OPERATIONS WITH LIGHT CONTACT WITH VC ELEMENTS. SEE 3D MAR DIV
SPECIAL SITUATION REPORTS. EXCELLENT WEATHER PREVAILED THROUGHOUT ALL
DIVISION ENCLAVES. 393 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS WERE CONDUCTED GAINING ACCOUNTACTS
WITH VC FORCES.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS

A. THIRD MARINES

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	eliceteak V R	SAIAD	PLATOON N	BATTAL D	ION N
LISTENING FOST	24				
AMBUSH		13			
PATHOL		10 9			
SEARCH & DESTROY				2	2
SUB TOTAL	24	10 22		2	2
TOLAL 60					

(2) <u>1ST BN.1ST MARINES</u>. AT 122015H, A SQUAD PATROL FROM COMPANY F RECEIVED ENEMY SMALL ARMS FIRE VIC (AT 928613) FROM ESTIMATED 10 VC. FIRE WAS IMMEDIATELY RETURNED. THE VC BROKE CONTACT. ONE MARINE WAS WIA.

AT 122200H, A SQUAD FROM COMPANY F RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE VIC (AT 920590). THE SQUAD RETURNED FIRE. VC FIREDCEASED. NO CASUALTIES.

AT 130800H, A SQUAD FROM COMPANY B APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (AT 903695).

(3) <u>1ST BN. 3D MARINES.</u> PARTICIPATING IN OPERATION MALLARD. SEE OPERATION MALLARD SITEEPS FOR DETAILS.

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(1) BOX SCURES

	FIRETEAN		<u> Stali</u>	<u>QA</u>	PLATOON		COMPANY	
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SCOUT SMIREA		1						
LIDT: MING HOST		28						
AMMUn	2	3	2	36				
PATRUL	3	1	1	7				
SEARCH & DESTRUY			20	24	2		1	
SUB_TOTAL	5	33	23	67	2		1	
total 131				1				

(2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 130730H. A GRENADE HOOBY TRIP WAS DETONATED BY A MEMBER OF 1ST PLATOON COMPANY A VIC (BT 093645) WOUNDING TWO MARINES. THREE OTHER SIMILAR BOOBY TRAPS WERE RECOVERED AND REMOVED FOR EVALUATION. AT 130830

AT 130830 THE 2D PLATOON OF COMPANY A RECEIVED 12 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM VIC (BT 110623). THE PLATOON RETURNED FIRE; AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO USMC CASUALTIES.

AT 130715H. A SQUAD PATROL FROM COMPANY B APPREHENDED FOUR MALE VCS VIC (BT 070685) FOR IMPROPER IDENTIFICATION PAPERS.

AT 130750H. A SQUAD PATROL FROM COMPANY B APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (PT 077663).

AT 131055H. COMPANY C ELEMENTS RECEIVED FIVE RDS SHALL ARMS FIRE VIC (BT 063627) FROM AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC. FIRE RETURNED. CONTACT HROKEN. AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 131044H, A COMPANY A SQUAD PATROL VIC (BT 100635) RECEIVED

APPROXIMATELY 175 SMALL ARMS ROUNES FROM THREE VC ARMED WITH TWO AUTOMATIC

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AND ONE SEMI-AUTOMATIC WEAPON. INTENSIVE PIRE RETURNED BY THE PATROL.

CONSISTING OF SMALL ARMS AND 3.5" ROCKETS. HOSTILE FIRE CEASED. AREA

SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO USMC CASUALTIES.

(3) 2D BH. 9TH MARINES. AT 122215H. THE BATTALION CP PERIMETER VIC (AT 992679) RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY EIGHT HOUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE. SUSPECTED VC POSITION ILLUMINATED. NO TARGET VISIBLE.

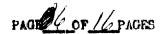
AT 130753H. A SQUAD PATROL SEARCHED THE AREA AND APPREHENDED A VCS

(4) 3D BH. 3D MARINES. AT 130840H, A COMPANY I SQUAD PATROL APPROPRIED ONE VCS VIC (AT 949679). SUSPECT WAS A NON-FARMER OF DRAFT AGE.

AT 121915H, THE COMPANY M PERIMETER RECEIVED ABOUT 20 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARMS FIRE VIC (AT 969665) FROM AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC WITH TWO AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND TWO CARBINES. FIRE RETURNED. HOSTILE FIRE CEASED. SUSPECTED VC POSITION ASSAULTED BY ONE FIRE TEAM WHICH THREY A GRENADE AT THE VC POSITION. CRENADE WAS ON TARGET BUT AREA WAS NOT SEARCHED DUE TO HEAVY FIRE DIRECTED AT THE FIRE TEAM FROM ANOTHER DIRECTION AS IT APPROACHED THE VC POSITION. ESTIMATE THREE VC WIA.

AT 122100H, A SID 150 VIC (AT 969663) PICKED UP MOVEMENT TO ITS
FRONT. INTENSIVE FIRE WAS DIRECTED AT THE SUSPECTED VC MOVEMENT CONSISTING OF SMALL ARMS FIRE AND 81MM HOTARS. FROM THE EERECT ON THE TARGET.

LT IS ESTIMATED THAT AT LEAST THREE VC WERE WIA.



C. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER MIS	SIONS		SUPPORTING
	<u>OBS</u>	HAI	TOTAL	MAF
155G		7	7	7
155H	2	90	92	92
105H	3	269	2 72	272
107HT		4	4	4
8ª H		6	6	6
	ROUNDS EX	PENDED		
	HE	ILL	TOTAL	
155 G	7		7	
15 5H	104	4	108	
105H	448		448	
107111	8		8	
8 " H	6		6	

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D. 3D RECON BN

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRETEAN	<u> Swiad</u>		PLATOON	
SCOUT SNIPER	D N 1	D	H	D	N
AH3U5H			4		1
PATROL		8	4	1	1
SUB*TOTAL	.1	8	8	1	2
TOTAL	20				

(2) 3D RECON BN. AT 130442H, FOUR VC WALKED INTO A SQUAD AMBUSH VIC (AT 826855). ALL WERE CARRYING MEAPONS AND ONE WAS CARRYING A PACK.

THE SQUAD FIRED AT THE VC. NEGATIVE RESULTS. VC DID NOT RETURN FIRE.

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3. CHU LAI UPERATIONS

A. Planth MARLING

(1) 30% 500,665

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LISTEKING POST	2	7						
AmBURUL		16		11				
PATROL	7	6	12	70				
SEARCH & DEDINGY					1		1	
SUB_TOTAL	9	29	12	21	3		7	
TOTAL 73								

- (2) 15T BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 130833H, A PLT PATROL FROM COMPANY A, LCOP MOVING UP THE THUONG GIANG HIVER IN LCOP RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE AND 3-60MM MORTAR HOURDS VICINITY (BT 443158). THE FIRE WAS NOT RETURNED INASMUCH AS THE PLT COULD NOT DETERMINE THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE. THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
- (3) 2ND DN. 4TH MARINES. AT 130959H, AFTER STAGING AT QUANG NGAI, CO G (REIN), ACCOMPANIED BY THE RECONNAISSANCE CO. 2D (ARVN) LIV AND A SMALL COMMAND GROUP FROM THE 2D DN. 4FH MARINES. LANDED BY HELICOPTER AT LZ RED (BE 834422). THE LANDING WAS UNDEPOSED AND WAS COMPLETED AT 131037H.

AT 131137M, THE SEARCH AND DESTROY OFERATION BEGAN WHEN THE UNITS CROSSED THE LINE OF DEPARTURE (BS 828424) TO (BS 837428). A

AT 131153H. THE SEARCH UNITS DISCOVERD SOME VC PROPOGANDA LEAFLETS AND SEVERAL FOXHOLES APPROXIMATELY 21 X 4 FEET IN SIZE. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THE FOXHOLES WERE ABOUT 4 DAYS CLD.

AT 131159H, AN AIR OBUMENER SPOTTED A BUNKER AT (BS 814456) AND AT 131215H. THE UH-1E RECEIVED SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM (BS 827429).

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BOTH OF THESE LOCATIONS ARE CUTSIDE THE ZONE OF TODAYS OPERATION.) MORE PROPOGANDA LEAFLETS WERE FOUND AT (BS 833428) AND (BS 824434).

AT 131250H, ANOTHER CAVE, WITH ONE WOMAN AND 4 CHILDREN IN IT, WAS FOUND AT (BS 822433).

AT 131304H. A NETWORK OF CAVES EXTENDING FROM (BS 825435) TO (BS 821437) WAS LOCATED. THESE CAVES WERE NOT DESTROYED.

AT 131404H, THE ARVN RECON CO APPREHENDED FOUR VCS AT (BS 830434) AND (BS 827438).

A AT 131430H, RETRACTION COMMENCED FROM LZ WHITE (BS 826448) TO JUANG NGAL.

THE RETRACTION WAS COMPLETED AT 131510H. COMPANY G AND THE COMMAND GROUP WERE

THEN LIFTED BACK TO CHU LAI, THE LIFT COMPLETED AT 131765H.

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B. SEVENTH HANTES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRET D	EAM N	SOU!	N TD	PLA'	TOON N
SCOUT SNIPER	1	•				
LISTENING POST		5				
AMBUSH	·	2		3		
PATRUL	5	8	3	5	2	2
SEARCH & DESTROY				1	3	1
SUB_TOTAL	6	15	3	9	5	3
TOTAL 39						

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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER MIS		SUPPORTING		
	OBS	H&I	TOTAL		KAE
1550		3	3		3
155H	•	6	6		6
105H	8	32	40		40
105HT	12	12	24		24
	ROUNDS EXP				
	<u>11E</u>	ILL	WP	TOT AL	
155G	13		5	18	
1.55H	36			36	
10 5H	410	10	9 5(HC)	434	
107HT	175		14	189	

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BUX SCORES

	ZIRE TEAH	SQUAD D N	PLATOON N
SCOUT SNIPER	2		
AMBUSH		2	
PATROL		3 2	1
SUB_TOTAL	2	3 4	1
TOTAL 10			

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4. PHU HAI OPERATIONS

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PINET	EAM	SUU	AD
	D	N	D	×
LISTENING POST		21		5
PATROL			9	20
SUB-TOTAL		21.	9	25
TOTAL 55				

(2) <u>2D BN. 1ST MARINES</u>. AT 130230H, THE 3D HIMTORN OF THE COMBINED ACTION COMPANY EXCHANGED FIRE WITH TWO VC VIC (TD 908121). THE VC IMMEDIATELY BROKE CONTACT. NO USHC CASUALTIES. AREA SEARCHED; NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH HARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER M	SUPPORTING					
	<u>OBS</u>	UNOBS	HAT	TOTAL	MAF		
155H	7		13	20	20		
105#	11	1	104	116	116		
BORHT	3			3	3		
	ROUNDS EX	ROUNDS EXPENDED					
	HE	WP.	TOTAL	, .			
155H	46	12	58				
105H	263	8	271				
107HT	36		36				

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SCANT Haras	5	1						
. STEAL G POST	2	81						
Agibuta.	2	21	1	73		2		
PATIBLE	15	14	30	46	4	4	1	41.5
SEAWGDes: DESTROY			24	25	5	1	2	2
SUB_TOTAL	24	117	5 5	144	9	7	2	2

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B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 113 PATROLD AND 99 AMBUSHES DURING THE MEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.

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THIRD MAR DIV SIEREP NUMBER 253 AS OF 141000Z JAN 66

1. THIRD MAR DIV HIGHLIGHTS

A. DIVISION BOX SOURES

SCOUT SNIPER	FIR D 9	B TEAM N 9	8 <u>0</u>	UAD N	PLA	TOON	COMPANY D N	BATT	ALION
LISTENING POST	2	73				.t			
AMBUSH	2	21	2	56		2		f	*3
PATROLS	15	15	30	34	3	4.			- "
SEARCHADESTROY			20	24	6		1	2	2
SUB TOTALS	28	118	52	114	9	6	1	2	2 📐
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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

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DATE/ TIME	ACT SIZE	TYPE	frd unit/ Losses	LOSSES
141045H	PLT	SEC	D/1/3/NONR	UNK/UNK
132050H	0 0	LP	B/1/1/NOHE	UNK/UNK
140925H	SQD	SEC	3D BNG/1 WIA	UMK/UMK
141045H	SQD	SEC	30/ENN/F/E/1/	UKK/DIKS
141125H	sop	SEC	B/1/1/NONE	UNK/3 VCS
	141045H 132050H 140925H 141045H	141045H PLT 132050H CO 140925H SQD 141045H SQD	TIME SIZE TYPE 141045H PLT SEC 132050H CO LP 140925H SQD SEC 141045H SQD SEC	TIME SIZE TYPE LOSSES 141045H PLT SEC D/1/3/NONE 132050H CO LP B/1/1/NONE 140925H SQD SEC 3D ENG/1 WIA 141045H SQD SEC 3D/ENG/1-1/1/2 WIA

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PROVINCE/ GG#RDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTI SIZE	ON TYPE	FRD UNIT/	EMM UNIT/ LOSSES
(BT 034683)	132000н	SQD	SAD	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 056738)	1411309	œ	S&D	L/3/9/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(Br 076632)	141428H	SQD	S&D	C/1/9/NONE	unk/unk
(Br 116648)	141435H	SUN	S&D	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(AT 991641)	1411301	F1.T	SEC	F/2/9/1 WIA	unk/unk
(BT 029641)	141430H	sop	S&D	E/2/9/NONE	unk/unk
(AT 972599)	132210H	PLT	RIVER	Has/3/3/None	unk/unk
(AT 954654)	140710H	SQD	AMB	1/3/3/NONE	unk/ 2 VCs
(49-95 9680)	14171-511	SW	PAT	1/3/3/1 KIA/ 5	WIA UNK/UNK
QUANG TIN (PT 465072)	132125H	CO	SEC	E/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 559014)	132045H	∞	SEC	D/1/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
QUANG NGAT (BS 551996)	1321 <i>5</i> 0H	C O	OP	D/1/7/NONE	บทห/บพห
(BT 570015)	14101 0 H	C/A TE	M	Has/1/7/Hone	UNK/UNK
THUY TIEM (YD 810155)	131810н	PLT	SEC	H/2/1/NONE	UNK/UNK

C. <u>DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS</u>. OPERATION HALLARD CONTINUES. SEE THIRD MAR DIV SPECIAL SITUATION REPORTS FOR DETAILED ACTIVITIES DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD.

FLISHBERE, 322 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS WERE EXECUTED IN THE DA NANG, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES RESULTING IN 18 CONTACTS. GENERALLY GOOD WEATHER CONTINUED IN ALL ENCLAVES.

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2. OPRRATIONS

A. THELD HARINES

(1) EUX SCORES

	PIRE TEAM	SQU D	AD N	BATTA	HOLL
LISTERLING POST	24		4		
AMBUSH			13		
PATRO		10	9		
SE-ROE & DESTROY				2	2
SUB-COUNT.	24	10	22	2	2
TOTAL 60					

(2) 1ST BH. 1ST MARINES. AT 132050R, CO B AT (AT 924689) RECEIVED

ONE INCOMING HAND GRENADE. AREA SEARCHED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. BO CASUALTIES.

Vechile (M37)

AT 140925H AN ENGINEERAPROM 3D ENGINEER BH DETONATED AMINE AT (AT 932624)

AND ONE MARINE WAS WOUNDED. LATER, IN THE SAME VIC (AT 932625) ANOTHER MINE

WAS DETONATED ATA141045H WOUNDING 2 MARINES. A SQUAD FROM CO B APPREHENDED

3 VCS AT 141125H AT (AT 932623).

(3) <u>1ST BN. 3D MARINES</u>. THE 2D PLATOON, CO D EMBARKED IN THREE LYT'S RECEIVED SMALL RMS FIRE FROM THE NORTH AND SOUTH BANKS OF THE SONG CA DE AT (AT 863857) AND (AT 866846). AT 141045H THE MARINES DISEMBARKED FROM THE LYT'S AND SEARCHED BOTH SIDES OF THE RIVER WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO CASUALTIES. COSS A. B. AND C PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION HALLARD.

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I. NINTH MARINES (1) BOX SCORES

	<u>FIR</u> D	E TEAM N	<u>ՏեՍ</u> D	AD R	PLATCO D	N COMPANY N D N
SCOUT SNIPER		1				
LISTEN G POST		27				
AMBUSH	2	4	2	27		
RECON PATROL	3	4	1	5		
SEARCH & DESTROY			20	22	3	1
SUB_TOTAL	5	36	23	54	3	1
TOTAL 1	42					

(2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 132000H A VC FIRED FOUR RDS OF S/A FROM (BT 035683) AT A PATROL FROM THE 2D PLT WHICH WAS APPROXIMATELY 100 METERS TO THE WEST. THE PATROL IMMEDIATELY RETURNED FIRE AND PURSUED THE VC. WHO ESCAPED.

AT 141435H PATROL FIRED WARRING SHOTS AND THEN WOUNDED A FLEEING FEMALE (BT 058662) WITHOUT ID CARD AND BEARING PAPERS WITH WORDS "VIET CONG". MEDEVACED TO USON HOSPITAL.

AT 141428H, CO C PATROL (BT 076630) REC'D TWO RDS S/A FIRE FROM THE SOUTH VIC (BT 076076630). FATROL RETURNED TEN REC 7.62 BUT WERE UNABLE TO DETERMINE EFFECT OF FIRE.

CO LD) COMMENCING AT 141030H. PURPOSE OF THE OPN WAS TO SEARCH BUATS USED IN THE RIVER AND TO WARN THE PEOPLE WHO USE THE BOATS IN THE RIVER OF THE RECENT DISTRICT RESTRICTIONS PLACED ON THEIR USE.

AT 141145H WO L ASPORTED THAT THEY HAD APPREHENDE 27 SUSPICIOUS PERSONS (FIVE OF

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2d Battalion 9th Larines

Co E. At 14133 H sqd petrol (BT 029641 rec'd six rds from (BT 029635) and returned three rds I1-79.

Co F. At 1113 M, a Marine at M A DOMG B ridge (AT 991611) tripped a booby trapped grenade. One trip wire was found. One Marine WIA evac to 2/9 BAS.

THEM NOMER) AND DESTROYED 11 ABANDONED RIVER BOATS. AT

AT 141345H IT WAS REPORTED THAT 16 MORE SUSPICIOUS PERSONS WERE ADDED TO THE GROUP ALREADY APPREHENDED. TWO PLASTIC AP MINES WERE FOUND VIC (BT 058729) AND (BT 065715) AT APPROXIMATELY 141130H. AP HINES WERE OF A MANUFACTURED TYPE, AND WERE 3.5 INCHES IN DIAMETER. BOTH WERE BLOWN IN PLACE AND WERE JUDGED AS HAVING ABOUT THE SAME EXPLOSIVE FORCE AS A HAND GRENADE. A TOTAL OF 76 SUSPICIOUS PERSONS WERE DETAINED AND QUESTIONED AND ALL BUT ONE MALE WHO HAD AN ID CARD CAYING HE WAS 38 YEARS OF AGE (PERSON APPEARED TO BE 20 YEARS OF AGE) WERE RELEASED AFTER QUESTIONING. THE OPERATION WAS CONCLUDED AT APPROXIMATELY 141345H.

(3) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 140710H CO L A SQD AMB PICKED UP TWO MALE VCS.

VCS EVACUATED TO ITT. * SQUAD SIZE FACUAL PROVIDING SECURITY TO PSYMAR TEAM RECEIVED

FIRE FROM FAST OF SONG YER RIVER VIC (AT 959680). USNC CASUALTIES 1 KIA, 5 WILL

VC CASUALTIES UNKNOWN. SQUAD SENT UP SAST SIDE OF RIVER TO CHECK AREA. FOUND

TXIENDED BRASS. VC BROKE CONTACT.

AT 132210H H&S CO A FLT (_) LOCATED AT RIVER BLOCK (AT 971699) REC*D EIGHT TO TEN RDS S/A FIRE FROM THE NW. SAW HOVEMENT IN SOUTHEAST PART OF CAM HOA (AT 969701). FIRED 50 NOS S/A AT HOVEMENT AND ILLUMINATED WITH SIX RDS 81MM MORTAR. SPUTTED BOA' IN SONG CAU DO (AT 972699). FIRED THREE RDS OF H_79 AND FOUR RDS S/A AND SANK BOA'

CO D. 1/9 OPCON 3/3, BECAME OPCON 3/3 AT 141130H. D_1 IS OPCON "L" CO 3/3 LHILL 22 (AT 954667). D_2 IS OPCON "M" CO AT AN TRAC (AT 972662). D_3 IS AT SP#1 (AT 988728) AND WILL HAVE 30 FLSG PERSONNEL ATTACHED EACH EVENING FOR NIGHTSECURITY OF ASP #1. CO D/1/9 D CP LOCATED AT 3/3 CP (AT 975705).

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C. <u>12TH MAKINES</u>

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D. THIRD RECON BATTALION

(1) BOX MOORES

	FIRETE	A <u>M</u> N	D D	ם וו	PLATO D	ON N
SCOUT SNIPER	2	2				
AMBUSH				2		1
PATROLS			4	4	1	1
SUB_TOTAL	2	2	4	6	1	2
TOTAL 17						

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(1) BOX SOURIS

	FIRE D	SQUAD 0 N		
,	D	N	Ð	N
LISTERIA COM	2	7		
AMPLIA		15		11
PATERLE	7	6	11	10
SU-TOUN.	0	38	1.1	21

(2) <u>2D BN. 4TH MARENES</u>. AT 132125H, COMPANYE, OCCUPYING THE OUTFOST OF HILL 69, (BT 465073) RECEIVED ONE ROUND OF SMALL ARMS FIRE. THE ORIGINAL OF THE FIRE WAS UNDETERMINED. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES.

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B. SEVENTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRE	TE/H N	SOI D	JAD N	D.ATC	NOON
SCOUT CHIEFE	1					
LISTEMANO POST		15				
AMEUSH		2		3		
PATROLS	5	5	3	5	1	2
SUB-TOT AL	6	22	3	8	1	2
TOTAL 42						

(2) 151 BR. 7TH MARINES. AT 132043H, AFTER HEARING HOISES AND FIRING ILLUMINATION, COMPANY D RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY 65 ROUNDS OF SMALL ARES FIRE IN THEIR DEFENSIVE POSITIONS FROM (BT 565011). THE FIRE WAS RETURNED AND THE AREA WAS CHECKED OUT AT FIRST LIGHT. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 132150H. THE COMPANY D OUTPOST AT (BS 550996) OBSERVED 2 MEN WITHIN TEN FEET OF THEIR PROTECTIVE WIRE. AFTER CHALLECING, THE OUTPOST FIRED ON THE MEN WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

AT 141010H THE BATTALION CIVIL AFFAIRS TEAM RECEIVED ONE ROUND OF SMALL ARMS FIRE AT (BT 570015). FROM AN UNKNOWN ORIGIN. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES.

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BATTALION GROUP

(1) BOX SCORE

	NUMBER MISSIONS				SUPPORTING				
	<u>OBS</u>	_R	u i	TOTAL	MAP	OTHER			
	9	60) (59	65	4			
	ROUN.	LO EXP	ENDED						
	HE	ILL.	WF	TOTAL					
155 C	4		8	12					
155 ii	63		3	66					
105 H	274	28	2 (H	304					
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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCURES

	FIRE D	TLAM N	SOUA D	<u>D</u> N	PLAT D	NOON
SCOUT SNEPTER	2	2				
LISTENTNU FOOT						
AMBU SH						1
PATROL			1	1	1	1
SUB_TOTAL	2	2	1	1	. 1	2
TOTAL 9						

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4. MUR_PHU BAI OPERATIONS

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TOT AL.

CASUALITIES.

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SOORES

LISTERING POST	FIRE TRAM D N 21	<u>squ</u>	AD N
MENCH			6
SECURITY PATHOL		9	20
SUB-TOTAL .	21	9	26

(2) 2d BH. 1ST MARINES. THE 3d PLATOON, OO H AT 131810H RECYTYED SMALL MANY FIRE FROM 3 VC AT (YD 810155). FIRE RETURNED. AREA SEARCHED. HO

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

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155 H

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NUMBER MESSIONS		SUPPO	RTING	
UNOBS	H&I	TOTAL	MAL	RVN
1	129	130	129	1
AMMO EXI	ENDED			
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	У	9								
LISTENING POST	2	48								
AMBUSH	2	6 6	2	77		3				
PATROLE	20	9	31	38	4	4				
SKARCH & BESTROY			23	26	5	1	1		3	2
SUB-TOTAL	33	132	56	141	9.	8	2		3	2
TOTAL 385								•		

B. THE DIVITION WILL COMBUCT 106 PATROLS AND 150 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT 24 THOUR PORTOR.

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1. THERD MARRY HEGHLIGHTS

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

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SCOUT SNIPER	4	1							
LICTS (LEG POST	2	94				•			
M GFSH	2	26		73		5			
TOATATEOL	7	4	5	10	5	4			
S.XUCTY PATROL	13	6	25	25	2	2			
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_UANG_NAM _T_930651	14,224011	تابيات	AlB	F/2/1/RONE	UNK/NONE
AT 901772	150800H	ثيث	White	B/1/1/1 KIA 7 WIA	UNK/NONE
BT 102651	150800il	ವರ T	SUT	A/1/9/NUNE	UNK/ROBIA (PORS)
в т 06562 8	151030H	PLT	5/0	0/1/9/1 MIA	UN K/UN K
BT 091631	151200H	PLT.	5/0	n/1/9/HONE	UNK/1 VCS
BT 092632	150915H	FT	5 S	A/1/9/NONE	unk funk
BT 048672	15091511	ವಿ⊌D	ន/B	B/1/9/Non6	UNK/2 VCo
BT 065628	15.02491	Fala	5/b	C/1/9/NONE	unk/unk
BT 032648	142250H	للهد	RMA	E/2/9/HONE	UNK/1 KlA
AT 9896 43	150215H	w	Pak	0/2/9/HONE	UNK/UNK
ът 0 006 35	150230H	فلين	5 / D	E/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 955665	1420203	Cu	Harressing Fire	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 949 629	1,514303	CG	5/0	L/3/3/HUNE	UNK/5 VOS
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BT 410156	150735d	BR(-)	ವ/೨	0/1/4/NONE	UNE/2 KBA
в т 415159	1507308	эм (-)	<i>11/11</i>	D/1/4/ECHE	UNK/2 VOD
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JUANG TIM BT 500068	150500H	FT	AFiB	H/2/4/NONE	unk/unk
BT 421084	151040H	ri æ	5/0	E/2/4/NONE	UNK/MONE
BT 430089	1512554	FAR	5/0	3/2/4/NONE	UNK/1 VC5
JUANG MJA BS 618985	1513 5 81	5્રાઇ	SiiC	C/1/7/NONE	unk/2 VCS
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C. DAVISION HIGHLIGHTS. OPERATION BIG LODGE, A SEARCH AND DETEND OPERATION COMMERCED AT 150758H AS LEADING ELEMENTS 2D BN, 9TH MARINES, CROCSED THE LCD.

SEE 3D MARDIN SECOND SITUATION REPORTS. OPERATION MALLARD CONTINUES. SEE

3D MARDIN STUDENT SITUATION REPORTS. DURING OPERATION BIRDWATCHER A 1ST FORCE
RECON PARTIL AMBUSHED THREE VC AT 151730H VIC (BS 610290), KILLING TWO AND HOUND-ING ONE. EXCELLENT MEATHER PREVAILED THROUGHOUT ALL ENCLAVES AS DIVISION UNITS

CONDUCTED 381 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS. RESULTING IN 22 CONTACTS WITH VC ELEMENTS.

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- 2. DA MANG OPERATIONS.
 - A. THIRL LANGERS.
 - (1) BOX SCORES

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	L)	\$1	D	N	D	X
LIC DEBOAC FOST		26				
M. PANT				23		
SECURITY PATROL			4	6		
SHARCH & HETTERY					1	1
TOT AL		26	iş.	29	1	1

(2) 1ST BH. LET MARINES. A SCUAD FROM CO F ENCOUNTERED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC AT (AT 930651) AT 14 MAON. SA FIRE WAS EXCHANGED AND THE VC BROKE CONTACT.

A SEARCH OF THE AREA HAD NEGATIVE RESULTS. NO CASUALTIES.

A SQUAD FROM CO B DETONATED A DIRECTIONAL TYPE MINE AT 150800H AT (AT 901772).

THE MINE WAS MOUNTED ON A FOUR FOOT BAMBOO TRIPOD. THE PARROL WAS IN COLUMN WITH

A FIFTSEN PACE INTERVAL BETWEEN INDIVIDUALS. ONE MARINE WAS KILLED AND SEVEN

WERE WOUNDED.

(3) 1ST BN. 3D HARINES. NO CONTACT WAS REPORTED. CO A. E. AND C PARTICIPATED IN OPN MALLARD.

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B. MINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETE	EAM N	BOT D	AD T	D N STATOOR
SCOUT SNIPER		1			
LISTENING POST		30			
AMBUSH	2	4		30	
RECON PATROL	3	4		5	
SEARCH & DESTROY			22	2 2	3
TOTAL	5	39	22	57	3

AT (BT 102651) OBSERVED ONE VC AT (BT 095641) AND SHOT HIM. THE RESULTS WERE

NOT INVESTIGATED DUE TO HIGH WATER LEVEL BETWEEN THE TWO POSITIONS. AT 151200H

1ST PLT CO A VIC (BT 091631) RECEIVED FIVE TO TEN RES OF AUTOMATIC AND SEMI

AUTOMATIC FIRE FROM VIC (BT 094630). RETURNED HEAVY SA FIRE WITH SIMM AND ARTY

MISSIONS AND SEARCHED AREA THEN WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. EMERING SEARCH, THE PLT

AQAIN RECRIVED FIRE FROM VC VIC (BT 110630) AND FIRED ARTY MISSION WITH UNCONFIRMED

RESULTS DUE TO WATER BETWEEN THE POSITIONS. APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (BT 091631)

RINGING A BELL. AT 150915H 1ST PLT CO A SNIPER TEAM VIC (BT 092632) REPORTED ONE

RD HIT VC IN TREACH LINE VIC (BT 092620). SQUAD SEARCHING FOR BOUX RECEIVED 10

PROS SA FIRE WHICH WAS RETURNED. FOUND ELOOD AND TRACKS LEADING SOUTH BUT SEARCH

CO B. AT 150915H SQUAD PATROL SEARCHING VILLAGE VIC (BT 048677) FROM WHICH SAFERE WAS RECEIVED 14 JAN 1966, APPREHENDED THO VCS WHO RESISTED AND WERE TAKEN TO 1/9 CP FOR GUESTIONING.

CO C. AT 150730H A SQUAD PARCE DESERVER SIX VC RUNHING TO THE SOUTHVEST WHILE LOCATED AT (BT 062627). THE SQUAD TOOK THE UNITED PIRE AND PURSUED TO (BY 063625)

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THE VC WELLE ONC: ADAIN FURSUED AND AT 151030H, WHILE LOCATED AT (BT 065628). "
SUSTAINED SECOND USMC WIM WHEN THE PLT RECEIVED 10 RDS SA FROM (BT 072673).

AT 151245H, 30 PLT OO C VIC (PT 065628) DERECTED 15 90HM RDS TANK FIRE AT VC

POSITION VIC (BT 072635) AND UNDER LIGHT TO HEAVY SHIPER FIRE MOVED TWO TANKS
AND IMPART YOU THAT POSITION. FOUND EVIDENCE OF BODIES DRUG IN AND VILLAGERS
INDICATED STORY VC WERE KIA BUT REQUITS OF TANK AND SA FIRE ARE UNCONFIRMED.

(D) 2D PM, 9TH MARLINES. CO E. AT 142250H SQUAD AMBUSH VIC (BT 032649)

OBSERVED INDEVIDUAL VIC (BT 033648). SQUAD AMBUSH FIRED TWO M-79 BDS. OFSERVED

INDIVIDUAL FALL INTO RIVER, WHILE AREA WAS UNDER ILLUMINATION. ESTIMATED ONE VC

KIA. NO FRI NDEY CASUALTIES. AT 150230H SQUAD PATROL VIC (BT 000635) RECEIVED

APPROXIMATELY 10 RUS MORTAR HE FIRE FROM UNDETERMINED DIRECTION AND FIGHT RDS SA

FIREFIEOM (AT 990643) ACROSS SONG PAU XAU RIVER.

CO G. AT 150215H A CO PERIMETER VIC (AT 989643), RECEIVED EIGHT RUS SA FIRE FHON VIC (AT 995697). KEPT AREA UNDER SURVEILLANCE.

(4) 3D BN. 3D HARINGS. CO K. AT 151506H SQUAD PATROL VIC (AT 978686)
SHOT AND KILLED ONE VC. VC REFUSED TO STOP WHEN CHALLENGED. DRESSED IN GREEN UNIFORM WITH BLACK PAJAMAS UNDERNEATH. NO WEAPON RECOVERED. AT 151430H IN VIC (AT 949629). APPREHENDED FIVE VCS.

CO N. AT 141710H CO M WAS ALERTED TO SEND BLOCKING FORCE AND SCREEN CO K'S ELEMENTS MOVING TO (AT 959679). AT 1817H ESTABLISHED A SQUAD BLOCKING FORCE AT (AT 966672). THE BLOCKING FORCE RUMAINED IN POSITION THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT AND ESTABLISHED ANDUSHES IN THAT AREA. IN COMJUNCTION WITH OPERATION BIG LODGE ESTABLISHED SQUAD SIZE (REIN) AMBUSH MY (AT 961651) AND (AT 973651) TO FROVIDE A SCHEEN FOR CO I'S NOVEMENT TO THE AMBUSH SOUTH AT FIRST LIGHT. AT 152100H SQUAD AMBUSHES WERE RETRACTED TO CP (AT 971661). NO EXEMPT CONTACT PAST THROUT FOUR IN

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(1) ARTILLERY SON SONGES.

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	CHOC	inoes	Hai	TOTAL	MAP	HVN
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D. 3D READN HW.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	PLRETRAM		SCHAD		100E
	D A	D	N	D	7UC 474
SCOUT SHIPER	2				
AMERICA			4		1
RECON FATROL		4	4	1	1
TOT AL	2	4	8	1,	2

(C) 3D HEROIN BS. 4TH PLT, LST FORCE RECON CO. DURING OPH BIRDWATCHER
AMBUSHED THREE VC VIC (BS 5129) AT 151730H, KILLING TWO AND LOUNDING ONE. MOUNDED
VC ESCAPED.

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- 3. CHU LAI OPPRATIONS.
 - A. AUGUR HARIES.
 - (1) JOX COOK 35.

	FIRE	TEAM N	SO D	CAP N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT BRIFTER	1				
LISTENING POR	2	7			
HOURAM		21		9	
SECURITY FATROL	7	2	13	9	
SBARCH & DESTROY					2
TOT AL.	10	3 0	12	18	2

(2) 100 BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 150715H. A PLT FROM CO D APPREHENDED 2 VCS SHORTLY AFTER DEPARTING FROM HELICOPTERS IN THE COURSE OF A BATTALION (-) SEARCH AND DESTROY OPN. THE VCS WERE CAPTURED NEAR THE LANDING ZONE VIC (BT 416158). NEITHER VCS HAD PROPER IDENTIFICATION.

AT 150730H, A PLT FROM CO D APPREHENDED 2 VCS VIC (MT 415159).

AT 150735H, CO D DISCOVERED 2 DEAD VIETNAMESE IN THE HELICOPTER LANDING ZONE VIC (BT 410156). POTH VIETNAMESE HAD BEEN KILLED BY THE PRE-LANDING AIR STRIKES.

- AT 150815H. A PLT FROM CO A APPREHENDED 2VC8 VIC (BT 416158).
- AT 151030H, A PLT FROM CO A APPREHENDED 1 VCS VIC (BT 422159).
- AT 151115H, A PLT FROM CO D APPREHENDED 1 VCS VIC (BT 442150).
- AT 151400H, A PLT FROM CO D APPREHENDED 2 VCS VIC (BT 441155).
- (3) 2D BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 150500H, A FIRE TEAM AMBUSH FROM CO R AT (BT 500068) HEARD A BURST OF SA FIRE. ILLUMINATION WAS FIRED, AND THE FIRE TEAM SAW A PERSON MOVING NEAR THEIR POSITION. THE MAN WAS TAKEN UNDER FIRE AND THE AREA CHECKED. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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AT 151040H, A PLT PATROL FROM CO E LOCATED AT (BT 421084) RECUIVED FIVE RBS SNIPER FIRE FROM VIC (BT 42509C). THE PATROL RETURNED THE FIRE, CALLED AN ARTY MISSIGN AND SUPER FIRE AREA. RESALTS.

AT 1512350, A PLAT PATROL FROM (X) U FOUND SOME FRESH FOXHOLES VIC (BT 436089).
A SHARCE OF THE SHEEA UNGOVERED ONE VCS IN THE INDIRECTATE AREA.

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B. SAVENTH MARINES.

(1) DOX SOURCE.

	PIRE	PIRITEM		JAD	21 4700X	
	D	N .	D	H	D	M
LISTENDAD POST		15	•			
AMTATIST AMAGONICA		1		. 4		1
RECON PAYOR	4	•				
SECTION AND .	6	4	1	4	2	2
SEARCH & DESTROY			2	2	1	1
TOTAL	10	<i>2</i> 0	3.	10	3	4

- (2) <u>1ST DN. 7TH MURLINET</u>. AT 151358H. A SQUAD FROM CO C ON THE ISLAND OP AT (BS 618985) APPRIMEDED TWO VCS. NEITHER VCS HAD PROPER IDENTIFICATION.
- (3) 2D BH. 7TH MARLINES. AT 142215H, A SQUAD FROM CO E MANHING OF \$20 (BT 502026) HEARD MOVEMENT IN FRONT OF THEIR POSITION. THEY CHALLENGED AND IMMEDIATELY HEARD THE SOUND OF EURINING. A HAND GRENADE HAS THROWN AND THE AREA ILLUMINATED. UNDER ILLUMINATION, TWO PERSONS WERE SEEN RUNNING AWAY. WHILE THE AREA WAS ILLUMINATED, THE SQUAD RECREIVED TWO RDS OF SA FIRE. THE PLEEING PERSONS WERE FIRED ON AND A PATROL DISPATCHED TO SEARCH THE AREA. NIGHTIYE RESULTS.

C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

(1)		KY BOX			4 110 0	AFIMTHO.
	OBS	UNOBS	INT.	TOTAL	HAF	RVN
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	HE	ILL	WP	TOTAL		
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155出	45	5	7	57		
105H	371		11	382		
107m	<i>5</i> 8			58		
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D. READER GROUP ALPHA.

(1) HOX SCORES.

	ETITELET	<u>ş0</u>	UAD N	PLA	100N
SCOUT SHIPPIN	D N	ע	N	Đ	N
AM7 7700 i			1		1
RECOT PATROL		1	1	1	1
TOTAL.	ı	1	2	1	2

(2) EROS GROUP ALPIA. 2D PLT. CO B. KILLED ONE VC AT 141515R VIC (BS 462925). VC SPOTTED PATROL AND ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE. ONE CARBINE RECOVERED.

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- 4. PHU BAI OF MARIONS.
 - A. 21 BN. 1ST MARINED.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	PIR	FIR TEM		IAD
	D	Z	D	H
LEAT OTEM POST		16		
PRISH				2
SECURITY PATROL			8	16
TOTAL		16	8	18

(2) 2D BH. 1ST MARINES. AN OBSERVATION POST SPOTTED FOUR VC AT (YD 848856)
AND PLACED ARTY FIRES ON THEIR POSITION KILLING THREE VC.

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4TH BK . 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBER	SUPPORTING			
	OBS	INOBS	HAL	TOTAL	HAT
1591	6		20	26	26
105H		1	90	91	91
10746	16			16	16
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	HE	WP.			
1 55H	65	8			
1 05H	96				
107:17	132	10			

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5. PLANT SUMMARY.

A. MIT DAUG BOX SCOR S.

	TRATEM		SQUAE M		PLATO	PLATOON		BATTALION	
	D	N	D	N	D	M	D	H	
SCOUR MAPPLE	j.k	1.							
LISTERING FOOT	2	39							
ArtBuria	2	28		83		2			
RECOM PATROL	5	6	8	14	4	2			
Should TY PARKOL	1.2	8	30	30	2	2			
SEAR Jul 8. JUSTROY	•		17	28	?	2	2	2	
107.1	23	132	55	160	13	8	2	2	

3. THE LIVESION WILL CONDUCT 122 PATROLS AND 120 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS. OFFERTION PROPRIES PART CONTINUED TO BE AND 1319 LONGE LOUIS CONTINUED.

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A. DIVIDION POX SOUNDS

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SEARCH & DESTROY				18	31	7	2			2	2
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TOTAL 409

B. DIVISION CONTACTS.

PACVINCE/	DATE/		LON	FRIENDLY UNIT/	ECEMY UNIT/
CORDINATES	TIME	<u>51 af</u>	TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES
(AT 893706)	151845	SQD	820	C/1/1/8088	UNE/2 VCC
(AT 913690)	1520308	SQD	AND	3/1/1/NORE	DRE/CRE
(81 0699623)	151845	PLE	CP	C/1/9/NORE	THE/1 KIA
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PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/	ACTIO SIZE	ON TYPE	PRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	EMERIC UNIT/ LOSSES
(BT 063680)	152030H	BTRY	CP .	1)/2/12/HORE	unk/unk
(BT 067671)	152030H	تلود	540	E/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 KIA
(BT 067671)	152200H	للبة	SAD	B/1/9/NONE	unk/4 kia (Pos)
(BT 065628)	152200H	SUD	AMB	G/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 KIA (BOS)
(BT 093642)	160900H	SQD	Sad	1/1/9/NONE	UHK/2KIA
(BT 044658)	161210H	SQD	Sad	C/1/9/NONE	UHE/ 1 KIA (FOS)
(AT 945610)	151930H	FT	PLT	1./3/3/HORE	UNK/1 KIA
(AT 976583)	161210H	CO	S&D	1º/2/9/1 WIA	UHK/UNK
(AT 9734628) (AT 934628)	161220 151840		5&D 5&D	F/2/9/1 VIA	UNK UNK
(AT 94007)	151915	PLT	CP	11/3/3/NONE	UNK/ONK
(AT 973659)	152100H	00	CP .	14/3/3/NONE	UNK /UNK
QUANG TIN	152015	· •	SEC	0/2/4/BONE	unk/unk
(BT 515056)	17		SEC	H&S/2/4/NORE	UNK/UNK
(BT/519058)	1520308	1	SEC	HAS/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 518054)	152050H			H/2/4/NONE	UHK/UNK
(BT 472069)	152105	3 1 ° .	SEC		
(BT 459073)	152106)	00	SEC	E/2/4/NONE	UMK/UKK
(BT 466070)	1521121	PLT	SEC	H/2/4/NONE	unk/unk
(BT 469059)	152115	i pli	SEC	H/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BS 625988)	150115	1 00	SEC	C/1/7/MONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 530015)	1520401	FT	OP	F/2/7/HONE	UHK/1 WIA (POS)
(BT 528055)	152050	I PLT	SEC	B/1/7/NONE	UNX/UNK

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C. <u>MITISION HIGHLIGHTS</u>. OPERATIONS HALLARD AND HIG LODGE, BOTH SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATIONS CONTINUED WITH LIGHT ENERY CONTACT. SEE 3D HARMY SPECIAL SITUATION REPORTS. EXCELLENT WEATHER CONDITIONS THROUGH OUT ALL THREE ENGLAVES AS DEVISION UNITS CONDUCTED 409 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS RESULTING IN 25 CONTACTS WITH ENERY FORCES.

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4. THIRD PARINES

(1) DOX SCORES

	FIRE THAN	D N	BATT D	A LION N
MOTERAL POST	29			
ambush :		24		
PATROL		11 7		
SEARCH & DESTRUCT			2	2
SUB_TOTAL	29	11 31	2	2

TOTAL 75

(2) 15T BR. 1ST MARLINED. COMPANY C APLEHENDED TWO VC AT (AT 893706)

AT 151845H. THE VC WELL TURRED OVER TO ITT FOR INVESTIGATION.

AN AMBUSH FROM COMPANY B RECEIVED TWELVE ROUNDS OF SHALL ARES FIRE AT 152030H

AT (AT 913690). FIRE RETURNED. RESULTS UNRNOWN.

B. NINTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCURSS

	FIRE D	TBAN N	<u>5 di</u> D	AD N	PLATUON N
SCCUT SNIPER		1			
listening post		22			-
AMBUSH	2	7	2	37	
PATROL	3	5		10	
SEARCH & DESTROY			17	29	3
SUBLTOTAL	5	35	19	76	3
TOTAL 138					• •

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(2) 151 BH. 9TH MARINES. AT 160900H A SQU ENGAGED 10 VC AT (ET 093642)
AND KILLED THE VC WHEN AN ELEM MONTAR MISSION WAS CALLED IN AND OBS TO LAND ON
TOP OF THE GREAT. THE VC TLED TO THE SOUTH AND THE PATROL PURSUED BY FIRE.

A HATROL FROM THE 3D BUT OF B CAPTURED ONE VC. ARMED WITH M_26 GRENAGE, IN A HOUSE AT (ST 067671) AT 152030H. WHILE ENROUTE TO THE CP BHE PATROL BECEVIED SMALLS ARMS FIRE AND ONE GREEKADE AT (DT 067669). THE PATROL RETURNED FIRE AND THE VCC ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE AND WAS KKILLED. THE VC BROKE CRITACT AND THE PATROL PORSUED BY FIRE WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

AS A FATROL FROM THE 3D PLT MOVED INTO A VILLAGE AT (BT 067671) AT 152200H
THEY ENCOUNTERED AN ESTIMATED 10 VOSA MED WITH A/W AND DEMILASTOMATIC WEAPONS.
THE PATROL WAS SUPPORTED BY BIM! ILLUMINATION AND HE AND FRUR VC WERE SEEN TO
BE HIT BY MORTAR FIRE. THE VC BRUKE CONTACT AND THE PATROL FURSUED BY FIRE. THE
PATROL ALSO LOCATED TEN STRAW EDENTES AND A NUMBER OF BAMBOOUNEAPONS.

AT 151845H THE 3D PLT KILLED ONE VC AT (HT 069623) WHO HAD BEEN DELIVERING SA FIRE INTO THEIR POSITION. AT 152200H AND AMHUSH LOCATED AT (HT 065628)

RECEIVED SIX HUG OF SA FIRE FROM AT LEAST FOUR SEMI_ADTOHATIC WEAFONS AND TWO A/W LOCATED AT (HT 065629). FIRE HAS NOT RETURNED SINCE THE PATEOL LEADER FELT IT WAS ONLY AN ATTEMPT TO PINFOINT THE EXACT LOCATION OF THE AMEDISH. SEMERAL MINUTES LATER TWO VC WERE OBS ABOUT 30 METERS AWAY CRAWLING UP TREMAND THE PATROL OPENED FIRE WITH S/A AND GRENADES AND THEN WITHDREW 300 METERS IN ORDER TO FIRE SIMM MORTARS INTO THE AREA. A LATER SEARCH OF THE AREA REVELLEDS NUMEROUS BLOOD STAINS AND IT IS BELLEVED THAT AT LEAST ONE VC WAS KINEDD.

AT 161210H SQD PATROL (BT 041658) REC'D APPROX 30_40 RDS S/A FROM VC POSITION (BT 041659). PATROL RETURNED APPROX 200 RE SA, THO 3.5 RDS (READE) AND TEN 4000M M-79'S RESULTING IN ONE POSSIBLE VC KIA, OHE BEING DRAGGED ANAY.

BATTERY D, 2/12.TWELVE HAS OF SA FIRE WERE REC'D AT 152030H FROM (ET 063678)
PRIENDLY COURD WERE (ET 063680)

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(3) 2D BH, 9TH HARINES. AT 161210H REC'D ONE FUNJI FOOT WOUND AT (AT 976583) AND AT 161220H REC'D ONE S/A ROUND AT (AT 973578). ONE MARINE WIA.

AT 151930H PT PATROL VIC (AT 94510) OBS ONE VC AND KILLED HIM WITH SA PIRE.

(4) 3D HR. 3D MARINES. AT 151840H A TANK WITH CO L RAN OVER MINE (APPROX 40 LBS) (AT 934628) WHICH BLEW THE RIGHT TRACK HALF OFF, FUNCTURED OIL PAN. AND BENT WHEELS. THE TANK AND CO L ELEMENTS RETURNED TO HILL 22 (AT 954667) AT 161331H.

AT 151915H A PLT PERIMERTER (AT 963660) REC'D APPROX 50 RDS SA FIRE FROM AN UNKNOWN MUMBER OF VC (AT 959657). RETURNED FIRE WITH 220 RES SA AND PERE SOME MORTAR RDS. A FIRETRAM LP WAS DIVERTED TO CHECK AREA. THE PATROL WAS UNABLE TO FIND TRACES TO CASUALTIES INFLICTED ON THE VC. HO USHC CASUALTIES. AT 152100H REC'D APPROX 10 RDS CAR INE FIRE FROM (AT 973659) INTO THE CO PERIMETER (AT 972662). RETURNED FIRE WITH APPROX 15 RDS SA FIRE. HO USHC CASUALTIES. HO KNOWN TC CASUALTIES INFLICTED.

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v. 12Th Manlates

(1) BUX 102.165

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D. THIRD RECON BN.

	FIRE TEAM	S.DAD D N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT SHIPE	2		
almiush		4	1
RECON PATROL		6 4	2 1
SUB Toral	2	6 8	2 2
TOTAL - 20			

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3. CHU IAI OPERATIONS

A. FUUITH MARINE

(1) NOX 300RES

	<u>FIK</u> D	TEAH N	<u>3-4[a</u> D	D PLAT	<u>CON</u> N
LISTAING PODY	2	7			
AMBUSH		20		14	
PATROL	7	4	12	6	
SESTICH & DESTINOY				1	
SUBLTCTAL	9	31	12	20 1	
TOTAL 73					

(2) <u>2D BH. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 152015H CO G OBSERVED MOVEMENT VIC (BT 515056).

ILLUMINATION AND SA WAS FIRED. FIRE WAS REFURNED BY THE VC AND A PATROL WAS SENT INTO THE AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 152030H THE SIMM MORTAR PSH REC APPROXIMATELY 50 RDS OF SA FIRE VIC (BT 519058).

ILLUMINATION AND SA FIRE WAS RETURNED. TWO MEN WERE OBSERVED VIC (BT 519052) AND SHALL ARMS FIRE WAS RECEIVED. FIRE WAS RETURNED AND A SEARCH OF THE AREA WAS HADE AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 152050H THE SIMM MORTAR PSW AGAIN RECRIVED 15-20 RDS SA FIRE VIC (BT 518055).
FIRE WAS RETURNED AND A SEARCH OF THE AREA WAS MADE AT FIRST LIGHT WITH WEDATIVE RESULTS.

AT 152105H CO H ON OUT POST HILL (9 VIC (BT 468068) RECEIVED 50 RDS AUTOMATIC WPHS FIRE VIC (BT 472069). PIRE WAS RETURNED, AND THE AREA WAS BEARCHED AT PIRST LIGHT WITH MEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 152106H CO B VIC (BT 463072) RECEIVED 30 RDS AUTOMATIC WPHS FIRE VIC (BT 459073).

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FIRE WAS RETURNED AND THE ARRA WAS SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 152112H CO H COTPOST ON HILL 69 VIC (BT 468068) RECRIVED ONE INCOMING GRENADE VIC (BT 466070), NO PIRE WAS RETURNED ARMILLUMINATED.

AT 152115H ∞ H VIC (BT 468068) WHILE ILLUMINATING AREA OBSERVED ONE HAN VIC (BT 469069) VC FIRED ON WITH SMALL ARMS. AREA WAS CHECKED AT FIRST LIGHT AND NO EVEDENCE OF VC WAS FOUND.

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B. SEVENTH MARISES

(1) BUX SEUNES

		Pire D.	T EAM N	SQUAD D N	FLAT D	OON N	CUMP/ D	N NX
A	SOUT DMIPER	1						
	LISTENING POST		17					
	AMBUSH			4				
	FATRULS	7	4	3	2	2		
	CLEARING						1	1
	SUB_TOTAL	8	21	7	2	2	1	1

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- (2) 1ST BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 16G11 SN CO C DEFECTED MOVEMENT FORWARD OF THEIR PSNS VIC (BS 625988). ILLUMINATION FIRED AND ONE VC WAS OBSERVED RUNNING INTO THE BUSHES. SA FIRE WAS PLACED ON THE INDIVIDUAL AND A BRANCH OF THE AREA PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 20 BE. 7TH MARINES. AT 15:040H AN OP FROM CO F OBSERVED TWO VC VIC (BT 20015). THE OP FIRED ILLUMINATION AND SA FIRE. ONE VC WAS OBSERVED TO FALL, WHILE THE OTHER RAN TO THE SOUTH. A PATROL WAS SENT INTO THE AREA, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 152050H A PLATOON PHON CO B OBSERVED THREE VC NORTH OF THE BMK CONTRACTOR AREA VIC (BT 528055). A PATROL WAS SENT INTO THE AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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SUPPARTING

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C. ARTILLERY EN GROUP

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105 b	234	11		245
107 HT	26	21		41
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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	D N	SQ D	AD N	PLATO(N N
SCOUT SNIPPR	1				
AMBUSH			1		3
PATROL		1	1	4	3
SUB-TOTAL	1	1	2	4	6
TOTAL 13					

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4. PHU BAI CHARATIONS

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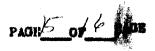
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B. 4TH BE. 12TH MARINES.

(1) BOI SCORES.

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5. FLAND BURNARY

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- B. THE MANUELL COMBICT 134 PARKULA AND 124 AMBUSHAS DARKED THE NEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.
- C. 2ND BN 1ST MAR (-) WILL CONDUCT A ONE DAY SEARCH AND DESTROY OPERATION WITH ARVN FORCES.

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PRIORITY 171916Z JAN66

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THIRD MARDIY (COLLECTIVE)

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THIRD MARRIEV SITREP NUMBER 256 AS OF 171000Z JAN 1966

A. THIRD MARRIY HIGHLIGHTS.

(1) BOX SCORES

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SHARCH & DESTITOY			17	25	10	2			4	3
CLEARING		:			1	1	1	1		-
SUB TOTALS	25	136	54	163	17	13	1	1	4	3
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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTI SIZE	on <u>Type</u>	FRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	enemy unit/ losses
QUANG HAM (AT 891770)	162029#	5 J D	SBC	D/1/3/NOME	unk/unk
(AT 863834)	162047H	SUD	SEC	D/1/3/KONE	UNE/UNE
(AT 887769)	162145H	CC	(نھن	D/1/3/HONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 861833)	162130#	SUD	SEC	D/1/3/HOME	UNK/2 WIA
(AT 888706)	161941H	PLT	SEC	C/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 913592)	162040H	SQD	SEC	F/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 935719)	162230H	ft	LP	D/1/1/MONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 943659)	170445H	San	Sæd	F/1/1/NONE	unk/unk
(AT 973705)	170730H	PiA	SEC	C/1/1/NONE	ank \ank
(BT 075675)	161940H	S _w D	5&0	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VCS
(BT 075673)	16195 5 8	SQD	5 & D	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VC KIA
(BT 093665)	162330H	FT	LP	A/1/9/NONE	unk/unk
(BT 000634)	17092 <i>5</i> H	PLT	5&D	A/1/9/1 WAX	unk/unk
(BT 101638)	171000H	PLT	5&D	A/1/9/NONE	unk/2 ace
(BT 091643)	170005	PLT	S&D	A/1/9/NONE	unk/1 vcs
(BT 102630)	171400H	PLE	S&D	C/1/9/1 WIA	unk/unk
(BT 009633)	171800H	FLT	5 & D	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/1 VC K1A
(AT 977595)	161830H	PLT	SEC	H/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 978610)	162305H	P1.3	SEC	1/2/9/NUNE	unk/unk
(AT 991640)	162100H		SEC	G/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 992627	1716201 162005		Sec 18	HIDIA NOME	UNK / 1 KIA UNK/UNK
(AT 956672)	1040000	£ #	14	<i>u_{J J N M}</i>	vnaj vna
(AT 968686)	162030H	SQD	S&D	k/3/3/NONE	unk/1 VCS
(AT 967657)	170030H	SUD	AMB	M/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
(AT 993638)	162105H		SEC	B/30 TK BN/NONE	UNK/UNK
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PRO VINCE/ COORDINATES	TIME	ACTI SIEB	TYPE	FRISHDLY URIT/ LOSSES	enent unit/ losses
(DANG TIN (BT 505105)	170945	SQD	Said	A/1/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 514113)	171110H	ವ ್ಷ ಥಿ	SEC	MAG-36/NONE	UNK/UNE
(BT 521058)	1 6 202 0 H	PLT	SEC	H&S/2/4/HONE	unk/unk
(BT 522059)	1622454	FIJ.	ાં લહ	H&S/2/4/NONE	nuk/nnk
(BT 517065)	1622454	FLT	550	G/2/4/NONE	URK/UNK
(ES 630983)	16185 7 H	PLI'	5 B (;	C/1/7/KONE	UNK/1 KBA
(8T 628000)	161908H	Pla'	580	C/1/7/NONE	UNK/UNK
(BT 537017)	162115h	PLT	Jec	F/2/7/NONE	ONK JONK
THUE THIEN (YD 902044)	17083 <i>5</i> si	au/air Strike	H&N/2/3	/sone	unk/6 vc km
(at 913592)	170125H	SØ	580	F/1/1/NONE	une./une.

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FOR VIET CONG PLEMENTS UNDER WARM AND SUNNY SKIES, AND OVER INCREASINGLY
MANEUVERABLE TERRAIN. 417 AGGRESSIVE ACTIONS WERE INITIATED IN THE DA NANG.
CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENGLAVES AND 34 CONTACTS WERE ESTABLISHED. OPERATION
MALLARD SECURED AT 171800H (SEE SPECIAL SITREPS). OPERATION BIG LODGE CONTACT.
(SEE SPECIAL SITREPS). SID'S AND SCOUT SNIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED WITHOUT
CONTACT.

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A. THIRD HARTINGS.

(1) BOX SOORES	FIRET	BAX.	SQ D	JAD N	BAT D	CALLON N
LISTENING POST		21				
MBUSH				24		
RECON PATROL			8	9		
SSERCH & DESTROY					2	2

- (2) 15T BN. 1ST MARINES. CO C AT 161941H RECEIVED TWENTY RDS SA FIRE FROM ESTIMATED THREE VC AT (AT 880766). FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F EXCHANGED SA FIRE WITH ESTIMATED 15 VC AT 162040H AT (AT 913992). PATROL MANEUVERED TO MORE FAVORABLE POSITION BUT VC WITHEREM. AT 162230H LP FROM CO D HEARD DIGGING BORWARD OF ITS POSITION AT (AT 935719): FIRED SA AND THREM HAND GRENADE AND SEARCHED AREA WITH NEDATIVE RESULTS. AT 170125H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F SPOTTED TEN VC AT (AT 913992) AND FIRED SA AT THEM: AREA SEARCHED WITH NEDATIVE RESULTS. ANOTHER SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F EXCHANGED FIRE WITH THREE VC AT (AT 943699) AT 170445H. AREA SEARCHED WITH NEDATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) LST BR. 3D HARINES. AT 162029H SQUAD FROM CO D MOVING INTO AMBUSH SITE EXCHANGED SA FIRE WITH UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC AT (AT 891770). AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 162047H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO D EXCHANGED SA FIRE WITH UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC AT (AT 863834). UNKNOWN VC CASUALTIES. SQUAD FATROL FROM CO D EXCHANGED FIRE AT 162130H WITH FOUR VC AT (AT 861833). TWO VC SEEN TO FALL DOWN AND WERE DRAGGED OFF BY OTHER VC. SEARCH OF AREA UNCOVERED A RIFLE AND A LARGE HINE. AT 162145H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO D FIRED AT HAN AT (AT 887769):

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FOILOGING SHOTS DRUMS WERE HEARD AND CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF HOVEMENT. SUMM MORTAR FIRE PLACED ON AREA AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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B. MINTH MARTINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM		SCHAD		PLATOON		BATTALION		
	D	N	D	H	D	N	D	N	
SCOUT SNIPER		1							
LISTENING POST		22							
AMBUSE	2	10	1	32					
RECON PATROL	3	8		6					
SEARCH & DESTROY			17	24	6	1	1	1	

- ONE WCS AT (DT 075675) AND AT 161955H THE PATROL WAS FIRED ON AT (BT 075675)

 BY WORK WC. THE WCS WAS KILLED IN THE EXCHANGE OF FIRE. PATROL PURSUED WC

 LITH WED TIVE RESULTS. AT 162330H LP FROM CO A AT (BT 093663) HEARD NOISE IN

 PADRY AT (BT 092664) AND WITH ELIZA ILLUM LP OBSERVED ONE WAN AT (BT 093664)

 AND FIRED SA WAND RECEIVED FIRE IN BETURN. AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

 ONE WIA SUSTAINED WHEN CO A PLT PATROL RECEIVED ONE RD SA FIRE FROM (BT 099663)

 AT 170925H. PLT PURSUED WITH WEGATIVE RESULTS. CO A SAD PATROL RECEIVED FIRE

 AT (BT 087694) AT 171000H FROM SEVENTEEN WC. SQUAD CALLED IN SUMM HE AND WC

 VLED SHITH WHERE PLT OBSERVED THEM AND CALLED IN ARTY FIRE WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

 AT 171145H TANK DETONATED MINE AT (BT 091643) WITH NO DAMAGE AND NO CASUALTIES.

 AT 171400H CO C SUSTAINED ONE WIA AT (BT 102630) FROM SNIPER FIRE; FIRE RETURNED

 AND GOMM WP RD PRODUCED SECONDARY EXPLOSION OF UNDETERMINED CAUSE. AT 171800H

 099633) FIRED AT TWO WC; ONE WITH WEAPON. ONE WC KIA.
 - (3) 2D BH. STH MARINES. SEE SPECIAL SITEPS OPERATION HIG LODGE. AT 161830H OO H RECEIVED FIVE RDS SA FIRE FROM ESTIMATED TWO VC IN HOUSE AT (AT 974597). SA FIRE ALSO DIRECTED AT RESUPPLY HELO. FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEBATIVE RESULTS. AT 162100H SA FIRE RECEIVED BY CO G AT (AT 991640). FIRE

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RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. AT 162305H CO H RECEIVED FIVE RIS SA. FIRE
RETURNED WITH NEGRTIVE RESULTS. AT 171620H AT (AT 992627) PLT FROM CO H SPOTTED
FRESH BLOOD TRAIL AND FOLLOWED IT TO THEE LINE AND FIRED 15RDS SA AT MOVEMENT IN
TREE LINE. SEARCH OF TREE LINE DISCLOSED ONE DEAD VC.

(4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 162030H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO K CAPTURED ONE VC AT (AT 968686). VC WAS VERY COOPERATIVE AND PROVIDED MUCH INFORMATION. AT 162005H CO L LP (AT 955670) OBSERVED SA MUZZLE FLASHES. ILLEM FIRED BUT COULD SEE NO MOVEMENT: FIRE NOT RETURNED TO PRESERVE SECURITY OF LP LOCATION. AT 170030H SQUAD AMBUSH FROM CO M GOING TO POSITION SPOTTED ONE VC VIC (AT 967657) AND WHEN THEY FIRED AT HIM OBSERVED THREE OTHERS RUNNING AWAY. SQUAD PURSUED VC BUT COULD NOT MAINTAIN CONTACT.

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C. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMB	er Mis	STONS
	QBS	HAI	TOTAL
15 5 0		2	2
155H	2	113	115
105H	4	260	264
103HT		3	3
	ROUN	DS EXP	QDQVL
	HE	III.	M.
1 550	2		
155R	113	13	
105H	509		12
107HT	6		

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D. 3D RECON BEN.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	ALLERGAN	SCU	AD	PLATOON		
	D N	D	N	D	N	
SCOUT SNIPER	3					
ambush			5		1	
RECON PATROL		5	5	1.	1	

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- E. 3D ENGR BN. 74 ENGRS CONDUCTED 11 SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS IN THE DA NANG TAOR. ADDITIONALLY SWEEPS CONDUCTED ON CONTINUOUS BASIS BETWEEN HILL 41 (AT 9366) AND AN MY (1) (AT 9260) IN CONJUNCTION WITH OPERATION MALLARD.
- F. 3D TANK BH. AT 162105H TWO TANKS FROM CO B RECEIVED SHIPER FIRE AT (AT 993638). RETURNED APPROX 100 RDS 30 CAL WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FOURTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	D.R.S	TEAM	SQ	AD	FLATOON		
	D	K	D	N	5		
LISTENING FOST	2	7					
AMBUSH			2.1	16			
SECURITY PATROL	7	6	Ĭ.i.	11			
SEARCH & DESTROY					1		

(2) 15T BN. 47E PARCINES. AT 170945H A SUND FROM CO A OBSERVED A SMALL BOT RITH A HUMSHALE BOOK TRAF IN HIS TOSSESSION VIC (BT 505105). THE BOY ESCAPED WHILE THE PATROL WAS INSTEAD OF A 12 LECH BARBOO ROD WITH A NAIL AND 7.62 RD INSTEAD OF A 12 LECH BARBOO ROD WITH A NAIL AND 7.62 RD INSTEAD OF A 12 LECH FIBROOF PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD EXTENSION MODIFIED OF A 12 LECENTRAL PARE OF WOOD WAS FITTED AGAINST THE HD ARD WILLS.

AT 178100H A PARTON STOP HAG-36 ACCULYED ONE RE ON FIRST VIC (BT 519113). CNB DAN SEC CHERVED FIRSTING THE WIRT WITH A MIRE. THE PATRON TENDER ATELY PURSUED BUT UNDER TO APPARTIEND.

(3) 20 ER, WIN BARLINES. AT 162020H the SIEM HORTAR PLT FROM HER CO RECEIVED ONE INCOMENG BARD GREWARD WHICH WAS A GUD VIC (BT 521058). TWO HAND GREWARD AND ONE HARD INDUSTRATION GREWARDS WERE THROUGH TOWARD THE AREA. ONE HAN WAS CHECKED AT LIGHT WAS THE HAN WAS TAKEN UNDER FIRE. THE AREA WAS CHECKED AT LIGHT FIRST MATH REDATIVE REQUESTS.

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AT 162245H THE 81MM EXPERIENT FIRST, HES CO OBSERVED ONE MAN NE OF THEIR PSN VIC (BT 522059). MAN WAS TABLE UNDER FIRE AND THE AREA WAS SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT WITH REQUITE RESULTS.

AT 162245H W. G CHARRACH TWO MAN VIC (BT 517065). MEN WERE TAMEN UNDER PIRE WITH BEAUTH.

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B. SEVENTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRST D	K W	5 Q	AD N	PLATOS D	X	COMPA	
SCOUT SKIPER	1							
LISTEMINO POST		23					-	
ANDUSH		1		4				
RECON PATROL	2		1	÷ •				
SECURITY PATROL	4.	•	Posta		2	2		
SEARCH & DESTROY				Aw		1		
CLEARING					1	1	1	1.

(2) 1ST BN. 7TH HARINES. AT 161857H CO C BRSERVED ONE MAN DRESSED IN BLACK OBSERVING THEIR PSNS WITH FIELD GLASSES VIC (BS 630983). ONE 90KM RD WAS FIRED FILLING THE INDIVIDUAL.

AT 161908H A PLT PATHEL PRON CO C RECEIVED HEAVY SA FILE VIC (BT 628000).

MARINES RETURNED FILE AND ASSAULTED THE VC FON. THE VC HITHDREW WITH UNKNOWN CASUALTIES.

(3) 2D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 162115H CO F HEARD NOISES VIC (BT 537017)

AREA WAS ILIUHIBATED. A SHORT TIME LATER THE CO RECEIVED THREE INCOMING HAND

ORENALES. HARINES RETURNED FIRE WITH UNMNOWN RESULTS. NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.

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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

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107111	48			48				
8"H	17			17				

D. RECOR GROUP ALPHA.

(1) <u>BO (SO</u>):	MRETEAN D N	SQ D	JAD N	4	PLATOON	T.
SCOUT SHIPER	1				,	
AMBUSH			1	3	3	
RECON PATROL		1	1		3 3	

4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 20 Bh. JOT HARDI NES

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FIRE TEAR S.DAD R

LISTENING FOAT 16

AMBUSH

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SECURITY PATROL

9 16

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION 121 THE CONSINSO WITH HOC BOA OF 15T ARVN DIV.

HOC BOA CO MILLED THREE VC AT (YE 893987) UPON LANDING BY HELICOPTER AT 170650H.

CHE MARKEL CAPTURED. ORB NEVE WIA. AT 1708358 AC STOTTED TWO BOATS AT (YE 902044)

AND COMERCIAED AIR SERVICE ON BOAD DESTROYERS THE BOATS AND KILLING SIX VC. TWO

CHEAR DEATS WESTE SPOTTED AT (YE 908056) ARD ARTILLERY HISSTOR TRED ON THEM AT

1709358 WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. TEN VC WERE SPOTTED BY AC AT (YE 906995). ARTY

FIRED AND VC WERE DISPERSED. ONE VCC AFFREHERDED BY CU E AT (YE 895005) AT

170700B. FIVE VCD AFFREHENDED DUKING OPERATION. BN RETURNED TO ELK AI 1711451.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

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10 5 hr	3			3		3			
	KOUNI	ds Expeni	DEI)						
	HE	TOTAL.							
155H	13	13							
105H	112	112							
107E	15	15							

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5. PLANS SUMMARY.

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A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	DARKI	H M	SQI D	AD H	PLAT D	N	OOMP D	ANY N
SCOUT SNIPER	4	1						
LISTEENS POST	2	94						
AMBUSH	2	26	2	86		6		
HECON PATROL	5	3	7	9	4	4		
SECURITY PATROL	11	15	28	33	2	2		
SEARCH & DESTROY			23	33	11	2		
CLEARLING							1	1

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 123 PATROLS AND 122 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

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COMMAND POST LOCATIONS

A. DA HANG TAOR

Cia A

O) B

CC C

CO D

AT 954752 3D HAR DEN AT 954752 He BN AT 944962 3L BAINES (AT 953723) IST MM. IST HAR AT 953723 CO D AT 927104 CO B AT 923732 GU G AT 942718 . igi, 30 a (AT 938663) $\propto r^2/1$ IST BN. 30 HAR AT 943783

AT 943783

AT 895801

AT 908776

AT 898821

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9TH MARINES			AT 996725
CO C. AT. 3D MAR			ar 996725
20 BN. 12TH MAR			AT 996725
3D TANK BN		2.0	AT 984713
3D AT BN			AT 984713
3D ANTI-TK BN	4.		AT 984713
19T BN. 9TH MARINES			BT 068715
A CO			BT 096658
B CO	* *		Br 082696
c co			BT 063645
ω α			3/3 CP
B CO. 3D TK BE			BT 06771.6
D BTick. 2/12			BT 062680
1 co 3/3			BT 056740
20 BN. 9TH MARINES			AT 992677
g co			AT 983661
E CO			AT 024659
F CO	•		ON OPN
H CO	·		ON OPN
E BTWY 2/12			988000
D MARINES		.*	BI 974707
K CO	•		BT 992687
n co	*.		BT 973663
I co			ON OPN
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HORTER STRY, 3D BN. 11TH MARGINES BT 547049

IST PLT. IST 8" HOW BIRY BT 550064

1ST BN. 11TH MARINES BT 553045

B. CHU LAI TAOR. (1) WIR MARLINES CO B. 30 AT BN BT 533089 CO C. 3D TANK BN BT 523088 CO A. LOT ANTRAC BY BT 555052 CO B. 3D ENGER BIN BT 566062 30 BN . 12TH MARINES BT 551048 (2) 1ST BN. 4TH MARLINES III AND CO A BT 529110 **CO** B BT 511125 COC DT 525090 CO D BT 487102 (3) 20 BM. 47H MARTINES BT 534078 OO E BT 462072 OD F **CO** G BT 515065 CO H 387 468068 (4) RECON GROUP ALPRA BT 533089 CO B BT 560049 OO C. 1ST RECON IN BT 560049 1ST FORCE RECON CO (REAR) BT 073729 1ST FORCE RECOR CO (FORMARD) BT 567322 (5) 7TH MARINES BT 560048 CO C, LST AT BN BT 560048 CO B. 1ST TANK BY BT 560048 CO, A, 3D AMTRAC BN BT 569040 CO C, 1ST BNOR BN 23-25 BT 560048

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(6) 1ST BN. 7TH MARINES	BT 565044
CO A	BT 572029
со в	BT 566020
CO C	BS 624991
OO D	BT 558019
BTRY G. 30 BN. 11TH MARINES	BT 566042
(7) 2D BN. 7TH MARINES	BT 518041
CO E	652 888
CO P	B T 531.024
co c	BT 51.5047
CO H	BT 521040
CO K (3/7)	Br 545017
AIRFIELD DEFENSE UNIT	BT 530078
PROV CO. 1ST BN. 4TH MARCHES	BT 532078
(8) 3d BN. 7TH MARINES (-)	
OPCON 3D MARINES FOR OPERATION MALLARD	
(9) ARTY DN GRIP	BT 554043
30 BE. 11TH MARINES	BT 554043
BTRY G	BT 567046
BTRY H	BT SHOW
BTRY 1	BT 552043
3D BN. 12TH MARINES	BT 549046
BTRY G	BT 527070
BTKY H	BT 546098
GENERAL SUPPORT	
BTRY M. 4TH BN. 11TH MARINES	BT 554041
3D 155 GUNS	BT 529067
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PHU BAL TAOK	
2D BN, 1ST MAR	YD 885139
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c o o	YD 854139
CO H	YD 892146
4TH BN, 12TH MAA	YD 883142
H BTAY	YD 883142
W BTRY 1/11	YD 890144
2D PLT. CO A. 1ST TH BN	YD 889143
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THIRD AMELING SEVINGEN DITHOR NUMBER 257 NO OF 1810004 JAN 66

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SEARCH & DESTROY			25	33	10	2	1
SUB-TOTALS	24	14 8	65	161	15	14	1
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PROVINCE/	DATE/	acti Si ze	ON TYPE	FRIENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	ENHAY UNIT/ LOSSES
CUANG NAM/ AT 945635	172125		LING TO COM OPN LD	3D ENCR BE/ LMA. IKIA	UNK/UNK
BT 069690	171900H	TRUCK	SEC	D/2/12/1WIA	UNK/UNK
BT 099687	1804308	PLT	SEC	B/1/9/1HTA	UNEK/UNEK
BT 066634	181105H	SQD	s/p	C/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 987637	171935時	VSH	AKTRAC	1ST AMTRACEM/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 008644	180900H	SÇD	s/p	E/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 979729	171830н	PLT	SIEC	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 950664	171900H	SQĐ	s/p	L/3/3/NONE	unk/2vcs
at 967686	18113011	SQD	s/p	k/3/3/NONE	unk/1vcs
AT 969618	181450H	œ	5190	1/3/3/1MIA	UNK/UNK
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BT 482112	180403H	SQD	SEC	D/1/4/None	UNK/1VCS
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C. DEVISION REGRESSIONS. THERE MARINE DEVISION UNITS CONDUCTED 428 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS OF STREET REPORTING PERIOD UNITS EXCHALENT WEATHER CONDITIONS. 17 CONTACTS WERE GAINED WITH VC ELEMENTS. AT 171100H RLT ONE COMMENCED LANGUNG IN THE CHU LAI ENGLAVE. BY 18180CH 6590 (584 PERS) WERE ARTORS.

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2. DA NANG CHERATIONS

A. THIRD MARTHES

(1) BUX JULIUS

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SEARCH & DESTROY		5		1	1
SUB_TOTALS	18	14	32	l	1

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(2) 15T SM, LOT LARGINGS. AT 172125H, A ML60 CRAHE FROM 3D ENGR BN, RETURNING TO THE BLE FROM PARTICIPATING IN OPERATION MALLARD, DETONATED A MINE VIC (AT 945665).

AN INVESTIGATION OF THE AREA INDICATED THAT THE BINE WAS ELECTRICALLY DETONATED AND WAS EQUIVALENT TO APPROXIMATELY 30 POINTS OF THE. ONE MARINE WAS BIA AND AROTHER MIA.

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B. NINTH MARINES

(1) BUX SQUILES

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AMBUSH	2	9	2	32		
PATROL	3	12	1.	3		
SEARCH & DESTROY			17	30	5	1
SUB-TOTALS	5	50	20	66	5	1
TOTAL	146					

(2) LIT BN, 9TH MARLARD. AT APPROXIMATELY 171900H, A 616 TRUCK EMBUTE TO BATTERY D IN THE DATTALION AREA RECEIVED FOUR ROUNDS OF SHALL ARMS FIRE AND TWO GRENADES VIC (BT 069690), HOUNDING THE DRIVER AND SETTING THE TRUCK'S GAS TANK ON FIRE. A SQUAD AND TWO LYTS PROPE BRITGE SECURITY AT (9T 071701) IMPRIDIATELY PROCREDED TO THE SCENE.

AREA SEARCH. DESIGNITY RESULTS. TRUCKED SALVAGED FROM BURTHER DAMAGE.

AT 180430H. UNE 8126 GRENADE THROWN INTO THE 2D PLT. COMPANY B (BT 049687) SEXCHTLY WOUNDING ONE MARTINE. THRE WAS METURNED IMPROPATELY AT SUSPECTED VC POSITION. AREA SEARCHED. RECATIVE RESULT.

AT 1811058, A SQUAD FROM COMPANY C RECEIVED SIX ROUNDS OF SMALL RUS FIRE FROM VIC (BT 066634). Fire Returned. MEGATIVE RESULTS.

(3) 25 BH, 9TH LARINED. ONE LYT ENROUTE TO COMPANY IS WAS UTUCK IN RIVER VIC

VIC (AT 987637). AT 1719358, AFGREXINATELY 20 TO 30 HOUNDS OF BEALL ARES AND AUTOMATIC WEAFONS FIRE WERE DIRECTED AT THE VEHICLE AND ITS CREW. NO CASUALTIES. AREA ILLUMINATED AND FIRE WAS ASTURBED. HOSTILE FIRE CEASED.

AT 180900H. A CUMPANY E SQUAD PATROL RECEIVED SIX ROUNDS OF SHALL ARMS FIRE VIC (BT 008644). FIRE RETURNED. HC CASUALTIES.

(3) 30 BN. 30 PARLESS. AT 171900H, A COMPANY L SQUAD PATROL AFFREHENDED TWO VCS VIC (AT 950664). THE TWO MALE SUSPECTS HAD NOT BEEN SEEN IN THE AREA BEFORE.

DELIVERED TO ITT. AT 181130H, A COMPANY K SQUAD PATROL OBSERVED A MALE VIETNAMESE ATTEMPTING TO EVALUE THE PATROL VIC (AT 967686). THE PATROL APPREHENDED HIM AS A VCS. EVACUATED TO ITT.

AT 181450H, A MEMBER OF COMPANY I STEPIED ON A MINE (TYPE UNKNOWN) VIC (AT 969618) AND WAS MOUNDED.

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C. 12TH MARLINES

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3. CHU LAI UPELATIONS

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(3) LIT BR. ATH MARLINE. AT 172220H CO A RECEIVED ONE HAND GRENADE IN THEIR DEFENDIVE FOR THE UNITED AT A FIGURE FLORING IN A MORTHER STERRY DIRECTION. A SUBAD PATROL WAS SENT INTO THE AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 1723238 A THIS FLAGO WAS DET OFF INDICE OF B'S PERIFETER VIC (BT 511185) WHICH RE-VERLED AN INDIVIDUAL. THIS FLAGON IMMEDIATELY FLED THE REA. FOUR HIS SA FIRE WELLS DIRECTED AT THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE REA WAS SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 1804036 A DUDAD PATROL FROM CO D APPROMENDED TWN CURPEN VIOLATOR. 710 (BT 482112).
HINE OF THE VIOLATORS HAD SENTIFICATION AND WERE TURNED OVER TO THE VIOLAGE CHIEF AND
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(2) 100 MM. YER LANGUAGE. AT 171955H A DEED PATROL FROM COLLARY C ENCLURTERED AN EXCHANGE URIT COLLARD FIRST 10 VC ARREST WITH MES CASSINGS AND MEN REPLIED AT (OT 631003).

BOTH UNITS CHARD FIRS STUDIE ABSOLUTY. TERCUGRECT THE EMBURING PROSPECTION THE VC SAFENDED

APPROXIMATELY RUG BEURNS ON FIRS AND 2 PRACESSTARY GRENAUES. THE SARIES RETURNED 700

ROUNDS MENA, RUG BEURNS AND FIRS AND 2 PRACESSTARY GRENAUES. AFTER A BRIEF

EXCHANGE OF TIRS THE VC BOOKS MOSTED FROM THE INTOSTITIONS FIRMED SPORABLICALLY AS THEY

WITHDREW. APTER DEARCHING OUT THE AREA THE MARLINE SQUAD RETURNED TO THE COMPANY COMBAT

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2111S UPON THE VG. ONE MEN HIPLE WAS CAUTURED BY THE MARRINES ALONG WITH ONE VCS.

AT 1800239 The DESTRICT OF COT #6 OF THE AM O BUMP SECURITY HEARD NOISES FOR ARD OF HIS POSITION AT ST 557045. THE FIRED A HAND ILLUMINATION FLARE AND OBSERVED ONE MAN RUNNING INTO THE BUSHES. THE ENTIRE SECURITY UNIT WAS ALERTED BUT THERE FERE NO FORTHER CONTACT.

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AT 1800250 THE LENGTH ON POST #4 OF THE ANNO THE SECURITY DETECTED MOVEMENT FORWARD OF URL MOTTION AT HT 559043. HE FIRED A HAND ILLUMINATION FLANE AND OBSERVED A HAN RUNNING INTO THE BUSHES. THE ENTIRE SECURITY UNIT WAS ALEKTED BUT NOTHING FURTHER MATERIALIZED.

AT 1808 SON - SUBBLE PATROL FRON COMPANY C AFFREHENDED A VOL AT ST 627005. THE VCS ATTEMPTED TO BACARE AND WARRING SHATS WERE FIRED IN ORDER TO SET HIM TO HALF. WHEN THE REMPESO TO STOLING MARRINGS FIRED AND MODRIED THE VCS. ROWEVER THE MOUND OLD NOT PREVENT THE MOUND OF HARING GOOD ALS ENCAPE. THO DOCUMENTS WERE TAKEN FRON THE VCS FRIOR IC BLO BUCKPE. THEY ARE BEING FORWARDED TO THIS READQUARTERS.

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4. HUE-PHU BAI OPERATIONS

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AMBUSH			3
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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARCINES

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5. PLANS SURMARY.

A. DIVISION DOX SCORES.

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LISTENING POST	12	84						
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B. MVISION CONTACTS.

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вт 072 <i>6</i> 43	181900H	PLT	CIP	C/1/9/MONE	unk/unk
BT 093637	19081.5H	PLT	s/p	A/1/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 101536	191315H	PLT	s/D	A/1/9/None	unk/unk
BT 077664	191437H	SQD	s/p	B/1/9/NONE	UNK/3VCS
BT 015637	191515H	SQD	s/p	E/2/9/HONE	umk/u m k
AT 969621	181958н	∞	C P	B/3D TKS/NONE	unk/unk
AT 962652	182020H	SCO	s/D	1/3/3/NONE	UNK/1KI A
AT 95 565 8	19082 0H	sço	s/D	1/3/3/none	UNK/1VCS
AT 962649	1.9091 5H	SQD	AMB	H/3/3/NONB	UNK/UNK
AT 943663	191150H	ടയ	s/p	1/3/3/NONE	UNIAYCS
AT 9 966 4	191410H	SQD	s/p	L/3/3/241 A	UNK/UNK
QUANG TIN/ BT 465077	190 3 20н	œ	SEC	F/2/4/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 465077	190325н	œ	850	F/2/4/NONE	UMK /UHK
QUANG MGAI/ BT 611017	190100H	CO PE	rsec	A\$177/NONE/BOTE	UNK/UNK
THURY TIN/ YD 882082	1821 50	SOD	SEC:	H/2/1/NONE	UNK /UNK
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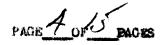
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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.

- A. THIRD MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORUS.

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AMBUSH			29		
SECURITY PATROL		1	4		
SEARCH & DESTROY		5		2	2
SUB TOTAL	210	6	33		2
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(2) LET BR. 1ST MARINES. AT 191000H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F DETONATED A MINE AT (AT 865655) RESULTING IN FIVE USMC MIA. PATROL IN COLUMN WITH APPROX 10 METERS DETWEEN MARINES. EXAMINATION OF AREA REVEALED THAT MINE WAS OF DIRECTIONAL TYPE SINCE GROUND WAS BUIGHT OFF FIFTEEN METERS IN FRONT OF SMALL CRATER AND GRAY THREE METERS BERNIND. S JUAD PATROL FROM CO B APPRENEMBED A MALE VCS VIC (AT 191050 H).



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- (2) 1ST EN. 9TH MARGNES. AT 1819OUH CO C VIC (BT 072643) RECEIVED TWO
 RDS SA FIRE FROM ONE VC LUGATED 100 METERS SOUTH. FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN
 RESULTS. AT 190815H PLT PATROL FROM CO A (AT BT 101636) RECEIVED FOUR RDS
 SA FROM APPROX MOUR VC. SEVEN RDS SIMM FIRED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH MEDIATIVE
 RESULTS. AT 191315 H FLT PATROL FROM CO A RECEIVED FIVE ON SIX RDS SA FIRE FROM
 VIC (BT 101636). RETURNED APPROX 400 RDS SA AND THREE RDS SIMM WITH UNKNOWN
 RESULTS. AT 191437H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO B APPREHENDED THREE VCS. AT (BT 677664)
- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 191515R SQUAD PATROL FROM CO E (BT 015637)
 RECRIVED ALTROX 60 LDS DA FIRE FROM ESTIMATED SIX VC. FIRE RETURNED AND AREA
 SEARCHED WITH NEDATIVE RESULTS.
- (4) 30 BH. 30 MARINES. AT 182020H A OD L SQUAD PATROL SHOT AND KILLED ONE VC VIC (AT 962662). VC ARMED WITH CHICOM CARBINE. CARTRIDGE BELT, PONCHO AND FIVE SA RIS. SEARCH AT DAWN ADDED ONE CHICOM GRENADE AND ONE H-26 GRENADE FAME. STAGES

AND THE RESERVENCE APPROVACE AT 190820H CO L SQUAD PATROL APPREHENDED ONE MALE

VCS VIC (AT 955656) WITH IMPROPER ID. AT 190915H CO M SQUAD RETURNING FROM AMBUSH

ATTEMPTED TO CHECK VCS IN FIELD VIC (AT 962649). VCS RAN AND PATROL PERSUED

FIRING ONE M-79 RD AND CHASE LED INTO CAME FIELD (VIC (AT 964647). PATROL

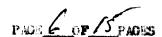
RECEIVED APPROX 25 RDS SA FIRE FROM THE TO FOUR POSITIONS IN CAME AND PURSUED BY

ETRE UNTIL VC HIRE CRASED. VC CASUALTIES UNKNOWN. AT 191410H MEMBER OF

SQUAD PATROL APPREHENDED ONE MALE VCS VIC (AT 943663). AT 191410H MEMBER OF

SQUAD PATROL FROM CO L TRIPPED BOOBY TRAP VIC (AT 93664) RESULTING IN TWO USING

MIA. BOCKY TRAP CONSISTED OF APPROX ONE LB TIT.



C. 12TH MARTINE

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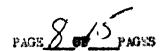
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D. THIRD RECON BN.

(1) BOX SCORES.

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RECON PATROL		6 6
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- E. THIRD ENGR BE. 78 ENGINEERS CONDUCTED 14 SHEEPS FOR FOUR INFARTRY BNS IN THE DA NANG TAOR.
- F. 3D TANK BR. AT 181958H CO B RECEIVED SNIPHR FIRE VIC (AT 969621).
 EXPENDED 380 RBS 30 CAL ARD 100 RDS 50 CAL. RESULTS UNKNOWN.
- G. HEAD DARTERS BN. BREARDIV. A SEVEN VEHICLE CONVOY LEFT DA HANG FOR HOI AN (AT 145575) AT 190830H TO DELIVER 102 VCS/VCC TO THE DISTRICT HGS. MPS FROM THE MILITARY FOLICE OF PROVIDED THE SECURITY PERSONNEL; COMM CO. HIGH PROVIDED ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATION SUPPRENT; FMAN PROVIDED A GUNSHIP; 3D MARINES WAS ALERTED TO BE PREPARED TO PROVIDE A FLATOON SIZE MOBILE RESERVE. THE CONVOY PROCEEDED ON SCHEDULE, REPORTING FERIODICALLY UPON REACHING ESTABLISHED CHECKPOINTS. IT



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PATROL	6	7	11	10			
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TOTAL 67							

(2) 20 00. 4TH DARRES. At 1903208 CO F VIC (BT 465073) RECEIVED

RICHELL TELL 15 DES OF DE FIRE FROE VIC (BT 465077). AGAIN AT 190325H TEN

RORE DES TELL TO DE FIRE THE DECEIVED FROM VIC (BT 465077). NO MUZZEE FLECHED WERE

OBSERVED TO DERBUE LUCATION OF THE TRIGHT, THEREFORE NO FIRE WAS RETURNED.

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(2) 101 3N. 7TH MARCHED. AT 190100 A SECURITY SLEMENT FROM CO A MORRING WITH CO. C. 13T ENGR BN REGETVED ONE INCOMING HAND GREAADE VIC (BT 611017).
FIRE WAS RETURNED AND THE AREA WAS CHECKED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

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AMBUSH		1	3
RECON PATROL		1 1	2 3
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4. HR BAT OF BLATTONS

A. 20 BN. 10T HARLINGS

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(2) 2d BN. LST MARINES. AT 182150H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO H EXCHANGED SA FIRE WITH MOUR VC AT (YD 828166). AREA WAS SEARCHED WITH MEDIATIVE RESULTS. TRUCK

FROM CO A. THIRD TANK BN AP 191310H DETONATED MINE AT (YD 882082) RESULTING

IN SEVERE DAMAGE TO VEHICLE. BUT NO PERSONNEL CASUALTIES.

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B. 4TH BH. 12TH MARINES

(1) <u>BUX 50.HE5</u>

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5. PLANS SUMMANY

A. DIVISION BOX SOURES

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AMMUSit	2	42	2	79		2		
PATROL	15	13	26	46	11	7		
YOUTGEL & LESTROY			35	28	6	2	1	1
SUB_TGIAL	24	156	63	153	17	11	1	1

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B. THE DIVISION WILL CONSUCT 127 Ambushes AND 118 PATROLS SURING THE NEXT 24 HOUR TERRICS.

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THIRD MAR DIV SITEDP NUMBER 259 AS OF 201000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MAR MEY HIGHLIGHTS

A. DIVILION BOX SQUES

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SCOUT SHIPER	11	1				
LISTENING POST	2	99				
AMERUSH	2	4 3	2	64	3	4
PATROLS	17	23	31	48	9	9
SEARCH & DESTROY			28	32	6	2
SUB_TOTALS	32	156	61	144	18	15
TOTAL 466						

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B. UTVISION CONTACTS

PROVINCE/ COORINEATES	DATE/ TIME	ACTION 1	TYPE	FRIENDLY UNIT/	EMENT UNIT/
CHANG HAN AT 871710	1916458	PLA :	SAD	C/1/1/HONE	UNK/1 WIA
AT 922661	1923278	ا للله دا	SEC	2/1/1/HOHE	UNK/UNK
Ar 883708	201010H	PLT	5 & D	C/1/1/SONE	UNK/1 KIA
AT 917783	200930H	FT SM OF	SAC	Has/1/3/None	UMK/UMK
BT 097661	191931 H	FT	SEC	A/1/9/SONE	unk/onk
BT 029743	191940H	CONVOY	5 2 C	Hes/1/9/Nonz	UNE /UNK
AT 991641	191942H	PLT	PERM	F/2/9/1 WIA	umk/whk
BT 046723	1919 55 H	PT	LP .	H/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 019618	192340H	SQD	SEC	E/2/9/HONE	UNK /UMK
AT 972662	19191 5 H	PLT	PEX	M/3/3/NCME	UNK/UNK
at 963659	191 925 fi	PLT	PEN	M/3/3/ROME	UNK/UNK
AT 963659	191930H	FLA	PER	H/3/3/HONE	UNK/ 1 KIA (POSS)
AT 965620	192020H	œ	P&&	1/3/3/WONE	UNK/UNK
AT 972621	1920 50H	5.JD	SEC	1/3/3/MONE	UNE/UNE
AT 972621	192135	00	Pilk	1/3/3/ROKE	UNK/ 1 KIA (POSS)
AT 979624	201335E	Sedi)	SEC	1/3/3/NONE	UNE/UNE
JUANG TIN BT 442038	20140 3 H	P13	SEC	H/2/4/MONE	UNK/1 KIA, 1 WIA
UANG MGAI BT 62400?	19180 0 H	SQI)	540	C/1/7/NONE	UHK/5 MIA(POSS) 6 VOS
BT 624003)	1918208	5 4 0	540	C/1/7/MONE	UNK/1 KIA
THUA THIEN YD 872135	200 515 H	SŲĬ	SEC	H65/2/1/NUNE	UNK/2 VCK
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C. MIVISION HIGHLIGHTS. THE THIRD NARINE DIVISION CONTINUED ITS AGGRESTIVE ACTIONS UNTIL 201200H WHEN THE "TET" STAND DOWN WAS EFFECTED. INCREASED SURVEILLANCE AND ALERTHESS WERE THE KEY MORES IN THE DA HANG, CHU LAI ANOPHU BAI ENCLAVES AS THE LUNAR NEW YEAR HOLIDAY COMMENCED. THE MIXED SEATHER HAD LITTLE OR HO EFFECT ON THE CONDUCT OF CPANATIONS EXCEPT ARMIAL HECON DURING SCATTENED SHOWERS. THE FIRST MARINES ASSUMED THE MISSION OF THE POURTH MARINES IN CHU LAI AT 201600H. THE FOURTH PARINES HATES IS NOW ASSIGNED TO THE ADC CAD GRP CHU LAI FOR PLANNING AND OPERATIONS ON ORDER. SLD'S AND SCOUT SNIFER TRANS WERE EMPLOYED THROUGHOUT WITHOUT BENEFIT OF PROPITABLE GAIN.

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2. DA NANG CERNATIONS

A. JU HARTRES

(1) BUX SQUE

	D TEAM	5 <u>-1</u> D	IAU	PLAT	OOM
LISTERING FOST	25				
AMBUSH			12		
PATROL		1	13		
SEARCH & DESTROY		6		2	2
SUB_TOTAL	25	7	25	2	2
TOTAL 61					

(2) 1ST BN, 1ST MARINES. LATE ENTRY: AT 1916458 A SQUAD FROM 1ST PLT.

COMPANY C WOUNDED ONE VC VIC (AT 871710). THE VC WAS ARMED WITH A RIFLE AND WAS

HIT WITH SA FIRE. AREA SEARCHED. FRESH BLOOD FOUND INDICATING VC WAS WIA.

AT 192327H, A EQUAD SIZE PATROL FROM CO F EXCHANGED SA ROUNDS WITH AN UNKNOWN MUMBER OF MC VIC (AT 922661). THE EXCHANGE OF FIRE LASTED ABOUT 5 MINUTES REFORM VC BROKE CONTACT. HO CASUALTIES.

AT 201010H, THE 3D PLT, CO C DEGT AND EILLED A VCJ VIC (AT 883708) WHO FAILED TO HALT AFTER BEING CHALLENGED REPEATEDLY.

(3) 15T BN. 30 MARINES. AT 200930R AN HAS CO FIRETEAN OBSERVATION POST VIC (AT 91776) reported receiving ONE 60NN HORTAR MOUND. NO CASUALTIES.

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B. OTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	D	TEAM		TD.	PLATOCA
SCOUT SHIPER	3	1			
LISTENIEG POST		20			
AMBUSH	2	11	2	29	
PATROL	3	9			
SEARCH & DESTROY			20	32	3
SUB_TOTAL	8	41	22	61	3
TOTAL 135					

(2) <u>1ST BN. 9TH HARINES</u>. AT 191931H, A CO A LISTERING POST (BT 097661) RECRIVED ONE GRENADE. NO CASUALTIES. SA FIRE INDRINATELY DIRECTED AT SUSPECTED VC PSK.

AREA SZARCHED. MOBATIVE RESULTS.

AT 191940H. TWO VEHICLES FROM HAS CO WERE TRAVELING MORTHERST VIC (BT 029743)
WHEN THEY RECEIVED EIGHT ROUNDS OF SA FIRE. MC DAMAGE TO VEHICLES (MD CASUALTIES.
THE VEHICLES CARTINUED ON THEIR JOURNEY WITHOUT FURTHER INCIDENT.

(3) 20 BN, 9TH MARLINES. AT 191942H A CO F PLT PERLIMETER FOOTTION VIC
(AT 991641) REC'D 25 RDE OF SA FIRE FROM VIC (AT 987638). ONE USHC WIA. INTERSE
FIRE WAS IMPOUNTELY RETURNED CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY 100 RDS OF SA FIRE AND
LIGHT MACRINE OUR FIRE AND TWO 90MM RDS. HOSTILE FIRE CEASED. NO CONFIRMED VC
CASUALTIES.

AT 191955H. A CO R FIRSTEAN LIUTENING POST VIC (BT 046723) OBSERVED THREE
BUARS APPROACHING ITS POSITION. THE BOATS WERE CHALLENGED. CHARLENGE DISREJARDED.
FOUR MA79 RDS FIRED: BOATS DESAPIRAD IN DARRHESS.

AT, 19234OH, A CU E BUJAD PATROL VIC (AT 01868) RECEIVED ONE DERNAUS. NO PAOR 5 OF 1 PAORS

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CASUALTIES. SA FIRED AT SUSPECTED VC POSITION. MEDATIVE RESULTS.

(4) 10 BH. 3D MARIES. AT 191915H, A COMPANY M PLT PERIMETER VIC (AT 972662)

RECEIVED AFFROX 15 ROUNDS FROM AN ESTIMATED FOUR VC WITH SEMILAUTO CARBINES.

NO CASUALTIES. AT 191925H, THE 1ST PLT, CO M CP (AT 963659) RECEIVED SIX SA BUS

FROM
VIC (AT 960656). NO CASUALTIES. 60MM MORTARS FIRED AT SUSPECTED POSITION.

HOSTILE DA FIRE RELUEED. EIGHT ADDITIONAL 60MM MORTARS ROUNDS FIRED. VC FIRE

CEASED. NO CONFIRMED VC CASUALTIES.

AT 191930H, THE DAME PLT RECEIVED FIVE RUS OF SA FIRE FROM VIC (AT 962657). AREA SATURATED AD DA FIRE RETURNED, ONE 106MM ROUND, AND ONE ROUND OF 3.5" WP. A VC WAS SILMOUETTED BY WHITE PHOSPHOHOUS ROUND. 106MM ROUND FIRED AT VC WHICH WAS DIRECT HIT. AREA NOT DEARCHED DUE TO DARREESS. CHE VC RIA (PROBABLE).

AT 1920204, THE CO I COMMAND FORT RECEIVED WHITE ROUNDS OF SA FIRE FROM VIC (AT 965620). APPROX 100 ROUNDS OF SA HOUND FIRED IN RETURNATION VC FIRE CEASED, NO CASUALITIES.

AT 192050H A CO 1 SUND SIZE OUTPOST (AT 972621) RECEIVED 20 HOUNDS OF SA FIRE PROM (AT 963624). FOUR RIS OF SIMM MORTAR FIRE ELRECTED AT TARGET. HOSTILE FIRE CEASED. AREA SEARCHED FOLLOWING MORNING. FOUR ONE KHAKI WOOL UNIFORM.

AT 1921358. A TANK WITH CO I SPOTTED ONE UNIFORMED VC WITH IT SEARCHLIGHT. THE TANK FIRED ONE MP HOUND. VC KIA.

AT 201335H, A COMPANY I SQUAD ESCORTENG TWO ONTOS AND ONE BULLDUZER TO BIN FORCE HILL #55 LOCATED AND DESTROYED ONE BOORY TRAP VIC (AT 979624). NO CASUALITIES.

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C. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SOURCES

	UBS	UNOE	issions S hai	TOTAL	SUPPORTING
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	HE	<u> 44] :</u>	TOTAL		
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155 H	90		90		•
105 H	392	10	402		
107 ET	24		24		
8. H	27		27		
TOTAL			552		

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D. 3D RECOR H

(1) BOX SCURES

	FIRETEAM D N	SCD) D	N N	PLA!	TOCH N
SCOUT SWIPER	3				
LISTENING POST					
ANBU SH			3	1	1
PATROL		10	10	2	2
SUB_TOTAL	3	10	13	3	3
TOTAL 32					

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3. CHI LAI OPERATIONS

A. PIST HARINES

(1) BOX 500215

	FIRE D	TEAN	S.J. D	AP,	PLATOCA	×
LISTERIEG POST	2	3				
AMBUSH		31		13		
PATROL	6	2	11	7	1	
					1	
SUB_TOTALS	8	36	11	20	1	
TOTALS 76						

(2) 2D SH, 4TH HARINES. AT 201330H A MARINE PLATOON FROM CO H ACCOMPANIED BY PF'S OBSERVED TEN VC VIC (ST 44000). PF'S FIRED THREE WARRING SHOTS AT THE VC WHO IN TURN BEGAN FIRENO AT THE PATROL FIRE WAS RETURNED BY THE PATROL KILLING ONE VC AND OBSERVING ANOTHER TO FALL. UPON SEARCH THE AREA ONE VC BODY AND A BLCOD TRAIL WAS OBSERVED, ALONG WITH ONE CARBINE AND ONE BAD OF RICE.

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B. TH MARLES

(1) BOX SCARES

	D	TRAN	<u>50</u> D	N N	PLAT	COH	Çurl D	ANI N
SCOUT SHIPER	3							
LISTENING POST		28						
AMBU SH		1		4			•	
PATROLS	4	8	2	2	•	•		
SRANCH & DESTRUY			2				1	*
SUB_TOTALS	7	37	4	6	•	•	ì	l.
TOTALS AM								•

(2) 1ST BH. 7TH MARINES. AT 191800H A SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C SURPRISED 20 VC WEARING GREY AND BLACK UNIFORMS VIC (BT 624007). VC COMMENCED FIRE WITH CARRIED.

FIRE RETURNED AND VC DISPERSED, WITH ONE GROUP GOING TO THE VILLAGES OF SON TRA (4)

VIC (BT 642012) AND THE OTHER TO THE VILLAGE OF TAN HY (1) VIC (BT 626007). THE

PATROL OBSERVED FIVE OF THE VC TO BE WOUNDED, PATROL SEARCHED THE AREA BUT WERE UNABLE

TO APPREHEND ANY OF THE WOUNDED. SIX VCS (WONER) WERE APPREHENDED HIGHER IN THE

AREA OF ACTION.

AT 191820H A SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C ENROUTE TO REINFORCE THE SQUAD IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED FIRE FIGHT RECEIVED SA FIRE PROM APPROXIMATELY THREE VC WITH AUTOMATIC MPMS VIC (AT 624003). AIRSTRIKES MERE PLACED ON VC POSITION AND AREA WAS SEARCHED AFTER THE STRIKE WITH REGATIVE RESULTS. FIVE PERSONS WERE OBSERVED GETTING INTO A PISHING BOAT (BT 616012). A PLATOON OF CO A WITH A SHIPER TRAN LOCATED ACROSS THE RIVER VIC (BT 615009) WAS ALERTED TO INTERCEPT THE BOAT. CO C RESPATCHED A MALE BOAT TO INTERCEPT THE FISHING BOAT. FIRE WAS PLACED ACROSS THE BOW OF THE BOAT IS AN ATTEMPT TO HALT THE BOAT. AT THIS TIME THE MAILINES RECSIVED 100 RDS FROM VIC (BT 616020) ON SHORE. DURING THE FIRE FROM SHORE THE SALFER TRAN OPERED FIRE OR THE FISHING BOAT PAGE /O OF /6 PAGES

KILLING ONE VC. THE BOAT RETURNED TO THING PHAN PRELESULA AND THE OCCUPANTS FLED THE AREA LEAVING THE DEAD VC.

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C. ARTY RE GEP

(1) BOX SCORES

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	WOUN	CO EXPER	TED	•		
	HE	117	MP.	TOT	AL	
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155 H	50	9	13#	7	2	
105 H	109	13	28 :	15	io o	
107 HT	21		11	3	2	
TOTAL			1	27	Na.	
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D. RECOR OROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIAS TA		SUIAD D	PLATO	胃
SCOUT SHIPER	2				
AMBUSE					1
PATROL	4	4		1	1
SUB_TOTAL	6	4		1	2
TOTAL 13					

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 2D BN. 1ST HARINES

(1) BUA SCOKES

PIRE TEAM SAUAD D N

LISTENING POST 22

AMERISE 3

SECURITY PATROL 7 16

SUBLITOTAL 22 7 19

TOTAL 46

(2) 2D BN. 1ST MARINES. AT 200515H, A SQUAD SIZE PATROL FROM HAS

CO APPREHENDED TWO VCS VIC (YD 872135) FOR BEING IN AREA DURING CURFEW HOURS.

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCURES

	X IKB	CR OF K	SSION	<u>S</u>		SUPPORTINO
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	KUN	E EXPE	NUED			
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1554	107	8		1	15	
TOTAL				2	47	

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5. PLANS SUMPARY

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

	<u>FLUS</u> D	TEAM K	<u>5.0</u>	AD N	PLAT	CON I
SCOUT SNIPER	10					
LISTENING FOST	2	105				
AMBUSH	2	36	2	65		4
PALIGIA	17	16	49	72	11	11.
SEARCH & INCIDEN			11	16	4	2
SUB_TOTALS	31	159	62	153	15	17
Tr. 1*A1. 4.32						

B. THE DIVISION WILL COMMET 176 PATROLS AND 111 AMENISHES DUTTING THE NEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.

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1. THIRD MAR DIV HIGHLIGHTS

A. MIVISION BOX SCORES

	FIRE 1	MAN!	SQUA	D	PLATO	OH .
GOUT SKIPER	n	N	D	T	U	7
LISTEM NO POST	2	104		3 to 1 to 1		
AMBUSH	2	44	3	6 +	4	4
RECON PATROL	9	13	33	47	5	4
SECURITY PATROL	. а	5	23	24	5	4
SEARCH & DESTRO	¥			1	1	1
SUB TOTAL	32	166	59	136	11	13
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B. DEVISION CONTACTS.

PROVINCE/ COCKREMATER	DATE/	SLIE	TION TYPE	Costs vary	ENDIT ONT!
GUANG NAM/ BT 044558	211025	300	SEC	D/1/9/NONE	UNIK/UNIK
BT 012641	211150N	FLT	SEC	B/2/9/181A	DEK/UNK
BT 01.2632	211430H	PLT	S&C	8/2/9/NOME	UNK/UNK
AT 971662	201.845H	œ	CPP	H/3/3/HOME .	UNK/LYC SURRELEGA
AT 975673	21.073 0 H	son	CLE	H/3/3/HOHR	UNK/ONK
BT 020643	211620H	PLT	SEC	E/2/9/1EIA	UNK/UNK
quanc noai ns 627992	202040 H	CO	SEC	C/1/7/NOMB	UNK/NOME
ES 521369 C. DIVISI	211730H ON HIGHLIGHTS	PLT	PATROL	FOR/RECOM/INCA	unk/imia(poss)

CLOUDY SKIES AND SCATTERED SHOWERS PREVAILED THROUGHOUT THE ENCLAVES
DURING THE SECOND DAY OF TET. VC ELEMENTS VIOLATED THE CONDITIONS OF THE TET

CRASEFIRE BY INITIATING SIX SMALL UNIT ACTIONS AGAINST MARINE UNITS.

FIVE OF THE VIOLATIONS OCCURRED IN THE SOUTHEASTERN PORTION OF THE DA NANG TAOR.

ONE VC SURRENDERED TO M CO. 3D BN. 3D MARINES, DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD.

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2. DA HANG OPERATIONS

A. 3D HARTEES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRE TRAM	<u>941</u>	4
LISTENING TOST	27		
AMBUSH	6		14
PATROL.		11	21
SUB_TOTAL	27	11	35
101 73			

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B. KINTE MARIJES.

(1) BOX SCORES.						
		THE STATE OF	191	4	· BATTE	*
SCOUT SHIPER	1				: 16€	
LISTING FORT		25				
AMBUSH	2	9	2	15		
RECOR PATROL	3	7	11	15	1	
SUB TOTAL	6	441	13	30	1	

TOTAL - 91

- (2) <u>1ST BN. 9TH MARINES</u>. AT 221025H CO D TWO SQUAD SECURITY PATROL.

 VIC (BT 044658) RECRIVED APPROXIMATELY THE RES SA FIRE FROM SKIPER. RETURNED

 FIRE AND PURSUED VC BOT VC ESCAPHD.
- (3) 20 EM. OTE MARLES. AT ELLISS CO E PLT SECURITY PATROL VIC
 (30 012641) RECEIVED FIFTY RIS SA FIRE FROM RIX VC SUSTAINING ONE US KIA.

 RETURNED APPROX THIRTY RIS SA AND PURSUED. ONE VC WEA CAPTURED. PATROL

 RETURNED AND FURTHER PURSUIT HADE WITH NEDATIVE CONTACT. AT 211430M CO E

 MARLEPATROL VIC (BT 012628) RECEIVED ABOUT MIFTY RIS SA FIRE. PATROL RETURNED

 SA FIRE AND 80MM. ONE VCS APPRESENDED. AT 211620M FLT PATROL FROM CO E RECEIVED

 SA FIRE AT (BT 020643) RESULTING IN ONE USMC KIA: ARTY FIRE MISSION FIRED,

 VC PURSUED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.
 - (4) 30 PM. 30 MARINER. AT APPROX 2018-98 23 YEAR OLD VC SURREMERKS AT CO M CP VIC (AT 971662). DID NOT HAVE WPM OR CHIES HOL PASS, BUT DID HAVE SURREMER LEAFLET.

C. 12TH MARINES

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(1) BOX SOURES

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(1) BOX SCORES.

	LEATHAC	300	A .	PLATO	谱
SCOUT SKIPER	5 .				
AMBUSH			8		2
RECON PATROL		8	8 .	2	2
SUB TOTAL	5	8	16	2	4

TOTAL - 35

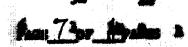
- (2) 3D RECON BN. OPERATION BIRDWATCHER. AT 211730H A FORCE RECON
 PATROL CHOOMIERED 4.6 VG AND ENGAGED THER WITH FIRE. AT (85 521369). THE
 PATROL (16 MEN) TOOK EVASIVE ACTION. WHEN THEY ENGROUPED, THEY INDOVERED
 THAT THE WRITHLERY FORWARD OBSERVER WAS NISSING. THE SEARCH FOR THE MISSION OFFICER
 HAD PROVEN UNPRODUCTIVE AS OF THE END OF THE REPORTING FERIOD. THERE WERE
 NO FURTHER PRENDLY CASUALTIES. 1 VC WIA (POSSIBLE). THE SEARCH WILL CONTINUE.
- E. 3D SWOR BN. 80 ENGINEERS CONDUCTED 15 SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF FOUR INFARTRY DATTAIL BS IN THE DA HANG TACK. ONE TEAM USING MEN TRANSLUTURIZED HIRE DETECTOR P-153 FOUND ONE AT MINE (US MIAI) WHILE ACCOMPANYING PATROL ON HILL 55 (AT 979624).

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 - A. FIRSTH MARIES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

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		33.	70	
SECURITY PATROL	6	1 1	12 3	3
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B. METERTE HARLINGS.

(1) BOX SCORES.

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SCOUT SNIPER	2					
LISTER NO POST		28				
Maise	•			5		
RECON PATROL	2	2	3	1	2	1
SECURITY PATROL	2	4		2	•	4
SEARCH & DESTROY				1	1	1
TOTAL - 65	. 6	34	3	. 9 .	7	6

(2) 1ST NN. 7TH MARINES. AT 2020408, CO C RECEIVED ONE INCOMING ORBITANS
FROM (BS 627992). THE EXPLOSION WAS PRECEDED BY A RIVLE SHOT, WHICH LEAD THE
MARINES TO BELIEVE THE EXPLOSION WAS A RIVLE GREEADE. THERE WAS NO FURTHER
ACTION OR CONTACT. NO CASUALTIES.

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C. ASTY IN CROUP.

(1) ARTY BOX SCORES.

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4. PET BAI OPERATIONS

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES

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	DIES TRAN	San.	W W
LISTERING POST	21		
AMEUSH			22
PATROL		11	19
SUB_TOTAL	21	11	31
TOTAL 63			

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5. PLANS SUMMARY

A. DEVISION BOX SCORES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRE D	TRAF	SEXUAL		PLA	100
SOUT SNIPER	11	3				
LISTERING FOST	2	86				
AMBUSE	2	45	2	69		4
PATROL	17	20	65	75	9	5
SEARCH AND DESTROY			9	14	3	3
SUB-TOTALS	32	154	76	158	12	12
TOTALS 454						

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 193 PATROLS AND 122 AMBUSHES DURING THE MEXT 24 HOUR PERIOD.

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1. THIRD MARINE DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS

A. BOL SCORES

	DERE 1		SCHAD	BIAT	COM,
SCOUT SMIPER	10				
LISTERIEG PO	5T 2	94			
AMBUSH		35	32	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	•
PATROL	14	12	56 53	13	8
SUB_TOTAL	26	141	56 85	13	12
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B. DIVISION CONTACTS

		VIEG/	DATE/ TIME	ACTION SIZE	TIPE	PALENDLY UNIT/ LOSSES	LOSSES
		NG NAM 902756	212020H	SQD	AKB	C/1/3/1 WIA	UNK/UNK
	AT	925730	212140H	FT	LP	C/1/1/1 HIA	UNK/UNK
	BT	068644	22084 5N	SQD	REC	D/1/9/HOME	UNK/UNK
	BT	065698	220920ki	SQD	REC	C/1/9/2 MIA	DRK/UNK
	BT	044654	22152 <i>5</i> 1	PLE	REC	D/1/9/#0##	ORK/ORK
-	BT	031648	9mt/2012220H	MSQD.	LP	F/2/9/WOME	UNK/ONK
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C. <u>DEVISION RIGHLIGHTS</u>. CLOUDY SKIES AND SCATTERED SHOWERS PREVAILED AGAIN TOWAY AT ALL THREE ENCLAVES. 333 RECONNAISSANCE/SECURITY PATROLS AND OTHER DEFENSIVE ACTIONS WERE CONDUCTED WITH VC FORCES VIOLATING THE CRASE PIRE ON 9 OCCASSIONS.

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2. CONTRACTIONS

A. THIRD MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	D E	S.JIA	<u>D</u>	D I	
LISTERING POST	24				
AMBUSH			15		
PATROL		9	19	1	1
SUBLTOTAL	24	9	34	1	1

TOTAL 69

- (2) 1ST BE. 1ST MARINES. AT 212140H A CO C EIRE TRAM LP RECEIVED ONE IN...
 COMING HAND GRENADE VIC (AT 925730). ONE MARINE WIA. AREA SEARCHED REGATIVE RESULTS.
- CONTING HAND GRENAUE VIC (AT 925730). OHE MARINE WIA. AREA SEARCHED REGATIVE RESULES.

 (3) 1ST DH. 3D MARINES. AT 212020H CO C SQD REC'D SANTHON ESTIMATED 3 VC WELLS

 HOVING LETO AMBUSH POSITION AT (MP 902756). ONE MARINE MA. FIRE RETURNED.

 HEGATIVE RESULTS.

B. HINTH MAKINES

(1) BOX SCORES

TOTAL 89

(2) 1ST BE. 9TH MARINES. AT 220845H CO D SQD PATROL (BT 068644) REC'D

10 RDS SA FROM VIC (BT 068642). FIRE RETURNED. AREA SEARCHED. MEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 220920H CO G SQD PATROL SUSTAINED TWO MINOR WIA'S AND ONE CIVILIAN SERIOUSLY WOUNDED WHEN BOOMY TRAPPED PLAG POLE INTONATED (NT 065698). POLE WAS BEARING A VC BARNER. POLE WAS TORN DOWN BY THE CIVILIAN ON ORDERS OF VM NATIONAL POLICEMAN.

AT 221525H CO D PLATOON PATROL AT (BT 044654) REMOD SIX RES SA FROM VIC (BT 038653)
AND (BT 035656). PATROL ASSAULTED SUSPECTED VC PSH (BT 035656) FIRING 60 RDS SA AND
3 M 79 RES. NEO RESULTS.

(3) 2D BM. 9TH MARINES. AT 21,2220H CO E SQD LP (ST 031648) OSS TWO VC TAMPERING WITH RIVER BLOCK CABLE 100 NETERS ACROSS VINE SIZE RIVER (ST 032648). SQD FIRED THREE RIS SA FIRE, FIVE RIS M79 AND ONE RD 106 RR. NO FURSUIT STE TO RIVER OBSTAGLE.

AT 221125H CO H PATROL AT (BT 048708) REC'D FIVE RDS SA FROM (BT 041715). FIRE
RETURNED 10 RDS 7.62, FOUR RDS M79. HEGATIVE RESULTS. VC PLAGS ON SMALL STAFFS ORS

(BT 037707). (BT 048701) AND (BT 053706). FLAGE HOME NOT TOUGHED DUS TO POSSIBLE BOOKY

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C. 12TH HARLES

(1) BOX SCORES

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(1) BOX SCORES

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AMBUSH			6		2
PATROL		6	6		2
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TOTAL 29					

E. 3D KNOR BM. SEVENTY FIVE MEN CONFUCTED SIXTEEN SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF FOUR BATTALION IN DAMANG TACK.

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3. CHI LAI OPRRATIONS

A. FIRST MARIEES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE TEAM		SULAD		PLATCON	
	D	X	D	3	D	H
LISTRNING POST	2	3		•		
AMBUSE		31		6		
PATROL	6	2	6	7	, 1	
SUB_TOTAL	8	36	6	13	1	
TOTAL 64						

B. SEVERTE MARLES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE TEAM		SCHAD		PLATOO	
	D	X	D	M	D	
SCOT SMIPER	2					•
LISTENING FOST		27				
AMBUSH				5		
PATROL	4	6	2	5	7	3
SUBLTOTAL	6	33	2	10	7	3
TOTAL 61						

(2) 1ST BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 211900H A SCHAD PATROL FROM CO A OBSERVED MOVEMENT VIC (8 6100). ILLUMINATION WAS FIRED AND THREE VIETNAMESE IN BLACK UNIFORMS WERE SIGHTED MOVING ALONG A THAIL IN A RASTERLY DESCRIPTION SCHAD VIC PURSUED BUT UNABLE TO APPREHEND. AT SAME TIME/(BT 610003) A BOOBY TRAP WAS DESCOVERED AND DESTROYED IN PLACE.

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D. RECON GROUP ALPEA

(1) BOX SCORES

	FIRE	TEAH.	SITION		
en e	D		D		
SCOUT SHIPER	. 3		4		
AMERICA		4		2	
PATROL	4	•	2	2	
SUB_TOTAL	7	8	2	4	
TOTAL 21					

CUT TO CONTINUE PATROL RESSION. AT 221045H RIT FROM MAR BY WE PORCE ESTIMATED AT 50, IN BROOMS/GREY UNIFORMS, UNIFORM HATS, LEGGLEGS, ARMED W/ RIFLES, AM AND CHEMADES. PATROL SEPARATED. POINT HAN (*** CHEMICETERS***) LAST SEEN MOVING DOMINILL FROM MAIN PATROL, RECKONING OTHER MEDIBERS FORMARD. ME WAS LATER DECLARED MIA. GREE PROC. 10 AND REGGE GRP ALPHA'S BREVITY CODE BOOK LOST. TWO MEM AND MEDIC SEMEMATED FROM MAIN PATROL PICKED UP BY HELICOPTER. 200 MID 1050M HOWITZER FROM BALTO FIRED IN SUPPORT. HUTE CURSHIP ON STATION FOR COVER. REMAINMER OF PATROL WAS PICKED UP BY HELICOPTER AND ALL EVACUATED BY 1355M. RIFLE PLATOON LAUNCHED FROM GRANG MOAI ALENT STATION TO RALTO. WAS NOT COMMITTED AND WAS MITHDRAMN TO CHU LAI PRIOR TO DARK. GUESSHIP'S AO AND ARMY L-19 WILL COMMICT AIR SHARCE FOR THE TWO MIA'S COMMING ON MORNING OF 23 JAN. H34 WITH LONG CABLE LIFT CAPABILITY WILL STAND BY AT GA-TO MORNING OF 23 JAN. H34 WITH LONG CABLE LIFT CAPABILITY WILL STAND BY AT GA-TO MORNING OF 23 JAN. H34 WITH LONG CABLE LIFT CAPABILITY WILL STAND BY AT GA-TO MORNING OF 23 JAN. H35 WITH LONG CABLE LIFT CAPABILITY WILL STAND BY AT GA-TO MORNING OF 23 JAN. H35 WITH LONG CABLE LIFT CAPABILITY WILL STAND BY AT GA-TO

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4. PER RAT OPERATIONS

A. 20 ML 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	FILE TEAN	Sü	PAP
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LISTENING POST	23		
AMBUSH			11
PATROL		11	20
SUB_TOTAL	23	11	31
TOTAL 65			

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5. HAMS STREAMY.

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	PARITEME D N		SCHOOL		B-ATOCH		
SCOUT SKIPER	7	3					
LISTRIUM POST	2	104					
ANGUSE		35		50		. 4	
RECON PATROL	9	34	36	35	5	4	
SECURITY PATROL	8	6	26	43	4	4	
SUB TOTAL	26	162	62	126	9	12	

TOTAL 399

B. THE EXVISION WILL COMDUCT 194 PATROLS AND 89 AMBUSHES DURING THE HEXT 24 MOUR PERIOD.

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B. MINSTON CONTACTS

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W 038653	221823N	PLR	PATROL (RECUE)	B/1/9/HORE		UNI/UNK	
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BT 049677	23125 5 H	PIE	LP	3/1/9/SGEE		UMX/CHE	
BT 024646	22230 5 B	PLE	PATROL (RECON)	%/2/9/NORE		DHK/GHK	
BE 601665	230730H	PLE	œ	7/2/9/HOME		UNK/UNK	
er 032638	231400H	PLE	PATROL (RECOM)	E/2/9/NORE		ONK/ONK	
TD 790108	231209	SQ	SEC	B/2/1/1 WA		UMK/UMK	

C. MYISION ETOHLIGHES

THE TRIRD MARINE LEVISION CONDUCTED ACA ACTIONS TO ASSURE SURVEILLANCE OF VC ELEMENTS WAS MAINTAINED ENRING THE FINAL PRASES OF THE NEW YEAR STANDLOWN. SEVEN CONTACTS WERE INITIATED BY THE VC. CONTINUED OVERCAST SKIES WITH INTERMINOLED SHOWERS REGUCED SOMEWHAT THE CAPABILITY OF RECON UNITS OF THE DIVISION.

SIDS AND SCUIT_SHIPER TRANS WERE EMPLOYED THROUGHOUT WITH MEDATIVE CONTACT.

2. DA HANG OPERATIONS

A. 3D HARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	D R	B E	BLATCON
LISTSNING POST	:- 2		
AMBUSE		21	
SECURITY PATROL		12 21	
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SUB TOTAL	2	12 42	1 1
TOTAL - 5 6		4	

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B. MINTH MARINES.

(1) BOY ECORES.

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	5		D N D N
LISTRIENO POST	1	34	
PATROL	3		24 49 2 1
SUB-TOTAL	4	34	24 43 2 1

- (2) 1ST DH. 97H MARINES. BRIVERIN 221823M AND 221900H CO D PLT PATROL BASE
 (BY 03863) RECRIVED ABOUT THE ROW SPORADEC SA FIRE FROM WC POSITION ABOUT 300
 METERS WEST. NO FIRE RETURNED SINCE EXACT CROSS OF FIRE CONSTRUCTED DETERMINED.
 AT 231230H CONSTRUCTED TEAM (REEM) SIENT TO INVESTIGATE OF (BY 049677) SIGHTIMUS
 OF TWO WC SHIPERS FIRENG AT REGRY TEAM OLD BOY TAKING DOWN WC MLAG WIC (BY 040669).
 THAN RECRIVED SIX ROS CARBINE FIRE FROM ABOUT 400 METERS TO NW AND ME. FIRE
 RETURNED AND WG SEEM FALLING INTO PADDY. AT 231355H CO B OF (BY 049677) RECRIVED
 FOUR ROS SA FIRE FROM MORTH. SEANCH COMPONIED WITH MEDATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 20 BE. THE MARINES. AT 222303M CO E PLT SECURITY (ST 024646) REPORTED RECEIVING SA AND AN PINE OF MEDICAL INTERSECT FROM ABOUT 600 METERS BAST. PLT RETURNED BY AND SAME, SEARCHED ARMA WITH MEDATIVE RESULTS. AT 230730M CO E (ST 032638) RECEIVED BY RUS SA PIRE. FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.



C. 30 HEADS BE

SCOT SATPRE 5

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

	D D	E TEAM	SAIAD I	PLATOOR
SCUIT MEIPER		2		
LISTENING POST	2	3		
AMEUSE		18	8	
PATROLS	6	2	6 8	
SUB_TOTALS	8	25	6 16	
TOTAL 55				

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B. 7TH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

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SCUIT SHIPER	2					
LISTERING POST		27			: - 1	
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PATROLS	4	6	2	6	5	3
SUB_TOTALS	6	33	2	12	5	3
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C. ARTILLERY BE GED

(1) BOX SORES

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B. RECOM GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOL SCORES

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

- A. 2D BM. 1ST MARINES
 - (I) BOL SCORES

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SECURITY PATROL		u u
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SUB TOTAL	23	
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(2) 20 BM. LET MARIERS. SIGNAD PATROL FROM GO IF RECEIVED SA PERE AT (YD 790108) FROM ESTIMATED THE VC AT 231.000ML PERS RETURNED AND VC BROKE CONTAGE ONE USER LET.

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5. PLANS SURMARY

A. BOX SOURES

	FIA	TEAM	SCHAD	PLATOON	COMPAST
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SCOUT SMIPER	10	2		And Andrews	
LISTRING POST	2	34			
AMEUSE.		43	122	6	
PATROLS	15	16	30 66	2	
SEARCH & DESTROY			21 26		1
SUB_TOTALS	27	95	51 216	12 16	
TOTAL ALB					

B. THE DIVISION WILL COMBUCT 149 PATROLS A ED 171 AMEUSHES EURING THE HEXT

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THIRD MARINE DIVISION SITREP NUMBER 263 AS OF 2410002 JAN 1966

THIRD MARDIV HIGHLIGHTS.

THIRD MARLEY BOX SCORES.

	FIRETE D	M	SQU D	AD N	PLA D	TOON N +	COMP/ D	X
SCOUT SMIPER	11	2						
LISTENING FOST	2	42						
AMBUSH		44		87		6		
RECON PATROL	9	12	17	42	7	6		
SECURITY PATROL	5	3	21	44	5	4		
SEARCH & DESTROY			12	31			2	1
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TOTAL - 415								

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BT 038653	231823н	PLT	PP B	D/1/9 NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 086618	240845H	o n	S&D	D/1/9 NONE	UNK/UNK
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BT 098653	241345H	SQD OP	0 2	A/1/9 NONE	UNK/ 2 VCS
BT 107630	241 520H	PLT	S&I)	A/1/9 NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 031648	23185011	SQD	AMB	E/2/9 NONE	UNK/UNK
BT 001662	2 31 92 5 H	PLT	PERIM	F/2/9 Hone	UNK/1 KIA.1 WIA (POSS)
BT 001663	232130Н	PLT	LP	F/2/9 HONE	UNK/UNK
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BT 436157	2408 1.7 H	SOD	RECON	B/1/4 NONE	unk /unk
BT 461154	240845H	SQD	RECON	B/1/4 NONE	unk/unk
BT 425157	240940H	PLT	SAD	B/1/4 NONE	unk/2 vcs
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BS 579929	241040H	0 0	S&D	K/3/7 NOHE	UNK/2 VCS
BS 552942	241300H	PLT	SEC	k/3/7 NONE	unk/unk
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C. DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS. CONTACTS WITH VC ELEMENTS INCREASED TO 31 ASTRUCTED MARINE DIVISION UNITS CONDUCTED 415 OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS IN THE TWENTY-FOUR HOUR PERIOD FOLLOWING THE END OF THE TET CHASE FIRE. 4 VC WERE KILLED, 4 VC CAPTURED AND 14 VC CAPTURED DURING THE PERIOD.

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2. DA NAMO OPERATIONS.

- A. THIRD MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SQ D	JAD N	D N
LISTENING POST			14	
SECURITY PATROL		8	19	
SUB TOTAL		8	33	
TOTAL - 41				

- (A) <u>1ST BN. 1ST MARINES.</u> AT 232240H CO B SQD PTL REC'D 20 RDS SA AT (AT 918713). FIRE WAS RETURNED. AREA SHARCHED. NEG RESULTS.
- (B) <u>1ST BN. 3D MARINES.</u> AT 232010H CO B CP LOCATED AT (AT 888804)

 REC'D 20 RDS SA.FIRE RETURNED. AREA SEARCHED. NEO RESULTS.

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D. MARINE

(1) <u>101 SCORES</u>.

	FIRE D	TEAM H	Su D	IAD N
LISTENING POST		12		
AMBUSH		6		45
RECOM PATROL	3	6	11	30
SEARCH & DESTROY			12	31
SUB TOTAL	3	24	23	106
TOTAL - 156	÷ * *			221 M.S.

- (2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 231823H TO 231900H CO D PLT (BT 038653)
 RECEIVED SPORADIC SA FIRE IN PATHOL BASE.. VC LOCATION COULD NOT BE PIN POINTED.
 NO FIRE RETURNED. AT 240845H CO D AT (BT 086618) RECEIVED SPORADIC SA FIRE FROM
 PRONT AND RIGHT FLANK AS MOVED SOUTH. EST FOUR VC FIRED 80 RDS. RETURNED FIRE.
 TWO VC WIA POSSIBLE. AT 240900H CO D RECEIVED SA FROM ROOF OF BUILDING AT
 (BT 073627). USMC TANK RETURNED FIRE. BUILDING DESTROYED. AT 241520H CO A
 PLT REPORTED 25 VC AT (BT 107630). BLOCKS WERE ESTABLISHED AT (BT 097628) AND
 (BT 107627). SWEEP WAS MADE. RECEIVED ONE RD SA FIRE. AT 241345H APPREHENDED
 TWO VCS AT (BT 098653).
- (3) 2D BM. 9TH HARINES. AT 231850H A CO E SUIAD RMBUSH (BT 031648)

 RECEIVED THREE RDS SA FROM (BT 032647). FIRE RETURNED. AREA CHECKED. MEGATIVE

 RESULTS. AT 231906H CO F PLT OBSERVED THREE ARMED VC AT (BT 002664). VE

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241430H ONE MALE VCS APPREHENDED AT (ST 996676).

(4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 232230H HAS CO SQUAD (AT 971669) RECEIVED ONE RD SA. OBSERVED MOVEMENT VIC (AT 968700) OF THREE PERSONS. RETURNED FIRE. NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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E. 3D TANE NN. AT 231330H A 5-TON TRUCK FROM TK BN REC'D TWO RDS SA AT (AT 972770). RETURNED FIRE. NEG RESULTS. AT 232218H BN CP (AT 989708) REC'D 1 RD SA FROM (AT 990704). AT 240900H TWO TANKS CO B REC'D ONE RD SA FROM HOUSE (BT 069637). FIRE RETURNED. HOUSE DESTROYED.

F. THIRD ENGINEER BN. EIGHTY-FOUR MEN CONDUCTED EIGHTEEN SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF NINTH MARINES.

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INDEPTATELY SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

FROM CO B OBSERVED TWO VC VIC (ET 436157). THE TWO VC MERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE AND
BOTH WERE OBSERVED BEING HIT. THE PATROL THEN MOVED TO A NEW POSITION.
AT 240817H THREE ARMED VC MERE OBSERVED FICKING UP THE WOUNDED VC. THE SNIPER TEAM
FIRED AT THE VC BUT NO HITS WERE OBSERVED.
AT 240845H THE PATROL SCOUT/SNIPER TEAM FROM CO B RECEIVED APPROX SIX SA RDS FROM
UNKNOWN LOCATION. CAREFUL SCANNING BY THE SNIPER TEAM PRODUCED NEGATIVE RESULTS.
AT 240940H A PLT FROM CO B APPREHENDED TWO VCS VIC (BT 425159).
AT 241445H A SJIAD FROM CO B RECEIVED HEAVY SA FIRE VIC (BT 434153). AREA WAS

(2) 1ST BN. 4TH MARINES. AT 240745H THE SCOUT/SMIPER TEAM WITH A SQUAD

(3) <u>2D BM. 4TH MARINES</u>. AT 240255H CO IN THEIR DEFENSIVE POSITION RECEIVED TEN RDS SA FIRE. AREA WAS ILLUMINATED AND ONE MALE WAS OBSERVED MUNNING AWAY FROM PIRING AREA. MALE WAS TEKEN UNDER FIRE AND AREA WAS SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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B. SEVENTH MARINES.

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- (2) 1ST EN. 7TH MARINES. AT 240915H AN AO WORKING WITH CO C REPORTED 10-12 VCS MOVING NORTH VIC (BT 655016). A SQUAD WAS DISPATCHED TO THE AREA BY HELICOPTER. AS HARINES APPROACHED AREA THE VCS SCATTERED AND RAN TOWARDS THE HAMLET OF TUTET DIEM (4) VIC (BT 653016). WHEN AN ATTEMPT TO HALT THEM FAILED THEY WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE, KILLING THREE AND CAPTURING FOUR OF WHON THREE WERE WOUNDED. HISC DOCUMENTS FOUND ON THE DEAD AND CAPTURED INDIVIDUALS INDICATED THEY WERE VC. PATROL WAS RETRACTED BY HELICOPTER BACK TO THEIR COMBAT BASE.
- (3) 30 BN. 7TH HARINES. AT 240930H A PATROL FROM CO K RECEIVED SA PIRE FROM TWO VC VIC (BT 586923). PATROL PURSUED BUT LOST CONTACT. NO CASUALITIES.

AT 241030H A PATROL FROM CO K APPREHENDED TWO VCS VIC (BS 579929).

AT 241300H A PLT PATROL FROM CO K LOCATED VIC (BY 952942) RECEIVED ONE RD 60MM MORTAR FIRE FROM VIC (BS 568938). AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

NO CASUALTIES.

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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP

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D. RECON GROUP ARPHA.

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(2) RECON GROUP APHA. 1ST PLT CO B AT 241130H SUSTAINED ONE MARINE KIA WHEN HE STEPPED ON A LAND MINE VIC BT 419025.

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A. 2D BN. 1ST MARINES.

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(2) 2D BH. 1ST MARINES. AT 240710H A TANK SUPPORTING CO E HIT A MINE AT (MD 799104). MODERATE DAMAGE TO TANK. TWO MARINES RICHED ON THE TANK WIA. AT 240900H A TRUCK HIT A MINE AT (MD 823195). VEHICLE BADLY DAMAGED. NO CASUALTIES. AT 240905H CO E WOUNDED ONE VC AT (YD 788112). VC WAS ON OPPOSITE SIDE OF SONG TA TRACH RIVER AND ESCAPED DUE TO RIVER BEING UNFORDABLE. AT 232125H COMBINED ACTION CO PTL REC'D 2D RDS SA AT (YD 909150) FIRE RE-

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5. PLANS SUMMARY.

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C. <u>DIVISION EIGHLIGHTS</u>. THE TEIRD MARINE DIVISION CONTINUED TO AGGRESSIVELY SEARCH FOR AND DESTROY VC ELEMENTS IN THE DAMANG, CHU LAI AND PNU BAI ENCLAVES BY CONDUCTING 392 ACTIONS. 20 CONTACTS WERE MADE WITH THE VIET CONG. SEE SPECIAL STRUM FOR THE VC MORTAR ATTACK AND SUBSECUENT MARINE RESPONSIVENESS IN THE DAMANG TAOR. SCOUT SHIPER TEAMS AND SIDS WERE EMPLOYED WITH ONE SID IN THE 1/9 AREA MAKING CONTACT. CLEAR SKIES AND DRYING GROUND AIDED IN THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF RECON ACTIVITIES AND SHALL UNIT ACTIONS.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	<u>530</u> D	AD N	PLA	Toon N
AMBUSH			24		
SECURITY PATROL		5	17		
SEARCH & DESTROY				4	4
SUB TOTAL		5	41	4	4
TOTAL - 54					

- (2) 1ST BN. 1ST MARINES. AT 251145H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C DETONATED BOOBY TRAP. BELIEVED 81MM RD. AT (AT 893716). TWO USMC KIA AND ONE WIA. AT 251740H PLT PATROL FROM CO C SUSTAINED THREE WIA (ONE MED_EVAC) FROM ELECTRICALLY DETONATED MINE AT (AT 887712).
- (3) 15T BH. 3D MARINES. AT 241840H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO D FIRED ON THREE ARMED VC (AT 885833). VC EVADED CONTACT AND SEARCH HAD NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 241955H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO B RECEIVED 30 RDS SA FIRE AT (AT 890835): FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 251300H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C FIRED THREE RDS M.79 AT MAN WHO DIDN'T HALT WHEN CHALLENGED AT (AT 876713). INDIVIDUAL EVALUED PATROL AND COULDN'T BE LOCATED.

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B. MINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRE	EAM N	S _U D D	AD N	PLATOON N	COMPA D	NY N
LISTENING POST		25					
AMHUSH				48			
RECON PATROL	3			19			
SEARCH & DESTROY			19	28	5	1	
SUB TOTAL	3	25	19	95	5	1	
TOTAL - 148							

- (2) 1ST 88. 9TH MARINES. AT 242030H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO B MOVING THROUGH VILLAGE SOUTH OF TRA RRE (3) (BT 075667) RECEIVED FIVE RDS SA AND ONE GRENADE: FIRE RESURRED, AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. BETWEEN 242145H AND 242240H SID. 150°S PECKED UP MOVEMENT VIC (BT 063678) AND BIRY D 12TH MARINES (BT 064680) RECEIVED TWENTY RDS SA. FIRE RETURNED AND ONE VC SLEN HIT AND DRAGGED OFF. AT 250320H CO B PATROL BASE (BT 044688) OBSERVED FOUR VC ARMED WITH RIFLES ABOUT 500 METERS EAST OF THEIR BASE. THREE 60MM RDS FIRED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 250415H CO D SQUAD PATROL ENGAGED EST SIX VC AT (BT 056644). PATROL FIRED WITH SA, M-79, AND SHOTGUNS AND VC FLED WITH POSSIBLE KIA AND WIA. AT 251100H CO A PLT (BT 109635) ON S&D CUT OF PATROL BASE RECEIVED ABOUT FIFTY RDS SA FROM VC POSITION 400 METERS SOUTHWEST. 150 RDS SA RETURNED AND VC PURSUED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 242035H CO E SUAD BLOCK ON SONG VIN DIEN (BT 031650) RECEIVED ABOUT TWENTY RDS SA FROM POSITION ABOUT 200 METERS SOUTHWEST. FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 251600H CO F SUSTAINED THREE WIA AT (AT 999637) WHEN BOOBY TRAP EXPLODED.

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(4) 3D BN. 3D MAKINES. AT 250300H H&S CO SJUAD CAU DO RIVER BLOCK

(AT 971699) SANK BOAT WITH SA FIRE: VC CASUALTIES, IF ANY, UNKNOWN. AT 251330H

CO M RECEIVED VC RALLIER IN AN TRACH (1) (AT 970664).

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C. 12TH MARINES.

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D. THIRD RECON BM.

(1) BOX SOURES.

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	D .	a D a	D	N
SCOUT SNIPER	6			
AMBUSH				4
RECON PATROL		2	6	4
SUB TOTAL	6	2	6	8
TOTAL - 22				

E. 3D SNOR BN. 67 ENGLINEERS CONDUCTED 15 SWEEPS IN SUPPORT OF THREE INFANTRY BATTALIONS IN THE DAMANG TACK.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FIRST MARINES.

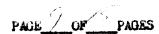
(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRET D	EAM N	<u>S.J.</u> D	AD H	PLATOON D N
LISTENING POST	2	3			
AMBUSE		28		5	
RECON PATROL				6	
SECURITY PATROL	3	2	2	9	1
SUB TOTAL	5	33	2	20	1

TOTAL - 61

(2) 1ST BW. 4TH MARINES. AT 242125H, A FIRE TEAM PATROL FROM HAS CO
APPREHENDED ONE VCS AT (BT 476100) FOR LACK OF PROPER IDENTIFICATION.

AT 251115H. A SJUAD FROM CO B MANNING AN OUTPOST AT (BT 461145) RECEIVED ONE RD OF SA FIRE FROM (BT 457135). A FIRE TEAM WAS DISPATCHED TO CHECK THE AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.



B. SEVENTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

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SCOUT SNIPER	3							
LISTERING POST		23						
AMBUSH		2		4				
RECON PATROL			3	3	1	1		
SECURITY PATROL	2	3	2	1	3	4		
SEARCH & DESTROY				2	1		1	1
SUB TOTAL	5	28	5	10	5	5	1	1
TOTAL 60								

(2) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 241920H. A TWO MAN WIRE TEAM FROM HAS CO.

LAYING WIRE AT (BT 533009) RECEIVED 30.40 RDS SA FIRE FROM THREE_FOUR VC AT

(BT 530010). THE WIRE TEAM RETURNED 60 RDS OF 7.62. A FIRE TEAM FROM CO K

WAS DISPATCHED TO SEARCH THE AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 250900H, A SJUAD PATROL FROM CO K RECEIVED 20-30 RIS SA FIRE FROM AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC AT (BS 576947). THE SJUAD AT (BS 574941) RETURNED FIRE AND ASSAULTED THE VC POSITION BUT THE VC BROKE CONTACT. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES.

AT 251230H. A SUNAD PATROL FROM CO K APPREHENDED SIX VCS VIC (BS 578935).

THE VCS WERE PASING AS FARMERS BUT THEY HAD A VC FLAG AND SOME VC DOCUMENTS

IN THEIR POSSESSION.

AT 251410H, CO K REPORTED SEEING SIX VC WITH WEAPONS RUNNING WEST ON A ROAD AT (BS 547914). THE VC WERE SEEN BY AN AO WHO CALLED IN AIR SUPPORT. THE VC WERE FIRED ON BY AN ARMED UH...1E WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

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C. ARTILLERY BY GROUP.

(1) ARTY BOX SCORES.

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105H	254	5	6	265	

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAN D N	PLATOON D N
SCOUT SNIBER	2	
AMBUSH		2
RECON PATROL		2 2
SUB TOTAL	2	2 4
TOTAL - 8		

4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS.

A. 2D BN 1ST MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

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AMBUSH		11		
RECON PATROL			1 7	L
SECURITY PATROL		15		
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TOTAL - 28				

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B. 4TH BATTALION, 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

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5. PLANS SUMMARY.

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	<u>Firet</u> U	EAM N	SJU/ D	N D	TOCN N	D	PANY
SCOUT SNIPER	10						
LISTENING POST	2	55					
AMMUSH		25		88	6		
RECON PATROL	9	1	2	16 5	5		
SECURITY PATROL	7	9	21	41 2	2		
SEARCH & DESTROY			18	28 5	2	2	1
SUB TOTAL	28	90	41	173 1	2 15	2	1
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B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 120 PATROLS AND 119 AMBUSHES DURING THE MEXT TWENTY-FOUR ROOMS.

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THIRD MARINE DIVISION SITREP NUMBER 265 AS OF 261000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIV HIGHLIGHTS.

A. THIRD MARDIV BOX SCORES.

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LISTENING POST	5	59						
AMBUSH		12		91		L,		
RECON PATROL	7	4	5	16	3	3		
SECURITY PATROL	7	4	21	41	3	2		
SEARCH & DESTROY			23	34	5	2	3	2
SUB TOTAL	29	79	49	182	11	11	3	2
TOTAL - 326						ndia alia	,	٨

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AT 907687	252015H	PLT	Sad	A/1/1 NONE	UNA/NONE
AT 912688	252230H	PLT	S&D	A/1/1 5 WIA	UNK/1 LIA, 2 wla
AT 888704	261230H	PLT	S&ည်	C/1/1 NONE	UNK/MUNE
AT 908664	2615454	SQD	5 &D	B/1/1 NOME	UNA/ 2 VCo
AT 889709	26163 <i>5</i> H	النهاك	5&0	C/1/1 3 WIA	UNK/NONE
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BT 052753	260100H	S _U D	л М В	13/9 NONE	UNK/UNK
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C. DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS. GOOD WEATTER PREVAILED THROUGHOUT
THE ENGLAYES AS THIRD MARINE DIVISION UNITS MADE 30 CONTACTS WITH
VC ELECTRICS WHILE COMDUCTING 326 OFFENSIVE ACTIONS. DURING THE
REPORTING PERIOD NINE VC WERE KILLED, THREE WIA AND CAPTURED AND
TWELVE VCG APPRIHENDED.

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- 2. DA MANG OPERATIONS.
 - A. THIRD MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

-	FIRE!	MAE'T N	squ D	AD N	PLAT D	OON N
LISTENING POST	5	1.				
AMBUSH				33		
SECRETY PATROL			6	17		
SEARCH & PESTROY					2	2
SUB TOTAL	5	1	6	50	2	2
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(2) <u>1ST BN. 1st MARINES</u>. AT 251740H CO C PLT DETONATED A BOOBY TRAP AT (AT 887712) THREE USMC WIA. AT 252015H CO A PLT RECEIVED SEVEN RDS 81MM MORTAR. SEARCH OF AREA BEING CONDUCTED FOR DUDS AND CRATERS. INCOMING RDS HIT IN VIC (AT 907687).

AT 252230H CO A SQUAD ENGAGED FIVE OR SIX VC AT (AT 912688) WHILE MOVING TO AMBUSH SITE. VC RETURNED FIRE AND BROKE CONTACT. 5 USMC WIA, 1 VC KIA, 2 VC WIA POSSIBLE. RECOVERED M14 RIFLE WITH TWO MAGAZINES, 1 CHICOM GRENADE AND TWO M-26 GRENADES. AT 261230H CO) C PLT RECEIVED TWO RDS SA AT (AT 888704) FROM SOUTH BANK OF SONG TUY LOAN. FIRE RETURNED. AREA NOT SEARCHED DUE TO RIVER BEING UNFORDABLE.

AT 261545H CO B SQUAD APPREHENDED TWO VCS AT (AT 908664).

AT 261635H CO C PLT PATROL DETONATED BOOBY TRAP AT (AT 889709) THREE USMC WIA.

B. NINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETE	AM N	<u>ຣ</u> ູບ D	AD N	PLATOON D N	COMPA D	N
SCOUT SHIPFR	2						
LISTENING POST		29					
AMBUSH		4					
RECON PATROL	3	4		11			
SECURITY PATROL					1		
SEARCH & DESTROY			20	32	3	2	1
SUB TOTAL	5	37	20	86	I_{\bullet}	2	1
TOTAL - 155							

A BOOBY TRAP AT (BT 034679). BOOBY TRAP SUSPECTED AS 81MM HE RD. FOUR USMC WIA. AT 260045H CO L SQUAD AMBUSH AT (BT 048755) FIRED ON SIX VC VIC (BT 041756) VC RETURNED SA FIRE AND FLED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. THE AMBUSH RETURNED TO CP AND WHILE ENROUTE FIRED ON TWO VC VIC (BT 052753). AREA CHECKED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 260830H CO A PLT LOCATED FOUR VC IN BUNKER AT (BT 128635) VC REFUSED TO COME OUT OF BUNKER WHEN DIRECTED TO DO SO BY ARVN SOLDIER WITH PLT. BUNKER WAS BLOWN. TWO VC KIA, 1 VC WIA 1 VC CAPTURED. AT 26093 H CO D SQUAD PATROL DETONATED BOOBY TRAP AT (BT 050648). TWO USMC WIA. ENGINEERS SENT TO CHECK AREA FOR OTHER POSSIBLE BOOBY TRAPS. UPON ARRIVAL 1 VC RAN FROM TREE LINE VIC (BT 050648) VC IGNORED ORDERS TO HALT AND WAS KIA. TREE LINE CHECKED. 4 M-26 BOOBY TRAP GRENADES FOUND AND DESTROYED. AT 261000H CO C PLT APPREHENDED 1 VCS AT (BT 036687). AT 260940H CO C PLT APPREHENDED 1 VCS AT (BT 036687). AT 260940H CO C PLT APPREHENDED 1 VCS AT (BT 037687).

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AT 261410H CO D APPREHENDED 1 VCS AT (B 042652).

- (AT 991643) RECEIVED 15 RDS SA FROM (AT 991637) FIRE RECURNED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 260615H BN CP (AT 995679) RECEIVED 5 RDS SA FROM UNKNOWN POSITION. AREA ILLUMINATED. NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 261040H SQUAD AT (BT 045702) DETONATED BOOBY TRAP. ONE USMC WIA. AT 26125H CO G PLT OBSERVED TUNNEL AT (BT 041704). SEALED WITH BRICKS. 1 MARINE CRAWLED INTO TUNNEL. VC THREW GRENADE. MARINE WIA RETURNED FIRE AND WITHDREW FROM TUNNEL. 2 CS GRENADES AND 1 FRAGMENTATION GREDADE THROWN INTO TUNNEL. NEGATIVE RESULTS. MARINES DUG INTO CAVE AND USED SA FIRE. THREE VC KIA ETARING GAUZE MASKS. RECOVERED THREE RUSSIAN CARBINES, ONE US CARBURE AND ONE M-1 RIFLE. AT 261207H CO E SQUAD AT (BT 013634) RECEIVED SIX RDS SA FIRE FROM (BT 010633). REPORTED VC LOCATION WAS IN VIC SO F SQUAD PATROL. NO FIRE RETURNED. NEGATI E RESULTS.
- (4) 30 BH, 3D MARINES. AT 51810H CO L SQUAR PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VGS AT (AT 951-72). AT 260955H GO L SQUAR FOUND BOOBY TRAP AT (AT 955664) CONSISTING OF TWO M-26 GRENADES. DESTROYED IN PLACE

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C. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBE	R MISS	IONS	SUPPO	DRTING
	OBS	H&I	TOTAL	MAF	RVN
155G		9	9	9	
155H	1	96	97	97	
105H	9	224	233	224	9
8 _{nH}		20	20	15	5
	ROUNI	S EXPE	ENDED		
	HE	ILL			
155G	9				
155H	102				
105H	468	85			
8 _n H	20				

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D. THIRD RECON BN.

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(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	<u>ଓ</u> ୍ବୀ D	JAD N	PLA D	TOON N
SCOUT SMIPER	4				
AMAUESI			4		2
RECON PARROL		4	4	2	2
SUB TOTAL	4	14	8	2	4
TOTAL + 22					

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS

A. FIRST MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRE	Taam N	D D	iad N	PLATOON D N
LISTENIEG POST		3			
AMBITE		6		ı	
SUCURITY PATROL	5	1	6	8	
SUB TOTAL	5	10	ϵ	9	
TOTAL - 30					

(2) LET BN. ATH MARIN S. AT 252245H THE H&S GO WATERBORNE PATROL APPRISENDED ONE VCS IN A BOAT WITH NO ID CARD.

AT 252255N THE H&S CO WATERBORNE PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VCS IN A BOAT WITH NO ID CARD.

B. SEVENTE MARTIES.

(1) BOX 300RES.

	F TEL		SO	W	1	TOP	D COM	PATE
LISTENING POST		26		÷				
AMBUSH		2		7		1		
RECON PATROL	4.							
SECURITY PATROL	2	3	1	2	2	2		
SEARCH & DESTROY			3	2			1	1
SUB TOTAL	6	31	4	11	2	3	1	1
TOTAL - 59								

(2) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 251825H A PATROL FROM CO K RECEIVED ONE INCOMING RIFLE GRENADE VIC (BS 57192). PATROL SUSTAINED TWO WIA.

AREA WAS SEARCHED, NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 260615H CO K RECEIVED AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE VIC (BS 545911).

AT 260910H PATROL FROM CO K RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM UNKNOWN NO. OF VIC (BS 555903). PATROL SUSTAINED TWO WIA, AREA SEARCHED, NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 261120H CO K RECEIVED SEVERAL RDS OF SA FIRE VIC (BS 556904).

SEARCHED AREA APPREHENDING ONE VCS. PATROL OBSERVED BLOOD STAINS AND
SEARCHED OUT THE HOUSES IN THE AREA APPREHENDING TWO MORE VCS.

AT 261633H GO K PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VCS DURING A SEARCH OF THE VILLAGE PHUOC THUAN (2) VIC (BS 558915).

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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP.

(1) ARTY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBI	er Missi	OMS	•	SUPPORTING
	OBS	UNOBS	HeI	TOTAL	XAP
155H	2		10	12	12
105H	8	1	27	36	36
107HT	4		13	17	17
	ROUNI	S EXPEN	DRO		
	HE	ILL	TOTAL		
155H	59	6	65		
105H	315		315		
1 0264	3 22		1 22		

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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM	SQUAD D N	PLAT D	NOON.
SCOUT SNIPER	2			
AMBUSH		1		1
RECON PATROL		1 1	1	1
SUB TOTAL	2	1 2	1	2
TOTAL - 8				

4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS.

A. 20 BN. 1ST MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

AMBUSH 12
SECURITY PATROL \$ 14
SUB TOTAL \$ 26

(2) 2D BN. 1ST MARINES. AT 25235CH CO H RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM TWO VC AT (YD 901136). FIRE RETURNED. AREA SEARCHED. MEGATIVE RESULTS.

B. ATH BN. 12TH MARINES.

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES.

	NUMBI	ER MISSI	ONS		SUP
	OBS	UNOBS	Hei		MAF
155H	1	3	10		14
105H		3	-80		83
107HT	13				13
	ROUN	DS EXPEN	DED		
	HE	WP			
155H	8 3	6			
105H	2 7	1.*			
107HT	108	12			

5. PLANS SUMMARY.

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES.

	40 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 -	FIRM	FIRETEAM		SQUAD		PLATOON		AHT
SCOUT SNIPER	: : :	7	N		W	D		· D	
LISTENING POST			63						
AMBUSH			10		91		2		
RECON PATROL		7		5	20	2	2		
SECURITY PATROL		6	12	22	41	4	3		
SEARCH & DESTROY				16	25	7	1	1	1
SUB TOTAL		20	85	43	177	13	8	1	1
TOTAL - 348							1		

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 88 PATROLS AND 103 AMBUSHES DURING THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

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THIRD MARINE DIVISION SITREF NUMBER 266 AS OF 271GOOZ JAN 19

THIRD MARDIV HIGHLIGHTS.

THIRD MARDIV BOX SCORES.

A. <u>1110</u>	FIRET	EAN	SCUA	P	PLATS	4		f
SCOUT SNIPER	8							
LISTENING POST		64						
AMBUSH		12		93		2		
RECON PATROL	7'	1	10	20	6	3		
SECURITY PATROL	9	12	28	5	4	3	Ĭ.	•
SEARCH & DESTROY			18	7	6	2	1	1
SUB TOTAL	24	89	56	131	. 16	10	1	1
TOTAL - 368								

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B. DIVISION CONTACTS.

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	ACT: SIZE		PRINEDRY UNIT/ LOSSES	ENRMY UNIT/
QUANG NAM AT 872704	2 6203 0	PLT	3/ D	A/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 895715	262270H	PLT	s/D	C/1/1/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 913683	262225H	SQD	SEC	A/1/1/2WIA	UNK/UNK
AT 900824	27040H	SQD	S/D	A/1/1/NOME	UNK/1KIA
AT 894801	262045H	CO	CP	B/1/3/MONE	UMK/UMK
AT 888826	262130H	2MEN	CK PT/	D/1/3/2KIA	UNK/UNK
AT 916827	27081.0H	PLT	s/D	C/1/3/HONE	UNK/14CS
AT 900824	270930H	PLT	3/D	C/1/3/NONE	UNK/4 VCS
AT 883833	271330H	PLT	s/D	D/1/3/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 961685	270725H	PLT	S/D	1/3/3/NONE	UNE/LVCS
BT 078667	261800H	SQD	RECON	A/1/9/1WIA	UNK/SKIA
BT 981.696	261815H	SQD	CP	B/1/9/1VIA	UNK/2VIA
BT 052753	262230H	SQD	8/D	1/3/9/1WIA	UMK/UMK
BT 037654	262300H	SQD	8/D	D/1/9/6WIA	UNK/1KIA
BT 068689	270930H	SQD	RECOM	D/2/12/NONE	UNK/IKIA
BT 067707	271100H	SQD	s/D	C/1/9/WONE	UNK/1VCS
BT 046674	271315H	SQD	3/D	C/1/9/HONE	UNK/1VCS
AT 999699	262120H	SQD	AMB	H/2/9/NOWE	THK MIN
AT 999699	262125H	S QD	AMB	H/2/9/MONE	UNK/UNK
AT 998637	271015H	SQD	PAT	F/2/9/NONE	UNK/UNK
AT 992640	271225H	BQD	PAT	7/2/9/1WIA	UNK/OME 3 KIA ; 2 WIA
AT 987663	271530R	SQD	S/D	F/2/9/HONE	UNK/14CS

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PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/		CTION	PRIMEDLY UNIT/	LOSSES
QUANG TIN BY 459072	270210H	800	A)B†	D/1/4/NONE	UNIK/UNIK
BT 458143	270220H	sen.	AMB	B/1/4/5KIA	WEK/WEK 6-10 PBOB
BT 443056	270900H	SQD	RECON	A/1/4/NONE	UNIK/UNIK

C. <u>DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS</u>. THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION CONDUCTED 368 AGGRESSIVE ACTIONS IN THE CONTINUING SEARCH FOR THE VIET CONG. CLEAR AND WARM WEATHER IMPROVED THE MOBILITY OF THE WHEELED AND TRACKED VEHICLES AND THE IMPANTRYMAN, AND ENABLED GROUND AND AIR SURVEILLANCE UNITS TO EXTEND THE SEARCH FOR THE VC. 25 CONTACTS WERE MADE IN THE DA NAME, CHU LAI AND PHU BAI ENCLAVES. SID'S AND SCOUT SHIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED THROUGHOUT, BUT DID NOT MAKE CONTACT.

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2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.

A. THIRD MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	BIRETEAN SQUAD		PLATOON		COMPANT	
AMBUŠH			23			
SECURITY PATROL		6	17			
SEARCH & DESTROY				6	2	
SUB TOTAL		6	50	6	2	
TOTAL 64						

- (2) 1ST RN. 1ST MARINES. AT 262030H PLT PATROL FROM CO
 A RECEIVED 15 RDS SA FIRE AT (AT 872704) FROM THREE DIRECTIONS.

 FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 262220H
 PLT PATROL FROM CO C RECEIVED APPROX TWENTY RDS SA FIRE AT (AT 895715):

 FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. AT 262225H SQUAD PATROL FROM
 CO A RECEIVED SA FIRE AND ONE HAND GRENADE AT (AT 913683) RESULTING
 IN TWO USMC WIA. FIRE RETURNED AND CONTACT BROKEN BY VC. SQUAD
 FROM CO A CONDUCTING SEARCH OF HOI VUC (AT 870708) SURPRISED TWO
 VC IN HUT: VC RAN AND MARINES SPOTTED ONE HIDING UNDERWATER IN
 SONG TUT LOAN AND SHOT AND KILLED HIM AT 270740H. OTHER VC ESCAPED.
- (3) 1ST BN. 3D MARINES. AT 262045H CO B CP (AT 894801)

 RECEIVED SA FIRE. FIRE RETURNED WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS. CO D DISPATCHED PATROL TO LOCATION ALONG SONG CA DE (AT 888826) WHEN TWO
 MAN CHECK POINT DID NOT RETURN. AT 26213CH MARINES WERE FOUND

 KILLED BY GUNSHOT WOUNDS. ONE M-14 AND ONE CAL. .45 PISTOL MISSING.

 AT 27081CH 30 YEAR OLD MALE WITHOUT PAPERS APPREHENDED AS YCS AT

(AT 916827) BY PLT PATROL FROM CO C. AT 27093CH SAME PATROL APPREHENDED FOUR VCS AT (AT 900824). PLT PATROL FROM CO D RECEIVED TWO RDS SA FIRE AT 27293CH AT (AT 483833).

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B. MINTH HARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES

	Breini	SCHAD DD I	BIATOON
LISTENING POST	31		
AMBUSH		38	
RECON PATROL	3 1	1 15	
SECURITY PATROL		5 10	3 1
SBARCH & DESTROY		17 5	
SUB TOTAL	3 32	23 65	3 1
TOTAL - 128			

(2) 1ST BN, 9TH MARINES. REINPORCED SQUAD FROM GO B HELILIFTED AT 2617A1H FROMBMAE TO (BT 065692) TO EXPLOIT WE CONTACT MADE BY BTRY D 2D BN, 12TH MARINES. AREA SEARCHED WITH HEGATIVE RESULTS AND SQUAD PROCEEDED TO PREARRANGED PICK UP POINT AT (BT 067688) WHERE SQUAD EMBARKED IN HELOS AT 2616AH FOR RETURN FLIGHT TO MOMAP. AT THIS TIME SQUAD PATROL FROM GO B MAS ENGAGED IN FIRE FIGHT WITH APPROX 25 VC DIGGING TREMCHLINE VIC (BT 678667). SQUAD PATROL SUPPORTED BY \$1°S AND TANKS. SQUAD (REIN) FROM GO B WAS DIVERTED IN THE AIR TO LAND AT (BY 078668) TO REINFORCE GO B PATROL BY PROVIDING BASE OF FIRE AND ALLOWING CO B PATROL TO ASSAULT THE VC POSITION. UH-LE'S WITH HELOS FLEM ATE STRIKE AT THIS TIME ON VC POSITION. RESULTS OF COMBINED ASSAULT WERE THREE SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS AND SEARCH OF TRENCHLINE DISCLOSED THREE VC ETA BY GROUND FIRE AND TWO VC EBA. ONE USING WIA.

SQUAD FROM CO B AT (BT ()81696) AT 261815H RECEIVED APPROX
250 RDS SA PIRE INCL AT LEAST ONE AW FROM EST \$-10 VC CAUSING ONE
WIA. HEAVY PIRE RETURNED LICLUDING SING. TWO VC WERE SHEN TO BE

HIT AND FELL AND TWO ADDITIONAL WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE BREN HIT BY N-79 RD THAT LANDED IN THEIR FIRING POSITION. AT 26223CH SQUAD PATROL FROM GO L, 3D BN, 9TH MARINES (DPCON 1ST BN, 9TH MARINES) AT (BT 052753) ENGAGED EST 15 VC. PATROL SUSTAINED ONE WIA: VC GASUALITIES UNKNOWN. SQUAD PATROL OBSERVED MAN ACTING SUSPICIOUSLY AROUND GATE AT 26223CH AT (BT 037654). MAN RAN WHEN PATROL APPROACHED AND PATROL KILLED HIM. IN ENSUING ACTION PATROL TRIPPED BOOBY TRAP RESULTING IN SIX MINOR WIA. AT 27093CH BTRY D, 2D BN 12TH MARINES PATROL DISCOVERED VC BOUT AT (BT 068689) WHICH WAS BOOBY TRAPPED, WITH GRENADE. GRENADE BLOWN IN PLACE. AT 271315H CO C SQUAD PATROL APPREHENDED ONE VCS AT (BT 067707). AT 271315H CO C SQUAD PATROL APPREHENDED ONE WCS VIC KHAI TAY (2) AT (BT 046674).

(3) 2D BH. 9TH MARINES. AT 262120H SQUAD AMBUSH FROM CO H OBSERVED TWO PERSONS IN RICE PADDY. FIRED TWO RDS HAND ILLUM AND FOUR RDS SA RND ONE MAN SEER TO FALL. AREA SEARCHED AND BLOOD FOURI ON GROUND. AT 262125H THREE RDS SA RECEIVED BY CO H SQUAD AMBUSH AT (AT 999699). AT 271015H SQUAD FROM CO F RECEIVED FIVE RDS SA FIRE AT (AT 998637). AT 271825H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F AT (AT 992640) RECEIVED APPROX 11 RDS SA FIRE. EIGHT RDS SIMM FIRED. ESTIMATE TWO POSSIBLE VC WIA'S. THREE 900M RDS FIRED AND DIRECT HIT ON GROUP TWREE VC QUEENED. ONE MARINE WIA. ESTIMATE THREE VC KIA AND TWO WIA. AT 271530H SQUAD PATROL FROM CO F APPREHENDED ONE VCS AT (AT 987669).

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(3) 3D BE. 3D HARIES. THREE PLATOON CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATION OF SOMO YERMAREA (AT 957679) COMEUCTED FROM 270645H TO 271145H BY CO 1 WITH EMPHASIS ON UNDERWATER CAVES. MUMEROUS CAVES DESTROYED AND ONE SUBKEN BOAT DESTROYED AT (AT 958679). AT 270725H TWO VCS ATTEMPTED ESCAPE AND MARINES OPENED FIRE. ONE ESCAPED AND ONE VCS CAPTURED AT (AT 961685).

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C. 12TH MARINES

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES

	WHEE	MISSION	<u>S</u>		
	OBS	WORS	HAI	THAL	
1550			8	8	
15 5 H	1		20	21	
10 5 H	5		323	328	
8. K			11	11	
	RCURL	S EXPEND	<u>Φ</u>		
1550	HE	TOTAL			
1550	8	8	į.		
1558	31	31			
10 5 H	565	565			
8° H	11	11			

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D. THIRD RECOR

(1) BOX SCORES

	1 - 143 1 - 143	FIRE	EAN.	ŠIIA	D	PLAT	XOE
SOUT SAIPE	Ł	D 4	ı	D	X	D	N
AMBUSE					_		
RECON PATROL					4		1
	,			6	4	2	1
SUB TOTALS		4		6	8	2	_
TOTAL _ 22					•	~	2

E. 3D ENGR BM. 68 ENGRS COMMICTED 16 SMEEPS IN SUPPORT OF 3 IMPARTRY BMS IN THE DAHANG TAGE. BOOBY TRAP FOUND VIC HILL 22 (AT 955664) CONSISTING OF 2 H26 CHEMADES WITH PINS HULLED, PLACED UNDER HALF SECTION OF BANBOO. SPOOMS HELD IN PLACE BY WEIGHT OF GRENADES. ENGRS WITHEREN SAFE DISTANCE AND FULLED TRIP WIRE ATTACHED TO BANBOO. AS BANBOO MOVED GRENADES FLIPPED SEVERAL FEET IN AIR BY SPRING TENSION IN SPOON. BOTH EXPLORED. NO CASUALTINS.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

A. FIRST NATURES

(1) BOX SCORES

	PIRET	EAH	SCHAD D N	PLATOON
LISTENING POST		3		å T
AMBUSR		12	34) %
RECON PATROL				
SECURITY PATROL	7	9	8 6	
SUB TOTAL	7	24	8 9	
TOTAL - 48		1		1 1 1

(2) 1ST BN. ATH MARINES. AT 270210H, & SQUAD AMBUSH PROM/
CO D AT (BT 459072) RECEIVED FOUR RDS SA FERE FROM (BT 461078).

NO FIRE RETURNED DUE TO DISTANCE AND UNCERTAINTY AS TO LOCATION
OF ENEMY. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES.

AT 27022CH, A SQUAD AMBUSH PROM CO B AT (BT458143) WAS
ATTACKED BY 20-30 VC. THE VC INITIATED THE ATTACK WITH 4 OR 5
GOOM MORTAR RDS AND AW PIRE, SUSPECTED TO BE FROM A .50 CAL. MG
LOCATED VIC (BT 457147). THE INITIAL PIRING WAS IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWED BY APPROXIMATELY FIVE GRENADES THROWS INTO THE SQUAD'S
POSITION, KILLING THE SQUAD LEADER AND THE RADIOMAN IMMEDIATELY.
THE VC THEN THREW GRENADES AND FIRED SA AT THE MARINE MACRINE GUN
AND 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHER POSITIONS. AFTER THE ATTACK, THE REMAINDER
OF THE SQUAD IMMEDIATELY REGROUPED AND SET UP HASTY DEFENSES AT
(BT 458142) AND RETURNED FIRE, POSSIBLY KILLING SIX VC, WHO WERE
OBSERVED BEING DRAGGERGAMATOP THEADESTACK CAME FROM A SOUTHERLY

DIRECTION, THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION FROM THAT IN WHICH THE AMBUSH WAS ORIENTED. TWO SIGNIFICANT POINTS SHOULD BE NOTED: (1) THE VC APPEARED TO KNOW WHERE THE SQUAD OP AND THE MACHING GUNWERE LOCATED AND (2) THE VC RAIDING PARTY TRAVERSED MORE THAN 200 METERS OF TERRITORY WELL COVERED BY TRIP FLARES WITHOUT TRIGGERING ANY OF THEM. IN THE COURSE OF ENGAGEMENT THE FOLLOWING FRIENDLY EQUIPMENT WAS LOST:

1 - M79 GRENADE LAUNCHER 1 - PACK

1 - M1/ RIFLE

6 - CARTRIDGE BELTS

1 - 3.5" ROCKET LAUNCHER 1 - MAGAZINE POUCH

1 - PRC-6 RADIO

5-6 RDS .45 AMMO

2 - 45 PISTOLS

17 RDS M79 AMMO

1 - BAYONET

360 RDS 7.62 RIFLE AMMO

2-MAGAZINES, M14

350 RDS 7.62 LINKED AMMO

AT 270900H, A CO A SQUAD PATROL LOCATED AT (BT 443056) RECEIVED ONE RD OF SNIPER FIRE FROM AN UNDETERMINED ORIGIN. NO FIRE RETURNED, NO CASUALTIES.

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11 26%

B. SEVENTH MARINES

(1) BOX SCORES

1	FIRET	<u>EAM</u> N	San	AD N	PLATO D	ON R	CANPA D	<u>K</u>
SCOUT SNIPER	2			•	-		-	
LISTERING POST		30						
AMBUSH				2				
RECON PATROL	4		2					
SECURITY PATROL	2	3	1	4	4	3		
SEARCH & DESTROY			1	2			1	1
SUB TOTAL	8	33	4	8	4	3	1	1

TOTAL - 62

(2) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 271400H, A CO K SEARCH AND DESTROY OPN DISCOVERED A CAVE VIC (BS 555911). INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT THE CAVE CONTAINED THE BODY OF A DEAD VC, APPARENTLY KILLED BY A CAVEIN. THE CAVE WAS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY TEN FEET UNDERGROUND, WAS PIVE FEET HIGH, THREE FEET WIDE AND ABOUT 300 FEET LONG, WITH SIX ENTRANCES. THE CAVE WAS NOT FINISHED. INTERROGATION OF NEARBY VILLAGERS DISCLOSED THAT THE CAVE WAS DUB BY VC. THE CAVE WAS DESTROYED.

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C. ARTILLERY BE GROUP

(1) AKTILLERY BUX SCOKES.

	HUME	ER MIS	510N5			SUPPORTING				
	<u> </u>	H&I	UNOL	<u>s</u> T	PAL		HAF	ARVN		
1551	1	14			15		15			
105H	5	24			29		29			
105HT	4	1.5			19		19			
	ROUN	DS EXE	ENLED							
	<u>HE</u>	111	wP	TOTAL						
155H	150			150						
105H	276		1	277						
107HT	116	6		122						

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B. RECON GROUP ALPHA.

(1) BOX 5001655

	FIRETE D	<u>∆⊬</u> N	<u>54).</u> D	AD N	PIATO	N N
SOUT SHIPER	2					
AMBUSH				1		1
RECON PATROL			1	1	1	1
SUB TOTAL	2		1	2	ı	2
TOTAL = 8						

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4. HU BAI OPERATIONS.

A. 2D BN. 1ST MARCINES

(1) BOX 5 COIGS

	FIRETEAN D N	S.DA	D N	PLATOON O	<u> </u>	m <u>Pany</u> N
AMBUSH			12			
SECURITY PATROL		8	14			
SUB TOTAL		8	26	,		7 (1)
TOTAL _ 34						

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B. 4TH BN. 12TH MARINES

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES

	NUMB	R MIS	SIONS			SUPPORTING
	ons	UNCE	<u>s</u> H	4	TOTAL	MAE
15知	3	4	6	1	6 8	68
105H	1	Ł,		53	58	58
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5. PLANS SUMMARY.

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SCUT SNIPER	8							
LISTENING FOST		32						
AMBUSII		49	5	94	1	3		
RECON PATROL	3	1.	17	23	3	2		
SECURITY PATROL	15	17	14	33	1.	2		
SEARCH AND DESTROY			24	29	5	2	1	1
SUB TOTAL	26	108	60	179	10	9	1	1.
TOTAL - 394								

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 131 PATROLS AND 152AMBUSHES IDEANG
THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

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THIRD MARINE DIVISION SITNEY NUMBER 267 AS OF 2810002 JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIY HIGHLIGHTS

A. THIRD MARDLY BOX SOURES

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SOUT SHIPER	6 -						
INSTERNING POST		58					
AMBUSH		16	13	70 1	3		
RECON PATROL	· 6	1	6	17 2	2		
SECURITY PATROL	8 a#1 1 3 4 4 5 4	14	14	26 1	2		
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B. DIVISION CONTACTS.

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BT 032663	272000H	للهات	Ja C	L/2/9 NONE	OHETURE
BT 995631	2721154	FT	FB	F/2/9 NONS	UAK/2-14 (POSS KIA)
AT 987682	1621082	$\sim \infty$	LEK	R&S/2/9 HONE	UNK/URE
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AT 996633	281250H	للهاق	Sab	F/2/9 NURE	UHA/okr
AT 972663	271850H	a	ł En	N/3/3 1 MA	UNE/UNE
AT 968688	281128H	PLT	5&D	K/3/3 1 WIA	UNK/UHF
AT 954666	28125Sii	للهاد	طظم	L/3/3 NONE	LHE/1 VG
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BT 425090	281050H	Œ	CLF	D/1/4 NONE	UNK/A VGS
BT 513073	281130H	Sull	C	C/1/4 NONE	UNE JUNE

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2. DANANG OPERATIONS

A. THIND MAKINGS

(1) BUX SUMES

	<u>5.4</u>	JAD_	PLAI D	CON.
AMBUSH		31		
SECURITY PATROL	5	19		
SEARCH AND DESTROY			2	2
SUB TUTAL	5	50	2	2
TOTAL - 59		*	·.	

- (2) 1ST BH. 1ST MARINES. AT 272130H A PLATOON OF CO C REC'D APPROX 8 RDS SA FIRE AT (AT 896726). FIRE RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 281020H PLATOON FROM CO B CHALLENGED MAN WHO MAN FROM PATROL AT (AT 910670). PATROL FIRED AND MOUNDED VC 1H THIGH: VC DIED BEFORE BVAC ACCOMPLISHED.
- (3) 1ST BN. 3D MARINES. AT 272149H SQUAD PATROL FE CO B FIRED AT FOUR VC AT (AT 879806) BUT VC ESCAPED.

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G. DIVILLION INTO LIGHTS.

- (1) CPERATION DUBLE BAGLE COMMENCED AT 280700H. DWZ 3D HAR DIV DEECTAL SITHERS.
- (2) 4 VC WELL KILLED MID 10 VCS APPREHENDED AS MARINE UNITS COMBUCTED
 330 ACTIONS AND GAINED 30 CONTACTS WITH VC ELEMENTS IN THE DAMANG. CHU LAI
 AND MU BAI ARCLAVES. CLEUDY SKIES AND SCATTERED RAIN SHOWERS RESUCED
 VISTABILITY IN THE SECLAVES DURING THE REPORTING PERCOD.

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B. NI WHI MARINES

(A) BUL SQUES

	PILE	<u>rak</u> N	8.1 D	AD T	PLATCON
SCOOT SHIPER					
LISTENING FOOT		26			
AMBUSH		1	13	27	
RECON PATROL	3	1		12	
SEARCH & DESTROY			18	33	2
SUB TOTAL	3	28	31	72	2
TOTAL - 136					

(2) 1ST BN. 9TH MARINES. AT 271830H PLT FROM CO A MOVING TO PPB RECEIVED ABOUT TEN RDS SA FIRE AT (BT 095653) FROM POSSIBLE FOUR VC. PLT MOVED THROUGH VC PSN SUSTAINING TWO WIA'S. IN SECOND BRIEF STAND VC FIRED TEN MORE RDS RESULTING IN TWO MOREUBERC WIA. LOST AND SEARCH FOR VC CASUALTIES PROVED NEGATIVE. AT 280640H TWO BOATS OBSERVED AT (BT 052644) MOVING NORTH ON SONG VINH DIEN; BOATS WERE CHALLENGED, FIRED AT AND DESTROYED. SEARCH FOR SURVIVORS PROVED NEGATIVE. AT 280800H CO D SQUAD PATROL AT (BT 068636) FIRED AT THREE VC AND OBSERVED ONE VC FALL AS VO RAN INTO VILLAGE. ARRA CEARCHED BUT NO CASUALTIES POUND. AT 280855H AO RESPORTED TWENTY VC VIC CAM SA (2) (BT 094643): ARTY MISSION RIRED AND AT 280945H REINFORCED SQUAD LANDED BY HELO AT (BT 090633). SEARCHED AND NEGATIVE CONTACT UNTIL 281230H WHEN TWO VIC LOCATED IN BUNKER. ONE VC CAME OUT TO SURRENDER AND SECOND THREW THREE GRENADES WOUNDING THREE MARINES. SURRENDERING VC RAN AND SQUAD PAGE 6 OF 16 PAGES

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FIRED KILLING HIM. OTHER VC ALSO KILLED.

- (3) 2D BH. 97R MARINES. AT 272000H CO E SQUAD AT BONG VINH DIEN BLOCK (BT 032663) FIRED TEN RDS SA AT VCS 400 METERS SOUTH OF SQUAD'S POSITION. AREA SEARCHED WITHINEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 272115H CO F FT AMBUSH (AT 995631) FIRED ON VC SQUAD APPROACHING FROM TEN METERS SOUTH ALONG EAST BANK OF RAILROAD WITH A SECOND VC SOUAD ALMOST ABREAST ON WEST BANK. FT LDR DIRECTED FIRE ON TWO AUTO RIFLES AND TWO VC OUT DOWN BY INITIAL BURST. VC DID NOT RETURN FIRM BUT MOVED TO ENVELOP AND FT WITHDREW AND ARTY MISSION CALLED. AT 280125H HAS CO PERIMETER PSN RECEIVED TWO RDS SA FIRE. AT 280900H CO F SQUAD PATROL AT (BT 008639) RECEIVED HEAVY SA FIRE FROM EST EIGHT VC NEAR BICH NAM (2) (BT 009639): PATROL RETURNED SA FIRE AND SIMM MISSION FIRED. ONE VC OBSERVED HIT BY FIRE BEFORE VC WITHDREW. AT 281100H CO F SQUAD PATROL AT (BT 008638) RECEIVED ONE RD SA FIRE THREE VC RUNNING AND ONE SHOT AND KILLED. ONE USN WIA. AT 281250H CO F SQUAD PATROL (AT 996633) RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM TURBE VC POSITIONS. SA AND SIMM RETURNED AND AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.
- (4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 271850H CO M PLT CP (AT 972663)

 RECEIVED TWENTY RDS BA FROM EST THREE VC VIC (AT 973660) AN TRACH

 (1). FIRE RETURNED AND VC PURSUED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. ONE

 USMC WIA. AT 281128H PLT PATROL FROM CO K DETONATED BOOBY TRAP

 RESULTING IN ONE WIA. AT 281215H CO L SQUAD AMBUSH APPREHENDED

 ONE VCS VIC LA CHAU (4) (AT 954666).

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(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCURES

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AMBUSH				3		1
RECON PATROL			4	4	1	1
SUB TOTAL		3	4	7	1	2
TOTAL - 17						

- THREE VC THREW GREWADES AT POSITION OF PLT PATROL AT (AT 903674)

 AT 271730R. PATROL FLRED AT VC KILLING ONE. ONE USING WIA.

 S. 3D TANK HR. AT 271915H TANK FR CO B FIRED 100 LOS 30 GAL AT UNIN NUMBER VC AT (AT 987637). ONE VC SEEM TO FALL. AT 281335H TANK FR CO B FIRED 100 LOS 35H TANK FR CO B FIRED 100 LOS 30 GAL AT UNIN NUMBER VC AT (AT 987637). ONE VC SEEM TO FALL. AT 281335H TANK TANKS.

 FM CO B FIRED 90MM AT UNK NUMBER VC (AT 960635) WHO WERE FIRED AT HEADS.

 RESULTS UNK.
- F. JU SHOR BN. 84 ENCIHEERS CONDUCTED 20 SHEEPS IN SUFFERT OF FOUR INFANTRY BATTALIONS IN THE DANAHG TACK.

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3. CHU LAI OPBRATIONS.

A. PIRST HARINES

(1) BOX SOURES

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AMBUSH	15	5	
SECURITY PATROL	5 11	. 6 6	
CLEARING		1	1
SUB TOTAL	5 29	6 11 1	
TOTAL - 53			

(2) 1ST BN. ATH MARINES. AT 280935H A PATROL FROM CO D
RECEIVED TWO RDS SA FIRE VIC (BT 440110). UNABLE TO OBSERVE EXACTLY
WHERE THE PIRE WAS COMING FROM PATROL CONTINUED TO THE AREA BUT UNABLE
TO MAKE FURTHER CONTACT.

AT 281015H A PATROL FROM CO D LOCATED VIC (BT 439098) RECEIVED SA AND AW FIRE FROM APPROX 15 VC VIC (BT 428094). FIRE WAS RETURNED WITH SA AND TWO RDS 3.5" ROCKET. TWO VC WERE OBSERVED TO FALL. AREA SEARCHE BUT NO BODIES WERE FOUND.

AT 281050H A PATROL FROM CO D APPREHENDED ONE VCS VIC (BT 425090)
VCS WAS SEEN IN AREA FROM WHICH THE SA FIRE WAS RECEIVED. TURNED
INTO TY TIN DISTRICT HQDRS.

281130H A SQUAD PATROL FROM CO C RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM VIC (BT 513073). OBSERVED 6-8 VC. SQUAD ASSAULT PSN BUT VC BROKE CONTACT AND PLED THE AREA.

AT 281503H A PLT FROM GO A RECEIVED SA FIRE FROM VIC (BT 444022)
TROM THREE VC. PLT ASSAULTED PSN BUT VC BROKE CONTACT AND FLED THE
AREA.

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B. SEVENTH MAKINES

(1) BCX 5000085

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SOLUT SNIPER	2	-			- 4		
LISTENING POST		29					
AMBUSH			В	1	1		
REON PATROL	3		1		7.4 12.		
SECURITY PATROL	3	3	3 1	1.	2		
SKARCH AND DESTROY			2	1		1	1
SUB TOTAL	8	32	6 9	3	3	1	1
TOTAL - 63					1		

(2) 3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 27201CH TWO RADIOMEN FROM CO L
OBSERVED THREE VIETNAMESE WITHIN THEIR COMPANY PSNS VIC (BS 543995).
VIETNAMESE TAKEN UNDER FIRE. SQUAD WAS DISPATCHED TO SEARCH THE AREA.
NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 280400H ONE VIETNAMESE ATTEMPTED TO INFILTRATE OP 35 WHICH WAS OCCUPIED BY CO L, VIC (BT 531004) WHEN HE ACTIVATED A TRIP FLARE. VIETNAMESE ESCAPED.

AT 280857H A PATROL FROM CO K APPREHENDED ONE VCS WHO TURNED HIMSELF INTO THE PATROL DISPLAYING A SAFE CONDUCT PASS #47792B. VCS STATED THERE ARE 30-50 VC OPERATING IN THE AREA.

AT 280955H A PATROL FROM CO K OBSERVED SEVEN VCS RUNNING VIC (BS 511939). ARTI WAS CALLED FORCING THEM TO HALT. THEY CLAIMED THEY WERE FROM THE VILLAGE OF BINH THANN AND WORK IN THE RICE PADDLES NEARBY.

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	HE	Lik	ME	OTHER.	TOTAL		
1550	16	,			16		
1554	70	1	1		72		
105H	231	24	6	16	277		
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D. RECON GROUP ALPHA

(1) BOX 6 (XXXES

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4. PHU BAL OPERATIONS

A. 2D BN ST MARINES

(1) BOX SOORES

AMBUSH 9
SECURITY PATROL 8 12
SUB TOTAL 8 21
TOTAL 29

(2) 2D BN. 1ST HARINES. AT 2720358 PLATOON OF COMBINED ACTION OF FIRED ON VC AT (XD 912118). AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 272030H CO H REC'D FIVE RED SA AND ONE DUD RIFLE GRENARE AT (YD 812169). FIRE RETURNED AND ALEA BEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS. PIVE VC FIRED AFROM 100 RES SA INTO CO G POSITION AT (YD 902143). FIRE RETURNED AND AREA DEARCHED WITH NEG RESULTS. ONE VC SEEN BEING DRAGGED AWAY.

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B. 4TH BATTALION, 12TH MAKINES

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(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES

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155H	51	6	5	62	
105H	209		20	229	

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5. PLANS SURMARY

A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

	FIRE!	EAH	541	AD N	BLA	ROOM N	D M COMEVRA
SOAT SHIFTE	8	1.5					
LISTENING POST		62					
AMPUSH		17		105		2	
RECON PATROL	7		7	16	2	2	
SECURITY PATHOL	7	13	25	40	6	1	
SEARCH AND DESTROY			18	34	6	2	1
SUB TOTAL	22	92	50	195	14	7	1
TOTAL - 381							

B. THE DIVISION WILL CONDUCT 126 PATROLS AND 124 ANDISHES JURING THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

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THIRD MARINE DIVISION SITHEP NUMBER 268 AS OF 291000Z JAN 1966

1. THIRD MARDIY HIGHLICHTS.

A. THIRD MARDLY BOX SOORES.

	PLRETE D	N	S(A)	AD N	PLATO	N N	COMPAI D	X N	BATTALION B N
SCOUT SNIPER	7				•				7
LISTENING POST	2	53							
AHBUSH		14		90		2			
RECON FATROL	3		6	5	2	2			
SECURITY PATROL	8	12	20	41	6	2			
SEARCH AND DESTROY			26	27	4	2	1	1	1
CLEARING						2			
SUB TOTALS	20	7 9	52	163	12	10	1	1	. 1
TOTAL = 339						į.			



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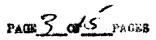
s. DIVISION CONTACTS.

PROVINCE/ COORDINATES	DATE/ TIME	SIRE SIRE	Tion Type	FRIENDLY UNIT/	enery unit/ losses
JUANG NAN AT 906818	28210 5 1	sąb	SEC	D/1/3/NONE	UNK/NONE
AT 946672	28203 5 H	5 இப	s/D	L/3/3/2WIA	UNK/UNK
AT 967616	262 145 1	TK	CP	1/3/3/NONE	UNK/1KIA(PROB)
AT 997707	290200H	ຣູມ	BALDOS	HQCO/9TH/HONE	UMK/UNK
AT 967616	2903284	TK	CIP	I/3/3/HONE	UNK/1KIA
AT 967695	290839H	CO	s/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1VCS
AT 955653	290856H	SąD	s/ 0	L/3/3/1WIA	UNK/UNK
AT 955699	290950H	CO	S/D	L/3/3/NORE	UNK/5VC5
AT 962696	291004H	CO	SID	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1VCS
AT 953651	291011H	c o	s/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1VCS
AT 949699	2 91025 H	c o	S/D	L/3/3/NONE	UNK/1VCS
AT 953651	291 03 0H	SQD	S/D	L/3/3/1WIA	•
BT 037643	291205H	SQD	s/D	1/3/3/NORE	UNK/UNK
AT 967642	291355H	PIII	5/D	1/3/3/NOME	UNK/UNK
вг 053713	281900H	PLT	CP	1/3/9/2#IA 3D AT/1#IA	nur/nuk nuk/nuk
BT 130626	291120H	BN	s/c	1/9/NUNE	UNK/2VCC
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BT 460119	282200H	FT	REC	H&S/1/4/NONE	UNK/2VCB
BT 507123	291005H	00	DEF PSN	B /1/4/NONE	UNK/NONE
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- C. OPERATION DOUBLE MAGIN. SEE SPECIAL SITEMPS.
- D. THE THIRD MARINE DIVISION GENERATED 339 AGGRESSIVE ACTIONS IN THE DANAMO.

 CHU LAI AND PHU DAI ENCLAVES AND MADE A TOTAL OF 19 CONTACTS WITH VC ELEMENTS.

 CLEAR WARM WEATHER ENABLED SUB-VEILLARGE AGENCIES TO CONDUCT ARRIAL AND GROUND RECOMMAISSANCE IN ALL TACH'S. HOWEMENT OF FOOT TROOPS AND VEHICLES IMPROVES DAILY DESPITE OCCASIONAL GRACHIE PERIODS. SID'S AND SCOUT SNIPER TEAMS WERE EMPLOYED WITHOUT CONTACT.



- 2. DA NANG OPERATIONS.
 - A. THIRD MARINES.
 - (1) BOX SCORES.

	FIRETEAM D N	SQU	IAD	PLA D	TOON
AMBUSH			29		
SECURITY PATROL		5	19	4	
SEARCH & DESTROY				2	2
SUB TOTAL		5	48	6	2
TOTAL - 51					

(2) 1ST BN. 3D MARINES. SQUAD PATROL FROM CO D FIRED AT THE OUT OF AT 282105H AT (AT 906818). AREA SEARCHED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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B. NINTH MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES.

	PIRETEAM N	SQUAD	PLATOON BATTALION
LISTENING POST	19		
AMBUSH		27	
SECURITY PATROL		23 27	2
SEARCH & DESTROY		*****	
SUB TOTAL	19	23 54	, 2 1
TOTAL - 99			

- UTC (BT 053713) RECEIVED TEN RDS SA AN MO PIRE PROM 600 METERS HAW, ARTY MISSION OF 16 RDS 105MM HE AND 12 RDS WP FIRED.

 TWO USMC WIA'S AND ONE DOW. WC CASUALTIES UNK. AT 291120H
 RN (_) AO SUPPORTING BN SAD OPN SPOTTED FIVE WC AT (AT 130626)
 AND USTED USTOS OPRORTUNITY AVAILABLE IN AREALAUNCHED A SOUAD
 IMMEDIATELY TO LAND WIC OF WC. PIRE FIGHT ENSUED AND TWO WCC
 APPREHENDED WITH TWO CHICOM GRENADES: NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
- (3) 20 BN. 9TH MARINES. CO G AND CO H STAGED TO CHANG NGAT A/P BY MARINE FIXED WING AIRLIPT FOR PARTICIPATION IN OPN DOUBLE EAGLE. LIFT COMPLETED AT 291515H.
- (4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 282035H A CO L SQUAD PATROL AT (AT 946672) ACTIVATED SHU TYPE MINE WHICH WOUNDED TWO MARINES. AT 282145H TANK WITH SPOTLIGHT ON HILL 55 (AT 967616) SPOTTED ONE VC IN TREE (AT 963604) TANK FIRED ONE RD 90MM AND OBSERVED DIRECT HIT AND NO FURTHER MOVEMENT IN AREA. ONE VC KIA PROBABLE. AT 290200H SQUAD OF HQ CO BRIDGE SECURITY PAGE 5 OF PAGES

(AT 997707) RECEIVED ABOUT THIRTY RDS SA PIRE FROM ABOUT 400 METERS SE OF BRIDGE. ILLUM FIRED BUT GOULD NOT DETERMINE LOCATION OF VC SO FIRE NOT RETURNED. AT 290328H TANK WITH CO I ON HILL 55 (AT 9676160) FIRED ONE 90MM RD OBSERVING DIRECT HIT. ONE VC KIA BODY COUNT. AT 290839H CO L ON SED OPN APPREHENDED ONE VCS (AT 967695) WHO WAS RUNNING TOWARD SONG YEN TO AVOID CONTACT. AT 290856H CO L SQUAD PATROL VIC DUONG SON (3) (AT 955653) SUSTAINED ONE USMC WIA FROM BOOBY TRAP. AT 290950H CO L APPREMENDED FIVE VCS AT (AT 955699). AT 291004H CO L APPREHENDED ONE VCS AT (AT 962696). AT 291011H FOUND BOOBY TRAPPED PUNJI TRAP AT (AT 953651). DIAGRAMED AND BLOWN IN PLACE. ONE VCS WITH BLOOD STAINED SHIRT WATCHING MARINES WAS APPREHENDED. AT 291025H CO L APPREHENDED VCS VIC (AT 949699). AT 291030H CO L SQUAD PATROL TRIPPED BOOBY TRAP VIC PHU SON (1) (AT 953651) RESULTING IN ONE USMC WIA. AT 291205H CO SQUAD PATROL EXCHANGED FIRE WITH UNK NUMBER VC. NO USMC CABUALTIES AND UNKNOWN VC CASUALTIES. AT 291355H CO I PLT PATROL EXCHANGED FIRE (AT 967642) WITH UNKNOWN NUMBER VG. NO CASUALTIES.

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(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES

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A. FIRST MARINES.

(1) BOX SCORES

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LISTENING FOST		3			
AMBUSH		14		11	
SECURITY FATROL	8	9	5	6	
CLEARING SUB					2
TOTALS	8	2 6	5	17	2

TOTAL - 58

(2) 1ST BN. ATH MARINES. AT 282200H A WATERBORNE PATROL

FROM H&S CO APPREHENDED TWO VCS VIC BT 460119.

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LISTENING POST	2	31						
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RECON PATROL	3							
SECURITY PATROL		3	1	2	2	2		
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C. ARTILLERY BN GROUP

(1) ARTILLERY BOX SCORES

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4. PHU BAI OPERATIONS

A. 20 BH. 1ST MARINES

(1) BOX SOURES

AMBUSH 12
SECURITY PATROL 9 14
SUB TOTAL 9 26

TOTAL - 35

(2) 20 BN. 1ST MARINES. AT 282158H A SQUAD FROM CO G
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105H	1.78	10	37		
107HT	208		30		

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A. DIVISION BOX SCORES

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(3) 2D BN. 9TH MARINES. OPCON OF TF DELTA.

(4) 3D BN. 3D MARINES. AT 291958H CO I SQUAD MOVING TO AMBUSH SITE (AT 968623) WAS OBSERVED BY SMALL BOY AND BELLEVING SITE COMPROMISED, MOVED

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TO NEW SITE. ABOUT TEN MINUTES LATER ANHUSH RECEIVED SPORADIC SA FIRE FROM (AT 966623). AMEUSH RETURNED SA FIRE AND CALLED SIMM ILLUM AND HE MISSION. AND SEARCHLIGHT TANK IN AREA OBSERVED FOUR MEN MOVING IN AREA OF SIMM IMPACT. AND FIRED FIVE 90HM RDS. AREA SEARCHED AT FIRST LIGHT WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. AT 300600H PLT (-) (REIN) FROM CO. L. MOVING TO BLOCKING POSITION AT (AT 966644) APPREHENDED ONE VCS SUFFERING FROM GUNSHOT WOUNDS OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN AT (AT 948682) AND (AT 953682). CO. K. PLT BLOCKED AT (AT 970685) AS FF°S CROSSED LOD (AT 942689) TO (AT 945694) IN S&D EAST TO SONG YEN. COMBINED OFM RESULTED IN EIGHT VC KIA, ONE VCC. THREE K50°S ONE K_44, ONE UNKNOWN FLAG, MAST TO COVER ENTIRE HEAD WITH PLEXGLASS EXEPTECES, MUMERCUS DOCUMENTS AND INDIVIDUAL EQUIPMENT CAPTURED IN OS (AT 9568). ONE PF GIA. AT 301118H CO. L. SQUAD PATROL APPREHENDED TWO MALE AND ONE FEMALE VCS WHO ATTEMPTED TO BUN FROM FATROL AT (AT 963663).

ENGAGED IN FIREFIGHT WITH ESTIMATED 50.60 VC ARMED WITH MO'S AND 60MM MCRTARS. THREE USMC KIA AND FOUR WIA IN INITIAL CONTACT. AT 301200H PLT PROM CO F WAS DISPATCHED TO HA DONG BRIDGE (AT 990640) TO SUPPORT THE ENGAGED PLT. REINFORCED SCUAD (SPARROW HAWK) FROM 15T BN. 9TH MARINES ALERTED AT 301200H FOR HELILIFT; HELILIFT TO (AT 995620) COMPLETED AT 301215H. AT 301400H TWO F4B'S MADE NAPAIM STRIKE VIC (AT 985615). AT 301425H PLT FROM CO E, 2D BN. 9TH MARINES WAS HELILIFEED TO (AT 989617). RESULTS OF THIS COMBINED AIR/GROUND ASSAULT PRODUCED EIGHT VC KIA. CHE A/R (CHICOM AND MISCELLANECUS PERSONALLECUIPMENT CAPTURED. BY 301600H ELEMENTS EXTENDED FROM (AT 991617) TO (AT 995617) CONDUCTING SAD SOUTH TO (AT 993615) THEN CONDUCTED THOROUGH SAD OF AREA TO HA DONG BRIDGE SECURING AT 301700H. NUMERCUS LIMBS, FINGERS, AND PIECES OF FLESH DISCOVERED IN AREA SO THAT

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25 VC EST WIA. TOTAL USMC CASUALTIES WERE FIVE KIA AND FOUR WIA. AT
301520H CO I SQUAD (REIN) WITH LIGHT SECTION OF TANKS PATROLLING EAST OF
HILL 55 (AT 981623) RECEIVED FIVE RES SA FIRE FROM 600 METERS EAST.
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E. 3D ENGR BN. 65 ENGINEERS CONDUCTED 17 SWEEPS IN THE DA MANG TAOR IN SUIFORT OF ROUR INFANTRY BATTALIONS. WOODEN MINE WITH ABOUT 15 LBS HO FOUND VIC (ST 067680). MINE DETECTED WITH 1-153 DETECTOR. ONLY METAL CONTAINED IN MINE WAS IN FIRING DRVICE. MINE DESTROYED IN PLACE. MINE RIGGED FOR ELECTRICAL DETURATION ACTIVATED BY AN IMPROVISED PRESENTED DEVICE.

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3. CHU LAI OPERATIONS.

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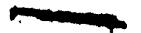
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AT 301830H CO D OF LP VIC PLT PATROL BASE (BT 047647) RECEIVED EST 100 RDS SA FIRE FROM TWO VC. SA PIRE AND SIX N-79 RDS RETURNED RESULTING IN ONE VC WIA (PROB) SEEN BEING CARRIED INTO TREELINE. SEARCH FOR CASUALTIES HAD NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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AT 311150H PLT OF CO D ON S&D PATROL AT (BT 078625) RECEIVED ABOUT TWENTY RDS SA FIRE FROM EST THREE VC ABOUT 500 METERS WEST VIC PHONG HO (2) (BT 073625). FIRE RETURNED AND PLT MANEUVERED THROUGH VC POSITION SUSTAINING ONE USN KIA. VC BROKE CONTACT AND VC CASUALTIES WERE UNKNOWN.

AT 311320H CO D SQUAD PATROL PURSUED ONE VCS VIC NGAN TRUNG (3) (BT 065642)

INTO BOMB SHELTER. SEARCH OF SHELTER DISCLOSED ONE ADDITIONAL VCS WITH SLIGHT
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(3) 3D RN. 3D HARINES. AT 310835H CO L FT PATROL TRIPPED BOOBY TRAPPED M26 GREENADE WHICH WAS DUD., AT (AT 957664). BOOBY TRAP DESTROYED IN PLACE AND TWO VCS IN AREA SUSPECTED OF RIGGING BOOBY TRAP APPREHENDED.

AT 311140H CO I SQD PATROL AT (AT 946614) RECEIVED FIVE RDS SA FIRE PROM VC NORTH OF CHAU SON (1) (AT 943614). SQD RETURNED FIRE AND CONDUCTED SEARCH OF AREA WITH NEC RESULTS.

AT 311305H CO I PLT PATROL (ST 954606) RECEIVED THIRTY RDS SA FIRE PROM VC
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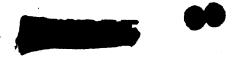
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RDS SA FIRE FROM ONE VC IN TREELINE ABOUT 300 METERS SOUTH. FIRE RETURNED AND AREA

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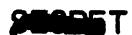
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AT 302305H, A PIRE TEAM FROM CO A IN AN AMBUSH AT (BT 468067) RECEIVED ONE IN-COMINING GRENADE. AN M26 GRENADE WAS THROWN AT THE SUSPECTED POINT OF ORIGIN

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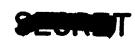
AND A VC WAS SEEN CRAWLING AWAY. THE VC WAS PURSUED PHYSICALLY AND BY FIRE, BUT MANAGED TO ESCAPE. THERE WAS 1 USMC WIA, NOT EVACU.

AT 302355H, A FIRE TEAM FROM CO D IN AN AMBUSH LOCATED AT (BT 460074) RECEIVED ONE RD SA FIRE FROM (BT 458077). THE AREA WAS ILLUMINATED BUT MOTHING UNUSAL OBSERVED.

AT 310225H A FIRE TEAM FROM CO D IN AN AMBUSH AT (BT 462070) RECEIVED THREE RDS SA FIRE FROM (BT 460070). THE FIRE TEAM RETURNED FIRE WITH 40-60 RDS 7.62. A PATROLWAS SENT TO CHECK THE AREDA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

AT 310412H, A SQD PATROL FROM CO B APPREHENDED TWO VIETNAMESE MALES AS CURFEW VIOLATORS AT (BT 498144). THEY WERE TURNED OVER TO THE LOCAL VILLAGE CHIEF FOR DISPOSITION.

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3D BN. 7TH MARINES. AT 301945H A FIRE TEAM FROM CO L MOVING TO AN OP ENCOUNTERED APPROXIMATELY 6 VC AT (BS553993). THE VC OPENED FIRE, WHEREUPON THE FIRETEAM DEPLOYED AND RETURNED FIRE. THE VC BROKE CONTACT. THE ACTION RESULTED IN 2 USMC WIA. VC CASUALTIES UNKNOWN. ONE WIA LATER DOW. THE OTHER IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

AT 302145H MOVEMENT WAS DETECTED ON THE SID PLACED IN FRONT OF THE CO L DEFENSIVE POSITION. ONE M79 KOUND AND TWO GRENADES WERE THERWAY AT THE VIC

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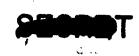
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AT 302240H A TRIP FLARE IN FRONT OF THE CO L DEFENSIVE POSITION VICINITY (BS551992) WAS IGNITED. ELEMENTS OF THE 2D PLATOON FIRED SMALL ARMS INTO THE AREA OF THE FLARE AND RECEIVED RETURN FIRE FROM 6 TO 8 DIFFERENT POINTS.

AFTER FURTHER FIRE FROM THE MARINES THE VC BROKE CONTACT. NO CASUALTIES.

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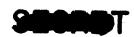
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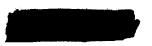
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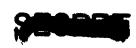
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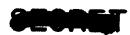
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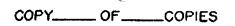
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