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P 031300Z AUG 67 -
FM USS TRIPOLI
TO AIG SIX ZERO
AIG TWO THREE FIVE
RUMFUAV/CTF SEVEN SIX
RUABQL/CTF SEVEN NINE
ZEN/TG SEVEN SIX PT FIVE
RUAUBAC/CTE SEVEN SIX PT ZERO PT FOUR PT THREE
RUHFMA/CG FMFRAC
RUCIHOA/CMC WASHDC
RUMFKR/CHNAVADGRU VIETNAM
RUMFKR/HESUPPACT SAIGON
RUMFA/COMNAVBASE SUBIC
RUMFM/NAS CUBI PT
ZEN/COMPHIBRON NINE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L
CONFIDENTIAL PPP MOVREP 031300Z7 TRIPOLI LPH-10, 01//
ORG SP TRIPOLI LPH-10, UC CTG 76.5-CTG 76.2-COMPHIBRON NINE.

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UC CTG 79.5, UC RV HMM26, UG WP DET A BJU-1, UG DET BRAVO
TACRON 11, UG COMSEC TEAM TWO, UG SURGICAL MEDICAL EVAC TEAM ONE, 02//
ETD L 16-36N6 107-44E6, 031300Z7 RH 018.2K1 03//
VIA L 15-20N8 110-58E5, 040006Z0 04//
VIA L 14-35N3 117-47E0, 042206Z4 05//
ETA P SUBIC BAY, 050602Z3 06//
BCT C 3 B6 GOLF ALFA SIERRA WHISEKY, GOLF ALFA LIMA LIMA,
GOLF UNIFORM SIERRA ALFA, GOLF MIKE ECHO TANGO, TRIPOLI, 07//
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ORG SP OGDEN LPD-5, GM DET ECHO CO BLT 2/3, GM DET GOLF CO BLT WW
ET H AND S CO BLT 2/3, GM DET LSU, GP 3RD PLT BRAVO CO 1ST AMTRAC
BN, UG DET FOXTROT UDT 11, UV TWO LCM-8 TWO LCM, 02//
ETD L 16-35.5N0 107-42.6E0, 031130Z8 CO 020.0K2 03//
VIA L 16-12.8N8 108-23.7E1, 031345Z6 CO 020.0K2 04//
VIA L 15-27N5 109-26.2E0, 031733Z7 RH 020.0K2 05//
VIA L 14-21.7N5 119-19.3E4, 042233Z4 RH 020.0K2 06//
VIA L 14-21.8N6 119-45.3E3, 042350Z4 RH 020.0K2 07//
VIA L 14-38.6N2 120-02.6E1, 050102Z8 RH 020.2K4 08//
ETA P SUBIC, 050145Z5 09//
BCT C 3 BG GUSA, GALL, GASW, OGDEN, 10//
CFN 031230Z9, 16-35.5N0 WETUA42.6E0, 031130Z8, 020.0K2,
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P 021249Z AUG 67

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O 020606Z AUG 67

FM CTG SEVEN NINE PT FIVE

TO CTG SEVEN SIX PT FIVE

INFO CINCPACFLT

COMSEVENTHFLT

CG FMFPAC

CG III MAF

ZEN/CTF SEVEN SIX

CTF SEVEN NINE

CG THIRD MARDIV

CG FIRST MAF

FOURTH MARINE

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XBLT TWO SLANT THREE

ZEN/MARMEDELRON TWO SIX FIVE

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S E C R E T

KANGAROOSWICK (U)

A. COMSEVENTHFLT 280456Z JUL67

1. LANDING FORCE FIRMLY ESTABLISHED ASHORE. CONSIDER ALL CONDITIONS FOR TERMINATING AMPHIBIOUS PHASE OF OPERATION HAVE BEEN MET.

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2. IAW REF A RECOMMEND FOLLOWING SLF ELEMENTS BE CHOPPED CG III MAF EFFECTIVE 030800H. AUG 67

A. BLT 2/3 (LESS 3D PLT. CO B 1ST AMTRAC BN)

B. DET (A) HMM-265 (5 A/C)

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O 020200Z AUG 67 ZFG -
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TO AIG FOUR SIX ONE
INFO RUMSBB/CTG ONE ONE FIVE PT ONE
DDKC/ USS MACKENZIE
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KANGAROO KICK SITREP NR 4-AS OF 020000Z AUG 67 (U)

- 1. TG 76.5 COMPOSITION:
 - A. MACKENZIE RELEASED FROM NGFS SHIP DUTIES KANGAROO KICK AT 020001H.
- 2. ACTIONS:
 - A. TG 76.5

(1) REMAINED UNDERWAY IN OVERALL SUPPORT OF KANGAROO KICK OPERATIONS ASHORE.

(2) TRIPOLI REMAINED IN OPAREA MAINTAINING A READY DECK FOR MEDEVAC AND CONDUCTING FLIGHT OPERATIONS AS REQUIRED. COMMENCED SCHEDULED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 020615H.

(3) MONTICELLO, OGDEN AND TERRELL COUNTY NIGHT STEAMED IN HOLDING AREA AND ARRIVED COL CO SEAWARD OFFLOAD AREA AT FIRST LIGHT. MONTICELLO TOOK CHARGE OF ALL BOATING AND COMMENCED SELECTIVE OFFLOAD

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OF BLT 2/3 SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO COL CO CAUSEWAY AND HUE RAMPS. ALL BOATS WERE IN WATER 020615H AND BYU ON STATION AT COL CO CAUSEWAY AT 020700H.

(4) AIR OPERATIONS SUMMARY (010000H-012359H):

(A) IN THE HELIBORNE LANDING OF BLT 2/3 FOUR COMPANIES WERE LIFTED BY CH-46 HELOS OF HMM 265 AND THE ARTILLERY BATTERY WAS LIFTED BY CH-53 HELOS OF HMH 463. UH-1E HELO SUPPORT WAS PROVIDED BY VMO-2, EXPENDING 60 ROCKETS AND 6500 ROUNDS OF AMMO. THREE FLIGHTS OF A-4 AND ONE FLIGHT OF F-4 AIRCRAFT WERE ON STATION FROM 010554H UNTIL 010915H WITH A TOTAL OF EIGHT VA/VF AIRCRAFT. NO ORDNANCE WAS EXPENDED BY CAS AIRCRAFT.

(B) 283 HELO SORTIES LIFTED 40 TONS OF EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES AND 929 TROOPS ASHORE AND MOVED 1 PT 3 TONS OF EQUIPMENT AND 39 TROOPS POINT TO POINT - #943. ONE CH-46 RECEIVED ONE ROUND OF S/A WHILE LIFTING FROM LZ BUT RETURNED SAFELY TO LPH.

(5) TRIPOLI MEDEVAC STATUS:

(A) KANGAROO KICK TOTALS: 11 ADMITTED, 1 DISCHARGED, 10 REMAINING IN SICK BAY.

(B) 12 HOUR SUMMARY: 5 ADMITTED AND 1 DISCHARGED.

B. LANDING FOR CE

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(1) UNIT LOCATION: NO CHANGE

(2) OPERATIONS

(A) AT 2145H H/2/3 RECEIVED 2 RDS OF 61MM MORTAR AT VIC (YD 493428) RESULTING IN 5 USMC WIA. FIRE WAS RETURN AND INCOMING CEASED.

(B) ALL REMAINING UNITS ESTABLISHED NIGHT DEFENSIVE AND AMBUSH POSITIONS WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT.

(3) CASUALTIES

(A) DURING PERIOD

USMC: 5 WIA

ENEMY: UNKNOWN

(B) CUMULATIVE

USMC: 1 KIA 6 WIA

ENEMY 2 KIA B/C

3. COMMENTS:

A. MOUNT MCKINLEY, FLAGSHIP OF CTF 76, REMAINED IN AREA PROVIDING COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT FOR KANGAROO KICK.

4. INTENTIONS:

A. TG 76.5

(1) REMAIN UNDERWAY IN OVERALL SUPPORT OF KANGAROO KICK

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OPERATIONS ASHORE.

(2) CONTINUE SELECTIVE OFFLOAD OF BLT 2/3.

(3) TERRELL COUNTY LOAD BLT 2/3 REPLENISHMENT AMMO AT TIEN SHAW RAMP, DANANG 3 AUGUST.

B. LANDING FORCE:

(1) CONTINUE S&D OPERATIONS IN ASSIGNED SECTOR.

5. ACTIONS REQUIRED BY HIGHER AUTHORITY: NONE

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KANGAROO KICK SITREP NR 7 AS OF 031200Z AUG 67 (U)

1. TASK GROUP 76.5 COMPOSITION: NO CHANGE
2. ACTIONS:

A. CONTINUED OVERALL SUPPORT OF KANGAROO KICK OPERATIONS
 ASHORE.

B. COMPLETED SELECTIVE OFFLOAD BLT 2/3 (LESS 3D PLAT, CO B4 1ST
 AMTRAC BN) AND DET A, HMW 265 AT 032000H.

C. TRIPOLI CONDUCTED CONTINUOUS RESUPPLY, LOGISTICS AND LIAISON
 FLIGHT OPERATIONS THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND COMPLETED SELECTIVE OFF-
 LOAD BY BOAT AND HELO AT 031300H. TWO CH-46 HELOS MADE ONE TRIP TO
 DANANG WITH 16 PAX AND 1500 LBS MAIL. RETURNED 6 PAX, 800 LBS MAIL
 AND 200 LBS CARGO. TRIPOLI HELO MADE TWO INTERSHIP SHUTTLES AND
 TWO DANANG TRIPS CARRYING 9 PAX, 375 LBS CARGO AND 500 LBS MAIL.
 TRIPOLI ISSUED 5621 GALS JP-5, 200 GALS AVGAS AND 35 GALS MOGAS.
 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 031945H. STANDING BY WHILE MONTICELLO

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 RECOVERS BOATS.

D. MONTICELLO CONTINUED COORDINATING OFFLOAD AND BOATING
 OPERATIONS THROUGHOUT THE DAS. TRANSFERRED 7 SHORE PARTY PERS
 ASHORE BY HELO AT 031245H. PROVIDED BOATING FOR TRIPOLI OFFLOAD.
 ETC RECOVERY BOATS 032130H.

E. GGDEN COMPLETED OFFLOAD AT 031000H. FURNISHED BOATS IN SUPPORT
 OF TRIPOLI OFFLOAD AND CONDUCTED 3 HELO SORTIES. BACKLOADED BOATS
 AND DEPARTED FOR SUBIC BAY 031910H.

F. TERRELL COUNTY REMAINED ANCHORED DANANG UNTIL 030930H THEN
 BEACHED BRIDGE RAMP EAST. COMMENCED LOADING BLT 2/3 REPLACEMENT
 LEFORM AMMO AT 030950H AND COMPLETED AT 031100H. LOADED 35 PALLETS
 AMMO FFT GGDEN AND 23 PALLETS AMMO FFT TRIPOLI. RETURNED TO
 ANCHORAGE DANANG AND TOOK ON FRESH WATER. UNDERWAY INDEPENDENTLY FOR
 UPKEEP SUBIC BAY AT 031300H.

G. AIR OPERATIONS SUMMARY WILL BE INCLUDED NEXT SITREP.

H. TRIPOLI MEDEVAC STATUS:

(1) KANGAROO KICK TOTAL: 15 ADMITTED, 3 DISCHARGED, 2 TRANS-
 FERRED AND 3 REMAINING IN SICK BAY.

(2) 12 HOUR SUMMARY: 2 DISCHARGED AND 1 TRANSFERRED.

3. COMMENTS:

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A. DUE ONSA DANANG HIGHER PRIORITY REQUIREMENTS, COL CO CAUSEWAY RAMP COULD NOT BE USED FOR OFFLOAD DURING AFTERNOON. BY DIRECTION 3RD MARDIV ALL BOATS WERE DISPATCHED AT 231245H TO HUE RAMP TO OFFLOAD. CAR GO HANDLING EQUIPMENT WAS RELOCATED FROM COL CO TO HUE RAMPS AND OFFLOAD RESUMED.

B. MR. WOODY DICKERMAN CORR NEWSDAY, EMBARKED TRIPOLI FOR INTERVIEW OINC SURGICAL MEDICAL EVACUATION TEAM ONE 231130H-231600H. TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM DANANG VIA TRIPOLI HELO.

C. DET A, HMM 265, CONSISTING OF 5 CH-46 HELOS AND PILOTS AND CREWS TO MAN EACH AIRCRAFT, WERE FLOWN TO MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY TO REMAIN DURING FORTHCOMING ARG UPKEEP PERIOD. DETACHMENT REPRESENTS ALL HMM265 HELOS IN COMMISSION NOT REQUIRING ROTOR BLADE INSPECTION AT WAS CUBI POINT. TEN CH-46 HELOS REMAIN ON TRIPOLI. THIS COMMENT IN COMPLIANCE CONVENT HFLT 272232Z JUL 67 (NOTAL).

D. NY 031232Z AUG 67 (NOTAL) RECOMMENDED TERMINATION KANGAROO KICK, NEXT SITREP UPON RECEIPT KANGAROO KICK TERMINATION.

4. INTENTIONS:

- A. TRIPOLI AND MONTICELLO UNDERWAY FOR SUBIC BAY APPROX 032100H.
 B. TG SHIPS PROCEED INDEPENDENTLY TO SUBIC BAY FOR UPKEEP PERIOD

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 MAINTAINING 96 HOUR REACTION STATUS.

5. ACTIONS REQUIRED BY HIGHER AUTHORITY: TERMINATE KANGAROO KICK.

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 VICE AIR OPERATIONS SUMMARY WILL BE CUDED NEXT SITREP.
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