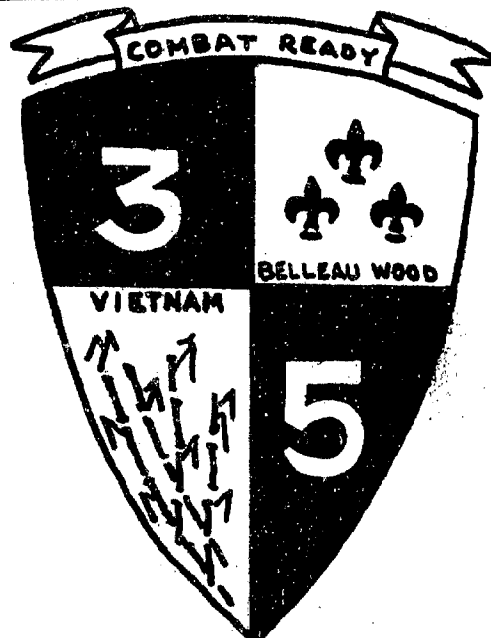


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1. In accordance with the provisions in references (a) through (d), enclosures (1) and (2) are hereby submitted.

  
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3rd Battalion, 5th Marines

COMMANDER

LtCol J. S. GESTSON

SUBORDINATE UNITSCompany H&S  
Company I  
Company KCapt R. H. MULLEN  
Capt L. D. WHALEN  
1stLt P. NAPPI  
to 12 June 1970  
1stLt D. C. WADDILL  
fm 13 June 1970  
Capt J. T. MACNAMEE  
1stLt E. G. LEWIS  
Capt R. A. KINCADE  
1stLt R. E. TURNERCompany L  
Company M  
Company M/3/1  
5th Marines SUPP Plt

2. LOCATION. The 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines operated throughout the month of June with the Rear CP located at An Hoa Combat Base (AT 875475). The Forward CP remained at HILL 65 (AT 880580).

3. STAFF OFFICERSExecO  
S-1  
S-2S-3  
S-4  
SupplyO  
CommO  
Air Liaison OfficersArtillery Liaison Officer  
Chaplain  
Medical OfficersMajor V. A. VERNAY  
2ndLt J. P. PULLIN  
1stLt W. R. AUE  
to 15 June 1970  
1stLt J. P. CRONIN  
fm 16 June 1970  
Major T. Y. BARTON  
Capt D. L. WALKER  
1stLt T. J. BARRETT  
Capt J. J. MARSHALL  
1stLt J. PAGE  
1stLt T. H. LYONS  
1stLt R. A. JACOBS  
LtCmdr R. A. BOYER  
Lt J. T. MAHONEY  
Lt R. A. CARLISH4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTHUSMCOff  
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## PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

3rd Battalion, 5th Marines continued securing and pacification operations in a combined AO with the 51st ARVN Regiment in Quang Nam Province, I Corps Tactical Zone throughout the month of June 1970. The combined AO encompasses a portion of the territorial Districts of Dai Nac, Dien Ban, and Hoa Vang. The AO Extension west of HILL 52, renewed on a monthly basis, remained in effect throughout the period.

The 51st ARVN Regiment maintained their CP at HILL 55 (AT 964603) with subordinate units conducting operations in 5th Marines, ROVMC, and Thung Duc CIDG TAORs. 2nd and 3rd Battalions, 51st ARVN remained in the field conducting operations in support of the Thung Duc CIDG Camp. The 4th Battalion rotated with 5th Battalion and continued security operations along Routes 1D and 4 to the south and east of HILL 55 in support of MCB-62 and 7th Engineers road upgrading. Elements of Company A, 1st Battalion, 5th Marines were assigned operational control to the Battalion throughout the month and combined with elements of 4th Battalion, 51st ARVN to prevent enemy interdiction of this LOC.

A coordinated operation took place during the period 7-8 June in cooperation with elements of the 51st ARVN Regiment. Company K (-) (Rein) performed a block mission while 3 companies of the 51st ARVN reinforced with armored personnel carriers performed a sweep of the objective area (AT - 948604). At approximately 1000 on 7 June, contact was established with an estimated platoon size VC unit. 15 enemy were killed, 9 were captured, and 7 indigenous personnel apprehended as detainees in the ensuing fire fight, 5 enemy individual weapons were policed from the battlefield. Company K (-) (Rein) killed 3 enemy as they attempted to evade the sweep force. 1 enemy crew served weapon (RPG) and 1 individual weapon was policed from the battlefield. It was ascertained from interrogation of POWs that the principal enemy unit encountered was an element of local force guerrillas. 2 members of 2nd Company, 42nd Reconnaissance Battalion, Front 44 were captured. Contact was negligible throughout the remainder of the operation. This successful preemptive operation reduced the capability of the enemy to discredit securing and pacification operations being conducted by U. S. and District Forces in the Chau Son area.

The artillery cantonment at HILL 55, manned by "F" Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines, was reinforced twice during the reporting period in anticipation of a ground attack. Company M provided a platoon size force during the period 1-11 June and again from 25-27 June. This threat did not materialize due to preemptive operations being conducted by the 5th Marines and 51st ARVN Regiment.

Company M provided one platoon operational control to Company K on 11 June for the purpose of providing security for Company C, 7th Engineers road upgrading operations along Route #4 east of HILL 37. This mission will continue into the next reporting period.

"G" Platoon, 3rd 8 inch HOW (SP) Battery, Force Artillery remained at HILL 52 throughout June and provided reinforcing fires in support of operations being conducted in the CIDG TAOR. Ammunition bunkers, as well as

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living bunkers, were completed during the period. Also, additional protective wire was laid at the southern end of the HILL.

The Battalion continued to perform daily security missions for engineer mine sweeps along Route #540 north to 5th Marines boundary and south to 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines AO. In varying days, security was provided for engineer mine sweep operations west of HILL 65 along Route #4 to HILL 52 enabling truck resupply to be effected.

A land clearing operation took place on 8 June to the east of Phu Huong (H) vicinity of AT 833570. This area just to the north of Route #4, covered with scrub brush and grass, served as a possible harbor site for enemy to command detonate mines.

Security efforts of the Combined Unit Pacification Program (CUPP) units, Company M, 5th Battalion, 1st Marines, and 5th Marines CUPP Platoon continued to be effective during June as a result of the relatively high degree of rapport established with the populace during previous months. GVN forces supporting the CUPP are from PF and RF units from Dai Loc and Dien Ban Districts.

Proficiency in the conduct of security patrolling and ambushing was stressed throughout the period. A Battalion Mobile Training Team, specializing in patrolling and ambush methods and techniques, conducted instruction and practical application during the period with each CUPP unit. This training program was well received by Marines and RF/PF forces and undoubtedly will enhance future securing operations. Improvement of operational efficiency in this manner will continue during the coming months.

In view of the increased importance of Vietnamization and the continuing high threat against both GVN forces and civilian populace, renewed emphasis was placed on the importance of operations efficiency by District Forces. Items stressed to PF/RF soldiers and the Dai Loc and Dien Ban District Chiefs were:

Continued security patrolling.

Selecting ambush sites and night defensive positions that have good observation and fields of fire.

Digging protective fighting holes.

Surreptitiously moving to ambush sites and the exercise of stringent light and noise discipline.

Maintaining a minimum of 75% alert in ambush and night defensive positions.

Practicing strict fire control and fire discipline.

Collecting and reporting intelligence information.

CUPP units assisted District Forces in providing periphery security

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for Hamlet elections on 22 June. This concept called for voting booth security to be provided by National Police Field Forces while CUPP units patrolled in close proximity to the Hamlet areas. Security was again provided on 28 June for Provincial elections utilizing this same concept. Their were no enemy initiated incidents during either period of elections.

During the early morning hours of 28 June, a large size force of enemy conducted a well coordinated attack on CUPP 2 located vicinity AT 815549. The attack was initiated with small arms fire and B-40 rockets. The enemy assaulted the position throwing satchel charges resulting in 3 Marines killed. The Plt of RF Company 759 working with CUPP 2 withdrew at the first sign of contact. The enemy then concentrated his effort against CUPP 1 located vicinity AT 824558. The rapport between RFs and Marines was impaired by the performance of RFs during these contacts. Improvements in tactical procedures, principally ambush methods and techniques, have resulted in some improvement in the operating capability of the combined unit.

The Marine contingent of the CUPP CP displaced from HMM 25 during the period to enable the Platoon Commander to closely supervise operations and training at squad level. Coordination problems are precluded or readily resolved by the CUPP Platoon Commander or his Platoon Sergeant being on the scene at USMC B22/RF Platoon level. Logistical as well as administrative support to the three USMC Squads more appropriately falls under the direct cognizance of the Platoon Commander. With helicopter resupply effected to the three squads in the field, the previous vulnerability of the 1/4 ton resupply vehicle has been eliminated.

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## PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS1. TOPICSa. Personnel and Administration

(1) Strength. The Battalion began the month with a total strength of 43 Marine Officers, 1274 Marine Enlisted, 3 Navy Officers, and 69 Navy Enlisted. 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines now has a total on board strength of 40 Marine Officers, 1220 Marine Enlisted, 3 Navy Officers and 71 Navy Enlisted.

(2) Morale. Morale and fighting spirit was and continues to be excellent. Eighty-four personnel participated in the out of country R&R program, and seven personnel participated in the in-country R&R program at China Beach during the month. The Battalion Chaplain conducted a total of 46 worship services with a total attendance of 724. The weekly worship schedule for Protestant services was as follows:

## SUNDAY

0800  
0930  
1100  
1300

Company M  
HILL 65 Chapel  
D Battery  
Company M (CUPP Company)  
Company I  
5th Mar CUPP Plt  
Company L

## TUESDAY

## WEDNESDAY

## THURSDAY

Catholic services were conducted by Chaplains from the 4th Battalion, 11th Marines each Sunday at HILL 65. Masses were also held during the month at HILLS 52 and 25 and at the CUPP units in between whenever possible. Chaplain Grochowshi from 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines held Sunday Services at the Western units of the Battalion while Chaplain Boyer of 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines conducted services at Liberty Bridge. The Battalion Chaplain also conducted three memorial services for eight Marines killed in action, and held 36 counseling sessions during June 1970.

(3) Postal. Postal service during the month continued with efficiency especially considering the widely disbursed nature of subordinate units within the Battalion TAOR. Some delay in receiving mail the first part of the month was experienced due to the Memorial Day long-weekend in CONUS. Mail delivery continues to be accomplished by a regularly assigned courier on a daily basis, either by vehicle or by helicopter.

(4) Discipline. During the month there were 46 office hours and 11 court martials.

(5) Awards. There were 5 Bronze Star Medals, 5 Navy Commendation Medals, 1 Navy Achievement Medal, 28 Purple Hearts, 4 Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry Medals and 1 Vietnamese letter of commendation awarded to members of the Battalion during the reporting period.

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(6) Promotions. There were a total of 129 promotions during the month of June. The breakdown, by rank, is as follows:

REGULAR PROMOTIONS

SSgt - - - - - 1  
Sgt - - - - - 24  
Cpl - - - - - 5  
Epl - - - - - 87  
PFC - - - - - 1

MERITORIOUS PROMOTIONS

SSgt - - - - - 1  
Cpl - - - - - 6  
Epl - - - - - 4

(7) Internal Management

(a) Administrative procedures and proficiency continued with the Battalion S-1 and all companies receiving their semi-annual administrative inspection on 10 and 11 June 1970. The overall results were satisfactory with discrepancies.

(b) Courier service was provided to issue RPS distributed material to units in the field on 5 separate occasions, and the S&C courier made 10 Regimental courier runs to Division Headquarters.

(c) In compliance with a CMC letter on professionalism, there were eight recommendations for administrative discharges processed during the month, with 6 returned approved as of 30 June 1970. Continued emphasis is being placed on administrative discharges in order to separate Marines who do not conform to retention standards.

(d) A total of 44 Marines were processed and returned to CONUS during the Month of June.

(e) Casualties sustained by the Battalion during June were as follows:

FRIENDLY CASUALTIES

KIA- - - - -	-9	WIA- - - - -	-4
WIA- - - - -	-31	NBCD - - - - -	-1
DOW- - - - -	-1	MIA- - - - -	-0
NBC- - - - -	-19		

b. Enemy, Weather, and Terrain

(1) Enemy. Enemy initiated incidents during June continued to be characterized by intelligence gathering and counter pacification activities. Mine and booby trap incidents increased significantly as the enemy carried out his predicted LOC interdiction mission. Post election activities were begun by the enemy when on 30 June the Hamlet Chief and PSDFs from Lam Phuong (H) were killed by a claymore mine on the way to work.

(2) Weather.

1. Rainfall: Medium

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2. Temperature:
  - (a) Avg. High 95
  - (b) Avg. Low 78
3. Light
  - (a) Avg. Sunrise 0619
  - (b) Avg. Sunset 1920

(3) Terrain. The predominant terrain features for the reporting period were the KST lowlands of the Arizona Territory, the small foothills leading into Charlie Ridge, and the mountainous terrain and double canopy of Charlie Ridge.

(4) Enemy Casualties Inflicted

11 VC KIA 4 NVA KBarty 27 Detainees

(5) Enemy Weapons Captured

4 AK-47 rifles 2 B-40 Rocket Launchers

(6) Enemy Munitions Found/Captured

22 Chicom Grenades 4 B-40 rockets 5 AK Magazines

(7) Enemy Equipment/Foodstuffs Captured

4 Cartridge Belts 3 Boats Assorted Medicines

(8) Significant Enemy Caves, Tunnels, and Bunkers Found

3 Tunnels 1 Bunker

(9) Mines/Booby Traps Found/Detonated

TOTAL: 40 FOUND: 20 DETONATED: 20

CASUALTIES: KIA's: 4 WIA's: 27

TYPES/NUMBERS: Box Mines - 4 155mm round - 1 AP Mines - 5  
 60mm rounds - 5 Chicom Grenades - 2  
 M-26 - 5 175mm round - 1 8" round - 1  
 Others - 16

c. Operations. Extensive combat patrols were conducted throughout the month to interdict enemy movement into the AO. Emphasis continued to be placed on screening operations on the periphery of secure or pacified areas in order to deny ingress and egress routes to the enemy.

d. Supporting Units/Agencies

(1) Engineers. 3rd Platoon, Company B, 1st Engineer Battalion supported 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines during the reporting period. The primary mission continued to be the accomplishment of mine sweeps along LOC's within the AO. Also, fortification construction and improvement continued at a high priority of work.

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(2) Shore Party. HST support was provided by Company B, 1st Shore Party Battalion with teams located at HILLS 65, 55, 52, 37, 25, and 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines CUPP Platoon.

(3) Mine/Booby Trap Detection Teams. Three (3) Mine/Booby Trap Detection Teams were employed by subordinate units of the Battalion contributing significantly to the reduction of casualties during the period.

(4) Interpreters. Twelve (12) interpreters were employed by the Battalion and its subordinate elements during the period.

(5) Snipers. Ten (10) snipers from 5th Marines Scout/Sniper Platoon supported subordinate elements of the Battalion during the period.

(6) Ground Surveillance. Fifteen (15) strings of a combination of Mini-SILs and MAGID-SILs remained operational throughout the period and were monitored by a detachment of personnel from the G-2 Scamp Platoon.

e. Supporting Arms

(1) Air

(a) Support of the Battalion by the First Marine Air Wing was excellent during June 1970. Marine Air Group 16 completed a total of 75 medevacs for the month. Twenty-nine emergency medevacs were completed of which 21 were Marines, five VN military, and three VN civilians. Thirty-five priority medevacs consisted of 21 Marines, two VN military, and 12 VN civilians. Fifty-two routine medevacs were completed including 19 Marines, 27 VN military, and one suspected VC. Eleven of these were permanent routine - nine Marines and two VN military.

(b) In addition, mission 20 helicopters made 90 stops at HILL 65, picking up 199 passengers. A total of 13 missions were flown by gun ships during June, expending ordnance on enemy positions. Mission five helicopters flew daily visual reconnaissance missions in support of the Battalion. Transport helicopters completed six (6) troop lifts, transporting 256 personnel. VMO 2 provided 27 Aerial Observers, fifteen of which directed air strikes.

(c) Fixed wing support flew 20 beacon missions and 15 tactical Air Strikes giving excellent target coverage.

(d) Illumination was provided by two flare ships and one "stinger" which also expended on-board ordnance as suppressive fire.

(1) Artillery

(a) During the month of June the amount of artillery support utilized by 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines increased substantially. While there was a slight decrease in the number of fire missions controlled by the forward observers (32 missions with 489 rounds expended), the number of intelligence targets and preemptive fires nearby doubled over May's output. With 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines providing the bulk of the support, artillery fired on 679 intelligence/preemptive targets utilizing 5,043

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rounds. The heaviest concentrations were found in the troublesome Chau Sons, southwest of Hill 55, the Northern Arizona Territory, and the avenues of approach from Charlie Ridge. The well planned and frequent use of these targets no doubt contributed to the enemy's inability to increase his disruptive activities in 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines TAOR.

(b) The 1st of June also witnessed the administrative transfer of forward observer teams and FSCG personnel to "D" Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines thus facilitating closer coordination with the Battery providing the majority of 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines support.

#### f. Training

(1) Division Schools. Members of the Battalion attended the following Division Schools during June 1970.

<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>LENGTH</u>	<u>ASSIGNED</u>	<u>COMPLETED</u>
SNCO Leadership School	5 days	2	2
NCO Leadership School	2 weeks	6	6
Land Mine Warfare School	3 days	44	44
Combined Action Force School	2 weeks	5	5
Embarkation	4 weeks	1	1

(2) Regimental Indoctrination School. In June 1970, all newly arrived persons attended Regimental Indoctrination School.

(3) Battalion Training. The following is a report of the courses of instruction scheduled and completed on the Battalion level by this command during June 1970.

<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>INSTRUCTION TEAM</u>	<u>DURATION</u>
Squad Patrol and Ambush Tactics and Techniques (taught 29 squads)	Bn S-3B	1 day/squad
Racial Problems and Civil Rights	Bn XO	2 hrs
Drug Abuse	Div Insp Rep	1 hr

(4) Company Training. The following instruction was accomplished by the companies of this Battalion during June 1970.

#### H&S COMPANY

<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>DURATION</u>
Care and Cleaning 106 RR/Gun Drill	10 hours
Storage/Care of Ammo	1 hour
Field Fortification	2 hours
Field Sanitation and Hygiene	1 1/2 hours
Scouting and Patrolling	3 hours
M-60 Disassembly and Assembly	3 hours

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	<u>DURATION</u>
Map Reading	1 hour
45 Cal. Pistol	1 1/2 hours
50 Cal. Immediate Action	2 hours
Field Protection Mask	1 hour
POW Handling	2 hours
Squad Tactics	5 hours
Language Training	8 hours
Radio Procedures	2 hours
Interpreter Evaluation	3 hours
KCS Evaluation	4 hours
Intelligence Procedures	4 hours
Intelligence Report Evaluation	3 hours
Booby Trap/Mine Classes	3 hours
F.D.C. School	4 hours
Care and Cleaning and Safty of the M-16	2 hours
Prisoner Chaser	1 hour
Malaria Prevention	1 hour
Traffic Safty	1 hour

COMPANY I

Field Sanitation	3 hours
Radio Procedures and Communications security	4 hours
Care, Cleaning and Operation of Starlight Scope	2 hours
Adjustment of Artillery and Mortar Fire	2 hours
Care and Cleaning of Individual and Crew Served Weapons	2 hours

COMPANY K

Drug Abuse	3 hours
NCO School	1 hour
Radio Procedure	1 hour
Career Planning	1 hour
Current Events	1 hour
Field Sanitation and Hygiene	1 hour
First Aid	2 hours
Tactics	6 hours
Night Ambushes	2 hours
Search and Seizure	2 hours
Supporting Arms	1 hour

COMPANY L

Career Planning	1 hour
Map and Compass	2 hours
Heat Stroke and Heat Exhaustion	1/2 hour
Field Sanitation and Hygiene	1 hour
M-60 Machine Gun	1 hour
Personal Response	1 hour
Technique of Fire	1 hour
Comm Security	1 hour

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SUBJECTDURATION

Booby Trap Lane	3 hours
Handling of Prisoners	1 hour
Brief Outline of SRB	1 hour
Heat Exhaustion and Field First Aid	1 hour
Claymore Mines, Methods of Use	1 hour
Terrain Appreciation and Practical Application	2 hours
Ambushes	1 hour
Rules of Engagement	1 hour
Patrolling	1 hour
VD and Malaria	1 hour
Close Air and Medevac	1 hour
Civic Action	1 hour
Night Movements and Discipline	1 hour
Working with RFs and PFs	1 hour
M-16 Care and Cleaning	1 hour
M-60 Care and Cleaning	1 hour

COMPANY M

First Aid	2 hours
Leadership	3 hours
Drug Abuse	3 hours
Field Sanitation	2 hours
Defense Positions	1 hour
Squad Tactics	4 hours
Compass	5 hours
Mapping	5 hours
Medevac - Request/LZ Brief	2 hours
AN/PRC-25/Communications Security	3 hours
Call for Fire	3 hours
Gas Mask Drill and Testing	3 hours
Patrol Planning	1 hour
Mines and Booby Traps	1 hour
Individual Responsibility within Platoon	1 hour
Use of Claymore Mines	1 hour

COMPANY M 3/1 CUPP

Forward Observer School	2 hours
Drug Abuse	1 hour

g. Logistics

(1) General. During the month of June the logistics situation in the 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines has remained approximately the same as the previous month. The Battalion continued to operate with a split CP, the rear being located at An Hoa Combat Base and the forward CP at HILL 65. Additional positions were located at HILLS 52, 25, 37, 55 and a Combined Unit Pacification Program (CUPP) Platoon located between HILLS 25 and 52. All Company rears are located at An Hoa with the exception of Company M, 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines CUPP, headquarters at HILL 55, and Company K at HILL 37.

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(2) Helicopter Resupply. Helicopter resupply functioned efficiently during the month of June. Helicopter resupply continues to operate every three (3) days with the exception of the CUFP squad located in the Chau Son AG (AT 958303) and the CUFP Platoon located between HILLS 25 and 52 which are resupplied every two (2) days. Helicopter resupply totals for the month are as follows:

LIFTS

85

TOTAL WEIGHT

145,825 lbs.

Both CH-53 and CH-46 helicopters were utilized for resupply. Requesting units received all ammunition requests with the exception of B535 White Parachute which was not available at Logistics Support Unit, Ammunition Supply Point on 11 June 1970. In addition, all units received the proper quantity of G-rations and Sundry Packs. Supply items that were unavailable or available in limited quantities included poncho liners, small utilities, batteries for the MK-15 mine detector, candles, camouflage face paint, BA 30 batteries, plastic 2½ gallon water containers, ponchos, air mattresses, paper plates and cups, plastic knives forks and spoons, paint (with the exception of green paint for mount-out boxes), flashlights, grease pencils, black ink pens, blank dog tags, straw brooms, wire brushes, scrub brushes, memo books, nails, paper tablets, clip boards, and T-shirts. HILL 65 continued to receive resupplies daily from Force Logistics Command in DaNang. Force Logistics Command supplied a 1000 gallon water tanker to HILL 65 approximately three (3) times a week. The tanker was utilized to resupply HILLS 25 and 52 with water from HILL 65.

(3) Supply. During the month of June, Battalion Supply continued to inventory and consolidate all classes of material. Consolidation within the field warehouse yard resulted in the dispatch of five (5) tractor-trailers of assorted equipment to Force Logistics Command Retrograde Facility. Improvement was made in the supply storage area to protect equipment from the elements by leveling the storage area and filling it with five (5) loads of gravel. Increased emphasis was placed on requisitioning TE deficient items. In addition, Supply continued to stress embarkation readiness.

(4) Ordnance. On 29 and 30 June 1970 the Battalion Ammunition Technician held a battalion wide inspection concerning ammunition storage procedures. Minimal discrepancies were noted at ammunition storage positions. Inspections are now scheduled on a monthly basis to insure that all ammunition storage areas meet existing ordnance regulations.

(5) Motor Transport. During the month of June, continued emphasis was placed on driver's preventive maintenance of assigned vehicles. Weekly motor stables initiated in a previous reporting period are now a matter of policy. In addition to the motor stables, 1st echelon maintenance classes of two (2) hours duration are now required of all drivers. During June, there were three (3) driver schools held by the Motor Transport section; one (1) for the M-151A1 and two (2) for the M274-As. The M-151A1 school lasted for five (5) days and six (6) licenses were issued. The M274-A2 schools lasted for three (3) days each and twelve (12) driving permits were issued.

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(6) Embarkation. A number of outsized mount-out boxes were received from First Engineers during June. They have been assembled and made ready for embarkation. A representative of Division Embarkation inspected Battalion Supply and Communications resulting in a satisfactory rating.

(7) Cantonment Improvement. The physical appearance of the 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines rear at An Hoa changed very little during June. Three (3) badly needed tent decks were built in the An Hoa Augmentation Company area. The rear area was rated satisfactory on the Division Preventive Medicine Inspection held on 29 June 1970. HILL 65 also continually emphasized police and sanitation and was also rated satisfactory by Division Preventive Medicine. Other improvements on HILL 65 during June were as follows:

5-15 June, 12 16' x 32' tent decks constructed.

8-10 June, generator shed constructed.

12 June, CO's bunker entrances rebuilt.

13 June, one 10' x 24' bunker dismantled for the 8" howitzer platoon.

14 June, new entrance built at BAS.

14-19 June, 165 feet of culvert assembled.

19-21 June, improved access road to HILL 65.

21 June, 106 RR position leveled off.

23-24 June, culverts installed on the access road to HILL 65 and lower access road.

23-27 June, a new pot shack constructed.

25 June, cantonment roads regraded and ditched.

#### (8) Battalion Aid Station

(a) Personnel. At present there are 60 enlisted personnel and two Medicals Officers with distribution of corpsmen as follows:

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>
An Hoa	11
HILL 65	6
BAS (TAD)	1
Company I	7
Company K	6
Company L	7
Company M	6
Company N & 1 CUFP	11
5th Marines CUFP Platoon	4

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(b) Sto: Call. Approximately 1200 patients were seen during the month of June, with approximately 450 being Vietnamese civilians. Various types of problems encountered among the military were.

(1) Venereal diseases - 18 cases; one suspected syphilis and 16 cases of gonorrhea confirmed by urothol amear. Nine of these were contracted in country and seven out of country.

(2) Superficial bacterial skin infections (cellulitis, abscesses, etc.) - 125.

(3) Superficial fungal infections - 44

(4) Minor upper respiratory infections and influenza - 25

(5) Fever of unknown origin - 13

(6) Malaria - 11 (70% falciprum).

(7) Diarrhea (intestinal parasites, food poisoning, viruses and dysentery) - 80

(8) Psychological and psychiatric counseling - 15

(9) Separation physicals - 58

(10) Orthopedic complaints - 175

(11) Prescriptions for glasses - 40

(12) Miscellaneous: eosinophiles, dog bite, hemorrhoids, heat rash, acute tonsillitis, auditory problems, urinary infections, lacerations, scabies and hernias. No cases of heat casualty or immersion foot were seen. No case of drug abuse was seen on a voluntary basis. One patient was redevacated to CONUS due to recurrent pyoderma. There were approximately 300 Prescriptions written and 180 lab tests performed.

(c) Medcaps. 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines Battalion Aid Station conducts 4 medcaps each week in local villages. Normally there is one medcap at Tam Hoa (AT 868573), one at Dai Phu (AT 866573) and two at Thanh Xuyen (1) (AT 867478) each week. Approximately 60 patients are treated during each visit. An estimated 750 patients primarily children were seen last month. These are usually superficial bacterial and fungal infections. Six patients with fever of unknown origin and one with probable osteomyelitis were referred to Vietnamese hospitals locally and in DaNang for further treatment. Three medcaps were cancelled in An Hoa due to a lack of security.

(d) Immunizations. Vigorous measures to keep health records and vaccinations up to date continue to be made, but have been hampered the past month due to a dearth of biological vaccines. As a result, the percentage of companies up to date in shots has decreased, a problem that will be rectified when supplies again become available.

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(e) Supply. At present, adequate supplies are the most critical problem. Numerous everyday items have been backordered since early March. Many of these items are being picked up at Force Logistics Command now that they are available. The list currently includes 32 commonly used medications for treating common ailments in sick call. The supply room itself is being enlarged and reorganized, new shelves are being installed and new index cards kept up to date.

(f) Field Sanitation and Preventive Medicine.

(1) Twice weekly field inspections for sanitation are being held at both An Hoa and HILL 65 as well as less frequent visits to smaller 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines units. The overall adequacy of sanitation of the Battalion is improving. The preventive medicine unit at Da Nang makes monthly visits and offers suggestions. The inspection of 29 June was highly favorable for 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines at An Hoa, while HILL 65 was graded satisfactory with minor discrepancies. The mess hall and barber shop were found to be satisfactory. Replacement urinal barrels are being made and sent to HILL 65. Showers in the company area, An Hoa, are being repaired or replaced. Regular water supply is not entirely reliable and emergency water supplies are provided by a water trailer at the rear aid station.

(2) Currently, numerous cantonments of 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines report a rodent and scorpion problem with the advent of spring rains. Poison and traps have been issued to counter this problem. Adequate stores of salt tablets and malaria pills, as well as insect repellent and halizone tablets are kept at the Battalion Supply. These items are issued to the troops with instructions for their correct use. In addition, fungicidal foot powder is now regularly in use among the troops. The Battalion Aid Station is continuing to supervise and administrate weekly malaria pill rosters, with excellent cooperation by individual units.

(g) Training. Lectures by the Chief and Battalion Surgeon were given on a variety of subjects covering field sanitation, immersion foot, heat casualty, venereal disease and malaria. On the job training was given to all corpsmen in minor surgery, administration of sick call, treatment of common diseases, supply, laboratory medicine, pharmacy, health and service records and refresher courses were given to new corpsmen in-country via indoctrination school. Formal lectures to the corpsmen were given by the Battalion Surgeon on the subject of liver disease, fainting and dizziness, antibiotics, Parkinsons disease, analgesics and tranquilizers, rabies, tetanus, cardiac arrest and bacterial skin infections.

(h) Dental. All Lima Company personnel had their teeth checked and necessary dental work done by 1st Dental Company personnel.

(i) Miscellaneous. The Battalion water point at HILL 65 continued functioning effectively pumping water from the Song Vu Gia River to supply the water needs of HILL 65.

h. Communications

(1) Battalion operations were supported by the use of FM radio equipment-AN/PRC-25, AN/PRC-77 and KY-38. AN/PRC-41's and AN/PRC-931's were

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used by the Battalion TACP. AN/PRC-88's and wire communications equipment were employed in support of the base defense of HILL 65.

(2) The Battalion Comm Officer visited all the Battalion units in a continuing effort to increase the awareness of both commanders and troops in the necessity of Communications Security.

(3) On the 23rd of June the Division changed both frequencies and call signs. The change over within the Battalion went smoothly and to date only a minimum of interference problems have been realized.

#### i. Civic Action, Psychological Operations, and Industrial Relations

(1) Civic Action. The Civic Action Program was geared to help those newly elected village and hamlet officials put some of their ideas to work. Aid through this program included the following:

##### VILLAGE

Dai Phu

Ha Nha

Trung An

Dai Loc  
Phiem Ai

Dien Ban

##### CIVIC ACTION

Wood for hamlet chief's office, wood for village entrance signs.

Cement for four (4) wells, wood for hamlet entrance signs, paint for Pro-GVN signs and banners.

Engineering advise was given on draining market place, and surrounding area for excess water.

Wood for new school building.

Culvert to supply water for irrigation across road.

Wood and tin for a school.

#### (2) Psychological Operations

(a) Eight aerial leaflet drops were made in the Battalion AO. The messages included Chieu Hoi information, rewards for mines and booby traps, and operation Save-a-leg. Aerial broadcasts included messages about the RVN, Anti-VN and themes promoting GUPP. One earlyword was held this month utilizing an NVA Hoi Chanh from Dai Loc District. The message was broadcast over five target areas, followed by leaflet drops.

(b) An Armed Propaganda Team and a Culture and Drama Team were utilized this month in the Battalion. The Culture Drama Team put on shows in Trung An, Tam Hoa, Dai Phu, Truong An, Phu Que, and Phu Loc. The Armed Propaganda Team, furnished with a blacklist, infiltrated hamlets searching for information and talking to wives and relatives of blacklisted people. They spread word of the benefits of Hoi Chanhs and other Pro-GVN messages.

(c) The Combat Broadcast Team was utilized by almost every unit in the Battalion. One movie was shown at Dai Phu, with an excellent turn-out of the local populace.

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(3) Industrial Relation Activities. Presently, 22 civilians are working at HILL 65. Five civilians work in the messhall under the appropriated fund system. The Battalion has 17 civilians working under AIK funds. 15 work for S-4 and two work at BAS.

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SECRETPART IV

1. In accordance with reference (c), the below listed documents for the month of June are attached as enclosure (2):

- /a. Daily Journal of SPOT REPORTS and MESSAGES.
- /b. Daily Situation Reports of current General Forecast, enemy contacts, significant events, and future forecasted events and activities.
- /c. 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines Fragmentary Order 19-70.
- /d. 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines Operations Order 16-70.

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IN	OUT	NO	GROUP	JOURNAL OPENED	TAKEN
0001H	0001H	1	010001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0245H	0342H	2	010215H	3/1 CUPP M 21 at AT959604 was attacked by approx 10-15 VC/NVA from two (2) directions. Unit received approx 300 Ak-47 rds. and five (5) RPG rds. Returned fire with approx 400 M-16 rds and 15 M-79 rds, 40 rds of 60mm mortar HE fired by RF's at Golden Gate Bridge. Also 338 Illum and 22 105 Illum rds were fired. Swept area finding one (1) VC/NVA KIA, one (1) rocket launcher (RPG) two (2) rockets. The one (1) VC/NVA with AK-47 and wearing cart belt with M-26 attached. Friendly casualties one (1) RF KIA, one (1) RF WIA (1) Evac. AT958603	S-3/F
0930H	0935H	3	010855H	3/5 Surv. at H-65 observed five (5) VC w/packs and rifles moving through high grass into treeline. Followed later by six (6) VC moving E to W. Fire mission called at 0855H, expending 30 HE 105, end of mission at 0904H. Results one (1) VC KIA AT863543.	S-3/F
1805H	1835H	4	011745H	3/5 CP Surv at AT878576 observed seven (7) VC/NVA w/packs and wpns moving along a trail at AT880553. Called Arty F/M which delivered w/excellent coverage. Results four (4) VC/NVA KIA wearing green utilities.	S-3/F
1930H	2000H	5	011906H	3/1 CUPP Co M 3 at AT908560 observed three (3) VC/NVA w/wpns AT901557. Called 81 F/M unable to sweep area due to water barrier.	S-3/F
2045H	2105H	6	012025H	3/5 K 33 at AT925553 observed one (1) VC moving north parallel to road. Initiated small arms fire with 75 rds M-16 and 5 M-79 rds. Produced one (1) VC KIA w/wpn and documents, three (3) AK mag., three (3) ChiComs 4 lbs of documents, one (1) AK-47, and one (1) cart belt.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				There were no USMC casualties, however one (1) RF was killed and another was wounded during pre-dawn contact which accounted	

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2400H	2400H	7	012400H	for one (1) enemy KIA. Todays total is seven (7) VC/NVA (5 of which were KB Arty) and gear as reported.  JOURNAL CLOSED:	

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IN	OUT	NO	GROUP	JOURNAL OPENED	TAKEN
0001H	0001H	1	020001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0635H	0705H	2	022025H	3/5 K 3 at AT923555 follow up upon further search of area unit found one (1) mortar site and one (1) range book for 81mm mortar	S-3/F
0640H	0710H	3	020600H	3/5 K 3 at AT925553 apprehended two (2) males in area of last nights ambush and held them as detainees. Questioned by S-2 and will be turned into ITT.	S-3/F
0705H	0800H	4	022025H	3/5 K 3 at AT923555 follow up area was search thoroughly near ambush site finding a 175mm rd w/pull friction fuse, one (1) #10 can w/C-4 & pull friction fuse, one (1) 1/2 galoon can w/frag inside and one (1) large jar w/C-4 & pull friction fuse. Blown in place.	S-3/F
0920H	0930H	5	020825H	3/5 Surv at AT878576 observed two (2) VC w/packs & wpns in high grass. F/M called expending (18) rds 105 HE 1st rd at 0830H, end of mission at 0840H. AT885544.	S-3/F
1157H	1233H	6	021130H	3/1 CUPP Co M 21 at AT953606 found underground bunker cave 3' high X 6' long X 4' wide with an entrance 2 1/2 x 3 feet. Destroyed.	S-3/F
1320H	1407H	7	021300H	3/5 K 1 at AT923551 observation post stopped two (2) VN with cart on road. Cart appeared to be filled with wood, but inspection showed four (4) large bags filled w/C-Rations. Results two (2) detainees one (1) male, one (1) female age approx 70, turned over to HILL 37 CIT 51st ARVN.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				Summary ending period 02 June 70 with the following events: one (1) contact reported four (4) detainees, three (3) males the other a female, underground bunker destroyed, one (1) mortar site found, one (1) Range book found, four (4) bags of C-Rations and four booby traps found and destroyed.	
2400H	2400H	8	022400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:	

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0001H	0001H	1	030001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0925H	0940H	2	030825H	3/5 I 22 at AT825554 on road sweep from 52 to 25, one (1) VN child brought one (1) 40 lb box mine to engineers. Box mine destroyed in place. Child received IOU for future payment.	S-3/F
1540H	1640H	3	031540H	3/5 I at ZC214552 received one (1) incoming 82mm mortar round, impact area ZC-212554. 81's and 106's fire missions were called, 18 HE 106 rounds, 26 HE and 2 WP 81 rounds.	S-3/F
2130H	2200H	4	032125H	3/5 M 2 at AT997566 saw one (1) VN carrying gear, walking east to west on river bank. Unit fired 10 rounds, wounding VN. VN was female, age 11, VN was carrying rice in pack, RVN's believe she was taking to her parents who are VC, medevac was called.	S-3/F
2149H	2156H	5	031940H	3/1 CUPP Co M at AT964617 while setting in or resetting claymore mine around night defensive position, One (1) Officer assigned to "F" Battery 2/11 was killed as result of blast when claymore detonated. Permanent Routine Medevac requested, to be run at first light. Results one USMC NBCK.	S-3/F
2155H	2205H	6	032107H	3/5 CP Surveillance at AT878576 suspected enemy movement from N to S. Ten 10 VC/NVA on separate readouts through PSID device, called Arty fire mission. Results unknown at this time.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				One (1) USMC NBCK as result of claymore detonating while setting or resetting around defensive position. One (1) VN detainee, female, age 11 carrying rice in pack. Detainee WIA, medevac complete.	
2400H	2400H	7	032400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:	



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0001H	0001H	1	040001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0110H	0145H	2	040100H	3/5 Co K at AT919580 received 6 - 7 incoming enemy 61mm mortar rounds, all of which impacted outside perimeter wire. Negative damage or casualties, enemy position unknown.	S-3/F
0210H	0227H	3	040030H	3/1 CUPP Co M 113 at AT914565 received five (5) B-40 rockets landing 40 meters from perimeter. Also received 200 - 300 AK-47 rounds from approx six (6) VC/NVA. M 113 returned small arms fire. Negative casualties, will search.	S-3/F
0225H	0255H	4	040045H	3/5 CUPP 3 at AT806565 approx twenty (20) VC entered wille and began firing automatic burst and thrown ChiComs at units position. Unit returned fire with 200 rounds small arms fire, 15 rounds M-79, and 2 claymores. Enemy contact was broken and the enemy withdrew. Enemy attacked a second time with five (5) ChiComs, six (6) M-79 rounds, two (2) B-40 rockets and 100 rounds small arms fire. Unit returned small arms fire and M-79 fire as enemy continued to throw ChiComs and set hooches in village afire.	S-3/F
0340H	0355H	5	040350H	3/1 Co M 21 at AT957603 night position received eight (8) incoming 61mm mortar rounds resulting in one (1) USMC WIA(M). Unable to locate enemy mortar site due to heavily wooded area.	S-3/F
0450H	0555H	6	040330H	3/5 CUPP 2 at AT813548 observed ten (10) VC/NVA moving N from area where CUPP 3 was in contact. 81mm called in expending 20 HE rounds, and fire small arms as VC fled to N using boats to cross river. Swept area and observed VC debarking on other side of river, fire small arms with unknown results.	S-3/F
0550H	0600H	7	040540H	3/5 CUPP 3 VC/NVA started ten (10) hooches afire at AT806545 and took several villagers to use as shield for friendly fire as they initiated contact with 200 rounds small arms fire, 20 ChiComs, B-40 rockets and 15 M-79 rounds. CUPP 3 fired small arms	S-3/F

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		c		fire and M-79 with unknown results.		
0558H	0630H	8	040520H	3/1 CUPP M 21 at AT957603 set in night position observed two (2) tripflares set off and simultaneously received two (2) incoming grenades resulting in one (1) RF KIA and two (2) RF WIA (M). Unit fired small arms fire M-79 and two (2) claymores with negative results.		S-3/F
0720H	0740H	9	040330H	3/5 CUPP 3 (follow up) at AT807545 swept area and found one (1) VC/NVA KIA (age 20) one (1) dead civilian age 15 killed by ChiCom six other civilians were wounded, approx ten (10) hames were destroyed by VC. Medevac called and completed.		S-3/F
1920H	1925H	10	032200H	Late Entry - 3/5 M 2 at AT877567 ambush site VC initiated contact w/one (1) grenade destroying raide, killed radio man. Returned fire moved ambush site 75 meters NW. 20 minutes later received 20 rounds light machine gun fire approx 20 minutes later received 40 rounds AK-47 fire from N returned small arms fire also two (2) USMC WIA (M). Routine medevac called and completed.		S-3/F
0910H	0915H	11	040830H	3/5 I 23 at ZC213566 found one booby trap M-26 frag rigged with trip wire, was blown in place.		S-3/F
0950H	0955H	12	032200H	Late Entry - 3/5 M 2 at AT877567 received one (1) grenade which killed radio man and destroyed radio, also slightly wounding two (2) other USMC. Before moving ambush site blew 2 claymores, 20 minutes later received fire f/two (2) AK-47's about 100 meters to the N. 1 hour later received three (3) ChiComs and four (4) dud M-79 rounds followed by an assault from about six (6) VC from the south and automatic fire from the east. Returned fire when VC were 20 meters from A/S continued receiving small arms fire until 0300H. At first light searched area finding one (1) VC KIA by small arms and two (2) large blood trails. Found on dead VC was one (1) M-79. Also found one VC KIA by claymore.		S-3/F

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1010H	1015H	13	040145H	Two (2) wounded Marines returned to H-65 were R/medevacs. Results two (2) VC KIA's, one (1) M-79 grenade launcher.  Late Entry - 3/5 CUPP 3 at AT965606. RF 927 CO reported that one DOB bomb exploded on golden gate bridge approx 50' from S end of destroying approx 35' of western half of bridge. "A" Co 7th Eng investigated incident and reported that most likely explosion occurred underneath bridge. Suspect sapper attached explosive to underside of bridge LOC Interdiction report submitted.	S-3/F
1140H	1155H	14	041000H	3/5 CUPP 3/S-2 at AT806565 15 - 20 VC/NVA entered market place, opened fire w/automatic burst, and ChiComs. Returned small arms and M-79 rounds. VC/NVA w/drew when Illum went up - when Illum went down hit w/ small arms ten (10) ChiComs and four (4) B-40's, enemy w/drew again when Illum went up and again when Illum went down attacked w/small arms, five ChiComs and five (5) B-40's. 81mm fire mission called in enemy w/drew. Illum went down VC/NVA started burning homes, and used civilians as shields. CUPP 3 could not return fire. S-2 spotted ten (10) VC/NVA in open. Opened up with small arms and called in 81 fire mission. When searching area spotted two (2) VC/NVA crossing river in boat, opened up w/s/a, boat went into thickets. Civilians & CUPP 3 in village heard screaming, CUPP 3 observed VC/NVA dragging two (2) VC/NVA At first light found one (1) VC/NVA KIA approx 3 to 4 more bodies were dragged off by VC/NVA medevacs called for civilians, one (1) civilian KIA, one (1) USMC WIA.	S-3/F
1230H	1233H	15	041115H	3/5 CUPP M 3/1 M 32 at AT985630 received 35 AK-47 rounds. Observed five (5) VC fleeing SE. Returned small arms fire and 10 M-79 rounds VC had fragged dwellings at AT985627. One (1) M-26 frag was found in a home. Civilians said VC had stayed in ville the previous night.	S-3/F
1833H	1935H	16	041815H	3/5 Co K at AT919580 received five (5) incoming 82mm rds, four (4) impacted outside	S-3/F

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				perimeter, the fifth however, landed inside perimeter. Round caused no damage or casualties, counter mortar mission, 81mm, called, AT937577 w/unknown results.					
1245H	1248H	17	041200H	C Co 1st Eng at AT937580 a 10 ton truck traveling E on route 4 hit a 20 lb box mine. No one hurt. One (1) wheel blown off. Hole in bed of truck.		S-3/F			
2015H	2040H	18	042000H	3/5 CUPP 2 at AT814548 RF's working with CUPP 2 spotted 8-10 VC moving south into tree line. Called 81mm mission expending 40 HE rounds. Results unknown area to be checked.		S-3/F			
2150H	2217H	19	042115H	3/5 CUPP 2 at AT813551 had one 60mm round impact 300m southwest of position and observed muzzle flash at AT817550. Called 81mm mission, expending 40 rounds HE. Area to be checked.		S-3/F			
				SUMMARY:					
				3/5 had one (1) USMC KIA, two (2) USMC WIAE(R) and one (1) USMC WIA(M) in predawn contact today resulting in four (4) VC KIA and the capture of one (1) M-79 grenade launcher held by VC. 3/5 had 15 periods of reported contact today, 13 of which were initiated by the enemy.					
2400H	2400H	20	042400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:					

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0001H 0001H	1	050001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0829H 0906H	2	050800H	3/5 M Co at AT830537 set up cordon of Minh Tan Hamlet at 0845 KCS saw two (2) VN males and fired upon them. Both fled across stream before search team enteredville allowing two (2) VC to escape. After thorough search of wille found two (2) Chicoms, three (3) boats, three (3) pigs, one (1) wallet with 100 VN dollars and assorted clothing. One (1) VN female gave names of three (3) VC; Chau, Su, Rau. Resulting in two (2) Chicoms and ththree (3) boats destroyed, one (1) male detainee.	S-3/F
0855H	3	042045H	3/5 M Co late entry at AT815542 proceeding to A/S in plt column observed four (4) VC moving W to E. Unit threw one (1) M-79and fired 15 rounds M-16. Enemy fled west before unit could concentratefire on them. VC Threw one (1) M-26 frag at column resulting in two (2) USMC WIA (NE). AT815543	S-3/F
1114H 1131H	4	051030H	3/1 CUPP M 3 at AT912567 found one (1) B-40 rocket 30 meters from day pause. Blew in place.	S-3/F
1530H 1545H	5	051430H	3/5 CUPP 3 at AT800545 VN child brought one (1) 10 lb box mine to CUPP 3 in form of shaped charge found at AT804545. Blown with C-4.	
1600H	6	051100H	Late Entry - 3/1 CUPP Co M and 1/5 Co C were visted in the field by LtGen McCutcheon III MAF CG today for a perios of one hour.	
			SUMMARY:	
			3/5 had no casualties today and no significant contact, but 3/1 CUPP Co M and C 1/5 were visited by LtGen McCutcheon III MAF CG.	
2400H 2400H	7	052400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:	

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0001H	0001H	1	060001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
1016H		2	061016H	1/5 C Co at AT967594 Charlie Co has re- lieved Charlie #3 and provide security for MCB-62 along route #4 & along route #1D.	S-3/F
1025H	1045H	3	061000H	C 7th Eng at AT937580 while working on road tractor towing a sheet roller hit an approx 100 lb box mine blocking the 2nd sec- tion off roller. Results no casualties.	S-3/F
1240H	1245H	4	061200H	3/5 Co M(-) rein at AT867577 cordon & search was successfully conducted in con- jundtion w/Dai Loc District fordes, screening of personnel produced 12 detainees, they will be turned over to Dai Loc District.	S-3/F
1430H	1510H	5	061345H	3/1 CUPP M 31 at AT994637 while in day position and testing lod illumination, Marine fired one green pop-up which exploded as misfire. Marine taken to 1st Med Bn Via vehicle for cut to right hand. All green star cluster hand signal flares collected for investigation. Results one (1) USMC NBC.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:  Summary ending period of 06 June 70 with the following enemy contact & findings within 3/5 AO's. One (1) USMC NBC from green star cluster. Co M(-) rein in cordon & search w/Dai Loc District produced 12 detainees from screening of VN village at AT867577. C 7th Eng on road clearing & grading, a tractor towing sheet roller hit 100 lb box mine, no casualties.	
2400H	2400H	6	062400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:	

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0001H	0001H	1	070001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0755H	0806H	2	070715H	3/5 M-1 at AT945592 while set in block as element of search and cordon operation in Chau Son area, observed three (3) VC with packs approx 350 meters away running W to avoid sweeping units. Fired small arms fire resulting in one VC KIA, three (3) Chicoms, one (1) B-40 rocket launcher, one (1) B-40 round and cart belt.	S-3/F
0850H	0900H	3	070810H	3/5 K 3 at AT939591 while operating as sweeping element in Chau Son cordon and search operation observed one (1) VC w/pack. Fired 20 rounds M-16, results one (1) VC KIA	S-3/F
1038H	1055H	4	071005H	3/5 K 3 at AT940592 observed one (1) VC attempting to cross river at AT943594 to avoid sweeping force. Fired 50 rounds SAF resulting in one (1) VC KIA. ARVN elements picked up body, AK-47 and equipment.	S-3/F
1550H	1650H	5	071540H	3/5 I Co at AT802556 noticed Illum parachute used as B/T marker. 105mm B/T was three (3) feet away. B/T was blown in place secondary explosion under parachute.	S-3/F
2114H	2130H	6	072015H	3/5 I 3 at AT843575 spotted two (2) VC/ NVA moving W to E. Arty fired Illum negative. Fired small arms into area negative. Found one (1) pair of sandals, one (1) pack containing one (1) pack tobacco, one (1) cellophane paper w/documents & one (1) knife, rest of search negative.	S-3/F
2252H	2315H	6	072215H	1/5 Co C 2 at AT968601 received 4-6 rds 81mm mortar fire which landed 200 meters east of position fire suspected to come from vicinity AT970601. Negative results.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				3/5 had no casualties reported today, however, M 1 had one (1) VC KIA and K 3 had two (2) VC KIA I 3 pointman through alertness and having successfully completing LMWS, observed an illumination parachute suspected	

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2400H	2400H	8		072400H	its use as a booby trap marker and found trip wire on trail three (3) feet away from marker. Investigation revealed a 105mm rounds, and when round was blown in place, observed a secondary explosion under parachute. Captured one (1) B-40 rocket launcher as a result of Chau Son combined unit operation with other misc gear as reported.	
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0001H	0001H	1	080001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0730H	0815H	2	080630H	3/5 CUPP 1 at AT826556 while moving to day CP from night activity received 15 rds AK-47 fire from AT828555. Unit returned fire with M-16 and M-79. One VN boy (age 10) received shrapnel wound from an RF M-79 grenade launcher, and was medevaced. Area sweep showed no results of contact.	S-3/F
0930H	0945H	3	080845H	3/5 I 36, CUPP 1 at AT829557. CUPP jeep detonated an est 60 lb box mine, pressure type resulting in four (4) USMC KIA. Three (3) USMC from I 36 were wounded from blast while to OP site. All personnel walking and in the jeep were wearing flak jackets and helmets. Personnel on road were walking at normal 15 meter intervals at time of explosion, but only 10 meters from vehicle. Road being reswept and psyops team with 3/5 are exploiting situation. Four (4) USMC KIA three (3) USMC WIA two (2) (P) one (1) (E).	S-3/F
1015H	1059H	4	080920H	3/5 CUPP 1 at AT832558 bulldozer on land clearing operation filled in hole caused by previous mining incident, and detonated a second pressure type mine approx 75 meters from site of first incident resulting in in medevac of bulldozer operator and one (1) USMC onlooker who was injured by blast.	S-3/F
2055H	2145H	5	082010H	3/5 K 31 at AT926559 K 11 sqd w/sent to K 3 plt position to rein unit. K 11 checked in K 3(-) position and was told their A/S. K 11 then moved out to establish A/S. K 31 while moving toward their A/S which was located between K 3(-) and K 11. Results one (1) USMC KIA and one (1) USMC WIA.  SUMMARY:  3/5 had five (5) USMC KIA and five (5) USMC WIA in two mining incidents less than 100 meters apart where a 3/5 CUPP jeep detonated a box mine. Bulldozer while repairing hole at site of first incident detonated the second, and K 31 mistook K 11 for enemy and opened up on them. One (1) VN male (age 10)	S-3/F

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2400H	2400H	6	082400H	<p>was medevaced for shrapnel wounds during contact this morning by friendly RF M-79 fire.</p> <p>JOURNAL CLOSED:</p>	

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0210H	0228H	2	090130H	3/5 K 3 at AT924553 observed ten (10) VC/NVA moving west to east 150 to 200 meters away. Unit initiated contact with small arms fire and M-79, and coordinated 81mm fire mission with negative results. S-3/F
2325H	2350H	3	092225H	3/1 CUPP 32 at AT906562 moving to A/S came upon an estimated five (5) VC/NVA. Enemy threw two (2) Chicoms and approx 30 to 45 AK-47 rounds from 3 to 4 weapons with negative results. Returned fire w/organic weapons 81mm fire mission called at 2240H, 1st rounds hit at 2245H, end of mission at 2250. Results found two (2) blood trails. S-3/F
				SUMMARY:  Summary ending the period of 9 June 70 with two contacts with enemy that resulted in negative enemy KIA and negative USMC casualties during the engagement.
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2156H	2245H	2	102023H	1/5 Co C-2B at AT968594 received one (1) enemy grenade from unknown size enemy force as unit was reaching ambush site resulting in one (1) USMC WIAE. Search for enemy in area yielded negative results.  SUMMARY:  3/5 had one USMC WIAE from incoming enemy frag. Negative results of search of enemy.	S-3/F
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1205H	1241H	2	111120H	3/1 CUPP 23A at AT950600 on patrol act observed six (6) VC/NVA armed. 23A initiated fire w/50 rounds M-16. Pursued enemy in treeline searched w/negative results. AT-956601.	S-3/F
		3	111030H	B General DOEHLER ADC 1st Mar Div visited five (5) Marine CUPP Plt today. B General DOEHLER visited CUPP 1&2 squads in the field for a period of one (1) hour.	S-3/F
1810H	1830H	4	111720H	3/5 K 2 at AT919598 received 40-50 rounds AK-47 small arms fire from est two (2) VC/NVA wounding one PF who was riding dike along road. Unit returned M-79 and M-60 fire. Medevac called for PF gunships fired on board ordnance at AT927597. Swept area with negative results.	S-3/F
2016H	2030H	5	111920H	3/5 I 22 at AT800562 observed two (2) VC in brush. Unit called 81mm mission at AT-793565 expended 15 rounds 81mm HE swept area with negative results.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				3/5 had no casualties reported today, however, called medevac for one (1) PF who was wounded by enemy small arms fire while riding bike on road. B General DOEHLER visited CUPP 3/5 squads in the field today.	
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1250H	1325H	2	121135H	3/5 I 23 at AT802564 returned to CP at HILL 52 upon completion of patrol had RF element depart main body and headed into ville. Point man of RF element tripped a 155mm rd. booby trapped with trip wire across trail. Results three (3) RF WIAE, one (1) (E) two (2) (P).	S-3/F
1330H	1340H	3	121245H	3/5 CP at AT878576 had water truck, which was in process of resupplying 8" Plt on H-52 overturned. After driver swerved right to avoid hitting VN children who ran into his path right wheels hung over 3' culvert, overturning when driver and passenger disembarked. Security set up around truck at AT874573 and one VN child, female, treated at 3/5 BAS for cut on her leg.	S-3/F
1340H	1345H	4	121330H	3/5 Co I at AT797556 had cobra gunship who was working for this unit experienced mechanical failure, forcing landing. Crew of cobra lifted out by CH-53 and security set up by 3/5 I until cobra is extracted. Neg.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:  Summary ending the period of 12 June 70 w/the following casual/en contact within 3/5 AO, three (3) RF WIAE, (1) (E) (2) (P) resulting from 155mm rd. One (1) VN female suffer Minor cuts on hand that resulted from over turned water truck. No USMC casual.	
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0001H	0001H	1	130001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0415H	0430H	2	130200H	3/5 CUPP 2 and CP at AT816549, while in ambush site, heard movement to NE and received heavy small arms fire, RPG, Chicom, and satchel charges from 50-60 VC/NVA resulting in three (3) USMC KIA and one (1) USMC WIA immediately. Two (2) remaining USMC returned to CP site which came under attack and RF's abandoned completely leaving only USMC present. CP site moved across road and set in new position. Arty & 81 fire mission conducted. Basketball and stinger on station. Results of contact three (3) USMC KIA two (2) USMC WIA (1) E (1) R evac. AT815549.	S-3/F
0725H	0732H	3	130300H	3/5 CUPP 1 and CUPP CP at AT827555 received heavy SAF, RPG, light MG fire and satchel charges from est 50 VC/NVA attacking from W and N. Majority of RF's abandoned positions leaving only five (5) RF's remaining. Unit returned fire with SAF, M-79, called Arty & 81 F/M. Basketball and stinger on station. Results of contact: one (1) RF KIA, one (1) RF WIAE two (2) USMC WIAR three (3) USMC WIAM	S-3/F
0800H	0819H	4	130720H	3/5 Co M 2 (OPCON 3/5 Co K) at AT941582 while moving to day pos, found one (1) 155mm rd. set as booby trap on trail with pressure release device. Destroyed in place.	S-3/F
0810H	0830H	5	130740H	3/1 (CUPP CO) M 12 at AT919595, VN male was working in rice paddie and hit M-79 rd receiving slight shrapnel wounds. Male was treated by corpsman of this unit and released in excellent condition.	S-3/F
0845H	0905H	6	130815H	3/5 CO K 22 at AT932602, on patrol found one (1) juice can, (#10 type) filled with explosive comp and heavy objects set as booby trap with trip wire beside tree. Booby trap blown in place.	S-3/F
1030H	1050H	7	130930H	3/1 (CUPP CO) M 31 at AT992636, civilians brought three (3) male children to day pos, who had tripped an AP mine, approx 60mm size killing one and the other two (2) received multiple shrapnel wounds. Results one (1)	S-3/F

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1200H		8	131200H	civilian, male ages 8 killed, two (2) civilians males ages 6 and 10 wounded. Emergency medevac complete.
1455H	1508H	9	131400H	1/5 Alfa 1st Plt in vic 9659 grid relieved S-3/F 3rd Plt Charlie on Rt 4 as security for MCB-62 at 12 o'clock.
1550H	1620H	10	131550H	3/5 CP at AT910610, jeep driving in rain served left to avoid VN male whose bike had falling in front of jeep. Vehicle slid off road into ditch & over turned. Results one (1) USMC jeep damaged about 30%. Neg Casual.
2209H	2251H	11	132209H	3/5 K 21 at AT908614 unit on patrol found M-79 rd set as Booby trap w/ two (2) wires. Touching wires detonated round. Found along trail. Booby trap blown in place.
				3/5 G-2 Ground Surv. at AT878576 had suspected enemy movement NW to SE ten (10) personnel Neg. Results AT85505902.
				SUMMARY:
				Summary ending period of 13 June 70 with the following contacts and findings in 3/5 AO: three (3) USMC KIA'S seven (7) WIA'S (1) (E) (3) (R) (3) (M) One (1) RF KIA'S one (1) WIAE. One (1) VN civilian male KIA two (2) VN civilians WIA. One USMC jeep 30% damaged.
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0635H	0655H	2	140615H	3/5 M 22 at AT948584 setting in OP site, unit tripped booby trap of Chicom grenade w/ pressure device detonation. Results one (1) USMC P medevac <del>one</del> (1) USMC R medevac.			S-3/F
0850H	1005H	3	140845H	3/5 M2 at AT940580 USMC w/checking .45 pistol to see if rd w/chambered w/mag in well. A rd w/chambered & triggered pulled firing a round hitting bystander approx 3 ft away. Results one (1) USMC NBC (P) evac.			S-3/F
1052H	1105H	4	140930H	3/1 CUPP at AT967600 SeeBee's driving road grader detonated pressure type mine. Vehicle destroyed, two (2) USN injured. One (1) USN WIA(P) one (1) USN WIAM.			S-3/F
1120H	1140H	5	141030H	3/5 K 32 at AT917634 discovered four (4) caves containing documents, 25 sliced dried potatoes, green utilities, beds made of straw and cooking utensils, documents turned over to ITT and rest of gear destroyed.			S-3/F
1916H	2003H	6	141815H	3/5 Co I at ZC214552 observed smoke from suspected enemy cooking fire, called 81 and 106mm fire mission, expending 21 81 and 11 106 rounds on target with unknown results (ZC 202542).			S-3/F
				SUMMARY:			
				3/5 had two (2) USMC wounded resulting from booby traps, two (2) USN WIA when road grader hit road mine, one (1) USMC NBCE, and captured misc gear reported today along with suspected enemy position fire mission conducted.			
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2120H	2135H	2	152100H	3/5 M 2 at AT939500 observed two (2) VC/ NVA 700 meters fm N/position through starlight B1 F/M was called at 2100 expending 20 rds HE end of mission 2115. Results unknown will check area at 1st light. AT935587.	S-3/F
2200H	2210H	3	152130H	G-2 Ground Surv at AT878576 observed sus- pected enemy movement ten (10) personnel moving NE TO SW. Fire mission called at 2130 expending 12 105 rounds. End of mission at 2137. Results unknown. AT90176092.  SUMMARY:  3/5 Had no reported casualties today, however coordinated fire missions on two (2) enemy observations by M 2 and G-2 Ground Surv Negative results.	S-3/F
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0915H	0930H	2	160910H	3/5 Co M 2 at AT945584 while in OP site Marine was bitten by unknown type of snake which escaped. Emergency medevac complete results one (1) USMC NBCE.	S-3/F
1545H	1550H	3	161545H	3/5 S-3 to collective rear. The Battalion cmdr's weekly meeting has been cancelled for this week. Next meeting Mon 22 June 70.	S-3/F
1720H	1759H	4	161720H	SM 21 at AT994633 while checking out area for possible day position activity tripped 60mm booby trap with trip wire. Results four (4) USMC WIA'S Emergency medevacs.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:  Four (4) USMC WIA'S, one (1) USMC bitten by snake, four USMC emergency evacs, one (1) USMC NBCE.	
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1242H	1300H	2	171142H	3/5 I 32 at ZC213568 stopped to take a break while moving out point man detonated 60mm. Results one (1) (E) two (2) (P) WIA'S.	S-3/F
1305H		3	171230H	3/1 CUPP 23 at AT954611 had one (1) VN female brought to their D/position. Woman had hit M-79 HE dud. Resulting in multiple shrapnel wounds to body. Medevac complete at 1250. AT946606.  SUMMARY:  3/5 had three (3) USMC WIAE today as result of booby trap.	S-3/F
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0400H	0431H	2	180310H	3/1 CUPP 122 at AT915592 while set in A/S received two (2) incoming ChiComs and about 60 AK-47 rounds from est two (2) VC. Unit returned small arms fire and M-79. Searched area with negative results. AT918-591.	S-3/F
2040H	2055H	3	181930H	3/5 K 1 at AT935622 observed 12-15 VC/ NVA w/packs and weapons approx 700 meters from N/P moving NW to SE. Unit fired 15 60mm HE rounds and called Arty fire mission. 1st round at 1950, end of mission at 2030. Expended 36 HE rounds. Area will be checked at 1st light. AT930637	S-3/F
2245H	2315H	4	182215H	3/1 CUPP 21 at AT994637 received two (2) RPG's approx 200 meters S of N/Pos and Approx 30 AK-47 rounds. Unit returned fire w/two (2) LAWS and 100 M-16 rounds. Will check area at 1st light. AT994631	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				Summary ending the period of 18 June with the following enemy contact & casualties. 3/1 CUPP 122 received two (2) Chicoms & 60 AK-47 fire. No casualties. 3/5 K 1 observed 12-15 VC/NVA w/packs wpns, F/M called. Unknown results. 3/1 CUPP 21 received two (2) RPG's rounds & 30 AK-47 fire w/no casualties.	
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0005H	0030H	2	182310H	(LATE ENTRY) 3/5 CUPP 1 at 829560 in N/P observed two (2) lights in foothills to N, 81mm fire mission called at 2310, 1st round at 2320, expended 60 HE rounds, end of mission at 2345. Will check area at day break. AT-823570.		S-3/F	
1500H	1615H	3	191500H	Brig. General SIMMONS Asst. Division Command visited H-65 & H-52, departed H-65 at 1615H.		S-3/F	
1954H	2000H	4	191954H	K 1 CP at AT933634 spotted 8 or 9 VC/NVA moving from SW to W approx 1500 meters away. Arty F/M was given negative clearance due to change of AO. Enemy moved out of area. Results Negative.		S-3/F	
				SUMMARY:			
				Summary ending period 19 June 70 with the following enemy contact & casualties. 3/5 CUPP located two (2) lights in foothills, 81 F/M called at 2310 first rd at 2320 - 60 rds HE.			
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0001H	0001H	1	200001H	JOURNAL OPENED:  SUMMARY:  3/5 conducted patrols/ambushes and category II operations today in Thuong Duc AO. No contact or significant events were reported; negative casualties.	
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2025H	2025H	2	212025H	3/5 S-3 to May fly Commanders Conf. Scheduled 221030H June 70 at H-65 CP.	S-3/F
2330H	2340H	3	212316H	3/1 Cupp 32 at 984628 in night position unit observed two (2) VC/NVA approx 100 me- ters fm position moving east. Initiated fire with small arms fire and M-79. Swept area w/negative results. AT982620.  SUMMARY:  Summary ending the period of 21 June 1970 with the enemy contact. There were only one contact that resulted in Negative results.	S-3/F
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0930H	0952H	2	220845H	Co M 3/1 M 23 at AT957598 while on operation with 51st ARVN's received 50 rounds AK-47 fire from AT955598. Unit returned small arms fire and M-79. Could not sweep area of contact due to water barrier. Now continuing mission.	S-3/F
1504H	1515H	3	221413H	3/5 K 2 at AT938594 USMC tripped one (1) B/T made of Chicom grenade w/trip wire in elephant grass resulting in one (1) USMC (P) evac.	S-3/F
1535H	1555H	44	221435H	3/5 M 1 at AT945584 USMC were moving out of OP site to avoid stray rds when 60mm pressure type fired device B/T was hit resulting in one (1) USMC (E) evac & one (1) USMC (P) evac.	S-3/F
2110H	2213H	5	222110H	IOD observed at AT873567 approx 20-25 lights, called 81 fire mission and 106 fire mission. 81 and 106 1st round out at 2120H. 81 had one short round land 50' outside pit with negative results/casualties. Engineers blew in place. Rounds on target lights extinguished. Results negative, observed two (2) secondary explosions.	S-3/F
				SUMMARY:	
				Summary ending the period of 22 Jun 70 is two (2) USMC (E) medevacs and one (1) (P) evac caused by booby traps with trip wires attached.	
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0001H	0001H	1	230001H	JOURNAL OPENED:		
1055H	1102H	2	231000H	3/5 K 21 at AT933603 while manufacturing to road to pick up resupplies (1) USMC tripped M-26 frag set up in high grass, resulting in one (1) USMC WIA (E) evac.	S-3/F	
				SUMMARY:		
				3/5 had one (1) USMC WIA as result of M-26 B/T today. 3/5 conducted category II operations in Thuong Duc Corridor.		
2400H	2400H	3	232400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:		

5th Marines  
 An Hoa, RVN  
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 To: 242400H June 70

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0001	0001	1	240001H	JOURNAL OPENED	S-3
1320	1330	2	241540H	3/5 M-1 AT 924581 recieved SAF from South AT 940580. Unit returned SAF. Neg. Results.	S-3F
1911	1923	3	241840H	3/5 CP AT H-65 obs. seven (7) VC next hootch. F/M called 1st rd. 1850, 155 exp. 75 rds. H.E. ECM 1855. Results three (3) VC KIA one (1) hootch destroyed AT 875514.  SUMMARY END THE PERIOD OF 24 JUNE 70 WITH THE FOLLOWING EVENTS AND FINDINGS. 3/5 GROUND SURV. CALLED IN F/M ON SEVEN (7) VC; RESULTING IN THREE (3) VC KIA.	S-3F
2400	2400	4	242400H	JOURNAL CLOSED	S-3F

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EN	OUT	NO	GROUP		JOURNAL OPENED	TAKEN
0001	0001	1	250001H		JOURNAL OPENED	S-3
0240	0244	2	250158H		3/5 G-2 Surv. AT 878567 seven (7) suspected EN. movement, twelve (12) personnel. F/M called 0200, 1st rd 0212, EOM 0241. Expd. nine (9) 105 rds. H.E. Results: Unk. 86505902.	S-3/F
0750	0754	3	250730H		3/5 CP Surveillance AT 878576 observed two (2) VC with packs moving in open AT 866538. Called 105 MM Arty Fire Mission. Results: one (1) VC KIA Arty.	S-3/F
1130	1215	4	251020H		3/1 Cupp Co. M31 AT 942607 searching area of last nights Intel targets. Obs. two (2) VC with wpns. leaving the area. Unit fired SAF and called 81 MM Mission, upon completion of which found one bag containing ten (10) explosive devices. All with pull-friction type fuze, cans filled with explosive comp. and sealed with parafin Destroyed.  SUMMARY OF DAYS ACTIVITIES: NEG. USMC CASUALTIES, ONE (1) VC KIA, 3/1 CUPP UNIT CALLED 81 MM MORTARS MISSION AFTER. COMPLETION SEARCH RESULTED IN ONE BAG CONTAINING TEN (10) EXPLOSIVE DEVICES, CANS FILLED WITH EXPLOSIVE COMP. AND SEALED WITH PARAFIN RESULTS: DESTROYED EXPLOSIVES.	S-3/F
2400	2400	5	252400H		JOURNAL CLOSED	S-3

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0001	0001	1	260001H	JOURNAL OPENED		S-3
1229	1235	2	261115H	M/3/1 (CUPP Co) Hill 55 one (1) USMC personnel, while building a bunker collapsed fm. Heat Exhaustion. Did not respond to corpsman that tried to revive him. Medevac requested at 1125 completed at 1150H . Results: Neg.		S-3/F
1911	1926	3	261900H	3/1 Co. M AT 963617 obs. air burst of one round, unknown size, 40-50 meters outside Battery" F" Cantonment. Unable to determine direction or location of Mortar Launching site due to weather, Neg.		S-3/F
				SUMMARY ONE UNKNOWN TYPE ROUND DETONATED AS AIR BURST OUTSIDE "F" BATTERY CANTONMENT. ONE MARINE SUCCUMED TO HEAT EXHAUSTION AND WAS MEDEVACED. NEG. OTHER CASUALTIES		S-3
2400	2400	4	262400H	JOURNAL CLOSED		S-3

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5th Marines  
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0001H	0001H	1	270001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0630H	0723H	2	270630H	MCB-62 (See Bee) received one (1) unknown S-3/F rd believed to be lob bomb out side perimeter resulting in negative damage or casualties.	
0940H	1053H	3	270940H	3/5 Co M 11 while at AT894601 pat moving W along N side of Wish Bone Lake observed three VN crossing lake from S to N in boat. VN were wearing white shirts and shorts. Fired two M-79 rds. 200 meters in front of boat to stop them. Three VN beached boat and began running toward Charlie Ridge. SBM 1/1 presently checked area where boat landed. Results negative.	S-3/F
1010H	1112H	4	271010H	3/5 Co M 11 Follow up-spot report at AT 888599 searched area of previous sighting of three VN persons. Point man walked over hill observed two VN running down hill about 150 meters distance from Charlie Ridge. Point man called for individuals to stop one wearing dark camoflage shirt & trousers. The other wearing white clothing, they continued running from Marine. Point man fired one M-16 rd wounding VN wearing camoflage, continued search found two VN children.	S-3/F
0545H	1045H	5	270545H	Follow up-after investigation by Co Lob Bomb was determined to be 122mm rocket. Impact grid at 968611. Rocket was fired from from SW, believed to have come from vic Rok Marine Boundary. After further consolation it is believed that 5 other explosives near HILL 55 this morning were 122mm rockets also these were previously thought to be intel targets. Can not check area due to mine field. Results negative.	S-3/F
1300H		6	271435H	3rd Plt A 1/5 replaced 2nd Plt A 1/5 as of 1200 27 June 70.	S-3/F
1445H	1500H	7	271435H	3/5 Co M 13 at AT893561 observed one (1) VC crouched in brush on S bank of Song Vu Gia River. Observing Marines approach, unit fired 10 rds M-16. Could not search due to to water barrier. Results negative.	S-3/F

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2215H		8	272145H	<p>3/1 CUPP 21B at AT996630 observed two (2) S-3/F VC while moving to A/S enemy threw one (1) frag and twent(h)(20) rds SMF. Searched area w/negative results</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p> <p>Summary ending the period of 27 Jun 70. Resulting in the finding &amp; contact. MCB-62 received one (1) lob bomb no damage nor casualties. M 11 brought 8 detainees aging 5, 6, &amp; 15.</p>	
2400H	2400H	9	272400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:	

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0001H	0001H	1	280001H	JOURNAL OPENED:	
0107H	0125H	2	280035H	<p>3/1 CUPP 2-1 at AT992637 N/P took three (3) B-40 rockets or lob bombs a approx 20 AK-47 rds w/negative casualties. Unit returned fire w/100 M-16 rds, 2 M-79 rds. RF at Ha Dong Bridge fired 15 rds 60mm HE for support. Will search area at 1st light. Results unknown. AT995634.</p> <p>SUMMARY:</p> <p>No USMC casualties, 3/1 CUPP received 38 - 40 rockets or lob bombs and 20 AK-47 rds. Negative casualties - Negative results on search.</p>	S-3/F
2400H	2400H	3	282400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:	



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0001H	0001H	1	290001H	JOURNAL OPENED:			
0840H		2	290720H	3/1 CUPP 31A at AT952611 on patrol Marines detonated two (2) anti-personnel mines resulting in two (2) USMC E MEDEVACS. Called at 0725 completed 0741. AT953607.		S-3/F	
1850H	1910H	3	291750H	3/5 Co M 3 (OPCON Co K) at AT937586, Marine tripped B/T made of 81mm (HE) round with trip wire set off trial in high grass. Result one (1) USMC WIAE (E).		S-3/F	
2025H	2045H	4	291952H	3/5 Co M 3 (OPCON Co K) at AT942581 defensive perimeter received three (3) incoming RPG rounds, 1st 2nd rds hit 100m outside perimeter, 3rd round impacted inside perimeter, but was dud. Negative casualties & damage. Unit called 81mm fire mission at AT942575. Area will be checked.		S-3/F	
2230H	2240H	5	292110H	3/1 CUPP Co M 31A at AT948608 received six (6) Chicoms and 10-15 rds AK-47 fire from east four (4) VC at AT948607 and AT947-603 resulting in one (1) USMC WIA (M). Unit fired SAF and M-79. Called 81mm fire mission. Area swept with negative results.		S-3/F	
				SUMMARY:			
				3/5 had four (4) USMC WIA today. Two USMC were wounded as a result of two (2) AP mines, one (1) Marine tripped an 81mm B/T and the last Marine was wounded as result of contact, treated and released. Other Marines were medevaced. 3/5 M-3 (OPCON Co K) received three (3) RPG's negative cas. and 3/1 CUPP 31A received six (6) Chicoms and SAF, 81mm fire mission coordinated during both contacts. Results unknown.			
2400H	2400H	6	292400H	JOURNAL CLOSED:			

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1640H	1723H	2	301545H	3/5 Co K 22 at 916550, while on patrol, observed three (3) VN approx 300 Meters away, who began running upon observation. Patrol, unit halted 2 VN after verbal warning and firing one round, other VN escaped. Results two female detainees turned over to CIT. (Ages 10-12).	S-3/F
2145H	2200H	3	302050H	3/1 CUPP 31A at AT948608 observed seven VC. Called 81mm fire mission expending 30 HE rds. Unit didn't check area as it would compromise A/S. Will check at 1st light. AT947605.  SUMMARY:  Summary ending period of 30 June 70 with the following events & enemy contacts. 3/5 K turned over to CIT two (2) female detainees ages 10-12. No casualties reported.	S-3/F
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SITREP #124 FM 010001H TO 012400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CURRENT LOCATIONS:

- A. BN CP HILL 65 878576
- B. 1 CO HILLS 52 & 25 1(-) 215553/13 839568
- C. CO K HILL 37 916581
- D. CO L AN HOA 875475
- E. CO M HILL 65 878576
- F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO HILL 55 970621
- G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT HILL 25 839568

2. (C) LAST 24 HOURS:

- A. CO I CONDUCTED PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT ENEMY MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.
- B. CO K CONDUCTED PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO. ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF H-37. ONE PLT SOUTH OF H-37. AND ONE PLT H-37. ENGINEER AND MINE SWEEP SEC.
- C. CO L REMAINED OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA BASE AUG CO.

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D. CO M CONDUCTED PAT/AMB VIC H-65 AND PROVIDED FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE  
E. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO CONTINUED ASSIGNED SEC/PAC MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. THIRD PLT C CO 1/5 PROVIDED SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583. AND ALONG RT #10 FROM 968583 TO 968604.

F. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT CONTINUED ASSIGNED SEC/PAC MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/RF AO'S.

3. (C) ENEMY CONTACT:

- A. 010215H JUN 70-3/1 CUPP CO M-21 AT 959604 HAD CONTACT WITH APPROX 10-15 VC/NVA. VC/NVA FIRED 300 RDS AK-47 AND 5 RPG ROUNDS. CUPP CO M21 FIRED SAF AND COORDINATED 105 AND 81MM HE FIRE MSN. AREA SWEEP FINDING 1 NVA/VC KIA W/1 ROCKET LAUNCHER. 2 RPG ROUNDS. 1 AK-47 CART BELT WITH M-26 ATTACHED. 1 RF KIA. 1 RF WIAE (E).
- B. 010855H JUN 70-3/5 CP SURV AT 878576 OBS 5 VC W/PACKS AND RIFLES AT 863543. CALLED ARTY FM. RES 1 VC KBA.
- C. 011745H JUN 70-3/5 CP SURV AT 878576 OBS 7 VC/NVA W/PACKS AND WPNS AT 880553. CALLED ARTY FM. DELIVERED WITH EXC COVERAGE. RES 4 VC/NVA KBA.
- D. 011906H JUN 70-3/1 CUPP CO M13 AT 908560 OBS 3 VC/NVA WITH WPNS AT 901557. CALLED 81MM FIRE MSN. UNABLE TO SEARCH DUE TO WATER BARRIER.
- E. 012025H JUN 70-3/5 K33 AT 925553 ENGAGED 1 VC WITH 75 ROUNDS M-16. AND 5 ROUNDS M-79 RESULTING IN 1 VC KIA. 1 AK-47. 3 CHICOM GRENADES.

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R LBS DOCUMENTS. 1 CART BELT WITH M-26 ATTACHED.

4. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NEG

5. (C) NEXT 24 HOURS: NO CHANGE IN FORECAST FOR 2 JUN 70

6. (C) CASUALTIES/MISC:

- NEG USMC CAS
- 1 RF KIA
- 1 RF WIAE (E)
- 5 VC/NVA KBA
- 2 VC/NVA KIA

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SITREP #153 020001H TO 022400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

8 USMC KIA	89 NVA KIA
159 USMC WIAE	119 VC KIA
25 USMC WIAM	51 IWC
1 USMC NBCK	01 CSWC
45 USMC NBCE	
0 USMC MIA	

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. PLANS SUM:

A. BN: 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I AND II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO I: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT EN MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

C. CO K: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO, ONE PLT (-) NORTH H-37, ONE

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PLT SOUTH OF H-37, ONE PLT H-37 AND MINE SWP SEC, AND ONE SQD (REIN) PROVIDING SEC FOR C CO 7TH ENG, ALONG RT #4 FM AT 922577 TO AT 968584.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR REGT AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M: WILL COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65, PROVIDE FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE AND RD SWP SEC, PROVIDE ONE PLT FOR SECOP FOXTROT BTRY/M-3/1 AT H-55.

F. CO M-3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 3RD PLT C 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM AT 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM AT 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SECURITY/PACIFICATION MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/SQUAD/RF PLATOON AO'S.

4. (C) ENEMY CONTACT:

A. 020825H JUN 70-3/5 CP SURVEILLANCE OBSERVED 2 VC WITH PACKS AND WEAPONS. CALLED ARTILLERY FIRE MISSION WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.

5. (C) RECAP OF COMPANY OPERATIONS:

		PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO LP/OP	
UNIT		FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	
CO I	N	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
CO K	N	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0

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	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
CO M	N	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
	D	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	N	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	0
	D	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	2
CUPP									
PLT	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
H&S	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

6. (C) SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	DTG	ACTION	FND UNIT	ENEMY UNIT	INT BY
COORDINATE		SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
QUANG NAM	020825H	BN CP OBSERV	BN CP	3/5 UNK/UNK	US

7. (C) UNIT LOCATION:

A. BN CP, HILL 65, 878576  
B. CO INDIA, HILL 52 & HILL 25, 1(-) 215553 13 839568  
C. CO KILO, HILL 37 919580  
D. CO LIMA, AN HOA, 874474  
E. CO MIKE, HILL 65 & 55, M(-) 878576 M3 966615

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CO M	N	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
	D	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	N	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	0
	D	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	2
CUPP									
PLT	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
H&S	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

## 6. (C) SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	ACTION	FND UNIT	ENEMY UNIT	INT BY
COORDINATE	DTG	SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES
QUANG NAM	020825H	BN CP OBSERV	BN CP 3/5	UNK/UNK
				US

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATION:

A. BN CP, HILL 65, 878576  
 B. CO INDIA, HILL 52 & HILL 25, 1(-) 215553 13 839568  
 C. CO KILO, HILL 37 919580  
 D. CO LIMA, AN HOA, 874474  
 E. CO MIKE, HILL 65 & 55, M(-) 878576 M3 966615  
 F. CO MIKE 3/1 CUPP CO. (REYN), HILL 55 966615  
 G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON, HILL 25, 839568

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SITREP #154 030001H TO 032400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

8 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
159 USMC WIAE 119 VC KIA  
25 USMC WIAM 50 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 2 CSWC  
45 USMC NBCE  
0 USMC MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS- GEN ROSSON DEP COMUSMACV VISITED H-65 TODAY FOR A PERIOD OF 1 HR. GEN ROSSON WAS ACCOMPANIED BY LT GEN MCCUTCHEON CG III MAF, MAJ GEN WIDDECKE CG 1 ST MAR DIV & COL ESTEY CO 5TH MAR REGT.

3. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. BN: 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I AND II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

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B. CO I: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT EN MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

C. CO K: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO. ONE PLT (-) NORTH H-37. ONE PLT SOUTH OF H-37. ONE PLT H-37 AND MINE SWP SEC. AND ONE SQD (REIN) PROVIDING SEC FOR C CO 7TH ENG. ALONG RT #4 FM AT 922577 TO AT 968584.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR REGT AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M: PROVIDES ONE PLT (M-2) FOR AUG FORCE FOR H-65. ONE PLT (M-3) FOR SEC OF FOXTROT BTRY/M-3/1 AT H-55. M-1 WILL COND HELO LIFT TO OP H-250 FOR PURPOSE OF EXPLOITING INTEL RPT IN GRID CM AT 8353.

F. CO M-3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 3RD PLT C 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM AT 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM AT 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SECURITY/PACIFICATION MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/SQUAD/NF PLATOON AO'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT:

A. 031450H CO I H-52 RECD 01 INCOMING 82MM MORTAR RD. RD IMPACTED

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OUTSIDE WIRE. NEG DAM & CAS. UNIT RETURNED COUNTER MORTAR FIRE WITH 81'S. 106'S WITH NEG RES.

B. 031745H CO I. H-52. RECD 02 INCOMING 82MM MORTAR RDS IMPACTED OUTSIDE WIRE NEG DAM & CAS. UNIT RETURNED COUNTER MORTAR FIRE WITH 81'S. 106'S & 8" WITH NEG RES.

C. 031825H BN CP SURVEILLANCE OBS 10 NVA W/PACKS. HELMETS, WPNS & CAMOUFLAGE AT AT884541. FM WAS CALLED RESULTING IN 5 NVA KIA.

D. 032107H-G-2 (SCAMP) MORTARED SUSPECTED EN MOVEMENT AT AT90176092 10 EN MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH. FM CALLED WITH UNK RES.

5. (C) RECAP OF COMPANY OPERATIONS:

UNIT	FT	PATROLS		AMBUSHES			S&C CO		SCOUT SNIPERS
		SQD	PAT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	
CO I	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	4
	N 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	
CO K	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	3
	N 0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	
CO M	D 0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	3
	N 0	0	0	7	6	0	0	0	
CO M3/1	D 0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	
CUPP PLT	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
H&S	D 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

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CO I	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	4
	N 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	
CO K	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	3
	N 0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	
CO M	D 0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	3
	N 0	0	0	7	6	0	0	0	
CO M3/1	D 0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	
CUPP PLT	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
H&S	D 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

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6. (C) SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	DTG	ACTION	FND UNIT/	IN UNIT/	INIT BY
COORDINATE		SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
A. QUANG NAM 031450H	CO/CP	CO 1/NEG	UNK/UNK	VC	
B. QUANG NAM 031745H	CO/CP	CO 1/NEG	UNK/UNK	VC	
C. QUANG NAM 031825H	BN CP SURVEILLANCE	BN CP/NEG	UNK/UNK	US	
D. QUANG NAM 032107H	G-2 SCAMP	SCAMP/NEG	UNK/UNK	US	

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP. HILL 65. 878576  
 B. CO INDIA. HILL 52 & HILL 25. 1(-) 215553 13 839568  
 C. CO KILO. HILL 37 919580  
 D. CO LIMA. AN HOA. 874474  
 E. CO MIKE. HILL 65 & 55. M(-) 878576 M3 966615  
 F. CO MIKE 3/1 CUPP CO. (REIN). HILL 55 966615  
 G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON. HILL 25. 839568

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1. (C) CUM CAS:  
9 USMC KIA                      94 NVA KIA  
162 USMC WIAE                122 VC KIA  
26 USMC WIAM                51 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK                2 CSWC  
45 USMC NBCE  
0 USMC MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: RF CO 927 REPORTED 1 LOB BOMB HAD EXPLODED ON GOLDEN GATE BRDG, AT 965606, DESTROYING 35' OF WESTERN HALF OF BRIDGE, 50' FROM SOUTH END. BRDG WILL BE OPENED FOR TRAFFIC 06 JUNE 70.

3. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I AND II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO 1: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT EN MOVEMENT INTO

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THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

C. CO K: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO, ONE PLT (-) NORTH H-37, ONE PLT SOUTH OF H-37, ONE PLT H-37 AND MINE SWP SEC, AND ONE SQD (REIN) PROVIDING SEC FOR C CO 7TH ENG, ALONG RT #4 FM AT 922577 TO AT 968584.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR REGT AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M WILL PROVIDE ONE PLT (M-2) FOR DEFENSE OF H-65, ONE PLT (M-3) FOR SEC OF F BTRY/M3/1 AT H-55, AND ONE PLT (M-1) WILL COND EXPLOITATION OF INTEL REPT IN GRID CM 8353.

F. CO M-3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 3RD PLT C 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM AT 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM AT 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SECURITY/PACIFICATION MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/SQUAD/RF PLATOON AO'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT:

A. LATE ENTRY-032200H M-2 AMB AT 877567 RECD CHICOM GRENADES, AK-47 FIRE, AND LT MACH GUN FIRE, RETURNED SAF, AND CLAYMORES, ASSULTED BY 6 VC. CONTACT CONTINUED UNTIL 0300. RESULTS ONE USMC KIA, 2 USMC

WIA(R), ONE AN/PRC-25 DESTROYED, 2 VC KIA, ONE M-79, 3 CHICOM GRENADES AND 1550 P'S.

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B. 040100H, CO K AT 919580 RECD 6-7 61MM MORTAR RDS WHICH LANDED OUTSIDE PERIMETER. RESULTS, NEG DAMAGE/CAS.

C. 040030H, CO M 3/1 CUPP CO M113 AT 914565 RECD 250 RDS AK-47 FIRE AND 5 B-40 RDS. UNIT RETURNED FIRE WITH 80 RDS SAF. RESULTS NEG.

D. 040045H, 3/5 CUPP 3 AT 006565. APPROX 20 VC ENTERED VILLE FIRING SA AND THROWING GRENADES. UNIT RETURNED FIRE. CONTACT CONTINUED SPORADICALLY THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT. RESULTS: 10 HOUSES BURNED, 1 VC KIA ONE DEAD VN, 6 CIVILIANS WIA, 1 USMC WIA (M)

E. 040330H 3/5 CUPP 2 AT 813548 UNIT OBS 10 VC MOVING NORTH FROM AREA CUPP 3 WAS IN CONTACT. FIRED SAF AND CALLED 81MM F/M. RESULTS UNK.

F. 040330H, CO M3/1 CUPP M21 AT 957603. UNIT RECD 8 61MM RDS. RESULT 1 USMC WIA (M).

G. 040520H, CO M3/1 CUPP M21 AT 957603. NIGHT POS RECD 2 INCOMING GRENADES. UNIT RETURNED SAF, M-79 & 02 CLAYMORES. RES 1 RF KIA, 2 RFS WIA(M).

H. 041815H, CO K AT 919580, UNIT RECD 05 82MM RDS. CALLED COUNTER MORTAR FM W/UNK RES. NEG DAM/CAS.

I. 042000H, 3/5 CUPP-2, AT 814548, UNIT OBS 8-10 VC MOVING S INTO TREE LINE. UNIT COORD 81MM FM W/UNK RES.

J. 042115H, 3/5 CUPP-2 AT 813551, UNIT HAD 01 60MM MORTAR RD



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 LAND 300 METER FROM THEIR POS. UNIT CALLED FM WITH UNK RES. NEG DAM/CAS  
 5. (C) RECAP OF COMPANY OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO.		SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	
CO I	D 0 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	4
CO K	N 0 0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	
	D 0 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
CO M	N 0 0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	
	D 0 2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
CO M3/1	N 0 2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
	D 0 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	N 0 0	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	
	D 0 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	N 0 0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	

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6. (C) SMALL UNIT OPNS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT/ LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC/US VC
A. AT 877567	032200H	SQD/AMB	CO M	UNK	

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B. AT 919580	010100H	CO/DEF POS	1 USMC KIA	2 VC KIA	
C. AT 914565	0030H	SQD/AMB	2 USMC WIA-4		
D. AT 806565	050045H	SQD/N POS	CO K/NEG	UNK/UNK	VC
			CO M3/1 CUPP/NE	UNK/UNK	VC
			CUPP PL NEG	UNK	VC
E. AT 813548	040330H	SQD/AMB	CUPP PL NEG	1 VC KIA	
F. AT 957603	00350H	SQD/N POS	CO M3/1 CUPP	UNK/UNK	US
				UNK/NEG	VC
G. AT 957603	040520H	SQD/N POS	1 USMC WIAM		
			CO M3/1 CUPP	UNK/UNK	VC
			1 RF KIA, 2 RF WIA(M)		
H. AT 919580	041815H	CO/CP	CO K/NEG	UNK/UNK	VC
I. AT 814548	042000H	SQD/N POS	3/5 CUPP-2/NEG	UNK/UNK	US
J. AT 813551	042115H	SQD/N POS	3/5 CUPP-2/NEG	UNK/UNK	VC

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:  
 A. BN CP, HILL 65, 878576  
 B. CO INDIA, HILL 52 & HILL 25, 1(-) 215553 13 839568  
 C. CO KILO, HILL 37 919580

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D. CO LIMA, AN HOA, 874474  
 E. CO M, H-65, H-55, N. ARIZONA; M-2 878576, M-3 966615, M-1 CM 925540  
 F. CO MIKE 3/1 CUPP CO. (REIN), HILL 55 966615  
 G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON, HILL 25, 839568  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L  
SITREP #156 FOR PERIOD 050001H TO 052400H JUN 70 (U)

## 1. (C) CUM CAS:

9 USMC KIA	94 NVA KIA
162 USMC WIAE	122 VC KIA
26 USMC WIAM	51 IWC
1 USMC NBCK	2 CSWC
45 USMC NRCE	
0 USMC MIA	

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: III MAF CG. LT GEN MCCUTCHEON VISITED M3/1 CUPP CO AND 1/5 CO "C" PLT IN THE FIELD TODAY FOR A PERIOD OF ONE HOUR.

## 3. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I AND II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO 1: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT EN MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR. 1-3 WILL HELP EXPLOIT

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INTEL REPT WITH CORDON CM 867577.

C. CO K: WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO. ONE PLT (-) NORTH H-37. ONE PLT SOUTH OF H-37. ONE PLT H-37 AND MINE SWP SEC. AND ONE SQD (REIN) PROVIDING SEC FOR C CO 7TH ENG. ALONG RT #4 FM 922577 TO 968584.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR REGT AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M: WILL PROVIDE ONE PLT (M-2) FOR DEFENSE OF H-65. ONE PLT (M-3) FOR SEC OF "F" RT/M3/1 AT H-55. AND ONE PLT (M-1) WILL HELP EXPLOIT. INTEL REPT WITH CORDON CM 867577.

F. CO M-3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 3RD PLT C 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM AT 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM AT 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SECURITY/PACIFICATION MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/SQUAD/RF PLATOON AO'S.

## 4. (C) EN CONTACT: NONE

## 5. (C) RECAP OF CO OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES		S&C		SCOUT	
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	SNIPER
CO I	D 0 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
	N 0 0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	

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CO K	D 0 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	
CO M	D 0 1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
	N 0 0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CO M3/1	D 0 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0 2	0	7	5	0	0	0	0	
CUPP PLT	D 0 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0 0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	
H&S	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	

## 6. (C) SMALL UNIT OPNS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT/ LOSSES	EN UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT VC/US
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## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP. HILL 65. 878576  
B. CO INDIA. HILL 52 & HILL 25. I(-) 215553 13 839568  
C. CO KILO. HILL 37 919580  
D. CO LIMA. AN HOA. 874474  
E. CO MIKE. HILL 65 & 55. M(-) 878576 M3 966615  
F. CO MIKE 3/1 CUPP CO. (REIN). HILL 55 966615  
G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLATOON. HILL 25. 839568

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SITREP #157 FOR PERIOD 060001H TO 062400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

9 USMC KIA	94 NVA KIA
162 USMC WIAE	122 VC KIA
26 USMC WIAM	51 IWC
1 USMC NBCK	2 CSWC
46 USMC NBCE	
0 USMC MIA	

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. 3RD BN, 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I AND II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT EN MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

C. CO K WILL PROVIDE ONE PLT SOUTH OF H-37 ONE SQD (REIN) FOR SEC OF

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C CO 7TH ENGR ALONG RT #4 FM 922577 TO 968584, AND ONE SQD (REIN) FOR DEFENSE OF H-37 AND RD SWP SEC. K(-) WITH M-1 WILL BLOCK FOR 51ST ARVN OPN.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M WILL PROVIDE ONE PLT (M-2) FOR DEFENSE OF H-65, ONE PLT (M-3) FOR SEC OF "F" BTRY/M 3/1 AT H-55, AND ONE PLT (-) (M-1) OPCON CO K BLOCK FOR 51ST ARVN OPN.

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 2ND PLT C 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #1D FM 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLT WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/RF PLT AO'S.

4. (C) ENEMY CONTACT: NEG

5. (C) RECAP OF CO OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES		S&C CO		SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	
CO I	D	0	1	0	1	0	0	3
	N	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
CO K	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	4
	N	0	0	0	5	0	0	0

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CO M	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
CO M 3/1	D	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N	0	2	0	7	5	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

6. (C) SMALL UNIT OPNS: NEG

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65, 878576

B. CO I, H-52 & 25, 1 (-) 215553 1-3 839568

C. CO K, H-37, 919580

D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474

E. CO M, H-65 & H-55, M(-) 878576 M-3 966615

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 966615

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1. (C) CUM CAS

9 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
162 USMC WIAE 124 VC  
26 USMC WIAM 52 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 3 CSWC  
46 USMC NBCE  
0 USMC MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I AND II

OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT EN MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR. PROVIDE 1 SQD SEC FOR 7TH ENG LAND CLEARING OPN. VIC CM AT 8255.

C. CO K WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO. 1PLT SOUTH OF H-37, 1 SQD

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(REIN) FOR SEC OF C CO 7TH ENG ALONG RT #4 FM 922577 TO 968584. & ONE SQD (REIN) FOR DEFENSE OF H-37 & RD SWP SEC. K1 PLT WILL BLOCK FOR 51ST ARVN UNTIL 081300H.

D. CO L REMAINS OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M WILL COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65. PROVIDE FORCE FOR DEFENSE H-65 AND RD SWP SEC. ONE PLT (M-3) FOR SEC "F" BTRY/M 3/1 CUPP CO AT H-55.

F. CO M3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. PLT "C" CO 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM AT 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM AT 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/ SQD/RF PLT AO'S. & PROVIDE SEC FOR 1ST ENG ROAD IMPROVEMENT VIC AT CM 7954.

4. (C) EN CONTACTS:

A. 070715H 3/1 CO M-1 AT 945592 OBS 03 VC FLEEING TO SW. INITIATED CONTACT WITH SAF. RES 1 VC KIA & 1 RPG LAUNCHER CAPTURED.

B. 070810H 3/1 CO K-3 AT 939591 WHILE SWEEPING AREA OBS 01 VC W/PACKS. INITIATED CONTACT W/SAF. RES 1 VC KIA & 1 AK-47.

C. 072015H CO 1-3 AT 843575 OBS 02 VC/NVA MOVING W TO E. INITIATED CONTACT W/SAF. RES FND 01 PACK W/DOCUMENTS.

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D. 072215H CO C1/5 2 PLT AT 968601 RECD 4 TO 6 81MM RDS 200 METERS E OF POS. RES NEG SAME/CAS.

5. (C) RECAP OF COMPANY OPERATIONS:

UNIT		PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO	LP/OP	SCOUT
		FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT			
CO I	D	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	5	4
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CO K	D	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	7	3
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
CO M	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
	N	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N	2	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
H&S	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

6. (C)

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COORD	DTG	SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
A. AT 945592	070715H	PLT/BLOCKING FORCE	CO M	B-10/1VC KIA US	
B. AT 939591	170810H	PLT/SWEEP	CO K/NEG	B-10/1VC KIA US	
C. AT 843575	072015H	SQD/AMB	CO 1/NEG	NEG/NEG	US

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D. 072215H CO C1/5 2 PLT AT 968601 RECD 4 TO 6 81MM RDS 200 METERS E  
OF POS. RES NEG SAME/CAS.

## 5. (C) RECAP OF COMPANY OPERATIONS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO		SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	
CO I.	D 0 3	0	2	0	0	0	0	5	4
	N 0 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	
CO K	D 0 1	0	0	0	1	0	1	7	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
CO M	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
	N 0 0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	
CO M 3/1	D 0 0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 2 0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	
CUPP PLT	D 0 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	D 0 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	
H&S	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	

## 6. (C)

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COORD	DTG	SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
A. AT 945592	070715H	PLT/BLOCKING FORCE	CO M	B-10/1VC	KIA US
B. AT 939591	170810H	PLT/SWEEP	CO K/NEG	B-10/1VC	KIA US
C. AT 843575	072015H	SQD/AMB	CO I/NEG	NEG/NEG	US
D. AT 968601	072215H	SQD/AMB	1/5 COC/NEG	NEG/NEG	VC

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65, 878576  
 B. CO I, H-52 & 25, 1 (-) 215553 1-3 839568  
 C. CO K, H-37, 919580  
 D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474  
 E. CO M, H-65 & H-55, M(-) 878576 M-3 966615  
 F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 966615  
 G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT, H-25, 839568

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169 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA  
26 USMC WIAM 52 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 3 CSWC  
46 USMC NBCE  
0 USMC MIA  
2. (C)

## SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

3. (C) PLANS SUM:  
A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL CONT PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT ENEMY MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.  
C. CO K WILL CONDUCT PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO W/ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF H-37.

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ONE PLT (PLUS) SOUTH OF H-37. ONE PLT H-37 AND MINE SWEEP SECURITY AND ONE PLT (-) PROVIDING SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENGR ALONG RT #4 FM 922577 TO 968584 & BLOCK FORCE FOR 51ST ARVN OPN.  
D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.  
E. CO M WILL CONDUCT PAT/AMB VIC H-65 AND PROVIDE FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE AND RD SWEEP SEC PLT (M-3) HELD LIFTS FROM H-55 TO H-65.  
F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (KEIN) WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 2ND PLT C 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #1D FM 968583 TO 968604.  
G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT WILL CONTINUE ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/SQD/PF AO'S.  
4. (C) EN CONTACTS:  
A. 080630H 3/1 CUPP 1, AT AT 826556. RECD APPROX 15 RDS AK-47 FIRE. UNIT RETURNED FIRE W/S/A & M-79. SWEEP AREA W/NEG RESULTS.  
B. 080845H. 3/5 CUPP PLT 1/4 TON VEHICLE AT AT 829557. DETONATED EST 60 LB BOX MINE. RES 04 USMC KIA IN VEHICLE & 05 USMC FROM ADJACENT CP WIA EVACED.  
C. 080920H. 3/5 CUPP-1, BULLDOZER ON LAND CLEARING OPN AT 832558.

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DETONATED BOX MINE. RES IN 2 USMC WIA EVACS.  
D. 082010. CO K 3 PLT AT 926559. KSI WHILE MOVING TO AMB SITE RECD FIRE FROM KIT. RES 01 USMC KIA 01 USMC WIA EVACED PRIORITY.  
5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS:

UNIT	FT	PATROLS		AMBUSHES		S&C CO		SCOUT	SNIPER
		FT	PLT	FT	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP		
CO I	D 0 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
	N 0 0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
CO K	D 0 4	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
CO M	D 0 2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D 0 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0 1	0	0	7	6	0	0	2	0
CUPP PLT	D 0 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS

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COORD	DTG	ACTION	FND UNIT/	EN UNIT/	UNIT
		SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
A AT 926556	080630H	SQD/OP	3/5 CUPP/NEG	NEG/NEG	VC

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D. 0201R, CO K'S PLT, FT 920125, 1ST WFLD MOVING TO FND 0112 REC'D  
FIR FROM K11, RES 01 USMC KIA 01 USMC WIA EVALUATED PRIORITY.

## 5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMPHIBES			S&C CO PLT OPNS	LP/OP	SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT			
CO I	D 0 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
	N 0 0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
CO K	D 0 4	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
CO M	D 0 0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
COM 3/1	D 0 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0 1	0	7	6	0	0	0	2	0
CUPP PLT	D 0 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0 0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS

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COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT/ LOSSES	EN UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT VC/US
A. AT 926556	080630H	SQD/OP	3/5 CUPP/NEG	NEG/NEG	VC
B. AT 829557	080845H	1/4 TON VEH/NA	3/5 CUPP/136	NEG/NEG	VC
			4 USMC KIA		
			5 USMC WIAE		
C. AT 832558	080920H	AMCO/NA	7TH ENG/CUPP 1	NEG/NEG	VC
			2 USMC WIAE		

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP. H-65. 878576  
 B. CO I. H-52 & 25. 1 (-) 215553 1-3 839568  
 C. CO K. H-37. 919580  
 D. CO L. AN HOA. 874474  
 E. CO M. H-65 & H-55. M(-) 878576 M-3 966615  
 F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REINT). H-55. 966615  
 G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT. H-25. 839568

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DE OHFD #0040 1601600  
ZNY CCCCC  
R 091600Z JUN 70  
FM THIRD BN FIFTH MAR COC  
TO FIFTH MAR COC  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L  
SITREP 160 FM 090001-092400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

14 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
169 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA  
26 USMC WIAM 52 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 13 CSWC  
47 NBCE  
0 MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. 3RD BN, 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICT ENEMY MOVMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR, AND PROVIDE CONTINUOUS SURVEILLANCE ALONG RT #4 FM 820553 TO 840562.

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C. CO K (REIN) WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF H+37, ONE PLT (REIN) SOUTH OF H+37, AND ONE PLT H+37 AND MINE SWP SEC. M-2 OPCON TO CO K WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR "C" CO, 5TH ENGR, ALONG RT #4 FM 930578 TO 950583.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR ASIAN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M (-) WILL PROVIDE FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE AND RD SWP SEC.

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 2ND PLT "C" CO 1/5 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM 968583 TO 968604. 3/5 M+3 WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR "F" BTRY/M 3/1 AT H-55.

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT WILL CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/RF PLT AO'S AND PROVIDE SEC OPS FOR 1ST ENGR RD IMPROVEMENT VIC CM 7954.

4. (C) EN CONTACTS:

A. 090130, 3/5 K+3 AT 924553 OBS 10 VC/NVA MOVING W TO E. INITIATED FIRE W/S/A & M-79, CALL 81MM FM RES UNK.

B. 092225H, 3/1 CO M AT 906562 RECD 02 CHICOMS & 40-50 AK-47 FROM ESTD 05 VC/NVA. UNIT RETD FIRE W/S/A & M-79 CALLED 81MM FM. RES NEG.

5. (C) RECAP OF OPERATIONS:

PATROLS ANEUSHES S&C CO SCOUT

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UNIT	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	SNIPER
CO I	D 0 13	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
	N 0 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
CO K	D 0 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	3
	N 0 0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
CO M	D 0 13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	N 0 0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D 6 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	7	0	0	2	0
CUPP PLT	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

6. (C) SM UNIT OPERATIONS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION	FND UNIT/	EN UNIT/	INIT
		SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
A. AT 924553	090130H	SQD/AMB	K+3/NEG	NEG/NEG	US
B. AT 906562	092225H	FT/AME	3/1 M132/NEG	NEG/NEG	VC

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65 878576

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B. CO I, H-52 & H-25 I(-) 215553 I+3 839568

C. CO K, H+37 919580

D. CO L, AN HOA 874474

E. CO M, H-65 & H-55 M(-) 878576 M+3 966615

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) H-55 966615



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UNIT	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	CPNS	LP/OP	SNIPER
CO I	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	6
	N	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
CO K	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	7
	N	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
CO M	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	N	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	2
CUPP PLT	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPERATIONS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT/ LOSSES	EN UNIT/ LOSSES	INIT VC/US
A. AT 924553	090130H	SQD/AMB	K+3/NEG	NEG/NEG	US
B. AT 906562	092225H	FT/AME	3/1 M132/NEG	NEG/NEG	VC

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65 878576

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B. CO I, H-52 &amp; H-25 I(-) 215553 I+3 839568

C. CO K, H+37 919580

D. CO L, AN HOA 874474

E. CO M, H-65 &amp; H-55 M(-) 878576 M+3 966615

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) H-55 966615

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT H-25 839568

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 THIRD BN FIFTH MAR COC  
 SEVENTH MAR COC  
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 C O N F I D E N T I A L  
 SITREP #161 FM 100001H-102400H JUNE 70 (U)  
 1. MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
 A. THROUGH J. NO CHANGE  
 K. CUM CAS USMC:  
     54 USMC KIA                      401 NVA KIA  
     504 " WIAE                      478 VC KIA  
     157 " WIAM                      125 IWC  
     8 " NBCK                      8 CSWC  
     60 " NBCE  
     36 " NBCNE  
     1 " MIA  
     4 USN WIAE

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P. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

Q. PLANS SUM:

2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIB BRIDGE, LIB ROAD AND CONDS

CAT II OPNS IN GO NOI/LE BAC ISLAND AREA.

BN CP LOC AN HOA.

CO I (-) LOC AN HOA AS REG'TL RESERVE. ONE PLT CONDS 2-DAY PATROL IN SOUTHERN MOUNTAINS VIC 9645-9649 RELOCATING AND REPLACING SENSOR DEVICES.

CO F PROVIDES SEC LIB BRIDGE VIC 9252.<

CO G PROVIDES SEC LIB ROAD 9049.

CO H CONDS RIF OF GO NOI/LE BAC ISLAND AREA VIC 9754.

3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR HILLS 65, 52, 25 AND CONDS CAT II OPNS IN THUONG DUC VALLEY.

BN CP LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.

CO I (-) LOC HILL 52 VIC 2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356

CONDS PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN WESTERN THUONG DUC AO.

CO K LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT#540 SOUTH TO LIB BRIDGE AND NORTH TO 5TH MAR BOUNDARY.

CO M LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDUCTS PTLS AND AMBUSHES VIC HILL 65

THIRD PLT RETURNS FROM HILL 55 AND PASSES OPCON BACK FROM M13/1.

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FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA DEFENSES.

FIFTH MAR CUPT UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M13/1 AT 9963, 9468,

9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND

PACIFICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. SECOND PLT CO C 1/5 OPCON TO M13/1

PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT#10 VIC 9758.

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. 102030H C1/5 AT 968594 WHILE IN DEF POS UNIT RECEIVED (1)

INCOMING GRENADE FROM UNKNOWN SOURCE. RES: (1) USMC WIAE

2. 101545H F 2/5 AT 9151/9152 UNIT WHILE ON PATROL DETAINED

79 VN. DETAINEES WERE SENT TO PHU LAC (6) REFUGEE HAMLET. RES: 79 DETAINEES.

3. 101710H F 2/5 AT 923514 ENROUTE TO AN HOA A TANK HIT A

60 LB BOX MINE. BOX MINE WAS COMMAND DETONATED. SEC TANK DESTROYED

IN THUONG DUC VALLEY.

BN CP LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.

CO I (-) LOC HILL 52 VIC 2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356

CONDS PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN WESTERN THUONG DUC AO.

CO K LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT#540 SOUTH TO LIB BRIDGE AND NORTH TO 5TH MAR BOUNDARY.

CO M LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDUCTS PTLS AND AMBUSHES VIC HILL 65 THIRD PLT RETURNS FROM HILL 55 AND PASSES OPCON BACK FROM M 3/1.

PAGE THREE RUMHLAA0057 CO N F I D I E N T I A L

FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA DEFENSES.

FIFTH MAR CUPP UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M 3/1 AT 9963, 9468,

9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND

PACIFICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. SECOND PLT CO C 1/5 OPCON TO M 3/1

PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT#10 VIC 9758.

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. 102030H C 1/5 AT 968594 WHILE IN DEF POS UNIT RECEIVED (1)

INCOMING GRENADE FROM UNKNOWN SOURCE. RES: (1) USMC WIAE

2. 101545H F 2/5 AT 9151/9152 UNIT WHILE ON PATROL DETAINED

79 VN. DETAINEES WERE SENT TO PHU LAC (6) REFUGEE HAMLET. RES: 79 DETAINEES.

3. 101710H F 2/5 AT 923514 ENROUTE TO AN HOA A TANK HIT A 60 LB BOX MINE. BOX MINE WAS COMMAND DETONATED. RES: TANK RECIEVED MINOR DAMAGE. ALSO THERE WAS (1) VN MALE DETAINED.

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

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PATROLS

AMBUSHES

S&C OPNS

SCOUT

UNIT FT SQD PLT

FT SQD PLT

CG LP'S

SNIPERS

2/5 D 0 6 1

0 0 0

0 6

9

N 0 0 0

0 10 0

0 4

0

3/5 D 0 16 0

0 0 0

0 18

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N 3 0 0

8 30 2

0 2

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1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS

PROVINCE

ACTION

FND UNIT EN UNIT

INIT BY

COORD

DTG

SIZE/TYPE

LOSSES

LOSSES

VC/US

QUANG NAM 102035H PLT/DEF POS

C 1/5 UNK/NEG

VC

968594

CMET

1 USMC WIAE

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: CO H LOC AT 970548

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THIRD BN FIFTH MAR COC  
SEVENTH MAR COC  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L  
SITREP #162 FM 110001H-112400H JUNE 70 (U)

1. MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
A. THROUGH J. NO CHANGE  
K. CUM CAS USMC:

54 USMC KIA	401 NVA KIA
504 " WIAE	478 VC KIA
157 " WIAM	125 IWC
8 " NBCK	8 CSWC
60 " NBCE	
36 " NBCNE	
1 " MIA	
4 USN WIAE	

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P. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

Q. PLANS SUM:

2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIB BRIDGE, LIB ROAD AND CON-  
CLUDES CAT II OPNS IN GO NOI/LE BAC ISLAND AREA.

BN CP LOC AN HOA.

CO E (-) LOC AN HOA AS REGT'L RESERVE. FIRST PLT CONCLUDES 2-DAY

PTL IN SOUTHERN MTNS VIC 9650 AND HELOLIFTS TO AN HOA.

CO F PROVIDES SEC LIBERTY BRIDGE VIC 9252.

CO G PROVIDES SEC LIBERTY ROAD VIC 9049.

CO H CONDS MARCH TO LIB ROAD VIC 9252 FROM GO NOI/LE BAC ISLAND  
AREA.

3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR HILLS 65, 52, 25, AND CONDS CAT II  
OPNS IN THUONG DUC VALLEY.

BN CP LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.

CO I (-) LOC HILL 52 VIC 2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356

CONDS PTLs AND AMBS IN THUONG DUC AO.

CO K LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT #540 SOUTH TO LIB  
BRIDGE AND NORTH TO 5TH MAR BOUNDARY.

CO M LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDUCTS PTLs AND AMBS VIC HILL 65.

FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA BASE DEFENSES.

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FIFTH MAR CUPT UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M-3/1 AT 9963, 9468,  
9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763, CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND  
PACIFICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. SECOND PLT CO C 1/5 OPCON TO M-3/1  
PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT#10 VIC 9758.

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. 110255H F 2/5 AT 925528-922530 UNIT RECEIVED 4-60MM MOR-  
TAR RDS. IMPACTING APPROX 150 METERS TO THE SOUTHEAST OF THEIR  
POS. PHU LA (6) ALSO RECEIVED 5-B-40 ROCKETS RDS. IMPACTING IN  
THE WIRE TO THE SOUTHWEST AND 3-B-40'S OUTSIDE OF THE WIRE. ALSO  
1 LOB BOMB IMPACTED 200 METERS OUTSIDE OF THE WIRE TO THE  
SOUTHWEST RESULTING IN 1 RF WIAE.

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

PATROLS

UNIT	FT	SQD	PLT	AMBUSHES			S&C OPNS		SCOUT
				FT	SQD	PLT	CO	LP'S	SNIPERS
2/5 D	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	4	6
N	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	5	0
3/5 D	0	14	1	0	0	0	0	18	9
N	4	0	0	8	18	2	0	5	0

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1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	DIG	ACTION	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT BY
COORD		SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US

QUANG NAM NONE

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: CO H LOC AT 964547

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FIFTH MAR CUPP UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M13/1 AT 9963, 9468, 9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763, CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND PACIFICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. SECOND PLT CO C 1/5 OPCON TO M13/1 PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT#1D VIC 9758.

## 2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. 110255H F 2/5 AT 925528-922530 UNIT RECEIVED 4-60MM MORTAR RDS. IMPACTING APPROX 150 METERS TO THE SOUTHEAST OF THEIR POS. PHU LA (6) ALSO RECEIVED 5-B-40 ROCKETS RDS. IMPACTING IN THE WIRE TO THE SOUTHWEST AND 3-B-40'S OUTSIDE OF THE WIRE. ALSO 1 LOB BOMB IMPACTED 200 METERS OUTSIDE OF THE WIRE TO THE SOUTHWEST RESULTING IN 1 RF WIAE.

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C OPNS		SCOUT
UNIT	FT	PLT	FT	PLT	CO	LP'S	SNIPERS	
2/5 D	0	5	0	0	0	4	6	
N	0	0	1	6	0	5	0	
3/5 D	0	14	0	0	0	18	9	
N	4	0	8	18	0	5	0	

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## 1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	ACTION	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT BY	
COORD	DTG	SIZE/TYPER	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US

QUANG NAM NONE

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: CO H LOC AT 964547

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THIRD BN FIFTH MAR COC  
SEVENTH MAR COC  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L  
SITREP #163 FM 120001H-122400H JUNE 70 (U)

1. MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
A. THROUGH J. NO CHANGE  
K. CUM CAS USMC:

54	USMC KIA	401	NVA KIA
504	" WIAE	476	VC KIA
157	" WIAM	125	TWC
8	" NRCK	8	CSWC
61	" NRCE		
136	" NRCE		
1	" MIA		
4	USN WIAL		

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F. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

G. PLANS SUM:

2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIP BRIDGE, LIP ROAD, AND PREPARES FOR UPCOMING OPN IN NORTHERN ARIZ TERR.

BN CF LOC AN HOA.

CO F LOC AN HOA AS REG'T L RESERVE.

CO F CONDS MARCH TO VIC 9249 AND ASSUMES RESP FOR SEC LIP ROAD.

~~CO G CONDS MARCH TO AN HOA AND STANDS DOWN IN PREPARATION FOR UPCOMING OPN.~~

CO H ASSUMES RESP FOR SEC LIP BRIDGE VIC 9252.

3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR HILLS 65, 52, 25, AND CONDS CAT II OPNS IN THUONG DUC VALLEY.

BN CF LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.

CO J (-) LOC HILL 52 VIC 2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8756

CONDS PTLS AND AMBUSHES IN THUONG DUC AG.

CO K LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT#40 SOUTH TO LIP BRIDGE AND NORTH TO FIFTH MAR BOUNDARY.

CO M LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDUCTS PTLS AND AMBUSHES VIC HILL 65.

FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA BASE DEFENSES.

FIFTH MAR CUFF UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8756 WITH M13/1 AT 0063, 0468.

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9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND PACIFICATION IN ASSIGNED AC. SECOND PLT CO C 1/5 OPCON TO M13/1 PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #10 VIC 9758.

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS: NONE

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF PN OPNS:

PATROLS		AMBUSHES		S&C OPNS		SCOUT	
UNIT	FT	BOC	FLT	FT	BOC	PLT	SNIPERS
2/5	D	0	0	0	0	1	0
3/5	D	0	17	0	0	0	0
	N	1	0	0	22	0	0

1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE

COGRD DTG NONE

QUANG NAM NONE

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT CO H LOC AT 925528.

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SITREP #164 130000H-132400H JUN 70 (U)

## 1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
174 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA  
29 USMC WIAM 52 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 13 CSWC  
50 USMC NECF  
0 USMC MIA

## 2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

## 3. (C) PLANS SUM:

- A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL COND FAT/AMP IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.  
C. CO K (KEIN) COND FAT/AMP IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF

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M-37, ONE PLT (REIN) SOUTH OF H+37, AND ONE PLT H+37 AND RD SWP SEC. M-2 OPCON CO K PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENGR ALONG RT #4 FM 920578 TO 950583

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR REGT AS AN HQ AUG CO.

E. CO M(-) COND FAT/AMP VIC H-65 AND PROVIDES FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE. ONE PLT COOPERATES WITH 2/E OPN PY MAINTAINING A PRESENCE CM 885562.

F. CO M-3/1 CUFP CO (REIN) COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/PF/RF AO'S. 1ST PLT A 1/E WILL PROVIDE SEC FOR MC6-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 952583 TO 982583 AND ALONG RT #1D FM 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUFP PLT CONT ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/RF PLT AO'S.

## 4. (C) EN CONTACTS:

A. 130200H, 5TH MAR CUFP-2 AT 816549, RECD HEAVY SAF, RPG, CHICOMS & SATCHEL CHARGES FROM EST 50-60 VC/NVA, RESULTING IN 03 USMC KIA & 02 USMC WIAEVAC.

B. 130300H, 5TH MAR CUFP-1, AT 827555, RECD HEAVY SAF, RPG, LIGHT MG FIRE & SATCHEL CHARGES FROM EST 50 VC/NVA ATTACKING FROM WEST & NORTH RESULTING IN 01 RF KIA, 1 RF WIA(E), 2 USMC WIAEVAC & PF USMC WIAM.

C. 132209, 6-2, GS(SCAMP PLT) AT 8550502, SUSPECTED EN MOVEMENT NW TO SE BY 10 PERSONNEL - CALL FM, RESULTS UNK.

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## 5. (C) RECAP OF OPERATIONS:

UNIT	D	PATROLS		CAMPUSES		S&C CO		LP/OP	SCOUT SNIPER
		FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT		
CO I	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
N	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
CO K	D	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	13
N	0	0	0	0	4	10	0	0	0
CO M	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	13
N	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
CO M-3/1	D	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
N	0	1	0	0	6	7	0	0	0
CUFP PLT	D	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
N	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPERATIONS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT
		SIZE/TYF	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
A. AT 816549	130200H	SQD/AMP	5TH MAR CUFP	NEG/NEG	VC
			03 USMC KIA		

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B. AT 827555 130300H SQD/AMP 2 USMC WIAEVAC 5TH MAR CUFP NEG/NEG VC

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## 5. (C) RECAP OF OPERATIONS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO		SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SOD	PLT	FT	SOD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	
CO I	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	4
	N 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
CO K	D 0	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	12
	N 0	0	0	4	10	0	0	0	0
CO M	D 0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
	N 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D 0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0	1	0	6	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D 0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
	N 0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPERATIONS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC/US
A. AT 816549	130200H	SOD/AMB	5TH MAR CUPP 03 USMC KIA	NEG/NEG	VC

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B. AT 827555 130300H SOD/AMB

2 USMC WIA/EVAC  
5TH MAR CUPP NEG/NEG VC  
1 RF WIA/EVAC  
2 USMC WIA/EVAC  
13 USMC WIA(M)

C. AT 8550902 132209H SCAMP PLT/GS SCAMP PLT/NA NEG/NEG US

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. PN CP, H-65, 878576

B. CO I, H-52 &amp; H-25, 1(-) 215553, 1+3 839568

C. CO K (REIN) H+37, 915582

D. CO L, AN HOA 874474

E. CO M (-), H-65, 878576

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) H-55, 970620

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT, CP 826554

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SITREP #165 140001H- 142400H JUN 70 (U)

## 1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA	94 NVA KIA
176 USMC WIAE	124 VC KIA
29 USMC WIAM	52 IVC
1 USMC NECK	3 CSWC
51 USMC NECF	
0 USMC MIA	

## 2. (C) PLANS SUM:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONT CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.  
C. CO K (REIN) WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF H+37, ONE PLT (REIN) SOUTH OF H+37 AND ONE PLT H+37 AND RD SWP

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SEC. M-2 PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO. 7TH ENGR ALONG RT #4 FM 930578 TO 950583.

D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M (-) COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65 AND PROVIDES FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE.

ONE PLT MAINTAINS A PRESENCE CM 885562 IN COOPERATION WITH 2/F OPN.

F. CO M-3/1 CUUP CO (REIN) WILL COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/F PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 952582 TO 982583 AND ALONG RT 1D FM 952583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUUP PLT COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/PF PLT AO'S.

## 4. (C) FN CONTACT:

A. 140615H, 13/5 CG M22 AT 948584, AT OP SITE, UNIT TRIPPED B/T. RFS IN 02 USMC WIA EVACED.

B. 140030H, 13/1 CG M AT 967600, ROAD GRADER FOR MCB-62 DETONATED MINE RESULTING IN DESTRUCTION OF VEHICLE & 02 USN WIA EVACED.

## 5. (C) RECAP OF OPERATIONS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO		SCOUT	
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	SNIPER	
CO I	D 0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	
	N 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	

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CO K	D 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	13
	N 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CO M	D 0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
	N 0	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
CO M-3/1	D 7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
	N 1	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
CUUP PLT	D 0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N 0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC/US
A- 948584	140615H	SQD/OP	13/F CO M	NEG/NEG	VC

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CO K	D	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	4	13
	N	0	0	0	5	8	0	0	0	0
CO M	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
	N	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
	N	1	0	0	5	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0

6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS:

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC/US
A. 948584	140615H	SOD/OP	13/F CO M	NEG/NEG	VC
B. 967600	140030H	SEE BEES/PD IMP	B2 USMC WIA/EVAC		
			MCR-62	NEG/NEG	VC
			B2 USN WIA/EVAC		

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7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65, 878576  
 B. CO 1, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 215552, 1+3 830568  
 C. CO K, H+37, 910580  
 D. CO L, IAN HOA, 874474  
 E. CO M, H-65, M(-) 878576  
 F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REFIN), H-55, 066615  
 G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT CP, 826554

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SITREP #166 FM 150001H - 152400H JUNE 70 (U)  
1. MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
A. THROUGH J. NO CHANGE  
K. CUM CAS: USMC  
57 USMC KIA 402 NVA KIA  
518 USMC WIAE 480 VC KIA  
158 USMC WIAM 132 IWC  
8 USMC NBCK 8 CSWC  
63 USMC NBCE  
36 USMC NBCNE  
1 USMC MIA  
4 USN WIAE

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P. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: RESULTS OF CONTINUING 2/5 (-) CORDON AND SEARCH OPN. ONE VN MALE DETAINED YESTERDAY FOR QUESTIONING. ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE AND WAS WOUNDED. CO G SQD AMB. PART OF CORDON FORCE, INIT S/A FIRE ON 1 VC WITH RIFLE BUT CHECKED AREA WITH NEG RES. CO G PLT PTL REC'D 2 LOB BOMBS RESULTING IN 2 USMC WIAE. CO E PATROL HAD A MARINE TRIP A M-26 B/T RESULTING IN 2 USMC WIAE. ANOTHER CO E PATROL REC'D 10-15 RDS AK FIRE, RETURNED FIRE AND CHECKED AREA FINDING 1-105MM B/T AND MISC GEAR. MARINES PROBING BEGAN FINDING WELL CAMOUFLAGED SPIDER HOLES CONTAINING SUSPECTED ENEMY AS WELL AS WEAPONS AND GEAR. THE HIDING ENEMY, REMOVED FROM THEIR HOLES WITHOUT INCIDENT WERE IMMEDIATELY QUESTIONED BY ITT PERSONNEL AND CLASSIFIED AS DETAINEES. AFTER MOST ADMITTED TO BEING VC OR NVA. ONE SPIDER HOLE WAS FOUND CONTAINING THE BODY OF A YOUNG VC WHO DIED OF WOUNDS APPROX 1 WEEK AGO. 15 JUNE OPN RESULTS: 1 VC KIA, 13 DETAINEES, 4 USMC WIAE, 4 AK-47'S, 1 M-1 CARPINE, 6 AK-47 MAGS, 7 M-16 MAGS, 8 B-40'S, 10 CHICOM GRENADES, 1 ARTILLERY COMPASS, 1-14' BOAT DESTROYED, 1 NVA PACK, 1 USMC CARTRIDGE BELT, MISC MED GEAR AND DOCS, 2 B/T'S DESTROYED.

Q. PLANS SUM:

2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIB BRIDGE AND LIB ROAD. UNIT CON-

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CLUDES BN (-) CORDON AND SEARCH OPN AND BEGINS CAT II OPNS IN ARIZ TERR VIC 8852.

BN JUMP CP RETURNS BY HELO TO AN HOA.  
CO E HELOLIFTS TO AN HOA AND ASSUMES REGT'L RESERVE.  
CO F PROVIDES SEC LIB ROAD VIC 9049.  
CO G COMMENCES RIF OF FOOTBALL ISLAND VIC 8852 AND CONDS SEARCH FOR ARMS CACHE IN COOP/COORD WITH CIT AND DUC DUC DISTRICT FORCES.  
CO H PROVIDES SEC LIB BRIDGE VIC 9252.

3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR HILLS 65, 52, 25. UNIT CONTINUES TO COND CAT II OPNS IN THUONG DUC VALLEY AND PROVIDES PLT BLOCK FOR 51ST ARVN OPN.

BN CP LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.

CO I (-) LOC HILL 52 VIC 2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 CONDS PTLs AND AMBUSHES IN THUONG DUC AO.  
CO K LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT 540 SOUTH TO LIB BRIDGE AND NORTH TO 5TH MAR BOUNDARY. THIRD PLT PROVIDES BLOCKING FORCE FOR 51ST ARVN OPN VIC 9359. FIRST PLT CO M 3/5 OPCON TO K 3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT 4E VIC 9458.  
CO M (-) LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDS PTLs AND AMBUSHES VIC HILL 65. FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA BASE DEFENSES.

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FIFTH MAR CUFP UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M 3/1 AT 9963, 9468, 9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND PACIFICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPCON TO M 3/1 PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #10 VIC 9758.

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 FIFTH MAR CUUP UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M13/1 AT 9963, 9468,  
 9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND PACI-  
 FICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPCON TO M13/1 PROVIDES  
 SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #1D VIC 9758.

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. G 2/5 AT 895555 IN AMB SITE. UNIT OPENED FIRE ON 1 NVA  
 RESULTING IN 1 NVA KIA AND 1 PISTOL CAPTURED. (CALIBER UNK).

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO	OPNS LP'S	SCOUT SNIPERS
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT			
2/5 D	0	5	1	0	0	0	2	12	8
N	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	4	0
2/5 D	0	18	1	0	0	0	0	16	11
N	1	0	0	8	28	0	0	13	0

1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	ACTION	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT BY
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COORD	DTG	SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
QUANG NAM	150600-1900	2 CO/OPNS	2/5 (-) REIN	UNK/1 VC KIA	US

889556	CMBT	4 MC WIAE	5 IWC
QUANG NAM 152230H	SQD/AMB	G 2/5	UNK/1 NVA KIA
895555	CMBT		1 IWC

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE.

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SITREP #167 FM 160001H - 162400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
180 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA  
29 USMC WIAM 52 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 3 CSWC  
52 USMC NBCE  
0 USMC MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. (C) PLANS SUMMARY:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR COND CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL CONDUCT PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO THUCNG DUC CORRIDOR.  
C. CO K (REIN) WILL COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH

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OF H+37, ONE PLT SOUTH OF H+37, AND ONE PLT AS BLOCK FOR 51ST ARVN  
OPN CM 5993. M-1 PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENGR ALONG RT #4 FM  
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D. CO L WILL REMAIN OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M (-) COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65 AND PROVIDES FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE.

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) WILL COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RP/PF AO'S. 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #1D FM 953853 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/PF PLT AO'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT:

A. 161720H, CO 3/1 M2-1, AT 994683, UNIT TRIPPED 60MM BOOBYTRAP. RES IN 04 USMC WIA EVAC.

5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS:

UNIT	FT	PATROLS		AMBUSHES		S&C CO		LP/OP	SCOUT SNIPER
		SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT	OPNS		
CO I	D	0	4	0	0	0	0	3	4
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0<
CO K	D	0	7	0	0	0	1 PLT	4	3
C I	N	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	0

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CO M	D	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
<	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D	0	6	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	1	0	0	6	7	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
H&S	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
TOTAL	D	2	22	0	0	0	1 PLT	10	10
	N	1	0	0	12	20	0	5	0

6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS:

COORD	DTG	ACTIONS SIZE/TYP SQD/PAT	FND UNIT LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC/US VC
A. 994683	161720H		CO 3/1 M2-1 04 USMC WIA EVAC	NEG/NEG	

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP H-65, 919580  
B. CO I, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 215553, 1+3 839568  
C. CO K, H+37, 915582  
D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474  
E. CO M, H-65, 878576

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F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 970620<

G. 5TH MAR CUPP CP, 826554

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COG M	D	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
<	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	1	0	0	6	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
H&S	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
TOTAL	D	2	22	0	0	0	0	1	PLT 10	10
	N	1	0	0	12	20	0	0	5	0

6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS:

COORD	DTG	ACTIONS	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT
A. 994633	161720H	SIZE/TYF	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
		SQD/PAT	CO 3/1 M2-1	NEG/NEG	VC
			04 USMC WIA EVAC		

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

- A. BN CP H-65, 919580
- B. CO F, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 215553, 1+3 839568
- C. CO K, H+37, 915582
- B. CO L, AN HOA, 874474
- B. CO M, H-65, 878576

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F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 970620<

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SITREP #168 FM 170001H -172400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA 04 NVA KIA  
483 USMC WIA 124 VC KIA  
29 USMC WIA 52 IWC  
1 USMC NECK 13 CSWC  
52 USMC NECK  
0 USMC MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. (C) PLANS SUMMARY:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR COND CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

C. CO K (REIN) COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF H+37, ONE PLT (REIN) SOUTH OF H+37, AND ONE PLT H+37 AND RD SWP SEC.

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M-1 PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENG ALONG RT #4 FM 930578 TO 950582

D. CO L REMAINS OPCON 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M (-) COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65 AND PROVIDES FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE.

F. CO M 3/1 CUFP CO (REIN) COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN

RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AC'S. 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB -62 ALONG RT #4 FM 953582 TO 983582 & ALONG RT #10 FM 968582 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR C PP PLT COND A SIGNED SEC/PAC F MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SDD/RF PLT AC'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT:

A. 171142H. 2AEVN AT 213568, PT MAN DETONATED 60MM B/T. RESULTING IN 23 USMC WIA EVAC.

5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO		LP/OP	SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SDD	PLT	FT	SDD	PLT	OPNS			
CO I	D 0 12	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	4	4	
CO K	N 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	1	0<	
	D 0 7	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	10	13	
CO M	N 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	0	
	D 0 13	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	13	
	N 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	13	0 0	0 0	0	0	
	D 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	0	

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CO M 3/1	D 0 7	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	2	0
<	N 3 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	0
CUFP FLT	D 0 12	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	0
	N 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	13	0 0	0	0
H&S	D 2 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	1	0
	N 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	13	0
TOTAL	D 2 23	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	18	10
	N 3 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	7	26	0	4

6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS :

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC /US VC
A. 213568	171142H	SDD/PAT	CC I	NEG/NEG	VC
<			23 USMC WIA EVAC		

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

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CO M-3/1	D	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
<	N	3	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	0
CUPP FLT	D	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S	D	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0
TOTAL	D	2	23	0	0	0	0	0	18	10
	N	3	0	0	7	26	0	0	4	0<

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS :

COORD	DTG	ACTION SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT LOSSES	EN UNIT LOSSES	INIT VC /US
A. 213568	171142H	SQD/PAT	CO 1	NEG/NEG	VC
<			03 USMC WIA-EVAC		

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

- A. BN CP, HI-65, 878576
- B. CO 1, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 216552, 1+3 820568
- C. CO K, H+37, 915582
- D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474<
- E. CO M, H-65, 878576
- F. CO M-3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) HI-55, 970620

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C O N F I D E N T I A L  
SITREP #169 FM 180001H - 182400H JUNE 70 (U)  
1. MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
A. THROUGH J. NO CHANGE  
K. CUM CAS: USMC  
57 USMC KIA 403 NVA KIA  
525 USMC WIAE 480 VC KIA  
164 USMC WIAM 135 IWC  
8 USMC NBCK 8 CSWC  
64 USMC NBCE  
36 USMC NBCNE  
1 USMC MIA  
4 USN WIAE

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P. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE  
Q. PLANS SUM:  
2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIB BRIDGE, LIB ROAD AND CONDS  
CAT II OPNS IN ARIZ TERR AND WESTERN PHU NHUAN AO.  
BN CP LOC AN HOA.  
CO E (-) REIN WITH H&S PERSONNEL, 5 TANKS, AND IN COOP/COORD WITH  
DUC DUC DISTRICT FORCES CONDS A 2-DAY SEARCH AND CLEAR OPN IN AREA  
NORTHEAST OF PHU DA (1) VIC 8749 ALONG SONG TINH YEN TO THU BON  
(1) VIC 8851.  
CO F PROVIDES SEC LIB ROAD VIC 9049.  
CO G CONDS RIF OF FOOTBALL ISLAND VIC 8853.  
CO H PROVIDES SEC LIB BRIDGE VIC 9252.  
3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR HILLS 65, 52, 25 AND CONTINUES TO COND  
CAT II OPNS IN THUONG DUC VALLEY.  
BN CP LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.  
CO I (-) LOC HILL 52 VIC 2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356  
CONDS PTLS AND AMBS IN THUONG DUC AO.  
CO K LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT 540 SOUTH TO LIB  
BRIDGE AND NORTH TO 5TH MAR BOUNDARY. FIRST PLT CO M 3/5 OPSON TO  
K 3/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT 4E VIC 9458.

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CO M (-) LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDS PTLS AND AMBUSHES VIC HILL 65.  
FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA BASE DEFENSES.  
FIFTH MAR CUPT UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M 3/1 AT 9963, 9468,  
9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND PACI-  
FICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPSON TO M 3/1 PROVIDES  
SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #1D VIC 9758.  
2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:  
A. NO CHANGE  
B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:  
1. F 2/5 AT 904474 UNIT REC'D 1 INCOMING 500 LB LOB BOMB  
RESULTING IN 6 USMC WIAM.  
(C) THROUGH (F) NONE  
(G) GENERAL NO CHANGE  
(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO	OPNS SCOUT	
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT		LP'S	SNIPERS
2/5 D	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	12	11
N	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	7	0
3/5 D	0	18	1	0	0	0	0	16	12
N	0	0	0	13	20	1	0	11	0

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CO M (-) LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDS PTLS AND AMBUSHES VIC HILL 65.

FIFTH MAR CO L SUPPLEMENTS AN HOA BASE DEFENSES.&lt;

FIFTH MAR CUPP UNITS LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M 3/1 AT 9963, 9468,  
9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SECURING AND PACI-  
FICATION IN ASSIGNED AO. FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPCON TO M 3/1 PROVIDES  
SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #10 VIC 9758.

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. F 2/5 AT 904474 UNIT REC'D 1 INCOMING 500 LB LOB BOMB  
RESULTING IN 6 USMC WIAM.

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO	OPNS SCOUT	
	FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT		LP'S	SNIPERS
2/5 D	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	12	11
N	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	7	0
3/5 D	0	18	1	0	0	0	0	16	12
N	0	0	0	13	20	1	0	11	0

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1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROV NCE	ACTION	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT BY
COORD DTG	SIZE/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US
QUANG NAM 182100H	PLT/DEF POS	F 2/5	UNK/NEG	VC
904474	CMBT	Y MC WIAM		

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE EXCEPT CO G LOC AT 888532.

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SITREP #170 FM 190000H 192400H JUN 76 (U)

## 1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA 04 NVA KIA  
183 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA  
29 USMC WIAM 52 IWC  
1 USMC NBCK 13 CSWC  
52 USMC NBCK  
0 USMC MIA

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: PRIG 8FN S MMONS ADC 1ST MAR DIV VISITED  
H-65 & H-52 TODAY FROM 1505H TO 1615H

## 3. (C) PLANS SUMMARY:

- A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR COND CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY  
EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMP IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO  
THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

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C. CO K (REIN) COND PAT/AMP IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF  
H-37, ONE PLT (REIN) SOUTH OF H-37, AND ONE PLT H-37 AND RD SWP SEC.  
H-1 PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENG ALONG RT #4 FM 950583 TO 950583.

D. CO L REMAINS OPCON TO 5TH MARIASIAN HOA AUG CO.

F. CO M (-) COND PAT/AMP VIC H-65, PROVIDES SEC FOR SCAMP PERSONNEL TO  
CHANGE BATTERIES IN SENSOR STRINGS, AND PROVIDE FORCE FOR DEFENSE  
OF H-65.

F. CO M 13/1 CUFP CO (REIN) COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE  
USMC/RF/PF AO'S. 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/F PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT  
#4 FM 953583 TO 953583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUFP PLT COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC  
SOD/RF PLT AO'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT: NEG

5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS:

UNIT	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO		SCOUT SNIPER
	FT	SOD	PLT	FT	SOD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	
CO I	D	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	4
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CO K	D	0	7	0	0	0	0	11	13
	N	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0

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CO M	D	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	12
<	N	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
CO M 13/1	D	0	7	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	0	1	0	5	7	0	0	0
CUFP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
TOTAL	D	1	23	0	0	0	0	19	10
	N	0	1	0	13	27	0	13	0

6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS: NEG

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

- A. BN CF, H-65, 878576  
B. CO I H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 216583, 1+3 920568  
C. CO K, H-37, 915582  
D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474  
E. CO M, H-65, 8 8576  
F. CO M 13/1 CUFP CO (REIN) H-55, 970620  
G. 5TH MAR CUFP PLT, CF, 826584

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SITREP #171 FM 200001H - 202400H JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
183 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA<  
29 USMC WIAM 52 IWC<  
1 USMC NBCK 13 CSWC<  
<54 SMC NBCE<  
0 USMC MIA<

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE<

3. (C) PLANS SUMMARY:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR COND CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH<  
PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.  
B. CO I WILL COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO  
THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.  
C. CO K (REIN) COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO WITH ONE PLT (-) NORTH OF

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H-37, ONE PLT (REIN) SOUTH OF H-37, AND ONE PLT H-37, AND RD SWP SEC .  
M-1 PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENG ALONG RT #4 FM 930578 TO 950583.

D. CO L REMAINS OPCON TO 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M (-) COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65 AND PROVIDES FORCE FOR DEFENSE OF  
H-65.

F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN  
RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PE AO'S 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR MCP-62

ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 & ALONG RT #10 FM 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE U MC  
SQD/RF PLT AO'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT: NEG<

5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS :

UNIT	D	N	PATROLS		AMBUSHES		S&C CO		LP/OP	SCOUT< SNIPER<
			FT	SQD	PLT	FT	SQD	PLT		
CO I	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4	4
	N	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
CO K	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	13
	N	0	0	0	6	6	0	0	0	0
CO M	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	13
	N	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0

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CO M 3/1	D	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0<
	N	2	0	0	5	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	N	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
TOTAL	D	1	20	2	0	0	0	0	15	10
	N	2	0	0	11	25	0	0	13	0

6. (C) SM UN T OPNS: NEG<

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65, 8 8576  
B. CO I, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 216553, 1+3 839568  
C. CO K, H-37, 915582  
D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474  
E. CO M H-65, 878576  
F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 970620  
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1. (C) CUM CAS:

17 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA  
83 USMC WIAE 124 VC KIA<  
29 USMC WIAM 52 IWC<  
1 USMC NBCK 13 CSWC<  
54 USMC NBCE<  
0 USMC MIA<

2. (C) SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: AT 0930H LT GEN MCCUTCHEON VISITED H-65 TODAY AND ATTENDED RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

3. (C) PLANS SUMMARY:

A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR COND CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SEC/PACIF OPNS.

B. CO I COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR.

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C. CO K (REIN) COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO PROVIDING ROAD SEC AND ROAD SWP SEC, ALSO PROVIDES BLOCK FORCE ALONG NORTH/WEST SIDE OF SONG AI< NGHIA/SONG YEN RIVERS IN S PPORT OF 51ST ARVN'S. M-1 PROVIDES SEC FOR< "C" CO 7TH ENG ALONG RT #4 FM 930578 TO 950583.

D. CO L OPCON 5TH MAR AS AN HOA AUG CO.

E. CO M (-) COND PAT/AMB VIC H-65, PROVIDES FORCE FOR DEFENSE OF H-65.

F. CO M 3/1 C PP CO (REIN) COND A SIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE< USMC/RF/PF AO'S, 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RT#4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM 968583 TO 968604.

G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN W THIN RESPECTIVE USMC SOD/RF PLT AO'S.

4. (C) EN CONTACT:

A. AT 2316H, 3/1 M C PP CO 3-2, AT 982626 OBS 02 VC/NVA, UN T INITIATED FIRE WITH NEG RES.

5. (C) RECAP OF OPNS:

UNIT <	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C OPNS		SCOUT<
	FT	SOD	PLT	FT	SOD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	SNIPER<
CO I	D 0 3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
	N 0 0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
CO K	D 0 7	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	13

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UNIT	D	N	FT	SOD	PLT	FT	SOD	PLT	OPNS	LP/OP	SNIPER
CO M	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	1	20	3	0	0	0	0	0	16	10
	0	0	0	0	7	130	0	0	0	13	0

6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS :

COORD	DTG	S ZE	ACTION/TYPE	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	IN 1<
				LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US<
A. AT 982626	2316H		SOD/AMB	M 3/1 22/NEG	NEG/NEG	US

7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, 878576  
B. CO I, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 216553, 1+3 839568  
C. CO K, H+37, 915582  
D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474

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F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 970620  
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	N	0	0	0	13	8	0	0	0	0
CO M	D	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	13
	N	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
CO M 3/1	D	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0
CUPP PLT	D	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S CO	D	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0
TOTAL	D	1	20	13	0	0	0	0	16	10
	N	0	0	0	7	130	0	0	13	0

## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS :

COORD	DTG	S ZE	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	IN T<
		ACTION/TYPE	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US<
A. AT 982626	2316H	SOD/AMB	M 3/1 22/NEG	NEG/NEG	US

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

- A. BN CP, 878576
- B. CO I, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 216553, 1+3 839568
- C. CO K, H+37, 915582
- D. CO L, AN HOA, 874474

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- E. CO M, H-65, 878576
- F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 970620
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S TREP #173 FM 220001H- 222400H JUN 70 (U)  
1. (C) CUM CAS:  
<17 USMC KIA 94 NVA KIA<  
<86 USMC WIAF 124 VC KIA<  
<29 USMC WIAM 52 IWC<  
<3 USMC NBCK 13 CSWC<  
<54 USMC NBCK<  
<0 USMC MIA<  
2. (C) S G N I F I C A N T E V E N T S : N O N E <  
3. (C) P L A N S S M :  
A. 3RD BN 5TH MAR CONOS CATEGORY I & II OPNS IN AS I G N E D A O W T H  
P R I M A R Y E M P H A S I S O N S E C / P A C I F O P N S .  
B. CO I COND PAT/AMB IN WESTERN AO TO INTERDICTION MOVEMENT INTO  
T H O N G D U C C O R R I D O R .  
C. CO K (REFIN) COND PAT/AMB IN EASTERN AO PROVIDING ROAD SEC AND RD<

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SWP SEC<ONE PLT PROVIDES BLOCK ALONG NORTH/WEST SIDE OF SONG AI<  
NGHIA/SONG YEN RIVERS IN S P O R T O F 51ST ARVN. K-3 PROVIDES SEC FOR<  
LZ CM 925565. M-1 PROVIDES SEC FOR "C" CO 7TH ENG ALONG RT #4 FM  
930578 TO 950583.  
D. CO L REMAINS OPCON TO 5TH MAR (ASIAN HOA) AUG CO.  
E. CO M (-) COND AMP/PAT VIC H-65 AND PROVIDES A FORCE FOR THE<  
DEFENSE OF H-65.  
F. CO M 3/1 CUFP CO (REFIN) COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN  
RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AC'S. 1ST PLT "A" CO 1/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB-62  
ALONG RT #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RT #10 FM 968583 TO 968604.  
G. 5TH MAR CUMP PLT COND ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC<  
SGD/RF PLT AC'S.  
4. (C) F N C O N T A C T :  
A. 220845H. CO M 3/T. M2+3. AT 957598. ON OPN WITH 51ST ARVN. RECD 50  
RDS AK-47 FIRE. UNIT RETD F RE WITH UNK RES.  
B. 221430H. 3/5 K-2 AT 938594. MARINE TRIPPED 1 CHICOM B /T. RESULTING<  
IN 1 USMC WIA EVAC.  
C. 221435H. 3/5 M-1 AT 945584. MARINE TRIPPED 60MM B/T RESULTING IN<  
2 USMC WIA EVAC.  
D. 222110H. 3/5 BN CP. AT 873567. OBS 20-25 LIGHTS. CALLED IN 81MM &

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106RR F/M WITH UNK RES.  
E. 222318H. 3/5 FEN CP SHRM 87005564. 100 SHOT F/M TO COVER VC  
WITHDRAWAL. OBS 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS.  
5. (C) R E C A P O F O P N S :

UNIT	D	PATROLS			AMBUSHES			S&C CO		SCOUT<
		FT	SGD	PLT	FT	SGD	PLT	OPNS	LP /OP	
CO I		0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4	4
	N	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
CO K		0	0	0	0	0	0	2 PLTS	8	13
	N	0	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	13
CO M		0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
	N	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	13
CO M 3/1		0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	N	0	0	0	7	13	0	0	0	0
CUFP PLT		0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
H&S CO		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
TOTAL		0	14	1	0	0	0	2 PLTS	16	10
	N	0	0	0	11	22	0	0	13	0

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## 6. (C) SM UNIT OPNS:

COORD	< DTG	SIZE	ACTION/TYPE	FND UNIT	EN UNIT	INIT<
A. 957598<	220845H		SOD/PAT	LOSSES	LOSSES	VC/US<
B. 938594	<221430H		PLT/BLOCK FORCE	M3/1/NFG	NEG/NEG	VC<
C				K13/5	NEG/NEG	VC<
C. 945584	<221435H		SOD/OP	1 USMC EVAC<		
				M13/5	NEG/NEG	VC<
				2 USMC EVAC		
D. 873567 <	222110H	BN	CP/SURV	13/5 BN/NEG	NEG/NEG	US<
E. 870556<	222318H	BN	CP/SURV	13/5 BN/NEG	NEG/NEG	US<

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A. BN CP, H-65, 878576  
 B. CO I, H-52 & H-25, 1(-) 216553, 1+3 839568  
 C. CO K, H-37, 915582  
 D. CO L, AN HOA, 8 4474  
 E. CO M, H-65, 878576  
 F. CO M13/1 CUPP CO (REIN), H-55, 970620  
 G. 5TH MAR CUPP PLT, CP, 826554  
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\*\*\*\*\*SIZE\*\*\*\*\*FND UNIT\*\*\*\*\*EN UNIT\*\*\*INIT  
COORD\*\*\*\*\*DTG\*\*\*\*\*ACTION/TYPE\*\*\*\*\*LOSSES\*\*\*\*\*LOSSES\*\*\*VC/US  
A. 933603\*\*\*\*\*231000H\*\*\*SDD/BLOCK#F CRCE\*\*\*3/5K\*\*\*\*\*NEG/NEG\*\*\*VC  
\*\*\*\*\*1\*\*\*\*\*USMC\*WIA\*EVAC

A. ■ BN ■ CP, ■ H-65, ■ 878567  
B. ■ CO ■ I, ■ H-52 ■ 8 ■ H-25, ■ I (-) ■ 216553, ■ I + 3 ■ 839568  
C. ■ CO ■ K, ■ H-37, ■ 915582  
D. ■ CO ■ L, ■ AN ■ HGA, ■ 874474  
E. ■ CO ■ M, ■ H-65, ■ 878567  
F. ■ CO ■ M ■ 3/1 ■ CUPP ■ CO ■ (REIN), ■ H-55, ■ 970620  
G. ■ 5TH ■ MAR ■ CUPP ■ PLT, ■ CP, ■ 826554  
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FM: THIRD BATTALION, FIFTH MARINES COC  
 TO: FIFTH MARINES COC  
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 SIT REP #176 FM 250001H TO 252400H JUNE 70

1. (C) CUM-GAS  
 17-USMC KIA -----94-KIA  
 187-USMC WIAE -----128-WIA  
 29-USMC WIAM -----52-LWC  
 1-USMC NBCK -----3-CSWC  
 56-USMC NBCE  
 0-USMC MIA

2. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

3. PLANS SUMMARY:

THIRD BATTALION, FIFTH MARINES CONDUCTS CATEGORY I&II OPERATIONS IN ASSIGNED AO WITH PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON SECURITY/PACIFICATION. CO I WILL CONTINUE PAT/AMB IN W-AO TO INTERDICT ENEMY MOVEMENT INTO THUONG DUC CORRIDOR. CO K (REIN) CONDS PAT/AMB IN W-AO WITH ONE PLT (-) N OF H-37 ONE PLT S OF H-37 AND ONE PLT H-37 ONE MINE SWEEP DET. M 1 PROVIDES SECURITY C CO 7TH ENGR ALONG RTE #4 FM. CO L REMAINS OPCON TO FIFTH MARINES AS AN HOA AUGMENTATION CO. CO M (-) PROVIDES A FORCE FOR H-65 DEFENSE. M 2 AT H-65 PROVIDES A FORCE FOR DEFENSE OF M 3/1/F BTRY. CO M 3/1 CUPP (REIN) CONTINUES ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MISSION WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC/RF/PF AO's 2ND PLT A 1/5 PROVIDES SEC FOR MCB-62 ALONG RTE #4 FM 953583 TO 983583 AND ALONG RTE #1D FM 968583 TO 968504. 5TH MARINES CUPP PLT CONTINUES ASSIGNED SEC/PACIF MSN WITHIN RESPECTIVE USMC SQD/RF PLT AO's.  
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4. ENEMY CONTACTS.

250158H 3/5 G-2 SURV AT AT865590 CALL F/M ON SUSPECTED EN MOVEMENT WITH NEG RESULTS. 250730H, 3/5 CP SURV AT AT866558 OBSERVED 2 VC WITH PACKS MOVING IN OPEN CALLED F/M RESULTING IN 1 VC KBarty. 251020H 3/1 CUPP CO AT AT 942607 OBSERVED 2 VC WITH WEAPONS CALLED F/M WHILE SEARCHING AREA UNIT FOUND BAG CONTAINING 10 EXPLOSIVE DEVICES WITH PULL FRICTION TYPE FUZE.

5. RECAP OF OPNS.

UNIT	PATROL	AMBUSH	S&C CO	SCOUT LP/OP SNIPER
CO I D	020	000	0	4 4
N	000	050	0	1 0
CO K D	080	000	0	10 3
N	000	190	0	0 0
CO M D	000	000	0	0 3
N	000	000	0	0 0
COM/3/1 D	070	000	0	2 0
N	000	830	0	0 0
CUPP PLT D	020	000	0	1 0
N	000	030	0	0 0
H&S D	200	000	0	1 0
N	000	000	0	3 0

3. (S) COPY

## 6. (C) SERV UNIT OPN

<u>COND</u>	<u>DTC</u>	SIZE ACTION <u>TYPE 16</u>	FRIEND/UNIT LOSSES 15 <u>SCAMP</u>	EN UNIT <u>LOSSES 14</u>	INIT <u>VC/US</u>
A. 865590	250158H	G-2 SURV/NEG	PLT/NEG	NEG/NEG	US
B. 866558	250730H	3/5 CP SURV/NEG	IOD/NEG	NEG/1 VC KIA	US
C. 942607	251020H	SQD/PAT	3/1 M/NEG	NEG/NEG	US

## 7. (C) UNIT LOCATIONS

A. BNCP HILL 65 878576  
 B. CO I HILL 52 & HILL 25, I-216553, I-26839568  
 C. CO K HILL 37 915582  
 D. CO L AN HOA 874474  
 E. CO M HILL 65 878576  
 F. CO M 3/1 CUPP CO (REIN) HILL 55 970620  
 5TH MAR CUPP PLT CP 821553

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F=261600ZJUN=70  
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TO=FIFTH=MAR=CCG  
BT  
C=O=N=F=I=D=E=N=T=I=A=L  
SIT=REP=#177FM=260001H=TO=262400H=JUN=70  
1)(C)CUM=CAS:  
17=USMC=KIA=====94=KIA  
187=USMC=WIA=====128=WIA  
29=USMC=WIAM=====52=IWC  
1=USMC=NECK=====3=CSWC  
56=USMC=NBCE  
0=USMC=MIA  
2)(C)SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE  
3)(C)PLANS=SUM:  
A)3RD=BN=5TH=MAR=COND=CATEGORY=1&2=OPNS=IN=ASSIGNED=AG=WITH=PRIMARY=EMPHASIS=ON=SEC/PACIF  
E)CO=I=COND=AT/AMB=IN=WESTERN=AG=TO=INTERDICT  
ENEMY=MOVEMENT=INTO=THROUNG=DUC=CORRIDOR.  
C)=CO=K=(REIN)=COND=AT/AMB=IN=WESTERN=AG=WITH=CNE=PLT=(-)

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NORTH=OF=H-37,CNE=PLT=(REIN)=SOUTH=OF=H-37=AND=ONE=PLT=H-37=  
&RD=SWP=SEC=M=1=PROVIDES=SEC=FOR=C=CO=7TH=ENGINEER=BN  
ALONG=RT#4=FM=930578=TO=950583.  
D)CO=L=REMAINS=OPCON=TO=FIFTH=MAR=AS=AN=HQA=AUG=CO.  
E)CO=M(-)=PROVIDES=A=FORCE=FOR=H-65=DEFENCE.  
M2=AT=H-55=HEL=LFIS=BACK=H-65  
F)=CO=M3/1=CUFF=(REIN)=COND=ASSIGNED=SEC/PACIF=MSN=WITHIN  
RESPECTIVE=USMC/RF/FF=AG'S.  
2ND=PLT=A1/5=PROVIDES=SEC=FOR=MCE-62=ALONG=RT#4=FM=953583=TO=963583  
AND=ALONG=RT#10=FM=960583=TO=968604.  
G)5TH=MAR=CUFF=PLT=COND=ASSIGNED=SEC/PACIF=MSN=WITHIN  
RESPECTIVE=USMC=SQD/FF=PLT=AG'S.  
4)(C)=EN=CONTACTS:  
A=261900H,3/1=CO=M,=AT963617,=REC'D=1=INCOMING=RD,=AIR=BUKST,=OF=  
UNK=SIZE=RESULTING=IN=NEG=DAM=&CAS.  
5)(C)=RECAP=OF=OPNS:  
=====PATROLS=====ANEUSHES=S&C=OPNS=====SCOUT  
UNIT=====FT=SQD=PLT=FT=SQD=PLT=====CO=====LP/CP=====SNIFERS  
CO=I=====D=====4=====4=====4  
=====N=====6=====5=====0=====0=====0

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CO=M=====D=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0  
=====N=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0  
CO=M3/1=====D=====7=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====2=====0  
=====N=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0  
CUFF=PLT=====D=====2=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====2=====0  
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=====N=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0=====0  
6)(C)=SM=UNIT=OPNS:  
COORD=====DTG=====ACT=SIZE/TYPE=FRD=UNIT/LOSSES=EN=UNIT/LOSSES=INIT  
A=963617=261900H=====CO/CP=====3/1=CO/NEG=====NEG/NEG=====VC  
7)(C)=UNIT=LOCATIONS:  
A=BN=CP,H-65,=878567  
B=CO=I,H-52&H-25,=1=216553,1=2=839568  
C=L=AN=HQA,=874474  
D=CO=K,=H-37,915582  
E=CO=M,=H-65,=878576  
F=CO=M3/1=CUFF=CO=(REIN),=H-55,970620  
G=5TH=MAR=CUFF=PLT,=CP,=827552

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6) (C) ■ SM ■ UNIT ■ OPNS:

COORD####DTG####ACT\*SIZE/TYPE\*FRD\*UNIT/LOSSES\*EN\*UNIT/LOSSES\*INIT

A\*963617\*261900H\*\*\*\*\*CO/CP\*\*\*3/1M\*CO/NEG\*\*\*\*\*NEG/NEG\*\*\*VC

7)(C) UNIT LOCATIONS:

A-EN-CF, H-65, #878567

B. ■ CC ■ 1, H-52&H-25, ■ 1 ■ 216553, 1 ■ 2 ■ 839568

C. L. AN. HGA. 874474

D. ■ CO ■ K. ■ H-37,915582

E. ■ CO ■ M, ■ H-65, ■ 878576

F. ■ CO ■ M3/1 ■ CUFF ■ CO ■ (RE IN), ■ H-55,970620

G. 5TH MAR CUPP FLT, CP, 827552

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 TO=FIRST MAR=DIV=COC  
 INFO=SECOND BN=FIRST MAR=COC  
 THIRD BN=FIRST MAR=COC  
 SEVENTH MAR=COC  
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 C=O=N=F=I=D=E=N=T=I=A=L  
 SITREP=#178 FM=270001H-272400H JUNE=70 (U)  
 1=MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
 A=NO CHANGE  
 B=COL CLARK=V JUDGE  
 C=THROUGH J=NO CHANGE  
 K=CUM CAS: USMC  
 61 USMC KIA 416 NVA KIA  
 550 WIAE 499 VC KIA  
 167 WIAE 142 IWC  
 8 NECK 8 CSWC  
 91 NBCL  
 36 NBCNE  
 1 MIA  
 4 USN WIAE

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 P=SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE  
 Q=PLANS SUM:  
 2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIB BRIDGE, LIB ROAD, AND CONDS  
 CAT II OPNS IN LE NAM AND PHU BA AREA. FIRST MARINES PROVIDES  
 LOCAL SECURITY ADJACENT TO POLLING AREAS WITHIN 5TH MAR TAOR  
 FOR PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS.  
 BN CP LOC AN HOA  
 CO E RETURNS TO AN HOA TO STAND DOWN FOR FUTURE OPNS.  
 CO F PROVIDES SEC LIB ROAD VIC 9049.  
 CO G LOC AN HOA AS REGT L RESERVE.  
 CO H PROVIDES SEC LIB BRIDGE VIC 9252.  
 3/5 (-) REIN PROVIDES SEC HILLS 65, 52, 25 AND CONDS CAT II  
 OPNS IN THUONG DUC VALLEY.  
 BN CP LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757.  
 CO I LOC HILL 52 VIC 202155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356  
 CONDS PAT/AMBUSHES IN THUONG DUC AO.  
 CO K (REIN) LOC HILL 37 VIC 9158 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT #540 SOUTH  
 TO LIB BRIDGE AND NORTH TO 5TH MAR BOUNDARY. FIRST PLT CO M 3/5  
 OPCON TO CO K PROVIDES FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #4E VIC 9458.  
 CO L OPCON TO FIRST MAR REGT PROVIDES BASE AUGMENTATION CO.

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 CO M (-) LOC HILL 65 VIC 8757 CONDS PAT/AMB VIC HILL 65.  
 CUPP UNITS OF FIRST MAR LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M 3/1 AT 9963,  
 9468, 9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SEC/PAC IF IN  
 ASSIGNED AO. FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPCON TO M 3/1 M PROVIDES SEC FOR  
 CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #1D VIC 9758.  
 2=SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:  
 A=NO CHANGE  
 B=INFANTRY BATTALIONS:  
 1=G 2/5 AT AIRBORNE (VIC AT 872498) OV-10 SPOTTED 15 VC  
 CHANGING FROM GREEN TO WHITE UNIFORMS. CALLED AIR STRIKE. RES:  
 1 VC KBA.  
 (C)=THROUGH (F)=NONE  
 (G)=GENERAL: NO CHANGE  
 (H)=RECAP OF BN OPNS:  
 PATROLS AMBUSHES S&C OPNS SCOUT  
 UNIT FT SQD PLT FT SQD PLT CO LP'S SNIPERS  
 2/5 D 0 5 3 0 0 0 0 1 12 5  
 N 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 0  
 3/5 D 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 18 11  
 N 0 0 0 0 9 29 0 0 0 17 0

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 1=SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:  
 PROVINCE ACTION FND UNIT EN UNIT INIT BY  
 COORD DTG SIZE/TYPE LOSSES LOSSES VC/US  
 QUANG NAM 271025H CO REIN/SWEEP G 2/5 UNK/1 VC KBA US  
 (AT 872498) CMBT



CUPP UNITS OF FIFTH MAR LOC HILL 25 VIC 8356 WITH M 3/1 AT 9963,  
9468, 9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED MSN OF SEC/PAC IF IN  
ASSIGNED AO FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPCON TO M 3/1 MPROVIDES SEC FOR  
CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #1D VIC 9758.

## 2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

## B. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. G 2/5 AT AIRBORNE (VIC AT 872498) OV-10 SPOTTED 15 VC  
CHANGING FROM GREEN TO WHITE UNIFORMS. CALLED AIR STRIKE. RES:  
1 VC KBA.

(C) THROUGH (F) NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

PATROLS AMBUSHES S&C OPNS SCOUT  
UNIT FT SQD PLT FT SQD PLT CG LP'S SNIPERS  
2/5 D 0 5 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 12 5  
N 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 5 0  
3/5 D 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 18 11  
N 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 9 29 0 0 0 17 0

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## 1. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE ACTION FND UNIT EN UNIT INIT BY

COORD DTG SIZE/TYPE LOSSES LOSSES VC/US

QUANG NAM 271025H CO REIN/SWEEP G 2/5 UNK/1 VC KBA US

(AT 872498) CMBT

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

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## 2. ■ SMALL ■ UNIT ■ OPERATIONS:

B. ■ INFANTRY ■ BATTALIONS:

(C) ■ THROUGH ■ (F) ■ NONE

(H) AP ■ OF ■ BN ■ OPNS:

### 1. SMALL-UNIT OPERATIONS:

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

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 FM FIFTH MAR COC  
 TO FIRST MAR DIV COC  
 INFO SECOND BN FIFTH MAR COC  
 THIRD BN FIFTH MAR COC  
 SEVENTH MAR COC  
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 SITREP #180 FM 290001H-292400H UUNA 70 (U)

1. MAJOR OPNS: UNNAMED  
 A. THROUGH U: NO CHANGE  
 K. CUM CAS: USMC

61 USMC KIA	416 NVA KIA
553 " WIAE	499 VC KIA
170 " WIAM	142 IWC
8 " NBCK	8 CSWC
92 " NBCE	
36 " NBCNE	
1 " MIA	
4 USN WIAE	

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P. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS: NONE

Q. PLANS: SUM

2/5 CONTS TO PROVIDE SEC LIBI BRIDGE, LIBI ROAD, AND CONDS  
 CAT II OPNS IN FOOTBALL ISLAND AREA VIC AT8952 NEAR GIANG HOA  
 (2) WITH A CORDON/SEARCH AND MED CAPS WITH 27 ARMED PROPAGANDA  
 PERSONNEL HELD-LIFTED FM HILL 65 VIC AT 8757 TO SCREEN LOCAL POPU-  
 LATION. OPN TO CONTINUE FOR 8 DAYS  
 BN CP (REAR) LOC AN HOA VIC AT8747  
 BN CP (FORWARD) HELD-LIFTS TO CORDON AND SEARCH AREA VIC AT8952  
 AND SWEEPS NE  
 CO E HELD-LIFTS TO FOOTBALL ISLAND AND CORDON NE PORTION OF ISLAND  
 VIC AT8952  
 CO F PROVIDES SEC LIBI ROAD VIC AT9049  
 CO G HELD-LIFTS TO FOOTBALL ISLAND AND CORDONS NW PORTION OF IS-  
 LAND VIC AT8952  
 3/5 (-) REIN PROVIDES SEC FOR HILLS 65, 52, 25, AND CONDS  
 CAT II OPNS HILL 65 VIC AT8757  
 CO I LOC HILL 52 VIC ZC2155 WITH ONE PLT LOC HILL 25 VIC AT8355  
 CONDS PTLS/AMBUSHES IN THUONG DUC AO

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CO K (REIN) LOC HILL 137 VIC AT9458 PROVIDES SEC ALONG RT#540  
 SOUTH TO LIB BRIDGE AND NORTH TO FIFTH MAR BOUNDARY. FIRST PLT  
 CO M 3/5 OPON TO CO K PROVIDES SEC FOR CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT  
 #4E VIC AT9458

CO L OPON FIFTH MAR REGT PROVIDES BASE AUGMENTATION CO

CO M (-) LOC HILL 65 VIC AT8757 CONDS PTLS/AMB VIC HILL 65

CUPP UNITS OF FIFTH MAR LOC HILL 25 VIC AT8355 WITH M 3/1 AT9963  
 9468, 9056, 9257, 9259, 9863, 9763 CONDS ASSIGNED. MSN OF SEC/PACIF IN  
 ASSIGNED AO. FIRST PLT CO A 1/5 OPON TO M 3/1 PROVIDES SEC FOR  
 CLEARING OPNS ALONG RT #1D VIC AT9758

2. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

A. NO CHANGE

3. INFANTRY BATTALIONS:

1. H 2/5 AT921529 MARINE HAD ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF HIS 45  
 CAL PISTOL WOUNDING ANOTHER MARINE IN THE HAND. RES: 1 USMC NBCE  
 2. M 3/1 AT952611 WHILE ON PATROL TWO MARINES DESIGNATED 2  
 B/T'S SIMULTANEOUSLY. BOTH B/T'S WERE BELIEVED TO BE IN TIN CANS  
 FILLED WITH C-4. RES: 2 USMC WIAE  
 3. M 3/1 AT937586 MARINE TRIPPED AN 81MM B/T RIGGED WITH TRIP  
 WIRE AND LOCATED IN HIGH GRASS. RES: 1 USMC WIAE

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4. M 3/1 AT948608 UNIT REC'D 6 INCOMING CHICOMS AND APPROX 10-15  
 RDS AK FIRE FROM EST 3-4 ENEMY. RES: 1 USMC WIAM

(C) THROUGH (F): NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

PATROLS:	AMBUSHERS:	S&C OPNS:	SCOUTS:
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4. M 3/1 AT948608 UNIT REC'D 6 INCOMING CHICOMS AND APPROX 10-15

RDSIAK FIRE FROM EST 3-4; ENEMY RES: 1 USMC WIAM.

(C) THROUGH (F): NONE

(G) GENERAL: NO CHANGE

(H) RECAP OF BN OPNS:

PATROLS				AMBUSHERS				S&C OPNS		SCOUTS
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3/5	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	17	9
	N	0	0	0	8	26	0	0	10	0

I. SMALL UNIT OPERATIONS:

PROVINCE	COORD	DTG	ACTION	SIZE/TYPE	FND UNIT	ENL UNIT	LOSSES	LOSSES	INIT BY	VC/US
QUANG NAM	290720H		SQD/PTL	M 3/1			UNK/NEG			VC
AT952611			CMBT	2 MC WIAE						
QUANG NAM	291750H		SQD/PTL	M 3/1			UNK/NEG			VC
AT937586			CMBT	1 MC WIAE						
QUANG NAM	292110H		SQD/AMB	M 3/1			UNK/NEG			VC
AT948608			CMBT	1 MC WIAM						

J. COMBINED ACTION UNIT: NONE

K. UNIT LOCATIONS: NO CHANGE

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 A. THIRD BN FIFTH MAR OPO 15-70(C)  
 1.(C) SITUATION:  
 A. ENEMY

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(1) INTEL RPTS INDICATE AN INCREASED EVIDENCE OF EN HARRASSING INCIDENTS, ATKS BY FIRE, GRD PROBES WITHIN THIRD BN FIFTH MAR AO. TO COMMENCE NIGHT OF 2 JUN 70 WITH NIGHT OF 3-4 JUNE THOUGHT TO BE HIGH PT OF ACTIVITY. TERMINATION DATE IS UNKNOWN.  
 (2) SEE CURRENT INTSUMS AND PERINTREPS  
 B. FRIENDLY: NO CHANGE EXCEPT "F" BTRY 2/11 PROVIDES LOGISTICS SUPT TO 3RD PLT. CO M FOR DURATION OF SECURITY ASSIGNMENT; MAG 16 PROVIDES 2 CH-46 TO CONDUCT HELO LIFT OF 3RD PLT. CO M FM HILL-65 TO HILL 55 LZ AT 931300H JUN 70.  
 2.(C) MISSION: THIRD BN (-) REIN CONTINUES CURRENT ASSIGNED MISSION (REF A REFERS)  
 3.(C) EXECUTION:  
 A. COMPANY I: CONTINUE MISSION ASSIGNED REF A; EMPHASIZE INTERDICTION OF EN MOVEMENT ACROSS SONG VU GIA.  
 B. COMPANY K: CONTINUE MISSION ASSIGNED REF A.  
 C. COMPANY L: OPCON 5TH MAR.  
 D. COMPANY M: CONTINUE MISSION ASSIGNED REF A. PROVIDE ONE PLT OPCON TO CO M 3/1 EFFECTIVE 031500H JUN 70 UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.  
 E. CO M (CUPP COMPANY): ASSUME OPCON 3PLT. CO M 3/5 EFFECTIVE 031500H JUN 70; IN CLOSE COORD/COOP WITH CO 51ST ARVN AND CO "F" BTRY 2/11 PROVIDE AUG FORCE FOR DEF OF FOXTROT CANTONMENT AND DAILY SECURITY PAT/AMB ON PERIPHERY OF THAT CANTONMENT.  
 F. CUPP PLT: NO CHANGE.  
 G. COORD INSTRUCTIONS:  
 (1) ENSURE IMMEDIATE REVIEW OF NIGHT OPERATIONS. REACTION PLANS AND CONDUCT ON SITE DEF EVAL TO ENSURE HIGH STATE OF ALERTNESS THROUGHOUT ALL UNITS.  
 (2) INCREASE DEFENSIVE WIRE AND CONDUCT DAILY INSPECTIONS TO ENSURE MAINTENANCE  
 (3) REMOVE GRASS / BRUSH FROM FIELDS OF FIRE. DEF WIRE AND ALONG AVENUES OF APPROACH.  
 (4) AVOID STEREOTYPED REPETITIVE PAT/AMB AND TIMES OF POSTING AND RELIEF OF PERSONNEL ON DEF POSITIONS  
 4.(C) ADMIN/LOG: NO CHANGE EXCEPT S-4 WILL PROVIDE TENTAGE FOR 3RD PLT. CO M 3/5 AT HILL-55.  
 5(C) CMD/COMM/ELEC: NO CHANGE.  
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- Ref: (a) Map: VN 1:50,000 AMS Series L 7014; Sheets 6540 I and 6640 IV  
 (b) BnO 05560.1 (SOP for Security of RTE #540) (C)  
 (c) S-3 msg 191735H Apr 70 (Restricted Operating Areas) (C)  
 (d) BnO 8000.3 (Tactical Area Turnover)  
 (e) BnO P8000.2A (SOP for Ordnance)  
 (f) Base Coordinator Instruction 05530.1 (Safeguarding VN Property and Foodstuffs) (C)  
 (g) CO, 3/5 Confidential Ltr 6/JSG/jpp dtd 17Jun70 (Comm Security)  
 (h) BnO 02220.1 (Comm Security) (C)

Time Zone: H

Task Organization: No change

## 1. SITUATION

a. Enemy Forces. Annex A (Intelligence).b. Friendly Forces

- (1) 1st MAW, commencing at 031000 July, provides two CH-53 to accomplish helolift. Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule).
- (2) 2/11 direct support 5th Mar.
- (3) Dai Loc and Dien Ban District Forces continue assigned securing and pacification mission in combined effort with Co M 3/1 and 3/5 CUPP Plt.
- (4) 51st ARVN Regt continues coordinated operations within designated areas of operation throughout 5th Mar AO.

## 2. MISSION

Commencing 021300 July, 3/5 (Rein) realigns forces in AO and continues Category I and II operations with primary emphasis on securing/pacification mission.

## 3. EXECUTION

a. Concept of Operation. 3/5 (Rein) conducts helolift/footmarch in ac-**CONFIDENTIAL**

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cordance with Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule). Assume responsibility for AO and conduct Category I and II operations in accordance with Annex C (Operations Overlay).

b. Co I

- (1) Commencing 031400 July 1970, conduct footmarch to HILL 65 in accordance with Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule).
- (2) On completion of footmarch to HILL 65, assume responsibility for Central AO. Annex C (Operations Overlay).
- (3) Be prepared to conduct securing operations as directed; provide forces for engineer mine sweep security along RTE #4 and for augmentation of HILL 65 defenses.
- (4) Provide one plt OPCON Co M for purpose of providing security for Co C, 7th Engineers along RTE #4.
- (5) Be prepared, on order, to conduct coordinated Recon in Force throughout N Arizona AO.
- (6) Be prepared, on order, to provide platoon (Rein) size force to relieve/reinforce CACO or District Forces in assigned AO.

c. Co K

- (1) Commencing 031000 July 1970, conduct helolift to An Hoa Combat Base in accordance with Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule).
- (2) On completion of helolift to An Hoa Combat Base, pass OPCON to 5th Mar as Base Augmentation Co.

d. Co L

- (1) Commencing 031100 July 1970, conduct helolift from An Hoa LOC to HILL 52 in accordance with Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule).
- (2) On completion of helolift to HILL 52, assume responsibility for Western AO. Annex C (Operations Overlay). Primary mission of interdicting enemy movement into AO from the west, south, and north.
- (3) Employ one plt (Rein) between grid 83 and 86 with assigned mission of route security and periphery screen for 3/5 CUPP Plt and CAP 4 (vicinity 865573).

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- (4) Conduct coordinated operations in cooperation with District Forces.
- (5) Coordinate daily with CUPP Plt to insure coordinated day/night operations.
- (6) Provide 81mm/60mm mortar support to CUPP Plt as requested.
- (7) Be prepared, on order, to provide plt (Rein) size force to relieve CACO, CUPP, or District Forces in assigned AO.

e. Co M

- (1) Commencing 021300 July 1970, conduct footmarch by echelon to HILL 37 in accordance with Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule).
- (2) On completion of footmarch to HILL 37, assume responsibility for Eastern AO. Annex C (Operations Overlay). Primary mission to prevent enemy interdiction of Route #540 in accordance with reference (b).
- (3) Maintain no less than one plt south of HILL 37. Primary mission route security.
- (4) Maintain no less than one plt north of HILL 37. Primary mission route security.
- (5) Assume ~~PERSON~~ one plt Co I and assign mission of providing security for Co C, 7th Engineers along Route #4.
- (6) Coordinate with CO, Co D, 7th Engineers and provide mine sweep security forces north along Route #540 to 5th/1st Mar AO Boundary and south to Liberty Bridge CBT Outpost.
- (7) Coordinate all operations with CO, 2nd CACO, 1st Plt, Co M (CUPP Company), and SA Dai Loc District.
- (8) Be prepared, on order, to provide plt (Rein) size force to relieve CACO, CUPP or District Forces in assigned AO.

f. Co M (CUPP Company). Continue security and pacification mission in coordination with Dai Loc and Dien Ban District Forces.

g. 3rd Bn, 5th Mar CUPP Plt. Continue combined security and pacification mission in coordination with Dai Loc District Forces.

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- h. Bn Reserve. Designated Plt (Rein), Co I: be prepared for commitment anywhere within Bn AO on 30 minute standby.
- i. Coordinating Instructions
  - (1) Annex A (Intelligence).
  - (2) Annex B (Time/Movement Schedule).
  - (3) Annex C (Operations Overlay).
  - (4) Annex D (Terminology).
  - (5) Invoke strict measures to counter mines/booby traps in assigned AO. Operations within Restricted Operating Areas prescribed by reference (c) on approval of the CO only.
  - (6) Ensure compliance with reference (d) and (e); date/time for inspecting party will be passed by field radio message.
  - (7) Minimize noncombatant casualties and destruction of VN property and foodstuffs in accordance with reference (f).
  - (8) Vehicle occupants of authorized vehicles on RTE #4 west of HILL 65 limited to driver and one occupant. In case of cargo to protect, a third Marine is authorized to ride in cargo bed of vehicle to prevent theft. Utilize VR/Resupply helo as becomes available to transport personnel.
  - (9) Initial SPOT REPORTS will be submitted within 30 minutes of the time of contact/incident. Submit follow up SPOT REPORTS as necessary; final SPOT REPORTS immediately upon termination of action or event.
  - (10) Advance parties on location minimum one (1) day prior to unit relieving another in place. Utilize Turnover Files of relieved unit in order to effectively commence operations on assumption of responsibility for assigned AO.

4. ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS. No change

5. COMMAND AND COMMUNICATIONS - ELECTRONICS

- a. Communications. References (g) and (h).
- b. Command Post

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- (1) 3/5 (Rein): HILL 65.
- (2) Report opening of Co CP when established.

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ANNEXES:

- /A - Intelligence
- /B - Time/Movement Schedule
- /C - Operations Overlay
- /D - Terminology
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## ANNEX A (INTELLIGENCE) TO OPERATION ORDER 16-70

- Ref: (a) AMS Map, Vietnam 1:50,000, Series L7014, Sheet 6640 IV  
(b) BnO P3800.1N Section II  
(c) Ltr on Air Photo 2/LQG/ddb over 3800 of 1 June 1970  
(d) Ltr on Intell Sqd 2/LQG/ddb over 3800 of 17 June 1970

1. Summary of Enemy Situation.

a. VC/NVA units and personnel depend on their capability to make periodic penetrations into populated villages and hamlets within the 3/5 AO for the purpose of collecting taxes, foodstuffs, disseminating propaganda, gathering intelligence information, and conducting widespread terrorist activities. Harassing fire from Mortars, Rockets, Lob Bombs, RPG's, M-79's, Automatic and Small Arms is aimed at friendly installations and small friendly units to allow the enemy to move more freely in their activities among and against the civilian populace. Emphasis placed on depacification and terrorism has been demonstrated in the past by a high level of propagandizing, abductions, and assassinations. These incidents are aimed at resettlement hamlets. RF/PF and ARVN units in an attempt to cause dissension among military and para-military ranks, to force civilians back into VC/NVA controlled areas, and cause ill feelings among Vietnamese and US personnel.

b. The VC/NVA has the capability of attacking friendly installations and units within the 3/5 AO at any time of his own choosing, however, to mass an all out attack against any installation would drain his resources to such an extent that this action is highly improbable. It is expected that the enemy will continue attempts at discrediting the pacification program and conducting small harassing attacks against friendly units and patrols. An all out attack by the enemy cannot be predicted in the foreseeable future. Mining of friendly resupply routes and attempts at discrediting pacification will hold a priority in the enemy's plans.

2. Essential Elements of Information.

a. Enemy Force. The following intelligence is sought concerning the enemy force:

- 1) Enemy Unit Locations
- 2) Enemy Unit Size, Strength, and Combat Effectiveness

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3) Capability of Enemy Force to launch an attack on permanent installations and disrupt lines of communications.

4) Identify all pertinent information concerning enemy cadre and unit leaders operating within assigned AO.

5) Relationship with and support received from Civilian Population.

6) Location of Enemy Camps, Assembly Areas, Rendezvous Points, Cache Sites, Cave, Bunker, and tunnel complexes, and Trails.

7) Enemy Force Arms

8) Enemy Force Methods of Operation

b. Civilian Population. Because of the close nature in which the enemy works with elements of the Civilian Population, much of the intelligence concerning the enemy is available by questioning friendly indigenous personnel. Intelligence required concerning the civil populace includes the following:

1) Identity of VCI and VC sympathizers operating in various hamlets.

2) The Size and Proportion of the Civilian Population, within a given hamlet, estimated to support the enemy.

3) The ability of the local populace to furnish food and supplies to the enemy.

c. Terrain. An intimate knowledge of the terrain is necessary for effective counter-guerilla operations. Terrain information is continuously sought concerning the following:

1) Areas likely to serve as Enemy Base Camps, Rendezvous Points and/or Assembly Areas, Cache Sites, Cave, Bunker, and Tunnel Complexes.

2) Roads and Trails approaching traversing, and connecting suspected or known Enemy Areas.

3) Roads and Trails in the vicinity of friendly installations and lines of communication frequently used by the enemy.

4) Location of River Crossing Sites.

5) Areas where drinking water is or is not readily available.

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- 6) Areas where foot travel is difficult or impossible.
- 7) Location of likely Ambush Sites.
- 8) Potential Helicopter Landing Sites.

3. Intelligence Acquisition Tasks. Intelligence Acquisition Tasks for subordinate units will be in accordance with this Annex and as periodically directed by the Intelligence Officer.

4. Measures for Handling Personnel, Documents, and Material.

a. All measures for handling personnel, Documents, and Material will be set forth in reference (b).

5. Documents and/or Equipment Required.

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a. Aerial Photograph Requests.

1) Aerial Photographs may be requested following the format set forth in reference (c).

b. Map Request.

1) Maps may be requested either verbally or in writing to the Battalion S-2. In each case the Map Sheet and number of copies required should be included.

c. Sensor Devices.

1) Sensor Devices (P-SIDS and PSR-1's) may be requested from Battalion S-2 by letter indicating number and type sensors desired.

6. Counter Intelligence.

a. Indications have pointed to an increase in the use of children and young attractive girls in the Enemy's efforts at collecting intelligence information. In addition, local villagers and farmers living around or working in U. S. installations have been instructed to gather as much information as possible. Periodic debriefs by the enemy of these low level collection agents enables the enemy to receive valuable information on friendly troop movements and operations. Children are also being used to transport food from local markets to VC controlled areas and to bring in munitions set to explode after being turned over to Marine personnel. One method to help effectively combat the enemy's intelligence effort is the education of Marine personnel in regards to their association with the droves of children invariably found wherever Marines go.

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a. Periodic Intelligence Reports will be made by the Battalion Intelligence Office on an impending basis as the need arises. Distribution of such reports will be made by the Battalion S&G Office or directly from the Intelligence Office.

**8. Miscellaneous Instructions.**

a. Auxiliary Agencies. The Battalion Intelligence Squad may be requested by following the instructions set forth in reference (d).

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**APPENDICES:**

- /1. Trail and River Crossing Overlay
- /2. Enemy Sighting and Contact Overlay
- /3. Enemy Booby Trap Overlay

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1. Time/Movement Schedule:

	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>MODE</u>	<u>NO.</u> <u>PERSONNEL</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
a.	Co I	031400 Jul 70	FOOT	(150)	HILL 52	HILL 65
b.	Co K	031000 Jul 70	HELO	(150)	HILL 37	AN HOA
c.	Co L	031100 Jul 70	HELO	(190)	AN HOA	HILL 52
d.	Co M (-)	030600 Jul 70	FOOT	(115)	HILL 65	HILL 37
	M 2	021300 Jul 70	FOOT	(35)	HILL 65	HILL 37

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1. Terminology:

Category I. Operations in populated areas designed to destroy or neutralize VC/VCI/guerrillas and local forces.

Category II. Operations designed to locate and destroy those NVA and VC Forcesunits which operate in the peripheries of populated areas, make incursions into populated areas, and/or provide logistical or other support to VC/VCI/guerrillas and local forces and thus hamper pacification efforts.

Securing Operations. Joint military and civic operations conducted for purpose of establishing an area under permanent government control, free from communist influence.

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