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3d Marine Division (Rein) FMF  
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Subj: Command Chronology for the period 1-31 August 1968.

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Encl: (1) 9th Motor Transport Battalion Command Chronology

1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a) and (b), enclosure (1) is hereby submitted.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 August to 31 August 1966 

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## PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA1. DESIGNATION

9th Motor Transport Battalion

COMMANDER

Major R. KULAK (28Jul68)

SUBORDINATE UNITS

H&S Company  
 "A" Company  
 "B" Company  
 "C" Company  
 Transport Company

1stLt R. M. HEMMERT (25Jun68)  
 1stLt J. R. MC ELRATH (28Aug68)  
 1stLt R. J. PAVONI (24Aug68)  
 Capt A. G. SHADFORTH (8Jul68)  
 Capt J. N. BRUCH (20Aug68)

2. LOCATION

1 - 31 August 1968; Dong Ha, RVN: H&amp;S, "A", "B", "C", Transport Company

3. STAFF OFFICERS



Executive Officer/S-3  
 Adjutant  
 S-4  
 Bn Supply  
 Medical Officer

Capt J. G. SCHIMENECK(28Jul68)  
 1stLt R. M. HEMMERT(5Sep68)  
 1stLt A. R. MATTESON(18Jan68)  
 1stLt. J. R. DUNCAN(18Dec67)  
 Lt. L. M. PARDEE (9Jun68)

4. Average Monthly Strength

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>	
<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
20	391	2	8

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PART IINARRATIVE SUMMARY

During the period 1 - 31 August 1968, this Battalion participated in one hundred twelve (112) tactical movements and seventy four (74) Rough Rider operations in support of the Third Marine Division, FLSG-B, MAG-39, CBMU-301, ARVN, and 1st Brigade, 5th Mech Div. U.S.A. During the same period this Battalion has driven 68,916 miles, transported 11,203 tons of supplies and 30,289 troops. The maintenance deadline is at seventeen (17) prime movers of which twelve (12) are at third echelon.

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PART IIISEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- a. Combat mission assigned: To provide Motor Transport Support to the 3d Marine Division (Rein) FMF.
- b. Significant operations conducted:
- (1) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of FLSG-B.
  - (2) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 1 Aug 1968, to Con Thien, in support of Hq Battalion.
  - (3) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 Aug 1968, to D-5, in support of 12th Marines.
  - (4) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 11th Engineers.
  - (5) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 1 Aug 1968, to Wunder Beach, in support of Hq. Battalion.
  - (6) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 1 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 3rd Shore Party.
  - (7) Eleven (11) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.
  - (8) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 12th Marines.
  - (9) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division FX.
  - (10) Twenty (20) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.
  - (11) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to the Rock Pile, in support of 12th Marines.
  - (12) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to D-5, in support of 12th Marines.
  - (13) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.
  - (14) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 2 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 11th Engineers.

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(15) Twenty Three (23) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 Aug 1968, to Phu Bai, in support of 26th Marines.

(16) Twenty Eight (28) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

(17) Thirteen (13) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(18) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 3 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 11th Engineers.

(19) Thirty five (35) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 4 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(20) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 4 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division PX.

(21) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 4 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(22) Thirty four (34) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(23) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 5 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 11th Engineers.

(24) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 5 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(25) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 6 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(26) Twenty six (26) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

(27) Twenty seven (27) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(28) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 11th Engineers.

(29) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 6 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(30) Twenty seven (27) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(31) Twenty seven (27) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 Aug 1968, Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

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(32) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 7 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of FLSG-B.

(33) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 7 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 11th Engineers.

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(34) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 7 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(35) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 Aug 1968, to C-4, in support of 12th Marines.

(36) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(37) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 8 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 11th Engineers.

(38) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 9 Aug 1968, to D-5, in support of 12th Marines.

(39) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 9 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(40) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 9 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(41) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 10 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of MAG 39.

(42) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 10 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 11th Engineers.

UNCLASSIFIED  
(43) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 11 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 11th Engineers.

(44) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 11 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(45) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 11 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(46) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 11 Aug 1968, to The Rock Pile, in support of 12th Marines.

(47) Twenty two (22) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(48) Thirteen (13) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 3rd Recon.

ENCLOSURE (1)

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(49) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 12 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 12th Marines.

(50) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 12 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 11th Engineers.

(51) Twelve (12) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

(52) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(53) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 11th Engineers.

(54) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy, on 13 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 1st Marines.

(55) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 13 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

(56) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 13 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of MAG 39.

(57) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 14 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(58) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 14 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 12th Marines.

(59) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 14 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(60) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 14 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 11th Engineers.

(61) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 14 Aug 1968, to C-1, in support of 12th Marines.

(62) Seven (7) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 Aug 1968, to C-3, in support of 3rd Marines.

(63) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 15 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(64) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 15 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(65) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 15 Aug 1968, to the Rock Pile, in support of 12th Marines.

ENCLOSURE (1)

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(66) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 15 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 4th Marines.

(67) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division PX.

(68) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(69) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(70) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(71) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

(72) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Cam Lo, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(73) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(74) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to C-1, in support of 12th Marines.

(75) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 16 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base in support of Division PX.

(76) Seven (7) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 12th Marines.

(77) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(78) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(79) Twenty six (26) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968 to the Rock File, in support of 1st Brigade USA.

(80) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(81) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(82) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

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ENCLOSURE (1)

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(83) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(84) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Cam Lo, in support of Hq. Battalion.

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(85) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

(86) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 17 Aug 1968, to the Rock File, in support of 12th Marines.

(87) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(88) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to C-3, in support of 12th Marines.

(89) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 9th Marines.

(90) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(91) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(92) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 12th Marines.

(93) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of FLSG-B.

U A I T (94) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(95) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

(96) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to The Rock File, in support of 12th Marines.

(97) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 18 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(98) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(99) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

ENCLOSURE (1)

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(100) Twenty seven (27) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to The Rock File, in support of 3rd Marines.

(101) Fifteen (15) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 1st Marines.

(102) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base in support of FLSC-B.

(103) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 12th Marines.

(104) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 11th Marines.

(105) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(106) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to The Rock File, in support of 12th Marines.

(107) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 19 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSC-B.

(108) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(109) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(110) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

(111) Twenty (20) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

(112) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 4th Marines.

(113) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(114) Six (6) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSC-B.

(115) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(116) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

ENCLOSURE (1)

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(117) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division PX.

(118) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 20 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(119) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 3rd Marines.

(120) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(121) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 12th Marines.

(122) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 26th Marines.

(123) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(124) Twenty one (21) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(125) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division PX.

(126) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 68, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(127) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 21 Aug 1968, to Cambo, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(128) Seven (7) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

(129) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(130) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 22 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(131) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(132) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

(133) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 22 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

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(134) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st AmTracs.

(135) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(136) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of "D" Med.

(137) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Cam Lo, in support of 12th Marines.

(138) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(139) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, FLSG-B.

(140) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(141) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 23 Aug 1968, to The Rock Pile, in support of 12th Marines.

(142) Seven (7) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of CBMU-301.

(143) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 12th Marines.

(144) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 24 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(145) One vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 24 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st AmTracs.

(146) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 24 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 9th Marines.

(147) One vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 24 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 12th Marines.

(148) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 25 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

(149) Fifteen (15) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 25 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(150) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 25 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

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ENCLOSURE (1)

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(151) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 25 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Marines.

(152) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 25 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(153) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

(154) Forty seven (47) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 Aug 1968, to A-4, in support of 1st Marines.

(155) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 26 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(156) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 26 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(157) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 26 Aug 1968, to the Rock Pile, in support of 12th Marines.

(158) Twenty nine (29) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 9th Marines.

(159) Ten (10) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 1st Marines.

(160) Nine (9) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 1st Marines.

(161) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(162) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 27 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division PX.

(163) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 27 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(164) Three (3) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of "D" Med.

(165) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of 12th Marines.

(166) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

(167) Thirty three (33) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 3rd Marines.

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(168) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(169) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

(170) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 3rd Shore Party.

(171) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 28 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of Hq. Battalion.

(172) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to A-3, in support of ARVN.

(173) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(174) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

(175) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(176) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to Quang Tri, in support of 1st Am Trac's.

(177) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 4th Marines.

(178) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 29 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(179) Five (5) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 30 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base in support of 12th Marines.

(180) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 30 Aug 1968 to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 3rd Shore Party.

(181) Eight (8) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 30 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(182) Two (2) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 31 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of 12th Marines.

(183) Seven (7) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 31 Aug 1968, to C-2, in support of 12th Marines.

(184) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 31 Aug 1968, to Camp Carroll, in support of 12th Marines.

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(185) One (1) vehicle participated in a tactical convoy on 31 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of Division PX.

(186) Four (4) vehicles participated in a tactical convoy on 31 Aug 1968, to Vandegrift Combat Base, in support of FLSG-B.

(187) Twenty one (21) tactical movements were made in support of FLSG-B.

(188) Twenty eight (28) tactical movements were made in support of Hq. Battalion.

(189) Thirty eight (38) tactical movements were made in support of 12th Marines.

(190) Twelve (12) tactical movements were made in support of 11th Engineers.

(191) Three (3) tactical movements were made in support of 3rd Shore Party.

(192) Eleven (11) tactical movements were made in support of 26th Marines.

(193) Eight (8) tactical movements were made in support of Division PX.

(194) Nine (9) tactical movements were made in support of 9th Marines.

(195) Eighteen (18) tactical movements were made in support of 1st Marines.

(196) Sixteen (16) tactical movements were made in support of 4th Marines.

(197) Two (2) tactical movements were made in support of MG -39.

(198) One (1) tactical movement was made in support of 3rd Recon.

(199) Ten (10) tactical movements were made in support of 3rd Marines.

(200) One (1) tactical movement was made in support of 1st Brigade, USA.

(201) One (1) tactical movement was made in support of 11th Marines.

(202) Three (3) tactical movements were made in support of 1st Am Tracs.

(203) One (1) tactical movement was made in support of 1st Am Tracs.

(204) Two (2) tactical movements were made in support of "D" Med.

(205) One (1) tactical movement was made in support of CBMU-301.

CLOSE COMBAT

c. There are no incidents to report for this period

(a) Casualties inflicted on the enemy: none

(b) Casualties sustained: none

(c) New techniques employed: none

d. Command Relations:

(1) 9th Motor Transport Battalion - ADCON \* 3d Marine Division

(a) H&S, "A", "B", "C", Transport Company - OPCON - 3d Marine Division

e. S-4: During the month of August the S-4 section completed a new engineer SOP. All TERO's continue to be processed through this section. In the area of embarkation, an inspection was conducted during the month of August in accordance with instructions from Division Embarkation. The MEDS system is almost completely instituted within the Battalion. Under the MARES system, a new program has been started to insure that all GA and GB cards are submitted as required.

f. Supply: During the period of 1 - 31 Aug 1968, several items were received under the Monsoon Requirement. The majority of the items are yet to be received. A list of excesses was submitted to Division Supply. As yet disposition instructions for these excesses have not been received. These excesses are largely due to the turn in of all M54 assets. For the most part the supply situation is good. There are still, however, several items which remain in short supply despite proper supply action.

g. Administrative/Personnel:

(1) Joined: Five (5) USMC Officers;  
Thirty two (32) USMC Enlisted

(2) Transferred: Two (2) USMC Officers  
Seventeen (17) USMC Enlisted

(3) Morale: Excellent

(4) Personnel services:

(a) PX facilities are adequately stocked with essential items. Postal service continues to be satisfactory.

(5) Discipline:

(a) Two violations of Art. 128 UCMJ; Four violations of Art 91 UCMJ; Three violations of Art. 92 UCMJ; One violation of Art. 191 UCMJ; Two violations of Art. 111 UCMJ; Two violations of Art. 134 UCMJ; Two violations of Art 86 UCMJ; One violation of Art. 121 UCMJ.