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11th Motor Transport Battalion, FMF  
c/o FPO, San Francisco, 96602

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From: Commanding Officer  
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF  
(Attn: Field Historian)

Subj: Command Chronology for the period 01-30 September 1970

Ref: (a) MCO 5750.12  
(b) FMFPACO 5750.8  
(c) DivO 5750.2

Encl: ✓(1) Eleventh Motor Transport Battalion Command Chronology

1. In accordance with references (a), (b), and (c), enclosure (1) is submitted.

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## PART I

## ORGANIZATION DATA

1. Designation

11th Motor Transport Battalion  
"A" Company  
"B" Company  
  
"C" Company  
Transport Company  
Headquarters and Service Company

Commander

LtCol. A. D. ALBERT  
1stLt. R. W. BEARDEN  
1-16 Capt. E. L. McMURTRIE  
17-30 1stLt. W. G. WILLARD  
1stLt. M. K. ZOELLIN  
Capt. D. L. JOHNSON  
1stLt. L. N. SNOW

2. Location

01-30 September 1970, Danang, RVN

3. Staff/Officers

Executive Officer  
S-1/Adjutant  
S-2/3  
Assistant S-3  
S-4  
S-5

Medical Officer  
Sergeant Major

Maj. W. H. WALTERS  
Capt. J. M. HERZOG  
Maj. J. A. GALIZIO  
1-17 1stLt. T. B. NORTON  
Capt. D. R. MARLOWE  
1-17 1stLt. T. B. NORTON  
18-30 1stLt. M. L. HENRY  
LT. J. T. COOK  
1-27 MGySgt. O. W. JONES

4. Average In-Country StrengthUSMCOfficers

20

Enlisted

497

USNOfficers

2

Enlisted

7

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## PART II

## NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. During September 1970, the 11th Motor Transport Battalion conducted sixty-six (66) convoys in support of the 1st Marine Division. The Fifth Marines located at An Hoa Combat Base, Hill 37, and Hill 65 was supported daily. During the period 12 September until 22 September, convoys were conducted for the movement of the Fifth Marines from An Hoa, Hill 37, and Hill 65 to LZ Baldy, and the movement of the 1st Battalion, 7th Marines from LZ Baldy to Danang. During the period 25 September to 30 September, convoys were conducted between LZ Baldy and LZ Ross moving units of the 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines and the 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines. Vehicular support totaling seventeen (17) vehicles was provided daily to Division units for general support. The Battalion also committed a daily average of thirty-one (31) vehicles to units of the Division for miscellaneous runs. The Battalion committed a total of sixty-eight (68) vehicles for "C" Company, 1st Tank Battalion, Headquarters Battalion, 1st Dental Company, 1st Medical Battalion, and 1st Battalion, 7th Marines to support their redeployment from RVN.
2. The Battalion traveled 201,366 miles, hauled 29,249 tons and transported 26,630 passengers during September 1970.
3. The Marginal Terrain vehicles continued to be extensively utilized in support of the 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines located at Marble Mountain, the 3rd Battalion, 1st Marines located at Hill 190/Hill 124. The vehicles are used in land clearing, mobile patrols, and to supplement the helicopter in resupply operations.
4. The Battalion continued to conduct an active and effective Civil Affairs Program. The Battalion continues to support many "high impact" projects as indicated by the following data: Approximately one hundred eighty (180) cans of waste food products were delivered to the hamlet of Khanh-Son for swine consumption. One hundred twelve (112) villagers were treated through the MED-CAP Program, while ninety-seven (97) personnel received treatment at the Battalion Aid Station.

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SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF EVENTS

1 Sept	Conducted a	26	Truck	Convey	to	An Hoa.
2 Sept	"	" 31	"	"	"	"
3 Sept	"	" 22	"	"	"	"
4 Sept	"	" 30	"	"	"	"
5 Sept	"	" 28	"	"	"	"
6 Sept	"	" 21	"	"	"	"
7 Sept	"	" 20	"	"	"	"
7 Sept	"	" 21	"	"	"	LZ Baldy.
8 Sept	"	" 27	"	"	"	An Hoa.
8 Sept	"	" 21	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Danang.
9 Sept	"	" 24	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
10 Sept	"	" 12	"	"	"	"
11 Sept	"	" 19	"	"	"	"
11 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	LZ Baldy.
12 Sept	"	" 17	"	"	"	An Hoa.
12 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	Hill 37.
12 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
13 Sept	"	" 19	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
13 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Danang.
13 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
14 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
14 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
14 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	to Hill 37
15 Sept	"	" 21	"	"	"	An Hoa.
15 Sept	"	" 26	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
15 Sept	"	" 14	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
16 Sept	"	" 34	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
16 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
16 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
16 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Danang.
17 Sept	"	" 26	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
17 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
17 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
18 Sept	"	" 22	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
18 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
18 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
19 Sept	"	" 17	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
19 Sept	"	" 23	"	"	"	to LZ Baldy.
19 Sept	"	" 12	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
19 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
20 Sept	"	" 31	"	"	"	to An Hoa.
20 Sept	"	" 12	"	"	"	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
20 Sept	"	" 13	"	"	"	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.

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20 Sept	Conducted a	23	Truck Convoy	from LZ Baldy to Danang.
21 Sept	"	" 15	" "	to An Hoa.
21 Sept	"	" 13	" "	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
21 Sept	"	" 13	" "	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
22 Sept	"	" 13	" "	to Hill 65/37.
22 Sept	"	" 13	" "	from LZ Baldy to Hill 37.
22 Sept	"	" 13	" "	from Hill 37 to LZ Baldy.
23 Sept	"	" 13	" "	to Hill 65/37
24 Sept	"	" 15	" "	to An Hoa.
24 Sept	"	" 23	" "	to LZ Baldy.
25 Sept	"	" 14	" "	to An Hoa.
25 Sept	"	" 23	" "	from LZ Baldy to LZ Ross.
26 Sept	"	" 12	" "	to An Hoa.
26 Sept	"	" 23	" "	from LZ Baldy to LZ Ross.
27 Sept	"	" 19	" "	to An Hoa.
27 Sept	"	" 20	" "	from LZ Baldy to LZ Ross.
28 Sept	"	" 26	" "	to An Hoa.
28 Sept	"	" 20	" "	from LZ Baldy to LZ Ross.
29 Sept	"	" 16	" "	to An Hoa.
29 Sept	"	" 10	" "	to LZ Baldy.
30 Sept	"	" 20	" "	to An Hoa.
30 Sept	"	" 10	" "	from LZ Baldy to LZ Ross.
30 Sept	"	" 14	" "	to An Hoa.

## PART IV

1. None.

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