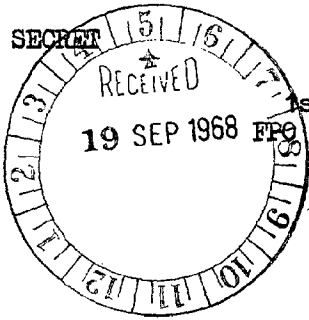


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## COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 August to 31 August 1968

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PART IORGANIZATION DATA1. DesignationCommander

11th Marine Regiment

Col H. E. DICKINSON

1-31 Aug

SUBORDINATE UNITS

First Field Artillery Group	LtCol R. W. STEPHENS JR.	1-29 Aug
	LtCol R. P. JOHNSON	30-31 Aug
1st Battalion, 11th Marines	LtCol S. F. THOMAS	1-31 Aug
2nd Battalion, 11th Marines	LtCol B. A. MOORE JR.	1-31 Aug
3rd Battalion, 11th Marines	LtCol H. C. CHASE =	1-21 Aug
	Maj A. F. BAUER	22-31 Aug
4th Battalion, 11th Marines	LtCol F. B. WOLCOTT	1-14 Aug
	LtCol J. M. COCKEY	15-31 Aug
2nd Battalion, 13th Marines	LtCol R. J. PHILLIPS	1-6 Aug
	Maj W. F. DUNN	7-31 Aug
3rd 8" Howitzer Battery (SP)	Maj J. P. CROWLEY	1-31 Aug
3rd 155mm Gun Battery (SP)	Capt V. B. LANHAM	1-31 Aug
1st Armored Amphibian Company	Maj R. R. BERLING	1-31 Aug
1st 155mm Gun Battery (SP)	Maj B. A. MUTCH	1-31 Aug

ATTACHED UNITS

1st Battalion, 13th Marines	LtCol A. NOVAK	1-31 Aug
Btry G (-), 29th Arty (USA)	Capt J. H. COOK (USA)	1-31 Aug
Btry B, 8th Bn, 4th Arty (USA)	Capt B. M. O'NEILL (USA)	1-31 Aug

2. Location

1-31 August 1968  
1-31 August 1968

Danang, Republic of Vietnam  
Phu Bai, Republic of Vietnam

3. Staff Officers

Executive Officer	1-31 Aug 1968	LtCol J. F. BARR
S-1	1-31 Aug 1968	1stLt P. P. SPELIPOPOULOS
S-2	1-31 Aug 1968	Maj R. L. REED
S-3	1-9 Aug 1968	LtCol J. S. HOLLINGSHEAD
	10-31 Aug 1968	LtCol R. J. PHILLIPS
S-4	1-8 Aug 1968	Maj H. C. HANNAH
	9-31 Aug 1968	Capt J. J. READ
Supply Officer	1-23 Aug 1968	1stLt D. E. McCLOSKEY
	24-31 Aug 1968	1stLt R. D. MEECE
Comm Officer	1-31 Aug 1968	Maj R. E. HAISLIP

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Radar Officer	1-31 Aug 1968	1stLt R. B. GEDDIS
Survey Officer	1-31 Aug 1968	1stLt J. L. CONOVER
Metro Officer	1-31 Aug 1968	1stLt J. L. CONOVER
Assistant FSC	1-31 Aug 1968	LtCol R. C. V. HUGHES
Chaplain	1-31 Aug 1968	LtCmdr B. SIMMONS
Surgeon	1-4 Aug 1968	Lt(MC) V. BARRESI
	5-31 Aug 1968	Lt(MC) J. E. TUZINSKI
Hq Commandant	1-31 Aug 1968	Capt G. L. GRUHL
Deputy Commander, NSDC	1-18 Aug 1968	LtCol G. S. AMES
	20-31 Aug 1968	Maj H. J. McMULLINS

4. Average Monthly Strength. (Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines)

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>		<u>OTHER</u>	
<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
26	259	4	5	0	0

5. Average Monthly Strength. (11th Marine Regiment)

<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>		<u>OTHER</u>	
<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
253	3667	20	70	0	0

PART IINARRATIVE SUMMARY

During August 1968, the 11th Marines continued to provide supporting fires for the 1st Marine Division in its defense of the Danang vital area and in operations in Quang Nam and southern Thua Thien Provinces. In addition, continued support was provided to Division reconnaissance teams, Combined Action Platoons, USA, USN, CIDG, KMC and ARVN forces. Forward observers again accompanied USMC, USA and ARVN convoys traveling within the Division area.

Artillery fires accounted for 665 of the 1,235 enemy killed within the Division area of operations. Of these, 187 were the results of missions fired for Division reconnaissance teams operating in the southwestern portion of the Division area.

Operation ALLENBROOK was terminated during the month after BLT 2d Bn, 7th Marines with Battery H, 3d Bn, 11th Marines and Mortar Battery, 3d Bn, 11th Marines attached, entered the area of operation. Operation MAME-LUKE THRUST continued during the month with the 2d Bn, 11th Marines in

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direct support of the 5th Marines. Operation HOUSTON also continued during August with 1st Bn, 13th Marines in direct support of the 26th Marines. Operation DODGE VALLEY, a joint USMC/ARVN operation, was also conducted during August with Battery C, 1st Bn, 11th Marines providing the supporting fires for 3d Bn, 1st Marines. Operations in the Go Noi Island area continued with the initiation of Operation SUSSEX BAY by the 5th Marines and BLT 2d Bn, 7th Marines, supported by 2d Bn, 11th Marines.

During the month, 2d Bn, 13th Marines chopped OpCon to RLIT 27 in preparation for their return to CONUS, and the 1st Marines supported by 1st Bn, 11th Marines left Quang Tri Province and returned to the operational control of the 1st Marine Division to assume the responsibility for the 27th Marines' area of operations. Heavy and medium artillery provided general support to all operations.

Improved conventional munitions (FIRECRACKER) continued to be employed throughout the 1st Marine Division TAOR. The Regiment fired 60 FIRECRACKER missions during the month accounting for 176 VC/NVA KIA. All surveillances represent confirmed KIA's and do not include additional probable KIA. Total FIRECRACKER expenditure was 780 rounds of 105mm, 578 rounds of 155mm and 25 rounds of 8" howitzer.

On 3 August Battery K, 4th Bn, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 27 NVA at grid AT 802477. The mission was observed by recon team (WEDDING RING) and resulted in 19 NVA KIA. On 5 August, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 17 VC at grid AT 811479. The mission was observed by recon team (WEDDING RING) and resulted in 15 VC KIA. On 15 August, Battery K, 4th Bn, 11th Marines and Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 15 VC at grid AT 845547. The mission was observed by recon team (CAYENNE) and resulted in 12 VC KIA. On 25 August, 1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery; Battery L, 4th Bn, 11th Marines and Batteries D, E, and F, 2nd Bn, 13th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 300 VC at grid BT 026667. The mission was called by the 51st ARVN and a sweep of the area revealed 50 VC KIA. On 26 August, Battery K, 4th Bn, 11th Marines and Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 40 VC at grid AT 792583. The mission was observed by recon team (RIO GRANDE) and resulted in 25 VC KIA. On 31 August Battery K, 4th Bn, 11th Marines and Battery I, 3rd Bn, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on a NVA Company at grid AT 818538. The mission was observed by recon team (AUNT MABEL) and resulted in 15 NVA KIA.

During the period 22-25 August, the 2nd Bn, 13th Marines fired 842 rounds (722 HE, 120 FC) against several VC Companies in the 27th Marines TAOR resulting in 197 KIA. This firing was partially responsible for breaking up a large-scale VC attack on Danang.

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During the month the 11th Marines expended a total of 180,336 rounds while firing some 34,860 missions. Elements of the Regiment supported Operations HOUSTON, ALLENBROOK, MAMELUKE THRUST, DODGE VALLEY and SUSSEX BAY.

Counter-rocket drills continued during the month. Chart drills were conducted unannounced each night to exercise the ability of participating FDC's to compute accurate grids of rocket positions. In addition, counter-rocket firing drills were conducted nightly on possible rocket positions.

The enemy initiated eight rocket attacks during the month. The targets included the Danang Air Base, the 1st Marine Division CP, Force Logistics Command, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines CP and ASP #1. The average artillery reaction time for counter-fire during these attacks was approximately three minutes. Clearance continues to delay counter-rocket response times in some portions of the Division area wherein friendly villages are located.

### PART III

#### SEQUENTIAL LISTINGS OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. <u>Personnel and Administration</u>	<u>USMC</u>		<u>USN</u>	
	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Enl</u>
a. Losses				
Admin	31	241	2	8
Battle KIA	0	4	0	0
Battle WIA (Evac)	0	24	0	0
Battle WIA (Non-Evac)	1	9	0	2
Battle MIA	0	0	0	0
Battle DOW	0	0	0	0
Non-Battle	0	0	0	0
b. Replacements	42	384	3	10
c. Net Loss	0	0	0	0
d. Net Gain	11	15	1	2
2. <u>Intelligence</u>				

During the month of August enemy attacks against artillery units increased from the previous reporting period. A total of 2 rockets, 14 mortars, 5 mines, and 13 small arms fire were recorded during the month. Artillery vehicles were involved in 5 mine incidents this period.

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The following significant incidents took place during the month of August 1968:

011145H: K/4/11 (AT 823554) truck hit a mine.

011215H: 11th Marines air observer received small arms fire, grid BT 055635.

021420H: M/4/11 (AT 843563) tank detonated a mine.

060125H: T/4/11 (AT 877476) received fifteen 82mm mortar rounds.

061600H: 11th Marines (AT 962685) found two 140mm rockets and two mud ramps with aiming stakes.

070745H: 11th Marines air observer received small arms fire at grids AT 857708 and AT 878707.

100945H: 11th Marines air observer received small arms fire, grid BT 083672.

161500H: K/4/11 amtrack hit a mine, grid AT 838561.

190545H: T/4/11 received four mortar rounds, grid AT 8747.

191900H: 11th Marines air observer received small arms fire, grid BT 090690.

210845H: 3/11 received five 82mm mortar rounds, grid ZC 151541.

211645H: M/4/11 received 1 round small arms fire, grid AT 921797.

212318H: M/4/11 received small arms fire, grid AT 921799.

211805H: 11th Marines received small arms fire, grid AT 9071.

230300H: OP HAWK, grid AT 974703, received 60 mortar rounds and small arms fire.

230310H: G/3/11 received two mortar rounds, grid AT 921795.

230555H: Hq Btry, 11th Marines received one rocket, grid AT 957764.

240200H: 2/11 received 60mm and 82mm mortar rounds and small arms fire at grid AT 867473.

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- 240405H: H/3/11 received 20 rounds of 60mm mortars, grid AT 963609.
- 251945H: 4/11 received seven mortar rounds, grid AT 8747.
- 252020H: E/2/11 received nine 60mm mortar rounds, grid AT 877474.
- 252045H: 3/11 received small arms fire, grid AT 963630.
- 261355H: H/3/11 truck detonated a mine, grid AT 922523.
- 270120H: W/2/11 received one 81mm mortar round, grid AT 877478. Round was WP.
- 261845H: 11th Marines air observer received small arms fire, grid AT 976674.
- 271940H: A/1/11 received ten mortar rounds, grid BT 070656.
- 281820H: K/4/11 received small arms fire, grid AT 908502.
- 281900H: E/2/11 received ten rounds 82mm mortars, grid AT 876471.
- 282305H: K/4/11 received two 82mm mortar rounds, grid AT 883579.
- 290130H: G/3/11 received eight mortar rounds, grid AT 921729.
- 290135H: 11th Marines OR received mortar rounds, grid AT 891823.
- 291440H: 11th Marines air observer received small arms fire, grid AT 964667.
- 311800H: 11th Marines air observer received heavy small arms fire, grid AT 963673.

3. Organization and Operations. Units of the Regiment participated in five (5) operations in the Danang area during the month of August 1968. These were:

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- a. Operation HOUSTON, 1-31 Aug 1968. (APPENDIX 2 to ANNEX (C))
- b. Operation MAMELUKE THRUST, 1-31 Aug 1968. (APPENDIX 3 to ANNEX (C))
- c. Operation ALLENBROOK, 1-24 Aug 1968. (APPENDIX 4 to ANNEX (C))
- d. Operation SUSSEX BAY, 29-31 Aug 1968. (APPENDIX 5 to ANNEX (C))
- e. Operation DODGE VALLEY, 12-16 Aug 1968. (APPENDIX 6 to ANNEX (C))

#### 4. Training

a. Forward observer training of non-artillery personnel was again conducted this month. Recipients of this training were personnel from the 2nd Combined Action Group, 1st Reconnaissance Battalion and the Division Scout Sniper School. A total of 139 students received two hours of classroom instruction and from four to six hours of practical application.

b. Four officers and twenty-four enlisted Marines attended in-country Division level schools and five officers and twelve enlisted Marines attended schools out of country.

c. The 11th Marine Regiment continued to conduct an ARVN Section Chief Training Program. ARVN NCO's are being provided on-the-job training to qualify them as 105mm/155mm (towed) section chiefs.

#### 5. Logistics

During the reporting period, the Regiment used seventy-one M52 tractor trailers from Division to transport 852 tons of ammunition in support of the 11th Marines operation commitments. Seven low beds were used from Division for movement of tractors within the Regiment.

On 24 August 1968 the 1st Battalion, 11th Marines relocated from Cau Viet to Danang with no major logistical problems.

Other logistical problems occurring during the month were minor and assistance rendered where appropriate.

#### 6. Civic Action Report for Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines

MedCaps and emergency medical aid were offered in the hamlet of Da Son (AT 960765), Hoa Khanh (V), Hoa Vang (D), Quang Nam (P). Emergency medical care is maintained on an On-Call status. MedCaps are provided six times a week. Approximately 1,452 Vietnamese civilians were treated at the MedCap unit. A total of 25 civilians were treated by the dentist.

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Further remodelling of the MedCap unit has been undertaken to improve the working condition and the appearance of the building. It is estimated that 90% of the work has been completed. A completion date is expected within the next week.

MedCap and Civic Action supplies were requisitioned from III MAF. Medical supplies for MedCap, and assorted bath soap for the hygienic program were requisitioned for their dispensary. Soap is distributed out to the people through the MedCap unit.

The hamlet chief requested some school supplies for the school children in Da Son. 3,000 school kits were requisitioned for the Da Son School. Each student will receive one school kit when the regular school session begins. Sewing kits, Vietnamese flags and two physical educational kits were requisitioned for the Civic Action Program.

One large bath tub has been constructed and placed in the MedCap dispensary. The hamlet chief is now interested in building a brick fence in front of the school, meeting house and MedCap unit. This project has been undertaken and approximately 90% of the project has been completed.

The 3AA Platoon, 29th Civil Affairs Company provided a male pig for breeding purposes in the hamlet of Da Son. Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines messhall will provide food waste to assist the pig project.

#### 7. Air Observation

The 11th Marines air observation section flew 277 missions for a total of 551.3 hours. The unit was supported by aircraft from HML-167 and VMO-2, MAG-16, USMC, based at Marble Mountain Air Facility and the 2/20th Aviation Company, USA, based at Phu Bai. The unit also had light observation helicopters attached from the 11th Infantry Brigade, 198th Infantry Brigade, 196th Infantry Brigade and Americal Division Artillery, USA.

Missions flown in support of the 11th Marine Regiment were:

Artillery Registrations	20
Rocket Belt Reconnaissance	217

Missions flown in support of other 1st Marine Division units were:

Air strikes	21
Artillery missions	76

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The unit provided two AO's for 15 days TAD with "A" Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry, 1st Air Cavalry Division and one AO for 45 days TAD with the 1st Marine Air Wing.

The unit encountered twenty ground fire incidents with seven aircraft taking hits. Six of the seven aircraft hit were USA.

#### 8. Northern Sector Defense Command

Northern Sector Defense Command is a rear area defense organization commanded by the Commanding Officer, 11th Marines. During the month of August, Condition 4 was set 12 times, Condition 3 was set 1 time, Condition 3 Modified was set 13 times and Condition 2 was set 5 times.

There were no detainees reported during the month. There were 321 night time patrols and 133 day time patrols in the Northern Sector Defense Command.

There were 39 incidents of contact with the enemy within the Northern Sector Defense Command resulting in 5 USMC KIA, 28 USMC WIA, 2 USA WIA and 3 VN WIA, 1 which died later.

#### 9. Psychological Operations

During the month of August, the 11th Marines performed the following PSYOPS in the Danang Rear Area:

Distribution of leaflets;

Health - 6,540

Reward - 4,715

Movies;

6½ hours of entertainment movies were shown. Attendance was about 725 people. Entertainment and propaganda tapes were played before each movie held in Da Son hamlet.

#### 10. Surveillances

VC/NVA KIA	655	Bunkers destroyed	7
POW	6	Secondary explosions	122
Structures destroyed	139	Sampans destroyed	8
Structures damaged	5	Buildings destroyed	4
Villages destroyed	1	Machine Guns destroyed	2
Bridge destroyed	1	Trenchline destroyed	50 meters

NOTE: 1st Battalion, 11th Marines are not included in surveillance count as they were OPCON to 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division.

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11. Monthly Ammunition Expenditures

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>105mm</u>	<u>107mm</u>	<u>155mmH</u>	<u>155mmG</u>	<u>8"How</u>	<u>175mmG</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1st FAG	0	0	3,956	2,822	544	0	7,322
27th Marines	17,600	1,875	1,285	2	0	0	20,762
7th Marines	50,139	0	3,444	39	20	0	53,642
11th Marines	2,075	478	10,397	2,380	2,864	2,837	21,031
Recon	500	289	3,595	267	13	21	4,685
ARVN	3,714	400	100	0	0	0	4,214
Army	40	0	284	0	0	0	324
Operations:							
HOUSTON	16,769	4,503	3,550	0	110	0	24,932
MAMELUKE THRUST	31,201	7,083	431	0	48	0	38,763
ALLENBROOK	3,158	508	129	18	0	0	3,813
SUSSEX BAY	848	0	0	0	0	0	848
TOTAL	126,044	15,136	27,171	5,528	3,599	2,858	180,336

MISSIONS: 34,860

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN	
IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
			011620	1 Enl 1/11 med-evac 310644 Jul68		
			011630	Drop Off-0 Enl-3 Join Off-2 Enl-14		
			021246	1 Enl E/2/11 WIA 31Jul68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd right forearm fr en mort fire while on patrol.		
			021324	1 Enl E/2/11 KIA 31Jul68 Aprx 1445 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wds face, head, neck, right shoulder, right hand and right arm with fx right humerus fr en mort fire while on patrol.		
			021620	1 Enl 3/11 med-evac 291248 Jul68		
			021630	Drop Off-4 Enl-20 Join Off-0 Enl-42		
			031620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 300527 Jul68		
			031630	Drop Off-0 Enl-1 Join Off-1 Enl-5		
			041620	1 Enl 1/11 med-evac 031142 Aug68		
			041630	Drop Off-3 Enl-7 Join Off-0 Enl-0		
			051620	1 Enl 1/11 med-evac 041204 Aug68		
				1 Enl 3/11 med-evac 030829 Aug68		
				1 Enl HqBtry med-evac 041205 Aug68		
			051630	Drop Off-1 Enl-4 Join Off-1 Enl-1		
			060802	1 Enl E/2/11 KIA 3Aug68 Aprx 1730 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd massive tissue damage left arm, lower left back and leg, both butts and left ankle when he sat on mine while on patrol.		
			061308	1 Enl I/3/11 WIA 5Jul68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd superficial frag wd head fr en surprise firing device while on patrol. 1 Enl M/4/11 WIA 2Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd laceration right arm when vehicle he was riding in detonated en mine while on convoy.		
			061630	Drop Off-0 Enl-4 Join Off-0 Enl-5		
			071630	Drop Off-3 Enl-8 Join Off-0 Enl-2		
			081630	Drop Off-0 Enl-8 Join Off-0 Enl-3		
			091620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 071207 Aug68		
			091630	Drop Off-4 Enl-14 Join Off-2 Enl-4		
			101358	1 Enl A/1/11 WIA 11Jul68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wds both butts fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
			101359	1 Enl D/2/11 5Aug68 Aprx 2215 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd GSW left leg when he walked into tent and was mistaken for en by another marine.		
			101630	Drop Off-2 Enl-8 Join Off-1 Enl-20		
			111620	1 Enl 1stArmdAmphibCo med-evac 100933 Aug68		
			111630	Drop Off-1 Enl-11 Join Off-1 Enl-6		
			121400	1 Enl G/3/11 Rec'd frag wds both lobes of liver 11Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. fr fr bomb acci in C. P. area.		

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			121630	Drop Off-0 Enl-1 Join Off-1 Enl-2		
			131530	Drop Off-1 Enl-6 Join Off-1 Enl-3		
			141630	Drop Off-1 Enl-6 Join Off-0 Enl-0		
			151231	1 Enl 3d155mmGunBtry WIANE 1Mar68 Aprx 0130 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd superficial frag wd palm of left hand and laceration right forearm fr en mort fire while in def posit. 1 Enl 3d155mmGunBtry WIANE 24Jun68 Aprx 0415 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd superficial frag wd lower right leg fr en arty fire while in def posit.		
			151620	3 Enl 3/11 med-evac 130913 Aug68		
			151630	Drop Off-0 Enl-6 Join Off-1 Enl-9		
			152331	1 Enl HqBtry med-evac 152331 Aug68		
			161630	Drop Off-2 Enl-14 Join Off-8 Enl-9		
			171630	Drop Off-1 Enl-3 Join Off-0 Enl-15		
			181043	1 Enl 1stArmdAmphibCo med-evac 181043 Aug68		
			181620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 161114 Aug68 1 Enl HqBtry WIANE Loc Phu Loc. Rec'd frag wds fr grenade when C.P. was overrun. 1 Enl 1/11 med-evac 161118 Aug68		
			181630	Drop Off-1 Enl-8 Join Off-0 Enl-33		
			191407	1 Enl 1stFAG WIANE 18Aug68 Loc Thua Thien, RVN. Rec'd superficial frag wd left arm fr en mort fire while in def posit. 1 Enl HqBtry WIANE 18Aug68 Loc Thua Thien, RVN. Rec'd superficial frag wds left butt and left thigh fr en grenade while in C. P.		
			191630	Drop Off-0 Enl-0 Join Off-7 Enl-0		
			201630	Drop Off-0 Enl-7 Join Off-1 Enl-5		
			210833	1 Enl 1stFAG WIA 18Aug68 Aprx 0215 Loc Thua Thien, RVN. Rec'd frag wds both arms, both legs, abdomen, and chest fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
			210956	1 Enl HqBtry med-evac 210900 Aug68		
			211304	1 Enl 1stFAG KIA 18Aug68 Aprx 0215 Loc Thua Thien, RVN. Rec'd frag wd head fr en mort fire and GSW right side chest and right arm fr en rfl fire while in def posit.		
			211305	1 Enl 1stFAG KIA 18Aug68 Aprx 0215 Loc Thua Thien, RVN. Rec'd GSW thru and thru right side head and exit left side head fr en rfl fire and frag wds lower left leg and left foot fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
			211620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 201011 Aug68		
			211630	Drop Off-0 Enl-0 Join Off-1 Enl-0		

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IN	OUT				
			221620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 211235 Aug68	
				1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 201027 Aug68	
				1 Enl 3/11 med-evac 211008 Aug68	
			221630	Drop Off-1 Enl-1 Join Off-2 Enl-17	
			231620	1 Enl HqBtry med-evac 210956 Aug68	
				1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 220401 Aug68	
			231630	Drop Off-1 Enl-6 Join Off-2 Enl-30	
			241401	1 Enl USN M/4/11 WIA 23Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd right arm fr en mort fire while in def posit.	
			241404	1 Enl 1stArmdAmphibCo KIA 23Aug68 Aprx 0300 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd GSW anterior head exit posterior head fr en rfl fire while in def posit.	
			241620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 230936 Aug68	
				1 Enl 1/11 med-evac 230943 Aug68	
			241630	Drop Off-2 Enl-9 Join Off-0 Enl-17	
			250640	1 Enl M/4/11 WIA 23 Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd left arm fr en mort fire while in def posit.	
				1 Enl M/4/11 WIANE 23Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd left forearm fr en mort fire while in def posit.	
				1 Enl M/4/11 WIANE 23Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd right thigh fr en mort fire while in def posit.	
				1 Off M/4/11 WIA 23Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wds right arm and left ankle fr en mort fire while in def posit.	
				1 Enl 2/13 WIA 22Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd right leg with compound fx right tibia fr en mort fire while in def posit.	
			250942	1 Enl HqBtry med-evac 250900 Aug68	
			251620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 241034 Aug68	
				1 Enl 3/11 med-evac 241040 Aug68	
			251630	Drop Off-0 Enl-8 Join Off-4 Enl-0	
			261337	1 Enl 1/11 Rec'd 2nd and 3rd degree burns forehead and neck 22Aug68 Aprx 1045 Loc Quang Tri, RVN when powder charge prematurely detonated while in def posit.	
			261339	1 Enl E/2/13 23Aug68 Aprx 1750 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd traumatic amputation index finger right hand when he picked up M52 fuze hitting it on sand bag causing it to expl.	
			261552	1 Enl 3d8" HowBtry med-evac 261552 Aug68	

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
			261620	2 Enl B/1/12 med-evac 241556 Aug68		
				3 Enl 1/11 med-evac 241042 Aug68		
			261630	Drop Off-0 Enl-13 Join Off-1 Enl-25		
			270027	1 Enl M/4/11 WIA 25Aug68 Rec'd frag wd left forearm		
				1 Enl 3d8 "HowBtry hosp 25Aug68 for laceration right hand, non-hostile		
			271620	2 Enl 2/13 med-evac 250942 Aug68		
				1 Enl HqBtry med-evac 250942 Aug68		
			271630	Drop Off-0 Enl-10 Join Off-0 Enl-23		
			281046	2 Enl W/1/11 22Aug68 Aprx 1045 Loc Quang Tri, RVN. Rec'd 2nd and 3rd degree burns both hands fr premature detonation of powder charge while in def posit.		
			281620	1 Enl 2/11 med-evac 250930 Aug68		
			281630	Drop Off-1 Enl-17 Join Off-1 Enl-48		
			291630	Drop Off-0 Enl-6 Join Off-1 Enl-2		
			301210	1 Enl W/2/11 WIA 27 Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd 2nd degree burns left hand fr WP round while on patrol.		
				1 Enl B/1/12 WIA 26Aug68 Loc Quang Tri, RVN. Rec'd superficial frag wd chest fr en rocket fire wh while in def posit.		
			301630	Drop Off-2 Enl-26 Join Off-2 Enl-13		
			311440	1 Enl 3d8 "HowBtry WIA 29Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wds stomach and both butts fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
				1 Enl 3d8 "HowBtry WIA 29Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd left hand fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
			311452	1 Enl K/4/11 WIA 30Aug68 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd laceration of innominate vein fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
			311453	1 Enl K/4/11 WIA 30Aug68 Aprx 1930 Loc Quang Nam, RVN. Rec'd frag wd head fr en mort fire while in def posit.		
			311630	Drop Off-2 Enl-12 Join Off-2 Enl-44		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
011215H		J-1	011215H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
011317H		J-2	011145H	K/4/11 spt rpt		
020900H		J-3	020900H	11TH Mar Intsum 214-68		
021850H		J-4	021420H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
022040H		J-5	021830H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
030925H		J-6	030925H	11TH Mar Intsum 215-68		
041000H		J-7	041000H	11TH Mar Intsum 216-68		
051025H		J-8	051025H	11TH Mar Intsum 217-68		
060245H		J-9	066125H	T/4/11 spt rpt		
060	060945H	J-10	060945H	11TH Mar Intsum 218-68		
061530H		J-11	061530H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
070745H		J-12	070745H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
070900H		J-13	070900H	11TH Mar Intsum 219-68		
081050H		J-14	081050H	11TH Mar Intsum 220-68		
091045H		J-15	091045H	11TH Mar Intsum 221-68		
100955H		J-16	100955H	11TH Mar Intsum 222-68		
101230H		J-17	100700H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
101230H		J-18	100730H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
101230H		J-19	100945H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
110900H		J-20	110900H	11TH Mar Intsum 223-68		
120945H		J-21	120945H	11TH Mar Intsum 224-68		
130928H		J-22	130928H	11TH Mar Intsum 225-68		
132110H		J-23	132110H	FAG spt rpt		
140830H		J-24	140830H	11TH Mar Intsum 226-68		
140915H		J-25	140800H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
141510H		J-26	141335H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
151010H		J-27	151010H	11TH Mar Intsum 227-68		
151830H		J-28	151830H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
161020H		J-29	161020H	11TH Mar Intsum 228-68		
161530H		J-30	161500H	K/4/11 spt rpt		
170915H		J-31	170915H	11TH Mar Intsum 229-68		
180430H		J-32	180215H	W/1/13 spt rpt		
181015H		J-33	181015H	11TH Mar Intsum 230-68		
190620H		J-34	190545H	T/4/11 spt rpt		
190930H		J-35	190930H	11TH Mar Intsum 231-68		
191900H		J-36	191900H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
200945H		J-37	200945H	11TH Mar Intsum 232-68		
210335H		J-38	202110H	OP 6 spt rpt		
210900H		J-39	210900H	11TH Mar Intsum 233-68		
210850H		J-40	210845H	3/11 spt rpt		
211740H		J-41	211645H	4/11 spt rpt		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
212550H		J-42	212318H	M/4/11 M/4/11 spt rpt		
202315H		J-43	202050H	1/13 spt rpt (late)		
211900H		J-44	211850H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
220900H		J-45	220900H	11TH Mar Intsum 234-68		
230300H		J-46	230400H	OP spt rpt		
230116H		J-47	230310H	C/3/11 spt rpt		
230130H		J-48	230330H	1/13 spt rpt		
230830H		J-49	230555H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
230635H		J-50	230555H	MT spt rpt		
230725H		J-51	230600H	SP spt rpt		
230730H		J-52	230620H	Recgn spt rpt		
230720H		J-53	230620H	Sec Flt spt rpt		
231355H		J-54	231355H	11TH Mar Intsum 235-68		
230950H		J-55	232335H	8" spt rpt		
231755H		J-56	232335H	FAO spt rpt		
240203H		J-57	240200H	2/11 spt rpt		
240225H		J-58	240200H	2/13 spt rpt		
240345H		J-59	240245H	Sec Flt spt rpt		
240450H		J-60	240405H	3/11 spt rpt		
240910H		J-61	240910H	11TH MAR Intsum 236-68		
241130H		J-62	241020H	Alfa spt rpt		
241655H		J-63	241646H	2/13 spt rpt		
242115H		J-64	242145H	2/13 spt rpt		
250225H		J-65	250155H	Cap 2-7-4 spt rpt		
251315H		J-66	251315H	11TH Mar Intsum 237-68		
252400H		J-67	251945H	4/11 spt rpt		
252040H		J-68	252020H	3/11 spt rpt		
252125H		J-69	252045H	3/11 spt rpt		
260825H		J-70	260825H	11TH Mar Intsum 238-68		
261325H		J-71	261355H	H/3/11 spt rpt		
262000H		J-72	261845H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
270210H		J-73	270120H	W/2/11 spt rpt		
270535H		J-74	270455H	FSR spt rpt		
270510H		J-75	270500H	Sp spt rpt		
271700H		J-76	271700H	11TH Mar Intsum 239-68		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
271940H		J-77	271940H	A/1/11 spt rpt		
	281035H	J-78	281035H	11TH Mar Intsum 240-68		
261000H		J-79	261000H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
271330H		J-80	271030H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
281440H		J-81	281350H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
28155H		J-82	281820H	E/2/11 spt rpt		
28215H		J-83	281900H	E/2/11 spt rpt		
282100H		J-84	281900H	T/4/11 spt rpt		
282015H		J-85	282005H	1ST BN BN spt rpt		
282248H		J-86	282248H	FLC spt rpt		
282355H		J-87	282305H	K/4/11 spt rpt		
290300H		J-88	290125H	8" spt rpt		
290130H		J-89	290130H	C/3/11 spt rpt		
290135H		J-90	290135H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
290305H		J-91	290300H	FLC spt rpt		
	291045H	J-92	291025H	11TH Mar Intsum 241-68		
291525H		J-93	291440H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
	300935H	J-94	300935H	11TH Mar Intsum 242-68		
302045H		J-95	301950H	HQ BN spt rpt		
302045H		J-96	302015H	A/1/11 spt rpt		
31015H	311015H	J-97	311015H	11TH Mar Intsum 243-68		
312000H		J-98	311739H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
312000H		J-99	311800H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
311210H		J-100	311210H	11TH Mar spt rpt		
	011150H	J-101	011150H	11TH Mar Intsum 244-68		

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN	
IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
			011110	Four 155mm How (SP) of Btry K, 4th Bn, 11th Mar displaced fr grid AT 879578 enroute to grid ZC 142530. Arrived in pos at 011515.		
			020900	Two 175mm guns from Btry B, 8th Bn, 4th Arty displaced from grid AT 985719 enroute to grid AT 876575. Arrived in pos at 021020.		
			021600	One 155 How (TD) from Btry A, 1st Bn, 13th Mar displaced from grid YD 929072, enroute to grid ZD 057019. Arrived in pos at 022000.		
			040945	One 155 How (TD) of Prov Btry, 1st Bn, 13th Mar displaced from grid YD 929072 enroute to grid ZD 057019. Arrived in pos at 041030.		
			041015	Three 4.2" mortars of Mort Btry, 1st Bn, 13th Mar displaced from grid ZD 057019 enroute to grid AT 944916. Arrived in pos at 041230.		
			041230	Two LVTH-6's of 1st Plt, 1st Armd. Amphib. Co. displaced from grid AT 997725 enroute to grid AT 960758. Arrived in pos at 041530.		
			051500	Btry E, 2nd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 877479 enroute to grid AT 869360. Arrived in pos at 051830.		
			061300	Mort Btry, 2nd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 864469 enroute to grid AT 877479. Arrived in pos at 061530.		
			120650	Btry C, 1st Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 921799 enroute to grid AT 888775. Arrived in pos at 120940.		
			151350	Btry C, 1st Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 888775 enroute to grid AT 921795. Arrived in pos at 151420.		
			151515	Prov 155 How Btry, 3rd Bn, 12th Mar displaced from grid AT 965618 enroute to grid AT 986714. Arrived in pos at 151615.		
			151515	Two 155 How (TD) chopped from 2nd Bn, 13th Mar displaced from grid BT 012626 enroute to grid AT 990717. Arrived in pos at 151616. Now OPCON to 4th Bn, 11th Mar.		
			160730	Prov 155 How Btry, 12th Mar displaced from grid AT 986714 enroute to Phu Bai. Arrived in pos at 161430.		
			161130	Btry K, 4th Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid ZC 142530 enroute to grid AT 879579. Arrived in pos at 161635.		
			171010	Prov 155 How Btry, 12th Mar displaced from grid YD 885127 enroute to Dong Ha		

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IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
			161000	Btry K, 4th Bn, 13th Mar displaced from grid YD 135643 enroute to grid YD 888127. Arrived in pos at 181313.		
			171315	Mort Btry, 3rd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid BT 033531 enroute to grid BT 001540. Arrived in pos at 171500.		
			181030	Two 155 How (SP) of Btry L, 4th Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid YD 888127 enroute to grid ZD 057019. Arrived in pos at 181330.		
			181330	Btry L (-), 4th Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid YD 888127 enroute to grid AT 986714.		
			190600	Btry L (-), 4th Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 986714 enroute to grid AT 965619. Arrived in pos at 191000.		
			200800	Btry E, 2nd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 869360 enroute to grid AT 877472. Arrived in pos at 201715.		
			201000	Two 105 How of Btry G, 3rd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid ZC 151541 enroute to grid AT 923691. Arrived in pos at 201635.		
			231405	Mort Btry, 3rd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid BT 002542 enroute to grid AT 926525. Arrived in pos at 231715.		
			231515	Btry H, 3rd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 924538 enroute to grid AT 962609. Arrived in pos at 231600.		
			231800	Mort Btry, 1st Bn, 11th Mar displaced from Cua Viet enroute to grid BT 012628. Arrived in pos at 241630.		
			241700	Mort Btry, 3rd Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 926525 enroute to grid AT 976717. Arrived in pos at 241930.		
			241900	Btry A, 1st Bn, 11th Mar displaced from Cua Viet enroute to grid AT 989714. Arrived in pos at 251430.		
			261300	Btry A, 1st Bn, 11th Mar displaced from grid AT 989714 enroute to grid BT 070656. Arrived in pos at 261630.		
			261530	Btry F, 2nd Bn, 13th Mar displaced from grid BT 070656 enroute to grid AT 960758. Arrived in pos at 261630.		
			270800	Two LVTH-6 from 1st Plt, 1st Armd Amphib. Co. displaced from grid AT 960758 to grid AT 997723. Arrived in pos at 271810.		

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1. Operation HOUSTON. A 26th Marine operation supported from 1 to 31 August 1968 by:

Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines  
1st Field Artillery Group  
1st 155mm Gun Battery (SP)  
2nd Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery (SP)  
1st Battalion, 13th Marines  
Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines  
Battery C, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines  
Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines  
Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines

The supporting units expended 24,932 rounds and fired 5,190 missions.

Surveillance: Operation continues.

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2. Operation MAMELUKE THRUST. A 5th and 7th Marine operation supported from 1 to 31 August 1968 by:

Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines  
Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
3rd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (SLF)  
Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (SLF)  
4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines  
1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery (SP)  
Detachment 3rd 155mm Gun Battery (SP)  
Battery B, 8th Battalion, 4th Artillery (SP) (USA)

The supporting units expended 38,763 rounds and fired 3,683 missions.

Surveillance: Operation continues.

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3. Operation ALLENBROOK. A 2nd Bn, 7th Marine operation supported from 1 to 24 August 1968 by:

Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines  
 Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (SLF)  
 Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (SLF)  
 Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines  
 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
 Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
 1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery  
 Detachment 3rd 155mm Gun Battery (SP)  
 Battery B, 8th Battalion, 4th Artillery (SP) (USA)

The supporting units expended 3,813 rounds and fired 343 missions.

Operation ALLENBROOK was terminated on 24 August 1968. The following surveillance was taken from the 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines (SLF) After Action Report;

a. Personnel

1. KIA, NVA:	81
2. KIA, VC:	39
3. Detainees:	32

b. Weapons Captured

1. M-1 rifle:	1
2. AK-47:	1
3. SKS's:	7
4. M-1 carbine:	1
5. M-2 carbine:	1

c. Grenades and Mines Captured/Destroyed

1. 150 lb box mine:	1
2. 40 lb box mines:	3
3. 3 lb box mines:	3
4. ChiCom Grenades:	1
5. Satchel Charges:	6

d. Ammunition Captured (by rounds)

1. SKS rounds:	1200
2. 12mm rocket motors:	3
3. 122mm rocket heads:	1
4. Box .50 Cal ammo (100 rounds)	1
5. 82mm Mortar fuze assemblies:	6

e. Miscellaneous Equipment Captured

1. ChiCom radio:	1
2. Gallons of salted fish:	30
3. Rice:	600 lbs

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 DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS.  
 DOD DIR 5200.10

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APPENDIX 4 to ANNEX (c)  
 OPERATION ALLENBROOK

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4. Potatoes:	625 lbs
5. Peanuts:	100 lbs
6. Corn:	100 lbs
7. Miscellaneous medical gear	
8. Miscellaneous 782 gear	

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APPENDIX 4 to ANNEX (C)  
OPERATION ALLENBROOK

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4. Operation SUSSEX BAY. A 5th Marine operation supported from 29 to 31 August 1968 by:

Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines  
2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery H, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (SLF)  
Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines (SLF)  
4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
Provisional 155 Howitzer Btry, 11th Marines  
1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery  
Detachment 3rd 155mm Gun Battery  
Battery B, 8th Battalion, 4th Artillery (SP) (USA)

The supporting units expended 848 rounds and fired 107 missions.

Surveillance: Operation continues.

For details see ANNEX (G)

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APPENDIX 5 to ANNEX (C)  
OPERATION SUSSEX BAY

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5. Operation DODGE VALLEY. A 3rd Bn, 1st Marines and ARVN operation supported from 12 to 16 August 1968 by:

Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines  
Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines  
Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines  
3rd Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery  
Battery M, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines  
3rd 155mm Gun Battery (-)

The supporting units expended 429 rounds and fired 24 missions.

Surveillance: No reported results.

For details see ANNEX (I).

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APPENDIX 6 to ANNEX (C)  
OPERATION DODGE VALLEY

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DAILY SITREPS

1 to 31 August 1968

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APPENDIX 7 to ANNEX (C)  
DAILY SITREPS

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FROM: 11TH MARINES

TO: FIELD MARSH

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SUBJ: SITREP # 214 From 040001H to 012000H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights (LATE EVENING)

a. At 301700H, Provisional 955 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 4 VC, grid AT 898495. Observed by Recon Team (ALBROOK).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 301900H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 2 VC in the open, grid AT 883678. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 302050H, Battery K, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on VC weapons at grid AT 897906. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 9th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA.

d. At 302050H, Provisional 955 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on VC lights, grid AT 997475 and BT 004882. Observed by Recon Team (PADILLA BOAT).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

e. At 302050H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on a VC movement, grid AT 914649. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

f. At 011245H, Provisional 955 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 4 VC in a hut, grid AT 998679. Observed by Recon Team (PADILLA BOAT).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

## (ARTILLERY MOVE)

a. At 011110H, four 155mm howitzers (3P) of Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 879978 enroute to grid ZC 142550. Arrived in position at 011945H.

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2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Summarization of Missions

17th Marines	<del>10</del> 58
1st XRAY	<del>25</del> 57
7th Marines	<del>77</del> 616
11th Marines	<del>105</del> 251
1st Gen	<del>24</del> 18
AFM	5
Opn HOUSTON	<del>120</del> 140
Opn NAMELUNE THURST	<del>6</del> 88
Opn ALL-THROCK	<del>1</del> 5
Total	<del>1070</del> 1238

5. Daily Surveillance

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FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES

TO: FIRST MARI DIV

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SUBJ: STREET &amp; RV From 060000Z to 022400Z August 1968.

## 1. Background

a. At 060000Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-GRABBER mission on VC movement at grid AT 914447. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (LATE EVENING)

a. At 011300Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC in the open, grid AT 899902. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

b. At 011755Z, Battery E(Y), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIREGRABBER mission on 30 VC in the open, grid AT 872520. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 011807Z, Battery E(Y), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-GRABBER mission on 4 VC, grid AT 860777. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 011925Z, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC in the open, grid AT 872515. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

## (ARTILLERY MOVE)

a. At 020900Z, two 175mm Guns from Battery B, 6th Battalion, 4th Artillery displaced from grid AT 909719 enroute to grid AT 876575. Arrived in position at 021000Z.

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2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Registration of Missiles

~~7th~~ 87th Marines

43 47

19 REGT

26 55

7th Marines

665 679

11th Marines

197 264

2d BN

2 10

ARVN

5 7

4th BATTALION

33 109

4th BATTALION THUST

31 105

4th BATTALION

2 10

Total

1128 1286

5. Artillery Operations

WV KIA

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**CONFIDENTIAL****FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES****TO: FIRST MARDET****RELEASED BY \_\_\_\_\_****SUBJ: SITREP # 216 From 030001H to 032400H August 1968.****1. Highlights**

a. At 030630H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 5 NVA, grid AT 008475. Observed by Recon Team (MENDING RING).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 031105H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on two platoons of VC at grid BT 034603. Observed by an observer from the 59th ARVN.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

**(DATE ENTRIES)**

a. At 021200H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC firing at aircraft, grid AT 842809. Observed by Marine Air Observer, (OFFSPRING 61).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 2 KIA.

b. At 021535H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on VC in rice paddy, grid AT 842834. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 021605H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 4 VC, grid AT 990474. Observed by Recon Team (ALA KING).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 1 KIA.

d. At 021740H, Battery H(I), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 23 VC/NVA troops, grid AT 844533. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

e. At 022030H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 9 NVA, grid BT 032671. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

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2. At 021500H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 1st Marines fired a PUNISHMENT mission on 3 W, grid AT 820479. Observed by Recon Team (MISSING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

(ARTILLERY MOVE) - LATE

a. At 021600H, one 155 howitzer from Battery A, 1st Battalion, 15th Marines displaced from grid TP 929072, enroute to grid XD 057073. Arrived in position at 022000H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Examination of Missions

27th Marines	3 16
TP IRAT	36 30
7th Marines	42 475
11th Marines	73 197
Recon	10 26
ARW	3 10
Opn BOUNTON	135 130
Opn HAMBURGH THRUST	7 98
Opn AILSHROCK	7 12
Total	781 994

5. Daily Surveillance

10 KIA

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FROM: MARINE BATTALIES

TO: FIRST BATTAL

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SUBJ: BATTAL # 217 From 040001H to 043000H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 041100H, Provisional 155 Reptone Battery, 11th Marines fired a mission on 2 W, grid AT 011523. Observed by Recon Team (ROCK RAY).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 041150H, Provisional 155 Reptone Battery, 11th Marines fired on 13 W, grid AT 701556. Observed by Recon Team (BIGHT SHADE).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 041440H, Battery K(X), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 W, grid AT 909530. Observed by Marine Air Observer (CHOPPING 63).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 041750H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 4 W with machine guns, grid 2C 191540. Observed by an observer with the U.S. Army.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA; 1 captured .50 caliber machine gun.

## (LATE EVENING)

a. At 051440H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 W in line, grid AT 044304. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 051950H, Battery K(X), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIREBOMBER mission on 27 EVA, grid AT 000477. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 19 KIA.

## (ARTILLERY MOVEMENT)

a. At 040940H, one 155 Reptone (TD) of 1st Provisional Battery, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid TD 909012 enroute to grid TD 059019. Arrived in position at 041000H.

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b. At 041015Z, three 4.2" mortars of Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines displaced from grid ED 057019 enroute to grid AF 944916. Arrived in position at 041230Z.

c. At 041230Z, two LVTN-6 of 1st Flatoon, 1st Assault Amphibian Company displaced from grid AF 997723 enroute to grid AF 960730. Arrived in position at 041930Z.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations See attached forms.

4. Reclassification of Missions

Army  
27th Marines

3 / 45

1st AF

7 / 33

7th Marines

49 / 449

11th Marines

105 / 223

Recon

4 / 29

AFW

1

Cpt HUGHES

121 / 137

Cpt MARSHALL THURST

7 / 104

Cpt ARLANDER

4 / 3

Total

205 / 1077

5. Radio Surveillance

VC KIA

24

3rd Co. 1st Bn captured

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FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES

TO: FIRST MARINE

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SUBJ: SITREP # 218 From 070000H to 072400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 071000H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREBOMBING mission on 7 VC in hut, grid AT 823475. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 7 KIA.

b. At 071100H Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREBOMBING mission on 3 VC, grid AT 855755. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 071200H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREBOMBING mission on 17 VC, grid AT 811479. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 15 KIA.

d. At 071500H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AT 810478. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

## 4. Reconciliation of Missions

a. 27th Marines	4651 0pm BOWEN	144
b. 7th Marines	496 0pm MANLYKE THURST	134
c. 17 XRAY	75 0pm ALLANBROOK	23
d. 11th Marines	220 Total	1209
e. Recon	136	

## 5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA

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FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES

TO: FIRST MARINE

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SUBJ: SIREP # 119 From 060000Z to 062400Z August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 060445Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 2 NVA squads at grid AT 79318. Observed by an observer with the U.S. Army.  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

b. At 061150Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREHOLSTER mission on 7 NVA, grid 26 24400. Observed by Recon Team (VEDDING KING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

c. At 061400Z, Battery C, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 20 NVA, grid AT 840600. Observed by Marine Air Observer (OFFSPRING 66).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (LATE EVENING)

d. At 071600Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREHOLSTER mission on 5 VC, grid AT 900477. Observed by Recon Team (ALA KING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

e. At 071750Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AT 844300. Observed by Recon Team (BLACK MAT).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

f. At 072050Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 2 VC, grid BT 014673. Observed by Recon Team (ALA KING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

g. At 072400Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 13 VC, grid AT 810470. Observed by Recon Team (VEDDING KING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

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(ARTILLERY NEWS) - LASH

1. At 0945H, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 877475 enroute to grid AT 889360. Arrived in position at 1100H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Reconciliation of Figures

11th Marines	<del>31</del> 42
1st MAI	<del>22</del> 54
7th Marines	<del>543</del> 565
11th Marines	<del>110</del> 229
Recon	<del>9</del> 32
AFW	1
Cpl BOUSTON	<del>87</del> 93
Cpl MARQUESS TERRY	<del>5</del> 148
Cpl ALLENBROOK	0
Total	<del>571</del> 1166

Daily Surveillance

VO KIA

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a. At 070000H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 5 NVA, grid AT 811470. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

b. At 071500H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 5 VC, grid AT 811470. Observed by an air observer (OFFSHORE 66).  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA, 1 structure destroyed.

c. At 071900H, Battery X, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC in the open, grid 2C 043633. Observed by an observer with the Army.  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA.

**(LATE EVENING)**

a. At 061400H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marines fired on 20 VC, grid AT 877479. Observed by an air observer (OFFSHORE 66).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 061500H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC with packs, grid AT 811470. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

**(ARTILLERY MOVES) - LATE**

a. At 061900H, Howitzer Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 064403 enroute to grid AT 077479. Arrived in position at 061500H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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17th Marines	<del>34</del> 40
1st MAI	<del>36</del> 74
7th Marines	<del>435</del> 448
11th Marines	<del>395</del> 351
Marine	<del>42</del> 21
Army	<del>2</del> 4
Ops HONOLULU	<del>31</del> 97
Ops MANITOBA THIRST	<del>115</del> 139
Ops ALLENBROOK	0
Total	<del>1049</del> 1174

**5. Radio Surveillance**

WV KXA	<del>15</del>
Structure destroyed	1

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TO: FIRST MARDIV

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SUBJ: SHARP # 821 From 080004H to 082400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 081200H, Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 15th Marines fired on VC movement, grid XC 019995. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 15th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

(LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 071400H, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 15 VC, grid AT 090903. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 5th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 071700H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 11 VC, grid AT 082647. Observed by Recon Team (WEDDING RING).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

## 4. Ammunition of Missions

a. 27th Marines	ST 42	a. Ops EODSTON	104/128
b. 2nd IRAY	ST 56	a. Ops MANELUXE THRUST	ST 101
c. 7th Marines	ST 127	a. Ops ALLENBROOK	0
d. 11th Marines	ST 204	1. Total	ST 673
e. Recon	ST 15		

## 5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA

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SUBJ: SUMMARY of 212 From 090001H to 092400H August 1968.

1. Availability - None

2. Weather had no adverse affect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.4. Accountability of Missions

27th Marines	5 46
TF 212	24 53
7th Marines	337 347
11th Marines	297 337
Recon	6 9
Assy	2
Arvn.	1
Opn BOUTON	21 85
Opn NAMELUKE THRUET	118 197
Opn ALLENBROOK	0
Total	888 1077

5. Daily Surveillance - No surveillances reported.COPY    OF    COPIES

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SUBJ: HITLER # 223 From 100000H to 102000H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 100045H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC firing at aircraft, grid AT 793470. Observed by Air Observer (OFFENSE 64).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

b. At 101100H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREHACKER mission on VC movement, grid AT 997996. Observed by Observation Post LAUM.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 101510H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on an NVA Company in a fortified village, grid ID 974104. Observed by an Army air observer.  
SURVEILLANCE: 30 meters trenchline destroyed; 1 bridge destroyed; 5 fortified bunkers destroyed and 2 secondary explosions.

## (LATE EVENING)

a. At 092010H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREHACKER mission on VC boats, grid AT 805542. Observed by Recon Team (NIGHT SCOUTER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 boat destroyed.

b. At 092115H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREHACKER mission on VC boats, grid AT 805539. Observed by Recon team (NIGHT SCOUTER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA; 1 engine destroyed.

c. At 092120H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on several VC, grid BT 026614. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

d. At 092130H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on troop concentration, grid BT 070609. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 17th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

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a. At 0645H, Provisional 195 Marine Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on VC lights, grid AT 805539. Observed by Scout Team (NIGHT SCOUTS).  
 SURVEILLANCE: Scouts on target, no observed casualties.

b. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Quantification of Missions

27th Marines	2 45
27 TRAY	2 43
7th Marines	20 572
11th Marines	34 386
Scout	2 10
Cpl HOUSSIE	27 160
Cpl HANLUKE THURST	29 98
Cpl ALLINBROOK	0
Total	147 1314

5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA	8
Trenches destroyed	30 meters
Bridge destroyed	1
Houses destroyed	5
Secondary explosions	2
Boats destroyed	2

6. FO school was held for 12 members of the Division Scout Sniper unit. Battery B, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired 6 missions for the school.

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FROM: ELEVENTH MARINE

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SUBJ: HYTERP # 224 From 110001H to 112400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 110920H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a flank suppression mission for an air observer (OFFSPRING 66) at grid AT 889513. SURVEILLANCE: 4 buildings destroyed.

b. 110930H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a flank suppression mission for an air observer (OFFSPRING 66) at grid AT 889517. SURVEILLANCE: 2 structures destroyed; one sampson destroyed.

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 101200H, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 7 NVA, grid XB 990003. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 26th Marines. SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 101607H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 4 VC, grid HQ 064577. Observed by Recon Team (MAY FLY). SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 101810H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 3 VC, grid AT 814957. Observed by Recon Team (NIGHT SCHOLAR). SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. ARTILLERY OPERATIONS. See attached forms.

4. Recapitulation of Missions

a. 27th Marines

b. TF IRAY

c. 7th Marines

d. 11th Marines

e. Recon

f. Opa HOUSTON

g. Opa NAMELUKE THRUST

h. Opa ALLENBROOK

i. Total

4754  
61100  
438468  
137289  
13

205  
144  
0  
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a. At 0800Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a mission on VC movement, grid AT 909516. Observed by Recon Team (BRAVE PACER II).  
**SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.**

b. At 0800Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 15th Marines fired on 15 VC in the open, grid TD 003030. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 25th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE: Troops dispersed, no observed casualties.**

c. At 1200Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on VC in a bunker, grid AT 078497. Observed by Recon Team (NIGHT SCHOLAR).  
**SURVEILLANCE: 1 bunker destroyed.**

**(LATE ENTRIES)**

a. At 092014Z, Battery K, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired a mission on VC movement at grid BT 027014. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.**

b. At 111757Z, Battery K(Y), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission for Recon Team taking fire, grid ZC 201514. Observed by Recon Team (NIGHT SCHOLAR).  
**SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.**

c. At 111959Z, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on enemy troops in the open, grid BT 043632. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.**

d. At 111959Z, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on VC crossing river at grid AT 006545. Observed by Recon Team (NIGHT SCHOLAR).  
**SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.**

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a. At 112000Z, Provisional 1st Marine Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIREBOMBING mission on VC at grid AT 991479. Observed by Recon Team (ARVN NAME).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (ARTILLERY NOTE)

a. At 120600Z, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 921779 enroute to grid AT 888775. Arrived in position at 123400Z.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations See attached forms.

4. Summation of Missions

17th Marines	35 41
1st BATT	35 33
7th Marines	427 448
11th Marines	316 381
Recon	5 6
Army	1
Co H HOUSTON	176 181
Co H NAMELORE THROST	176 176
Co H ALLENBROOK	0
ARVN	4
Total	1117 1271

5. Self Surveillance

VC KIA	2
Buildings destroyed	1

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SUBJ: STRESS # 226 from 130000Z to 132400Z August 1968.

## 1. Highlights - (PRIORITY)

a. At 121700Z, Battery A(V), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines and Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marine fired a FUSILLADE mission on 30 to 40 VC, grid at 900600. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

b. At 121800Z, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery A(V), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FUSILLADE mission on several groups of VC, grid at 900600. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 121800Z, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marine fired a FUSILLADE mission on 6 VC, grid at 900600. Observed by Observation Post LAVER.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

d. At 121900Z, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a VC platoon, grid at 900600. Observed by 4th observer.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

e. At 122100Z, Battery C, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FUSILLADE mission on 8 VC, grid at 900600. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Casualties: See attached forms.

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4. Reassignment of Missions

27th Marines

~~45~~ 68

TF KRAY

~~31~~ 49

7th Marines

~~260~~ 287

14th Marines

~~407~~ 480

Recon

~~9~~ 11

Opn HOUSTON

~~151~~ 192

Opn MAMELUKE TREST

~~140~~ 142

Opn ALLENBROOK

~~0~~ 3

Total

~~1043~~ 12325. Daily Surveillance

W3 KIA

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a. At 141515H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 4 VC in the open, grid AT 843335. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 141557H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 5 VC in the open, grid AT 874344. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 141620H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 13 VC crossing river, grid AT 894351. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
 849551  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 3 KIA.

**(LATE ENTRIES)**

a. At 131900H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on several VC, grid AT 854333. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 132407H, Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on 10 VC, grid AT 994326. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 3 KIA.

c. At 132140H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on an active mortar site, grid BT 022601. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

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3. Artillery Operations See attached forms.

4. Reconnaissance of Marines

27th Marines	47 54
17 TRAY	130 79
7th Marines	340 335
11th Marines	377 323
ARVN	5
Rapon	6 12
ARMY	1
Cpt ROBERTSON	34 174
Cpt MANUELIER THURST	135 183
Cpt ALLWRIGHT	0
Total	304 1166

5. Radio Reconnaissance

VO KIA	6
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6. FO school was held for 12 members of the Division Scout Snipers with Battery H, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired 9 missions for the school.

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SUBJ: SITREP # 228 From 150000H to 152400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 190920H, Battery H(Y), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines and Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 15 VC, grid AF 849547. Observed by Recon Team (CAYENNE).  
SURVEILLANCE: 12 KIA.

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 121125H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired a mission on antpers and mortars, grid BT 022602. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

b. At 141530H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marines fired on 4 VC, grid BT 008992. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 3 KIA.

c. At 141630H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on VC movement, grid AF 849553. Observed by Recon Team (CAYENNE).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

d. At 141725H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marines fired on VC in the open, grid BT 044555. Observed by Observation Post LAUGH.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

e. At 142240H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 250 VC/NVA, grid AF 908457. Observed by Recon Team (TRAILER PARK).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

f. At 142330H, Battery G, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 21 VC, grid XD 156030. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 26th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

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## (ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. At 191900H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 885775 enroute to grid AT 921795. Arrived in position at 191430H.

b. At 191915H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 3rd Battalion, 12th Marines displaced from grid AT 965618 enroute to grid AT 986714. Arrived in position at 191615H.

c. At 191515H, two 195 howitzers (towed) <sup>CHOPPED</sup> from 2nd Battalion, 19th Marines displaced from grid BT 012605 enroute to grid AT 990717. Arrived in position at 191615H. *NOW ON CON TO 4TH BN, 11TH MARINES.*

2. Weather had no adverse affect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Recapitulation of Missions

27th Marines

454

1st XRAY

53

7th Marines

201226

11th Marines

424

2d Co

22

Army

3

Cpt HOWSON

102 108

Cpt HANDELSON THROST

176 213

Cpt ALLENBROOK

0

Total

912 1103

5. Artillery Surveillance

1st XRAY

21

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SUBJ: SIREN # 219 From 160000H to 162400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights - (LAST EVENING)

a. At 151645H and again at 151815H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines and Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired at VC going into a village, grids AT 830546, AT 833544 and AT 837545. Observed by Recon Team (GAYNER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

b. At 150005H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-GRACKER mission on 4 machine guns, grids AT 950534 and AT 957525. Observed by Recon Team (TRAILER PARK).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 152020H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-GRACKER mission on VC lights at grids BT 009407 and BT 014495. Observed by Recon Team (TRAILER PARK).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

d. At 152100H, 1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery fired a FIREGRACKER mission on an unknown number of VC carrying mortars and rockets, grid BT 009500. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. At 160730H, Provisional 195 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 966714 enroute to ZEN BAI. Arrived in position at 161430H.

b. At 161130H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid BT 142530 enroute to grid AT 879579. Arrived in position at 161630H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. ARTILLERY OPERATIONS. See attached forms.

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**CONFIDENTIAL****4. Accountability of Marines**

37th Marines	<del>45</del> 53
27-28th 1st FAG	<del>100</del> 165
7th Marines	<del>193</del> 217
11th Marines	<del>245</del> 277
ARVN	1
Recon	<del>4</del> 5
Opr HUSTON	<del>200</del> 232
Opr MARLBOROUGH THROST	<del>244</del> 216
Opr ALLENBROOK	<del>0</del> 42
Total	<del>9046</del> 1208

**5. Daily Casualties**

W KIA	6
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a. At 170300H, and again at 170315H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 to 20 VC, grids AT 793939 and AT 814510. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 5th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 171130H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a mission on 5 VC, grid AT 833544. Observed by Recon Team (CAYENNE).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 3 KIA

c. At 171715H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 3 VC, grid AT 823542. Observed by Recon Team (CAYENNE).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 1 KIA

**(LATE ENTRIES)**

a. At 161630H, Battery E, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 6 VC, grid AT 952931. Observed by Recon Team (TRAILER PARK).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** 2 KIA

b. At 162150H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC probing, grid AT 846532. Observed by Recon Team (RICE KRISPIES).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

**(ARTILLERY MOVE)**

a. At 172010H, Provisional 155 Howitzer Battery, 12th Marines displaced from grid YD 883127 enroute to DONG HA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Casualties: See attached forms.

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4. Reconciliation of Missions

27th Marines	<del>4</del> 49
1st FID	<del>5</del> 53
7th Marines	<del>3</del> 361
11th Marines	<del>299</del> 346
Recon	<del>4</del> 14
Army	1
Arvn.	3
Ops HOUSTON	<del>158</del> 163
Ops HAMELURE THROST	<del>4</del> 73
Ops ALLENBROOK	<del>0</del> 47
Total	<del>307</del> 1110

5. Daily Surveillance

NO KIA	6
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SUBJ: SITREP # 271 From 180000H to 182400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 180955H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on VC, grid YD 911055. Observed by Recon team (BMSK WORK).  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

## (LATE EVENING)

a. At 180815H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired an enemy small arms fire at grid AT 979611. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

b. At 181337H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a prop fire, grid NG 214474. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 5th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

c. At 171817H, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FINDERACKER mission on 4 VC, grid AT 990570. Observed by Observation Post LAUGH.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

d. At 171915H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines and Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired a TOT, grid BT 085984. This was an unobserved mission.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA found by the 51st ARVN at 181600H.

## (ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. UPDATE to SITREP # 270: Grid Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displayed to should be AT 869360 vice AT 869360.

b. At 181000H, Battery E, 4th Battalion, 13th Marines displaced from grid YD 175643 enroute to grid YD 888177. Arrived in position at 181915H.

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c. At 171235H, Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid BT 05752 enroute to grid BT 001540. Arrived in position at 171500H.

d. At 180900H, two 15mm howitzers (SP) of Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid YD 888127 enroute to grid ZD 057019. Arrived in position at 181500H.

e. At 181500H, Battery L (-), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid YD 888127 enroute to grid AT 986714.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations See attached forms

4. Distribution of Marines

27th Marines	475-3
1st FAG	2067
7th Marines	394 418
11th Marines	321 380
RECON	3
Opn HOUSTON	120 131
Opn ALLENBROOK	0
Opn MAELUNE THROST	146 157
Total	1875 1209

5. Daily Surveillance

NO KIA 10

UPDATED SPOT REP

At 180215H, Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines was hit with incoming mortar rounds, followed by an enemy penetration of their battery perimeter. There were (16) DOWNS KIA's, (36) WIA's and (3) MIA's from Headquarters Battery, 11th Marines, (GMR), A/1/26, and Mortar Battery, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines. A sweep of the area by a reactionary platoon revealed (7) enemy KIA's at 180510H.

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SUBJ: SINKING # 232 From 190001H to 192400H August 1968

1. Highlights

a. At 190800H, Provisional 175 Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC, grid AT 967375. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines. SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 191100H, Battery C, 1st Battalion, 17th Marines fired a mission on 30 VC, grid MC 175594. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 26th Marines. SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

c. At 191255H, Battery B, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on an unknown number of VC, grid AT 957718. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines. SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

## (ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. At 190600H, Battery L (-), 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 966714 enroute to grid AT 966129. Arrived in position at 191000H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations: See attached forms

4. Enumeration of Marines

7th Marines	43
1st FAS	109
7th Marines	544
11th Marines	298
Recon	26
Opn 1807TH	280
Opn HANGLUXE THROST	106
Opn ALLIEDROCK	41
Total	1447

5. Daily Surveillance

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VC KIA

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SUBJ: SITREP # 233 From 200000H to 202400H August 1968

1. Artillery

a. At 201200H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC in river, grid AT 849970. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 VC KIA

(LATE AFTERNOON)

a. At 194000H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC, grid AT 869957. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 194800H, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 10 VC in the open, grid AT 969944. Observed by an observer from 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

(ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. At 200800H, Battery K, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 869360 enroute to grid AT 877472. Arrived in position at 201700H.

b. At 204000H, the 103 howitzers of Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 937541 enroute to AT 923691. Arrived in position at 204600H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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**CONFIDENTIAL****4. Registration of Missions**

27th Marines	5160
1st FA	77/66
7th Marines	507 581
11th Marines	177 <del>20</del> 189
Recon	2 6
Cpt HUGHES	251 233
Cpt HANDELKE THURST	428 142
Cpt ALLINGBROOK	53
Total	1226 1336

**5. Daily Surveillance**

VO KIA	2
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a. At 210400N, Mortar Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 11 VC, grid BT 077543. Observed by Mortar Battery Observation Post.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

b. At 210400N, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 15 VC, grid AT 964514. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

**4. Identification of Missions**

5th Marines

45 51

1st F4G

50 90

7th Marines

440 677

11th Marines

194 329

Recon

12

ARVN

2

Opn HOUSTON

161 194

Opn ALLIEDBROOK

80

Opn NAMELUKE THURST

8 7

Total

1275 1442

**5. Daily Surveillance**

3 KIA

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a. At 001200H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a PER-GRABER mission on 3 W, grid AT 040540. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 004400H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a PER-GRABER mission on 4 W, grid AT 040540. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

**(LATE EVENING)**

c. At 211700H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a PER-GRABER mission on 4 W, grid AT 071700. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

d. At 211900H, Marine Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 30 W, grid AT 904700. Observed by Recon Team (BRAND DASHER).  
**SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

**4. Reconciliation of Missions**

27th Marines	55 77
1st PAB	70 119
7th Marines	35 33
11th Marines	55 465
ARMY	1
Recon	2 11
Opn ROUSTON	245 283
Opn MAMELONE THURST	70
Opn ALLANBROOK	343
Total	55 1642

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5. Anti-Surveillance. No surveillance reported.

6. FO School

a. On 22 August an FO School was held for 103 members of 2nd GAG, Battery N, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired 10 missions for the school.

(LATE EVENING)

a. On 21 August an FO School was held for 12 members of the Division Scout Snipers unit. Battery N, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired five missions for the school.

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SUBJ: SITREP # 135 From 230000H to 232400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 230300H, Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on an active mortar site, grid AT 971647. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 7 KIA.

b. At 230500H, two LVN-6's from 1st Platoon, 1st Assault Amphibian Company, located at Hill # 47, fired direct fire at VC in wire, grid AT 873703.  
SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA.

c. At 230300H, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on VC in the open, grid AT 983632. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

d. At 230600H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired a mission on VC contact, grid AT 993834. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 10 KIA.

e. At 230812H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on a VC company, grid AT 983835. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 KIA.

f. At 230900H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on VC movement, grid AT 993544. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

(LATE ENTRY)

g. At 232300H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on several VC, grid AT 815325. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA.

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**CONFIDENTIAL****(ARTILLERY MOVES)**

1. At 2100H, 4th Day, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AF 96558 enroute to grid AF 96209. Arrived in position at 2100H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during this reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

**4. Summation of Hits**

7th Marines	<del>66</del> 87
1st FAG	<del>65</del> 129
7th Marines	<del>336</del> 336
11th Marines	<del>345</del> 381
Recon	<del>15</del> 20
ARW	<del>75</del> 28
Opn HOUSTON	<del>275</del> 219
Opn ALLAMPOON	1
Opn MAGLUE THIN?	<del>65</del> 90
Total	1189 1291

**5. Daily Casualties**

44 KIA

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SUBJ: SUMMER # 137 From 240000H to 242400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights - (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 222130H, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines and Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired on a VC company, grid AT 924030. Mission was unobserved.  
SURVEILLANCE: 20 VC KIA reported to 27th Marines by 1st of the 51st ARVN.

b. At 231430H, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 15 VC, grid BT 019200. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 232115H, 2nd Platoon, 3rd B" Scout Battery fired on 1 VC company in contact, grid ED 404475. Observed by an observer from the 12th ARVN.  
SURVEILLANCE: 10 KIA. 010175

## (LATE ARTILLERY MOVE)

a. At 231400H, Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid BT 009540 enroute to grid AT 926325. Arrived in position at 231730H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations: See attached forms.

4. Registration of Missions

a. 27th Marines	3255	f. ARVN	46
b. 1st F4G	2642	g. Cpt HUSTON	207284
c. 7th Marines	37421	h. Cpt RANGLINE THURST	123
d. 11th Marines	38460	i. Total	1161404
e. None	713		

5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA 38

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SUBJ: SITREP 4 FV3 From 230000H to 232400H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 230000H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 33 VC, grid 20 240305. Observed by Recon Team (RED GRABER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 8 KIA.

b. At 230000H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 35 VC, grid 20 240306. Observed by Recon Team (RED GRABER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 11 KIA.

c. At 230200H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 35 VC, grid 20 240306. Observed by Recon Team (ROCK MAT).  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

d. At 230300H, Battery K, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 4 NVN, grid 20 240305. Observed by Recon Team (RED GRABER).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

e. At 231000H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 25 NVN, grid 20 240305. Observed by Recon Team (ROCK MAT).  
SURVEILLANCE: 6 KIA.

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 232100H, Batteries "D", "F", and Mortar Battery, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a combined FIREBRAINER mission on 2 NVN compounds, grid 20 240305. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 9 KIA.

b. At 240300H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CHARGER mission on a suspected enemy .50 caliber machine gun emplacement, grid 20 240305. Observed by Observation Post LAUNE.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

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## (LATE ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. At 210000H, Harbor Battery, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from OLA VINE concrete to grid AT 949739. Arrived in position at 241500H.

b. At 220000H, Harbor Battery, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 949737 concrete to grid AT 970717. Arrived in position at 241500H.

c. At 230000H, Battery 1, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from OLA VINE concrete to grid AT 909714. Arrived in position at 251400H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting periods.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Accountability of Missiles

27th Marines

46

1st FCB

140

7th Marines

511

11th Marines

322

Bacon

25

AFM

14

Cpt HOUSTON

171

Cpt RANGLER THROST

102

Total

1331

5. Daily Surveillance

W KIA

95

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a. At 260100H, Battery A, 1st Battalion, 13th Marines fired a mission on 30 VC, grid YD 951035. Observed by an observer with 1st Battalion, 26th Marines. **SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 260002H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 40 to 50 VC, grid AT 812588. Observed by Recon Team (ROCK MAT). **SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 260240H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 2 VC platoons on the move, grid AT 993630. Observed by an observer from the ARVN. **SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

**(LATE ENTRIES)**

a. At 251900H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines and Btry I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on VC movement, grid AT 947560. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines. **SURVEILLANCE:** Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 252055H, Batteries E and F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 400 VC moving north, grid BT 012705. This was an unobserved mission called in by PSOC from 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines, no surveillance.

c. At 251950H, 1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines, Batteries D, E, and F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired a mission (FIRECRACKER) on 300 VC, grids BT 026667 and BT 030668. This was an unobserved mission called in by the 51st ARVN, no surveillance.

**(ARTILLERY MOVES)**

a. At 261300H, Btry A, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 989714 enroute to grid BT 070656. Arrived in position at 261630H.

b. At 261530H, Btry F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines displaced from grid BT 070656 enroute to grid AT 940758. Arrived in position at 261630H.

2. Weather had no adverse affect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

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4. Recapitulation of Missions

27th Marines	<del>56</del> 64
1st FAG	<del>26</del> 72
7th Marines	<del>402</del> 445
11th Marines	<del>299</del> 322
Recon	<del>90</del> 104
AKVN	<del>5</del> 9
Opn HOUSTON	<del>176</del> 207
Opn MAMBIKE THRUST	<del>125</del> 140
Total	<del>1179</del> 1363

5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA	0
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SUBJ: SITREP # 240 From 270001H to 272400H August 1968

1. Highlights

a. At 270400H, Batteries D and E, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines and Batteries K and L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines, fired on 125 NVA at grid AT 994605. Observed by an observer with 2nd Battalion, 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties (8 secondary explosions).

b. At 270910H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on a VC bunker, grid AT 889555. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 VC KIA

c. At 271025H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 70 VC, grid AT 875546. Observed by an observer from 4th Battalion, 11th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties

d. At 271200H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 9 VC, grid AT 844598. Observed by Recon Team (SERVICE MAN).  
SURVEILLANCE: 5 VC KIA

## (LATE AFTERNOON)

a. At 261620H, 155 Provisional Battery, 11th Marines and Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 40 VC, grid AT 792583. Observed by Recon Team (RIO GRANDE).  
SURVEILLANCE: 25 VC KIA

b. At 261910H, Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 20 VC, grid AT 948559. Observed by an observer from 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties

c. At 261920H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 20 VC, grid AT 948559. This was an unobserved mission called in by 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines.

d. At 262005H, Batteries F and W (Mortars), 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on suspected VC movement, at grid AT 845436. Observed by Recon Team (AUDITOR)  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties

## (UPDATE)

a. At 231950H, Batteries D, E, and F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired on 300 VC moving North, grid BT 026667. Observed by an observer with the ARVN.  
SURVEILLANCE: 50 VC KIA

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b. At 252235H, Batteries B, E, and F, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines fired a Battalion TOT, grid BT 004668, observed by an observer with 27th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: 56 VC KIA

## (ARTILLERY MOVE)

a. At 270800H, two LVTH-6 from 1st Platoon, 1st Armored Amphibious Company displaced from grid AT 960738 to grid AT 997723. Arrived in position at 271810H.

2. Weather had no adverse affect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Recapitulation of Missions

27th Marines	<del>20</del> 26
1st PAC	<del>35</del> 54
7th Marines	<del>425</del> 444
11th Marines	<del>217</del> 224
Recon	<del>2</del> 8
ARVN	<del>3</del> 7
Opn HOUSTON	<del>76</del> 84
Opn MAMELUKE THRUST	<del>95</del> 116
Total	<del>863</del> 963

5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA	137
Secondary Explosions	8

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## 1. Highlights

a. At 280710H, Battery D, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 3 VC, grid AT 962557. Observed by Cow Poke.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 280715H and 280726H, Batteries E and F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired missions on 150 NVA/VC at grid AT 868499. Observed by OAP unit "TIGER-2".  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 280850H, Battery F, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 20 VC in open, grid AT 852500. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 5th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 271515H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 10 VC in open, grid AT 885746. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 271555H, Battery G, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 10 VC in open, grid AT 878714. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

c. At 271645H, 1st Platoon, 3rd 8" Howitzer Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRECRACKER mission on 15 VC in open, grid AT 875697. Observed by an observer from 1st Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (UP DATE)

a. At 241230H, Battery D and E, 2nd Battalion, 15th Marines fired on 2 VC Companies, grid AT 999662. Observed by an observer from the 51st ARVN.  
SURVEILLANCE: 204 VC KIA.

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## (ARTILLERY MOVES)

a. At 281610H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 13th Marines displaced from grid BT 012626 enroute to grid AT 960758. Arrived in position at 281730H.

b. At 271000H, Battery B, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from Cam Viet enroute to grid BT 012626. Arrived in position at 281515H.

c. At 280730H, CMB # 1 displaced from grid ZD 057018 enroute to grid ZD 029025. Arrived in position at 281700H.

d. At 280755H, Btry "W", 1st Battalion, 13th Marines displaced from grid ZD 057019 enroute to grid ZD 029025. Arrived in position at 281700H.

2. Weather had no adverse affect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Reconciliation of Missions

27th Marines

46 46

1st PAC

57 88

7th Marines

470 522

11th Marines

61 93

Reson

7 10

ARVN

2

ARMY

2

Opa HOUSTON

160 168

Opa MAMELUKE THRUST

92 113

Total

895 1044

5. Daily Surveillance

VC KIA

204

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SUBJ: SITREP # 242 From 290001H to 292400H August 1968

1. Observations

a. At 291055H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 8 VC, grid AT 879537. Observed by Recon Team (AUNT MABLE).  
SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 291212H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 6 VC in rice paddy, grid AT 818538. Observed by Recon Team (AUNT MABLE).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA

c. At approximately 291400H at grid AT 964667 aerial observers from the 11th Marines were fired on by an unknown number of NVA. Guns were heard the plane returned suppressing fire.  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 NVA KIA's CONFIRMED

(LATE ENTRY)

d. At 291815H, Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 3 VC, grid AT 996597. Observed by Observation Post "Lough".  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

(ARTILLERY MOVE)

e. At 291800H, Battery E, 2nd Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid AT 877472 enroute to grid AT 924538. Arrived in position at 291855H.

2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Recapitulation of Missions

27th Marines	2830
1st MAG	2879
7th Marines	460488
11th Marines	3857
Recon	4848
ARVN	3

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Ops HOUSTON

127/32

Ops MANGLUKE THRUST

48 54

Ops SUYFEX RAY

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Total

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VC/NVA KIA

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SUBJ: SITREP # 243 From 300001H to 302400H August 1968

1. Highlights

a. At 300947H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 2 VC in tree line, grid AT 847638. Observed by Recon Team (BLUE SPHUCH).

SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties

b. At 301113H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 80 VC on ridge, grid ZC 210615. Observed by Recon Team (LUCKY LARK).

SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties

c. At 301207H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 81 VC on ridge, grid ZC 218618. Observed by Recon Team (LUCKY LARK).

SURVEILLANCE: 6 VC KIA's

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 291055H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 8 VC, grid AT 892532. Observed by Recon Team (AUNT MABLE).

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA

b. At 291212H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 6 VC in a rice paddy, grid AT 818583. Observed by Recon Team (AUNT MABLE).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA's

c. At 291605H, 155 Provisional Battery, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 20 to 40 NVA, grid AT 979549. Observed by Division AO (Cowpoke).

SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA's

d. At 291610H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CRACKER mission on 6 VC, grid AT 818583. Observed by Recon Team (AUNT MABLE).

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA's

e. At 291620H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a mission on 20 NVA, grid AT 979549. Observed by Division AO (Cowpoke).

SURVEILLANCE: 4 KIA's

f. At 292210H, 2nd Platoon, 3rd Bn fired on an active machine gun at grid ZD 009176. Observed by an ARVN observer.

SURVEILLANCE: 1 KIA, 1 machine gun destroyed.

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2. Weather had no adverse effect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations- See attached forms.

4. Recapitulation of Missions

27th Marines	22 30
1st PAC	4 12
7th Marines	222 271
11th Marines	192 250
Recon	4 9
ARMY	1
ARVN	2 7
Opn HOUSTON	56 167
Opn MANELUEK THRUST	12 27
Opn SUFFEX BAY	19 20
Total	562 794

5. Daily Surveillance

VC/NVA KIA	20
Machine Guns destroyed	1

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SUBJ: SITREP # 244 From 310001H to 312000H August 1968.

## 1. Highlights

a. At 310944H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRE-CHARGER mission on 10 NVA by mortar tube, grid AT 878554. Observed by an observer with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 311020H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 13 VC/NVA at grid SC 210614. Observed by Recon Team (LUCKY LARK).  
SURVEILLANCE: 2 KIA.

c. At 311024H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines and Battery I, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired a FIRECHARGER mission on a NVA company, grid AT 818538. Observed by Recon Team (AUNT MABEL).  
SURVEILLANCE: 15 KIA.

d. At 311200H, 1st Battalion, 11th Marines assumed the tactical mission of Direct Support of the 1st Marine Regiment.

## (LATE ENTRIES)

a. At 301605H, Battery K, 3rd Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 50 to 100 VC in a treeline, grid BT 007573. Observed by an observer from the Army.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

b. At 301945H, Battery K, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines fired on 100 VC, grid AT 858568. Observed by an observer from a CAP unit.  
SURVEILLANCE: Rounds on target, no observed casualties.

## (ARTILLERY MOVES) - LATE

a. At 300945H, one 155mm howitzer from Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid ZD 057019 enroute to grid AT 960619. Arrived in position at 311130H.

b. At 300945H, one 155mm howitzer from Battery L, 4th Battalion, 11th Marines displaced from grid ZD 057019 enroute to grid AT 986714. Arrived in position at 311130H.

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2. Weather had no adverse affect on artillery operations during the reporting period.

3. Artillery Operations. See attached forms.

4. Recapitulation of Missions

1st FAG	44	51
1st Marines	0	1
7th Marines	418	445
11th Marines	152	224
Recon	10	19
Ops HOUSTON	127	159
Ops MANGLUKE THROST	56	77
Ops SUSSEX RAY	32	34
Total	869	1010

5. Daily Surveillance

VO/NVA KIA	17
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1. THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IN TACTICAL MISSION IS DIRECTED:

A. FOR FOURTH BN, ELEVENTH MARINES: CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION BTRY K (-) TO  
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1. THE FOLLOWING CHANGES IN TACTICAL MISSIONS ARE DIRECTED EFF 082400H AUG 68:

A. FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR:: CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION PROV BTRY  
 TWELFTH MAR TO GS/REIN THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR.

B. THIRD EIGHT INCH HOW BTRY: CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION OF FIRST  
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 FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR  
 THIRD ONE FIVE FIVE GUN BTRY  
 THIRD EIGHT INCH HOW BTRY

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1. THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IN TACTICAL MISSION IS DIRECTED EFF 111800H AUG 68:

A. THIRD ONE FIVE FIVE GUN BTRY (-): GS/REIN THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR.

2. EFF 120600H THE FOLLOWING UNITS WILL GUARD M-837 AND ANSWER CALLS FOR FIRE FROM HIRELING CHARLIE:

A. MIKE FOUR ELEVEN

B. THIRD ONE FIVE FIVE GUN BTRY (-).

C. THIRD PLAT, THIRD EIGHT INCH HOW BTRY.

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		ACTION			<b>XX</b>			
		INFO			<b>XX</b>			

FROM: ELEVENTH MAR  
TO: CG FIRST MARDIV

REQ REL

FROM: CG FIRST MARDIV  
TO: TWELFTH MAR  
FIRST FAG  
FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR

INFO: CG III MAF  
CG PCV  
CG THIRD MARDIV  
CG NINTH MAB  
THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR  
SECOND BN THIRTEENTH MAR

BT  
SECRET

FRAG 0 35 - 68 (155 HOW EXCHANGE)

1. ON ORDER, PROV BTRY, 12TH MAR, REIN BY TWO 155 HOW (TD) DISPLACE BY ROAD TO DONG HA. PLANNED DEPARTURE 16 AUG 68.
2. WHEN RELIEVED IN PLACE AT PHU BAI BY K-4-12, LIMA FOUR ELEVEN DISPLACE TO DANANG AREA BY LCU AND ROAD. OCCUPY PSN ON HILL 55. PLANNED DEPARTURE 18 AUG 68.
3. FOR 12TH MAR: RECOMMEND BTRYS CHOP UPON ARRIVAL AT DESTINATION.

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				ACTION			<b>XX</b>			
				INFO			<b>XX</b>			

FROM: ELEVENTH MAR  
TO: FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR  
INFO: THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR

BT  
SECRET

FRAG 0 36 - 68

1. ON 16 AUG DISPLACE KILO BTRY MINUS FROM THUONG DUC TO HILL 65. MISSION BECOMES GS/REIN THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR.
2. BE PREPARED ON ORDER TO DISPLACE MIKE BTRY TO PSN VIC GRID AT 914668. DIR OF FIRE 4800. MISSION REMAINS THE SAME.

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			ACTION						
			INFO						

FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
TO: FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR

INFO: THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR

BT

C O N F I D E N T I A L

FRAGO 38 - 68

1. EFF 162400H AUG 68 KILO FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR REVERTS TO G/S VICE  
G/S REIN THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR.

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		INFO			<b>XX</b>	

FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
TO: THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR  
FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR  
THIRD 8 INCH HOW BTRY (SP)  
THIRD 155 GUN BTRY (SP)

INFO: SECOND BN ELEVENTH MAR  
SECOND BN THIRTEENTH MAR

BT  
C O N F I D E N T I A L

FRAG 0 39 - 68

1. THE FOLLOWING CHANGES IN TACTICAL MISSIONS ARE DIRECTED EFF 191200H AUG 68:

A. FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR: CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION BTRYS K AND L (-) 4TH BN 11TH MAR TO G/S REIN 3RD BN 11TH MAR. CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION OF BTRY M 4TH BN 11TH MAR TO G/S.

B. THIRD 8 INCH HOW BTRY (SP): CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION FIRST AND THIRD PLTS TO G/S.

C. THIRD 155 GUN BTRY (SP): CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION TO G/S.

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		INFO			<b>XXX</b>	
						ROUTINE DEFERRED

FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
TO: FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR

INFO: SECOND BN ELEVENTH MAR  
THIRD BN ELEVENTH MAR

BT  
C O N F I D E N T I A L

FRAG O 40 - 68

1. THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IN TACTICAL MISSION IS DIRECTED EFF 290930H AUG 68:

A. FOURTH BN ELEVENTH MAR: CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION BTRY L (-) 4TH BN 11TH MAR TO G/S REIN 2ND BN 11TH MAR.

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	<b>310045 Z</b>	ACTION			<b>XXX</b>				
		INFO			<b>XXX</b>				

FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
TO: FIRST BN ELEVENTH MAR

INFO: SECOND BN THIRTEENTH MAR

BT  
C O N F I D E N T I A L

FRAGO 41 - 68

1. EFF 311200H AUG 68 FIRST BN ELEVENTH MAR ASSIGNED TACTICAL MISSION OF D/S FIRST MAR.

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			ACTION			XX			
			INFO			XX			

FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
 TO: THIRD 155MM GUN BTRY (-) (SP)  
 BTRY "B" 8TH BN 4TH ARTY (SP) (USA)

INFO: THIRD BN 11TH MARINES

BT  
 C O N F I D E N T I A L

FRAGO 42 - 68

1. THE FOLLOWING CHANGES IN TACTICAL MISSIONS ARE DIRECTED EFF 311800H AUG 68:

A. THIRD 155MM GUN BTRY (-) (SP): CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION TO G/S REIN  
 3RD BN 11TH MAR.

B. BTRY "B" 8TH BN 4TH ARTY (SP) (USA): CHANGE TACTICAL MISSION TO G/S  
 REIN 3RD BN 11TH MAR.

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				ACTION					<b>XXX</b>
				INFO					

FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
TO: ELEVENTH MARINES ADCON/OPCON

BT  
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ORGANIZATION FOR COMBAT

1. THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATION FOR COMBAT IS EFF 151200H AUG 68:

1ST FAG  
1ST BN 13TH MAR  
1ST 155 GUN BTRY (SP)  
1ST BN 11TH MAR  
2ND BN 11TH MAR  
3RD BN 11TH MAR  
4TH BN 11TH MAR  
BTRY K  
BTRY L  
BTRY M  
PROV BTRY 11TH MAR  
PROV BTRY 3RD BN 12TH MAR  
2ND BN 13TH MAR  
1ST ARMD AMPH CO.  
1ST PLT  
2ND PLT  
3RD PLT  
3RD 8 INCH HOW BTRY (SP)  
1ST PLT  
2ND PLT  
3RD PLT

G/S TFX-RAY  
D/S 26TH MAR  
  
OPCON 3RD MARDIV  
D/S 5TH MAR  
D/S 7TH MAR  
G/S  
REIN 3/11  
OPCON 1ST FAG  
G/S REIN 3/11  
G/S REIN 2/11  
G/S REIN 3/11  
D/S 27TH MAR  
G/S  
  
G/S 2ND HOKMC BRIGADE  
OPCON 3RD MARDIV  
G/S  
G/S REIN 3/11  
OPCON 1ST FAG  
G/S REIN 3/11

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49	140135Z AUG			ACTION						
				INFO						

3RD 155 GUN BTRY (-)  
 2-155 GUNS W/PROV BTRY 11TH MAR  
 BTRY B 8TH BN 4TH ARTY (175 GUN)(USA)  
 BTRY G 29TH ARTY (SEARCHLIGHTS)(USA)

G/S REIN 3/11

G/S

G/S

2. THE ORGANIZATION FOR COMBAT WILL BE PUBLISHED ON A WEEKLY BASIS.

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FROM: ELEVENTH MARINES  
TO: ELEVENTH MARINES ADCON/OPCON

BT  
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## ORGANIZATION FOR COMBAT

1. THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATION FOR COMBAT IS EFFECTIVE 191200H AUG 68:

1ST FAG  
1ST BN, 13TH MAR  
1ST 155 GUN BTRY (SP)  
BTRY K, 4TH BN, 13TH MAR  
1ST BN, 11TH MAR  
2ND BN, 11TH MAR  
3RD BN, 11TH MAR  
4TH BN, 11TH MAR  
BTRY K  
BTRY L (-)  
1ST PLT, BTRY L  
BTRY M  
PROV BTRY, 11TH MAR  
2ND BN, 13TH MAR  
1ST ARMD AMPH CO.  
1ST PLT  
2ND PLT  
3RD PLT  
3RD 8 INCH HOW BTRY (SP)  
1ST PLT  
2ND PLT  
3RD PLT

G/S 1ST MARDIV  
D/S 26TH MAR  
OPCON 1ST FAG  
OPCON 1ST FAG  
OPCON 3RD MARDIV  
D/S 5TH MAR  
D/S 7TH MAR  
G/S  
G/S REIN 3/11  
G/S REIN 3/11  
OPCON 1ST FAG  
G/S  
G/S REIN 2/11  
D/S 27TH MAR  
G/S  
G/S  
G/S 2ND ROKMC BRIGADE  
OPCON 3RD MARDIV  
G/S  
G/S  
OPCON 1ST FAG  
G/S

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79	190850Z			ACTION						
				INFO						

3RD 155 GUN BTRY (SP) G/S  
 2-155 GUNS W/PROV BTRY 11TH MAR  
 BTRY B 8TH BN 4TH ARTY (175 GUN)(USA) G/S  
 BTRY G 29TH ARTY (SEARCHLIGHTS)(USA) G/S

2. THE ORGANIZATION FOR COMBAT WILL BE PUBLISHED ON A WEEKLY BASIS.

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UNIT OR SECTION

NORTHERN SECTOR DEFENSE COMMAND

PLACE

DA NANG, RVN

FROM (Date and hour)

010001H Aug 1968

TO (Date and hour)

312400H Aug 1968

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps T-Troops S-Staff F-File
IN	OUT				
			010001H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 12 night	
			to	patrols. 2 SIR incidents.	
			012400H		
			020001H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 11 night	
			to	patrols.	
			022400H		
			030001H	Set condition 4. 4 day patrols and 9 night	
			to	patrols.	
			032400H		
			040001H	Set condition 4. 3 day patrols and 11 night	
			to	patrols.	
			042400H		
			050001H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 10 night	
			to	patrols. 2 Intell reports and 1 serious in-	
			052400H	cident report.	
			060001H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 9 night	
			to	patrols.	
			062400H		
			070001H	Set condition 4. 4 day patrols and 11 night	
			to	patrols.	
			072400H		
			080001H	Set condition 4. 4 day patrols and 11 night	
			to	patrols. 1 Intell report.	
			082400H		
			090001H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 11	
			to	night patrols.	
			092400H		
			100001H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 10	
			to	night patrols.	
			102400H		
			110001H	Set condition 3 Mod. 5 day patrols and 10	
			to	night patrols.	
			112400H		

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PLACE

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FROM (Date and hour)

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TO (Date and hour)

312400H Aug 1968

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN M-Maps T-Troops S-Staff F-File
IN	OUT				
			120001H to 122400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 12 night patrols. 1 Intell report and 2 SAF incidents.	
			130001H to 132400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 5 day patrols and 9 night patrols.	
			140001H to 142400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 12 night patrols.	
			150001H to 152400H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 13 night patrols.	
			160001H to 162400H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 12 night patrols.	
			170001H to 172400H	Set condition 4. 4 day patrols and 11 night patrols.	
			180001H to 182400H	Set condition 4. 5 day patrols and 12 night patrols.	
			190001H to 192400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 5 day patrols and 11 night patrols.	
			200001H to 202400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 11 night patrols. 2 SAF incidents.	
			210001H to 212400H	Set condition 2. 5 day patrols and 11 night patrols.	
			220001H to 222400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 5 day patrols and 13 night patrols. 1 SAF incident.	

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PLACE	
DA NANG, RVN	
FROM (Date and hour)	TO (Date and hour)
010001H Aug 1968	312400H Aug 1968

TIME		SERIAL NO.	DATE TIME GROUP	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS	ACTION TAKEN	
IN	OUT				M-Maps S-Staff	T-Troops F-File
			230001H to 232400H	Set condition 2, 4 day patrols and 12 night patrols. 2 Intell reports and 7 SAF incidents.		
			240001H to 242400H	Set condition 2, 4 day patrols and 10 night patrols. 3 SAF incidents.		
			250001H to 252400H	Set condition 2, 5 day patrols and 12 night patrols. 5 SAF incidents.		
			260001H to 262400H	Set condition 2, 5 day patrols and 9 night patrols. 2 SAF incidents.		
			270001H to 272400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 10 night patrols. 1 Intell report and 3 SAF incidents.		
			280001H to 282400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 5 day patrols and 12 night patrols. 1 Intell report.		
			290001H to 292400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 5 day patrols and 12 night patrols. 5 SAF incidents and 1 Intell report.		
			300001H to 3024 302400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 11 night patrols. 5 SAF incidents		
			310001H to 312400H	Set condition 3 Mod. 4 day patrols and 11 night patrols and 1 SAF incident.		

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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR KEEPING JOURNAL

### 1. Heading:

#### a. Unit or Section:

- (1) Enter designation of unit if this is a unit journal for regiment, air group, or smaller unit.
- (2) Enter designation of section if this is a section journal maintained by a general staff section.

#### b. Place: Enter coordinates or name of locality.

#### c. From: Enter date, time, and time zone that journal is opened.

#### d. To: Enter date, time, and time zone that journal is closed.

### 2. Body:

#### a. Time In:

(1) Unit Journal. Enter time information is received within unit. In most instances this would be TOR at unit communication center.

(2) Section Journal. Enter time information is received within section.

#### b. Time Out:

(1) Unit Journal. Enter time outgoing information is delivered to addressee. In most instances this would be TOD by unit communication center.

(2) Section Journal. Enter time outgoing message is delivered to originator's communication center for transmittal, or time information is transmitted by releasing section.

#### c. Serial No.: Number each entry consecutively as information is received by keeper of journal.

#### d. DTG: Enter date/time group of radio message.

#### e. Incidents, Messages, Orders:

(1) Important incidents, messages and orders are recorded as they are made known.

(2) Although brief, entries must include all vital elements of information, such as what, where, when, how, and who.

(3) Original entries should not be altered, but should be supplemented or corrected by later entries when necessary.

(4) A synopsis of written or oral messages is entered in the journal, leaving the full account for the journal file and other supporting documents.

(5) Oral messages are reduced to writing and processed like written messages.

f. Action Taken: This column is used to indicate administrative action taken, such as, routing to cognizant unit staff officer(s), dissemination of pertinent information and/or filing of message. Some of the more common symbols used to indicate action taken are: "M", posted on situation map; "S", circulated to unit staff; "T", information disseminated to troops or subordinate units; "F", filed in journal file.

### 3. Ending:

a. Summary: A brief summary of major activities, with reasons underlying decisions, is entered in the journal at the close of each day. This is written in narrative form under the column entitled "Incidents, Messages, Orders."

b. Closing: Journals are closed daily or at the end of periods or phases prescribed by higher authority.

### 4. Journal File:

Journal file is considered a part of the journal. It contains messages, orders, records of conversation, and other documents supporting journal entries.