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SUMMARY OF ITEMS OF SIGNIFICANT INTEREST

PERIOD 170601Z - 180600Z JUNE 1968

1. I CTZa. SUMMARY (170901H - 180900H)

(1) DURING THE PERIOD 172025H TO 180320H, 14 SEPARATE SIGHTINGS OF UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT ACQUIRED ON RADAR AND VISUALLY WERE REPORTED BY ARVN AND U.S. UNITS IN THE VICINITY OF THE DMZ.

(2) AN ADDITIONAL UPDATE OF THE 3/4 CONTACT, 15 KILOMETERS SOUTHEAST OF KEE SANH COMBAT BASE, WHICH OCCURRED ON THE 15TH, REVEALS THAT ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE NOW 219 KILLED WHILE MARINES SUFFERED 17 KILLED AND 61 WOUNDED.

(3) U.S. ARMY UNITS IN A DAY LONG CONTACT SOUTH-WEST OF HUE ACCOUNTED FOR 27 ENEMY KILLED. ARMY CASUALTIES WERE FIVE KILLED, TEN WOUNDED AND FOUR MISSING.

(4) BLT 2/7 AND HMM-265 (SLF BRAVO) DEPARTED DANANG AT 160615Z, FOR SUBIC BAY.

(5) DURING 16 JUNE, 1ST MAW FIGHTER/ATTACK AIRCRAFT FLEW 255 SORTIES OF WHICH 245 WERE IN SUPPORT OF III MAF. SIGNIFICANT BOMB DAMAGE FOR THE PERIOD REPORTED 107 STRUCTURES AND ONE GUN POSITION DESTROYED. MARINE AIR ACCOUNTED FOR TWO ENEMY KILLED. HH-43S AND TRANSPORTS FLEW 1,873 SORTIES LIFTING 3,489 PASSENGERS AND DELIVERING 313 TONS OF CARGO. THERE WERE 334 ARMED SORTIES FLOWN.

(6) SCATTERED RAIN AND THUNDER SHOWERS ARE FORECAST FOR I CTZ DURING THE NEXT 24 HOURS. CEILINGS WILL BE 1,500 TO 2,500 FEET, LOWERING TO 1,000 FEET AT NIGHT. VISIBILITY WILL BE EIGHT TO 12 MILES REDUCED TO FOUR TO SEVEN MILES IN SCATTERED RAIN AND THUNDER SHOWERS. WINDS VARIABLE FIVE TO TEN KNOTS. TEMPERATURES WILL RANGE FROM 75 TO 88 DEGREES.

EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC
REGRADING, DOD DIR 5200.10
DOES NOT APPLY

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I CTZ (Continued)b. MAJOR OPERATIONS(1) SCOTLAND II

(a) AN ADDITIONAL UPDATE TO THE 150600H CONTACT OF 3/4 WHICH OCCURRED 15 KILOMETERS SOUTHEAST OF KHE SANH COMBAT BASE AND REPORTED IN YESTERDAYS "ITEMS" INDICATES THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES: USMC - 17 KIA (VICE 16), 61 WIA (NO CHANGE); ENEMY - 219 KIA (VICE 186), 11 DETAINEES (VICE SEVEN), 55 INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS (VICE 44) AND 23 CREW SERVED WEAPONS (VICE 13).

(b) ON 15 JUNE, 1/3 CHOPPED FROM OPERATION SCOTLAND II TO OPERATION KENTUCKY.

(2) KENTUCKY

AT 161700H, 1 KILOMETER EAST OF CON THIEN, 2/26 OBSERVED AN ESTIMATED 25 ENEMY RUNNING FROM A BUNKER COMPLEX. TANKS, ARTILLERY AND TACTICAL AIR STRIKES ENGAGED THE ENEMY. RESULTS: USMC - NONE, ENEMY - 8 KIA.

(3) MAMELUKE THRUST

(a) AT 160755H, 15 KILOMETERS NORTHWEST OF AN HOA, A PLATOON COMBAT PATROL FROM 1/3/7 DETONATED A 105MM ARTILLERY ROUND RIGGED AS AN AP MINE. RESULTS: USMC - 3 KIA, 7 WIA.

(b) AT 161800H, 1/26 CHOPPED FROM OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST TO THE DANANG TAOR OPCON 1ST MARDIV.

(4) HOUSTON

AT 170315H, 11 KILOMETERS SOUTHEAST OF PHU BAI, AN AMBUSH PATROL FROM D/1/5 OBSERVED AND ENGAGED FIVE ENEMY WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE AND MORTARS. FIRE WAS EXCHANGED AND THE CONTACT TERMINATED ALMOST IMMEDIATELY. RESULTS: USMC - 1 KIA, 2 WIA; ENEMY - 5 KIA, 4 WEAPONS CAPTURED.

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(5) JEB STUART III

ON 16 JUNE, 17 KILOMETERS EAST OF QUANG TRI CITY, ARMY UNITS CAPTURED 1.25 TONS OF RICE.

(6) NEVADA EAGLE

(a) AT 160730H, 18 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF HUE, 2/327 ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE IN A TRENCH AND BUNKER COMPLEX IN A DAY LONG CONTACT THAT ENDED AT 1630H. RESULTS: USA - 5 KIA, 10 WIA, 4 MIA; ENEMY 27 KIA, 21 WEAPONS CAPTURED.

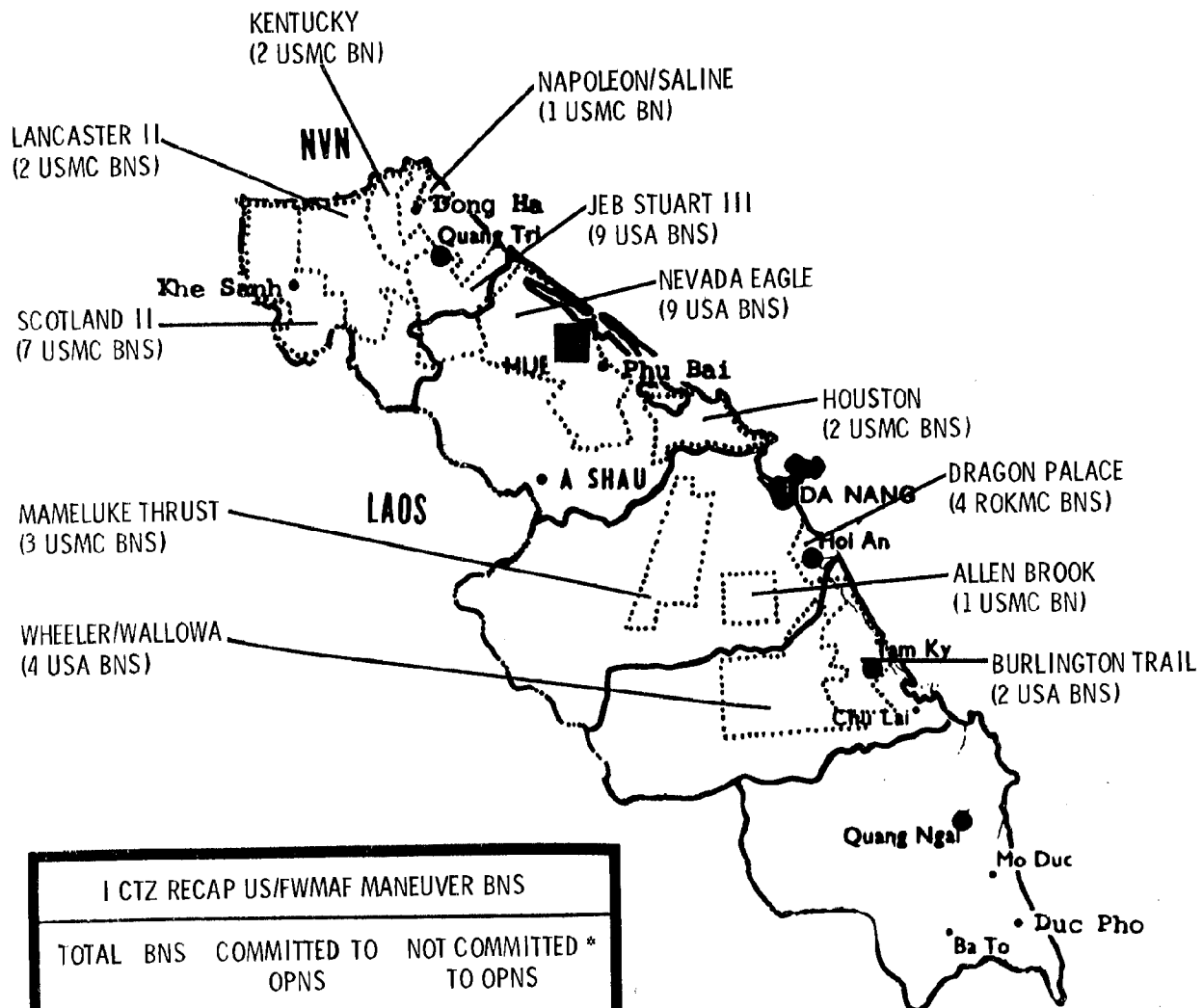
(b) AT 160750H, 8 KILOMETERS EAST OF HUE, ELEMENTS OF 1/501 AIRBORNE, ONE RF COMPANY AND NATIONAL POLICE ELEMENTS ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED 30 ENEMY WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE AND ARTILLERY. RESULTS: USA - 1 KIA, 2 WIA; ENEMY - 1 KIA, 18 PRISONERS AND FOUR WEAPONS CAPTURED.

(c) AT 161320H, 32 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF HUE, ELEMENTS OF 1/327 AIRBORNE CAPTURED THREE 1 1/2 TON RUSSIAN TRUCKS. THE TRUCKS WERE DESTROYED.

VARIOUS TRAFFIC (S)

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I CTZ RECAP US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL	BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED * TO OPNS
USMC	23	18	5
USA	29	24	5
ROKMC	4	4	0
	<u>56</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>10</u>
* ASSIGNED VITAL AREA SECURITY			
USMC - * 5 BNS DANANG			
USA - 5 BNS CHU LAI AND DUC PHO			

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 162400H JUN 68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	1ST MAR, 1/1, 2/1, 2/3, 1/4, 3/4, 3/9, & BLT 2/4	KHE SANH AREA	* 267 25 USA	*1,317 2 MIA 159 USA	*1,598
LANCASTER II (21JAN68)	9TH MAR, 1/9 & 2/9	CAMP CARROLL, ROCKPILE & CA LU AREA	171	1,058 3 USA	493
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	9TH MAR, 2/26 & 1/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	420	*2,181 1 MIA	2,612
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	3RD MAR, 3/3 & 1ST AMTRAC BN	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	339 33 USA	1,776 121 USA 1 USA MIA	3,111
JEB STUART III (17MAY68)	1ST CAV DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	QUANG TRI & THUA THIEN PROVINCES	71 USA	448 USA 2 USA MIA	*410
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	73 USA	*568 USA	878
HOUSTON (26FEB68)	5TH MAR, 1/5 & 2/5	27 KM SSE OF PHU BAI	83 2 USA 2 USN	482 38 USA 7 USN	*461
MAMELUKE THRUST (18MAY68)	1ST MARDIV, 3/5, 3/26 & 3/7	15 KM WEST OF DANANG	*92	*441	672
DRAGON PALACE (2JUN68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 ROKMC BNS	HOI AN AREA	1 20 ROKMC 1 ROKA	4 61 ROKMC 1 ROKA	65
ALLEN BROOK (1MAY68)	27TH MAR, 1/27	13 KM WSW OF HOI AN	147 2 USN	826 1 USN	748
WHEELER/WALLOWA (11NOV67)	196TH INF BDE WITH 4 USA BNS	WEST OF TAM KY	641 USA 1 USAF	2 3,265 USA	8,497
BURLINGTON TRAIL (8APR68)	198TH INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	QUANG TIN PROVINCE	48 USA	411 USA	524

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.

* - ADJUSTED

- FINAL CUMULATIVE CASUALTIES

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c. RVNLF

(1) AT 161800H, 15 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF CAMP EVANS, 2/3 ARVN INFANTRY MADE CONTACT WITH AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. ARTILLERY AND GUNSHIPS ARE SUPPORTING AS THE CONTACT CONTINUES. INITIAL RESULTS: ARVN - 4 KIA, 3 WIA; ENEMY - 5 KIA.

(2) ON 16 JUNE THROUGHOUT I CTZ, ARVN UNITS REPORTED FIVE SEPARATE ENEMY SMALL UNIT CONTACTS RESULTING IN: ARVN - 2 KIA, 7 WIA; ENEMY - 1 KIA.

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d. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONTACTS/EVENTS

ON 16 JUNE, THROUGHOUT I CTZ, III MAP UNITS REPORTED 14 SEPARATE ENEMY SMALL UNIT CONTACTS RESULTING IN: FRIENDLY - 2 KIA, 9 WIA; ENEMY - 11 KIA, 6 INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS CAPTURED.

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e. ENEMY AIRCRAFT ACTIVITY IN THE VICINITY OF THE DMZ

(1) UPDATES ON THE ENEMY AIRCRAFT ACTIVITY WHICH OCCURRED 15, 16 AND 17 JUNE, BRIEFED IN YESTERDAY'S "ITEMS". REPORT THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL AND AMPLIFYING INFORMATION.

(a) 15 JUNE - 17 UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT, PRESUMABLY HELICOPTERS, REPORTED IN THE VICINITY OF BEN HAI RIVER.

(b) 16 JUNE - USS BOSTON (CAG-1), PCF-12 AND PCF-19 (USN SWIFT BOATS), AND USCG WPB (PATROL BOAT), WERE ATTACKED BY UNIDENTIFIED HELICOPTERS AND JET AIRCRAFT. 19 HELICOPTERS WERE REPORTED IN THE VICINITY OF THE BEN HAI RIVER.

(c) 17 JUNE - USS BOSTON (CAG-1), HMAS HOBART (AUSTRALIAN) AND USS EDSON (DD-946) WERE ATTACKED BY UNIDENTIFIED JET AIRCRAFT.

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(d) FRIENDLY F-4 AIRCRAFT ATTACKED THE UNIDENTIFIED HELICOPTERS AND DURING THE THREE DAY PERIOD FIRED 12 SPARROW MISSILES. ALLIED SHIPS REPORTED RECEIVING 15 ROUNDS OF ROCKET FIRE, SOME FRAGMENTS OF WHICH HAVE BEEN RECOVERED AND WERE IDENTIFIED AS BEING OF U.S. ORIGIN.

(e) INTERIM RESULTS: FRIENDLY - 5 KIA (3 USN, 2 AUSTRALIAN), 9 WIA (2 USN, 7 AUSTRALIAN), 2 USN MIA, PCF-19 SUNK, USS BOSTON REPORTS DAMAGE TO LONG RANGE HEIGHT FINDING RADAR AND OTHER MINOR DAMAGE, KMAS FROBART REPORTS AIR SEARCH RADAR DAMAGED, MISSILE SYSTEM DAMAGE AND ONE GUN MOUNT DAMAGED.

(f) SINCE THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT SOME DAMAGE WAS CAUSED BY FRIENDLY AIRCRAFT MISSILE FIRE, RADAR S. B. MOORE, USN, HAS BEEN APPOINTED TO CONDUCT A ONE OFFICE JAG INVESTIGATION OF THE ENTIRE INCIDENT.

(g) DURING THE PERIOD 172025H TO 180320H, 14 SEPARATE SIGHTINGS OF UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT ACQUIRED ON RADAR AND VISUALLY WERE REPORTED BY ARVN AND U.S. UNITS IN THE VICINITY OF THE DMZ. THE AIRCRAFT WERE REPORTED LOCATED BETWEEN 5 AND 15 KILOMETERS NORTHWEST OF CON THIEN AND GIO LAM. THE SIGHTINGS VARIED FROM SINGLE HELICOPTERS TO GROUPS OF 10 HELICOPTERS ESCORTED BY 2 FIXED WING JET AIRCRAFT. AT 180320H, 2 KILOMETERS WEST SOUTHWEST OF CON THIEN, MARINES AT CON THIEN OBSERVED 2 HELICOPTERS FIRING ROCKETS AT THE GROUND AND FIRE BEING RETURNED FROM THE GROUND.

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2. MOVEMENTS

a. MGEN C. J. QUILTER DEPARTED HAWAII AT 180235Z.
ETA TOKYO IS 181025Z. ETA DANANG 190115Z.

FONECON FMFPAC CC 180252Z (U)
ADMINS FMFPAC 172129Z (C)

b. MGEN G. S. BOWMAN, JR., WAS SCHEDULED TO DEPART
NORFOLK AT 172200Z FOR WASHINGTON, D. C.

(MCCC NOTE: MGEN BOWMAN IS SCHEDULED TO ASSUME
DUTIES AS MARLIN TO CNO (OP-09M), REPORTING TO HQMC BY
8JUL68).

FONECON FMFLANT 171915Z (U)

c. MGEN P. J. FONTANA, DEP CG FMFPAC (DESIGNATE),
WAS DETACHED ON 15 JUNE AND WILL REMAIN AT QUANT, VA.
UNTIL 25 JUNE. ON 26 JUNE THE GENERAL WILL PROCEED TO
FMFPAC. ETA FMFPAC IS 13 JULY.

AIDE, DIR MCDSC QUANT LTR
14JUN68

d. MGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR., CG 3D MAW IS SCHEDULED
TO DEPART MCAS, EL TORO AT 181900Z FOR MCAS, YUMA. ETR
IS 182230Z.

FONECON 3D MAW 180032Z (U)

e. MGEN R. FULLER, CG MCB 29 PALMS/CG PORTERS
FMFPAC, HOSPITALIZATION HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO 21 JUNE 1968.

(MCCC NOTE: MGEN FULLER HAD BEEN ADMITTED TO
USMC CAMP PENLETON AT 101600Z FOR A PERIOD OF ABOUT 7
DAYS.)

FONECON S/S MCB 29 PALMS
172319Z (U)

FONECON FMFPAC CC
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2. MOVEMENTS (Continued)

1. B-1 2/7 AND HMM-265 (BLT MEAVO) DEPARTED
DARANG AT 100015Z FOR SUBIC BAY. EST. IS 100400Z. THE
S-1 IS REMAINED ABOARD THE USS VALLEY FORGE (LPH-8).
BLT 2/7 EMBARKED WITH 843 NAVY/MARINE OFFICERS AND MEN
UNDER THE COMMAND OF LTCOL C. E. HUBBARD. HMM-265 HAS
EIGHT CH-46A HELICOPTERS AND IS COMMANDED BY LTCOL R. J.
BROOKS.

BLT 2/7 170550Z (C)
HMM-265 170555Z (C)

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1. PAGE 5, (DTG 090044Z 9 Jun 68, FMFPAC SITREP # 1,167, OPERATION SWIFT SABER COMMENCED SEARCH & CLEAR OPERATIONS BY (CTG 79.5) AT 070700H JUN 68
2. PAGE 4, (DTG100014Z Jun 68 FMFPAC WESTPAC SITREP # 1,168, period of events of 8 Jun 1968 OPERATION SWIFT SABER
3. FMFPAC MSG 110112Z Jun 68, SWIFT SABER SITREP # 9, as of 110000Z Jun 68
4. ZFF-1 Msg 120359Z Jun 68, FMFPAC SITREP # 1,170, period 10 Jun 68 OPERATION SWIFT SABER
5. FMFPAC Msg 121242Z Jun 68, SWIFT SABER SITREP # 12, as of 121200Z Jun 68
6. PAGE 5, DTG 130153Z Jun 68, FMFPAC SITREP # 1,171, period 11 Jun 68, OPERATION SWIFT SABER
7. ZFF-1 Msg 140203Z Jun 68, FMFPAC SITREP # 1,172, period 12 Jun 68, OPERATION SWIFT SABER
8. PAGE 6, DTG 150355Z Jun 68, FMFPAC SITREP # 1,173, events of 13 Jun 68 OPERATION SWIFT SABER
9. ZFF-1 Msg 152347Z Jun 68, FMFPAC SITREP # 1,174, events of 14 Jun 68 OPERATION SWIFT SABER TERMINATED 140800H Jun 68

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(C) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA-115, VMA-314, VMA-311, VMA-211 AND VMA-121 FLEW TEN SORTIES (SIX CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND FOUR DIRECT AIR SUPPORT), EXPENDING 15 TONS OF ORDNANCE. 451 A-1 COPTERS FLEW FOUR SORTIES.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
NO CHANGE	27433 KIA
USA	17141 DETAINEES
NO CHANGE	5/11 VC/PW
	0/11 NVA/PW
	0/24 RETURNEES
	0/4 CIVIL DEFENDANTS
	27143 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(B) OPERATION SWIFT SABER (CTG 79.5)

(A) BTL 321 COMMENCED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE AT 070700, WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT 0950, AN ARMED HELICOPTER ENGAGED AND KILLED ONE NVA.

(B) AREA OF OPERATION: FROM (AT 8784)

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NORTHEAST TO (AT 8885); THEN NORTH ALONG THE RR GRID LINE TO THE THUA THIEN PROVINCE BORDER AT (AT 8891); THEN WEST AND SOUTH ALONG THE BORDER TO (ZC 077000); THEN WEST ALONG THE 90 GRID LINE TO (ZC 0600); THEN SOUTH ALONG THE 06 GRID LINE TO (ZC 0600); THEN EAST ALONG THE 80 GRID LINE TO (AT 7780); THEN NORTH TO (AT 8784);

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE: FRIENDLY: NONE. ENEMY: 1 KIA

(B) OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE 26TH MARINES (-), (REIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES (-), (REIN), CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE. AT 1120, COMPANY C, 7TH MARINES RECEIVED THREE ROUNDS OF UNKNOWN SIZE MORTAR FIRE AT (ZC 151540). EIGHT USMC WERE WOUNDED AND EVACUATED. IN TWO ADDITIONAL CONTACTS, THREE NVA BODIES AND TWO WEAPONS WERE FOUND. ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA(AW)-242, VMA(AW)-533, VMA-211, VMA-311 AND VMA-121 FLEW 13 SORTIES (11 CLOSE AIR SUPPORT)

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FOR EVENTS OF 8 JUNE 1968

OPERATION SWIFT SABOR

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071300, A COMPANY D PATROL ENGAGED SIX ENEMY AT (YD 038110). THREE VC WERE KILLED AND THREE WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED. IN THREE ADDITIONAL CONTACTS ON THE 7TH, FOUR ENEMY WERE KILLED, TWO DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED, AND THREE WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED.

(D) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMFA-323, VMA(AW)-242 AND VMA-211 FLEW 12 SORTIES (FIVE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT AND SEVEN DIRECT AIR SUPPORT), EXPENDING 20 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS 42 STRUCTURES AND ONE BUNKER DESTROYED, 18 STRUCTURES DAMAGED, ONE SECONDARY EXPLOSION AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE. 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 40 SORTIES, TRANSPORTING 32 PERSONNEL. BATTERY B, 11TH MARINES FIRED 397 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 2,140 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC, USA AND USN
NO CHANGE

ENEMY
7/440 KIA
10/141 DETAINEES

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0/6 VC/PW
0/11 NVA/PW
0/24 RETURNEES
0/4 CIVIL DEFENDANTS
14/157 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(R) OPERATION SWIFT SABER (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION, WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (BLT 3/1), CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY). ON THE 7TH, ONE USMC WAS KILLED BY AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE.

(P) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC = ENEMY
1/1 KIA 0/1 KIA

(Q) OPERATION MAMELUK THRUST (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE 26TH MARINES (-), (REIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES

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SWIFT SABER SITREP NR 9 AS OF 110000Z JUN 68 (U)

1. ARG/SLF COMP; NO CHG
2. ACTION

A. ARG/SLF BRAVO

- (1) CONTINUED OPN SWIFT SABER IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE, RVN

B. ARG BRAVO

- H (1) TG LESS HULL NIGHT STEAMED IN DANANG HOLDING AREAS.
- (2) HULL REMAINED U/W IN FSA AND EXPENDED 170 RDS 5"/54

H & I FIRES THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT.

- (3) VALFOR AIR SUMMARY; BEARCAT ONE FLEW 26 SORTIES, CARBIE 27 PAX, 850 LBS MAIL, 500 LBS CAGGO. TOTAL A/C TIME 3.9 HRS.

- (4) VALFOR MEDEVAC STATISTICS OPN SWIFT SABER; NO CHG.

C. SLF BRAVO

- (1) UNIT LOCATIONS

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ALL OTHER UNITS NO CHANGE

(2) MAINTAINED STRONG NIGHT DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AND FIRED
H&I'S.

(3) HMM 164 AND AUGMENTATION A/C CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OPN
SWIFT SABER. ON 10 JUN 148 SORTIE/30 TWSYS AND 4.9 HRS WERE FLOWN
CARRYING 339 PAX, 10 MEDEVACS AND 11.4 TONS OF EQUIP AND CARGO.

(4) SWEEP FORCES FROM M/3/1 WERE INSERTED INTO DONG DEN OP
SITE (AT837327) AND BLOCKING FORCES FROM L/3/1 WERE INSERTED INTO
EZ RAVEN (AT8084). HELO LIFT COMPLETED AT 0715H.

(5) CASUALTIES; NO CHANGE

COMMENTS

A. WX 7 PARTLY CLOUDY WITH BASES 2000 - 8000 FT. VISIBILITY
UNRESTRICTED. WIND SOUTHERLY 8-14 KTS. SEAS YLIGHT. TEMP 80-02 DEG.

4. INTENTIONS

A. ARG/SLF BRAVO

(1) CONTINUE OPN SWIFT SABER

B. ARG BRAVO

(1) CONTINUE SUPPORT OF OPN SWIFT SABER

(2) TG LESS HULL REMAIN IN DANANG HOLDING AREAS

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(3) HULL REMAIN IN FSA PROVIDING NGFS

C. SLF BRAVO

(1) CONDUCT SWEEP OPERATION FROM DONG DEN TO THE WEST.

(2) CONTINUE SWEEP OPERATIONS IN WESTERN PORTION OF AO.

5. ACTION REQUIRED BY HIGHER AUTHORITY; NONE

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DAMAGED, AND ONE ROAD CUT.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USA

1/62 KIA

6/333 2WIA (EVAC)

ENEMY

26/841 KIA (ADJ) X

1/127 DETAINEES (ADJ) V

1/9 VC/PW

2/106 NVA/PW

0/1 RETURNEES

0/3 CIVIL DEFENDANTS

13/1760 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(7) OPERATION HOUSTON (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 5TH MARINES, WITH TWO INFANTRY
BATTALIONS (1ST AND 2D BATTALIONS, 5TH MARINES),
CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN SOUTHEASTERN
THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. ONE CONTACT
RESULTED IN ONE VC KILLED AND ONE WEAPON CAPTURED.
ONE DETAINEE WAS APPREHENDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON,
FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMFA 7542, VMFA 115,
VMFA-323, VMA-311, VMA 7211, VMA 7121 AND

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H&MS 711 FLEW 12 SORTIES (NINE CAS AND
THREE DAS), EXPENDING 16 TONS OF
ORDNANCE 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 42 SORTIES, TRANS-
PORTING 23 PERSONNEL. BATTERY B, 2D BATTALION, 11TH
MARINES FIRED 122 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 1138 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY

USMC

NO CHANGE

USN

NO CHANGE

USA I

ENEMY

1/443 KIA

1/152 DETAINEES

0/12 VC/PW

0/11 NVA/PW

H#82\$ (JD GPR QQI

TUPFDDSDDR

NO CHANGE

0/5 CIVIL DEFENDANTS

1/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(8) OPERATION SWIFT SABER (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION, WITH ONE
INFANTRY BATTALION (BLT 3/1), CONTINUED SEARCH AND
CLEAR OPERATION IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE
WITH NO CONTACT.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SWIFT SABER,
USS HULL (DD - 945), FIRED 40 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 269
ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE
NO CHANGE

(9) OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST (1ST MARINE
DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES (-) (REIN),
CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN WESTERN
QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRIES)
AT 090600, 3D BATTALION, 5TH MARINES CHANGED ITS
AREAS OF OPERATION FROM THE DANANG TACTICAL AREA TO OPERATION
MAMELUKE THRUST, REMAINING UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CON7
TROL OF THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION. AT 090600, 1ST
BATTALION, 26TH MARINES, CHANGE ITS AREA OF OPER7
ATION FROM OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST TO THE DANANG
TACTICAL AREA, REMAINING UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF
THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION. THREE SCATTERED CONTACTS
ON THE 9TH, RESULTED IN 11 ENEMY KIA AND ONE INDIVIDUAL

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AND ONE CREW-SERVED WEAPON CAPTURE. (END OF LATE
ENTRIES). ACTIVITY ON THE 12TH CONSISTED OF
TWO ENGAGEMENTS IN WHICH ONE USMC WAS KIA AND FOUR
USMC WERE WOUNDED AND EVACUATED. A TOTAL OF FOUR
ENEMY TROOPS WERE KIA.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION MAMELUKE
THRUST; FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA (AW7242, VMA-
121, VMA-211, AND VMA-311, FLEW 14 CAS
SORTIES, EXPENDING 26 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS
32 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 18 DAMAGED, ONE SECONDARY
EXPLOSION, AND ONE SECONDARY FIRE. 1ST MAW
HELICOPTERS FLEW 241 SORTIES, TRANSPORTING 105
PERSONNEL AND 48 TONS OF CARGO. USMC ARTILLERY, REIN7
FORCED BY USA 175 MM GUNS, FIRED EIGHT MISSIONS, EXPEN-
DING 48 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

1/62 KIA

4/237 WIA (EVAC)

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ENEMY

15/396 KIA

0/32 DETAINEES

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0/1 VC/PW

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2/63 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(10) OPERATION ALLEN BROOK (1ST MARINE
DIVISION)

(A) THE 27TH MARINES, WITH TWO
INFANTRY BATTALIONS (3D BATTALION, 5TH MARINES;
AND 1ST BATTALION, 27TH MARINES), CONTINUED SEARCH
AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN SOUTHERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE
WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) SCATTERED
ENGAGEMENTS WITH ENEMY FORCES ON THE 9TH, RESULTED
IN FOUR USMC WOUNDED AND EVACUATED WHILE FOUR ENEMY
SOLDIERS WERE KIA AND ONE INDIVIDUAL WEAPON CAPTURED.

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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ALLEN BROOK,
FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMFA-122, VMFA-542, VMFA
-323, VMA (AW)-533, VMA-311, VMA-211, VMA-
121, AND HAMS-12, FLEW 24 SORTIES 20 CAS
AND FOUR DAS, EXPENDING 42

TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS TWO STRUCTURES DESTROYED
AND TWO DAMAGED. 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 51 SORTIES,
TRANSPORTING 50 PERSONNEL AND 13 TONS OF CARGO.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

0/147 KIA

4/682 WIA (EVAC) 0/37 DETAINEES

USN

NO CHANGE

ENEMY

4/723 KIA

0/1 VC/PW

0/6 NVA/PW

0/2 RETURNEES

1/86 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(11) OPERATION DRAGON PALACE (2D ROKMC
BRIGADE)

(A) THE 2D ROKMC BRIGADE, WITH FOUR
INFANTRY BATTALIONS, CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR

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SWIFT SABER SITREP NR. 12 AS OF 121200Z JUN 68 (U)

1. ARG/SLE COMP: DELEL USS HUGSCQKDD945)

2. ACTION

A. ARG/SLE BRAVO

(1) CONTINUED OPN SWIFT SABER IN QUANG NAM PROVINCE, RVN.

B. ARG BRAVO

(1) CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OPN SWIFT SABER.

(2) CONTINUED SELECTIVE LOADOUT OF RED CARGO.

(3) TG U/W TO NIGHT STEAM IN HOLJUNG AREAS.

(4) HULL DETACHED AT 121900H.

(5) VALFOR MEDEVAC STATISTICS OPN WIFT SABER

	DURING PD	CUMULATIVE
KIA	2	3
NCI	6	58
TOTAL MEDEVAC	8	61

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REMAINING, OR

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C. SLE BRAVO

(1) UNIT LOCATIONS

CP 3/1 ZC136846

I/3/1 ZC136846

K/3/1 ZC174836

L/3/1 ZC202841

H M/3/1 ZC136846

C/1/11 ZC202841

W/2/11 ZC136847

(2) SLE BRAVO CONTINUED OP SWIFT SABER IN ELEPHANT VALLEY.

UNITS SEARCHED AREAS VIC ZC1786, ZC2081, ZC1584, ZC1683, ZC1783 AND AT8783.

(3) AT 0730H CH-56 A/C RECEIVED S/A AND A/W FIRE WHILE ENTERING LZ VIC ZC176866. NO HITS. RETURNED 50 RDS 50 CAL.

(4) AT 0920H L/E/1 FOUND APPROX 15 PUNJI PITS APPROX 1X1X2 1/2 FT WITH SHARP STAKES IN BOTTOM. PITS ABOUT ONE MONTH OLD. PITS

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(5) AT 15H, AO OBSERVED LOGS APPARENTLY PREPARED FOR SOME TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION WITH EVIDENCE OF PREVIOUS ACTIVITY.

CONDUCTED STRIKE BY HU-1E GUNSHIPS. EXCELLENT TARGET COVERAGE.

(6) AT 1611H CREW MEMBER OF CH-56 THAT CRASHED 111900H JUN 68 AS A RESULT OF INJURIES DUE TO

(7) CASUALTIES

CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
3 KIA	1 NVASFIA
3 NBC	
3 DAI	
1 ACCI	
3 HEAT CASUALTY	

3. COMMENTS

A. WX - PARTLY CLOUDY WITH BASES 3000-7000 FT. VISIBILITY UNRESTRICTED. WINDS VAR 4-12 KTS. SEAS SLIGHT. TEMP 86-93 DEG.

4. INTENTIONS

A. ARG/SLE BRAVE

(1) CONTINUE OPN SWIFT SABER

B. ARG BRAVO

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(1) CONTINUE SUPPORT OF OPN SWIFT SABER

(2) IG RETURN TO ANCHORAGE AT FIRST LIGHT AND CONTINUE

SELECTIVE LOADOUT OF BLT 2/7 AND HMM265.

C. SLE BRAVO

(1) ESTABLISH STRONG DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

5. ACTION REQUIRED BY HIGHER AUTHORITY: NONE

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(R) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON,
 FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA (AW)-242, VMA(AW)-533,
 VMA-223, VMA-311, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, AND VMFA-323
 FLEW 15 SORTIES (11 CAS AND FOUR OAS), EXPENDING 27
 TONS OF ORDNANCE. 1ST MAR HELICOPTERS FLEW 48 SORTIES, TRANSPORT-
 ING 26 PERSONNEL. BATTERY E, 11TH MARINES FIRED 144 MISSIONS
 EXPENDING 1,734 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
1/83 KIA	3/446 KIA
6/332 MIA (EVAC)	1/153 DETAINEES
USA	1/13 VC/PW
NO CHANGE	0/11 NVA/PW
	1/32 RETURNEES
USN	0/5 CIVIL DEFENDANTS
NO CHANGE	0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(R) OPERATION SWIFT SABER (1ST MARINE
 DIVISION)

(A) THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION, WITH ONE
 INFANTRY BATTALION (BLT 3/1), CONTINUED SEARCH AND

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 CLEAR OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE
 WITH NEGATIVE CONTACT.

(R) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SWIFT
 SABER, BATTERIES C AND I, AND THE MORTAR BATTERY,
 11TH MARINES FIRED FIVE MISSIONS, EXPENDING 48
 ROUNDS. USS HULL (DD-945) FIRED 36 MISSIONS, EXPENDING
 222 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

NO CHANGE

(R) OPERATION MAMFLUKE-THRUST (1ST MARINE
 DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE
 26TH MARINES (-) (REIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
 CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN WESTERN
 QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT. (LATE
 ENTRIES FOR 10 MAY) AT 1145, A RECONNAISSANCE
 TEAM IN THE VICINITY OF (AT 807458) OBSERVED
 23 VC. AN ARTILLERY MISSION WAS CALLED
 RESULTING IN EIGHT VC KILLED. AT 1505, DURING A
 COMPANY SIZE SWEEP, COMPANY M, 26TH MARINES, AT
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(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON,
FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA(AW)-533, VMA-121, VMA-223,
VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMFA-323 AND VMFA-542 FLEW 19
SORTIES (TEN CAS AND NINE DAS), EXPENDING 30 TONS
OF ORDNANCE. 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 53 SORTIES,
TRANSPORTING 36 PERSONNEL AND THREE TONS OF CARGO.
BATTERY E, 11TH MARINES FIRED 169 MISSIONS, EXPENDING
1,629 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/83 KIA	3/449 KIA
0/331 WIA (EVAC)	0/145 DETAINEES (ADJ)
(ADJ)	1/14 VC/PW

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USA AFD USN
NO CHANGE

0/11 NVA/PW
0/32 RETURNEES
0/5 CIVIL DEFENDANTS
0/147 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(B) OPERATION SWIFT SABER (1ST MARINE
DIVISION)

(A) THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION, WITH
ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (BLT 3/1), CONTINUED
SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG
NAM PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) ON
THE 11TH, TWO USMC WERE KILLED BY SMALL ARMS
FIRE.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SWIFT SABER,
FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMFA-122 FLEW TWO CAS SORTIES,
EXPENDING THREE TONS OF ORDNANCE. BATTERY C AND
MORTAR BATTERY, 11TH MARINES FIRED 18 MISSIONS,
EXPENDING 144 ROUNDS. U.S.S. HULL (DD-945), FIRED 39
MISSIONS, EXPENDING 51 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
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2/3 KIA

NO CHANGE.

(9) OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST (1ST MARINE

DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE 26TH MARINES (-), (REFIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES (-), (REFIN), CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT. (LATE ENTRY) AT 111201 THE 3D BATTALION, 5TH MARINES SWEEP AT (AT 900511) RECEIVED HEAVY SMALL ARMS, AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND MORTAR FIRE FROM AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY. ORGANIC WEAPONS, ARTILLERY, AND AIR STRIKES WERE EMPLOYED. FOUR NVA WERE KILLED AND SEVEN WEAPONS WERE CAPTURED. FOUR USMC WERE KILLED AND 16 USMC WERE WOUNDED AND EVACUATED. IN 12 ADDITIONAL CONTACTS ON THE 11TH, TEN ENEMY WERE KILLED AND NINE USMC WERE WOUNDED AND EVACUATED. THREE CONTACTS ON THE 12TH RESULTED IN ONE NVA KILLED, ONE WEAPON CAPTURED, ONE USMC KILLED AND TWO USMC WOUNDED AND EVACUATED. THREE DETAINEES WERE APPREHENDED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION MAMELUKE

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THRUST, FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA-211, VMA-311, VMA-121, AND H&MS-12 FLEW 13 CAS SORTIES,

EXPENDING 19 TONS OF ORDNANCE. BDA WAS SIX BUNKERS DESTROYED AND TWO TRENCHES DAMAGED. 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 310 SORTIES, TRANSPORTING 280 PERSONNEL AND 55 TONS OF CARGO. MARINE ARTILLERY, REINFORCED BY USA 175 MM GUNS, FIRED 112 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 1,702 ROUNDS. OF THESE, THE 175MM GUNS OF 8TH BATTALION, 4TH ARTILLERY FIRED 17 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 44 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

5/67 KIA

15/461 KIA (ADJ)

27/270 WIA (EVAC)

3/36 DETAINEES

(ADJ)

0/1 VC/PW

1/6 NVA/PW

0/2 RETURNEES

8/114 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(10) OPERATION ALLEN BROOK (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 27TH MARINES, WITH ONE INFANTRY

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 CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN SOUTHEASTERN
 THUA THIEN PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT. AT (YD 940020),
 TWO USMC WERE WOUNDED BY A MINE DETONATION AND EVACUATED. OTHER
 CONTACTS RESULTED IN ONE VC KILLED, ONE WEAPON
 CAPTURED, AND ONE USMC WOUNDED BY SMALL ARMS FIRE AND EVACUATED.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON,
 FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA(AW)-242, VMA(AW)-533,
 VMA-223, VMFA-542, VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMA-323, AND HRMS-11
 FLEW 22 SORTIES (17 CAS AND FIVE DAS),
 EXPENDING 38 TONS OF ORDNANCE.
 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 62 SORTIES, TRANSPORTING
 17 PERSONNEL AND FOUR TONS OF CARGO. BATTERY E,
 11TH MARINES FIRED 132 MISSION, EXPENDING 1,389
 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC	ENEMY
0/83 KIA	1/450 KIA
3/334 WIA (EVAC)	0/144 DETAINEES (ADJ)
USA & USN	0/13 VC/PW (ADJ)
NO CHANGE	0/11 NVA/PW

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0/25 RETURNEES (ADJ)
 0/5 CIVIL DEFENDANTS
 1/148 WEAPONS CAPTURED

(8) OPERATION ~~SWIFT SABER~~ (1ST MARINE
 DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH
 ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (BLT 3/1), CONTINUED SEARCH
 AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG NAM
 PROVINCE WITH NO CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SWIFT SABER, BATTERY C AND
 MORTAR BATTERY, 11TH MARINES, FIRED FIVE MISSIONS, EXPENDING 15
 ROUNDS. USS HULL (DD-945) FIRED 23 MISSIONS, EXPENDING 254 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE - NO CHANGE.

(9) OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST (1ST MARINE
 DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE
 26TH MARINES (-) (REIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES (-)
 (REIN), CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN
 WESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH LIGHT CONTACT.
 (LATE ENTRIES) ON 11 JUNE, THE 1ST BATTALION,
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FIXED WING AIRCRAFT OF VMA-311, VMA-323, VMFA-542,

VMFA-115, VMFA-314, VMFA-323 AND H&MS-11 FLEW 17

SORTIES (10 CAS AND SEVEN DAS), EXPENDING 19 TONS

OF ORDNANCE. 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 42 SORTIES,

TRANSPORTING 45 PERSONNEL AND ONE TON OF CARGO.

BATTERY E, 11TH MARINES FIRED 150 MISSIONS, EXPENDING

1,659 ROUNDS. USS HULL (DD-945) FIRED 17 MISSIONS,

EXPENDING 119 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE NO CHANGE

(8) OPERATION SWIFT SABER (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH ONE INFANTRY BATTALION (BLT 3/1), TERMINATED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN NORTHWESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE

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AT 0600, WITH NO CONTACT.

(B) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SWIFT SABER, 1ST MAW HELICOPTERS FLEW 235 SORTIES, TRANSPORTING 55 PERSONNEL. BATTERY C, 11TH MARINES AND MORTAR BATTERY, 2D BATTALION, 11TH MARINES FIRED FIVE MISSIONS, EXPENDING 40 ROUNDS.

(C) RESULTS: DAILY/CUMULATIVE

USMC

ENEMY

0/3 KIA

0/2 KIA

(9) OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST (1ST MARINE DIVISION)

(A) THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION, WITH THE 26TH MARINES (-) (REIN) AND THE 7TH MARINES (-) (REIN), CONTINUED SEARCH AND CLEAR OPERATIONS IN WESTERN QUANG NAM PROVINCE WITH MODERATE CONTACT. (LATE ENTRIES) ON THE 12TH, 1ST MARINE DIVISION RECONNAISSANCE TEAMS ACCOUNTED FOR 16 VC KILLED BY ARTILLERY FIRE.. AT 130845, 1ST BATTALION, 26TH MARINES COMMAND GROUP, AT (AT 982565), ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY. THE MARINES WERE SUPPORTED

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