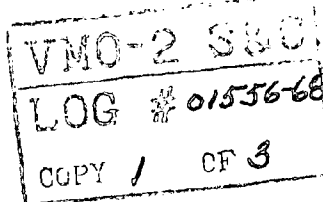


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To: Commandant of the Marine Corps (Code A03D)
 Via: Commanding Officer, Marine Aircraft Group 16
 Commanding General, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing
 Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific

Subj: Command Chronology for the period 1-31 October 1968

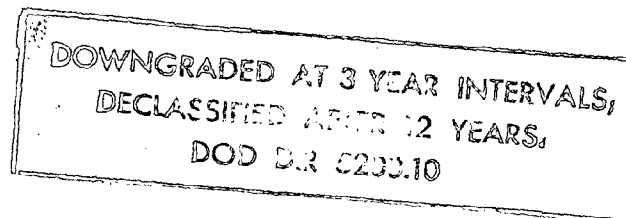
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1. In accordance with the provisions contained in reference (a) through (d), enclosure (1) is submitted.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1 October to 31 October 1968

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ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

PART I

1. Staff Listing

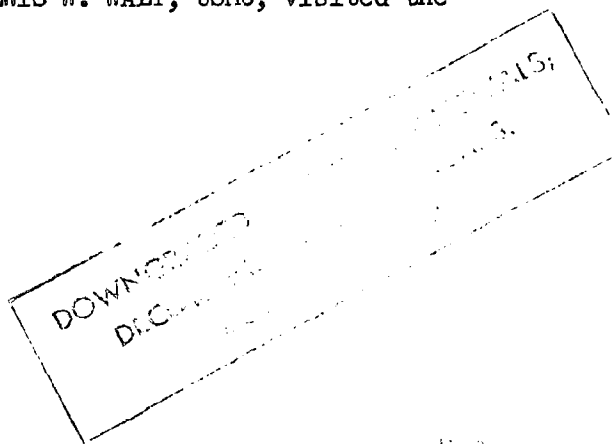
a. Commanding Officer	LtCol S. J. FULTON	(1-31 Oct)
b. Executive Officer	Maj R. D. MYERS	(1-31 Oct)
c. Operations Officer	Maj E. W. SPIAS ^R	(1-31 Oct)
d. Material Officer	1stLt R. L. KEIL	(1-31 Oct)
e. Admin Officer	1stLt R. L. ROTHROCK	(1-31 Oct)
f. Intelligence Officer	Maj B. D. RINEHART	(1-31 Oct)

2. MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO
MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP SIXTEEN
FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING, III MAF
MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY, DANANG, RVN

3. Average monthly strength:

a. Permanent	Officer	43	Enlisted	223
b. TAD	Officer	8	Enlisted	50

4. The Honorable PAUL R. IGNATIUS, Secretary of the Navy, visited the squadron on 10 October. LtGen LEWIS W. WALT, USMC, visited the squadron on 30 October.

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY
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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. Special Operations:

a. During October 1968, VMO-2 flew a total of 1789 sorties for a total of 2062.2 hours. This total includes gunships and OV-10A's. During these combat sorties, the pilots accomplished the following tasks:

- (1) Armed Helo Escort
- (2) Visual Reconnaissance
- (3) Fire Fly
- (4) TAC(A)
- (5) VIP
- (6) APD (Airborne Personnel Detection)

2. Highlights of the month. The following data is taken from the daily after action reports and is typical of the kind of operations that were performed by VMO-2 during the month of October 1968.

- 4 Oct 1 UH-1E gunship while flying as armed helo escort took 1 hit resulting in Gulf injury with Echo damage to aircraft.
- 9 Oct OV-10A ran five flights of fixed wing in support of B/1/5 who were receiving sniper fire. OV-10A observed 30 NVA enter a village on which CAS was controlled by OV-10A resulting in 22 structures destroyed.
- 22 Oct 2 UH-1E gunships observed crash of OV-10A. 1 landed and recovered the body of the pilot while the other laid down covering fire. Once body was recovered the one helo returned to 1st Hospital while the other remained on station to control fixed wing.
- 31 Oct OV-10A while on VR mission for recon team, spotted numerous new trenches, fighting holes, bunkers, and 1 AA position. Observed approximately 75 people throughout area. Marking target run resulted in 3 structures destroyed and 1 white secondary explosion.

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LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS
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SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

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PART III

1. Personnel:

- a. 15 enlisted were promoted.
- b. 10 personnel joined; 1 transferred.

2. Administration:

- a. No outstanding administrative problems.

3. Casualties:

- a. Capt. E. W. KIMMEL (KIA)

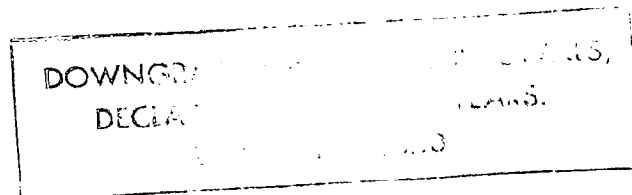
9. Air Operations:

- a. Total hours flown: 2062.2
- Hours gunships flown: 986.9
- Hours OV-10A's flown: 1075.3
- b. Number of sorties: 1789
- c. Number of medical evacuations escorts: 258
- d. Number of passengers carried: 7

11. Special Operations : VICTORY DRAGON III

17. Ordnance Expended :

- a. 7.62mm 221,900
- b. 2.75" rockets 10,405
- c. 5" Zuni 24



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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 01000H THRU 011930H
OCTOBER 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 108	TASKS: 31	HOURS: 34.1	PAX: 0
MONTH:	SORTIES: 108	TASKS: 31	HOURS: 34.1	PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 3 EMERGENCY/2 PRIORITY MEDEVACS.

VMO-2 FLEW THE FOLLOWING APD MSN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
APD	1	1	4.8	ZC0878 - ZC0883 AT8478 - AT8483

011315H - VS-12, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSNS 42 AND 16, RECEIVED AND RETURNED
FIRE AT THE FOLLOWING COORDINATES: AT953526, AT952523,

010945H - VS-7, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN 19 AND 20, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE
AT ZD151050.

011700H - VS-1, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN 20, RECEIVED ONE SMALL ARMS HIT
AT ZD150050.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 10
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 10
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MSN #31: LINE A - PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FROM XD891620 TO XD971680 FOR TROOP LIFT INVOLVING 3RD BN 12TH MARINES.

LINE B - VR FOR 1/44 ARTY TAC IN GRIDS NORTH WEST AND WEST OF KHE SANH (HWY 9). PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FROM XD891620 TO XD971680 FOR TROOP LIFT FOR 3/12 JOH BROWN.

LINE C - RAN TWO FLTS OF AIR ON NVA IN BUNKERS FOR A/1/9. 1 KBA, 4 BUNKERS DEST., 4 DAM., 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION - XD911643.

LINE D - VR FOR 1/9 @ XD911642. VR FOR 3/4 @ XD931427. TOOK GROUND HIT @ XD878645 & XD875650. .50 CAL. AND INTENSIVE SMALL ARMS FOLLOWED B ONE OBSERVED AIR BURST.

MSN #6: LINE B - CONDUCTED VR FOR H/3/5. SIGHTED VILLAGE WITH BUNKERS EAST OF THEIR POSITION @ AT953515. NOTIFIED H3/5 OF ALL SIGHTINGS.

LINE C - REGISTERED AND CHECKED SHEAF FOR B/1/11 @ AT99325955.

LINE D - FLEW VR FOR 2/5.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 18
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP SPECIAL INFORMATION FOR GROUP O N L Y!!

MISSION #18K: PROVIDED SUPPRESSIVE FIRE FOR RECON TEAM (LYNCH LAW) UNTIL ARRIVAL OF AIR.

MISSION #31: RECON NORTH OF BEN HAI FOR ARTILLERY POSITIONS IN SUPPORT OF 3/12 JOHN BROWN TROOP LIFT WHO WERE RECEIVING INCOMING FROM NORTH OF BEN HAI RIVER.

RECON FOR ENEMY ARTILLERY POSITIONS NORTH OF BEN HAI RIVER IN SUPPORT OF 3/12 JOHN BROWN TROOP LIFT.

COVERED 1/4 - RECEIVING INCOMING FROM XD9768 - ARTY CEASED.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 01 1930H THRU 021930H
OCTOBER 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY	SORTIES:	106	TASKS:	12	HOURS:	57.7	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	214	TASKS:	53	HOURS:	91.8	PAX:	6

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 4 EMERGENCY/3 PRIORITY/2 ROUTINE MEDEVACS.

VMO-2 FLEW THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	8	8	5.5
EXTRACTS	8	8	4.0

021030H - VS-15, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #20, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE.

021315H - VS-12, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #9, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @
BT016570.

021500H - VS-9, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #32, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE
FROM ZC148503 AND 158542.

021615H - VS-3, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #32, RECEIVED ONE ROUND IN EXTERNAL
GUN MOUNT..

MSNS SCHEDULED: 6
MSNS COMPLETED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 011930H THRU 021930H
OCTOBER 1968. PART II.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	20	TASKS:	27	HOURS:	42.5	<u>NO. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	45	TASKS:	59	HOURS:	94.2	6

MSN #18: LINE A - WORKED FOR 2/52 @ HILL 52 AREA. WORKED IN THREE FLTS OF AIR ON ENEMY BUNKERS @ AT806553 & 807560. COVERED TROOPS AS THEY MOVED ON RED LINE FROM HILL 52 TO 65. HEAVY CIVILIAN TRAFFIC ALONG ROAD. DESTROYED ONE INACTIVE GUN PIT @ AT805551, DEST. 7 STRUC., 100 METERS OF TRENCH AND TREE LINE.

LINE B - VR FOR M/3/1 IN SUPPORT OF VILLAGESWEEP IN GRID BT030714. VR FOR 1/1 IN GRID AT9857.

LINE C - RAN TWO FLTS OF AIR ON AT864680 AND 841688. CONDUCTED VR FOR 3/7 @ AT9355 TO 9657. VR FOR MILLBROOK 1/5 @ AT8649 TO 9051.

LINE D - COVERED TROOP MOVEMENT FROM HILL 65 TO HILL 52, IN SUPPORT OF 7TH MARINES. SIGHTED 3 VC @ AT855860. RAN VR MSN AND ONE AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT OF NATIVE BIRE RECON TEAM @ AT880665. TARGET WAS PREP OF NEW OBJECTIVE.

LINE E - VR/TACA FOR 1/1. RAN ONE FLT AIR ON AT984573 SUSPECTED A/A SITE. SIGHTED TWO NVA (ONE IN KHAKI, ONE IN GREEN UTILITIES) @ AT990569. RAN THREE AIR STRIKES ON NVA AND SURROUNDING BUNKERS. BDA: 1 KBA CONFIRMED, 1 BUNKER DAM.

LINE F - WORKED FOR 2/7. RAN 6 FLTS OF AIR. 7 FIGHTING HOLES DEST., 3 SEC. FIRES, 3 BUNKERS DEST.

LINE H - VR AND CONTROLLED 8 PRE-PLANNED FLTS OF AIR IN GRIDS @ AT9756, 9856 FOR 1/1. FLTS WERE RUN ON BUNKERS, STRUCTURES, FIGHTING HOLES AND TRENCH LINE.

LINE I - RAN AIR FOR QUIZMASTER 14, 2/5, @ AT806566 ON BUNKER. LZ CHECK FOR DATE PALM @ ZC176834. POS CHECK FOR ROCK MAJ @ ZC206647. VR FOR QUIZMASTER IN ZC198541 AREA TOOK SMALL ARMS.

LINE J - CONDUCTED VR FOR 2/7 VICINITY OF AT8366. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR FOR H/2/5 @ AT872501. DEST. TWO BUNKERS.

LINE K - VR FOR PERSPECTIVE 1/1 AND HAD A SIGHTING OF A BUNKER @ BT012590. ALSO HAD A CAMOUFLAGED BUNKER @ AT982554. VR FOR GUNSMOKE. SIGHTED A BOAT @ AT977554. VR FOR GUN ~~XXXXXXXX~~ SMOKE SIGHTED A BOAT : AT977552. ALSO A LARGE HOLE WITH A CAMOFLAGED TOP @ AT982535.

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MSN #31: LINE A - CONTROLLED SIX FLT OF AIR ON BRIDGES ALONG RT 9 SOUTH WEST OF KHE SANH TO LAOS BORDER. DEST. BRIDGE @ XD716380. ~~XXX~~

LINE B - RECON FOR ICEMADE A & B (1/9) @ XD9164 & 9063. FOUND SIX OR MORE BUNKERS : XD911642. RAN ONE FLT ON BUNKERS AND DEST. OR BURNED THREE. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR ON TRAIL AND SUSPECTED NVA @ XD906639.

LINE C - RAN VR FOR 4TH MARINES @ XD8040 AND XD8339. VR DR 9TH MARINES @ XD8040 AND XD8339. VR FOR 9TH MARINES : YD008 TO 009 EAST WEST 51 TO 52 SOUTH.

MSN #6: LINE B - REGISTERED A/1/11 @ AT99325955 AND CHECKED THEM SHEAF. STARTED REGISTRATION WITH C/1/11 @ AT03756876, BUT DID NOT COMPLETE IT.

LINE D - VR FOR 2/5. VR FOR 2/5, SPOTTED 20-30 NVA IN TREE LINE @ AT801479. ADJUSTED ARTY FOR FOXTROT 2/11.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 15
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 15
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OCTOBER 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	59	TASKS:	18	HOURS:	48.3	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	271	TASKS:	71	HOURS:	140.1	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM362 ON 5 EMERGENCY/2 PRIORITIES MEDEVACS.

VMO-2 FLEW THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	4.2
EXTRACTS	1	1	3.0

THE FOLLOWING APD MSN WAS FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
APD:	1	1	3.6	ELEPHANT VALLEY

031000H - VS-10, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #20, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE
@ ZC173834.

030915H - VS-12, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #9, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @
BT018589.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OCTOBER 1968. PART II.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 17	TASKS: 23	HOURS: 36.7	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES: 62	TASKS: 82	HOURS: 130.9	4

MSN #6: LINE D - CONDUCTED VR FOR RECON TEAM IN 2/5'S TAOR. VR VICINITY
OF GRID AT806461.

MSN #18: LINE A - WORKED WITH L/3/5 WHO WAS RECEIVING SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM
AT845526. DELIVERED SUPPRESSIVE FIRE. WORKED WITH 2/7 AND CON-
TROLLED 3 FLTS OF AIR @ AT860675 TO PREP AN AREA PRIOR TO THEIR
SWEEP. SIGHTED .50 CAL. POSITION @ AT862674 - REPORTED TO GROUND
UNITS.

LINE B - VR/TACA IN DODGE CITY AREA FOR 1/1. RAN FIVE FLTS AIR
ON FORTIFIED TREELINES. COORD. - AT989558, AT994553 & AT98572.
BDA: 1 BUNKER DEST., 20 METERS TRENCH LINE DEST.

✓ LINE C - RAN TWO FLTS OF AIR FOR 1/5 @ AT980535 & AT979537. BDA:
2 BUNKERS DEST. & 1 DAM. OV-10 TOOK ONE .30 CAL. HIT @ AT979337.

LINE D - VR FOR B/1/5 @ AT979537. DESTROYED 4 BUNKERS (ONE CONCRETE).
DOWNED CH-46 @ ZC173834. HAD TWO RECON TEAMS AROUND HELO WHO WERE
RECEIVING FIRE. REQUEST COVER SO THEY COULD MOVE NORTH AND HAVE
HEAVY ORDNANCE BE PUT ON TARGET.

LINE G - PRIORITY MSN WITH RECON TEAMS CROCHET & MABLE ANN IN CON-
TACT. DOWNED CH-46 @ ZC173834. RAN ONE FLT AIR IN SUPPORT OF RECON.
ALSO VR FOR ~~THE~~ MABLE ANN AND PROVIDED C&C FOR THE TEAM.

LINE H - RAN IN AIR FOR 1/1 @ BT007571. VR DODGE CITY AREA. ARTY
MSN @ BT015601 ON 3 VC WORKING ON TRENCH IN UNOCCUPIED VILLE.

LINE I - VR FOR INDIA 3/5 @ AT8354. RAN 7 FLTS OF AIR FOR LIMA 3/5
WITHIN AT8555 & AT8554 GRIDS. OBTAINED 2 KBA AND 1 SECONDARY EX-
PLOSION (BURNED AS IF ROCKET PROPELLANT WOULD BURN). KILLED 4 VC
WITH OV-10 TRYING TO BREAK CONTACT.

LINE J - WORKED WITH 1/1 AND CONTROLLED THREE FLTS OF AIR ON FORTI-
FIED AREA @ AT995604. WORKED WITH 3/5 AND VR FOR THEM IN THE AT8555
AREA. ALSO HELPED THEM TO LINK UP. VR ALLENBROOK AREA.

LINE K - RAN VR MSN ON SUSPECTED VC BASE CAMP IN SUPPORT OF 26TH
MARINES @ AT838868. VR DOWNED HELO FOR LUMINOUS BASE. RAN VR FOR
1/1 @ 00609960 IN FREE FIRE ZONE. SIGHTED MAN FIRES THROUGH OUT
THE AREA.

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MSN #31: LINE A - VR FOR 2/9 IN AREA OF XD8642. VR FOR 1/9 IN XD8864 AREA.
VR FOR 9TH MARINE REG. IN XDC750 AREA.

LINE B - VR FOR 3/4 @ XD9961, XD9962, XDC061, & XD0062. OBVIOUS
TRACKED VEHICLE ACTIVITY THROUGHOUT AREA. VEHICLES NOT LOCATED.
VR FOR 1/3 IN AREA OF XD8957. BUNKER COMPLEX AND SIGNS OF RECENT
TRAIL ACTIVITY.

LINE D - CONTROLLED 3 DIRECT AIR SUPPORT FLIGHTS ON YD118825,
1 ARTY PIECE AND 4 TRUCKS. DAMAGED TRUCK, UNABLE TO FURTHER BDA.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 13
PERCENTAGE: 72% (DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY)

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OCTOBER 1968. PART I..

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	85	TASKS:	17	HOURS:	22.1	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	356	TASKS:	88	HOURS:	162.2	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 3 EMERGENCY/1 PRIORITY/3 ROUTINE MEDEVACS.

VMO-2 FLEW THE FOLLOWING APD MISSIONS:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
APD	1	1	3.3	ELEPHANT VALLEY

040745H - VS-10, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #17, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE
AT ZC178785 & ZC173764.

041330H - VS-9, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #9, RECEIVED ONE SMALL ARMS HIT IN
TAIL AND EXITED THROUGH ENGINE COWLING. ECHO DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT;
GOLF INJURY TO CREW.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6 (MISSION #26 CANX DUE TO WX)
PERCENTAGE: 86%

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OCTOBER 1968. PART II.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 25	TASKS: 33	HOURS: 50.0	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES: 87	TASKS: 115	HOURS: 180.9	7

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN VR MSN AND ONE AIRSTRIKE IN SUPPORT OF 2/7 @ AT876678. TARGET WAS OBJECTIVE PREP. RAN ONE AIR STRIKE FOR 5TH MARINES @ AT858555. TARGET WAS NVA IN BUNKERS. FIRE ARTY MSN ON NVA IN BUNKERS @ AT856555.

LINE B - COVER FOR RESUPPLY OF THUONG DUC. RAN TWO ~~FLTS~~ OF AIR. ONE SECONDARY - SMOKE YELLOW/ORANGE @ ZC148522.

LINE C - SENT TO ZC168838 TO DESTROY CH-46. PARTIALLY DEST. WITH TWO FLTS AND LEFT (A/C WAS BURNING) DUE TO TROOPS IN CONTACT. SUPPORTED 2/7 @ AT845664. RECEIVING 82MM INCOMING. SILENCED WITH TWO AIR STRIKES. REPORTED ONLY DAMAGING 46 TO CP BASE.

LINE D - VR AND CONTROLLED TWO FLTS OF AIR FOR M/3/5 ON SUSPECTED VC IN VILLE AND TREELINE. VR FOR B/1/5 IN GRID 9559.

LINE E - VR AND FLEW COVER FOR RECON TEAM ROCK MAT @ ZC194643.

LINE F - FLEW AREA RECON WITH ASS'T DIV. G-2 LTCOL DOWD. GENERAL VR OF HAPPY VALLEY AND ELEPHANT VALLEY.

LINE H - VR AND CONTROLLED SEVEN FLTS OF AIR FOR 1ST MARINES IN "DODGE CITY" AREA. GRID AT983575.

LINE I - CONDUCTED VR FOR 2/7 OPERATING VICINITY OF ENTRANCE TO HAPPY VALLEY. LOCATED AA POSITION @ AT853682, 861675, 884683. BUNKERS AT859675. CHECKED ON DOWNED CH-46 ZC174834 AND LOCATED NEW TRAIL ACTIVITY VICINITY OF ZC175835 RUNNING SOUTHEAST NORTH-WEST AND USED OVERNIGHT.

LINE J - SUPPORTED 2/5 ON GENERAL VR @ AT8053. UNIT DECIDED TO INSERT SQUAD @ AT802538 TO SEARCH ENEMY BODIES @ LOCATION THAT THAT HAD BEEN SHOT EARLIER. 15 MINUTES AFTER UNIT WAS INSERTED THEY CAM UNDER HEAVY SNIPER FIRE AND REQUESTED COVER AND IMMEDIATE EXTRACT. CH-46 HAD RETURNED TO OTHER ASSIGNMENT. GUN BIRDS WENT TO REFUEL. IT WAS ESSENTIAL THAT WE ATTACK THE TARGET WITH THE OV-10 TO SUPPRESS THE SNIPER FIRE ENOUGH FOR THE UNIT TO MOVE BACK TO THE AREA OF THE LZ. HUEYS THEN RETURNED AND ALSO SUPPRESSED THE SNIPER FIRE. ONE KBA CONFIRMED BY GROUND TROOPS IN KHAKI UNIFORM. ALSO OBSERVED OTHERS ENTERING CAVE ENTRANCE. CH-46 THEN SET DOWN IN ZONE TO EXTRACT SQUAD. NEGATIVE FIRE REPORTED DURING EXTRACTION.

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LINE K - VR ~~KHE~~ LOCATION OF RECON TEAM FAST DAY @ ZC138714. VR FOR 1/1 @ AT9955, 9859, 9855, 9857. TUNNEL ENTRANCES (6' x 7' & 3' x 4') LOCATED ALONG RIVER BANK @ BT010560. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR FOR 1/1 @ BT012563 WITH ONE BUNKER DEST., ONE STRUC DEST, AND 25 METERS OF TRENCHLINE COVERED.

MSN #6: LINE B - CONDUCTED VR FOR 2/5 IN VICINITY OF GRID AT858555 AND AT823540.

LINE C - ATTEMPTED REGISTRATION WITH K/4/11, BUT COULD NOT GET CLEARANCE ON ANY OF THREE GRIDS SUBMITTED. GRIDS WERE ZC122514, ZC113497 AND AT799477.

LINE D - CONDUCTED VR FOR 2/7 IN VICINITY OF AT8668 TO AT8868. GUIDED E/2/7 AND F/2/7 OUT OF BOONDOCKS AND IN DIRECTION OF AT887687 WHICH WAS THEIR OBJECTIVE. (COMMAND AND CONTROL)

MSN #31: LINE A - RAN VR FOR BEWARE 14 ONE CLICK SOUTH EAST CAMP CAROL. RAN ONE FLIGHT AIR @ 8668 GRID IN SUPPORT OF INSERTION OPERATION @ KHE SANH.

LINE B - RAN FOUR FLTS OF AIR FOR LZ PREP @ XD890400. VR ~~KHE~~ SANH AREA TO LAOTIAN BORDER. PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FOR TROOP MOVEMENT @ LZ HAWK.

LINE C - VR FOR 3/4 AROUND KHE SANH AREA TWICE. RAN THREE FLTS OF FIXED WING ON BUNKERS @ XD857342.

LINE D - VR FOR 1/9 @ 8665.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 17
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 17
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 041930H THRU 051930H
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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	94	TASKS:	17	HOURS:	46.8	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	450	TASKS:	105	HOURS:	209.0	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 1 EMERGENCY/5 PRIORITY MEDEVACS.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	7.0
EXTRACTS	4	4	8.2

THE FOLLOWING APD MSN WAS FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
APD	1	1	4.3	ZC1443 - ZC1454 AT8154 - AT8143

051700H - VS-12, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #9, RECEIVED FIRE AND TOOK ONE HIT
THROUGH CABIN. GOLF INJURY/ECHO AIRCRAFT DAMAGE.

051600H - VS-15, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #41, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @
COORD. SPECIFIED ON FIRE INCIDENT.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 22	TASKS: 29	HOURS: 47.4	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES: 109	TASKS 144	HOURS: 228.3	2

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR 2/7 @ AT8969. VR FOR 2/5 AND RAN FOUR FLTS OF AIR. TWO DUD BOMBS. GUN FIGHTER 8 EJECTED OVER CHARLIE RIDGE; HE WAS RECEIVING FIRE - GAVE HIM COVERING FIRE UNTIL HELO PICKED HIM UP. ALSO GAVE PILOT DIRECTION TO MOVE FOR PICK-UP.

LINE B - VR FOR 1/26 @ AT880866 WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS. WORKED FOR PETRIFY 1/3/7 AND CONTROLLED THREE FLTS OF AIR ON BUNKER COMPLEX WITH 5 BUNKERS DEST., 3 BUNKERS DAM., AND 70MM TRENCH LINE DEST. WORKED WITH DOWNED F-4 PILOT @ AT822578 UNTIL HE WAS EXTRACTED.

LINE C - VR FOR 3/5 @ AT8450.

LINE E - RAN SEVEN FLTS OF AIR IN VICINITY OF AT979565 AFTER TAKING GROUND FIRE. SPOTTED 10 - 15 NVA RUN OUT OF BUNKERS AND CONTINUED FIRING INDIA BATTERY 3/11 BETWEEN AIR STRIKES.

LINE F - GENERAL VR FOR 2/5 @ AT8554. RAN FOUR AIR STRIKES FOR PERSPECTIVE 14 @ AT9456 SATURATION TARGETS.

LINE G - NO MISSION AVAILABLE FOR AN AO IN THE 1ST DIV TAOR.

LINE H - RAN TEN FLTS OF AIR IN FREE FIRE ZONE 9860, 0260, 9851, and 0255 GRIDS. 9 STRUC DES, 1 DAM, 3 BUNKERS DEST, AND 200 METERS OF TRENCHLINE UNCOVERED.

LINE I - VR FOR 3/5 IN GRID AT849519. VR FOR RECON TEAM "DODGE CITY" IN GRID ZC113783.

LINE K - WORKED FOR QUIZMASTER 14 @ HILL 52. RAN IN TWO FLTS OF AIR @ ZC203563 AND ZC195568. ALL IN ATTEMPT TO KNOCK OUT 60MM INCOMING INTO HILL 52. MORTAR SILENCED @ ZC203563.

MSN #6: LINE B - REGISTERED C/1/11 @ GRID AT92896449.

MSN #31: LINE A - FOUND CHECK POOL (RECON TEAM) AND TOLD HIM HIS POSITION (YD2654). VR AND ARTY ADJUST FOR SAND BOX "A" (1/9) @ XD842668. VR AND COVER FOR EVER SHARP (4TH MARINES) INSERT @ XD7938.

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LINE B - VR IN SUPPORT OF 1/9 @ XD8966. ARTILLERY WATCH IN THE SAMH AREA IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SCOTLAND NANKING. VR SUPPORT OF 1/9 AND SIGHTED FOOT BRIDGE @ XD896-665. VR AND SUPPORT FOR RECON TEAM "MOLESKIN" @ XD827485.

LINE C - VR FOR 1/9. RAN TWO FLTS @ XD875685. OBSERVED 5-6 VC CROSSING RIVER @ XD875685. REPORTED TO 1/9.

LINE D - CONDUCTED VR FOR 1ST BN 26TH MARINES "G" AND "H" CO. @ XD975680.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 15
PERCENTAGE: 83%

6D - CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY
18D - CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY

18G - NO MSN AVAILABLE FOR AN AO IN THE 1ST DIV TAOR.

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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	117	TASKS:	32	HOURS:	44.6	PAY:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	567	TASKS:	137	HOURS:	253.6	PAY:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HH-362 ON 4 EMERGENCY MEDEVACS.

060915H - VS-12/3, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #29, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE
@ ZC1550.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	4	
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	3	(MSN #22 CANX - TROOPS NOT READY TO MOVE)
PERCENTAGE:	75%	

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SUBREP FOR THE PERIOD 060000H THRU 062400H
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OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	28	TASKS:	37	HOURS:	59.0	NO. SIG. S. ON MCG
MONTH:	SORTIES:	137	TASKS:	181	HOURS:	287.3	6

MSN #6: LINE C - VR FOR 2/5 IN VICINITY OF GRID ZC192567.

LINE D - WORKED WITH 2/5 IN ZC186567 - CALLED IN ARTY MSN.
E/2/11 SHOT THE MISSION.

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR GOLF 2/5 @ ZC1956. SIGHTED 1 LANK BRIDGE @ ZC189567.
HEAVILY USED TRAILS IN VICINITY. VR FOR INDIA A D KILO 3/7 @
AT8255.

LINE B - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 11TH MARINES IN THE THUNG DUC VALLEY.

LINE C - CONDUCTED VR FOR GOLF 2/5 AND INDIA 3/7. GOLF 2/5 MADE
CONTACT SAME VICINITY ZC195561. RAN ONE FLT AIR. TOOK GROUND FIRE
ON PART OF TARGET.

LINE D - RAN ARTY ON TWO NVA @ AT80514560. THEY WERE HEAD NG WEST
ON HILL. VR FOR C N SMOKE (5th MARINES) AND SERVICEMAN (1ST REGON)?

LINE E - CONTROLLED SEVEN AIR STRIKES FOR LZ PRE - LZ SHARROW ZC155504.

LINE F - VR FOR 1/1 @ AT9855 and BT0156. ONE BOAT SIGHTED @
AT982554. TUNNEL ENTRANCES 6-7 LOCATED AND RE NO I FORWARDED
BT010560 (AT RIVER EDGE). FIVE NVA IN GREEN NIFOR'S SIGHTED
COORD AT1517H.

LINE H - LOCATED BUNKER COMPLEX FOR 1/1 BT010560. SIGHTED FIVE
NVA IN GREEN UTILITIES. RAN SIX FLWS FIXED WING. COULD NO SEE NVA.

LINE I - SUPPORTED 2/5 WITH FIVE GAS MISSION ON SUSPECTED ASSEMBLY
AREAS AND 82MM MORTAR POSITIONS.

LINE J - VR FOR MILBROCK 14 (1/5) IN 8843 AREA. FOUND NUMEROUS
FOXBOWS @ AT893442. FIRED 90MM TANK BOMB @ THIS TARGET.

LINE K - VR AND CONTROLLED ONE FLT OF M. FOR 1/1 IN GRID AT000555.
VR FOR C/1/7 IN GRID AT020444.

MSN #29: LINE A - RAN THIRTEEN AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF LZ PREP @ AC1550.

LINE B - RAN NINE FLWS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF HOOP LIFT @ ZC158503.

LINE C - RECON NEW LZ @ ZC1549.

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LINE D - VR AND TACA IN SUPPORT OF TROOP LIFT @ AT811527. RAN FOUR AIR STRIKES AS LZ PREP @ AT811527.

MSN #31: LINE A - VR FOR 1st BN 9th MARINES AND 3/9 @ XD850600. VR FOR H3/9 AND RAN TWO AIR STRIKES @ XD795348. DESTROYED TWO BUNKERS, FOUR VEHICLE HOLES. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR FOR 2/9 @ XD829485.

LINE B - VR FOR 9th MARINES AROUND XD1553 GRID. VR FOR 4th MARINES FROM KHE SANH TO LOA BORDER. KIN FOR ENEMY ARTY AND GENERAL VR.

LINE C - VR FOR 2/4 @ XD83 6. AREA PREP @ XD836364 WITH TWO FLTS AIR. LZ PREP @ AT777438 WITH ONE FLT SINGRAFT. SUPPORTED TROOP LIFT INSERT WITH ONE FLT BY HITT @ XD776457 D RING TROOP DROP. VR FOR 1/9 @ AT9064.

LINE D - VR FOR 2/26 @ XD9970. VR FOR 1/9 @ AT8768. CONTROLLED LOVERD 309 ON BUNKERS @ AT875685. VR FOR 3/9 @ AT5316 GRID.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 20

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 18 (6D & 18F WERE CANCELED DUE TO A2C AVAILABILITY)

PERCENTAGE: 90%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 061930H THRU 071930H
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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	43	TASKS:	13	HOURS:	39.4	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	610	TASKS:	150	HOURS:	293.0	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 5 EMERGENCY/ 3 PRIORITY/ 1 ROUTINE MEDEVAC.

071645H - VS-5, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #9, RECEIVED ONE ROUND THROUGH SIDE WINDOW WHICH PASSED THROUGH TOP WINDOW. ECHO DAM., GULF INJURY.

070900H - VS3, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #29, RECEIVED FIRE WHILE MAKING LOW PASS OVER LZ @ ZC155503. DREW FIRE AND WAS FORCED TO LAND @ ZC146532. DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT UNKNOWN. CO-PILOT RECEIVED BRAVO INJURY.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	18	TASKS:	35	HOURS:	49.5	NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS
MONTH:	SORTIES:	155	TASKS:	216	HOURS:	336.8	5

MSN #6: LINE C - ATTEMPTED TO REGISTER 3RD "8" HOWITZERS BUT WAS GIVEN EOM
BECAUSE OF GUN MALFUNCTION. CONDUCTED VR IN THE VICINITY OF AT849769 FOR 1/26.

MSN #18: LINE A - VR AND TAC(A) FOR G/2/5. RAN FIVE AIR STRIKES ON SUSPECTED
NVA CONCENTRATIONS @ ZC191567 & ZC185565. ONE A/A SITE DEST., TWO
FIGHTING HOLES DESTROYED. G/2/5 REPORTED SMALL ARMS FIRE @ ZC192
569.

LINE B - VR FOR MILLBROOK 14 (1/5) AREA SOUTH EAST OF LIBERTY BRIDGE
BEING RESETTLED. J ST ABOUT EVERY HOUSE HAS BUNKER AND BOMBSHELTER
AND EXTENSIVE RICE HARVESTING. VR FOR NATIVE BIRD 14 IN ZC0857 GRID.
WE WERE TOLD THAT THERE ARE FOUR .50 CAL SITES ON HILL 683, ZC0853
GRIDSQUARE. NO MOVEMENT SIGHTED ON HILL 683.

LINE D - CONTROLLED ONE FLT OF AIR ON AREA PREP FOR G/2/5 @ ZC189563.

LINE E - RAN FOUR FLTS OF AIR FOR 3/7 AT803575. SUPPOSEDLY A CAVE
WITH NVA OBSERVATION POSITION.

LINE F - VR OF HAPPY VALLEY @ ZC095655. LOOKS LIKE CABLE (COMM) OR
ROPE ACROSS STREAM - BTO95655 - FRESH TRAIL TH T RUNS EAST AND WEST
ACROSS BOMB CRATER. VR FOR NIGHT SCHOLAR @ ZC1275 AND FOUND A LZ.
WORKED WITH FLAG DIP @ AT837828 WHO WERE RECEIVING SNIPER FIRE.

LINE G - GENERAL VR FOR 5TH MARINES (ARIZONA AREA). ALSO FOR 2/5
@ AT9244, 8944 AND ALLENBROOK AREA. SUPPORTED RECON TEAM FLAG DIP
RECEIVED LIGHT SNIPER FIRE. CONTROLLED ONE AIR STRIKE @ AT837828.

LINE H - RAN 4 FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 ON TUNNELS AND TRENCH-
LINE. 3 KBA, 10 METERS OF TRENCH, 1 SECONDARY, 3 AA POSITIONS
ZC187568, AND MANY FIGHTING HOLES.

LINE J - 2/5 IN HEAVY CONTACT VICINITY OF ZC195562. RAN 3 FLTS OF
AIR ON AV AND MORTAR SITES @ ZC193567.

LINE K - RAN ONE FLT, LOVEBUG 524, ON AT806561. 2 VC SITED BY 3/7
"M". VR FOR 2/5. ACTIVE ROCKET SITE @ ZC205575,

"M"

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MSN #29: LINE A - CONTROLLED LZ PREP. RAN 12 FLTS OF AIR @ ZC158503.
CONDUCTED VR OF SAME AREA. MANY NVA AUTOMATIC WEAPONS IN AREA OF ABOVE
COORDINATES.

LINE B - RAN 8 FLTS OF AIR ON SUSPECTED NVA POSITIONS @ ZC151505.

LINE C - RAN 7 FLTS OF AIR ON AREA PREP OF ZC158503 FOR 7TH MARINES.

RECEIVED FIRE FROM ACTIVE .50 CAL POSIT.

MSN #31: LINE A - CONDUCTED VR FOR 9TH MARINES @ XD999612.

LINE B - VE FOR 3/3 - 1/9 - 1/4. ONE VR OF XD9868 - 9968-9968-989.
CONTROLLED 4 FLTS OF AIR FOR 3/3. ONE SUSPECTED MORTAR POSITION
SILENCED AND ONE BUNKER DESTROYED WITH ONE BUNKER DAMAGED.

LINE C - VR FOR 3/9 - 1/3 AND 3RD RECON. RAN THREE FLTS @ XD79544
FOR EMERGENCY RECON EXTRACT. ESCORTED CHATTER BOX 6-1 IN FOR RECON
EXTRACT.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 19
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 15
PERCENTAGE: 79%

MISSIONS 6B, 6D, 18C, & 18I WERE CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	77	TASKS:	28	HOURS:	41.7	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	687	TASKS:	178	HOURS:	334.7	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HM-362 ON 4 EMERGENCY/1 PRIORITY/2 ROUTINE REDEVACS.

081445H - VS-10, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #16, RECEIVED LIMITED DAMAGE
WHILE LANDING @ AN HOA. RIGHT SKID BROKEN JUST IN FRONT OF
FRONT CROSS TUBE AND LEFT SKID BENT IN CENTER. NEGATIVE
INJURY TO CREW; NEGATIVE PROPERTY DAMAGE.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	14	TASKS:	24	HOURS:	36.9	<u>SIG SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	169	TASKS:	240	HOURS:	373.7	3

MSN #6: LINE B - CONDUCTED VR OF THUONG DUC AREA. OBSERVED AAW POSITION @ ZC135588 AND EXTENSIVE TRAIL COMPLEX IN THE VICINITY OF ZC050515.

LINE C - ATTEMPTED TO REGISTER 3rd 155 GUNS AND 8" GUNS.

LINE D - REGISTERED 3rd 155 GUNS @ ZC113498.

MSN #18: LINE A = RAN 11 FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 WHO WERE IN CONTACT IN VICINITY OF ZC190599. RESULTED IN 5 KBA'S CONFIRMED.

LINE B - FOUND LZ FOR 2/7 ECHO @ ZC088535. DIRECTED ECHO TO LZ. RAN AIRY MSN FOR 1/5 BRAVO 3 @ AT928504 ON SUSPECTED VR POSITIONS THAT BRAVO 3 TOOK AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FROM. 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED 2 DAM.

LINE C - VANDER CONTROLLED TWO FLTS OF AIR FOR 3/7 ON SUSPECTED VC STAGING AREA IN GRID @ AT06565. VR FOR G/2/5 IN GRID ZC189562.

LINE D - RAN FIVE FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF 7TH MARINES FOR LZ PREP. VR FOR 3/5.

LINE E - 2/5 STILL IN CONTACT. RAN FOUR FLTS OF AIR IN VICINITY OF ZC191562. RESULTED IN 1 KBA CONFIRMED.

LINE F - RAN THREE AIR STRIKES AND ONE ARTY MSN ON AREA PREP FOR 7TH MARINES ZC158494.

LINE G - RAN VR MSN AND THREE AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 @ ZC189560. TARGET WAS BUNKERS AND SUSPECTED VC BUNKER. 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED. 3 DAM.

LINE H - FOUND HEAVILY IDENTIFIED TRENCHLINE BUNKERS AND AA SITE ALONG RIDGE LINE FROM ZC194515 TO ZC160495. ESTIMATE 1000 METERS TRENCHLINE AND 50 BUNKERS. THREE AA POSITIONS @ ZC188519. RAN 9 FLTS ON THESE TARGETS. TOTAL BDA WAS 200 METERS TRENCH DESTROYED AND 10 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

LINE I - WORKED WITH QUIZMASTER (2/5) "C" 2/5 WAS ASSAULTING AN OBJECTIVE @ AT189560. CONTROLLED THREE FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT TWO FLTS RAN ON THE AT189560 COORDINATE WITH ONE CONFIRMED KBA; ONE FLT ON ZC185599 WITH TWO CONFIRMED KBA. QUIZMASTER WAS RECEIVING MORTAR AND SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH OF THEIR ASSAULT.

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LINE J - VR FOR RECON TEAM "BLUE SPRUCE" IN GRID ZC175643. VR
FOR RECON TEAM "NIGHT SCHOLAR." VR FOR 1/1 GRID AT9968.

LINE I - VR AND TACA FOR 2/5 IN CONTACT @ ZC1956. RAN TWO AIR STRIKES
ON SUSPECTED MORTAR AND .50 CAL SITES @ ZC192567. RAN ONE AIR
STRIKE ON SUSPECTED ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS AT ZC154496.

MSN #31: LINE A - VR @ XD846393 FOR 1/4 VR @ XD8541 GRID FOR 3/8.

LINE B - VR OF XD8248 HEAVY TRAIL ACTIVITY. RAN ONE PL OF AIR
@ XD753348.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 16
MISSIONS SCHED ISD: 16
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	95	TASKS:	30	HOURS:	47.1	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	782	TASKS:	208	HOURS:	381.8	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 6 EMERGENCY/11 PRIORITY/2 ROUTINE MEDEVACS

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	9	9	10.0
EXTRACTS	4	4	5.8

VMO-2 FLEW THE FOLLOWING APD MSNS:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
APD	1	1	2.9

090915H - VS-10, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #9, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @
LR "B".

091500H - VS-3, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #20, RECEIVED FIRE FROM AT831660
AND AT ZC201812.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	22	TASKS:	38	HOURS:	55.9	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	191	TASKS:	278	HOURS:	429.6	1

MSN #6: LINE B - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 1ST MARINES @ BT0160, BT0260 AND
BT0261. REGISTERED B/1/11 @ AT948645.

LINE C - REGISTERED 3RD 8" HOWITZER @ AT8301 & 8612.

LINE D - ATTEMPTED TO REGISTER 3RD 155 GUNS @ ZC191529

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN AIR FOR 2/5 G & E @ ZC196567 AREA. HAD A ^{ENEMY} SQUAD IN
BUNKERS @ AT195565.

LINE B - RAN FIVE FLTS OF AIR FOR B/1/5 WHO WAS RECEIVING SNIPER ^{FIRE}
AND OBSERVED 30 NVA ENTER A VILLAGE. 22 STRUC DEST GROUND FIRE
ON TWO FLTS. DURING FIRST AIR STRIKE. FIVE NVA IN DARK GREEN
UNIFORMS RAN NORTH.

LINE C - CONTROLLED ONE AIR STRIKE IN AREA PREP FOR 3/5 @ ZC194515
CONTROLLED FIVE AIR STRIKES IN AREA PREP FOR 2/5 G & E CO.

LINE D - TACA AND VR FOR B/1/5. RAN TWO AIR STRIKES ON REPORTED
NVA IN FORTIFIED VILLE @ AT936497. NINE STRUC DEST., FOUR DAM.
FIRST FLT TOOK GROUND FIRE FROM VILLE. ESCORTED MED EVAC HELO B 073660.
RAN AIR ON SUSPECTED NVA @ ZC103526 FOR G/2/7.

LINE E - RAN AIR FOR 2/5 G & E @ ZC196567 AREA.

LINE F - VR AND CONTROLLED THREE FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF M/3/5
IN RID ZC1850. ALSO ADJUSTED TWO ARTY MSNS.

LINE G - RAN VR MSN FOR NORTH TIDE 14 @ AU8208. WORKED FOR 1ST DIV
RECON TEAM. RAN ONE AIR STRIKE ON A SUSPECTED VC BASE @ ZC132739.
LOCATED WHAT LOOKED LIKE A ROPE CROSSING THE

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LINE J - CONDUCTED VR AND COVERED SWEEP OF 3RD PLT "B" CO 15/ FROM AT925490 TO THE EAST 800 METERS WITHOUT INCIDENT. RAN ONE AIR STRIKE ON REPORTED TEN NVA WELL CAMOUFLAGED WITH BUSHES ON THE BACKS MOVING EAST FROM AT814474. AIR STRIKE NETTED FOUR KHA COUNTRIED B RECON TEAM (SERVICEMAN).

LINE K - CONTROLLED TWO FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF QUIZMASTER 2/3 WHO WAS TAKING MORTAR FIRE.

MSN #31: LINE A - VR AND TACA IN SUPPORT OF 2/26 WHO WERE IN CONTACT. RAN SEVEN FLTS OF AIR ON XD991693 WITH ONE BUNKER DESTROYED AND UNCOVERED WHAT APPEARED TO BE A BASE CAMP.

LINE B - VR FOR 3RD MARINES RECON TEAM. HAD TEAM IN LZ ON LZ CLEARING MSN. RAN ONE FLT AIR @ ZD835624.

LINE C - VR FOR 26TH MARINES @ XD985668. ESCORTED HELOS FOR ROOF LIFT FOR 9TH MARINES @ YD0737.

LINE D - RAN TWO FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF 26TH MARINES. ONE FLT @ XD985688, ONE FLT @ XD990691.

LINE E - FLEW CAP FOR CLONPIKE L/3/9 @ XD0238. VR FOR EVERSHARP 4TH MARINES, HWY 9 XD6838. RECEIVED TWO AIR BOMBS FROM 648360. REPORTED TO EVERSHARP POSITION. FINCH POINT 24 RAN ONE ELW AIR ON SAME.

MSN #37: LINE A - FLEW OV-10 ORIENTATION FOR MARINE COMBAT AIR INT (MAJ A. LEAHY) TO TAKE PICTURES/MAKE SKETCHES OF 1ST MAR DIV TACB. FLEW COVER FOR B/1/5 @ AT930495 WHILE SWEEPING EAST.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 19
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 19
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 091930H THRU 101930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	142	TASKS:	39	HOURS:	30.2	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	924	TASKS:	247	HOURS:	412.0	PAX:	0

VMD-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 2 EMERGENCY/3PRIORITY/1 ROUTINE MEDEVAC.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS AND EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	SCHEDULED:	FLOWN:	HOURS:	
INSERTS	2	1	10.0	(CH-46 CRASHED & BURNED)
EXTRACTS	0	0		
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	7			
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	7			
PERCENTAGE:	100%			

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 100001H TJRI 102400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 26	TASKS: 28	HOURS: 51.2	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES: 217	TASKS: 306	HOURS: 480.8	4

MSN #6: LINE B - REGISTERED 175 GUNS @ ZC063568.

LINE C - PARTIAL REGISTRATION OF 1/11.

MSN #18: LINE A - CONTROLLED SIX FLTS OF AIR IN AREA PREP FOR 2/5 AND CONTROLLED VR.

LINE B - RAN VR MSN FROM THUONG DUC TO HAPPY VALLEY. RAN TWO AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF B/1/5 @ AT950502. BDA: 2 STRUC DEST., 1 STRUC DAM., 100 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DEST.

LINE C - WORKED WITH 2/5 AND CONTROLLED THREE FLTS OF AIR ON SUSPECTED MORTAR SITE.

LINE D - RAN ONE AIR STRIKE FOR 3/26 @ AU839023. CALIBRATED ASRT ALPHA ZC130846. VR SHERWOOD FOREST AND FOUR FRESH NVA FIGHTING HOLES.

LINE E - GENERAL VR FOR GUNSMOKE 5TH MARINES - ARIZONA AREA. SUPPORTED 2/5 WITH THREE CAS MSNS @ ZC195564.

LINE F - CONTROLLED THREE FLTS OF AIR ON REPORTED SIGHTING OF NVA MOVING EAST DRESSED IN UTILITY TYPE UNIFORMS, PACKS, AND RIFLES. ORDNANCE WAS PLACED ON TWO GRIDS @ AT814474, AT811467. THE AIR STRIKE NETTED FOUR CONFIRMED KBA, ONE WIA.

LINE G - RAN VR MSN IN SUPPORT OF 2/1 @ BT054633. RAN TPQ-10 IN SUPPORT OF DANANG ASRT ALPHA. RAN VR MSN IN SUPPORT OF SLF @ ZC1054. SIGHTED A .50 CAL AAA @ ZC123531.

LINE H - WORKED WITH 2/5 WHO HAS BEEN TAKING LIGHT MORTAR FIRE. CONTROLLED TWO FLTS OF AIR ON THE MORTAR SITE @ ZC190566.

LINE I - WORKED FOR 2/5 @ ZC1851 AREA. RAN IN AIR ON ZC182518. FOUND MORTAR POSITION AT ZC178578.

MSN #31: LINE A - VR AND RAN ONE AIR STRIKE FOR 2/26 MARINES @ XD188691. SUSPECTED VEHICLE TRAFFIC. ASSISTED IN COVERING RECON TEAM "BAR-RISTER" @ XD982647. VR FOR THIRD MARINES.

SPECIAL LINE A - SUPPORTED 2/5 WITH CAS (1) @ ZC194569.

SPECIAL LINE B - SCRAMBLER AT2055. CONTROLLED FIVE FLTS OF AIR ON ZC1956.

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NOTE: INFORMATION CONCERNING ADDITIONAL MISSIONS FLOWN THIS DATE ARE NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME. SUBMISSION OF A LATE REPORT WILL BE IN ORDER WHEN THE INFORMATION REQUIRED HAS BEEN OBTAINED.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 101930H THRU 111930H
OCTOBER 1968.

WH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 81	TASKS: 21	HOURS: 48.3	PAX: 0
MONTH:	SORTIES: 1005	TASKS: 268	HOURS: 460.3	PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM - 362 ON 7 EMERGENCY/4 PRIORITY MEDEVACS.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERT	2	2	3.1
EXTRACT	2	2	3.1

111520H - VS-5, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #15 OBSERVED AFTERMATH OF MID-AIR
COLLISION OF CH-46, HMM-265 AND UH-34, HMM-362 @ AT793545.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 110001H THRU 112400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	28	TASKS:	38	HOURS:	41.5	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	245	TASKS:	344	HOURS:	52.3	2

MSN #18: LINE J - RAN TACA AND VR FOR 2/5 IN VICINITY OF ZC188568 ON ACTIVE MORTAR SITES. CONTROLLED FOUR FLTS OF AIR WITH ONE MORTAR POSITION DESTROYED.

LINE K - VR FOR 1/3/5. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR. WORKED FOR C/2/5 WHO WAS RECEIVING MORTARS. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR. CON ROLLED ARTY FOR 3/5.

LINE A - SITED POSSIBLE BASE CAMP AREA. SMOKE WAS OBSERVED PLUS MANY WELL USED TRAILS (ZC175603) LEAD NG INTO THIS AREA. ALSO RAN TWO FLTS AIR @ ZC195570 IN SUPPORT OF 2/5.

LINE C - VR AND ATTEMPTED O CON ROL AIR FOR 3/5 BUT WEA HEN PREVENTED SITS. (ZC1850). VR FOR C/2/1 IN GRID B41065.

LINE D - VR FOR 2/5. ADJUSTED ARTY ON SUSPECTED MORTAR SITE AT ZC186574.

LINE E - CONDUCTED VR FOR 1ST MARINES TAOR. VR AND COVERED 2/5 IN THE VICINITY OF ZC1956. SITED "L" SHAPE FIGHTING HOLE @ 991608.

LINE F - VR FOR 7TH MARINES IN THE MOUTH OF ALPHAT VALLEY. VR RIVER FROM AT96602 TO AT9964 FOR NIA.

LINE G - CONDUCTED VR FOR ALLENBROOK AREA, 1/5 TAOR AND CON ROLLED ONE AIR STRIKE ON REPORTED 8 NVA MOVING EAST INTO VILLAGE @ LE NAM @ AT955511. BDA: ONE SERVIC DAM.

LINE H - GENERAL VR FOR 1/26 @ AT868C. SUPPORTED 3/5 WITH TWO CAS @ ZC175503.

LINE I - WORKED FOR TEXAS PETE (2/1)

LINE J - SITED ONE AA POSITION WITH LIGHT CAMOUFLAGE @ ZC193503. IN SUPPORT OF 3/5.

LINE K - PROVIDED TACA FOR 2/5. RAN FOUR FLTS AIR @ ZC186572.

LINE M - VR FOR RECON TEAM SERVICEMAN @ AT8047. VR FOR 2/5 ZC1956, ZC1957, ZC2056.

#31: LINE B - VR FOR 2/26 @ XDC668. ONE FLT AIR ON BUNKERS @ AT007685. AREA TREF AT XDC7685 IN SUPPORT OF 2/26. VR FOR 2/3 @ XD8167. CUT LZ FOR 2/3 WITH THREE FLTS AIR. XD823665.

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LINE C - COVERED BARRISTER VICINITY XD893696 PRIOR TO THEIR EXTRACT.
TACA AND VR FOR 1/3 3RD MARINES IN VICINITY YDC09668.

LINE A - CONDUCTED VR MSN 1N XD0264 FOR 9TH MARINES.

LINE B - VR FOR 1/3.

LINE C - VR FOR 2/26 AND 1/3 AT HB 261 OF YD016655.

LINE D - VR FOR 3/3, 1/3, EMERG EXTRACT OF RECON TEAM DARTING STAR
3RD RECON. MEDEVAC RECEIVED SMALL ARMS ON EXTRACT.

MSN #34: LINE A - HELO ESCORT FOR OPERATION IRONHOUSE.

LINE B - PROVIDED HELO ESCORT AND MRCAP FOR CODE WORK IRON HOUSE.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 78%

MSNS 6B, 6C, 6D, 18D, 18L CANCELED DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAIL.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 111930H THRU 121930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	40	TASKS:	12	HOURS:	21.7	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	1045	TASKS:	280	HOURS:	482.0	PAX:	0

THE FOLLOWING APD MISSIONS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS:</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
APD:	1	1	4.1	AT9086

121015H - VS-5, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #16, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @
AT9349.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 120001H THRU 122400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 15	TASKS: 14	HOURS: 27.4	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES: 260	TASKS: 358	HOURS: 549.7	3

MSN #6: LINE B - VR OF ROCKET BELT.

LINE D - VR OF ROCKET BELT. REGISTERED 8" PONY BOY CHARLIE @
GRID AT9932/5955 & AT9289/6999.

MSN #18: LINE B - VR FOR 2/5. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR ON ENEMY POSITION @
ZC195565 - 100/100 - NEG. BDA.

LINE C - VR FOR 1/7 IN GRID: AT8874. VR FOR 2/5 IN GRID ZC1956.

LINE D - VR FOR SLF AT ZC157562.

LINE J - RAN AIR FOR G/2/5 ON ACTIVE .50 CAL SITE @ ZC191667.
ALSO HEAVY SMALL ARMS FIRE. FOUR NVA SPOTTED @ ZC189568.

LINE K - VR FOR G/2/7 @ ZC1152. VR CHARLIE RIDGE. AA POSITION
@ AT793614. MANY NEW TRAILS IN THIS AREA. VR ARIZONA AREA.
ALL VILLES BEING REBUILT.

LINE L - VR FOR 2/7 VICINITY OF AT8874. CONTROLLED THREE FLTS
OF AIR @ AT801856 FOR 2/5.

LINE M - GENERAL VR OF AREA SOUTH OF AN HOA, THOUNG DUC AREA AND
ZC178607. FRESH TRAIL ACTIVITY AT ZC178607 UNDER HEAVY POLICE
WORKED WITH RECON TEAM SERVICEMAN @ AT817484. 15-20 NVA IN OPEN.
MOVED INTO HEAVY TREE LINE TRENCH AREA. RAN ONE FLT OF AIR. SIX
STRUC DEST, ONE BUNKER DEST, 60 METERS TRENCH LINE DEST.

MSN #31: LINE A - WEATHER CHECK FOR DANANG DASC.

LINE B - FOUND BEACH BOY (RECON) AND RELAYED POSITION YD268556.
COVERED BUS STOP "D" 1/3 ON MOVEMENT IN GRID YD9866. SPOTTED
AA POSITION @ YD015687 WITH MANY TRAILS AND FIGHTING HOLES.
WX DID NOT PERMIT AIR STRIKE. REPORTED SAME TO BUS STOP.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 17
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 11
PERCENTAGE: 65%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 121930H THRU 131930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	65	TASKS:	22	HOURS:	29.5	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	1110	TASKS:	302	HOURS:	452.5 511.5	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 5 EMERGENCY/6 PRIORITY/2 ROUTINE MEDEVACS.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	7.6
EXTRACTS	0	0	0.0

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 80%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 130001H THRU 132400H
OCTOBER 1968

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	23	TASKS:	28	H HRS:	42.4	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	283	TASKS:	386	HOURS:	592.1	3

MSN #6: LINE B - VR FOR 11TH MARINES AND ARTY ON GRID AT993595

LINE C - VR FOR 11TH MARINES AND REGISTERED GREY REBEL IN AT9955 GRID.

LINE D - VR OF LOCKE BEL FOR 11TH MARINES. REGISTERED 155 GUNS
@ AT8084 GRID.

MSN #18: LINE A - VR AND CONTROLLED FIVE FLTS OF AIR FOR 2/5 IN GRID ZC1956.
OBSERVED AA POSITION @ ZC191561.

LINE B - VR FOR 2/7 IN VICINITY OF ZC1152. SAME FOR H/2/5 VICINITY
OF AT8849. CONTROLLED AR Y FOR VILLAGE PREP. VR FOR 1/5 VICINITY
OF ZC1550.

LINE C - RAN VR FOR NATIVE BIRD IN THUONG DUC VALLEY AREA. RAN
ONE AIR STRIKE AND ONE ARTY FIRE MSN IN SUP ORT OF 2/5. ZC205568.

LINE D - SUP ORTED 3/26 OSCAR 26 WITH NCF MSN ON ENEMY BASE CAMP
@ ZC162964. EXCELLENT EFFECT ON TARGET AREA. SIGHTED EXTRA LARGE
NUMBER OF NEW GRAVES IN WHOLE NORTHERN HAI VAN MASS AREA. ONE
LARGE GRAVE IN VILLE VICINITY OF ZC140017.

LINE E - VR FOR 2/5. RECONFIRMED REPORT OF CAVE ENTRANCE @ ZC180574.
ADJUSTED MORTAR PREP FIRE ZC205565.

LINE F - NAVAL GUNFIRE MISSION FOR 3/26 @ ZC162963 AGAINST A
SUSPECTED ENEMY BASE CAMP.

LINE G - VR AT8874 - ZC206904. RAN FOUR FLTS OF AIR FOR 2/5
@ ZC203568.

LINE H - VR FOR 1ST MARINE GRID AT988605.

LINE I - VR AND RAN ONE FLT AIR FOR 2/5 @ ZC191565. RAN TWO FLTS
AIR AND ONE ARTY MSN FOR RECON TEAM SERVICEMAN @ AT815467. 3 ABA.

LINE J - GENERAL VR FOR 1/7 @ AT8770-8870. CONVOY ESCORT FOR SWIFT.
SCOUT B/5.

LINE K - VR FOR 2/5 @ ZC1956 AND RECON TEAM SERVICEMAN AT8146.
RAN AIR ON SUSPECTED NVA LOCATED AND REPORTED BY RECON @ AT811467.

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LINE L - VR OF VICINITY OF YD069699. NOTED NINE FIGHTING HOLES ON PADDY DIKE (GOING E-W) @ YD061650; NOTED EIGHTEEN FIGHTING HOLES ON PADDY DIKE (GOING E-W) @ YD067648; @ YD055639 NOTED TWO PLASTIC COVERED AREAS APPROXIMATELY 3X3 @ YD005595. NOTED PROTECTIVE BUNKER WITH TWO ENTRANCES.

LINE M - CONVOY CONTROL FOR SWIFT BRAVO 5 IN HY VAN PASS AREA. VR @ ZC0241 AREA FOR TANKS AND ~~NIX~~ 200 NVA WORKERS - TOO DARK TO SEE.

MSN #31: LINE A - ATTEMPTED TO WORK VR IN KHE SANH AREA (4TH MARINES).

LINE B - VR KHE SANH AREA FOR 2/4 AND 3/4 @ YD8541 AND 6000 METERS SURROUNDING.

LINE C - VR THE BALONG VALLEY FOR 4TH MARINES. VR THE 3RD MARINES TAOR FOR VANDERGRIFT.

LINE D - VISUAL RECON FOR 1/3 @ YD 013684 AND 3/4 @ YD822470. COMPLETED ~~VR~~ RECON FOR DONG HA AND VANDERGRIFT DASC THROUGH OUT THEIR AREA.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: ~~17~~ 19
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 18
PERCENTAGE: 89%

MISSION #31A INCOMPLETE DUE TO WEATHER.

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UH-1E STATISTICS: VMO-2

DAY: SORTIES: 3 TASKS: 4 HOURS: 2.6 PAX: 0
MONTH: SORTIES: 1110 TASKS: 302 HOURS: ~~514.1~~ 514.1 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM - 362 ON 2 EMERGENCY MED EVACS TODAY.

ALL OTHER MISSIONS CANX DUE TO WEATHER.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 140001H THRU 142400H OCT 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	0	TASKS:	0	HOURS:	0.0	<u>NO. OF. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	283	TASKS:	386	HOURS:	592.1	0

NO FLIGHTS TODAY DUE TO WEATHER.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 141930H THRU 191930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	14	TASKS:	9	HOURS:	17.1	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	297	TASKS:	395	HOURS:	611.8 531.2	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 3 EMERGENCY MEDEVACS.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	4.2
EXTRACTS	3	3	4.2

150945H - VS-10, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN #5, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @
ZC205555.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5 2
PERCENTAGE: 90%

MISSIONS 16, 17, 25, & 26 WERE CANX DUE TO WX.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 150001H THRU 152400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS

DAY:	SORTIES:	12	TASKS:	14	HOURS:	25.0	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	295	TASKS:	400	HOURS:	619.2	1

MSN #6: LINE D - VR FOR 11TH MARINES. REGISTERED _____ POINT LIMA @
AT8558 GRID.

MSN#18: LINE B - ESCORTED A BRIDGE BOAT FROM AT978547 TO LIBERTY BRIDGE
WITH SNIPER FIRE RECEIVED @ AT977545, 974566, 974564 AND 960553.
RAN COVER AND DIRECTED THE BOAT TO ITS DESTINATION.

LINE D - RAN VR MSN FOR SLF.

LINE E - VR FOR 2/5; VR FOR CONPOKE BASE @ ZC0341. WORKED FOR
DANANG DASC AROUND AT9753 LOOKING FOR DOWNED A/C. TOOK FOUR HITS
IN AIRCRAFT. CONTINUED SEARCH, BUT APPARENTLY THERE NEVER WAS ONE
DOWN.

LINE F - VR ALLENBROOK AREA FOR 1/5.

LINE H - VR OF ZC0241 FOR CONPOKE BASE.

LINE I - CONDUCTED EXTENSIVE VR FOR 2/5 ZC1956, 1/5 VICINITY AT9148,
3/7 T. OR AND DODGE CITY AREA FOR 1/1. SPECIAL EMPHASIS TO AT979537
AS POSSIBLE SNIPER POSITION.

LINE - J CONDUCTED A VR FOR 1ST MARINES OF THERE TAOR. ESCORTED
AIR FORCE C-130 FROM HUI AN TO AN HOA WITHOUT INCIDENT.

LINE K - ESCORTED AIR FOR N C-130 INTO AN HOA.

LINE M - VR OF ARIZONA AREA AND ALLENBROOK AREA FOR 5TH MARINES.
GRID AT8150 AND AT9251.

MSN#31: LINE A - SIGHTED BULKER COMPLEX @ YD241795 AND CONTROLLED NAVAL
GUNFIRE ON SAME.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 11
PERCENTAGE: 61%

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MISSIONS 18A, 18C, & 31 WERE CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER.
MISSIONS 6B, 6C, 18G, 18L WERE CANCELLED DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

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OCTOBER 1968;

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	4	TASKS:	1	HOURS:	0.7	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	301	TASKS:	396	HOURS:	531.9	PAX:	0

DUE TO THE SEVERE WEATHER CONDITIONS, THIS IS THE ONLY FLIGHT RECORDED THIS DATE.

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OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DUE TO THE SEVERE WEATHER CONDITIONS THIS DATE, NO FLIGHTS WERE FLOWN. ALL
MISSIONS WERE CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER.

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OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	25	TASKS:	6	HOURS:	15.1	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	326	TASKS:	402	HOURS:	547.0	PAX:	0

AT THIS TIME ONLY 2 OF THE 4 MISSIONS SCHEDULED THIS DATE HAVE BEEN COM-
PLETED. MISSIONS 16 AND 17 ARE STILL BEING EXECUTED.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 170001H THRU 172400H
OCTOBER 1968.

DAY:	SORTIES:	5	TASKS:	10	HOURS:	11.2	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	300	TASKS:	410	HOURS:	630.4	

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR 3/1 RETURNED TO BASE DUE TO BAD WEATHER.

LINE J - CONDUCTED PHOTO RECON OF DODGE CITY AREA FOR C-2, 1ST MAR DIV. DIVERTED BY DANANG DASC TO DOWNED CH-46 @ YC684872. PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FOR SWIFT 5-1. LOCATED A WELL DEVELOPED VEHICULAR ROAD RUNNING FROM YC7979 TO YC8784 AND JOINING INTO RT. 545.

LINE K - CONDUCTED PHOTO RECON FOR COWPOKE BASE. VR FOR 2/5 AT THUONG DUC AREA.

LINE L - VR FOR 3/1 IN BT0269. VR FOR 1/7 IN AT8666. VR FOR 1/5 IN AT9251.

LINE M - TOOK PHOTO MISSION OF ALLENBROOK, ARIZONA, AND DODGE CITY AREA. VR FOR "B" 1/5 WHILE THEY WERE SWEEPING A VILLAGE @ AT929514.

ALL OTHER MISSIONS WITH THE EXCEPTION OF 6D WERE CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER. MISSION 6D WAS CANCELLED DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 21
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 24%

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OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	45	TASKS:	6	HOURS:	17.9	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	371	TASKS:	408	HOURS:	664.9	PAX:	0

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 1
PERCENTAGE: 14%

ALL OTHER MSNS WERE CANCELLED DUE TO THE WEATHER.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 180001H THRU 182400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OK-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	7	TASKS:	8	HOURS:	13.7	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	307	TASKS:	418	HOURS:	644.1	0

MSN #6: LINE B - REGISTERED 3rd 8" HOWITZER @ AT99325955

MSN 18: LINE A - WEATHER CHECK FOR MAG-16 & DANANG DASC.
RAN VR MSN IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 IN THONG DUC AREA.
VR FOR GUNSMOKE IN THE 9754 GRID. LOCATED CAMOFLAGED BOAT,
SUSPICIOUS LOOKING ACTIONS BY PEOPLE IN THE BOAT. REPORTED SAME
TO THE 5TH MARINES.

LINE C - CONDUCTED EXTENSIVE VR FOR 5TH MARINES AND "C" 1/5.
ALSO 3/7 AND 2/5 LOCATED POSSIBLE MORTAR SITE @ ZC202571.

LINE E - VR FOR COMPOKE BASE IN DODGE CITY AREA - GRID AT9956.
CONVOY ESCORT FOR 11ST MP BTN. FROM RED BEACH TO HAI VAN PASS.

MSN 31: VR FOR 2/4 @ XD8440 & 8438. VR FOR 3/4 @ XD8248 TO 8548.

ALL OTHER MISSIONS WERE CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 28%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 181930H THRU 191930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	63	TASKS:	28	HOURS:	43.5	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	434	TASKS:	432	HOURS:	608.4	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 & HMM-164 ON 6 MED-EVAC MISSIONS; ALL ROUTINE

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	2.0
EXTRACTS	6	6	4.0

191030H - VS-10, WHILE ESCORTING HMM-362 ON A MED-EVAC MISSION, RECEIVED AND
RETURNED FIRE @ AT105653.

191350H - VS-1 & VS-7, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MSN#20, RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE
@ ZC161752 & ZC161754

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 67%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 190001H THRU 192400H OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	18	TASKS:	25	HOURS:	34.5	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	325	TASKS:	443	HOURS:	678.6	0

MSN #6: LINE B - FIRED A PRECISION DESTRUCTION MISSION ON TWO HOOTCHES @ BT000564 USING 3RD 8" HOWITZERS.

LINE C - CONDUCTED PRECISION DESTRUCTION ON STRUCTURES IN THE BT0056 AND ON BUNKER COMPLEX @ AT993561. HOSTAGE ALSO RAN ONE FLIGHT OF F-4'S ON THE BUNKER COMPLEX @ AT993561.

MSN #18: LINE A - CONDUCTED VR FOR 3/5 VICINITY OF ZC1550, 2/5 VICINITY ZC1956. AND VR OF ROUTE 14 OUT OF THUONG DUC.

LINE B - VR FOR 1ST AND 5TH MARINES.

LINE C - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 5TH MAR 3/7, 1/26 AND ELEPHANT VALLEY, HAPPY VALLEY, AND MORTAR VALLEY.

LINE D - VR FOR 5TH MAR @ AT8345; VR FOR 1/5 @ AT9552; VR FOR 3/5 @ ZC1550; CONVOY ESCORT (ROAD TEST B-3).

LINE E - VR AND CONDUCTED ONE ARTY MISSION IN SUPPORT OF 2/5. VR FOR 1/5 IN GRID AT9756. ARTY MISSION IN GRID ZC1957.

LINE F - VR TO COVER EXTRACTION OF SEASIDE 3/5 FROM ZC1549 GRID.

LINE G - PHOTO MISSION FOR COWPOKE BASE OF DODGE CITY AREA. VR FOR QUIZMASTER 2/5.

LINE H - CONDUCTED VR FOR 5TH MAR TAOR. RECON TEAM MOON DASH VICINITY OF AT796474, 3/7 TAOR, & 1/1 DODGE CITY.

LINE I - VR FOR 5TH MARINES.

LINE K - VR FOR 3/7 ZC2056. VR FOR 1/5 @ AT9753

LINE L - CONDUCTED VR IN SUPPORT OF 1ST MAR REG, 1ST MARDIV. SPECIFICALLY NOTED COORD 065612 AND 020612 FOR SUSPECTED ~~REMY~~ ACTIVITY.

LINE J - COMPLETED PHOTO MISSION FOR DIV G-2 OF AT9760 AND BT0356. CONDUCTED VR OF 1ST MAR TAOR, ALLENBROOK, AND DODGE CITY REAS.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 16
PERCENTAGE: 89%

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MSNS 60 & 31 CANX DUE TO SEVERE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 191930H THRU 201930H
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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	45	TASKS:	16	HOURS:	18.6	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	479	TASKS:	448	HOURS:	627.0	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 8 MED-EVAC MISSIONS: 2 EMERGENCY AND 6 PRIORITY.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 60%

MISSION 4 WAS CANCELLED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER, MISSION 34 WAS INCOMPLETE
DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 200001H THRU 202400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY :	SORTIES: 13	TASKS: 16	HOURS: 24.6	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES: 338	TASKS: 459	HOURS: 703.2	2

MSN #6: LINE B - CONDUCTED VR OF AT9566 TO INVESTIGATE INTELLIGENCE REPORT OF POSSIBLE ROCKET SITES. ATTEMPTED TO REGISTER "A" 1/11 BUT COULD NOT DUE TO WEATHER.

MSN #18: LINE A - CONDUCTED VR IN SUPPORT OF 3/27. CONDUCTED LZ PREP WITH ONE FLT MARINE FIXED WING @ AT883744.

LINE B - VR FOR RECON (MOON DASH) @ AT8048, 8047, AND 8046.

LINE C - CONDUCTED GENERAL VR FOR 3/7. GENERAL VR FOR 5TH MARINES. SIGHTED FOUR MALES IN SAMPAN, WHO IMMEDIATELY RAN AND DISAPPEARED @ AT886524, ALSO LARGE RAFT APPROXIMATELY 8'x 15'. GENERAL VR FOR 1/1 UNIT ADVANCE.

LINE D - CONDUCTED VR FOR A CONVOY FROM DANANG TO PHU BAI. CHECKED IN WITH 3RD PRT "B" 1/5 TO VR AND COVER THEIR MOVEMENT VICINITY OF AT9050. VR FOR 3/5 LOCATED 3 SUSPICIOUS PERSONS NEAR A SAMPAN @ AT968534.

LINE E - VR FOR 1/1.

LINE F - RAN VR MISSIONS FOR 5TH MARINES AND 1ST MARINES.

LINE G - LOCATED RECON TEAM FORFATHER (UNIT WAS LOST) @ AT846714. CONDUCTED GENERAL VR FOR 5TH MARINES. SIGHTED TWO BOATS WITH OCCUPANTS BEACHING BOAT AND RUNNING OR ATTEMPTING TO HIDE UNDER TREES @ AT859488 & AT895517. SUPPORT 2/5 UNIT RECEIVING MORTAR & AW FIRE FROM AT890509.

LINE H - CONDUCTED VR VICINITY OF 605005 IN SUPPORT OF 1ST MAR RECT. ABORTED REST OF MISSION DUE TO HAZARDOUS WEATHER.

LINE K - CONTROLLED ARTILLERY FOR F/2/5 IN CONTACT. FIRED TWO MSNS WITH TWO SEPARATE BATTERIES.

MSN #31: VR OF YD0577 TO YD0566 AND YD1177 TO 1166.

LINE B - GENERAL VR CON THIEN AREA. RECEIVED ONE HIT FROM SNIPER @ YD155770. GENERAL VR OF KHE SANH, DRIVEN OUT DUE TO WEATHER.

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MISSIONS 18I, 6C, 18J, 18L, 6D, WERE CANCELLED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.
MISSIONS 18H, 6B, 31B WERE INCOMPLETE DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 9
PERCENTAGE: 50%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 201939H THRU 211930H
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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	62	TASKS:	28	HOURS:	31.5	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	541	TASKS:	476	HOURS:	651.4	PAX:	0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 12 ROUTINE MED-EVAC MISSIONS

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	5.0
EXTRACTS	4	4	7.4

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 8

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 7

PERCENTAGE: 88%

MISSION #34 WAS CANCELLED

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OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	16	TASKS:	22	HOURS:	30.9	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	354	TASKS:	481	HOURS:	734.1	4

MSN #6: LINE B - SUPPORTED 11TH MARINES @ BTO73658. ATTEMPTED TO FIRE 8" HOWEITZERS ON FORTIFIED VILLE @ AT887518.

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN VR MISSION & ONE ARTY FIRE MISSION ON AT875515 IN SUPPORT OF TEXAS PETE FOX 62: 1 STRUC DEST, 4 DAM.

LINE B - VR DODGE CITY FOR 1/1. LOCATED LZ'S AND FORTIFIED VILLE @ AT997557.

LINE C - VR FOR 3/7 ZC1856.

LINE D - CONDUCTED VR OF VICINITY AT9957; CORRECTED ARTY ON LZ PREP @ AT992578 FOR 1ST BN, 1ST MARINES. CALLED AIR STRIKE ON AT997552 ON TREELINE COVERATE AT REQUEST OF 1ST MARINES.

LINE F - RAN VR OF DODGE CITY AREA IN SUPPORT OF 1/1 1ST MARINES. RAN RECON FOR 5TH MARINES IN THE AT8751.

LINE C - RAN VR FOR 1/26 @ AT8882. VR/TAC(A) FOR 1/7. RAN ONE AIR STRIKE ON 20 SUSPECTED VC @ AT888668.

LINE J - ADJUSTED ARTY VICINITY AT887518 FOR BUDGE CAKE "A". RESPONDED TO REQUEST BY RECON TEAM WEDDING RING ON SIGHTINGS OF 22 NVA @ AT804477; VR OF AREA.

LINE K - SUPPORTED 5TH MARINES SIGHTED 12 NVA/VC RUNNING INTO TREE LINE CARRYING BUNDLES OR PACKS, SOME IN GREEN UNIFORMS OTHERS IN KHAKI SHORTS. @ AT914473. ENGAGED WITH OV-10A AND HUEY GUNSHIPS COMPRISE 7-0 FLIGHT UNKNOWN RESULTS. 5TH MARINES INFORMED. SEARCHED AT9160 GRID FOR 2 MARINES LOST WHEN PG SWEEP OFF ROAD BY WATER.

MSN #31: GENERAL VR OF 4TH MARINES AREA AROUND KHE SANH @ XD8941. WEATHER PUSHED THE AIRCRAFT OUT OF THE AREA.

VR OF XD8941 AND YD1166 AREAS. WEATHER HAMPERED FURTHER OBSERVATIONS.

VR FOR 3RD MARDIV HWY #9 FROM NHESANH TO LAOS BORDER AND SOUTH TO YD9020 THEN NORTH TO 9240. OBSERVED ONE MAN (NATIVE) CROSSING RIVER @ YD9730 GRID. OBSERVED 2 MEN ENTER PALM GROVE @ YD975305 OBSERVED ONE SA TRACER, RETURNED FIRE. REPORTED TO EVERSHARP 4TH MARINES. VR FOR 3RD MARDIV BEN HAI RIVER FROM XD0370 TO XD1577. OBSERVED 3 NEW BUNKERS @ X ZD153777. RECIEVED ONE HIT LEFT UNDERSIDE OF WING

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MSN #34: VR THUONG DUC AREA.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 18
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 11
PERCENTAGE: 61%

MISSIONS: 34 AND 31 WERE INCOMPLETE
MISSIONS: 18C, 18E, 6C, 18H, 6D WERE CANCELLED DUE TO INSUFFICIENT AMOUNT
OF AVAILABLE AIRCRAFT.

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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	55	TASKS:	18	HOURS:	27.9	PAX:	1
MONTH:	SORTIES:	596	TASKS:	494	HOURS:	679.3	PAX:	1

221005H - VS-3 OBSERVED THE CRASH OF HOSTAGE X-RAY @ AT992554. VS-10 LANDED AT THE CRASH SIGHT AND RECOVERED THE BODY OF THE PILOT. RECIEVED FIRE AND RETURNED FIRE FROM A GROUND HOVER. COVERED TWO MORE GROUND WAVE LANDINGS BY SPARTAN LUCH 1-0 FLIGHT. RECIEVED AND RETURNED FIRE ON BOTH ADDITIONAL LANDINGS. CONTROLLED HELLBORNE FLIGHTS ON TARGET @ AT9937 GRID. DELIVERED BODY OF PILOT OF HOSTAGE X-RAY FLIGHT TO 1st HOSPITAL.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 71.4

MISSIONS 21 and 40 WERE CONCELLED

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 220001H THRU 222400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	8	TASKS:	16	HOURS:	22.8	<u>NO.SIG.SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	362	TASKS:	497	HOURS:	756.9	0

MSN #18: LINE A - SUPPORTED 1/5 WITH VR @ AT925505. TWO AIRSTRIKES @ AT887517
ONE ARTILLERY MISSIONS @ AT898524.

LINE D - VS-27, WHILE IN SUPPORT OF MISSION 18D CRASHED IN THE
VICINITY OF AT992557. BEFORE THE CRASH, HOSTAGE X-RAY WAS CONDUCT-
ING MARKING RUNS. VS-3, A HUEY GUNSHIP, OBSERVED THE CRASH AND
LANDED ON THE SCENE. THERE WERE NO SURVIVORS.

LINE F - RAN FIVE FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING TO COVER "A" 1/5 AT DOWNED
OV-10 CRASH SITE @ AT992578. RAN TWO FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING ON
FORTIFIED AREAS @ AT994586 & AT986555.

LINE G - CONDUCTED VR OF AT7855 FOR 1/4/M; CONDUCTED VR OF GRID
0154 FOR PAST 1/4; RAN TWO AIR STRIKES @ AT015545 DESTROYING TWO
STRUCTURES DAMAC

LINE H - RAN VR MISSION AND ONE AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT OF TRAILOR
PARK 14 "A" @ AT982577: BDA - 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 1 STRUC-
TURE DAMAGED.

LINE I - CONTROLLED 4 CAS IN SUPORT OF BARKEEP 3/26 ON SUSPECTED
ENEMY CONCENTRATION @ AT844740. CONTROLLED 4 CAS IN SUPPORT OF
RECON TEAM WEDDING RING @ AT805493. 40 NVA SIGHTED WITH WEAPONS,
PACKS AND MORTAR TUBES.

LINE K - RAN 3 FLIGHTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF TROOP EXTRACTION.
THREE STRUCTURES WERE DESTROYED.

MSN #31: VR FOR INSERT OF 3RD MARINES @ XD9668 & 9767. TAC(A) FOR EMERGENCY
EXTRACT OF RECON TEAM @ XB9263 & 9363. RAN R.N. 549 AFTER EXTRACT.

VR AREA XD9868 FOR DONG HA DASC TO SPOT ORIGIN OF INCOMING ARTILLERY.
NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS.

MSN #36: RAN LZ PREP FOR 5TH SPECIAL FORCES. RECEIVED NEGATIVE GROUND FIRE;
TROOPS PUT INTO LZ. HELO'S RECEIVED LIGHT FIRE. (ZC153502)

MISSIONS 18D WAS INCOMPLETE DUE TO CRASH OF HOSTAGE X-RAY.
MISSIONS 6B, 6D, 18B, 18J, 18M WERE CANCELLED DUE TO LACK OF AIRCRAFT.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 14
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 8
PERCENTAGE: 57%

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221400H - VS-28, WHILE ON AN APPROACH TO AN HOA FOR REFUEL, MADE A WHEELS UP LANDING. NO INJURY OCCURED. DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME.

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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY: SORTIES: ⁵²~~43~~ TASKS: ¹⁶~~15~~ HOURS: 24.3 PAX: 0
MONTH: SORTIES: ⁶⁴⁸~~639~~ TASKS: ⁵¹⁰~~509~~ HOURS: 710.7 PAX: 1

231505H: VS-10 AND VS-12, WHILE FLYING IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MARINES,
RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE @ 834488 & @ AT988553. RESULTS:
4 KBA CONFIRMED, AND 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

MED EVAC - 2 ROUTINE

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	3.0
EXTRACTS	1	1	1.6

VMC-2 RECORDED NO GCA APPROACHES THIS DATE

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 230001H THRU 232400H
OCTOBER 1968.

DAY:	SORTIES:	13	TASKS:	25	HOURS:	30.1	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u> 3
MONTH:	SORTIES:	375	TASKS:	522	HOURS:	787.9	

MSN #6: LINE D - WORKED ON REGISTRATION WITH 3RD 155 G @ ZC179837.
REGISTRATION NOT COMPLETED DUE TO DARKNESS.

MSN #18: LINE A - CONTROLLED TWO FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING ON SIGHTINGS OF
ABOUT 50 NVA/VC @ BT083672.

LINE B - RAN AIR IN ON NVA IN OPEN. DIRECTED ON TO TARGET BY RECON.
VR FOR ALLBROOK, 1/5, @ AT903552 AREA - NO ENEMY SIGHTED.

LINE C - PROVIDED TAC(A) FOR "A" 1/1 TROOP LIFT. RAN FOUR FLIGHTS
OF FIXED WING @ AT995557. CONDUCTED OBSERVATION FOR TWO ARTILLERY
MSNS @ AT998554.

LINE D - GENERAL VR @ AT8056 3/5. SUPPORTED "H"/2/1 UNIT ADVANCING
ON A SWEEP - REPORTED CAPTURING TWO WIA NVA @ BT083672.

LINE E - VR FOR "A" 1/1. OBSERVED TWO VC ENTER HUT @ BT005548.
CALLED ARTY MISSION. NEGATIVE FIRE.

LINE G - VR OF VICINITY 005548 IN SUPPORT OF 1ST MARINES. AIR STRIKE
CONTROLLED 001542, WITH TWO STRUC. DEST. NATURE OF TARGET WAS
VILLAGE THAT HELO'S HAD TAKEN FIRE FROM EARLIER THIS DATE. ADJUST
ARTY ON SAME TARGET.

LINE H - COVERED INSERTION OF 2/5 @ AT834488 AND PLACED 8 AIR
STRIKES ON THE NORTH 100 METERS AS AN AREA PREP.

LINE I - RAN AIR FOR TRAILER PARK @ BT000547 FORTIFIED VILLE.
COVERED TROOP LIFT FOR TEXAS PETE @ AT8047 AREA. AT BT001547
OBSERVED A BRIGHT CHEMICAL FIRE WHICH BURNED FOR 14 MINUTES.
FLAME WAS A CONE THREE FEET LONG - WHITE SPARSE SMOKE.

LINE J - ADMIN FLIGHT TO AN HOA. TROOP LIFT COVER FOR 1/1 @ AT998553
RAN TWO FLIGHTS OF AIR @ BT000547. THREE STRUC. DEST.

LINE K - CONDUCTED VR FOR "A" 1/7, 2/7 AND RECON TEAM PENNY WISE.

LINE L - SUPPORTED "A" 2/5 IN TROOP LIFT. CONTROLLED THREE CAS
ON AREA AFTER LIFT @ BT000556.

LINE M - VR FOR 3/7 IN ZC1856.

MSN #23: COVERED SWEEP OF "H" 2/1 @ BT083672.

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MSN #6D WAS INCOMPLETE DUE TO DARKNESS

MISSION #18F WAS CANCELLED DUE TO LACK OF AIRCRAFT

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 15

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 13

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 231900H THRU 241930H
OCTOBER 1968.

DAY: SORTIES: 76 TASKS: 24 HOURS: 47.7 PAX: 0
MONTH: SORTIES: 724 TASKS: 534 HOURS: 758.4 PAX: 1

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 10 MED EVAC MISSIONS: 1 EMERGENCY, 9 PRIORITY

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	1	1	1.0
EXTRACTS	2	2	2.0

241450H - VS-4, WHILE FLYING IN SUPPORT OF 1ST MARDIV, RECEIVED AND RETURNED
FIRE @ BT002579.

B

241500H - VS-3 AND VS-10 RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE ON FOUR DIFFERENT OCCASIONS,
@ BT 018566, AT983542, BT007567, BT008582

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 240001H THRU 242400H
OCTOBER 1968

DAY:	SORTIES:	14	TASKS:	24	HOURS:	33.9	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
NONTH:	SORTIES:	389	TASKS:	546	HOURS:	835.3	2

MSN #6 LINE C - REGISTERED 3RD 155 GUNS AT FOLLOWING GRIDS: ZC179837, AT80078493

MSN #18 LINE A - CONTROLLED FIVE AIR STRIKES AND VR FOR 2/5, AT807477 CONTROLLED ONE (1) 81 MORTAR MISSION.

LINE B - RAN TWO AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 3/26 @ AT856901. TARGET WAS PREP OF FUTURE LZ.

LINE C - VR OF VIC 0056; RAN FOUR (4) USMC AIR STRIKES @ 010560 ON AREA THAT HELICOPTERS TOOK FIRE FROM DURING TROOP INSERT.

LINE D - VR AND CONTROLLED FOUR (4) FLIGHTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF "G" 2/5, TWO (2) STRUCTURES DESTROYED, TWO (2) DAMAGED, WITH ONE SECONDARY.

LINE E - SUPPORTED STORY BOOK FOREST WITH TWO (2) AIR STRIKES @ AT886685. TUNNELS, FOX HOLES AND TRENCHES WERE TARGETS.

LINE F - PROVIDED TAC(A) FOR "G" 1/1 IN CONTACT VIC BT002579. CONDUCTED VR AND COVER FOR 1/1 OPERATION IN DODGE CITY. TOOK FIRE FROM GROUND DURING MARKING RUN.

LINE G - CONTROLLED THREE (3) FLIGHTS OF AIR IN AREA PREP FOR 1/7 ELEMENT @ AT860717; THREE (3) FLIGHTS OF MARINE AIRCRAFT.

LINE H - VR FOR TEXAS PETE 14 @ AT8248. RAN TWO (2) FLIGHTS OF AIR FOR TEXAS PETE. AT812467; BDA ONE (1) STRUCTURE DAMAGED, FOUR (4) STRUCTURES DESTROYED, ONE (1) BUNKER DAMAGED AND SEVENTY (70) METERS OF TREES DISRUPTED.

LINE I - RAN VR MISSION AND FIVE AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 1/1 WHO WAS MAKING A SWEEP NORTH IN THE DODGE CITY AREA. COORDINATES OF AIR STRIKE: BT016593 TO BT022998. TARGET WAS NVA IN THE TREE LINE.

LINE J - VR FOR 2/5 @ AT8048. RAN THREE (3) FLIGHTS OF AIR ON BUNKERS - AT803487 TWO (2) BUNKERS DESTROYED.

LINE K - VR OF VIC 0057 IN SUPPORT OF 1ST BN, 1ST MAR REGT; NOTED WELL USED TRAIL ON WEST BANK OF STREAM RUNNING NE FROM 00757 TO 017596 WITH A FOOT BRIDGE @ AT008580; HELICOPTERS FROM TROOP LIFT BREW FIRE FROM 002579 FROM NORTH AND WEST.

LINE L - PROVIDED TACA(A) FOR "A" 1/7 @ AT802708. RAN THREE (3) FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING. CONDUCTED VR OF ELEPHANT VALLEY.

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LINE M - VR AND CONTROLLED TWO (2) FLIGHTS OF AIR FOR ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
@ AT8966 AND AT8765. VR FOR 2/5 IN GRID @ ZC7946.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 14
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 14
PERCENTAGE: 100%

NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES WERE RECORDED THIS DATE

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 241930H THRU 251930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	87	TASKS:	25	HOURS:	34.6	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	811	TASKS:	559	HOURS:	793.0	PAX:	1

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 21 MED EVAC MISSIONS: 3 PRIORITY AND 18 ROUTINE

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 250001H THRU 252400H
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OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	16	TASKS:	29	HOURS:	34.9	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	405	TASKS:	575	HOURS:	870.2	2

MSN #6: LINE C - VR FOR "M" 3/7 @ GRID AT798570.

LINE D - REGISTERED "H" 3/11 @ GRID BT00155360.

MSN #18:

LINE A - PROVIDED TAC(A) FOR "D" 1/5 AND RAN 2 FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING. RAN 1 FLIGHT FOR 1/1 @ AT996550.

LINE B - VR FOR 2/5 IN GRIDS AT8046, 8047, 202046, 2047.

LINE C - COVERED TROOP LIFT BY TRAILER PARK 14C @ AT993548 - RAN IN AIR AS AN LZ PREP.

LINE D - VR & TAC(A) FOR 1/7 @ AT888688 & AT904697 (2 BUNKERS DAMAGED) TACA FOR 2/5 @ AT829489.

LINE E - SUPPORTED 2/7 WITH VR AND THREE CAS @ AT982589. SIGHTED FIVE NVA/VC IN GREEN UNIFORMS WITH WEAPONS RUNNING AWAY FROM DIRECTION OF ADVANCING UNIT. (SE).

LINE F - CONTROLLED THREE FLIGHTS OF AIR ON AREA SURROUNDING RECON TEAM AWAITING EXTRACTION. BT000587 COVERED HELICOPTER ATTEMPTING EXTRACTION BUT WERE SHOT OUT ON TWO ATTEMPTS. CONDUCTED A VR FOR "C" 1/1.

LINE G - VR FOR "H" 2/5 WHILE ON SWEEP. OBSERVED 20 NVA/VC RUN FROM HUT SOUTH. RAN THREE FLIGHTS OF AIR - ONE BUNKER DESTROYED. CONTROLLED TWO 81MM MISSIONS.

LINE H - RAN FOUR AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF A FIRST MARINE RECON TEAM EXTRACTION @ BT007583. TARGET WAS SNIPER IN TREE LINES.
BDA: TWO STRUCTURES DESTROYED
TWO STRUCTURES DAMAGED

LINE I - RAN AIR & VR FOR TEXAS PETE 14 @ AT787470 - RAN AIR FOR ALBROOK 14 @ AT948527.

LINE J - TAC(A) FOR 1/1 @: BT013588, AT990553, 986555, AT991551, RAN FIVE FLIGHTS OF FIXED WING WITH TWO STRUCTURES DESTROYED. 6' STRAW BOAT IN GOOD CONDITION SIGHTED @ AT983546.

LINE K - VR OF 0855 IN SUPPORT OF 2/26; VR VICINITY 7957 IN SUPPORT OF 3/7; VR 8047 IN SUPPORT OF 1ST RECON BN.

LINE L - SUPPORTED 2/5 WITH THREE CAS @ AT794487. SUSPECTED ENEMY CONCENTRATION. SUPPORTED RECON TEAM PARKER PEN @ AT820530 WITH

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ONE CAS ON REPORTED 17 NVA WALKING NW UP TRAIL UNKNOWN RESULTS.

LINE M - RAN ONE STRIKE ON ENEMY CLASSROOM AND STORAGE AREA AND BUNKER
@ AT990558. NO BDA. CONDUCTED VR FOR "H" 2/1.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 15
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 14
PERCENTAGE: 93%

MISSIONS 6B WAS CANCELLED BECAUSE OF AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY

THERE WAS ONE GCA APPROACH RECORDED THIS DATE BY THE OV-10A AIRCRAFT.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 251930H THRU 261930H
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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	73	TASKS:	11	HOURS:	26.0	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	884	TASKS:	570	HOURS:	819.0	PAX:	1

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 12 ROUTINE MED EVAC MISSIONS THIS DATE.

260900H - VS-10 & VS-3, WHILE FLYING IN SUPPORT OF 1ST MARDIV, RECIEVED AND
RETURNED FIRE @ 995550 & 066644. 6,000 ROUNDS AND 38 ROCKETS WERE
EXPENED, WITH 3 HOOCHES AND 1 BOAT DESTROYED.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 100%

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 260001H THRU 262400H
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DAY:	SORTIES:	13	TASKS:	27	HOURS:	26.6	<u>NO.SIG.SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	418	TASKS:	602	HOURS:	896.8	1

MSN #6: LINE B - REGISTERED 3RD 155 GUNS "A" @ GRID AT921371.

LINE D - VR IN CONJUNCTION WITH ANOTHER OV-10 FOR RECON VICINITY
OF AT867622.

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN TWO FLIGHTS OF AIR FOR 1/26 ON LZ PREP. VR FOR "E"
2/1 BT0964 "E" CO RECIEVED SNIPER FIRE FROM BT095643.

LINE B - SUPPORTED "A" C 2/5 ON TROOP INSERT CONTROLLED THREE GAS
IN SUPPORT.

LINE C - RAN VR MISSION, ADJUSTED ARTY, AND FIVE AIR STRIKES IN
SUPPORT OF 2/26 @ COORDINATES BT097641. TARGET WAS SNIPERS IN
TREE LINE. BDA: TWO STRUCTURES DEST.; THREE STRUC DAM.

LINE D - CONDUCTED VR & PROVIDED TAC(A) FOR 2/5 VICINITY ZC1947.
LOCATED TRAIL NETWORK VICINITY ZC181470 EAST ALONG RIDGE.

LINE E - VR OF VICINITY 0963; PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FOR HELO'S IN
VICINITY 9855.

LINE F - VR AND CONTROLLED ONE AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT OF "L" 3/26
IN GRID AT806846. SELECTED LZ FOR RECON TEAM "SPOON BILL."

LINE G - VR FOR TRAILER PARK/RAN SIX FLIGHTS @ AT819549 FOR COW-
POKE MIKE 14 7TH MARINES.

LINE I - RAN VR AND THREE AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 @ AT927502
DELTA 2 HAD TAKEN TWO WIA FROM AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AT THE ABOVE
COORDINATES. RAN VR.MISSIONS FOR 2/5 @ AT8351.

LINE J - CONDUCTED PHOTO MISSION OF AT857900. VR FOR 2/5 VICINITY
ZC2048. PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FOR SWIFT 5/1.

LIKE K - "D" 1/5 RECEIVING AW FIRE FROM AT927500. CONTROLLED ONE
GAS IN SUPPORT. RECON TEAM DURHAM REPORTED SIGHTING 97 NVA/VC @
AT864625. RAN ONE AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT.

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 14
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 12
PERCENTAGE: 86%

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MISSIONS 6C AND 18H WERE CANCELLED DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 261930H THRU 271930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY: SORTIES: 38 TASKS: 14 HOURS: 21.8 PAX: 0
MONTH: SORTIES: 922 TASKS: 584 HOURS: 240.8 PAX: 1

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 15 MED EVAC MISSIONS: 4 PRIORITY, AND 11 ROUTINE

270945H - VMO-2 ESCORTED AN ARMY HURRICANE AIRCRAFT FROM RED BEACH TO WEL 7607.
THE ARMY HURRICANE AIRCRAFT WAS FLYING IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st ABN DIV.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

THERE WAS ONE CCA APPROACH RECORDED THIS DATE.

VMO-2 FLEW MISSION #17, THE APD, THIS DATE FOR 1.3 HOURS.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 270000H THRU 270000H 00T68.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	16	TASKS:	29	HOURS:	32.2	NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS
MONTH:	SORTIES:	434	TASKS:	631	HOURS:	929.0	2

MSN #6: LINE D - ATTEMPTED TO REGISTER ZULU BTY 4/11. FM RADIO WENT DOWN. RETURNED TO BASE.

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN AIR FOR ALBROOK 14D AS A SWEEP PREP @ AT937507 - VR FOR TRAILER PARK 14 @ AT987560 AREA.

LINE B - RECEIVED FIRE @ AT902468, TOOK 2 .30 CAL. HITS. VR FOR "L" 3/26, ELEPHANT VALLEY. RAN 4 FLIGHTS OF AIR @ AT810839. WORKED FOR "D" 1/5. OBSERVED 5 NVA/VC WITH WEAPONS AND PACKS MOVING SOUTH, @ AT902468. REQUESTED PERMISSION TO FIRE, IT WAS GRANTED, FIRED 1 WP. SAW 10 NVA WITH WEAPONS. CALLED FOR AIR, RAN 2 FLIGHTS HB206 - 4 KBA'S, HB542 - 1 KBA. SAW 20 NVA/VC IN LIGHT GREEN UNIFORMS WITH WEAPONS. SOME BLACK UNIFORMS.

LINE C - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 1/1 MAKING A NORTHERLY SWEEP IN DODGE CITY AREA. "I" 3/7 SWEEP 1000' METERS WEST OF HILL 65 ON ROAD. CONDUCTED VR FOR DURHAM RECON TEAM WHO REPORTED APPROX. 40 RICE CARRYING NVA PASSING HIS POSITION HEADING WEST.

LINE D - RAN VR MISSION AND 3 AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 AT COORDINATES AT932486. TARGET WAS SUSPECTED VC IN OPEN. RAN SUPPRESSIVE FIRE FOR 2/5 @ AT843477. WAS RELIEVED ON STATION BY HOSTAGE LIMA AND MF8.

LINE E - COVERED EXTRACTION OF RECON TEAM DURHAM. VR AND CONTROLLED 2 AIR STRIKES FOR 1/1 IN GRID AT977568.

LINE F - CONDUCTED VR AND PROVIDED TAC(A) FOR 2/5. RAN 1 FLIGHT FW. @ ZC197471. PROVIDED C-130 ESCORT @ AN-HOA.

LINE G - VR VIC BT0055 IN SUPPORT OF "A" 1/1.

LINE H - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 1/1 SWEEPING EAST AND WEST OF DODGE CITY AREA.

LINE I - CONDUCTED VR FOR 2/5 IN THE ANGORA AREA. CHECKED WITH GREAT PUMPKIN WORKING OUT OF 1/7 AND VR'D.

LINE J - VR FOR 1/1 COVERED EXTRACTION OF "A" CO AND "C" CO 1/1. CONTROLLED 2 AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF EXTRACTION IN GRID AT987584. NEGATIVE BDA.

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LINE K - RAN VR MISSION, ADJUSTED ARTY AND 1 AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT
OF 3/7 @ AT882554 - TARGET SUSPECTED VC IN VILLE; 3 STRUCTURES
DESTROYED; 3 STRUCTURES DAMMAGED; 3 KBA CONFIRMED. VR GRID 8844.

MMN #22: TAC(A) AND LZ PREP FOR 2/26 @ BT070624. RAN 5 FLIGHTS OF AIR AND
OBTAINED 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. VR BT070624.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 14

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 13

PERCENTAGE: 93% MSN 6C WAS CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

1 GCA WAS RECORDED THIS DATE.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 271930H THRU 281930H
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DAY: SORTIES: 55 TASKS: 29 HOURS: 26.1 PAX: 2
MONTH: SORTIES: 977 TASKS: 613 HOURS: 866.9 PAX: 3

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 28 MED EVAC MISSIONS THIS DATE: 3 EMERGENCY,
6 PRIORITY, AND 19 ROUTINE.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

VMO-2 FLEW THE APD, MISSION # 17, IN CONJUNCTION WITH HML-167. THE HML-167
SITREP WILL PROVIDE THE VITAL STATISTICS REQUIRED.

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 280001H THRU 282400H
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	16	TASKS:	27	HOURS:	35.7	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	450	TASKS:	658	HOURS:	964.7	9

MSN #6: LINE C - REGISTERED 8" HOWITZER @ AT830861. VR FOR 1ST MARDIV
VICINITY BTO361. TWO 11TH MARINES A/O'S TOOK FIRE THIS AREA.

LINE D - ATTEMPTED TO REGISTER 3RD 8". NEGATIVE CLEARANCE. VR OF
1ST MARDIV AREA.

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN AIR ON NVA HARBOR SITE AT AT816568 - VR BETWEEN 65 &
52. SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY CIVILIAN TYPE @ AT832560.

LINE B - VR VICINITY BTO368 IN SUPPORT OF "C" 1/1.

LINE C - RAN FOUR AIR STRIKES AREA PREP FOR "D" 1/5 @ AT935515, AT935517.
BDA - FOUR STRUC DEST., TWO STRUC. PARTIALLY DEST., TWENTY METERS
OF TRENCH LINE UNCOVERED, 4/500# DUDS.

LINE E - RAN THREE AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 DELTA @ AT935513.
TARGET WAS SNIPERS IN TREELINE. BDA - SIX STRUC DEST., TWO STRUC DAM.
RAN VR MSN FOR NATIVE BIRD 14 @ AT975370.

LINE F - VR FOR 3/26 @ AT9087 & AT8819. TAC(A) FOR 2/5 @ AT843474,
TWO FLIGHTS OF AIR RESULTING IN ONE STRUC DAM., AND 40 METERS OF
TRENCHLINE COVERED.

LINE G - COVERED "C" 1/5 ON SWEEP BTO38693. ATTEMPTED TO SUPPORT RECON
TEAM NIGHT SCHOLAR. WEATHER PROHIBITED REACHING THEM. PROVIDED SIGHTING FC
A-6 OFF SETT BOMBING @ AT816619. MISSION ABORTED AFTER ONE DROP DUE TO
RECON TEAM BEING CLOSE TO DROP. (WITHIN 200 METERS). GENERAL VR
FOR "I" 3/7.

LINE H - VR FOR TRAILER PARK 14 "C" @ BTO368 AREA. VR FOR TEXAS PETE 14
"I" @ AT8251 - VR SERVICE MAN 14 @ AT8935. THREE SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS.

LINE I - CONDUCTED A VR OF 1/5 TAOR WITH SIGHTINGS OF NEW BUNKERS BEING
BUILT @ AT951472. CONDUCTED A VR FOR "C" 1/1 AND "G" 2/1 ON A SWEEP OF
GRID BTO3468. CONDUCTED ANTENNA CALIBRATION FOR DANANG ASRT "A".

LINE J - VR OF YELLOW BRICK RD. RAN ONE FLIGHT OF AIR FOR 1/5 @ AT951502.

LINE K - RAN VR MSN OF ANTENNA VALLEY FOR MAYFLY BASE LOCATED SEVERAL
AA POSITIONS IN THE AREA. RAN VR MSN FOR NATIVE BIRD AT956570. HELO
HAD TAKEN GROUND FIRE EARLY FROM THIS AREA. RAN SUPPRESSIVE FIRE ON
AA POSITIONS WITH THE AID OF TWO HUEY GUNSHIPS.

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LINE L - VR FOR 2/5 IN GRID AT8351. VR FOR 1/7 IN GRID AT8665.

LINE M - VR OF YELLOW BRICK ROAD. RAN ARTY MSN FOR NATIVE BIRD @
AT956510 GREY REBEL - 7 EFE - TWO STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

LINE N - SUPPORTED "K" 3/5. CONTROLLED ONE A/S @ AT896593. ALSO
GENERAL VR.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 17
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 15
PERCENTAGE: 88%

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 281930H THRU 291930H
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UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES: 143	TASKS: 35	HOURS: 42.9	PAX: 0
MONTH:	SORTIES: 1120	TASKS: 648	HOURS: 909.8	PAX: 3

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON ONE PRIORITY MED EVAC MISSION THIS DATE.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS			
EXTRACTS	1	1	0.8
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	5		
MISSIONS COMPLETED :	4		
PERCENTAGE:	80%		

THERE WERE NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES RECORDED FOR THE UH-1E A/C THIS DATE

MISSION #17, THE APD HOP, WAS CANCELLED DUE TO MALFUNCTION OF AVI NICS GEAR.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 2900QH THRU 29240CH
OCTOBER 1968.

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	15	TASKS:	24	HOURS:	29.2	<u>NO. SIG. SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	465	TASKS:	682	HOURS:	993.9	2

MSN #1: SPECIAL - SUPPORTED 1/1, 2/26 TROOP LIFT BT090638. CONTROLLED ONE AIR STRIKE ON INITIAL ZONES CARDINAL - BLUE BIRD LZ ONLY SOUTHERN PORTION DUE TO TIME.

MSN #6: LINE C - REGISTRATION OF 3RD 8" @ AT830861. VR OF AT0964 GRID FOR 1ST MARDIV.

MSN #18: LINE A - TPQ CALIBRATION OF AT975470 FOR DANANG DASC - VR FOR COWPOKE 14.

LINE B - RANVR MISSION FOR NATIVE BIRD 14. RAN VR OF 150 SAMPANS FOR 3/26.

LINE C - VR FOR TEXAS PETE "E" 3/7 WHILE THEY WERE CONDUCTING A SWEEP. VR ARIZONA AREA W/2 SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS. BUNKER W/2 CGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION @ AT849504; AA POSITION @ AT850199. CONTROLLED TWO FLIGHTS OF AIR ON FORTIFIED VILLE FOR 1/5 @ AT768542.

LINE D - VR FOR 1/7 IN GRID AT8666. VR FOR "F" 2/1 IN GRID BT0969.

LINE E - VR FOR 2/5 LOCATED RECON TEAM @ AT953410.

LINE F - VR FOR WONDER WHY 14 "E" @ BT060673 AREA. VR FOR TEXAS PETE 14 @ BT7949.

LINE G - VR VICINITY AT9556 IN SUPPORT OF "F" 2/7; FOX REPORTED FINDING AMMO CACHES IN THE VICINITY; VR VICINITY AT9551 IN SUPPORT OF "B" 1/5, WHO WAS IN CONTACT W/ENEMY @ VICINITY OF 952512.

LINE H - GENERAL VR FOR 1/1. BT101640 1/5 REQUESTED CAS ON THE AT965506. SUPPORTED W/TWO AIR STRIKES.

LINE J - WORKED WITH SERVICE MAN & ALBROOK "B". CONTROLLED ONE FLIGHT OF AIR W/SIX STRUCTURES DESTROYED. VR A/O AREA @ 330-24 TO LOOK FOR CHUTE. (IT WAS CARGO CHUTE)

LINE L - VR FOR "B" 1/1 IN GRID BT1063. VR FOR "B" 1/5 IN GRID AT9550. VR FOR 2/5 IN GRID ZC2149.

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LINE M - VR VICINITY AT878693 IN SUPPORT OF 1/7. GROUND REPORTED SIGHTINGS OF TWO NVA AT THAT POSITION. VR VICINITY AT8466 IN SUPPORT OF 1ST RECON BN. VR VICINITY AT9146 IN SUPPORT OF 5TH MARINES. VR VICINITY 963668 IN SUPPORT OF 1/8 - GROUND REPORTED TWO SQUADS OF VC/NVA WITH LABORERS AT THAT POSITION.

LINE N - ADJUSTED ARTY ON REPORTED SNIPER POSITION WITH GOOD TARGET COVERAGE. NO BDA. WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 2/7. DIVERTED CHECK OUT SIGHTING OF VC PLATOON AND 20 LABORERS WITH ROCKETS @ AT963668.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 17
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 14
PERCENTAGE: 82%

NEGATIVE GCA APPROACHES

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 291930H THRU 301930H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	66	TASKS:	23	HOURS:	33.7	PAX:	0
MONTH:	SORTIES:	1186	TASKS:	671	HOURS:	943.5	PAX:	3

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 7 HO TIME MED EVACS THIS DATE

301600H - VS-14, WHILE CONDUCTING A MED EVAC ESCORT FOR HMM-362, EXPENDED 14
ROCKETS PROVIDING COVER FOR THE UH-34 ATTEMPTING TO PICK UP MED EVAC
5M @ AT950521. THE UH-34 SUSTAINED DAMAGE AND THE CREW SUSTAINED
INJURIES. THE A/C WAS ABLE TO LIMP TO AN HOA WHERE IT MADE A HARD
LANDING.

301630H - VS-12 & VS-3, WHILE ESCORTING HMM-265 ON A TROOP LIFT SPOTTED SOME
VC @ AT950640. THE TWO AIRCRAFT ENGAGED THE ENEMY EXPENDING 7,000
TDS OF 7.62. KBA: 2 POSSIBLE VS KIA.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

THERE WAS ONE CGA APPROACH RECORDED THIS DATE FOR A VMO-2 UH-1 A/C

VMO-2 GUNSHIPS ESCORTED HML-167 ON THE APD FLIGHT, MISSION #17, THIS DATE FOR
TOTAL OF 1.4 HOURS.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 300001H THRU 302400H
OCTOBER 1968

OV-10A STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	15	TASKS:	31	HOURS:	33.0	<u>NO. SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	480	TASKS:	713	HOURS:	1026.9	0

MSN #6: LINE C - REGISTERED 8" "C" @ AT871598.

MSN# 18: LINE A - VR FOR NATIVE BIRD 14 @ AT9555. LOCATED LOST RIFLE COMPANY @ AT95105495. ADJUSTED IMPACT OF WP FOR NATIVE BIRD.

LINE B - WORKED W/ ALBROOK "A". CONTROLLED 1 FLIGHT OF AIR NB 291 W/ 20 METERS OF TRENCHLINE DESTROYED @ AT887492. 1A" COMPANY IS GOING TO SWEEP THE ENTIRE AREA LATER THIS DATE.

LINE C - RAN VR FOR BARKEEP 3/26 @ AT8990 AND LOCATED ONE LZ. RAN VR FOR TEXAS PETE DURING TROOP LIFT. RAN ONE AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT OF ALBROOK 1/5 "B" @ AT952526. TARGET WAS SNIPERS IN VILLE.

LINE E - CONDUCTED CONVOY ESCORT FOR 3RD 8" BTY. FROM HILL 37 TO LIBERTY BRIDGE; CONDUCTED VR IN SUPPORT OF 1ST BN 5TH MARINES @ AT9542 AND AT8849.

LINE F - VR FOR 1/7 IN AT9265 GRID. VR FOR "B" 1/1 IN BT0969 GRID.

LINE H - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 2/1 & 2/6. COVERED 11TH MARINES CONVOY FROM LIBERTY BRIDGE TO AN HOA W/O INCIDENT. RAN TWO PREP AIR STRIKES ON FORTIFIED VILLES FOR "B" 1/5 BDA: 6 STRUCT DEST.

LINE I - WORKED FOR NATIVE BIRD 2/7 - CONTROLLED 1 FLT OF AIR @ AT 948566. VR FOR COWPOKE 3/7 - VR IN ARIZONA AREA. WORKED FOR LITTLE ABNER 1ST RECON AS A RADIO RELAY @ AT833725.

VC LINE J - VR FOR "B" 1/5 WITHIN THIER TAOR - ASSISTED IN LOCATING UNITS. LOCATED 8 NVA IN UNIFORMS @ AT970545, WHO RAN INTO HOOCH. FIRED ROCKETS AND DESTROYED HOOCH - WEATHER PREVENTED AIR STRIKE LOCATED 3 VC SUSPECTS @ AT955524 - RAN INTO TREELINE - USED ROCKETS AND GUNS. NO BDA.

LINE K - LOCATED 1ST MARDIV RECON TEAM AND SELECTED A FUTURE LZ SITE FOR THEM. RAN 1 AIR STRIKE IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 @ AT970545. TARGET WAS SUSPECTED VC VILLE.

LINE L - CONDUCTED VR OF BT0963 IN SUPPORT OF 1ST BN 1ST MARINES. PROVIDED COVER FOR HELO TROOP EXTRACTION.

LINE M - VR OF AT9748. HELO ESCORT FOR MED EVAC @ AT956522. HELO HAD 2 CREWMEMBERS HIT. RAN 3 FLIGHTS OF AIR. 12 STRUCTURES DESTROYED W/ SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS.

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LINE N - RAN TPQ 10 CALIBRATION -RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR & ARTY ON NVA
PLZTOON @ AT955523 MARINES WERE IN CLOSE CONTACT.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 16
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 13
PERCENTAGE: 81%

MISSIONS 6D, 18D, & 18G WERE CANCELLED. MSNS 18D AND 18G DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY
AND 6D WAS DIVERTED TO DONG HA.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 301930H THRU 312400H
OCTOBER 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS:

DAY:	SORTIES:	104	TASKS:	16	HOURS:	43.4	PAX:	4
MONTH:	SORTIES:	1290	TASKS:	687	HOURS:	986.9	PAX:	7

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-362 ON 23 MED EVAC MISSIONS THIS DATE: 3 EMERGENCY, 10
PRIORITY, AND 10 ROUTINE. VMO-2 ITSELF FLEW TWO MED EVAC MISSIONS: 1 EMERGENCY,
AND ONE ROUTINE.

311400H - WHILE FLYING THE APD MISSION IN THE HAPPY VALLEY AREA, VS-7, 12, 11
RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE ON FOUR SEPERATE OCCASIONS: ZC075803,
ZC092798, ZC198812, AT814813.

311020H - VS-14, WHILE ESCORTING HMM-362 ON MED EVAC MISSION 5M @ AT9551,
RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE.

VMO-2 FLEW THE APD FLIGHT IN THE HAPPY VALLEY REGION THIS DATE FOR A 1.5 FLIGHT
TIME.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 125%

THERE WERE 4 GCA APPROACHES RECORDED THIS DATE FOR VMO-2 A/C: UH-1 (1) SIMULATED
OV-10 (3) SIMULATED.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON 2 SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 310001H THRU 312400H OCTOBER 1968.

DAY:	SORTIES:	19	TASKS:	34	HOURS:	41.8	<u>NO.SIG.SIGHTINGS</u>
MONTH:	SORTIES:	499	TASKS:	747	HOURS:	1068.7	4

MSN #6: LINE D - REGISTERED 3RD 155 GUNS (STONE PIT) ON GRID ZC186864.

MSN #16: RAN 5 FLIGHTS OF AIR FOR ALLENBROOK "B" @ AT960506. VR & HELO COVERAGE FOR TEXAS PETE @ AT960506.

MSN #18: LINE A - SUPPORTED 5TH MARINES WITH 2 A/S @ AT993541. GENERAL VR FOR 1/7.

LINE B - COVERED HELO LIFT OF "G" & "F" 2/26 BETWEEN MOUNTAINS @ MARBLE MTN. WITHOUT INCIDENT.

LINE C - VR FOR "C" 1/26 IN AT8984 & 9084 GRIDS. MISSIONS TERMINATED EARLY DUE TO MECHANICAL DIFFICULTIES WITH A/C.

LINE D - VR AREA AROUND HILL 52. RAN 4 FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF "I" 3/7 - 13 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 1 BUNKER DEST, & 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

LINE E - COVERED TROOP LIFT FOR TEXAS PETE 14 - RAN ARTY MSN ON 20 VC @ AT935512.

LINE F - RAN VR AND ONE AIR STRIKE FOR PARKER PEN 1ST DIV RECON TEAM @ AT818523. RAN VR FOR WEDDING RING 1ST DIV RECON TEAM. WORK FOR ALLENBROOK 14, FIRED ROCKETS & 7.62 @ VC IN VILLE. WAS UNABLE TO GET FIXED WING ON STATION.

LINE G - WORKED WITH 1ST RECON TEAM (FIG NEWTON) @ AT932639 WHO HAD 5 VC SIGHTED. WORKED FOR COWPOKE "I" 3/7 & CONTROLLED 6 FLTS OF AIR ON FORTIFIED VILLE @ AT874564.

LINE H - CONDUCTED VR OF AT0671 IN SUP CRT OF 2/26. CONDUCTED VR OF AT0270 IN SUPPORT OF 3/1. CONDUCTED VR VIA BT9651 FOR 5TH MARINES, CONTROLLED AIR STRIKE @ AT962505.

LINE I - VR FOR PANAMA HAT @ BT023707. VR FOR WONDER WHY @ BT065711. TAC(A) FOR TEXAS PETE @ AT950502 - 3 STRUCT DEST WITH 1 WHITE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. SPOTTED NUMEROUS NEW TRENCHES, FIGHTING HOLES & BUNKERS WITH AA POSITION @ AT950502. OBSERVED 11 - 13 PEOPLE IN MIXED CLOTHING MOVING EAST @ THE ABOVE GRID. ALLENBROOK "B"/"C" OBSERVED 75 PEOPLE MOVING THROUGH AREA. GROUND FIRE RECEIVED @ AT945500.

LINE J - GENERAL VR FOR 2/5. DIVERTED TO RECON TEAM WEDDING RING. SUPPORTED WITH ONE CAS ON REPORTED COMPANY BASE CAMP @ AT948422 & CONTINUED TO COVER TEAMS MOVING TO NEW LOCATION.

LINE K - RAN 1 AIRSTRIKE ON FORTIFIED VILLE FOR 2/7-3 STRUCT DEST, 1 STRUCT DAMAGED. ASSISTED RECON TEAM WEDDING RING FIND THEIR POSITION.

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LINE L - VR AND RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF "E" 2/5, "H" 2/5 @ AT950904.
SIGHTED 35 - 40 SUSPECTED VC, ALL MALES. DETAILS IN SEPARATE SPOT REPORT.
REMARKS: STRUCTURES DESTROYED 6 & OV-10A WERE BURNED AFTER BEING HIT WITH
MARKING ROCKETS.

LINE M - VR FOR "B" 1/1 @ BT0762. VR FOR 3/5, 2/5 @ AT9551.

LINE N - VR FOR 3/5 @ AT948514. SIGHTED 5 MALES MOVING EAST - NEGATIVE
WEAPONS OBSERVED. PUT ORDNANCE ON SUSPECTED MORTAR SITE @ AT939509.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 17
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 17
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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