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Marine Air Control Group 18
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From: Commanding Officer

To: Commanding Officer, Marine Air Control Group 18

Subj: Command Chronology for period 1 September 1968 to 30 September 1968

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(b) Gru0 5750.1

Encl: /(1) Organizational Data

(2) Narrative Summary (3) Significant Events

- 1. In accordance with the provisions of reference (a) and (b), enclosures (1) through (3) are submitted.
- 2. This letter is downgraded to unclassified upon removal of the enclosures.

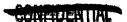
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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

1 September 1968 - 30 September 1968

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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. Command and Staff

BILLET	PERIOD COVERED	RANK/NAME
Commanding Officer Commanding Officer Executive Officer Sergeant Major S-1 Officer S-2 Officer S-3 Officer S-4 Officer S-4 Officer Comm-Elect Officer	1-14 September 1968 15-30 September 1968 1-30 September 1968 1-30 September 1968 1-30 September 1968 1-30 September 1968 1-30 September 1968 1-8 September 1968 9-30 September 1968	LtCol David S. TWINING LtCol Thomas M. KAUFFMAN Major Donald C. PAULEY MSgt Charles F. COOK 1stLt Edward M. ZERBE Major Ernest (N) JARVIS Major Paul H. WAGENER Capt Thomas G. BONGARD Capt Ross L. AKER Capt Jon T. FLINT
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2. Task Organization and Unit Location

- a. Task Organization Marine Air Control Squadron Four
- b. Unit Location Danang, Republic of Vietnam

3. Average Monthly Strength

a. Average monthly strength - 41 Officers
293 Enlisted (USMC)
3 Enlisted (USN)

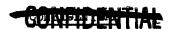
4. Important Visitors to the Command

a. The following important visitors to this command were briefed on the Squadron mission, operation and equipment. Briefing, on the dates indicated, were followed by tours of the site.

25 September 1968 - Major General ADAMS, CG, 3rdMAW



ENCLOSURE (1)





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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

- 1. The mission of surveillance, air defense, air control and the participation in the exchange of digital data via Link ll with NTDS/ATDS in the Gulf of Tonkin were continued.
- 2. On 5 September 1968 all power was secured due to Typhoon Bess. Typhoon Bess did considerable damage to buildings and equipment. Winds were estimated to be 80 knots gusting to 90 knots. Power was restored on 6 September 1968.



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