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(a) MCO 5750.2A (b) FMFPacO 5750.8B (c) WgO 5750.1

(d) Gru0 5750.1B

(1) MACS-4 Command Chronology

1. In accordance with references (a) through (d), enclosure (1) is submitted.

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## PART I

### ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

COMMAND

Marine Air Control Squadron 4

LtCol R. D. MILLER 15 Jun - 30 Jun

SUBORDINATE UNITS

None

## ATTACHED UNITS

None

2. Location

Period Covered - MACS(H) Futema, Okinawa

Staff Officers

LtCol R. D. MILLER 15 Jun - 30 Jun Commanding Officer Executive Officer Major R. E. NORMAN 15 Jun - 30 Jun 15 Jun - 23 Jun Operations Officer Capt D. H. ADAMS 23 Jun - 30 Jun Operations Officer Major B. G. BROWN Intell/Ass't Ops Officer Capt D. J. CHRISTENSEN 15 Jun - 30 Jun Services Officer Major C. B. McCOY 15 Jun - 30 Jun 15 Jun - 23 Jun Communication/Electronics Major B. G. BROWN 23 Jun - 30 Jun Officer Capt H. W. QUEST Administrative Officer CWO-2 L. T. CLARK 15 Jun - 30 Jun

4. Average Monthly Strength

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Officers - 29 Officers - 0

Enlisted - 246 Enlisted - 2

#### PART II

- 1. From 15 June to 30 June 1971, MACS-4 successfully completed 38 out of 38 attempted Ground Controlled Intercepts. This was accomplished with the support of Squadrons: VC-5, VIM-211, VIFA-232, VIFA-115 and VF-151 aboard Hidway.
- 2. On 15 June, 1st Lts. B. J. Williamson and D. L. Frieson began TAD tours with the 7th Fleet in the Gulf of Tonkin.
- 3. On 15 June, MACS-8 conducted a combined Change of Command, Squadron redesignation and Retirement ceremony. During this ceremony LtCol. M. S. Jolley was relieved as Commanding Officer by LtCol. R. D. Hiller, MACS-8 was redesignated as MACS-4, and the MACS-8 colors were retired.
- 4. On 15 June, SgtMajor Mogue retired with 28 years of service.
- \*5. On 17 June, 1st Lts. C. J. Boyle and H. B. Downey returned from their TAD tours with the 7th Fleet in the Gulf of Tonkin.
- 5. On 18 June, Lt. R. A. Andres completed 90 days TAD with the 7th Fleet aboard the USS Ivo Jina and USS New Orleans (LPI). Performing Air Support Control Officer Cross Training Program, Lt. Andres also completed 17 GCI's while aboard.
- 7. On 19 June, INCS-4 conducted TADIL A Link operations with the USS Preble off the Okinawan coast.
- 8. On 21-25 June, HACS-4 moves two HEDS buts, seven generators, one AH/UPS-1 radar and one AH/TPS-22 radar to White Beach to support missle firem with VF-151, and VEEA-232.
- 9. On 26-27 June, TACS-4 supported the USS Midway in a portion of the Hissile Firex with VF-151. At the same time MACS-4 conducted TADIL A Links operations.
- 10. On 30 June, the missile firex ended and MACS-4 White Beach detachment secured with a total of 10 missiles fired.

\*The two controllers attempted 122 GCI's and completed 122 of the intercepts while aboard the Truxtun, "Cockren and Standley.

#### PART III

#### SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

### 1. PERSONNEL

15 June to 30 June 1971

Joined

Officers - 1 Enlisted - 26

Transferred

Officers - 3 Enlisted - 15

Promotions to

Sgt - 9 LCpl - 4

Awards and Decorations

None

#### TRAINING

19 June

MACS-4 conducted TADIL Link Operations

with USS Preble.

21-25 June

MACS-4 supports missile firex from

White Beach.

26-27 June

MACS-4 supports USS Midway in Missile Firex and conducts TADIL

A Link Operations.

30 June

MACS-4 secures support for missile firex at White Beach with a total of

10 missiles fired.

#### 3. DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

15 June

Change of Command, Retirement and Redesignation ceremony takes place with the following guests attending: MajGen R. G. Owens, Jr., Cols Lamar, Zitnik, Johnson (USAF) and Fegley.

ENCLOSURE (1)

30 June

Col. G. H. Morrison, Chief of Staff, 1st MAW, visited MACS-4.

30 June

Rear Admiral W. H. Rogers, CTG 70.8, Commander of Cruiser, Destroyer Flotilla Croup Nine and his Chief of Staff, visited MACS-4.

#### 4. COMMAND RELATIONS

15 June

Lts. B. J. Williamson and D. L. Frieson sent TAD with 7th Fleet, in the Gulf of Tonkin for 30 days.

17 June

Lts. C. J. Boyle and H. B. Downey returned from their TAD tours with the 7th Fleet in which 122 intercepts were completed out of 122 attempted.

13 18 June

Lt. R. A. Andres completed 90 days TAD with the 7th Fleet aboard the USS Iwo Jima and the USS New Orleans (LPH), performing Air Support Control Officer Cross Training. Lt. Andres completed 17 GCI's while TAD.

### 5. COMMUNITY RELATIONS

15 June to 30 June, 1971

None

# PART IV

### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. None