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 To: Commanding Officer, Marine Aircraft Group 36

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Encl: (1) MABS-36 Command Chronology

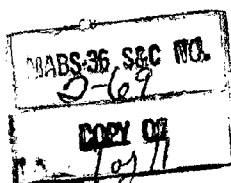
1. In accordance with references (a) and (b), enclosure (1) is hereby submitted.

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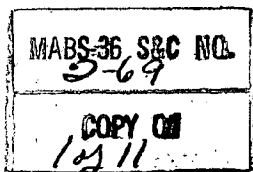
COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1 September 1969 to 30 September 1969

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PART I

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

Marine Air Base Squadron 36, Marine
Aircraft Group 36, 1st Marine Aircraft
Wing, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific

COMMANDER

LtCol Ronald D. NELSON
1-5 September 1969
Major Edwin W. LOCKARD
6-30 September 1969

2. LOCATION

1-30 September 1969, Phu Bai, RVN

3. STAFF OFFICERS

EXECUTIVE OFFICER
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER
BASE SERVICES OFFICER

BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER

UTILITIES OFFICER
MOTOR TRANSPORT OFFICER
TAFDS
FOOD SERVICES OFFICER

MATERIEL OFFICER

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER
RIFLE COMPANY COMMANDING OFFICER
CRASH CREW OFFICER

Major John A. HELLRIEGEL 1-30Sep69
1stLt Thomas M. COOK 1-30Sep69
Major William M. PEARCE 1-20Sep69
1stLt James V. DALY 21-30Sep69
Major Edwin W. LOCKARD 1-5Sep69
1stLt Richard E. MILLER 6-30Sep69
1stLt Stephen B. MCNEIL 1-30Sep69
1stLt Richard H. DITTMAN 1-30Sep69
1stLt Robert W. THOMAS 1-30Sep69
Capt Victor L. SHEPPARD 1-28Sep69
1stLt Albert A. REYNOLDS 29-30Sep69
2dLt James E. BAILEY 1-11Sep69
2dLt Kevin E. VELEKE 12-30Sep69
Capt Louis A. JUAREZ 1-30Sep69
1stLt Charles D. MORGAN 1-30Sep69
1stLt Richard E. MILLER 1-30Sep69

4. AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH

USMC	
OFF	ENL
16	512

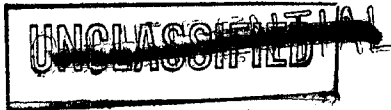
USN	
OFF	ENL
1	25

OTHERS	
OFF	ENL
0	0

PART IINARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. Marine Air Base Squadron 36 provided base facilities and Utilities support, base services and improvement of existing structures and utilities system.

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PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTINGS OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. Casualties sustained: Non Hostile - 37
Hostile - 0
2. Administration: The administrative section provided administrative support and postal services for the squadron.
3. Personnel strength remained stable during the month of September 1969.
 - a. Joined
 - (1) Officers - 3
 - (2) Enlisted - 25
 - b. Transferred
 - (1) Officers - 3
 - (2) Enlisted - 56
 - c. Temporary additional duty - 3 departed on special leave, 2 departed on emergency leave.
 - d. Attached - 10 MC Enlisted, 2 Navy Enlisted and 1 Navy Officer.
 - e. Not chargeable - 0 MC Officers, 2 MC Enlisted. 0 MC Officers and 4 MC Enlisted returned from hospitalization.
 - f. Career and Welfare
 - (1) Reenlistments - 1
 - (2) Extension of Enlistments - 0
 - (3) Extension of Overseas Tour - 0
 - (4) Promotions - 1 Officer and 161 Enlisted
 - (5) Reductions - 3
 - g. Personal Awards
 - (1) Good Conduct Medals - 1
 - (2) Navy Achievement Medals - 0
 - (3) Air Medals - 1
 - (4) Purple Heart Medals - 0
 - (5) Cross Gallantry with Bronze Star - 1
 - (6) Cross of Gallantry with Silver Star - 0



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4. Civic Action: Support continues to be provided to the Thuy Luong Refugee Camp. Seventy-five Vietnamese received medical treatment during MEDCAPS and 60 Vietnamese received dental treatment during DENTCAPS. Work was continued on the new Saint Joseph's Orphanage in Phu Luong Village.

5. Communications: During September 1969, the Communications Center processed 3250 incoming messages and 979 outgoing. The Radio Section performed routine functions and the Wire Section improved cable routes in various areas of the compound. The Radio Repair Section performed routine maintenance on equipment.

6. Weather: The Weather Section performed routine functions. Average rainfall for the month of September 1969 is 15.0 inches and the total rainfall for September 1969 was 22.10 inches. Weather during the month had no effect on the accomplishment of the squadron's mission.

7. Medical: 2053 patients were treated at sick call. 80 physical examinations were conducted and 1244 immunizations were given.

8. Dental: 500 military patients and 60 Vietnamese received dental treatment at the Dental Clinic.

9. Air Freight: 186,434 pounds of cargo was processed by the Air Freight Section. 32,400 pounds were incoming and 154,034 were outgoing. 287 passengers were manifested to various destinations.

10. Tactical Airfield Fuel Dispensing System: The TAFDS Section dispensed 630,722 gallons of JP-4 jet fuel and 93,998 gallons of 115/145 aviation gas.

11. Crash Crew: The Crash Crew Section maintained routine alert, responding to medical evacuation, fires and emergencies.

12. Base Operations: Normal Base Operations were conducted during September 1969, including directing aircraft ramp traffic.

13. Materiel: The Materiel Section provided routine supply support for the squadron including Navy and Marine Corps requisitions, surveys, disposal turn-in and equipment repair turn-in.

14. Base Services:

a. Motor Transport Section's vehicles traveled 58,691 miles. The Operations Section hauled 1152 tons of cargo, 120,082 gallons of potable water, 99,437 gallons of diesel fuel, 16,635 gallons of mogas, 33,810 gallons of JP-4 fuel, 66,135 gallons of 115/145 aviation gas and 15,310 passengers. The Maintenance Section completed 205 work orders of which 83 were second echelon, 11 were third echelon, 21 in the body shop, 57 in the carburation and ignition shop and 33 in the welding shop.

b. The Utilities Section continued to support Group in its areas of responsibility during the month of September 1969. The Generator Section assisted Public Works in providing power for the Group, maintaining and repairing organic generators as required. The Laundry processed 12,640 pounds of bulk

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laundry, 9,300 pounds of lot work and 640 individual bundles. The plumbing shop made a survey of all the hot water heaters in the showers, repaired all that they were capable of, and submitted work requests to Public Works for maintenance and repair on the remaining heaters. The plumbing shop also supplied 73,500 gallons of water and answered several trouble calls. The engineer equipment section supported the Group with forklifts and other items of heavy equipment, which totaled 895 hours on the job operating time. There were 200 commitments completed and the equipment was maintained in a satisfactory state. The carpenter shop repaired the Group Commanding Officer's walkway, built 4 bunkers, remodeled the enlisted club, moved a hut at sickbay, covered the COC Bunker with plastic, and constructed approximately 500 boxes. The shop completed 51 work orders. The electric shop completed 44 work orders, rewired all of the living quarters and working areas for the Crash Crew Section and took care of all minor electrical troubles. The refrigeration shop completed 21 work orders and minor trouble calls.

c. The Base Police and Sanitation Section picked up and disposed of garbage, trash and human waste, maintained sanitary conditions in heads and showers, and performed general police of the Group compound.

d. Food Services Section fed an average of 1,775 rations daily.

e. The Post Exchange operated daily, providing merchandise and health and comfort items to the base personnel. Total sales during September 1969 amounted to \$81,732.76.

15. Rifle Company: Rifle Company performed its mission of defending sector "A" of the Phu Bai perimeter and conducted day and night patrols inside and outside the perimeter. Bunkers and other defensive positions are continually improved, including defensive barrier wire.

16. Chaplain Section: The Protestant and Catholic Chaplains conducted religious services for base personnel and participated in civic action projects.

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