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MONTHLY COMMFDUD CHRONOLOGY, MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 022915Z

A. CIG 79.1 MSG CONCERNING REPORTING PROCEDURES

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PART I - ORGANIZATIONAL DATAQNE(A) COMMUHDLING OFFICER

30SEP72-5 D.P. HANSEN MAJOR

EXECUTIVE OFFICER 011,3072 - 30SEP72 J.H. MARSHALL MAJOR  
S-1 OFFICER

S-2 OFFICER 01KAP72 - 30SEP72MA. SAN MIGUEPS 1STLT

S-3 OFFICER 01SEP72 - 30SEP72 M.V. ELLIOTT 1STLT

S-4 OFFICER 01SE72 - 30SEP72 D.C. CORBETT CAPI

SUPPLY/MATERIAL OFFICER 01SEP72 - 30SEP72 D.A. DITTMAR CAPI

SUPVTY/MATERIAL OFFICER 01SEP72 - 14SEP72 R.L. BARRETT 1STLT

MAINTENANCE OFFICER 14SEP72 - 30SEP72 T.G. GOODSPEED 1STLT

01SEP72 - 30SEP72 D.(S. CALDON CAPT

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(B) SUBORDINATE UNL: NONE

(C) LOCATION: 01SEP72 TO 30SEP72, USS CLEVELAND, LPD-76

(D) AVERAGE MONTHLY STRENGTH: USMC OFF - 20, USMC ENL - 96, TOTAL - 116  
BE USN OFF - 0, USN ENL - 0, TOTAL - 0

(E2) IMPORTANT VISITORS:

MAJGEN BROWN

CG 1ST MAW

HX HU 01 SEPI 72

13 SEPI 72

COMMODOCU BRADLEY COMDESRON-21

19 SEPTD 72

ADM XSGAYLER CINCPAC

19 305 72

ADM CLAREY CICCPACFLT

19 SEPT 72

VADM HOLLOWAY SENDMSEVENTHFLT

19 SEPT 72

MGEN SPANJER HA J-3 OF CINCPAC

19 SEPT 72

BGEN MILLER CG 9TH MABJ

19 SEPT 72

COMMODORE BRADLEY COMDESRON-20

24 SEPT 72

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ANAGAN COMCARDIV-1

26 SEPT 72

PART II - NARRATIVE SUMMARY

(S) THE MONTH OF SEPT BEGAN WITH HMA-369 CONTINUING ITS MAINT FORIS SVW SUBIC BAY, P.I. NORMAL WORK DAYS CONTINUED FOR THE IN-PORT PERIOD.

SEPT 1ST, MAJGEN BROWN, CG 1ST MAW, AND STAFF, VISITED HMA-

369 IN-PORT

(S) FINAL LIBERTY AT SUBIC BAY SECURED ON THE MORNING OF 6 SEPT 72

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AS THE USS CLEVELAND LEFT THE PIER FOR A HARBOR ANCHORAGE AT WHICH ORDNANCE REPLENISHMENTS WERE BROUGHT ABOARD. IN THESE MATERIALS WERE THE 1ST ZUNI ROCKETS AND PODS FOR HMA-369 USAGE.

(S) A SQDN FORMATION WAS HELD FOR THE FORMAL POSTING AND REOSSVING OF SARGEANTS-MAJOR. PROMOTIONS TO RANK WERE ALSO PRESENTED DURING THIS FORMATION ON 06 SEPT.

(S) ON 07 SEPT, HMA-369 ARRIVED IN HONG KONG FOR LIBERTY&FINAL LIBERTY WAS SECURE ON 11 SEPT AND HMA-369 WILL RETURN FOR ANOTHER LINE PERIOD

(S) ON 13 SEPT, HMA-369 ARRIVED ON STATION AND IMMEDIATELY RESUME MARHUK OPERATION. THE 1ST ZUNI ROCKETS TO BE FIRED FROM AN AH-1J IN A COMBAT SITUATION WERE LAUNCHED ON THIS DAY. ALSO ON THIS DAY, COMMODORE BRADLEY, COMDESRON-20, CONFERRED WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF DESTROYER USED IN MARHUK OPS AND HMA-369 TO RECOORDINATE AND STANDARDIZED MARHUK PROCEDURES

(S) ON SEPT 16TH, A ZT HMA-369 SEA COBRA LAUNCHES A TEST FLIGHT AS TWO AIR FORCE F4 PILOTS EJECTED FROM THEIR ACFT IN THE VICINITY OF THE HON LA ANCHORAGE. THE PISTOL PETE ACFT LOCATED THE PILOTS IN THE WATER AND REMAINED OVERHEAD UNTIL DESTROYER RESCUE EFFORTS REALIZED THE RECOVERY OF THESE SURVIVORS.

(S) ON 19 SEPT, USS CLEVELAND AND HMA-369 WERE VISITED BY ADM GAYLER, CINCPAC; ADM CLAREY, CINCPACF; VADM HOLLOWAY, COMSEVENTHFLT; MGEN SPANJER, J-3 OF CINCPAC; AND EGEN MILLER, CG 9TH MAB, FOR A

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MARHUK OPERATIONAL CONFERENCE.

(AKHZ) MAJ B.P. HANSON CO HMA-369, FLEW ABOARD THE USS KITTY HAWK TO ATTEND AN OPERATIONAL CONFERENCE ON RPSPFPT.

(S) 19, 26 SEPT, RADM FLANAGEN, COMCARIYSON VISITED HMA-369 ABOARD FE LRD-7 FOR MARHUK BRIEFINGS.

(S) ON 27 SEPT, THE 1ST NIGHTTIME COBRA

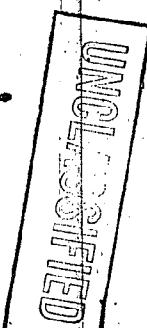
ZUNI FIRINGS WERE MADE.

(S) THE HIGHLIGHT OF THIS LINE PERIOD FOR MARHUK OPMYHS THE PREPARATION FOR, AND UTILIZATION OF THE ZUNI ROCKETS BY HMA-369 ACFT IN COMBAT SITUATIONS. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT AS ADDITIONAL FIRING INFORMATION IS GATHERED FOR THIS WEAPON, THE EFFECTIVE ENGAGEMENT RANGE OF THE AH-1J IN ACTUAL COMBAT CIRCUMSTANCES WILL BE ACCURATELY AND EFFECTIVELY INCREASED.

(S) ENGAGEMENT TACTICS AND SECTIONAL RECONNSYGFCE PROCEDURES ARE BEING SCRUTINIZED TO PERMIT THE UTILIZATION OF THIS WEAPON FOR EFFECTIVE SURVEILLANCE COVERAGE AND DEFENSE.

PART III - SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS  
01 SEPT 72 (S) NORMAL WORKDAYS CONTINUE DURING IN-PORT PERIOD. ON THIS DAY MAJGEN BROWN, CG 1ST MAW, AND STAFF, CONFERRED WITH HMA-369.

05 SEPT 72 (S) FINAL LIBERTY AT SUBIC SECURES. ZUNI ROCKETS AND PODS



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ARE BROUGHT ABOARD DURING ORDNANCE REPLENISHMENT.  
07 SEPT 72 (S) HMA-369 ARRIVES IN HONG KONG FOR LIBERTY.  
11 SEPT 72 (S) FINAL LIBERTY SECURES, DEPARTED HONG KONG FOR OPERATIONAL AREA.  
13 SEPT 72 (S) HMA-369 ARRIVES ON STATION. THE FIRST ZUNI ROCKETS

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ARE FIRED IN COMBAT EVALUATION.;&  
(S) COMMODORE BRADLEY, COMDESRON-20, ATTENDED OPERATIONAL CONFERENCE.  
16 SEPT (S) AN AH-1J SEA COBRA ASSISTS IN A RESCUE OF TWO DOWNED AIR FORCE F4 PILOTS.  
19 SEPT (S) ADM GAYLER, CINCPAC, ADM CLAREY, CINCPACFLT; VADM HOLLOWAY, COMSEVENTHFLT; MGEN SPANIER, J-3 OF CINCPAC; AND BGEN MILLER, CG 9TH MAB, ATTENDED MARHUK OPERATIONAL CONFERENCE.  
24 SEPT (U) CO, HMA-369, FLEW ABOARD THE USS KITTY HAWK TO ATTEND AN OPERATIONAL CONFERENCE.  
26 SEPT (S) RADM FLANAGAN, COMCARDIV-1, VISITED HMA-369 FOR MARHUK BRIEFINGS.  
27 SEPT (S) THE FIRST NIGHTTIME COBRA ZUNI FIRINGS WERE MADE.

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