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LZ WEST, AT 990251
071200H March 1970
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Frag Order 4 to OPORD 2-70

1. Co A: Continue to secure LZ West. 07 Mar establish N/A vic AT 980257. 08 Mar establish squad N/A vic AT 991258. 09 Mar establish squad N/A vic AT 984242. Be prepared within 30 min to reinforce units in contact with one plat, within 1 hour to reinforce with one company (-) (ANNEX A, Operations Overlay).
2. Co B: 07 to 09 Mar continue recon in force in area B. Locate and neutralize with CS powder cave complexes in the area. (ANNEX A, Operations Overlay).
3. Co C: 07 to 08 Mar continue recon in force in area C. 09 Mar effect river crossing vic AT 975232. Move to and commence saturation patrolling of area C1. Establish minimum of two N/A per plat (ANNEX A, Operations Overlay).
4. Co D: 1st plat continue to secure LZ Siberia. Co (-) 07 to 08 Mar continue recon in force in area D. 08 Mar prepare to receive Recon plat and LRRP team in field location commencing 1400H. 090400H Mar attack to seize and sweep Hill 482 (875175). Drop-off Recon plat and LRRP team and withdraw from Hill 482. Continue recon in force in area D. (ANNEX A, Operations Overlay).
5. Recon Plat: 07 Mar continue recon in force in area R. Establish N/L vic LZ Siberia. 08 Mar prepare for insertion with LRRP team into Co D field location commencing 1400H. 09 Mar move with Co D to secure and sweep Hill 482. Effect stay behind and commence movement along route Red and White to establish radio relay site vic AT 884137 and OP vic AT 877140. On order withdraw over route Blue to vic AT 915175 and effect link-up with Co D. Report location of all LZ encountered along routes Red, White and Blue. Report will include size of LZ, obstacles, and depth of grass. Determine feasibility of establishing a forward fire base vic AT 884137. (ANNEX A, Operations Overlay).
6. LRRP Team: 08 Mar insertion with Recon plat into Co D field location commencing 1400H. 09 Mar move with Co D to secure and sweep Hill 482. Effect stay behind and commence movement along routes Red and White and commence area recon operations in area L. Be prepared for extraction on order from Hill 162 vic AT 800141. (ANNEX A, Operations Overlay).
7. Coordinating Instructions: All units will report location of base camps and well used trails. All units, except Recon plat, will register artillery on enemy communication routes and facilities for future scheduled fires. Recon plat and LRRP team will report arrival at each check point. All units will minimize radio communications during these scheduled contacts. SIT-REPS every four hours (0000, 0400, 0800, 1200, 1600, 2000 hrs).

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Alternate Cnd frequency is Bn Air Ground Net. BTOC will monitor Air Ground Net throughout operation. A Division Finance Team will arrive LZ West on 08 Mar. Tactical situation permitting this team will be inserted into all unit field locations to assist personnel with pay problems, issue money orders and treasury checks, cash treasury checks, convert and sell piasters, open bank accounts, initial allotments, and accept soldier deposits. Effective immediately, all night activities and maneuver plans will be transmitted to this headquarters over the secure mode, or the message will be encrypted in its entirety, using the three-letter operations code for all elements (to include coordinates) of the message. Locations should also be transmitted by using the secure mode whenever the situation permits.

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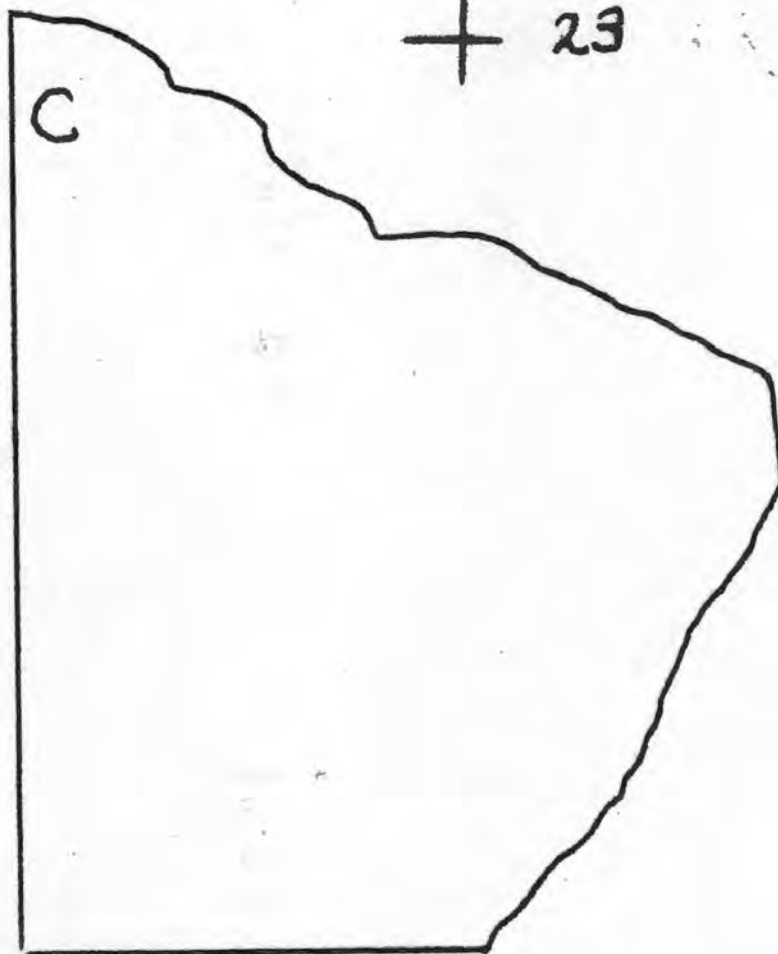
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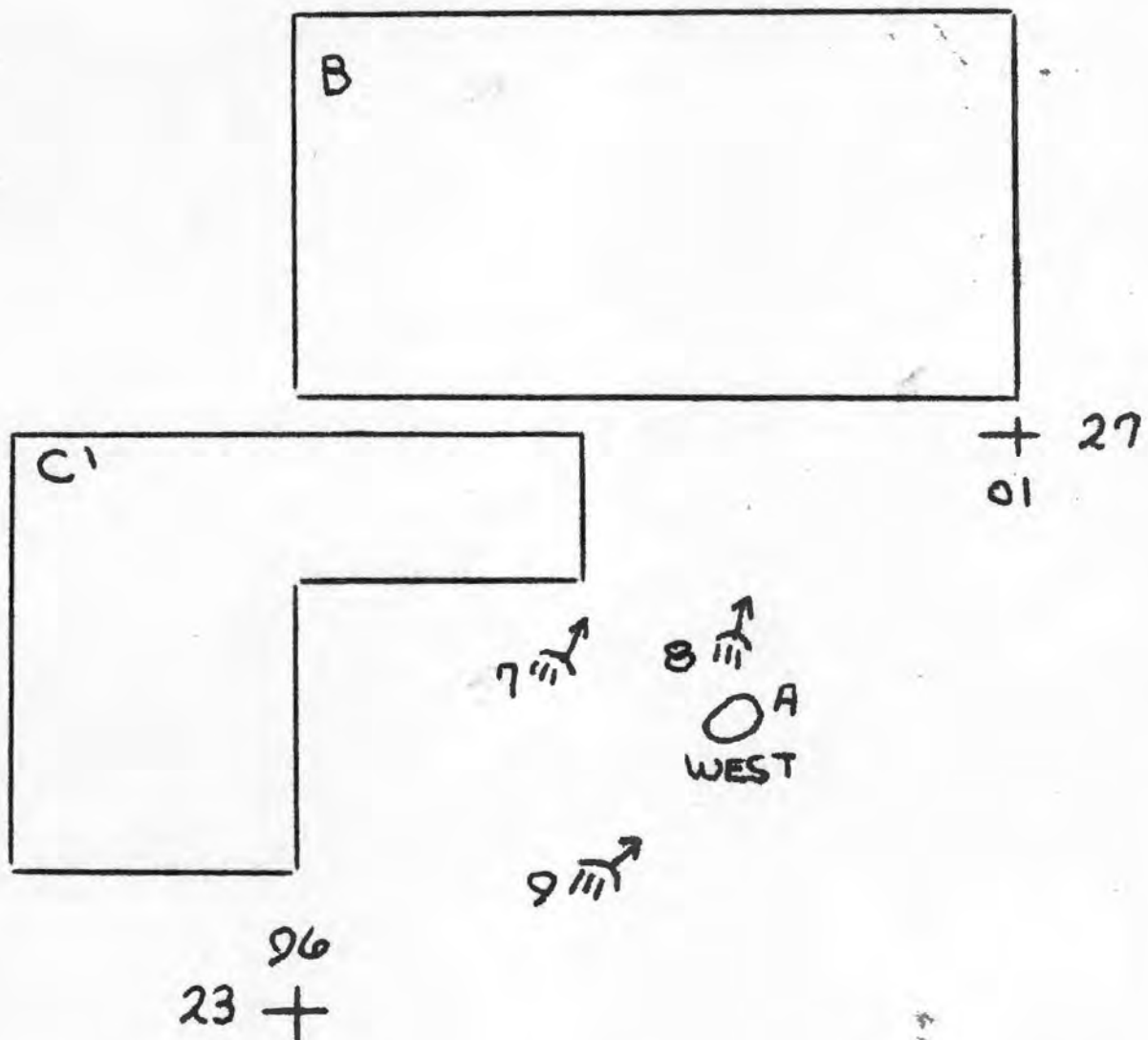
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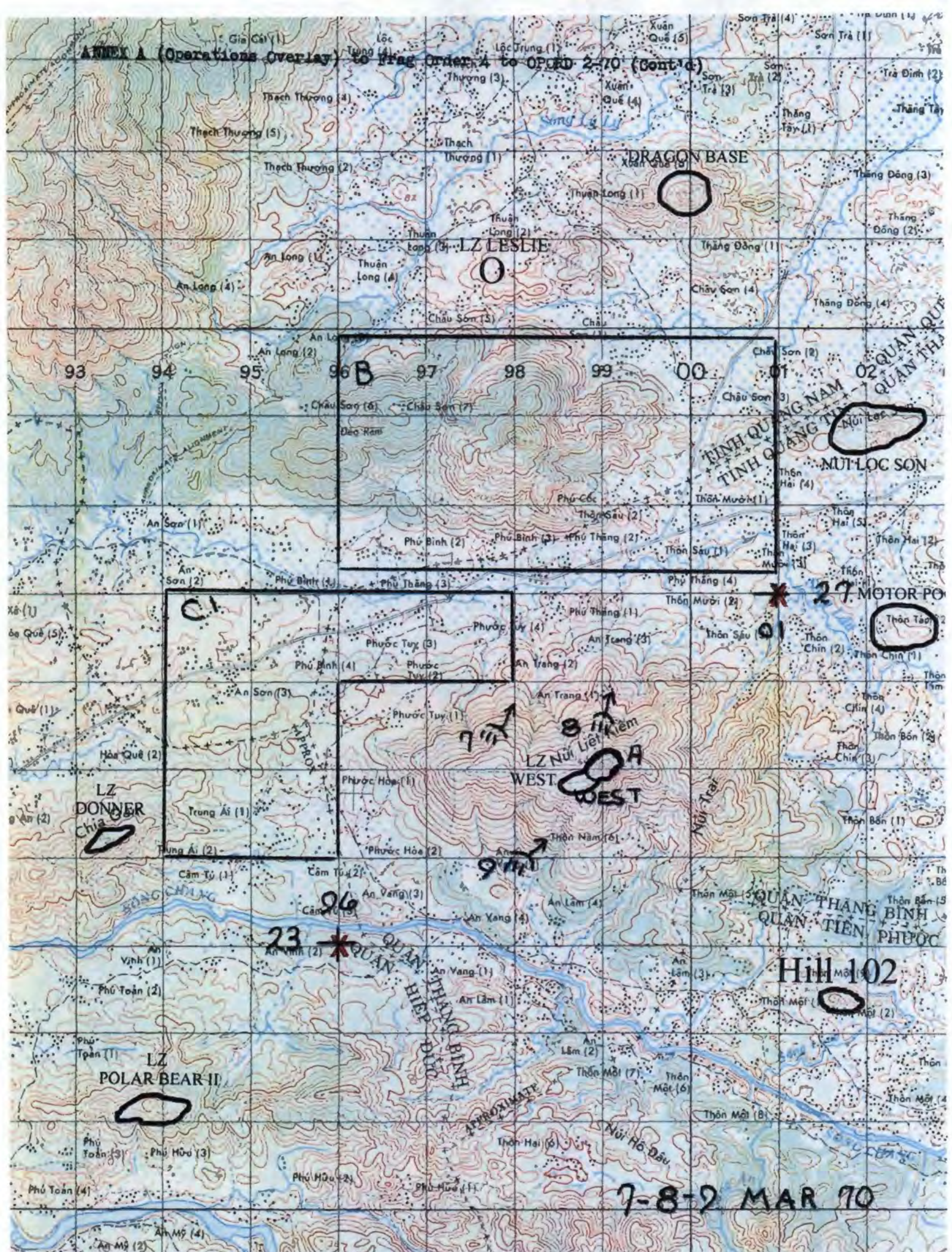


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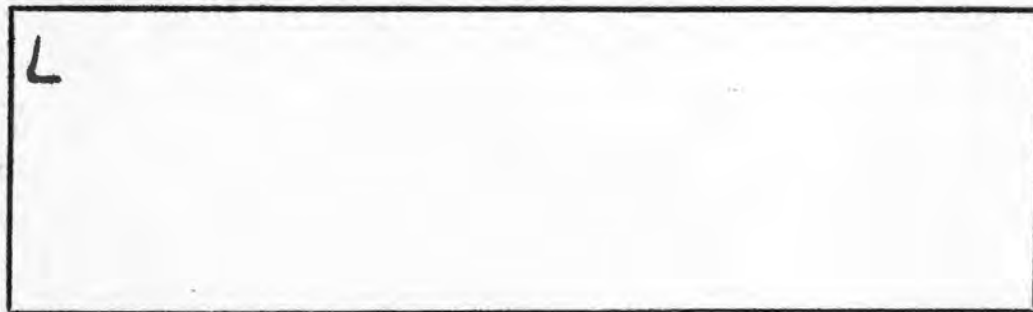
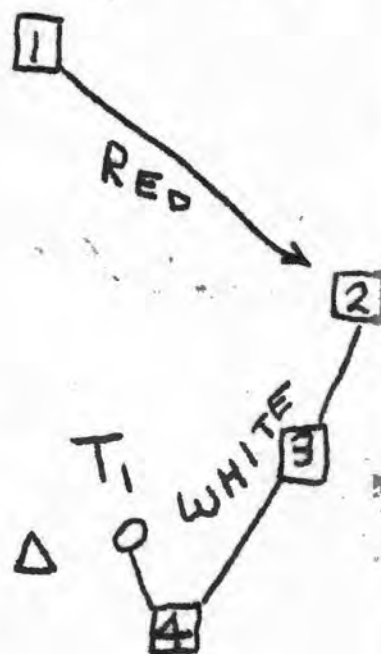
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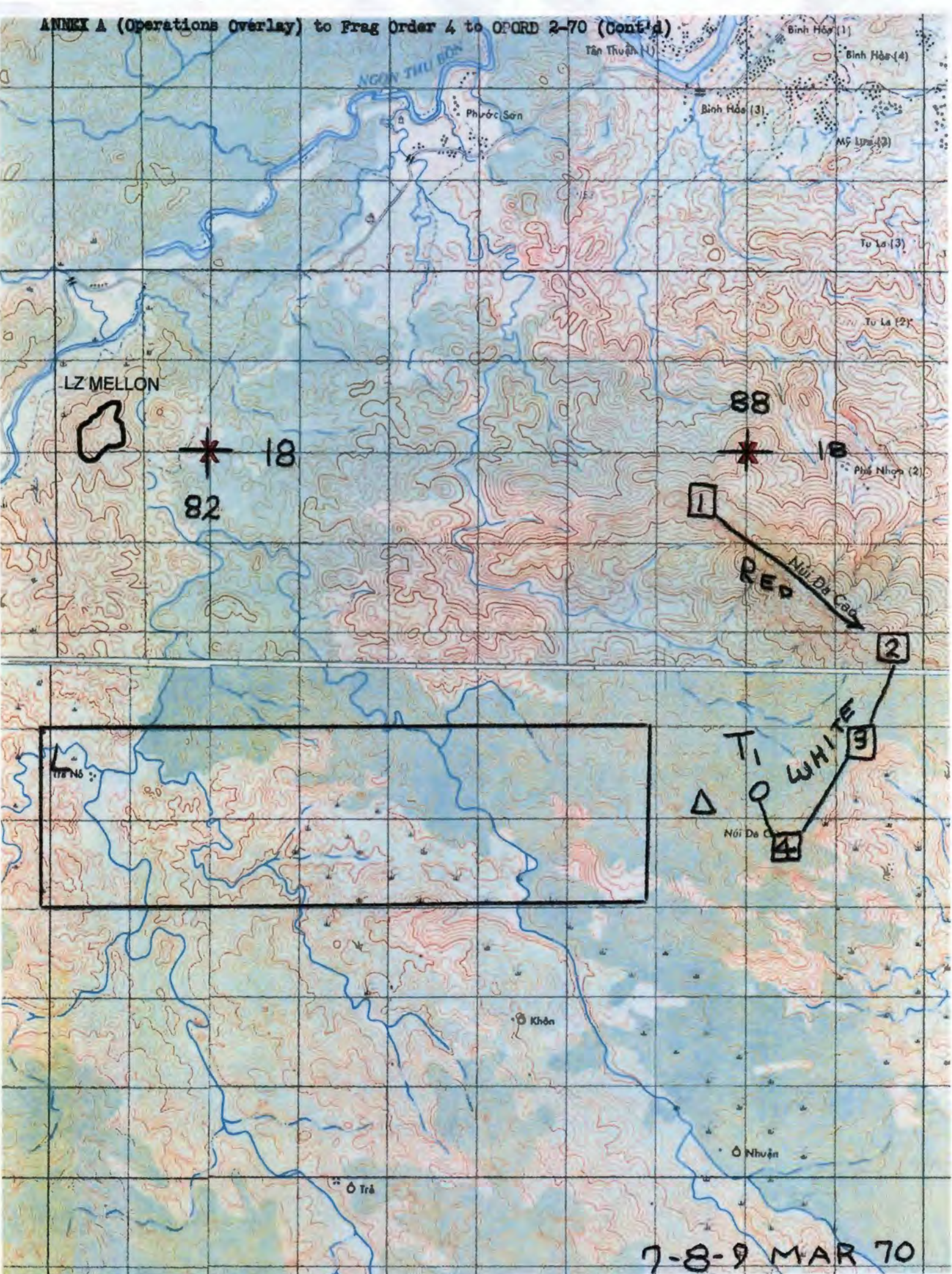
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