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CG, AMERICAL DIVISION, CHU LAI, RVN

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SUBJECT: OPLAN 1-70

OPPLAN 1-70 w/ANNEX F and Change 131200 Feb 70 Cite No: CMO is

effective 160001 Feb 70 as OPORD 3-70. Change 161200 Feb 70 will

follow.

196th Bde S2	3-82 Arty	4-31 Inf ATTN: S3	5th ARVN Regt	196th S3 DO
" " S4	HHC, 196th Inf Bde	3-21 Inf ATTN: S3	TAM KY	
" " S5	F/17 Cav	1-46 Inf ATTN: S3	F/8 Cav	
	2-1 Inf ATTN: S3	A/26 Engrs	7th Mar Regt	

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SUBJECT: Change to OPLAN 1-70

1. (d) Delete para 1 (b-6); should read: 5th ARVN Regt continues current operations and deploys two Infantry Battalions with supporting Arty to operate in the OLD HAU DUC area and the PHUOC CHAU Valley area.
2. (c) Delete para 2; should read: MISSION: 196th Inf Bde and 5th ARVN Regt continue current operations and conducts offensive operations to find, fix and destroy enemy forces, installations and supply caches west of OLD HAU DUC and in the PHUOC CHAU Valley area.
3. Delete para 3(a); should read: Concept of Operations: Annex B (Opns Overlay). The 196th Inf Bde and 5th ARVN Regt conduct helicopter assaults into respective zones of action and attach to destroy enemy forces, installations, and supplies in zone, with two battalions of the 5th ARVN Regt. 1 Bn of the 5th ARVN Regt making the initial assault on D-Day, followed on D+1 by TF 1-46 and on D+2 by a Bn from 5th ARVN Regt. Elements of 5th ARVN Arty and 3-82 Arty displace by air and provide direct support fires upon establishment of fire support bases (FSB) in each zone, Annex C (Fire Support).
4. (c) Delete para 3(f); should read: f. TF PROFESSIONAL:
 - (1) On D-1 assume OPCON 1 Inf Co (2-1 Inf).
 - (2) Be prepared to assume OPCON of 1 Inf Plat, (4-31 Inf) on order.
 - (3) Assume security responsibility for LZ PROFESSIONAL upon departure of TF 1-46.
 - (4) Conduct recon in force operations in 1-46 Inf AO with a minimum of one Inf Co.
 - (5) Be prepared to secure communications retransmission site MARGE vic Hill 497 (BT189046).
5. (e) Add to coordinating instructions k(8) 5th ARVN Regt will occupy LZ MILDRED (BSO28976) on D-Day and LZ PREP (BT010138) on D+2 to support 1 bn in each of the 5th ARVN zones (see opns overlay).

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