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LZ THUNDER (BS874325) RVN
160900H Oct 68
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FRAGORD 26-68 to OPORD 10-68 Hqs, 4-3 Inf

Task Organization:

Bn Control

Co A 4-3 Inf

Co D

C/6-11 Arty (DS)

Co B

Co E(-)

Plat(-) Trp E, 1st Cav

Co C

HHC(-)

4 teams 11th IPSD

1. Co A: Mission as outlined in FRAGORD 25-68 changed to as follows: Co A(-) secures and improves defensive positions LZ CHARLIE BROWN; secures bridge 94 with (1) rifle squad; 2d plat terminates 3 day independent Highway 1 security and trail interdiction mission and, commencing 160900H Oct 68, moves back to LZ CHARLIE BROWN, closing NLT 161545H Oct 68; Co A establishes (2) plat night ambushes vic BS913262 and BS919204 NLT 162000H Oct 68; (2) ambush platoons conduct Highway 1 security patrol, commencing 170645H Oct 68, from vic ambush sites to HARDSTAND, closing NLT 171200H Oct 68. Co A conducts airlift by CH 47B, commencing 171400H Oct 68 from LZ CHARLIE BROWN to LZ BRONCO; on order, Co A(-) moves N from LZ BRONCO and establishes (3) rifle plat night ambushes vic BS817400, BS824403, and BS829388; Mort plat DS from LZ BRONCO.

2. Co B: Mission as outlined in FRAGORD 25-68 changed to as follows: Co B(-) STANDS DOWN LZ BRONCO night 16 Oct 68; mort plat remains CS MT MONTEZUMA at LZ BRONCO; Mort plat moves from MT MONTEZUMA, commencing 171100H Oct 68 to SE Pad LZ BRONCO, and is relieved by mort plat Co D for base defense indirect fire support responsibility. Co B move by CH-47B, commencing 171400H Oct 68, to LZ CHARLIE BROWN and HARDSTAND; secures and improves defenses LZ CHARLIE BROWN with (2) rifle platoons and mort plat, HARDSTAND with (1) rifle plat, and bridge 94 with (1) rifle squad NLT 171800H Oct 68.

3. Co C: Mission as outlined in FRAGORD 25-68 changed to as follows: Co C secures and improves defenses LZ THUNDER; secures bridge 94 with (1) rifle squad NLT 161800H Oct 68; establishes plat night ambush vic BS769313 night 16 Oct 68 and returning LZ THUNDER NLT 170930H Oct 68; 1 rifle plat conducts combat patrol to S LZ THUNDER to vic BS870276 and returning LZ THUNDER NLT 171630H Oct 68. Patrol departs LZ THUNDER at 170700H Oct 68.

4. Co D: Mission as outlined in FRAGORD 25-68 changed to as follows: Co D(-) conducts offensive search operations to SW LZ BRONCO, commencing 161430H Oct 68 and establishes (3) plat night ambushes vic BS791367, BS801366, and BS799306; mort plat provides indirect fire support from LZ BRONCO, commencing 170615H Oct 68 (2) rifle platoons conduct offensive search operations along ridge to S of ambush sites to vic BS791338 then moves E to BS797377, then moves NE with (1) rifle plat covering E side of NUI CHAP VUNG ridge and 1 plat covering valley and conducts intensified search vic BS804344 and BS808355; (1) rifle plat establishes blocking position vic BS800355; Plat(-) Trp E 1st Cav establishes

blocking position via BS807366 NLT 170845H Oct 68; Mort plat moves by CH-47B, commencing 171100H Oct 68, from SE Pad LZ BRONCO to MT MONTEZUMA at LZ BRONCO and relieves Co B mort plat of responsibility for base defense and indirect fire support. Co D(-) closes LZ BRONCO NLT 171730H Oct 68 and STANDS DOWN night 17 Oct 68.

5. Co E: Mission as outlined.

a. Recon Plat establishes night ambush via BS855308 NLT 162000H Oct 68 and returns LZ THUNDER NLT 170930H Oct 68.

b. Hvy Mort Plat: GS LZ THUNDER

c. GS Sec: Secures LZ THUNDER (PPS-5 down for maintenance).

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Annex A: Operation Overlay

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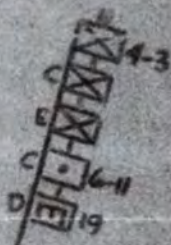
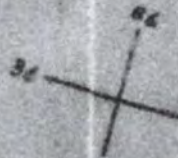
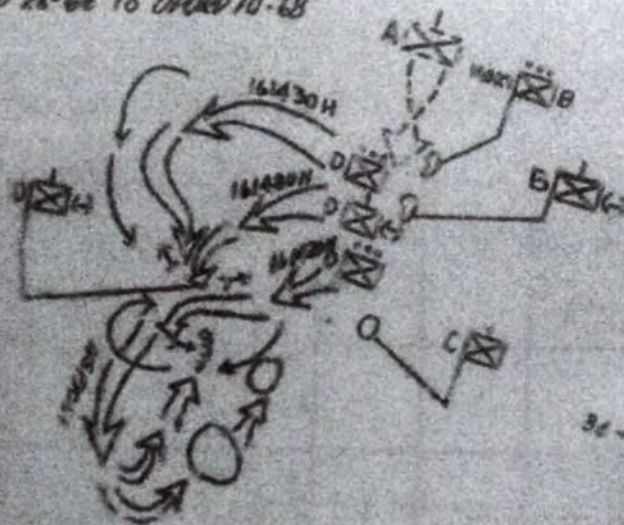
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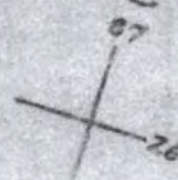
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