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Hq 4-3 Inf
LZ BUFF (BS541825) RVN
121600H Mar 69
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FRAGORD 4-69 to OPORD 3-69, Hq 4-3 Inf

Reference: Maps, South Vietnam; 1:50,000; Series L7014; Sheets 6739I, 6739II, 6739III, and 6739IV.

1. Task Organization:

Co A/4-3 Inf
Plat H Trp 17th CAV

HHC (-)/4-3 Inf

Battalion Control

Co B/4-3 Inf

Recon Plat

Co C/4-3 Inf
Plat H Trp 17th CAV

Co D/4-3 Inf

Co E/4-3 Inf (-)

2. 4-3 Inf continues offensive search and sweep operations in the BUFF AO to find and destroy VC main/local force units and village VC infrastructure.

3. Co A: Continue security of CHIC. Be prepared to reinforce anywhere within the 11th Bde and 198th Bde AO.

4. Co B: Continue security of CHIC.

5. Co C:

- 130700H Mar 69 move from LZ BUFF and conduct search and sweep operations within 4,000 meters of LZ BUFF.
- Be in a PZ vic LZ BUFF for pickup by CH-47B at 161000H Mar 69 for airlift to Ky Hoa Pad vic 198th Bde Stand Down area at Chu Lai.
- Conduct Stand Down from 16 Mar 69 until 201000H Mar 69.

6. Co D:

- Conduct CH-47B airlift from Ky Hoa Pad Chu Lai to LZ BUFF at 131000H Mar 69.
- Secure and improve defenses of LZ BUFF.
- Conduct local sweep operations vic LZ BUFF as directed.

7. Co E (-):

- Recon Plat: Continue present mission.

Group 4:
Downgrade at 3 yr intervals
Declassified after 12 yrs.

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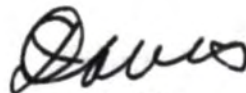
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- b. Hvy Mort Plat: GS LZ BUFF.
- c. GS Sec: GS LZ BUFF.

8. Coordinating Instructions:

- a. Units conducting sweep operations place considerable emphasis upon security during movement.
- b. Plan fire along route of movement.
- c. Avoid wooded knolls. Experience has proven these areas to be common booby trap locations.

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