

(3) Be prepared to detain, administratively and logistically support and process large numbers of detainees.

g. Brigade DCO: Responsible for supervision and control of all forces committed to operation during Phase III.

h. Coordinating Instructions:

(1) Platoon reaction forces will consist of personnel continuously available in unit rear areas and will be placed on alert when this plan is ordered executed.

(2) Uniform - combat fatigue uniform, armored vest, pistol belt, canteen, first aid packet, steel helmet, M-16, bayonet and protective mask.

(3) Ammunition will be carried, but weapons will not be loaded, except on order of an officer. Riot control munitions will be carried by officers and NCO's only.

(4) Riot control agents will be maintained by each unit responsible for providing a reaction force.

(5) Unit reaction forces will be placed on alert when Phase I is initiated. Upon notification to marshal troops (Phase II), unit reaction forces will enter Bde Cmd Net.

(6) Each platoon size reaction force will consist of 30 men, an officer/platoon leader, RTO and a medic.

(7) All personnel in the reaction force will be thoroughly briefed on the contents of Annex A.

(8) This OPLAN is effective for planning upon receipt and execution on order.

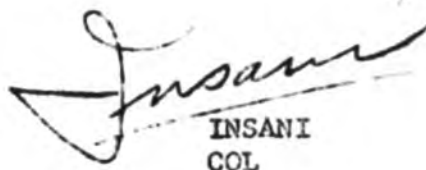
4. SERVICE SUPPORT:

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL:

a. Signal: Current SOI.

b. Command: Brigade CP located at FSB Bronco.

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Annexes: A - Mandatory Briefing

Z - Distribution

Annex A (CONTROL OF RIOT/DISORDER - PERSONNEL BRIEFING) to 11th  
Infantry Brigade OPLAN 1-71.

1. Detailed instructions must be disseminated to all soldiers prior to their employment. Instructions should be logical and flexible enough to cover all possible situations. The application of force should be stressed and the degree of force spelled out in consonance with the mission to which the soldiers are committed.
2. Commanders of reaction forces and the Provost Marshal will insure that all personnel designated to participate in civil disturbance operations receive the following briefing prior to commitment:

"Gentlemen, you have been designated as a member of a civil disturbance reaction force. If you are employed you may find that this is one of the toughest assignments you have ever had. You may be subject to being spat upon, cursed at, target for thrown objects such as rocks and bottles, etc. Through all of this you will be required to restrain yourself and respond only to specific commands or instructions of your leaders. This will require from each of you the utmost in courage, self control and determination.

Inherent in the employment of force during a disorder is the requirement for the individual soldier to be thoroughly aware of his restrictions and prerogatives in applying degrees of force as a group or individually. The guiding principle for applying force is applying only that force which is necessary and that inadequate force may give members of a mob courage and incite them to further violence. The soldier acting as part of an organized counter-riot/disorder element must respond as part of the team and immediately react to directions and commands from his commander. Because of the teamwork required to successfully accomplish the mission there is little latitude for individual actions without prior direction from commanders. You will obey the following rules:

- a. Be courteous in all dealings with personnel involved in the disorder to the maximum extent possible under existing circumstances.
- b. Do Not load or fire your weapon except when authorized by an officer in person, when authorized in advance by an officer under certain specific conditions, or when required to save your life.
- c. Do Not intentionally mistreat personnel involved in the disorder, including those you are controlling, or those in your custody, nor will you withhold medical attention from anyone who requires it.
- d. Do Not discuss or pass on rumors about this operation.
- e. To the maximum extent possible let military police arrest personnel involved in the disorder, but when assistance is necessary or in the absence of military police, you have the responsibility and



authority to detain or take into custody rioters, looters or others committing offenses. You will take such persons to the military police or designated military authorities as soon as possible. It is your duty to deliver evidence and to complete evidence tags and detainee forms in accordance with instructions.

f. Avoid damage to property as far as possible.

g. Do Not employ bayonets or riot control agents except when specifically authorized by an officer.

3. The briefing will also include details on the following:

a. Effects of a show of force.

b. Formations to be used.

c. Communications (pyrotechnic, radio, voice, hand and arm).

d. When and how bayonets are to be used.

e. Apprehension techniques of individuals or groups to include location of detention areas.

f. Location of aid station or medics.

g. Chain of Command.

h. Other individual requirements."

Annex Z - DISTRIBUTION:

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