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LZ Bowman (BT238143) RVN
071700 Dec 68

ROUTINE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

SUBJECT: FRAG ORD 6 to OPORD 2-68

1. (C) Situation:

a. Enemy.

(1) Current Intsum.

(2) 72d MF VC Bn; estimated strength 100 - 150; present location: BT193115 (Hill 270); present tactics: avoid contact with American units, have two escape routes; Route #1: from Hill 270 to SE, Route #2: from Hill 270 to west and then south.

b. Friendly: omitted.

2. (C) Mission: 1-52 Inf cdts cmt opns in western portion of AO.

3. (C) Execution: Annex A (Ops Overlay).

a. Co A: Moves to 198th Inf Bde Stand-down Area by CH-47 071430 Dec. Moves to LZ Bowman 101100 Dec and cdts scty and base development.

b. Co B: Cdts detailed search in areas designated on Ops Overlay (ANNEX A). Moves to 198th Inf Bde Stand-down Area 131430 Dec by CH-47. Moves by air or road to Hill 54 161100 Dec and cdts scty and base development.

c. Co C: Cdts CA vic BT206105 on 100800 Dec. Cdts detailed search on Hill 270 (BT1911).

d. Co D: Depart LZ Young 080800 Dec. Move to Hill 187 (BT1711) and cdts OPs and amb west of Hill 187. Moves 100300 Dec and establish blocking positions vic BT185122.

e. Co E:

(1) Co(-) estb bunker control CP at LZ Bowman.

(2) Recon moves from 198th Inf Bde Stand-down Area 071500 Dec. Cdts OPs and amb in area designated on Ops Overlay (ANNEX A).

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(3) Mortars provide fire spt from LZ Bowman.

4. (U) This Frag Order supersedes Frag Order 5. Frag Order 5 will be destroyed.

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ANNEXES:

A - Ops Overlay

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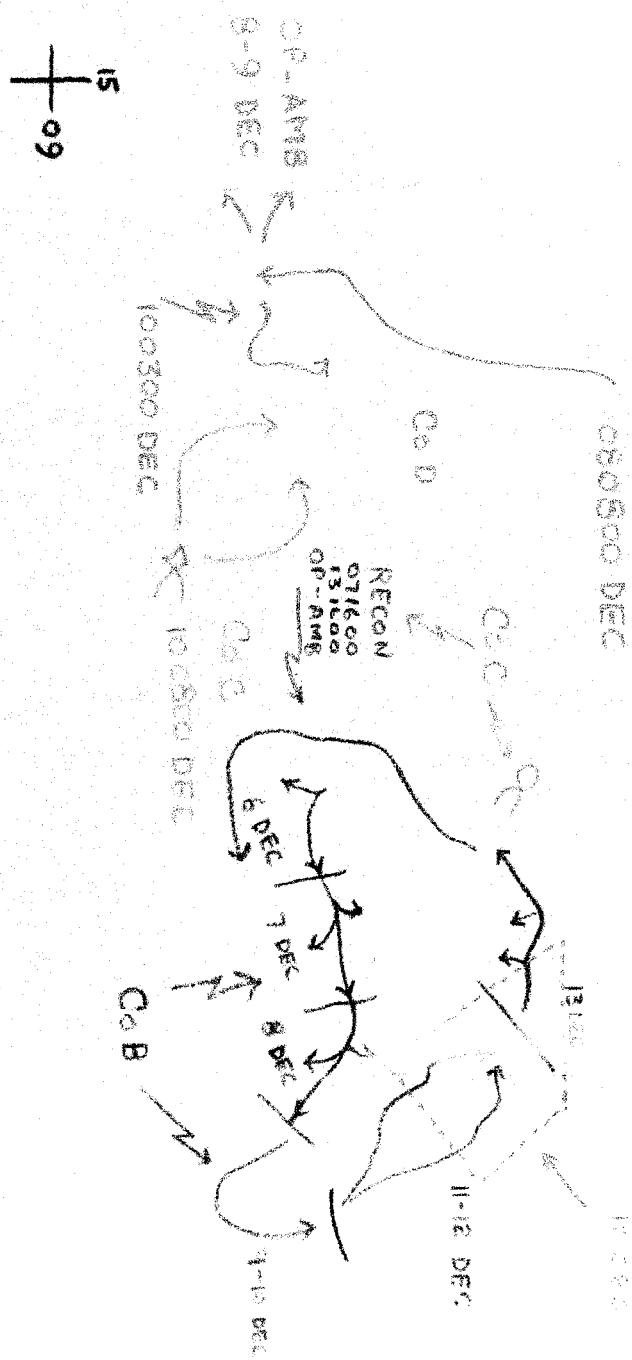
ANNEX A (OPN C-1) TO FRAG ORDER 6 TO OPORD 2-68

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1. (U) Situation: Omitted.
2. (C) Mission: 1-52 Inf cdrt combat opns in southern portion of AO.
3. (C) Execution:

a. Co A: Moves to 198th Inf Bde Stand-down Area by CH-47 071430 Dec. Moves to LZ Bowman 101100 Dec and cdrt scy and base development.

b. Co B: Cdrt detailed search in areas designated on Ops Overlay (ANNEX A). Moves to 198th Inf Bde Stand-down Area 131430 Dec by CH-47. Moves by air or road to Hill 54 161100 Dec and cdrt scy and base development.

c. Co C: Moves to LZ Young 101400 Dec and cdrt detailed search 10 Dec to 13 Dec in areas designated on Ops Overlay (ANNEX A). Estb plat size OPs and amb in AO Blue.

d. Co D: Cdrt plat size OPs and amb in areas A, B, C, D as designated in Ops Overlay (ANNEX A).

e. Co E:

- (1) Co(-) estb bunker control CP at LZ Bowman.
- (2) Recon moves from 198th Inf Bde Stand-down Area 071500 Dec. Cdrt OPs and amb in area designated on Ops Overlay (ANNEX A).
- (3) Mortars provide fire spt from LZ Bowman.

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ATTACHMENT:

A - Ops Overlay

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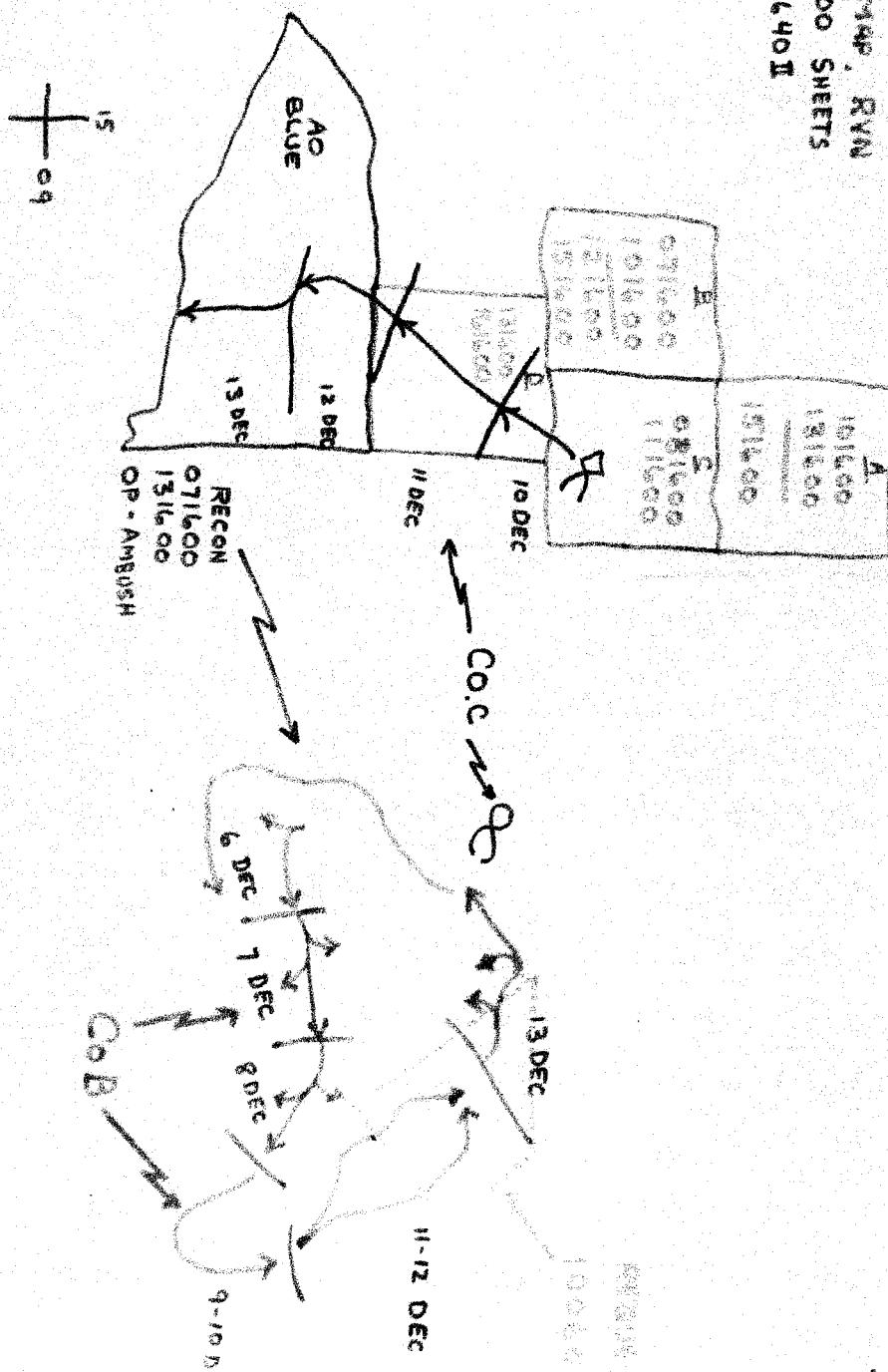
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ANNEX A TO FRAG. ORDER - 5 - 2000 2-68

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2. (C) Mission: 1-52 Inf cdts ch~~t~~ ops in western portion of AO.

3. (C) Execution: Annex A (Ops Overlay).

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