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DAILY INTERNAL INFORMATION SUMMARY

ELEMENTS OF THE 3/60 AND 4/47 INFANTRY BATTALIONS CONTINUED TO REPORT

ONLY LIGHT SNIPER FIRE IN THE PERIOD BEFORE THE NEW YEAR'S CEASE FIRE WENT INTO EFFECT. THE TRUCE STARTED AT 1000 ON NEW YEAR'S EVE AND WILL RUN 36 HOURS UNTIL 0600 ON 2 JANUARY.

DURING THE TRUCE PERIOD, BOATS OF RIV DIV 31 ARE CONTINUING TO SUPPORT

3/60 INFANTRY IN THE AREA NORTH OF SMOOPY'S NOSE. THE 4/47 INFANTRY IS NOW OPERATING ALONG THE NORTH BANK OF THE MY THU RIVER WEST OF DONG TAN.

MANY RIV DIV 31 UNITS PLUS BOATS OF RIV DIV 111 ARE CONDUCTING PATROL

ALONG THE MY THU RIVER FROM THE ENTRANCE TO SMOOPY'S NOSE TO JUST WEST OF THE NOSE. THE PATROLS ARE DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE MOVEMENT OF WEAPONS AND OTHER CONTRABAND DURING THE TRUCE PERIOD.

CASUALTY TOTALS FOR THE FOUR DAYS OF OPERATIONS INCLUDE 5 VC KILLED IN ACTION AND 3 POW'S. ELEVEN US ARMY TROOPS HAVE BEEN INJURED -- MOST BY BOOBY TRAPS AND SNIPER FIRE.

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