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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 10-09

FIVE VC WERE KILLED WEDNESDAY IN TASK GROUP ALFA OPERATIONS  
SOUTHEAST OF BEN TRE IN THE Giong Trom District of Kien Hoa  
Province.

ALL OF THE VC KIA WERE THE RESULT OF AIR STRIKES, INCLUDING  
THREE BY HELICOPTER GUNSHIPS OF 3/5 AIR CAVALRY AND THE 240TH  
ARMORED HELO COMPANY, AND TWO FROM A B-52 MISSION FLOWN OVER  
THE AREA. OTHER RESULTS OF THE B-52 STRIKE WERE 38 BUNKERS AND  
20 STRUCTURES DESTROYED AND THE CREATION OF ABOUT 93 SIZEABLE  
CARATERS IN THE ENEMY-INFESTED COUNTRYSIDE.

FOLLOWING THE B-52 STRIKE, BOATS OF RIVER ASSAULT DIVISION  
111 LANDED TWO COMPANIES OF 4/47 INFANTRY AT BEACHES SEVEN

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KILOMETERS SOUTHEAST OF BEN TRE. THE BOATS HAD AN UNUSUALLY QUIET  
TRANSIT DOWN THE RACH BEN TRE AND REMAINED OVERNIGHT IN SUPPORT  
OF THE INFANTRY.

OTHER TF 117 UNITS ACTIVE WEDNESDAY WERE BOATS OF RIVER ASSAULT  
DIVISION 91 WHICH ESCORTED 3/5A ARTILLERY FROM A FIRE SUPPORT BASE  
ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THOI SON ISLAND TO ONE LOCATED ON THE SONG  
HAM LUONG, 14 KILOMETERS SOUTH OF BEN TRE.

TASK GROUP BRAVO HAD ANOTHER READY REACTION DAY WEDNESDAY WHILE  
RELOCATING TO THE MY THO ANCHORAGE IN THE AFTERNOON.

LIGHT LIFT CRAFT-FOUR AND UDT PERSONNEL WERE DISPATCHED TO THE  
INTERSECTION OF THE SONG HAM LUONG AND THE RACH BEN TRE WEDNESDAY  
AFTERNOON TO ASSIST IN THE SEARCH FOR A DOWNED "JOLLY GREEN GIANT"  
NAVSUPPACT HELICOPTER. ALL OF THE CREWMEN AND PASSENGERS ESCAPED  
WHEN THE HELO WENT DOWN WEDNESDAY MORNING IN THE VICINITY OF THE  
HUNTERDON COUNTY, BUT THE AIRCRAFT HAD NOT BEEN LOCATED AS OF  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

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