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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 10-21

AIR CAV HELICOPTERS FLYING SUPPORT FOR 3/47 INFANTRY KILLED
20 VIET CONG TUESDAY IN CENTRAL KIEN HOA PROVINCE.

IN THE ONLY ACTIVITY INVOLVING IF 117 UNITS, ALPHA COMPANY,
3/60 INFANTRY WAS INSERTED BY RIV DIV 111 BOATS ON THE SOUTH BANK
OF THE SONG MY THO, EIGHT KILOMETERS WEST OF DONG TAU. AFTER
SWEEPING FOR ABOUT SEVEN HOURS WITHOUT CONTACT, THE TROOPS WERE
BACKLOADED AND RETURNED TO MRB ALFA.

THE ONLY U.S. CASUALTY REPORTED TUESDAY WAS AN ARMY INFANTRYMAN
INJURED IN A MORTAR ATTACK ON THE BEN TRE AIRFIELD. THE BASE
RECEIVED THREE 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS ABOUT 1130.

TASK GROUP BRAVO HAD A READY REACTION DAY TUESDAY AND CONDUCTED
TRAINING EXERCISES WITH ELEMENTS OF THE 4TH VIETNAMESE MARINE

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BATTALION IN THE VICINITY OF THE CAI RANG BRIDGE.

BOATS OF RIV DIV 151 OPERATING IN THE CAN GIOUC-NHA BE AREA
REPORTED TWO POSSIBLE VC KIA OR WIA IN AN ENGAGEMENT MONDAY
EVENING WHILE SUPPORTING 3/39 INFANTRY ELEMENTS. ABOUT 1800 THE
BOATS SPOTTED TWO VIETNAMESE MALES BEACH THEIR SAMPAN AND SCRAMBLE
ASHORE. THE BOATS TOOK THEM UNDER FIRE AND LATER FOUND A CHICOM
GRENADE AND A SATCHEL CHARGE IN THE SAMPAN.

MRB ALFA RELOCATED FROM MY THO TO DONG TAU EARLY TUESDAY MORNING.

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TOD: 1750Z/22 OCT 68/AAE

TOD: 2125Z/22 OCT 68/TMC-T-CO 2D BDE 9TH INF DIV/CRF 1 D.T. SHIP YAPD

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