

**43D INFANTRY PLATOON (SCOUT DOG)
9TH INFANTRY DIVISION
APO San Francisco 96378**

6 January 1968

**SUBJECT: History of the 43D INF PLAT (SCOUT DOG) from 9 Nov 1966 Thru
30 Nov 1967**

9 NOV 1966 - Activated GO 444

1 MAY 1967 - Began Training cycle Ft. Benning, Ga.

13 AUG 1967 - Deployed to southeast Asia

19 AUG 1967 - Assigned 9th Inf Division

7 Sep 1967 - Moved from TSM to Dong Tam Base

**7 Sep 67 - 30 Sep 67 - Mined LP's on base perimeter and dispatched 1
recon patrol in the TAO, 2 combat patrols and 1 ambush
patrol outside of the TAO with the 2nd Bde.**

**1 Oct 67 - 31 Oct 67 - Supported TFF with 28 SOT for a Total of 70 DT
Days. Suffered 5 WIA's, 1 KIA, 1 Scout Dog KIA, and 1
Scout Dog WIA. Was recommended for two (2) bronze stars
for valor and 6 purple hearts.**

**1 Nov 67 - 30 Nov 67 - Supported 52 missions for a total of 80 DT Days.
Suffered 1 KIA, 1 WIA, and 1 Scout Dog WIA. Was recommended
for 1 bronze star for valor and 2 purple hearts.**