

MONTHLY REPORT OF SCOUT DOG OPERATIONS				RCS: AVHGC-7	DATE 3 Oct 69
<b>THRU:</b> Commanding Officer 198th Inf Bde ATTN: S-3 APO SF 96219		<b>TO:</b> Commanding General HQ USARPV ATTN: AVHGC-OS APO 96375		<b>FROM:</b> Commanding Officer 57th Inf Plt (Sgt Dog) 198th Inf Bde APO SF 96219	
1. MONTH September	2. SDT AVAL 19	3. SDT OP 12	4. AUTH STR PERS 28 DOG 28	5. ACTUAL STR: PERS 28 DOG 20	
6. HANDLER KIA <u>0</u> WIA <u>0</u> HOSP <u>0</u> LIM DY <u>0</u> TNG <u>    </u> NO DOG <u>    </u> REPL RQR <u>    </u>			7. DOG KIA <u>0</u> WIA <u>0</u> SICK <u>6</u> BAD <u>    </u> TNG <u>    </u> NO HANDLER <u>    </u> REPL RQR <u>    </u>		
8. MISSIONS					
SEARCH 11	AMBUSH 48	RECON 21	OUTPOST 1	PERI PTL 4	
ROAD CLEARING		OTHER Rat Patrol: 8 Guard: 1 Rowing patrol: 2		TOTAL 96	
9. SCOUT DOG TEAM SUPPORT DAYS 95					
10. SCOUT DOG ALERTS:					
a. Warning of enemy ambush <u>1</u> , occupied base camp <u>    </u> , occupied bunker <u>    </u> , cave <u>    </u> , sniper <u>    </u> , tunnel <u>    </u> , other <u>    </u> .					
b. Warning of enemy booby traps <u>    </u> , caches <u>    </u> , mines <u>    </u> , unoccupied base camp <u>    </u> , unoccupied bunker <u>    </u> , unoccupied cave <u>    </u> , unoccupied tunnel <u>    </u> , other <u>    </u> .					
c. Warning of enemy movement toward friendly ambush <u>    </u> , friendly outpost <u>    </u> , other <u>    </u> .					
11. DIRECT RESULT OF SCOUT DOG TEAM ALERT: EN KIA <u>    </u> PW <u>    </u> WPNS <u>    </u> SUPPLIES <u>    </u> .					
12. REMARKS OF PLAT COMMANDER: I assumed command of the 57th INSD on 14 September, 1969, and the unit was in a superior state of organization due to the outstanding performance of SOG James R. Watford, who was filling the position of Platoon Commander and of Platoon Sergeant since 3 August 1969.					
SFC Fred L. Davis Jr., the former Platoon Sergeant, was a reassignment loss on 15 September 1969, and was reassigned to the 25th AG Admin Co., APO 96225. It was brought to my attention that SFC Davis had no prior experience with military dogs and that he was a definite detriment to the operation of this unit. The procedure of assigning inexperienced HCO's to Scout Dog Platoons should be avoided in the future.					
13. REMARKS OF REVIEWING OFFICER:					
14. NAME AND GRADE PLATOON COMMANDER: DANIEL K MCINTYRE, 1LT, III, CMSG			15. SIGNATURE: <i>Daniel K. McIntyre</i>		
16. NAME AND GRADE OF REVIEWING OFFICER: CHARLES T. BOG, 1LT, III, S3			17. SIGNATURE: <i>Charles T. Bog</i>		