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MARINE MEDIUM HELICOPTER SQUADRON 265 SITREP 16/1200H THRU 17/2100H:

16/1200H ONE OF OUR CH46A AT DONG HA FLEW AS AN ARMED RECON ESCORT FOR A RECON PICK UP AT YD002632 IN SUPPORT OF THE FIRST FORCE RECON AS A PART OF OPERATIONS HASTINGS.

16/1650H: TWO OF OUR CH46A AT DONG HA LIFTED 5000 LBS OF FOOD AND AMMO FM DONG HA TO YD105488 ON AN EMERGENCY RESUPPLY MISSION IN SUPPORT OF I CORPS UNITS PARTICIPATING IN OPERATIONS HASTINGS.

16/1830H: TWO CH46A OF THIS UNIT LIFTED 5000 LBS OF CARGO FM DONG HA TO XD979558 IN SUPPORT OF FIRST FORCE RECON AS PART OF OPERATION WASHINGTON. TWO OF OUR CH46A LIFTED A TOTAL OF 30,500 LBS OF CARGO FIFTY SIX US TROOPS FM KY HA TO THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS TIN FUC/DONG DUC/. ONE OF THESE AIRCRAFT ALSO PERFORMED A MED EVAC OF ONE VN MIL.

16/1600H: TWO OF OUR CH46A LIFTED ONE VN MED EVAC, ONE VN PAX FM YD161733 TO DONG HA IN SUPPORT OF I CORPS UNITS PARTICIPATING IN OPERATIONS HASTINGS.

16/1615H: TWO OF OUR CH46A LIFTED 18 MARINES OF FIRST FORCE RECON FM DONG HA TO XD979358 WHERE THESE TROOPS WERE INSERTED ATOP OF A 1000' HILL. THE AIRCRAFT WERE UNABLE TO LAND AND THE TROOPS WERE DISCHARGED FM A HOVER. THIS MISSION WAS A PART OF OPERATIONS HASTINGS.

16/1730H: TWO OF CH46A LIFTED FIVE PAX 2200 LBS OF CARGO FM DONG HA TO MMAR IN SUPPORT OF THIS UNIT.

17/1425H: TWO OF OUR CH46A LIFTED TWELVE US PAX THREE VIP FM DONG HA TO CAM LO AS PART OF OPERATIONS HASTINGS.

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