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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
155th Assault Helicopter Company
APO 96297

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SUBJECT: Monthly Highlights for the month of March 1969

TO: Commanding Officer, 10th Combat Aviation Battalion
ATTN: AVGD-AE, APO 96377

1. The 155th Assault Helicopter Company, during the month of March 1969, Continued to display the aggressiveness and "can do" spirit that has earned for it a proud reputation in the Central Highlands of Vietnam. The company provided support for the 23rd ARVN Division and units with operations in Darlac, Quang Duc and Phu Bon provinces. The Company also provided timely and effective support for the 4th Inf Div in the area of Pleiku and Kontum in their combat assault operations.

2. Camp Coryell, has in the past, been known for the frequent rocket and mortar attacks that Charlie bombards it with. During the month of March, Camp Coryell continued in that somewhat unwelcome tradition. The compound was hit with a total of six rocket and mortar attacks. A total of nine aircraft were damaged and four casualties resulted. The last attack occurred on 25 March during the company party. This is when the four men were wounded by fragments from six 122mm rockets that hit the compound.

3. Training within the 155th Assault Helicopter Company continued in high gear. Classes were given on the following subjects: Character Guidance, Command Information, Weapons Safety, Sentry Duty, Supply Economy, Riot Control, CBR and Land mine Warfare. Individual Training Records continued to be brought up to date and all incoming personnel had their weapons zeroed and their protective masked checked.

4. The results for the aerial activities during the month of March are as follows:

UH-1H
Sorties - 7246
Hours - 1630
Cargo - 99
Pax - 10,684
Ammo - 21,150
KBA - 0
1 Sampan Dest
1 POW

UH-1C
Sorties - 655
Hours - 317
Ammo - 153,300 (7.62)
 961 (2.75)
 790 (40mm)
KBA - 36

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