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On 1 April 1967, Helicopter Attack (Light) Squadron THREE (HA(L)-3) was formally established at Vung Tau, Republic of Vietnam. This squadron is the first of its type in naval history and the first known aviation organization to be formed in a war zone.

The primary mission of the Seawolves at that time was interdiction of enemy forces in the Mekong Delta and Rung Sat Special Zone. Over the major rivers and tributaries seven detachments were deployed from various bases throughout the VII and IV Corps areas.

Captain Arthur MUNSON succeeded Commander Robert W. SPENCER in April 1968, as Commanding Officer of HA(L)-3. Throughout Captain MUNSON's tenure as the Commanding Officer the Seawolves continued their basic mission in support of Operation Game Warden.

Detachment TWO has been at Nha Be since the inception of the Seawolves, with the mission to support operations in the Rung Sat Special Zone, a treacherous mass of swamp and canals leading from Saigon to the sea. This area has long been the target of the Viet Cong mine and ambush activities. Detachment TWO was enlarged in June 1969 to four attack helicopters with corresponding personnel additions. This was done to enhance the success of the operation in such a large and complex area of operation.

Detachment SEVEN staging out of Binh Thuy covered the Lower Bassac, as did Detachment ONE which operated from an LST. Detachment THREE, while located at Long Long operated along the Co Chien River. Detachment FOUR operated from an LST in the Nam Long River but moved to Dong Tam in early 1969. Detachment SIX also located at Dong Tam covered the My Tho River. Detachment FIVE has covered all of the rivers at one time or another due to the changing face of the war.

In early fall, Detachment FIVE moved to Rach Gia on the Gulf of Thailand, and in November the detachment moved aboard the MHC-26 stationed on the upper Bassac near Chau Doc, only a few miles from the Cambodian border. Detachment FIVE's move signalled the beginning of a new phase in River Patrol operations: the interdiction of enemy troop and supply routes into the delta from the north. In early 1969 Detachment THREE moved to the far northern corner of the delta to the Gulf of Thailand, near Ha Tien, still within

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ment SIX replaced Detachment THREE in the area of Vinh Long, taking up station aboard an LST. Later Detachment THREE moved to Muc Hoa and then to a ship in the upper Mekong not far from detachment FIVE.

The interdicting of infiltration routes between the Vam Co Tay and Vam Co Dong rivers was code named Operation Giant Slingshot; HA(L)-3 Detachments are playing a major role in this operation. Detachment THREE took part in this operation while at Muc Hoa, and Detachments FOUR and SEVEN played an even larger part because of their respective locations. Detachment FOUR has been participating in Operation Slingshot since November 1968, from a location at Dong Tam, and in early 1969 they moved to Duc Hoa to be closer to their area of operation. They moved again in June to Ben Luc, on the Vam Co Dong River, and at present are still participating in Operation Slingshot which has developed into one of the most successful campaigns in which the squadron has participated.

Detachment SEVEN also operates in the Giant Slingshot area, having moved from Binh Thuy to Tay Ninh in June 1969. For some time, intelligence reports had mentioned Tay Ninh as a prime enemy objective for use as a possible provisional capital. Near the border northwest of Saigon, Tay Ninh was considered highly vulnerable until allied forces moved into the area in large numbers.

Captain Reynolds BECKWITH succeeded Captain Arthur HUNSON as Commanding Officer of HA(L)-3 in April 1969. The transition and expansion of the squadron continued. The redeployment of detachments from the lower delta was nearly complete. On 2 May 1969, HA(L)-3 moved its headquarters to Binh Thuy. The squadron now had its maintenance and administrative areas unified in a more central location in the Delta. In close proximity to their operational headquarters, HA(L)-3 is endowed with an even quicker communications and response time, allowing for a more effective and efficient squadron. In early July the first new detachment since the squadron's commissioning was created, Detachment EIGHT.

Detachment EIGHT initially started out of Tay Ninh to assist Detachment SEVEN. The formation of the new detachment was made possible by the acquisition of 11 additional UH-1H aircraft for a total of 33 attack helicopters. Expansion continued in early 1969 with the formation of Detachment NINE which stages from a THUM area in Long.

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On 8 October 1969, HA(L)-3's operational commitments were changed from those of Operation Game Warden to Operation Sealords. Operation Sealords (South East Asia Land Ocean River Delta Strategy) is a mission of enemy harassment and interdiction. Its goal is to sever the enemy's lines of troop and supply infiltration into the Mekong Delta.

Captain BECKWITH's first months saw a new center of operations develop in southwest Vietnam. Detachment ONE was redeployed in early 1969 from the lower Bassac to Ca Mau peninsula, thus providing support for Operation Sea Float. This relocation marked the start of a campaign to drive the enemy from his previously secure strongholds in that area. The Mobile Floating Base acts as a sphere of influence for the National Government and serves as market for local farmers who would otherwise be forced to sell their crops to the Viet Cong at controlled prices. Soon after its formation, Detachment EIGHT moved from Tay Ninh to an LST off the coast at Rach Gia and in early September, Detachment SIX, the last of the lower Delta detachments, joined Detachment EIGHT at Rach Gia on another LST. Later that same month, the detachment's mobile base steamed southward to the mouth of the Song Ong Doc, placing Detachment SIX midway along the coast between Detachment's EIGHT and ONE. These redeployments of detachments ensured that the U Minh Forest area would be adequately covered. In early September, Detachment THREE moved to an LST off Ha Tien in the Gulf of Thailand. Thus, a total of four detachments now guard the eastern coast of South Vietnam. Upon its formation, Detachment NINE moved aboard a TBM off the upper Mekong the same location that Detachment THREE had once occupied. In all, four detachments still guarding against border infiltration, with detachment ONE continuing operations in the Rung Sat Special Zone.

The first Navy owned aircraft of HA(L)-3 commenced operations on 17 December 1969. The newly acquired Bell UH-1H model aircraft possessing improved rotor systems, engines and a greater speed range capability than the UH-1B aircraft. These new aircraft were christened Sealords as a way to differentiate these aircraft from the Squadron's attack helicopters. These aircraft will be of immense value for logistical support of the Navy units in the area.

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Wherever the River Patrol Force has gone to seek out the enemy, the Seawolves and Sealords have been standing by to provide aerial protection and the logistic support needed for a successful mission. From four detachments located in large urban centers along the coast or on the larger rivers, the squadron has grown to nine detachments and eight support aircraft which can fan out over the entire delta to allow the enemy no refuge.

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CHRONOLOGICAL NARRATIVE - 1969

JANUARY

2 JAN Implementation of Operation Barrier Reef was completed with the interdiction lines from northeast of Saigon near Tay Ninh City to the Gulf of Thailand at Ha Tien. Dets 3, 4, and 5 were assigned as primary support units to the River Divisions.

FEBRUARY

5 FEB Interdiction operations in the Vinh To/Rach Giang Thanh waterway were greatly expanded under the code name of Tran Hung Dao.

13 FEB COMNAVFORV approved the re-establishment of the Game Warder/Market Time demarcation line of the Co Chien River to the East-West grid line XS25.

15 FEB HA(L)-3, Det 3 (CTU 116.7.9) moved from Vinh Long to the YEN 20. Located at An Song upper Mekong River.

26 FEB Lieutenant Commander J. L. KEYES relieved Commander S. R. SHYDER as Officer-in-Charge, HA(L)-3, Det 3 (CTU 116.7.9).

MARCH

5 MAR HA(L)-3 Det 3 (CTU 116.7.9) relieved HA(L)-3, Det 1 (CTU 116.2.1.5) at Ha Tien supporting Tran Hung Dao. HA(L)-3, Det 1 relocated on board USS HUNTERDON (CMHTT) and assumed (CTU 116.1.8).

14 MAR LCDR J. C. ALKIRE, USN, relieved LCDR P. F. FRANKENBERGER, USN, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det 4.

23 MAR A Light Helicopter Fire Team of HA(L)-3, Det 3, was on a reconnaissance mission for SEAL operations to reconnoiter a mountain peak near NUI Dai Dung. For this purpose, a SEAL named THOMAS was aboard Scowolf 305, which was acting as lead aircraft. Upon arrival over the spot to be reconnoitered, the Light Helicopter Fire Team came under heavy automatic weapons fire. The reconnaissance was immediately terminated, and a rocket and gun run was conducted on the suspected enemy position (VS 451 34). At the conclusion of this run, the aircraft circled left to attack from a different direction. This run

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was made parallel to the Cambodian border about 200 meters inside Vietnam and overflowed Hai Sa Ky, the reconnaissance objective. As Seawolf 305 completed his rocket firing and broke he had an engine failure. 305 continued the turn into the wind line and crashed into an open field (VS 430 520). An Army UH-1D of the 175th Aviation Company, Outlaw 21, responded to the MAYDAY. The Aircraft Commander, 1/LT WILSEY was wounded on his first attempt to land, but was successful on the second, and he picked up three survivors. The co-pilot, LTC Edward W. PAWLOWSKI, USNR, 719635, and the gunner, ADJ3 Howard W. WHITE, USN, B70 49 00, were killed in the initial crash. Seawolf 305 was later destroyed by Seawolf 309 and 323.

AWARD PRESENTED

ICDR William R. LANG	Distinguished Flying Cross
LT Walton E. DeFRIES	Bronze Star
LTJG Thomas J. SCOTT, Jr.	Single Action Air Medal
LTJG Louis P. CAMPANA	Single Action Air Medal
LTJG Carl J. GUEHLAUSLT	Single Action Air Medal
AO2 Richard L. TOWLER	Single Action Air Medal
ADJ2 Robert D. EGGLESTON	Single Action Air Medal

WAR At approximately 0020 on 26 March 1969, enemy forces mortared BEAD Song Tan, where MA(L)-3 Bats 4 and 6 were staging. During this attack Bat 6 crews endeavored to run their helicopters and fly them to safety, but both helicopters were destroyed by an exploding ammunition dump. As a result of the explosion, LTJG Alfred A. SMIR, USNR, 713031, was killed. Following such destruction there were numerous acts of courage demonstrated by Bat 4 and 6 personnel as rescue for injured pilots and other wounded men. As a result of the enemy attack, three MA(L)-3 helicopters were destroyed.

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LTJG Robert J. ROMANELLI	Silver Star
AO3 Neil W. McDONALD	Silver Star
ADJ2 Vincent G. PACIE	Silver Star
AN Michael W. O'BRIEN	Silver Star
AN Ronald C. KINGREY	Silver Star
LCDR James C. ALKIRE	Bronze Star with "V"
LTJG James E. CARMICHAEL	Bronze Star with "V"
LTJG William M. FERRELL	Bronze Star with "V"
LTJG Robert A. ROSS	Bronze Star with "V"
LTJG Stewart L. GINGRICH	Bronze Star with "V"
LTJG Alfred A. SUHR	Bronze Star with "V"
ADJ2 Richard L. BAUSKE	Bronze Star with "V"
AZ3 Daniel J. HIGGINS	Bronze Star with "V"
ADJ3 Dale G. ODOM	Bronze Star with "V"
AZ3 Daniel J. HIGGINS	Bronze Star with "V"
ADJ3 Floyd A. COANERS	Bronze Star with "V"
AMS3 Dwaine G. FETHEROLF	Bronze Star with "V"
AO3 Jess E. BRADBURY	Bronze Star with "V"
AN David P. FRADELIS	Bronze Star with "V"
AN Vincent SOTO	Bronze Star with "V"
LT Charles W. PITTMAN, Jr.	Single Action Air Medal
LTJG David C. HINTER	Bronze Star with "V"
LCDR Dennis W. STUEY	Navy Commendation with "V"
LCDR Stanley J. WASS	Navy Commendation with "V"
LTJG Kenneth W. LORNE	Navy Commendation with "V"
ADJAN Jerry L. REAL	Navy Commendation with "V"
9. M. R. L. STOCK, USN, relieved LCDR E. ... FURRY, USN, as Officer-in-Charge 11(1)-3, Det 7 located at Bush Entry.	

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APRIL

- 2 APR USS GARRETT COUNTY (IST 786) with HA(L)-3, Det 6, embarked, relocated to vicinity of Vinh Long. HA(L)-3, Det 6, assumed GTU 116.3.9.
- 5 APR HA(L)-3, Det 1, relocated to USS WESTCHESTER COUNTY (IST 1167) and chopped to CTG for Operation Silver MACE II, the coastal interdiction arm of Operation Barrier Reef.
- 11 APR HA(L)-3, Det THREE, chopped to CTG 194.9 and assumed CTE 194.9.9.3, staging at Moc Hoa.
- 23 APR At approximately 2330, a detachment FOUR helicopter struck a power line and crashed at Cu Chi. The crew chief, AO1 Ollie J. GROSS, USN, 774 55 93 was killed in the accident. The pilot mistakenly started to land in the wrong area and realizing the error, commenced a hoveroff. The aircraft continued down the road, and the main rotor struck a power line and heavy supporting cable strung across Oahu Road. The helicopter crashed and burst into flames. The pilot, co-pilot, and one crewman safely evacuated the aircraft, but the crew chief, AO1 Ollie J. GROSS, USN, 774 55 93, was pinned in the wreckage and burned to death. Would-be rescuers on the scene were prevented from aiding GROSS because of ordnance aboard the aircraft.
- 25 APR Captain Reynolds BECKWITH, USN, relieved Captain Arthur H. HUNSON, USN, as Commanding Officer of HA(L)-3.
- 25 APR LCDR E. R. YEMMER, USN, relieved LCDR W. R. LANG, USN, as Officer-in-Charge, HA(L)-3, Det FIVE, stationed aboard the ZEPH 36 at San Dec.
- 28 APR Scowlf 305 and 320 of HA(L)-3, Det THREE, were a Night Helicopter Fire Team on surveillance patrol. The fire team received a target assignment of 12 to 20 sampans in the vicinity of BS 408, located 3 kilometers from the Cambodian border. During the attack the fire team flew across the border and were taken under heavy automatic weapons fire. The wing ship, Scowlf 320, was hit in a vital spot and crashed in Cambodian territory. The pilot, LTJG Robert L. BARNON, USN, 7116637; the co-pilot LTJG Hal C. CASHE, USN, 717424;

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and gunner A03 Michael E. SCHLAFERHOCKER, USN, 871 62 40, were killed in the crash, and the crew chief, AN James B. PAGE, Jr., was seriously injured. The lead ship, Seawolf 305, was hit in the engine oil system and a forced landing was made at approximately XS153986, near the wreckage of 320. The crew of 305 established defensive positions and returned fire to the advancing enemy. LCDR James L. KEYES, the lead ship co-pilot, assumed command of the situation and was able to contact Outlaw 29, a UH-1D from the 175th Assault Helicopter Company. ADJ1 Loyd T. WILLIAMS exposed himself to great enemy fire in an attempt to rescue the crew of 320 and was able to save PAGE. After many courageous efforts to land, the Army Slick was finally able to pick up the survivors of both crews. As the helicopter was lifting in the air, LTJG Joseph F. HART, USN, 705765, the lead ship pilot, was fatally wounded. The co-pilot, LCDR KEYES; crew chief, ADJ1 WILLIAMS; and gunner AN Dennis R. WILEY received no injuries. The observer AN Charles LARSEN was seriously injured by enemy fire.

AWARDS PRESENTED

ADJ1 Lloyd T. WILLIAMS	Navy Cross
LCDR James L. KEYES	Silver Star
LTJG Joseph F. HART	Silver Star
LTJG Richard A. ARDON	Air Medal
LTJG Carl G. C. JELLS	Air Medal
A03 Michael SCHLAFERHOCKER	Air Medal
AN Dennis R. WILEY	Bronze Star
AN Charles LARSEN	Bronze Star
WO1 Dennis J. GATTAZZO	Silver Star
WO1 Michael E. BROWN	Distinguished Flying Cross
SMA Donald R. VAN DYKE	Distinguished Flying Cross
SMA Jack F. SELLERS	Silver Star

Army Personnel

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MAY

- 1 MAY Helicopter Attack (Light) Squadron THREE (HA(L)-3) was assigned permanent duty station Binh Thuy vice Vung Tau.
- 14 MAY Seawolf 310 of HA(L)-3, Det SIX, crashed due to mechanical failure on take off at My Tho. No personnel casualties occurred.
- 26 MAY CDR W. E. K. SERIG, USN, relieved LT H. E. IMMS, USN, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det TWO, located at Nha Be.

JUNE

- 1 JUN LCDR W. P. FRANKLIN, USN, relieved LCDR Dennis STREY, USN, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det 6, aboard USS GARRETT COUNTY (LST 786) at Vinh Long.
- 4 JUN Captain Joseph R. PAULK relieved Captain Arthur W. PRICE, Jr., as Commander River Patrol Force.

JULY

- 7 JUL HA(L)-3, Det SIX, arrived on board USS JENNINGS COUNTY (LST 846).
- 9 JUL HA(L)-3, Det EIGHT was assigned to CTG 194.9 and temporarily assigned to Tay Ninh to assist Det 7, providing close air support for naval units in the upper Van Co Dong River in Operation Sling Shot.
- 15 JUL USS JENNINGS COUNTY (LST 846) logs its 3500th helo landing.

AUGUST

- 9 AUG HA(L)-3, Det ONE, moved from the USS WASHOE COUNTY (LST 1167) to the USS WINDHAM COUNTY (LST 1170).
- 16 AUG HA(L)-3, Det EIGHT, moved aboard the USS HAMMETT COUNTY (LST 826) to be stationed off the coast of Rach Gia in the Gulf of Thailand.
- 18 AUG Formal training for headquarters fire team commenced.
- 21 AUG Seawolf 331, Det EIGHT crashed on take-off from the USS HAMMETT COUNTY. R. L. BREW, USN, B61 35 61 was killed in the accident.
- 24 AUG Headquarters fire team became operational at Rach Gia with three crews assuming duty on a rotating basis.
- 26 AUG USS HAMMETT COUNTY (LST 826) became first ship of war class to log 5,000 accident free helicopter landings.
- 28 AUG Seawolf 300 of HA(L)-3, Det EIGHT, was brought down by enemy fire. One crewman, AB55 Daniel E. KELLY, B71 41 54, received serious leg wounds.

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15 SEP Seawolf 302, Det EIGHT crashed on take-off from the USS HARNETT COUNTY. AT3 Stephen A. JOHNSON, USN, B83 06 42 and ATN1 Robert J. ARNOLD, USN, 696 83 45 were killed in the accident.

27 SEP LCDR Walter B. LESTER, Jr., USN, relieved LCDR Dennis W. STREY, USN, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det EIGHT, located at Rach Gia.

27 SEP HA(L)-3, Det NINE activated and changed to CTG 194.0 and located at Tay Ninh for operations in Giant Sling Shot.

OCTOBER

1 OCT CDR W. W. WETZEL, USN, relieved CDR W. E. E. SERIC, USN, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det TWO at Nha Be.

NOVEMBER

18 NOV CDR Kenneth A. HAMMAN, USN, 636276, relieved LCDR James C. ALKIRE, USN, 629685, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det FOUR, located at Ben Luc.

30 NOV LCDR Victor BECK, USN, 629515, relieved LCDR William P. FRANKLIN, USN, 616149, as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det SIX, staging out of Song Ong Doc.

DECEMBER

6 DEC LCDR D. B. LEE, USN, relieved LCDR D. V. LORQUIST as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det THREE staging at Ving Gia.

11 DEC LT J. S. WOLNIEWICZ relieved CDR W. W. WETZEL as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det TWO at Nha Be.

11 DEC Seawolf 313, Det TWO crashed on a low level reconnaissance mission. ANST Larry R. JOHNSON, USN, 540 22 96 was killed in this operational accident.

11 DEC First four of an allowance of eight OH-6A's on board USSD Birch Bay and ready for SALVO's operations. Also, 11 OH-6A's are authorized the total number of A/C on board will be 4. Personnel allowance was increased to 167 officers and 47 enlisted.

21 DEC CDR W. J. PRICE relieved LT J. S. WOLNIEWICZ as Officer-in-Charge HA(L)-3, Det TWO at Nha Be.

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MONTHLY OPERATIONAL SUMMARY 1969

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG	TOTAL
HELO HOURS (UH-1B)	1641	1562	1343	1317	1586	1870	2167	2373	2266	2517	2475	2399	1961	22,917
(UH-1L)												318	318	318
PREPLANNED STRIKES	355	288	258	305	198	159	180	150	122	141	157	270	216	2605
REACTION STRIKES	80	68	75	49	74	83	103	110	91	104	110	169	93	1116
TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY	287	258	236	200	209	156	193	180	171	145	188	144	187	2367
SUPPORT MISSIONS (UH-1B)	266	181	164	183	154	127	198	190	197	170	288	292	201	2410
FIREFIGHTS	34	48	39	42	43	49	95	98	97	98	97	100	70	840
(REPAIRED/DESTROYED)														
BATTLE DAMAGE TO (UH-1B)	4/0	4/0	2/4	2/2	3/0	2/0	0/0	2/0	2/0	2/0	1/0	54/0	304	2074
REDEVAL BY SEAWOLF	8	7	10	8	9	10	17	12	9	11	13	15	11	120

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DECEMBER 1969 AVIATION SUMMARY

NAVY UH-1L

Total Possessed Aircraft Hours	2016
Total Operationally Ready Hours	1726
Total Flight Hours	318
Total Norm Hours (Scheduled, Unscheduled and Awaiting)	254
Total Norm Hours	36
Per Cent Operationally Ready	85.6
Per Cent Norm (Scheduled, Unscheduled and Awaiting)	12.6
Per Cent Norm	1.7
Average Flight Hours (Per Aircraft)	117.5
Average Flight Hours Per Day	15.1
Average Aircraft Per Day	2.71

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MONTHLY AVIATION SUMMARY (AIRY) 1969

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	MON AWD	YEAR TOTAL
TOTAL POSSESSED UH-1B HOURS	16,560	16,128	15,624	13,584	14,328	16,176	21,720	22,132	22,120	22,776	22,728	22,992	19,074	228,888
TOTAL OPERATIONALLY READY HOURS	12,220	11,885	11,645	9,480	10,888	12,636	14,940	15,004	15,531	17,327	16,765	16,401	23,762	165,140
TOTAL FLIGHT HOURS	1,642	1,562	1,343	1,327	1,586	1,870	2,167	2,373	2,266	2,517	2,477	2,359	1,959	23,517
TOTAL NORM HOURS (SCHEDULED, UNSCHEDULED, AWAITING)	2,303	1,924	2,808	2,664	2,060	4,531	3,989	4,755	3,340	3,225	4,509	4,012	3,402	40,912
TOTAL NORS HOURS	1,796	2,396	1,968	1,440	1,368	779	2,821	2,261	2,241	1,461	1,451	2,601	1,882	22,587
PER CENT OPERATIONALLY READY	73.742	73.214	69.431	69.787	75.991	72.0	68.66	68.03	73.52	76.04	73.76	71.24	72.12	
PER CENT, NORM (SCHEDULED, UNSCHEDULED, AWAITING)	13.419	11.222	16.891	19.611	14.377	19.0	18.37	21.57	15.81	17.54	19.51	17.45	17.6	
PER CENT NORS	10.845	14.856	12.590	10.600	9.547	8.67	12.99	10.22	10.61	6.44	6.38	11.31	10.5	
AVERAGE UH-1B FLIGHT HOURS PER AIRCRAFT	73.9	76.5	63.97	70.3	74.5	70.20	74.24	78.71	77.26	82.23	76.49	77.64	74.9	
AVERAGE UH-1B FLIGHT HOURS PER DAY	53.0	56.0	43.32	44.3	48.3	62.33	69.00	76.55	75.53	84.10	83.50	77.20	61.4	
AVERAGE UH-1B AIRCRAFT PER DAY	22.20	20.43	21.00	18.87	19.26	26.63	29.19	29.77	29.33	30.61	21.57	30.40	25.81	

MONTHLY AVIATION SUMMARY

Total Possessed Aircraft Hours	DEC 2016
Total operational Ready Hours	1726
Total Flight Hours	318
Total Norm Hours (Scheduled, Unscheduled and Awaiting)	234
Total NORS hours	204
Percent Operationally Ready	85.6

Percent Norm (Scheduled, Unscheduled and Awaiting)	DEC 12.0
Percent NORS	1.7
Average Flight Hours (Per Aircraft)	117.5
Average Flight Hours Per Day	15.1

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MONTHLY ENEMY CASUALTY SUMMARY 1969

IA (G)-3	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	YC	TOTAL
IA (DC)	32	78	8	45	29	13	25	23	41	51	24	95	87.2	1127
IA (POSS)	61	79	125	30	40	19	43	67	34	57	52	143	62.5	750
IA	6	4	53	17	7	0	0	0	0	5	0	15	2.1	110
WAPTURED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	00	0	0	0	0	0	0
STRUCTURES DES/DAM	115/140	100/135	125/150	164/151	124/140	133/186	77/171	22/119	122/226	100/118	57/92	52/55	95.6/146.5	1143/1783
BARBERS DES/DAM	50/65	40/50	60/75	60/70	43/54	55/70	30/22	81/78	77/105	230/82	146/73	101/25	809/64	971/769
BUNKERS DAMAGED	35	28	39	48	36	4	39	38	8	19	41	28	30/2	363
BASE CAMPS	3	5	7	5	2	2	8	12	10	5	6	6	5.9	71
WURMS DES/DAM	0/2	1/1	0/2	0/1	0/4	1/3	2/34	1/4	12/1	1/0	25/3	0/0	2.5/1.0	64/32

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PERSONNEL DATA FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1969

MAI

		PERSONNEL AUTHORIZED		PERSONNEL ON BOARD		PERSONNEL TAD IN-COUNTRY	
		OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL
Binh Thuy	Headquarters	7	40	46	295	4	23
Det 1	VERNON COUNTY		9	9	10		
Det 2	NHA ZE	1	17	16	21		
Det 3	JENNINGS COUNTY		9	9	10		
Det 4	NEW LUC		9	9	11		
Det 5	YREM-16		9	9	10		
Det 6	GARRETT COUNTY		9	10	8		
Det 7	TAY MINH		9	9	9		
Det 8	HARRETT COUNTY		9	8	9		
Det 9	YREM-21		9	9	9		
TOTAL:		16	129	130	392	4	23

PERSONNEL CASUALTIES

Wounded in Action	7
Wounded by Hostile Fire	1
Wounded by Hostile Fire in Operation	6
Wounded in Action	30
Wounded by Hostile Fire in Operation	20

Enclosure (7)

LEGAL MATTERS

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REEMLISTMENTS

EML

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ADVANCEMENTS

To Pay Grade:

EML

E-8	1
E-7	2
E-6	7
E-5	36
E-4	51
E-3	11

NOTE:

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AWARDS PRESENTED TO HA(L)-3 PERSONNEL IN 1969

NAVY CROSS

Presented: Two
Recipient: LT J. R. WALKER
ADJ1 L. T. WILLIAMS, JR.

SILVER STAR

Awarded: Six
Recipient: *AO3 M. E. SCHIFFERDICKER
ADJ3 B. R. WALUDA
LTJG A. L. DILLINGS
*LTJG J. F. HART
LCDR J. L. KEYES
LCDR W. R. LANG

LEGION OF MERIT

Awarded: One
Recipient: CAPT A. H. MINSON

DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS

Awarded: Forty-four	
Recipient:	
AMH1 R. W. DEWISH	LTJG R. W. BARR
ADJ3 M. G. FUSH	LCDR D. B. BLAIR
AO3 H. M. McDONALD	LCDR C. H. CHILDRESS
AO2 B. E. HOCK	LTJG T. H. CRUEL
AMS2 R. P. McELLINEY	LTJG W. K. FERRELL
AMH3 S. M. PICS	LCDR D. G. HAMILAN
ADJ3 J. F. SADLER	LTJG T. J. HAYES
AN G. R. SMITHEN	LCDR J. L. KEYES
AO3 J. A. TRUEX	LCDR W. R. LANG
AMF3 D. L. HARGET	LTJG R. M. LARSON
AMH3 G. C. HADY	LT R. LERO
LTJG A. J. BILLINGS	LTJG J. E. MAIR
LCDR J. E. BRADY	LTJG L. H. MCKAY
LT J. S. MESEWE	LTJG W. E. OGLE
LTJG R. H. MILLER	LT T. R. PATTERSON (2)
LTJG C. H. PETERSON	LT T. A. RITCHIE (2)
LTJG R. A. SPROSTY	LTJG R. J. SCHMIDT
LTJG D. G. STELLERING	LT R. VAZQUEZ
LCDR G. H. THOMPSON	LTJG W. E. WALLEN (1)
LCDR R. J. TUNNEY	LTJG W. E. WILSON
LTJG T. W. TURNER	

Ensigns (3)

BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Awarded: Twenty-eight
Recipient: MS3 D. G. FETHEROLF
AN D. R. MILEY
ADJ2 D. G. ODOM
AO3 J. E. BRADBURY
AT1 M. D. CONNELLY
AZ3 D. J. HIGGINS
AN C. C. LARSEN
ATN3 A. MARINACCIO
AO2 F. P. SAMEL
AN L. A. CONNERS
AN D. R. FRADETERS
ADJ3 J. P. HELMS
AN V. SOTO
CDR F. R. BARTLETT
CDR G. J. DEY
CDR O. E. GERCKEN
LCDR P. M. FENNINGTON
* LTJG M. W. SUHR
LCDR R. F. ACE
LCDR J. C. ALKINS
LTJG J. E. CARMICHAEL
LCDR J. J. CONNELLY
LT M. E. DEFRIES
LTJG W. M. FERRELL
LTJG S. L. GINGRICH
LTJG D. C. HIETER
LCDR W. R. LANG
LTJG R. A. ROSS

SINGLE ACTION AIR MEDAL

Awarded: 159
Recipients: ADJAN G. A. CHIAPPONE
AN1 T. L. RICKS
AN T. E. CLEY
AO3 R. T. ANDERSON
ADJ3 J. R. ANDRES
ADJ3 J. L. BARTLESON
ADJ2 BAUSKE
ADJ3 C. N. CAMPBELL (3)
ADJ3 T. N. CAYLING (5)
AN3 H. W. COCKE
AN2 R. A. COHA
AT1 H. D. CONNELLY
AO2 G. L. DAVIS
ADJAN J. G. DELORE
AN2 J. T. EVANS
AO3 C. W. GIER (2)
ADJ3 D. S. GREEN
AN C. P. SMITH
ADJ3 R. J. SUTHERS
ADJ3 H. K. SUTHERS
ADJ1 L. P. TAYLOR
AO3 J. A. TRUEX (1)
MS3 G. L. VALLADARES
*AT1 R. J. ARCHOLD
*ADJ3 H. M. BAUTE
*AN G. H. PAGE
ADJ2 D. L. BELL
AO3 R. L. BRITTON (2)
ADJ3 R. L. FURMAN
ADJ1 F. KAMANTANI
ADJ2 G. A. MASHKONICZ
AN2 H. S. MAGNIA
AN B. L. MUEGER (4)
AN2 W. L. RICHARD

STRIKE/FLIGHT AIR MEDAL (CONT'D)

Awarded: 2,343

Recipients: ADJ3 L. D. SHROPSHIRE (5)
 AT2 W. H. SHULTZ
 AN C. W. SIRJANE
 AT2 D. R. SMITH (9)
 AT2 A. W. SIKLER (16)
 ADJ3 R. J. SULLINS
 ADJ3 M. K. SULLIVAN (13)
 AFS1 H. J. THOMAS (12)
 A03 J. A. TRUEN (28)
 AFS3 G. L. VALLADARES (20)
 ATAN C. R. WILLIAMS (11)
 ADJ1 L. T. WILLIAMS (12)
 AE2 J. W. WILLET (4)
 ADJ3 C. E. YELTON
 *ATT R. J. ARNOLD (23)
 *A01 O. J. GROSS (23)
 *ADJ3 H. M. MEUTE (9)
 *AN G. M. PAGE (13)
 *A03 H. E. SCHAFERNOCKER (12)
 ADJAN L. C. AUGSMERGER (5)
 A03 R. L. CARTER (11)
 ADJ3 G. C. DOUGLAS (18)
 AT2 J. W. DUBIVANT (2)
 ADJ3 G. J. GAY (10)
 AT2 A. R. EASTWOOD
 ATC T. S. GRAY (19)
 A03 R. L. GRIFFITH (15)
 ADF3 D. L. HAGGET
 ADJ3 J. P. HELMS (10)
 AFS3 D. L. HUGHES (13)
 AFSAN D. P. HUNTER (8)
 AEC E. J. JOERKS (2)
 ADRI F. D. MESSIAN (19)
 ADJAN L. F. MAIRE (7)
 ADJ2 G. A. MARKOWICZ (11)
 A03 J. H. MEYERS
 ADJ3 H. O'BOYLE (5)
 AT2 J. L. RICHTER (4)
 ADJ3 D. R. RICHARD (10)
 AN D. D. ROBERTSON (13)
 AFS3 R. A. RUTLEDGE (17)
 AFS3 A. M. SCOTT
 AT2 M. D. SEARLE (18)
 A02 H. R. VARNUM
 A0C P. J. WALSH (15)

ADJ3 WALUDA (9)
 LT E. W. ALEXANDER
 LTJG C. J. BAGLEY (16)
 LT W. J. BAILIS (18)
 CDR F. R. BARTLETT (2)
 LTJG A. J. BELLING (22)
 LCDR J. E. BRADY (12)
 LTJG H. B. CAMPBELL (15)
 LT J. C. CORNELLY (12)
 LTJG W. A. DAVIS (20)
 CDR G. J. DEY
 LCDR P. FRANKENBERGER (19)
 CDR O. E. GERCKEN (3)
 LTJG L. E. GOZA (7)
 LTJG R. C. HENNESSY (9)
 LCDR D. JONES (2)
 LT J. S. MESERVE (16)
 LTJG R. H. MILLER (22)
 CAPT A. H. MUNSON
 LCDR R. PENNINGTON (10)
 LTJG M. D. PETERSEN (15)
 LTJG C. H. PETERSON (21)
 LT O. SOTO (21)
 LTJG R. A. SPROST (18)
 LT J. R. WALKER (10)
 *LTJG J. F. HART (17)
 *LTJG E. W. PANLOSKI (4)
 *LTJG R. J. REARDON (12)
 *LTJG M. E. SMIR
 LTJG D. A. DOMING
 LCDR V. DECK
 LT L. E. EMENT
 LTJG S. D. ENOLA
 LTJG H. F. EWING
 LCDR W. P. FRANKLIN
 LT H. E. FREAS
 LTJG G. S. GAYMAN
 CDR K. A. HARMAN
 LTJG R. B. HARMON
 LTJG H. D. GARGNEY
 LT R. L. JOHNSON
 LTJG P. J. CROIX
 LTJG L. E. COUPE
 IN C. F. KIZER
 LCDR W. B. LESTER

SINGLE ACTION AIR MEDAL (CONT'D)

Awarded: 159

Recipients: AHS2 E. J. GUTHAUS
AO2 R. A. HAWLEY (3)
AZ3 D. J. HIGGINS (2)
ADJ2 R. D. HUNT (2)
AE2 K. J. JASMAIN (2)
ADJ3.D. E. KELLY (2)
AN R. C. KINGREY (2)
AN C. C. LUSHE
ATW2 T. G. MARSDEN
AHS2 R. P. MCCLINTOCK
AO3 J. W. MCGOWEN (2)
AN E. R. MILLER
ADJ2 V. G. PACHE (2)
AN D. PEREZ
AN S. A. PORTER
AO3 T. L. SCOTT (2)
ATW3 S. J. SEAL (2)
ATW2 W. D. SHULTZ
ATW3 B. V. SMITH
LT H. S. SANDBERG
LTJG G. W. RAYNE (2)
LTJG R. W. BARR (2)
LTJG P. J. BRIDGES
LTJG B. V. CARLO
LTJG M. E. CHAMBERLAIN
LTJG J. W. HANDEL (2)
LTJG D. E. JOHNSON
LT R. W. KNIGHT
LT J. L. LEWIS (3)
LTJG W. E. OYLE
LT T. R. PATTERSON
LTJG C. A. PHEL
LT G. W. PITMAN
LTJG R. J. ROMANELLI (3)
LTJG R. T. SADLER (2)
LCDR N. E. SCHRAMER

ADJ3 D. R. RIGORDAN (2)
AN D. D. ROBERTSON
ADJ3 E. R. TALUDA (2)
ADJ2 K. H. WILLIAMS
LT E. W. ALEXANDER (2)
LT W. J. BARNES (2)
LCDR J. E. BRADY
LTJG H. W. CAMPBELL
LCDR P. F. FRANKENBERGER
LTJG L. E. GOZA
LTJG R. C. HENNESSY
LCDR D. JONES
LTJG R. H. MILLER (4)
LTJG M. D. PETERSEN
LTJG R. A. SPRIGSTY
LTJG J. D. STECHER
LT J. R. WALKER
*LTJG J. P. WART (3)
*LTJG E. W. PAULOSKI
*LTJG R. J. REARDON
LCDR P. H. BOWENST
LTJG L. P. CAMPBELL
LTJG S. E. FREY
LCDR R. F. HARBIGHT
LTJG R. F. SHORE
CDR S. R. SNYDER
LTJG M. A. THOMAS (3)
LTJG T. W. TURNER (2)
LT R. VAZQUEZ
LTJG W. E. WALLEN
LTJG T. A. WATLOCK
LT J. W. WILSON (3)
LTJG W. D. WILSON
LCDR E. F. ZIEGLER
LT S. J. ZAJKOWSKI

STAFF FLIGHT AIR MEDAL

Awarded: 2,343

Recipients: AHS2 A. C. ARRECHON
AHS3 D. J. BADER
AHS2 R. J. DEKES
AN W. H. DEEMAN
AN J. D. DEENS
AO1 L. L. BOWLES
ADJ3 J. R. BOWLES
AHS2 A. BRAZALOVICH
AN A. G. BUCCI
AHS3 E. H. BYRD
AN H. CADEZAS
AHS3 L. C. CADDY
AHS3 J. H. CARLEY
AN A. CANN
AHS2 G. L. CHAFFIN
AN R. J. CHRISTENSEN
AHS2 E. L. COLSON
ADJAF D. O. COLMAN

AN C. J. DAVIDSON
AHS2 D. C. FAHLEY
AN R. E. FERNER
AHS3 D. G. FETHEROLF
AN H. S. FOWDA
AHS3 H. J. GRIEST
AHS3 J. H. HARTLEY
AHS2 E. L. HARRIS
AHS3 G. E. HART
AHS2 T. L. HIGGS
AHS3 E. G. HILMER
ADJ3 D. E. JAMES
AHS3 W. L. JAMES
AHS3 G. H. JAY
AHS2 G. L. JILL
AHS2 H. M. JOHNS
AHS3 G. L. JOHNS
AHS3 W. G. KIDD

STRIKE/FLIGHT AIR MEDAL (CONT'D)

Awarded: 2,343

Recipients: AN D. R. MILEY
 AT1 J. D. MORRIS ()
 AO1 M. L. NESBY
 ADJ2 D. G. ODOM
 AN T. E. OLEY
 AE2 W. L. OURSLER
 AN D. E. PRATT
 AN M. M. QUINN
 ADJ3 R. L. REAL
 ADE2 L. E. ROGERS
 ADE3 A. A. ROGOSKI
 AN J. E. SALA
 AOAN D. K. SMALE
 ADE3 W. M. SOTO
 AX3 D. H. STEERMAN
 ADEAN O. S. TALLEY
 ADEAN J. S. TAYLOR
 AE3 G. M. TEMPLETON
 AN M. D. TIFOTHY
 AN J. V. WAKELAND
 AO2 W. J. WALLEN
 AO3 R. W. WEINSTER
 AN P. C. WULLINGHAM
 AO3 D. L. YOUNG
 AO3 R. T. ANDERSON
 ADJ3 J. R. ANDRUS (11)
 ADJ3 T. T. ANTHONY
 ADJ3 J. L. BARTLESON (19)
 ADJ2 R. L. BAUSKE (29)
 ADE1 R. W. BENISH (23)
 AO3 J. E. BRADBURY
 AE1 W. A. BURN
 ADJ3 J. S. BUSBY (4)
 ADJ3 H. G. DUSH (19)
 ADJ3 C. W. CAMPBELL (22)
 ADJ3 J. H. CAMPBELL (21)
 ADE3 M. W. COCKE
 AOAN M. M. COLEMAN
 ADE2 U. J. CHACMAN
 AE2 R. A. COMA (19)
 AE2 M. G. COTTA (14)
 ADE2 R. L. DENTLE
 AO2 G. L. DAVIS (13)
 ADJ2 J. P. DELONG (29)
 AN THE DONCHIL

AE13 H. H. EARL
 ADJ3 R. D. EGGLESTON (7)
 AN S. T. EGSGAARD (9)
 AO3 G. E. ELDER (11)
 AN J. L. ELLIOTT
 ADE3 E. E. FRYBURGER
 AO3 F. L. GALE
 ADJ2 E. K. GARRATT
 AN T. R. GEDRONE
 AO3 C. W. GIER (14)
 ADJ3 M. P. GOOD (16)
 ADJ3 D. S. GREEN (20)
 ADE2 R. T. GRINNELL
 ADE2 E. J. GUTHAUSER (33)
 ADE2 W. A. HARTING (12)
 AO1 R. A. HARVEY (12)
 AZ3 D. J. HIGGINS (28)
 AO2 E. E. HOCK (14)
 ADJ1 R. D. HUNT (14)
 AE2 K. J. JASMAN
 ADJ3 J. A. JOHNSON (3)
 AOAN R. D. LASOTA
 AN R. W. MAINFELD
 ADE3 A. MARTINACIO (17)
 ADE2 T. G. MARSDEN (12)
 ADE1 C. E. MATHEWS (16)
 AO3 N. W. McDONAL (5)
 ADE2 R. P. McELHINEY (14)
 AO3 J. W. MCGOWEN (17)
 ADJ3 M. K. MCPHIE
 AN J. H. MEYER (7)
 AN S. L. MILLER
 AN B. R. MUELLER
 ADE2 J. D. PAGE
 ADJ2 V. G. PAGE (37)
 ADJ2 J. H. PICCOLO (13)
 AN L. L. PUTNEY
 ADJ3 J. F. SADLER (19)
 AO2 F. P. SANEL
 PR3 E. L. SCHEER (7)
 AO3 A. L. SCHELL (17)
 AO3 T. L. SCOTT (34)
 ADE3 S. J. SRAAL (12)
 AOAN J. L. SHANN
 AE3 H. D. SHELLEY

STRIKE/FLIGHT AIR MEDAL (CONT'D)

Awarded: 2,343

Recipients: LTJG J. R. MARRING
LTJG A. P. MASSLOFSKY
LT J. A. MCCALLUM
LTJG P. D. MCGOVERN
LTJG H. J. MCMAULL
LTJG J. C. MOSSER
LTJG D. D. O'CONNELL
LTJG M. M. O'HEARN
LTJG R. H. PARKER
LTJG F. A. PINEGAR
LT M. J. POLSEWSKI
LTJG R. B. POTIER
LT J. N. QUARTERMAN
LT H. S. SANDBERG
CDR W. E. K. SERIG
LTJG P. G. STAHELI
LCDR C. R. THOMAS
LTJG J. J. TOOME
LTJG W. J. VINCENT
LTJG T. V. WICKMORRIS
CDR W. W. WETZEL
LTJG L. W. WHEAT
LTJG C. T. WHITE
LTJG R. J. WOLFE
LT J. S. WOLNIENICZ
LTJG L. R. WOOD
LTJG G. E. WRIGHT
LTJG J. T. WRIGHT
LTJG A. W. YATES
LT E. W. ALEXANDER
LCDR J. C. ALKIRE
LTJG G. W. BARNES
LTJG R. W. BARR
LTJG W. K. BICHENBACH
LTJG G. O. BLACKBELL
LCDR D. B. BLAIR (11)
LCDR D. W. BORQUIST
LTJG P. J. BRIDGES (20)
LTJG L. P. CAMPANA (25)
LTJG D. V. CARLO (26)
LTJG J. E. CARTICHELL (19)
LT R. J. CATHCART
LT R. A. CATONE
LTJG M. L. CHATTERPLAIN
LTJG W. H. CALHOUN

LCDR C. H. CHILDRESS (16)
LT T. H. COGSWELL (11)
LTJG J. L. COOK
LTJG M. D. CORRETT
LTJG R. CUDDERBACK (10)
LT M. E. DEFRIES (18)
LTJG J. R. DENIGRO
LT T. F. DOYLE (24)
LTJG M. J. FARLOW
LTJG W. M. FELTS
LTJG R. M. FOSTER
LTJG S. E. FRY (16)
LTJG S. L. GINGRICH
LCDR R. F. HABICHT
LTJG R. H. HALL
LTJG J. W. HARKER (23)
LTJG S. T. HARRIS
LCDR D. G. HARTMAN (15)
LTJG T. J. HAYES (20)
LTJG D. C. HEDDER
LTJG D. E. JOHNSON
LCDR J. L. KEYES
LT R. W. KNIGHT
LTJG T. G. LACKNEY (17)
LCDR W. R. LING (19)
LTJG R. M. LARSON (29)
LT R. LAZO (14)
LT J. L. LEWIS (14)
LTJG K. H. LONE
LTJG J. E. LONN (26)
LTJG B. C. MATTHEWS
LTJG L. H. MCKAY (19)
LTJG D. S. MCKENNETT
LTJG W. E. OGIE (20)
LTJG G. A. PIEL (20)
LT C. W. PITTMAN
LTJG T. A. RITCHIE (29)
LTJG R. J. RIMABELLI (33)
LTJG R. A. ROSS
LTJG R. T. SAEGER
LCDR H. E. SCHRAEDER (19)
LTJG R. T. SCOTT
LTJG T. J. SCOTT
LTJG R. F. SHORE
CDR S. R. SNYDER (13)

STRIKE/EIGHT AIR MEDAL (CONT'D)

Awarded: 2,343
Recipients: LTJG D. C. SPELBRING (16)
CDR M. L. STOCK
LTJG J. C. STONE (20)
LCDR D. W. STREY
LTJG M. A. THOMAS
LCDR G. H. THOMPSON
LCDR R. J. TOUHEY
LT R. VAZQUEZ (22)
LTJG W. R. WAGNER (22)
LT C. E. WALKER (3)
LTJG W. E. WALLIN (21)
LTJG T. A. WARLICK (20)
CDR V. C. WHITMIRE (3)
LT J. W. WILSON (19)
LTJG W. E. WILSON (22)
LCDR E. F. YAEGER
LT S. J. ZAJKOWSKI (12)

NAVY COMMEMORATION MEDAL

Awarded: 49
Recipients: ADJ3 J. L. REAL
AN J. V. WAKELAND
ADJ2 R. L. RAUSKE
ADJ3 J. H. CATLING
ACAN M. M. COLEMAN
AO3 G. E. ELDER
AO3 C. H. GIER
ADJ1 R. D. HUNT
ACAN R. D. LASOTA
ATN3 A. MARINACCIO
AN S. A. PORTER (2)
YK2 R. W. RAGOES
AO3 T. L. SCOTT
AN G. R. SIEMEN
ADJ3 M. K. SULLIVAN
AMS1 M. J. THOMAS
AMS3 G. L. WALLADARES
AN E. J. WELSH
PAT1 R. J. ARNOLD
WAD1 O. J. GROSS
AMS1 C. D. FIELDS
ADE1 F. D. HANAUER
YK2 G. E. MCCLURE
AMS3 H. O'BOYLE
AO2 S. M. PASCHKE

HM1 R. E. PENNIN
AO2 H. R. VANHORN
AMT2 J. O. WILLIAMSON
ADCS W. E. WILSON
LT O. SOTO
LCDR S. TORREY
LCDR W. P. FRANKLIN
LCDR D. B. BLAIR (2)
LTJG P. J. BRIDGES
LT R. J. CATHCART
LCDR J. J. CONNELLY
LTJG S. E. FRY
LCDR D. G. HARTMAN
LTJG D. E. JOHNSON
LTJG W. E. COLE
LT C. R. PITHMAN
LCDR H. E. SCHRAEDER
LTJG R. T. SCOTT
LCDR D. W. STREY
LTJG M. A. THOMAS
LCDR G. H. THOMPSON
LT R. VAZQUEZ
LTJG W. R. WAGNER
LT S. J. ZAJKOWSKI

Enclosure (8)

NAVY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL

Awarded: 10
Recipients: ADJAN R. G. RUSSELL
HM2 T. D. FRANKLAUSER
AN R. C. KINGREY
YM2 PICKLIN
AKC J. T. GAY
AN K. E. KELSEY
ADRM F. D. MAHAMIAN
AMM3 E. F. FEARSON
AMS3 J. L. TICE
LTJG D. C. SPELBRING

PERCUSSION

Awarded: 24
Recipients: ATT M. B. CORRELLIN
AO3 G. E. ELLER
ADJ3 D. S. GREEN
ADJ3 D. E. KELLY (2)
ATH3 A. MARINACIO
AO3 H. W. McDONALD
ADJ2 J. H. PICCOLO
AE3 H. T. SHELLY
AO3 M. E. SCHAFERHOCKER
AN R. W. ADETT
ADJ3 G. C. DOUGLAS
AE2 M. D. SEARLE
LTJG J. F. HART
LTJG R. J. PEARDON
LTJG R. W. BARR
LT M. E. DEFRIES
LTJG S. E. FRY
LTJG D. C. HIETER
LTJG D. E. JOHNSON
LTJG W. E. OGLE
LT C. W. PITTLER
LTJG R. J. ROMANELLI (2)

GENERAL ACTION RIBBON

Awarded: 17
Recipients: ADJAN D. O. COLLINS
AMM1 A. R. LIND
LCDR V. BECK
LCDR W. P. FRANKLIN
LTJG J. C. HOSSEN
LTJG W. J. VINCENT
LTJG W. H. CALHOUN
LTJG M. J. FARLOW
LTJG R. M. FOSTER
LTJG D. C. HIEBER
LT R. W. KNIGHT
LTJG T. C. LAGNEY
LTJG T. J. SCOTT
LCDR D. A. STREY
LCDR R. J. TOLLEY
LCDR E. F. ZELMER

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	ADM W. R. FLANAGAN, USN	COMNAVFORV
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