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			FROM HOUR	TO DATE	HOUR	DATE
ITEM NO.	TIME IN	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.			ACTION TAKEN	INL
1	0055	From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	HMC
2	0100	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	HMC
3	0104	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg			S, Bde	KWN
4	0155	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg				
5	0200	From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
6	0203	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg			S, Bde	KWN
7	0257	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	HMC
8	0300	From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
9	0303	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg			S, Bde	KWN
10	0400	From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
11	0400	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg			S, Bde	KWN
12	0401	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
13	0457	From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
14	0458	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	HMC
15	0500	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg			S	HMC
16	0555	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
17	0557	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg			S, Bde	KWN
18	0701	From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
19	0700	From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWN
20	0703	From S-3 to 1st Bde: Sit Rpt Neg (Delayed Entry)			S	KWN
21	1950	From Bn XO to Bn CO: Bn CO has meeting with Bde CO ASAP. CO said that he would be in CP within 02 min.			S	A&J

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		0001	26 Sep 65	2400	26 Sep 65		
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	IN	OUT					
22	0730		Capt Martin relieved Capt Propes as Bn Duty Officer.				
23	0745		From Capt Kelly to Capt Martin: The radios are not in the TOC ships as of yet, will keep you informed. Information passed to Col Mertel.			S	WGB
24	0800		From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	RDM
25	0800		From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	WGB
26	0807		From Maj Reed to Capt Martin: Aircraft can not land because of fog. Capt Martin replied, fog clear send aircraft now.			S	WGB
27	0830		From S-3 Air to Bde S-3 Air: Received 2 UH1D			S, Bde	TMJ
28	0900		From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	TMJ
29	0906		From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	TMJ
30	0920		From S-2 to Journal Clerk: Dispatched DA Forms 873 (Scty Clearances) to AG for inclusion in indiv 201 files.			S	WGB
31	0950		From Bde S-3 Capt Phips to Bn Co: Meeting at 1500 for defense of basic area.			S	TMJ
32	1003		From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	TMJ
33	1030		From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg			S	TMJ
34	1115		From S-3 to Co B: Sit Rpt Unchanged			S	TMJ

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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INL
	IN	OUT			
35		1118	From S-3 to Co C: Sit Rpt Unchanged	S	TMJ
36		1120	From Col Clark to Maj Hermann: Meet me at the left limiting point of your left unit.	S	RDM
37	1155		From Co B to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg	S	TMJ
38	1200		From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg	S	TMJ
39		1205	From S-3 to Bde S-3: Sit Rpt Neg	S, Bde	TMJ
40	1300		From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg	S	CPB
41	1300		From Capt Phelps to Capt Martin: Request approve at 1430, mission #1-27-9 (Bde) OHB, mission #1-29-9 (Div) UHID	S, Bde	TMJ
42	1400		From Co C to S-3: Sit Rpt Neg	S	CPB
43		1500	From CO, 1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cav to CO, 1st Bde, 1st Cav Div: Sit Rpt 3: Period 251500 to 261500 Sept. Enemy: No change except Company Commander Co A reported signs of Viet Cong vicinity cord BR 475467 at 251800 Sept. An intensive search was conducted of the area revealing two (2) suspected VC. The suspected VC disappeared into a tunnel vicinity cord BR 475468. Guards were posted at the mouth of tunnel and the area secured. Plans were made to clear all brush and tunnels. At 0700 hours		

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	IN	OUT				
43			(cont'd) 26 Sept 65 clearing operations began and continued throughout the day. No further sight of VC suspects. Own Situation: Work continued on positions along inner perimeter with Co B working on barrier trace and bunkers and Co C continuing work around perimeter at An Khe air strip. Administration: Normal.			
44	1305		To S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg	S	TMJ	
45	1500		To 1st Bde S-3: From Capt Martin: Daily Sit Rpt called in.	S, Bde	RDM	
46	1515		To S-3: From Col Mertel: Radio Check	S	TMJ	
47	1555		To S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg	S	KWN	
48	1600		To 1st Bde S-3 (Sgt Marshal) From Capt Martin: Negative situation report expect as noted in daily summary.	S, Bde	RDM	
49	1603		To Bde: From S-3 Air: Have hile copter return to hilapad.	S, Bde	KWN	
50	1610		To S-3: From Co B: Co B Sit Rpt Neg	S	KWN	
51	1630		To Capt Martin: From Mr Ryon: OH 13 can not return to Bn hilapad, as per instructions from 1st Bde AVN Officer.	S, Bde	RDM	
52	1645		To S-3 Air 1st Bde: From Bn S-3 Air:	S, Bde	RDM	

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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.			ACTION TAKEN	INL
	IN	OUT					
52			(Cont'd) Request permission for OH 13 to land in Bn helipad. Permission denied, Division Commander said, there will be no Bn helipad. Bde Asst S-3 will see BDE CO and report results. Relayed this information to Bn S-3.				
53	1705		To Journal Clerk: From Bn S-2: S-2 request thru Bde S-2 for two (2) squad size patrols from 1/9 Cav effective afternoon & night of 28 Sep 65. Requested patrol leaders report this CP at 1600 hrs 27 Sep 65 for coordination.			S, Bde	RP
54	1710		To Journal Clerk: From S-2: Call to Co D by S-2 Officer for Recon Patrol by Recon Platoon on afternoon of 28 Sep. Patrol leader to report this CP for coordination 27 Sep 1600 hrs.			S, Bde	RP
55	1710		To S-3: From Co B: Co B Sit Rpt Neg			S	KWM
56	1713		To Bdes: From S-3: Co B & Co C Sit Rpt Neg				
57	1730		To Bde S-3: From Bn Asst S-3: Requested to Bde S-3 Duty Officer that 2 3/4 ton vech or 2 1/2 ton vech be assigned this unit on a continual basis as long as we			S, Bde	NP
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	IN	OUT			
57			(Cont'd) have this opn mission. One (1) vech to Co A & one (1) vech to Co B. Trucks requested to report today or NLT 0730 27th.		
58	1734		To S-3: From Co C: Sit Rpt Neg Co C	S	HMC
59	1745		To S-3: From CO Bn Operator: CO Bn will be off air for 05 minutes.	S	AEJ
60	1800		To S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg	S	KWN
61	1855		To S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg	S	RWW
62	1900		To S-3: From Co B: Co B Sit Rpt Neg	S	RWW
63	1900		To Bde S-3: From Bn S-3: Co B & C Sit Rpt Neg	S, Bde	RWW
64	1915		To S-3: From Co B: One man burn by trip flare and taken to aid station. Bn surgeon notified.	S	HMC
65	1935		To S-3: From Co C, CO: CO, Co C is setting up an ambush inside the perimeter of the airfield.	S	RWW
66	1950		To S-3: From Co B: Reaction time to assemble Co B for tactical move - 1 hour.	S	RWW
67	1950		To S-2: From Co C: 1st platoon reported siting thatched roof house at 487463 people moving in & around house. Will try	S	RP

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67			(Cont'd) to get closer & better observation, and check with Co C FO.								
68	1955			To S-3: From Co B: Co B Sit Rpt Neg				S		RWW	
69	1955			To S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg				S		RWW	
70	2000		To Bde S-3: From Bn S-3: Co B & Co C				S, Bde		RWW		
			Sit Rpt Neg								
71	2100			To S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg				S		JJ	
72	2105			To S-2: From Co B: B Co CO, reports sweep of area before dark and discovered 25 markers (Bent sticks) pointing and towards every position in vicinity.				S		RP	
			Coord 465464								
73	2110			To S-3: From Co B: Co B Sit Rpt Neg				S		RWW	
74	=	2110			To Bde S-3: From Bn S-3: Co's B & C				S, Bde		RWW
			Sit Rpt Neg								
75	2145			To S-3: From Bde S-3: Two CH-47 for use on 28th approved by Bde MSN No 3-28-9				S, Bde		JJ	
76	2150			To Bn S-3: From Co B: Co B Sit Rpt Neg				S		RWW	
77	2155			To Bn S-3: From Bde S-3 Air: One (1) S-4 represents to 227th Helicopter Bn pick up 2 HULD for 1/8th use, be there at 0730.				S, Bde		RWW	
78	2200			To Bn S-3: From Co C: Co C Sit Rpt Neg				S		HMC	
79	2201			To Bde S-3: From Bn S-3: Co's B & C							
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