

## SITUATION OR INSTALLATION REPORT

S-2 S-3 1st Battalion 8th Cav Phouc Vinh

PERIOD COVERED 1969  
0001 to 2400 24 April

TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	IN
1. 0001	Journal opened.	JS	KG
2. 0002	Base defense negative.	JS	KG
3. 0100	All units report situation negative.	JS	KG
4. 0200	All units report situation negative.	JS	KG
5. 0250	From B/Co D 1-6 reports hearing mortar tube popping 400m S of their location- not for sure if it was mortar tube or not. Rds impacting supposedly to soon for mortar tube. Area to be engaged with arty.	JS	KG
6. 0300	All units report situation negative.	JS	KG
7. 0400	All units report situation negative.	JS	KG
8. 0455	All units report situation negative.	JS	RV
9. 0600	All units up for stand to.	JS	RV
10. 0646	Div Arty requested clearance to fire on rifle range to NE of Phouc Vinh firing to the E 100° azimuth-.50 Cal MG.	JS	SA
11. 0655	Cav 1-6 reports on station-will screen for E/Co 1-1 move to secure LZ for D/Co 3-6 scheduled CA into area, also will screen 400m S of D/Co 1-6 element.	JS	RV
12. 0930	D 1/8 reports CA of 3-6, 4-6, and CP: 3-6 at 0910 lift off PZ (Phouc Vinh); 0915 lift on LZ (983402); 4-6 0925 lift off PZ (Phouc Vinh); 0928 lift on LZ (978522) CP went with 4-6; lift complete, both LZ green.	JS DA	SA
13. 1025	From 3 to Div Arty request 5+2 for tomorrow total sorties 11 for D/Co 3-6 (4) Bright Knight 16 (5) and C/Co 3-6 (5) requested log bird 0730 here at Phouc Vinh.	JS Bde	GF
14. 1055	C/Co reports small arms being fired over their heads, Div Arty reports fire was from rifle range, cease fire requested.	JS DA	SA
15. 1146	Current locations sent to Div Arty by Bn 65.	JS DA	SA
16. 1147	From Duke 65 Water Buffalo Yellow 1 on station 1355 for final extraction of E 1-1 2+2; PZ clear 1400 983405, LZ complete 1405 967464.	JS DA	CW
17. 11422	Duke 5 reports A/Co had 1 WIA was riding track when track hit mine: Roster #177, PFC Barrid, Francisco G., RA15834987, medevaced to Quan Loi.	JS	CW
18. 11430	D 3-6 reports at 988414 trail running E to W used in last week, 50 meters NE 1 bunker 4x6, 50m SE found 1 hutch. 983405 found one hooch found 2 bunkers 983409, 500m N of PZ. Bunkers and hooches were very old no signs of recent use.	JS Bde	MG
19. 1712	From MACV received locations of VN night locations; 999564, 005557, 944463, 993516, 994518, 953516, 948502.	JS	SA
20. 1845	D 3-6 across the river from their 31 ambush they believe they have a tunnel entrance 989413.	JS DA	CW
21. 2025	Div arty reports from #9158 W 8958 N 8961 NE9463, E 9763 S 9762 SW 958606 S 9659 SE 9758 time 26 0600 to 29 1800.	JS	MG
22. 2030	D 23 has light moving towards them 250 to 300m from the S to N, will engage if it gets in their killing zone.	JS	MG
23. 2145	D 2-3 reports still seeing light but light is stationary.	JS	KG
24. 2200	All units report situation negative.	JS	KG
25. 2208	D 1/9 reports their White had a trip flare go off to the N of location. 1 indiv spotted carrying no weapon. Indiv moved from perimeter. Engaged with arty..	JS DA	KG

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TIME NO.	TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGE, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	IN
26.	2300	All units report situation negative.	JS DA	SH
27.	2400	All units report situation negative.	JS DA	SH
28.	2400	From 21/9 night locations as follows: White CP 931483, (Delay) White AP 931478; Blue CP 926498, Blue AP 924502; Red QRF.	JS	SH
29.	2400	Journal closed.	JS	SH

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