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1st Battalion 8th Cavalry

FSB BETTY

FROM

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0001 16 AUG 70

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2400 16 AUG 70

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INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

1. 0001

Rde NCS/Bn NCS: JOURNAL OPENED.

JS

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2. 0600

All Units/Bn NCS: Hourly Situation Reports;
(0100, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600H), Negative.

JS

DW

3. 0605

Rde NCS/Bn NCS: Negative Significant Events over
the last 12 hours.

JS

DW

4. 0645

Rde S-3 Air/Bn NCS: Log aircraft 132, CC air
craft 277.

JS

DW

5. 0730

All Units/Bn NCS: Up on the pill (A,B,C,D,E,
n
Recon). Trips and claymores are in at FSB
Betty at 0755H.

JS

DW

6. 0750

Rde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: SIAR Readings; 0310H to
0540H, YU 195180/01 in the open. YU 235145/
01 in the open.

JS

DQ

7. 0808

Rde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Night hawk; #4-1124, 1624, 1618,
1118. #5-2825, 3225, 3218, 2818. Clearance given.

JS

DQ

8. 0808

Rde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Sniffed Boxes; #1-2338,
3338, 2833. #4-2532, 3532, 3527, 2527. #4-3529, 3829,
4424, 3524. #11-1715, 2825, 2820, 1720.

JS

DQ

9. 0845

Rde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Before LERP Team #55 is
inserted on 17 Aug they will come to FSB Betty
for an intell briefing on 16 Aug 70.

JS

Q

10. 0904

D Co/Bn NCS: YU 259328; found a northwest-south
east 2' wide trail last recent used in 02 to 03 days.

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10	0904		Continuation from page 1: Trail forks off into an east west trail 2' wide in the last 02 to 03 days. JS		KB
11.	1030		Bn NCS/B Co NCS: Current locations; A Co(-) - YU 35281, 2nd plt - YU 39282, 2nd plt 3 sqd - YU 319283. B Co - PSB Battery. C Co - YU 215364. D Co - YU 260327. E Co - PSB Battery. Recon - PSB Battery.	JS	KB
12.	1030		A Co/Bn NCS: Found at following grid location; YU 317281; northeast southwest 1' wide trail with negative recent use. 01 3'x5' bunker caved in destroyed. YU 316281; northeast southwest 2' wide trail with negative recent use in the last 02 to 03 days. 01 northwest southeast trail 1' wide with negative recent use.	JS	KB
13.	1050		Bde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Bde S-3 Asst going to lay on a mohawk photo - taking mission taking photos to scale 1/50,000. He should be able to have the mission scheduled in about 07 days. He is also sending out the photographer with better film to take hand held photos.	JS	DQ
14.	1150		Bde S-3 Asst/Bn NCS: The 7th ARVN Reg has a pink team working in the grid box below. This box extends slightly into 1/8 Cav AO. Clearance was given for the protection in our AO. Bde was		

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<u>14.</u>	<u>1150</u>		Continuation from page 2: also advised that Ranger Team #55 is to be inserted in vicinity of this box. YU 1818, 2618, 2614, 1814.	<u>JS</u>	<u>DQ</u>
<u>15.</u>	<u>1221</u>		D Co/Bn NCS: YU 261327; found 01 10x10 bunkers 2' OHC, 02 4'x2' bunker light OHC, 01 10'x6' bunker with 2' OHC with a hatch on top. Found inside bunker 01 AK round, 01 table 4'x1 1/2' wide. Found on the outside of bunker 01 B40 charge can, which was empty. 01 used thermite grenade, northeast southwest 2' wide trail with negative recenture.	<u>JS</u>	<u>KB</u>
<u>16.</u>	<u>1307</u>		Bash 27/Bn NCS: On station at 1320H.	<u>JS</u>	<u>KB</u>
<u>17.</u>	<u>1405</u>		Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Current locations; A Co-YU 315281, 2nd plt-YU 319282, 2nd plt 3rd sqd-YU 319283, B Co-FSB Betty, C Co-YU 215364 leg pad, D Co-YU 260327, E Co-FSB Betty, Recon-FSB Betty.	<u>JS</u>	<u>KB</u>
<u>18.</u>	<u>1600</u>		Bde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Red haze missions: TOT 0400 hrs all grid YU: #50-2040, 3040, 3030, 2030, #61-3040, 4000, 4030, 3030, #72-4040, 5040, 5030, 4030, 78-2030, 3030, 3020, 2020, 79-3030, 4030, 3020, 3020.	<u>JS</u>	<u>PD</u>
<u>19.</u>	<u>1605</u>		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: B Co 3rd plt is complete at FSB Betty at 1600 hrs.	<u>JS</u>	<u>PD</u>
<u>20.</u>	<u>1650</u>		B NCS/Bde NCS: Exposure Report for 16 Aug 70; C Co first sortie at 1330H, last sortie at		

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Continuation from page 3: 1630 hrs, started at 1315
hrs, ended at 1645 hrs, number of entries-08,
remarks-log.

JS

PD

21.

1705

Bn S-2/Bde S-2: VR Requests; D Co, A Co, C Co. Self-
for Request; #1-1938,1932,2838,2832. #2-2631,2623,
3331,3323. #3-2323,2318,3223,3218. #4-1133,1123,733,1723. JS

JS

PD

22.

1706

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Radar controlled alt strike went in
800 meters approximately south of A Co at 1610 hrs. JS

JS

PD

23.

1740

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Mortar Report; Line 1 - E - 20/20.
Line 1 - G - 2. Line 1 - H - 2. Line 2 - E - 1.
Line 2 - G - 1. Line 2 - H - 1.

JS

PD

24.

D Co/Bn NCS: YU 258327 found 15 bunkers 4'x2'
with negative overhead cover waved in, also
02 "L" shaped bunkers with negative recent use.
"L" shaped bunkers 4'x2' with 2' OHC. Also
01 8' diameter mortar pit and 01 GI steel pot.
YU 255329 GI trail northwest southeast 1' wide
used by 03 individuals in the last week, movement
northwest.

JS

DB

25.

1840

Bde S-2 Asst/Bn NCS: Sensor activation at YU
226368, 1825 hrs heavy.

JS

PD

26.

1845

All Unitd/Bn NCS: A Co- (Night location);

YU 314280. B Co-FSB Betty. C Co-YU 215363. D Co-

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26	1845		Continuation from page 4: YU 255329. E Co-FSB Betty. Recon-FSB Betty. Malaria; Green (A,B,C,D,E. Recon). Automatic ambushes; A Co 03 automatic ambushes conducted. ECo conducted negative automatic ambushes. CC Co conducted 03 automatic ambushes at night. D Co conducted 03 automatic ambushes at night. E Co-conducted negative ambushes at night. E Co Recon conducted negative automatic ambushes at night. Manned ambushes; A Co-- conducted 01 night ambushes, and 01 day ambushes. B Co conducted negative day or night ambushes. C Co-conducted negative day or night ambushes. D Co-conducted 01 day ambush, and negative night ambushes. E Co-conducted negative day or night ambushes. Recon conducted negative day or night ambushes. Dogs; A Co-negative. B Co-negative. C Co-01 dog in the field. D Co-negative dog. E Co-negative dog. Recon-negative dog. Snipers; A Co-negative. B Co-negative snipers. C Co-negative. D Co-negative. ECo-negative. Recon-negative. Manned day ambushes; A Co-sqd YU 319283. D Co-sqd YU 260326. Night ambushes Manned; ACo-YU 315282. D Co and C Co negative night manned ambushes.	JS	DB

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27.	1845		All Units/Bn NCS: PDS; A Co-03 OFF, 18 NCO, 75 EM. C Co-03 OFF, 14 NCO, 82 EM. D Co-02 OFF, 10 NCO, 84 EM. Comm-01 OFF, 03 NCO, 15 NCO. Battfinders; 03 EM. Engineers-01 OFF, 03 NCO, 08 EM. HHC & E Co-07 OFF, 22 NCO, 55 EM. Recon-06 NCO, 22 EM. Base Defense-04 OFF, 21 NCO, 52 EM. 105-04 OFF, 14 NCO, 37 EM. 155-04 OFF, 16 NCO, 63 EM.	JS	DB
28.	1915		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: SOI Change include Bde B-3 from 50.20 to 59.40.	JS	PD
29.	2015		Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Night Locations; A Co-5/7 Cav)- YU 288454, A Co 1st plt-YU 291454, B Co-FSB Snuffy. C Co-YU 269435, D Co-YU 422331. E Co-FSB Snuffy. 2/12 night locations; A Co-FSB Chris. B Co-YU 509834, C Co-YU 585234, D Co-FSB Jane, E Co-FSB Jane, 1sq-FSB Chris. E Co Recon-FSB Jane.	JS	PD
30.	2135		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Aircraft request for 17 Aug 70; (1) 01 UH1H for CC aircraft report to FSB Buttons at 0700 hrs and contact "Spongy Referm 15M" on 58.80 (comm rear) and pick up sertie for FSB Betty. Contact "Spongy Referm 42 (TGC RTO) on 50.65. Request aircraft have an extra "Y" cord and protective masks. (2) 01 UH1H for log same as CC. Also a sarge hook.	JS	PD

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31.	2135		Bn S-3 Air/Bde S-3 Air: Air strike for 77 th Aug 70; Target #1-LZ Construct at YU 197297, 5 kilometers to the east. Target #2-LZ Construct at YU 277303, 3.5 kilometers to the southwest. Ordnance 750 lb dummy cutter for Target #1#2.	JS	PD
32.	2200		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Tentative plans for 18 Aug 70: A Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to the west to vicinity grid YU 313280. B Co will conduct base defense at FSB Betty. C Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to the southwest to vicinity grid YU 213361. D Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to vicinity grid YU 255335. E Co(-)-base defense at FSB Betty. E Co Recon will conduct ground reconnaissance to the southeast to vicinity grid YU 215205.	JS	DB
33.	2200		Bn S-3/Bde S-3: Final plans for 17 Aug 70: A Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to the west then establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 311276. B Co will conduct ground recon at FSB Betty. C Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to the north, then establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 212358. D Co will conduct ground reconnaissance to the north, then establish NDP in vicinity grid YU 258336. E Co(-)-conduct base defense at FSB Betty.		

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Continuation from page 7: E Co Recon will see/ca

at 1300 hrs to YU 212298 from FSN Betty, then

conduct ground reconnaissance to the south

east, then establish MDP in vicinity grid YU 217296. JS

DB

34.

2245

Bde NCS/Bn NCS: Following SOI changes effective

170001AUG70; item #43C-10 3rd Bde B2 primary

57.60 to 42.40. Item #48A-10 8th Engine area command

primary 42.40 to 57.60.

JS

MD

35.

2350

Bde S-2 NCO/Bn NCS: FY YU 284305 heavy activation

time activated 2323 hrs, 18 rds 105 fired from

FSB Betty.

JS

DB

36.

2355

Bn NCS/Bde NCS: Verification of aircraft re-

quest; CC and log aircraft contact 15M on 58.80

at FSB Buttons. Pick up O1 sortie for FSB Betty.

Contact Reform 42 on 50.65. Request "Y" ocrd.

Log aircraft same as C^C aircraft. FSB Betty contact

13L on 58.80. Request aircraft crews have protective

masks.

JS

MD

37.

2359

DAILY SUMMARY: Cache; Negative. Air lifts;

Negative. Contacts; Negative. Significant

Events; Negative.

JS

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