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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
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1.	0001		Bn NCS: JOURNAL OPENS		JS BQ
2.	0035		83/ BnNMCS: Aircraft at YE 06456121 at 2257 hrs put in an air strike with 6 740lb daisy cutters.		JS BQ
3.	0900		B Co/ Bn NCS: AT XT 989669 B Co found the following items in a bunker complex and back logged them. 202 2 62 of white det. cord with non-electrical blasting caps attached. 23 non-electrical blasting caps. 1 AK47 magazine with 30 rounds in it. 9 additional AK rounds. 1 shovel. 1 pick. 50 ft of chi com claymore wire. 5 flash-light batteries attached together. 1 rice bag. 1 NVA rucksack. 1 canteen cup. 1 baseball cap. assorted medicine. 1 water proof bag. 2 pieces of plastic. 1 pr. of scissors. 2 spoons. 2 rods. 1/2 in dia and 1ft long. 1 black rice bag. small amount of rice wrapped in plastic. 1 empty plastic bottle. 1 bag of substance appears to be sand. 1 lb of documents.		JS LP
4.	0936		G-2/ Bn NCS: AIR MOVE. FE/SEC of G-2 Pz-YT 001682. Pz-FSB Carla. 1st Pz-0842 hrs. 1st Lz-0845 hrs. Pz clear at 0849 hrs. and lift complete at 0935 hrs. Sorties 5. Packs 27, aol 5, Acrft. 5+2.		JS LP
5.	1016		Pink Team 24/ Bn NCS: PINK TEAM tas-0900 hrs to work in area YT 0358 in blues area. At 0940 hrs to work in area YT 0760. At 0945 hrs. at YT 072608 found 1 EW		

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CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1: trail 2 ft wide with moderate recent use by 15 individuals within the last 24 hrs. Also 2 sets of motorcycle tracks running in both directions. EW trail runs from 072608 to 086606. At 0948 hrs at YT 076607 reports finding a camp area approx. 48 hrs. old, also trail in above had 15 individuals with sandals on it in last 12 hrs. TBS- 1015 hrs.

JS MD

6.

E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: AT 0943 Hrs. at YT 072608 to YT 086606 spotted 1 EW trail 2 ft wide used by 15 individuals in the last 24 hrs. Movement was in both directions. At 0948 hrs at YT 076607 spotted a small camp area with light to moderate use in the last 24 hrs. EW trail goes through the camp area and sandal tracks on the trail. At 0955 hrs at YT 075606 saw scattered trails with moderate to heavy use throughout the area in the last 24 hrs.

JS MD

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1100

B Co/ Bn NCS: AT 081600 B-1 reports finding the following: 10 bunkers 3x5 ft with 2ft overhead covering with hootches on top approx. 6 months old, well built and destroyed by air strike. 3 PRC batteries, 2 baskets, 4 1 gal jugs, 1 NVA canteen, 1 D handle shovel, 1 box of quinine, 2 bars of soap, 1 blue civilian type shirt, 1 camouflage shirt, 1 flashlight, 2 NVA ammo bandoliers, 61 AK res unexpended, 25 155mm canisters, 1 plastic rice container, 2 Ak mag.

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<u>7.</u>	<u>1100</u>		CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2: 5 lbs. rice 1 lb of salt. 1 sink, 1 belt, 2 ponchos, 1 pr. scissors, 1 water- proof bag, a few ft. of coon wire, 1 tube of LSA, 1 shaving kit, 1 bottle of bug juice, 21 blasting caps, 1 chicken coop 10x15 6 mos. old, all materials were used in the last week, but due to air strike cannot tell how recently area was in use.		<u>JS MD</u>
<u>8.</u>	<u>1130</u>		E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: AT 1110hrs. Y&E YT 094603 saw 1 EW trail 6 in wide used by 5 individuals in the last 24 hrs. Movement was to the west. At 1115 hrs at YT 091605 following the same trail found a rest area, 2 camp fires, wood piled up, used by the same 5 individuals in the last 24 hrs. At 1130 hrs at YT 072607 following the same trail found a river crossing used in the last 12 hrs. by the same 5 individuals.		<u>JS MD</u>
<u>9.</u>	<u>1222</u>		D-3 and G(*) / Bn NCS: AIR MOVE. At 0846 hrs D-3 SEQ/SEC of D-3. Pz- FSB Carla. Bz- Aerial Port PV. 1st Pz- 0846 hrs. 1st Lz-0907 hrs. Pz clear at 0850 hrs. Lift complete- 0913 hrs. Packs 38, Serties 7, Acfr. 5+2. Acl- 5. G(-) FX/Ca. Pz- YT-030674. Lz-XT 932720. 1st Pz-1108 hrs. 1st Lz-1124 hrs. Pz clear at 1217 hrs, and lift complete at 1222 hrs. Acl-5, packs 64, Acfr-3+2. Serties-12. Lz and Pz were green.		<u>JS DM</u>

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9.	1232		Pink Team 24/ Bn NCS: Pink Team 24 Tes- 1232 hrs. to work in VT 0760. At 1245 hrs at 059615 spotted 15 individuals and took ground to air, engaged with organics and 9 KBH. individuals were in heavy packs. <i>CASH TOS 1350 HRS. 2 B-57's.</i>		JS MD
10.	1350		E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: Babette 1515 hrs. at 212-579615 ordnance -18 750 lbs bombs. FDS-1515 hrs. PBS 1545 hrs. TOT 1515 hrs. at YT 925715 as RDA.		JS MD
11.	1424		E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: At 1405 at YT 062612 blues were inserted and 1x was green. At 1413 hrs at YT 062612 blues captured one POW.		JS MD
12.	1610		Brcn/ Bn NCS: AIR MOVE. E Rcn FE/SEC. Pz- YT 065535 Lz-FV. 1st Pz-1539 hrs, 1st Lz-1545 hrs, Pz clear at 1556 hrs and lift complete at 1605 hrs. Acl-5, Packs 31, Acft. 3+2, Sorties 6.		JS MD
13.	1700		D-1 and B-3 1-5/ Bn NCS: D-1 SEC/CA Pz-FV. Lz- YT 927556. 1st Pz- 1614 hrs, 1st Lz-1618 hrs, Pz- clear 1614 hrs, and lift completed at 1618 hrs. Acl-5, Acft. 6+2, Sorties 6. Pz and Lz were green. B-3 Pz- FV. Lz- YT 024487. 1st Pz was at 1639 hrs, 1st Lz -1643 hrs, Pz clear -1639 hrs, lift completed at 1643 hrs. Acft.-6+2, 6 sorties and Lz and pz were green.		JSMD
14.	1740		E 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: Blues extracted at 1725 hrs Pz green.		JS JD

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15.	1800		B 1/9 Cav/ Bn NCS: At 1714 hrs at YT 064615 blues were extracted and Lz-green. At 1750 hrs at XT 924716 BDA Air Strike destroyed 4 spider holes 2ft wide 20 72 air holes, 1 4 ft. tunnel entrance, 4 10x15 ft tin roofed hootches.		JS MD
16.	2311		Sensor plt/ Bn NCS: SENSOR ACTIVITY. AX 2023 heavy activation. At 2310 hrs. at YT 009499. engaged with 18 105 HE TOT 2323 hrs.		JS MD
17.	2330		All Units/ Bn NCS: NIGHT LOCATIONS. A Co Orion 5-7. B Co- XT 983669. C(-) XT 932721. C-2 FSB Carla. D Co- Stand Down Bien Hoa and E Ren is with them. 1-5 B-3 YT 023488 and D-1 XT 924557. B Co- had 2 AA. C(-) had 2 AA. and D-3 and D-1 1-5 had 2 AA apiece. All units had green on malaria. C(-), D-1 and D-3 each had one night ambushes out. All other units had negative on day and night ambushes. All units had negative on dogs and snipers.		JS MD
18.	2359		DAILY SUMMARY: NEGATIVE CONTACT. B Co found 2 small caches. See #3 and #7 for details. Air moves: C-2 Pz- YT 001682, Lz-FSB Carla. D-3 Pz-FSB Carla. Lz-Aerial Port PV. C(-) Pz- YT 030674. Lz-XT 982730. E Ren- Pz-YT 065535, Lz-PV. D-1 1-5, Pz- PV Lz-XT YT 927556. D-3 1-5 Pz-PV, Lz-YT 024487. Significant		

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