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| S-2-3 Section<br>2/17th Cavalry                           |                 | Camp Eagle, RVN<br>YD805168 | <table border="1"> <tr> <th colspan="2">FROM</th> <th colspan="2">TO</th> </tr> <tr> <th>HOUR</th> <th>DATE</th> <th>HOUR</th> <th>DATE</th> </tr> <tr> <td>0001</td> <td>18 Apr 69</td> <td>2400</td> <td>18 Apr 69</td> </tr> </table> |               |                   | FROM |  | TO |  | HOUR | DATE | HOUR | DATE | 0001 | 18 Apr 69 | 2400 | 18 Apr 69 |
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| 0001                                                      | 18 Apr 69       | 2400                        | 18 Apr 69                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |               |                   |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| ITEM NO.                                                  | TIME            |                             | INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.                                                                                                                                                                                                        | ACTION TAKEN  | INITIALS          |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
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| 1                                                         | 0001            |                             | Journal Opened.                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |               | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 2                                                         | 0100            | 0600                        | All ele report neg Sitrep.                                                                                                                                                                                                               | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 3                                                         | 0625            |                             | D/2-17 & D/1-1 amb closed Eagle, 1st light dep at 0745.                                                                                                                                                                                  | S. Div.       | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 4                                                         | 0845            |                             | First light closed Eagle neg rpt, Alert status White 1000.                                                                                                                                                                               | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 5                                                         | 0900            |                             | Ranger Tms 14 & 23 dep for insertion 23 inserted at<br>YC607936 at 0935 14 YC627933 inserted at 0954.                                                                                                                                    | S. Div.       | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 6                                                         | 1000            |                             | Flight Time: UHLH 14+5 OH6A 16+25 AH1G 10+45 UHLG 3.                                                                                                                                                                                     | File          | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 7                                                         | 1030            |                             | Cav Tm working in ASHAU now.                                                                                                                                                                                                             | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 8                                                         | 1145            |                             | Ranger Tms at YC607953 Tm 23, YC627953 Tm 14.                                                                                                                                                                                            | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 9                                                         | 1400            |                             | Weather warning thunder storms from 1400 to 2200<br>winds fr 15-20 knots notified all troops.                                                                                                                                            | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 10                                                        | 1430            |                             | D/1-1 1 Cav Tm dep for 2d Bde AO. arrived at 1500<br>but weather was too bad so they rtnd to Eagle.                                                                                                                                      | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 11                                                        | 1500            |                             | 2 Tms dispatched to look for 1st Bde LOH vic FB Brick.                                                                                                                                                                                   | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 12                                                        | 1805            |                             | D/2-17 amb dep Eagle, 1815 last light dep closed again<br>at 1910 neg <del>XXX</del> rpt.                                                                                                                                                | S. Div.       | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 13                                                        | Late Entry 1600 |                             | BD & 2/502 called due to amb site YD804139.                                                                                                                                                                                              | S. Div.       | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 14                                                        | 2050            |                             | Received call from CP that a LOH was thought to have<br>crashed at YD812173 D/1-1 standing by to help.                                                                                                                                   | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 15                                                        | 2105            |                             | Snatch Tm launched, closed again at 2115 tm not<br>needed for downed aircraft.                                                                                                                                                           | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 16                                                        | 2140            |                             | C ARP will go under OPCON D/2-327 at 1100 hrs.                                                                                                                                                                                           | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |
| 17                                                        | 2200            | 2400                        | All ele report neg Sitrep.                                                                                                                                                                                                               | S.            | CE                |      |  |    |  |      |      |      |      |      |           |      |           |

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| S-2-3 Section<br>2/17th Cavalry |      | Camp Eagle, RVN<br>YD805168 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | FROM<br>HOUR DATE<br>0001 18 Apr 69 |          |  |  |
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| 18                              | 2300 |                             | Spot Reports for 18 April: 0700 YC697903 obs stream crossing. 1015 YC715915 obs small base camp w/fighting psns. 1025 YD607953 heard movement & small blast all the above ranger activity. 1100 YD357077 D/1-1 obs hut & dest. 1120 YD362068 D/1-1 obs 2 huts & 4 bunkers. 1130 YD362068 D/1-1 obs 4 huts burned 2 & 2 bnkrns nearby. 1145 YD359078 D/1-1 obs trail & 2 huts & 2 bnkrns. 1550 YD366070 obs 6 huts & 2 bnkrns. 1700 YC721971 obs 2 55 gal drums, 1550 YC723971 obs 2 men on trail unable to engage.                                                        |                                     |          |  |  |
| 19                              |      |                             | Summary: A/2-17 Cav: ARP OPCON to B/1-327 Inf. B/2-17 Cav: ARP OPCON to D/2-506 Inf. C/2-17 Cav: ARP OPCON to D/1-327 Inf. D/2-17 Cav: 1st Plt prov RRF for Eagle & Rangers. 2d Plt prov convoy scty at HAI VAN PASS. 3d Plt cond an amb vic YD804139. D/1-1 Cav: Supported Ranger insertions West of SPEAR. Conducted recon of suspected enemy base area vic YD3708. Dest 5 huts. Obs numerous bunkers in same general area. ARP staged. Co. L, 75th Inf: Inserted Tm 14 vic YC627953. Inserted Tm 23 at YC607955. Maintained Tms 15, 22, & 27 East & South of RB Spear. |                                     |          |  |  |
|                                 |      |                             | DAILY RESULTS:<br>(I) VC/NVA Cas: None.<br>(II) VC/NVA POW/DETAINES: None.<br>(III) VC/NVA Equip: 5 huts dest.<br>(IV) US Cas: None.<br>(V) US Equip: None.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                     |          |  |  |
| 20                              | 2400 |                             | Journal Closed.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                     |          |  |  |

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