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FROM: CO, 2/17th Cavalry

TO: CG, 101st Abn Div (Ambl)

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1. (U) 2nd Squadron, 17th Cavalry INTSUM 183-70
2. (U) 012000H to 022000H July 1970
3. (C) Summary of enemy activity

a. Air Activity

(1) 020705H vic YC756887, B Trp obs 10-12 2x3x3' fighting psns and 3 5x7' bunkers w/act in the last 1 wk.

(2) 020710H vic YC753885, B Trp obs 9 5x7' bunkers and 15-25 2x3x3' fighting psns w/act in the last 1 wk.

(3) 020725H vic YC768898, B Trp obs 3 8x10' huts w/act in the last 2 wks. Area was eng w/frag grenade. Res: 1 secondary explosion.

(4) 020840H vic YC663849, B Trp obs 2 75x100 meter tomato fields w/act in the last 3-4 days.

(5) 020915H vic YC666842, B Trp obs 2 50x50' cult fields w/act in the last 3-4 days.

(6) 020837H vic YC670850, B trp obs a 30x50' cult field w/act in the last 12 hrs.

(7) 020840H vic YC673877, B Trp obs a 4x4' hut w/act in the last 1 wk.

(8) 020843H vic YC680902, B Trp obs 5 2x4' fighting psns w/act in the last 3-4 days.

(9) 020853H vic YC622904, B Trp obs a 15x15' log const bridge, 4 6x8' bunkers and 2 10x12' huts w/act in the last 3 days.

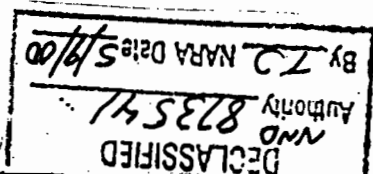
(10) 020854H vic YC635830, B Trp obs 8 4x4' bunkers and a trail 1' wide oriented N-S w/act in the last 12-24 hrs.

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(11) 020856H via YC668851, B Trp OH6A AAR msn recd 3-4 rds SAF at 90° and 30 km w/neg hits. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res;

(12) 020900H via YC668851, B Trp obs 1 NVA in the open. Area was eng w/gunships. Res: 1 NVA KBH Cav.

(13) 021040H via YC623827, C Trp obs trail 1' wide oriented NW-SE w/act in the last 1 wk.

(14) 021050H via YC606825, C Trp obs 2 10x15' huts and 8 6x10' bunkers w/act in the last 1 wk.

(15) 021055H via YC603836, C Trp obs trail 1½' wide oriented SW-NE w/act in the last 72 hrs.

(16) 021100H via YC635813, C Trp obs 3 6x8' bunkers w/act in the last 1 wk.

(17) 021105H via YC625822, C Trp obs 3 50x75 meter cult fields w/act in the last 1 wk.

(18) 021107H via YC627826, C Trp obs 10 8x10' bunkers, a 4x4' tunnel ent and an 8x10' hut prev dest w/neg rec act.

(19) 021110H via YC625827, C Trp obs 6 8x10' bunkers w/rec act.

(20) 021115H via YC626833, C Trp obs 3 20x50 meter cult fields w/act in the last 1 wk.

(21) 021118H via YC620809, C Trp obs 6 6x8' bunkers w/act in the last 1 wk.

(22) 021130H via YC606838, C Trp obs trail 3' wide oriented NW-SE w/act in the last 48 hrs.

(23) 021132H via YC603811, C Trp obs 4 6x8' bunkers w/act in the last 48 hrs.

(24) 021135H via YC604830, C Trp obs 10 6x8' bunkers w/neg rec act.

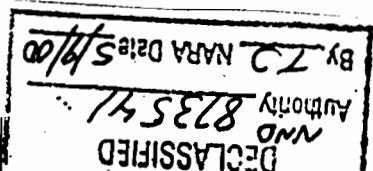
(25) 021137H via YC607828, C Trp obs 2 6x8' bunkers w/act in the last 24 hrs.

(26) 020827H via YC813958, C Trp obs a 50x100 meter cult field and 2 25x50 meter cult fields w/act in the last 24 hrs.

(27) 021100H via YD406133, C Trp obs a 3x4' tunnel ent w/act in the last 24 hrs.

(28) 021110H via YD418128, C Trp obs 8 6x8' bunkers w/act in the last 24 hrs.

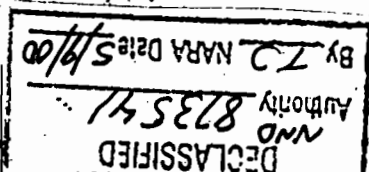
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- (29) 021310H vic YG702725, B Trp obs trail 3' wide oriented E-W w/act in the last 24 hrs.
- (30) 021315H vic YC702725, B Trp OH6A AAR msn reed 7-8 rds SAF at 20' and 50 kn. A/C reed 1 hit in the bubble and the main rotor blade w/neg cas. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res. A/C rtnd to Eagle (non-flyable).
- (31) 021420H vic YC740765, B Trp OH6A AAR msn reed 15 rds SAF at 1000' and 70 kn w/neg hits. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res.
- (32) 021442H vic YC699728, B Trp OH6A AAR msn reed 20-30 rds SAF at 30' and 40 kn w/neg hits. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res.
- (33) 021430H vic YC691764, B Trp OH6A AAR msn reed 8 rds SAF at 50' and 60 kn w/neg hits. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res.
- (34) 021450H vic YC686769, B Trp OH6A AAR msn reed 40-50 rds SAF at 200' and 50 kn w/neg hits. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res.
- (35) 021455H vic YC705729, B Trp OH6A AAR msn reed 15 rds SAF at 50' and 60 kn. A/C sustained 1 hit in the left side of the fusilage. Neg cas. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res. A/C rtnd to Eagle (non-flyable).
- (36) 021435H vic YC702738, B Trp obs trail 2' wide oriented N-S w/act in the last 12 hrs.
- (37) 021440H vic YC700738, B Trp obs trail 2' wide oriented N-S w/act in the last 12 hrs.
- (38) 021510H vic YD2905, C Trp AH1G AAR msn reed 10 rds SAF at 500' and 150 kn. Neg hits or cas. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res.
- (39) 021515H vic YD291078, C Trp AH1G AAR msn reed 10 rds 12.7mm fire at 300' and 140 kn. Neg hits or cas. Area was eng w/gunships w/unk res.
- (40) 021445H vic YD413021, C Trp obs trail 2' wide oriented N-S w/act in the last 24 hrs.
- (41) 021450H vic YD411021, C Trp obs 4 6x8' bunkers, 1 10x15' hut and an old campfire site w/act in the last 24 hrs.
- (42) 021452H vic YD412012, C Trp obs a 6x8' bunker w/2x3' ent w/act in the last 24 hrs.
- (43) 021455H vic YD399035, C Trp obs a 10x15' hut nad a 10x15' hut frame w/act in the last 48 hrs.
- (44) 021545H vic YD2905, C Trp obs 4 NVA wearing green uniforms. Area was eng w/gunships. Res: 4 NVA KBH Cav.
- (45) 021555H vic XD763409, A Trp obs 1 NVA wearing green uniform. En obs the A/C and fled in an unk dir before the tm reed clearance to fire in the area.

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(46) 021610H vic XD745410, A Trp obs a log const fish trap which was prev part dest w/undet act.

(47) 021750H vic YD365184, C Trp OH6A AAR msn read 10 rds SAF at 800' and 90 km. Neg hits or cas. Area was eng w/gunships w/unlk res.

(48) 021645H vic YC688764, B Trp AH1G AAR msn read 6 rds 12.7mm fire at 600' and 140 km. Neg hits or cas. Area was eng w/gunships. Res: 1 secondary explosion. A/S was employed w/unlk res. B Trp UH1H landed and picked up the 12.7mm MG. Res: 1 CSWC.

b. Ground Activity

(1) 0745H vic XD770410, Rgr tm MAVERICK heard woodchopping from vic XD768410.

(2) 021000H vic XD770410, Rgr tm MAVERICK heard several signal shots from vic XD768410.

(3) 021140H vic XD802428, Rgr tm OPEL obs 3 NVA/VC moving to the N.

(4) 021330H vic XD767413, Rgr tm MAVERICK obs 3-4 NVA/VC 30 meters to their SW. Requested Cav pink tm. Res: Neg.

(5) 021500H vic XD805427, Rgr tm OPEL obs 1 NVA/VC wearing dark green uniform moving to the N.

(6) 021715H vic XD770406, Rgr tm MAVERICK heard woodchopping to their S.

(7) 021700H vic XD805419, Rgr tm OPEL disc a trail 1-2' wide oriented N-S w/act in the last 48 hrs.

4. (C) Enemy personnel and equipment losses: 2 secondary explosions and 1 12.7mm MG captured.

a. 5 NVA KBE

b. By US Forces (Total for operation TEXAS STAR)

(1) $\frac{248}{KIA}$ $\frac{248}{NVA}$ $\frac{00}{NVA/VC POW}$

(2) and (3) Omitted

(4) $\frac{25}{IWC}$ $\frac{02}{CSWC}$

5. APD MSN: Neg

6. SPECIAL ROUTE RECON: All rtes show no change from last report.

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