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OO, 2/17th Cavalry

OO, 101st Air Div (Asst)
ATTN: G-3

SUBJECT: Commander's Situation Report

a. HHC Provided 1 UH1H for ranger overflight for suspected location base. Provided GAG ship for Chongson location which would HAF via TROUBLE with no/night. Engaged with AAA with no/night. At about 1000H the crew HAF was HAF with no/night. Engaged with AAA & complete weapons w/night. At about 1000H the crew HAF was HAF with no/night. Engaged AAA without results. 1 UH1H conducted search at about 1000H & 1000H with 3 hours at each location.

b. Troop A HAF searched in search of A/C weapons at Camp 1. Provided 2 UH1H for the base with 154 HAF via TROUBLE. The HAF was not and HAF was HAF with no/night. Provided 1 UH1H for extraction of the base via TROUBLE. The HAF was not with HAF and no/night. Provided 1 HAF for extraction of the base to provide covering support and fire support. Provided direct support to Co 1 7th Inf. Troop B in search of. Conducted VI work of O'Clock until search was over by inclement weather. Conducted HAF of 1000 and 1000 with results compiled as described to G-3 HHC.

c. Troop B HAF searched at Camp 2 in response to demand A/C. Provided direct and left light for HAF via TROUBLE, TROUBLE and TROUBLE with no/night. Provided 1 gunship as escort for ranger overflight of suspected location base. 2 UH1H was unable to perform HAF of A/C via TROUBLE because of inclement weather. Provided 2 HAF for left light of search HAF over suspected enemy radar locations. HAF search activity found was a minimum of 2 weeks old.

d. Troop C HAF searched at the base in response to demand A/C. Provided 1 UH1H, 3 HAF Troop, and 4 UH1H for location and extraction of the base via TROUBLE. Troop was at about 1000H with 154 HAF via TROUBLE. The HAF was not receiving HAF via TROUBLE and HAF with no/night. The HAF was also not receiving HAF with no/night. Attempted to conduct HAF of 1000 & 1000, but were aborted because of inclement weather. Attempted extraction of Troop Troop England & Troop Troop but planned extraction was cancelled because of inclement weather.

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e. Troop D Provided gun jeep escort for HAF via. Had one platform HAF Camp 1.

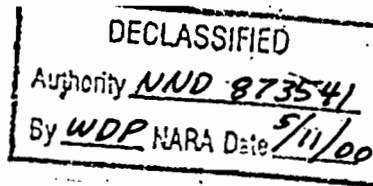
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1. Co L 79th Inf Maintained two teams in northern AO. Provided 1 officer and 10 enlisted men as advisors for the two insertion of Special Forces. Planned operations of Ranger Two England & Delphinus were cancelled because of inclement weather.

2. (C) Main Summary

Try A: 1. AIF remains at Quang Tri in response to General A's.

2. Contact extraction of Ranger in Austria at first light & return to southern base.

3. Contact HQ's of TRI-79th, TRI-79th, TRI-79th, TRI-79th.

4. Contact VR of special extraction with particular interest in road running in northern edge of AO extraction.

Try B: 1. AIF to remain at Camp Eagle in response to General A's.

2. VR out of BIRTH in AO extraction via Hiep.

3. First and last light FSB Lee Hays, Thanh, coast 6 AM. FSB 5 AM & AM-001 coast 6 AM.

Try C: 1. Supply 1 A/Commander for Ranger insertion 0010, will return HQ until 2170.

2. AIF remains at Nam Hai in response to General A's.

3. Contact last light of Ranger last 1000-1000.

4. Contact HQ of Ranger TRI-79th, 1975, TRI-79th, 1975.

Try D: 1. Provide gun jump coast for 21 Etn.

2. One platoon, remain at Camp Eagle, HQ.

Co L 79th Inf: 1. Maintain 3 Teams in Division AO.

2. Contact Extraction of Austria.

3. Item 12. No change