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FROM: CG, 2/17th Cavalry
TO: CG, 101st Abn Div (amb!)

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1. (U) 2nd Squadron, 17th Cavalry INFSUM 16-71
2. (U) 142000H to 152000H February 1971
3. (C) Summary of enemy activity

a. Air Activity:

(1) 151930H vic YC884948, B Twp UH1H in response to Rgr Tm CHARLOTTE MEDIVACED 1 US WIA (McGuire Rig) in route to 85th EVLC.

(2) 151952 vic YD948168, B Twp UH1H on MEDIVAC man on ground control approach to Phu Bai at 3.2 nautical miles E. 072 radial at 1600' and east 60 km disappeared from radar scope.

(3) 152010H vic YD948168, B Twp UH1H in spot report #2 found to have crashed this location w/neg survivors. Res: 7 US KIA.

b. Ground Activity:

(1) 150500H vic YC821918, Rgr Tm BROKEN BOW obs 2 flashlights moving down ridge 500-700 meters to SE of their position.

(2) 151115H vic YC838687, Rgr Tm KNOXVILLE obs remains of squad size element (US or ARVN) of 3 personnel (very old, poss same as reported May 70). Equipment consisted of 3 ponchos, bones of 3 personnel, undet no claymore wpons, 2 PRC-25, and 10-15 canteens. Radios riddled w/bullet holes and equipment in very poor cond.

(3) 151250H vic YC874917, Rgr Tm NIAGARA obs 2 NVA/VC wearing green uniforms and carrying AK47s 10-15 meters to S of their position on trail oriented N-S. Eng w/organic w/unlk res.

(4) 151830H vic YC884943, Rgr Tm CHARLOTTE recd 1 rd mortar or grenade w/res: 1 US WIA.

(5) 151840H vic YC884948, Rgr Tm CHARLOTTE reported contact on all sides. Tm recd AK47 and mortar fire w/neg further cas. Eng w/organic wpons.

(6) 151930H vic YC884948, Rgr Tm CHARLOTTE personnel wounded (spot report #4) MEDIVACED by B Twp UH1H (McGuire Rig) in route to 85th EVLC (Ref spot reports 1, 2, and 3, Air Activity). Personnel had shrapnel wounds in back and kidney.

4. (C) Enemy personnel and equipment losses

a. Negative.

b. Negative.

c. By 2/17th Cavalry (Total for operation JEFFERSON GLEN)

(1)	430	430	00
	KIA	NVA	NVA/VC POW
(2)	and	(3)	Omitted.
(4)	04	01	
	IWC	CSWC	

5. APD MISSION: Negative.

6. ROUTE RECON: Negative.

DRAFTER: REX R. WALKER
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RELEASER: JOHN H. BLACK
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*(54) 131700H vic XD668483, C 2/17 AH1G AIR nsn recd 30 rds SAF at 300' and 160 km, neg hits. Eng w/gp w/unlk res.

*(55) 131610H vic XD584296, HAC BAO recovered 2 US KIA from Crash of B 7/1 UH1H.

(56) 131630H vic XD657404, C 7/17 obs 10 trails 3' wide oriented N-S also 1 5x10' hut and 1 20x20' cultivated field w/act 24-48 hrs. Eng w/gp. Res: hut dest.

*(57) 131510H vic XD575314, B 7/1 Pink tn and UH1Hs recd undet ant 12.7mm and 37mm fire on HAC BAO insertion, neg hits. Eng w/gp w/ARA w/ARTY and w/TAC AIR. Res: 2 12.7mm and 1 37mm dest, 2 secondaries and 2 10x01' concrete bunkers dest.

*(58) 131700H vic XD962270, A 2/17 AH1G AIR nsn recd 1 rd S F a 140' and 120 km. A/C recd 1 hit fuel cell. A/C returned to Khe Sanh nonflyable, neg cas. A/C #6817108. Eng w/gp w/unlk res.

(59) 131345H vic XD836429, C 7/17 obs trail 1 1/2' wide oriented E-W w/ signs of 8-10 personnel moving W in the last 8-12 hrs.

(60) 131700H vic XD6648, C 2/17 BDA of A/S incomplete due to hvy SAF and 12.7mm fire recd and A/C hit.

(61) 131500H vic XD 650412 and XD6538, C 7/17 VR of area reveals neg results.

(62) 131300H vic XD5054, C 7/17 VR reveals neg act. Canopy very heavy.

4. (C) Enemy personnel and equipment losses.

a. 12 NVN KBH. 2 WATER BUFFALO KBH

b. 2 12.7mm dest. 5 huts dest

c. By 2/17 Cavalry (Total for operation J. PETERSON MISSION)

(1) $\frac{392}{INVA}$ - $\frac{392}{KIA}$ $\frac{00}{NVN/VC POW}$

(2) and (3) Omitted.

(4) $\frac{04}{TVC}$ $\frac{01}{CSWC}$

5. APD MISSION: Negative.

6. ROUTE RECON: Negative.

7. UPDATES: (1) Ref spot report #22, 2/17 Cav INTSUM 41-71 should read "XD565498"

(2) Ref spot report #21, 2/17 Cav INTSUM 41-71 entered in error.

(3) Ref para 4 subpara b, 2/17 Cav INTSUM 41-71 should read "4 trucks dest and 3 12.7mm dest."

(4) 121110H vic XD671490, C 2/17 AH1G recd fire from 2 12.7mm pns. Eng w/organic wpns and dest 1 12.7mm wpn.

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- (25) 130840H vic KD688496, C 2/17 obs 1 UC 2/17 psn w/act 24 hrs.
- (26) 130842H vic KD667488, C 2/17 obs trail 2' wide oriented NW-SE w/act 12 hrs.
- (27) 130846H vic KD672488, C 2/17 obs 6" holes caved in by prev A/S.
- (28) 130850H vic KD672488, C 2/17 obs tube shaped obj 6"x4' O.D. in color w/undet act. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.
- (29) 130900H vic KD667479, C 2/17 obs 1 5' dia hole also 10 2x3' fighting psns w/act 24 hrs.
- *(30) 131028H vic KD595570, C 2/17 OH6A AR msn recd 40-50 rds 12.7mm at 100' and 90 km also 60 rds SAF, neg hits. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.
- *(31) 131029H vic KD589506, C 2/17 OH6A AR msn recd 50-60 rds 12.7mm at 50' and 90 km, neg hits. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.
- (32) 131027H vic KD600503, C 2/17 obs 1 2x2x4' wood box w/undet act.
- (33) 131028H vic KD604503, C 2/17 obs signs of tracked vehicle moving undet direc last 8-12 hrs.
- (34) 131055H vic KD645408, C 2/17 obs trail 2' wide oriented N-S w/signs of 3 personnel moving N in the last 6-8 hrs.
- *(35) 131300H vic KD610502, C 2/17 obs 1 12.7mm and 1 37mm also 10 crates of ammo. Eng w/A/S. Res: 1 12.7mm, 1 37mm dest and 1 sustained fire by AF.
- (36) 131305H vic KD602502, C 2/17 obs 1 UO 2/17 psn also 3 boxes w/neg rec act.
- (37) 131310H vic KD607499, C 2/17 obs sandbagged area w/act 24 hrs. (NFI)
- (38) 131315H vic KD609500, C 2/17 obs trail 2' wide oriented N-S w/act 24 hrs.
- (39) 131320H vic KD619499, C 2/17 obs 5 2x3' boxes also tracked vehicle tracks undet direc w/undet act (NFI).
- *(40) 131321H vic KD607499, C 2/17 OH6A AR msn recd 30 rds SAF at 15' and 60 km, neg hits. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.
- *(41) 131115H vic KD469412, C 7/17 AH6A AR msn recd 200-300 rds 12.7mm from 3 12.7mm at 140' and 120 km. A/C recd 1 hit in hydraulics, neg cas. A/C made precautionary landing LZ A UO1. A/C rigged to Khe Sanh nonflyable at 1300H A/C #6615327. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.
- (42) 131400H vic KD599260, A 2/17 obs 1 20x20' garage made bamboo also 1 5x5' bunker also 1 15x15' hut w/tent roof w/act 24-48 hrs.
- (43) 131330H vic KD620515, C 2/17 obs 1 20x35' log bridge also 10 empty boxes also signs of tracked vehicle moving E in the last 2 days.
- *(44) 131445H vic KD671477, C 2/17 OH6A AR msn recd undet ant 12.7mm and SAF. A/C recd 1 12.7mm thru bottom fuselage and thru radios and 1 hit SAF thru bottom fuselage, neg cas. A/C #6614390. A/C returned to Khe Sanh nonflyable. A/C at 50' and 70 km. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.
- *(45) 131440H vic KD668483, C 2/17 obs 12.7mm and 5 ammo boxes. Eng w/gs. Res: 1 12.7mm dest.
- (46) 131445H vic KD667485, C 2/17 obs fire in area w/white smoke. Eng w/gs. Res: Smoke turned black.
- (47) 131515H vic KD972263, A 2/17 obs undet no. 8x10' huts and bunkers w/act 24 hrs. Eng w/gs. Res: 2 huts dest.
- (48) 131530H vic KD982291, A 2/17 obs trail 2' wide oriented E-W w/act 24 hrs. w/signs of 25-30 personnel moving undet direc.
- (49) 131515H vic KD991268, A 2/17 obs 2 more field w/small fires burning and trail network oriented E-W w/act 24 hrs.
- (50) 131520H vic KD975265, A 2/17 obs undet no. ponchos on stream bank also trail 1 1/2' wide oriented E-W w/act 24 hrs.
- *(51) 131535H vic KD990264, A 2/17 obs 2 8x10' huts, 2 water buffalo. Eng w/gs. Res: 2 water buffalo KBH and 2 huts dest.
- (52) 131540H vic KD992251, A 2/17 obs undet no. bunkers also signs of undet no. personnel moving E in the last 36 hrs.
- *(53) 131625H vic KD972265, A 2/17 AH6A AR msn recd 10-15 rds SAF at 300' and 160 km, neg hits. Eng w/gs w/unlk res.

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