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AVDG-89-2

28 April 1971

FROM: CO, 2/17th Cavalry

TO: CG, 101st Abn Div (Ambl)

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1. (U) 2/17th Cavalry LHMJUN 118-71.
2. (U) 272000Z to 202000Z April 1971.
3. (G) Summary of enemy activity:
 - a. Air activity:
 - (1) 201001Z via YD974289, A 2/17 obs 1 H&AF, 7 bunkers dest, 6 to 8 bunkers destroyed.
 - (2) 201103Z via YD972288, A 2/17 obs old 1/4 psn. act 1 wk.
 - (3) 201330Z via YD980291, A 2/17 obs 2nd wide trail, hard packed, oriented NE-W, w/act 24 hrs.
 - (4) 201401Z via YD982290, A 2/17 obs 10 bunkers, 6'x8', log reinforced, 4 huts, 12'x20', w/act 3 to 5 hrs.
 - (5) 201500Z via YD964289, A 2/17 obs 12 bunkers, log reinforced, 8 tunnels w/4'x4' ent, undet act.
 - (6) 201520Z via YD974288, A 2/17 obs bulldozer park. Grease stains on logs.
 - (7) 201530Z via YD977291, A 2/17 obs 4 huts, 16'x20', and 10 bunkers w/2'x4' ent. Eng w/act 24 hrs.
 - (8) 201600Z via YD339045, B 2/17 obs 7 trails, 1' wide, oriented NE-W, w/act 24 hrs.
 - (9) 201601Z via YD405948, B 2/17 obs 1' wide trail, NE-W, w/act 24 hrs.
 - (10) 201550Z via YD20093, B 2/17 obs 4'x6' metal object, pos cover for ventilation unit, w/act 24 hrs.
 - (11) 201600Z via YD331004, B 2/17 obs another metal object, 4'x6', same as spot rpt # 10.
 - (12) 201600Z via YD169201, B 2/17 obs signs of 2 to 3 pers last 72 hrs.
 - (13) 201600Z via YD13004 via YD151247, YD12311, YD16503, YD162247, YD175201. A 2/17 obs no signs of enemy activity at these coord. spots.
 - (14) 201600Z via YD16019, B 2/17 obs 3'x1' fields w/signs of act in last month.
 - (15) 201600Z via YD260900, C 2/17 obs bundle of bamboo 5' in dia w/neg rec act.
 - (16) 201600Z via YD97705, C 2/17 LOH crew picked up the smell of ammonia in this area but unable to determine if anything was present due to heavy vegetation.
 - (17) 201600Z via YD15930, C 2/17 obs 3' trail oriented E-W w/act 1 wk.
 - (18) 201600Z via YD622129, B 2/17 obs undet number of 3'x3' fighting psns. Act 6 hrs.
 - (19) 201600Z via YD606137, B 2/17 obs 5 to 6 fighting psns, 3'x5'. Act 24 hrs.
 - (20) 201600Z via YD608133, B 2/17 obs 1' wide trail, NE-W, w/act 12 hrs.
 - (21) 201600Z via YD695129, B 2/17 obs junction of 3' and 1' wide trails, oriented SE, signs of 15 pers last 24 hrs.

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(22) 281211Z vic YD603128, B 2/17 obs 2' wide trail, oriented NW-SE, w/signs of 5 pers last 24 hrs.

(23) 281212Z vic YD610139, B 2/17 obs 1' wide trail, oriented NW-SE, w/act last 12 hrs.

(24) 281217Z vic YD611138, B 2/17 obs 15 fighting psns, 3'x5'. Act 12 hrs.

(25) 281226Z vic YD602132, B 2/17 obs 10 fighting psns, 3'x5'. Act 6 hrs.

(26) 281335Z vic YD105171, A 2/17 obs 6 huts, 8'x10'. Act 2 to 4 hrs.

(27) 281340Z vic XD095185, A 2/17 obs 2' wide trail, oriented N-S, w/signs of 3 to 5 pers last 3 to 4 hrs.

(28) 281345Z vic XD092185, A 2/17 obs 6 fighting psns, 2'x3', and a 2' wide trail, oriented N-S, w/act in area last 2 to 4 hrs.

(29) 281450Z vic YD105195, A 2/17 obs 2' wide trail, oriented NW-SE, and 12 fighting psns, 2'x3', and a 6'x10' mat. Act 72 hrs.

(30) 281420Z vic YD102185, A 2/17 obs 3 mats, 4'x6'. Act 72 hrs.

(31) 281440Z vic YD101202, A 2/17 obs a tunnel and 2 bunkers, 8'x10'. Tunnel had a 2'x4' ent. Act 72 hrs.

(32) 281510Z vic YC459905, B 2/17 obs bridge dest by Agr rebuilt of PSP (NPT)

(33) 281520Z vic YC392933, B 2/17 reports 2 active 12.7mm obs by 1st Bde Pink Tm. Tm unable to VR due to weather.

(34) 281515Z vic YX839826, C 2/17 obs 2' wide trail running N-W w/act 4 days.

(35) 281520Z vic YC882844, C 2/17 obs 1' wide trail oriented E-W w/signs of 1-2 personnel mov under air w/act 24 hrs.

(36) 281525Z vic YC885852, C 2/17 obs 1' wide trail oriented E-W w/act 24 hrs.

(37) 281530Z vic YC893876, C 2/17 obs 1' wide trail oriented N-S w/act 72 hrs.

(38) 281535Z vic YC890874, C 2/17 obs 2' wide trail oriented N-S w/act 24 hrs.

(39) 281600Z vic YC876858, C 2/17 obs 1 5x10' hut. Eng/ps Res: 1 hut dest.

(40) 281625Z vic YD073233, A 2/17 BDA of A/S reveals 1 NVA KMAF. NVA was wearing black uniforms w/neg wmn.

(41) 281425Z vic YD0032, 0532, 0033, 0333, A 2/17 reports neg rec act in this area.

(42) 281445Z vic YD102202, A 2/17 BDA of A/S reveals 2 bunkers, 1 motor and UO AA/AF psn w/neg wmn.

(43) 281530Z vic XD095204, A 2/17 BDA of A/S reveals 6 bunkers dest, 2 huts dest and 2 NVA KMAF.

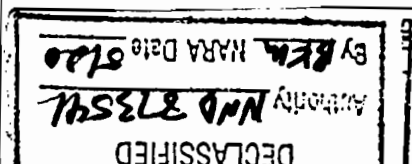
(44) 281530Z vic YD101201, A 2/17 obs UO AA/AF psn and 1 8x10' bunker. Eng/ps w Res: 1 bunker dest and 1 UO AA/AF psn dest.

(45) 281540Z vic YD095204, A 2/17 obs 1 10x20' hut w/canvas roof, also obs 3 storage pits 10x20'x6'. These pits contained 15-20 of what appeared to be small arms boxes, 2 sets of khaki uniforms, 2 sets of black pajamas, 1 white shirt, 2 red shorts, and 6 2x4' bunkers.

(46) 281645Z vic YD085199, A 2/17 obs 2 10x18' huts, 6 8x10' bunkers, 6 8x10' pits, 6 2x4' boxes. Eng/ps and Air Strikes. Res: 1 hut dest by Gav, 1 hut dest by A/S, 4 boxes dest by A/S, 1 secondary explosion.

(47) 281655Z vic YD001201, A 2/17 obs 12 10x12' bunkers w/4x7' openings w/neg rec act.

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- (48) 281900H vic YD738090, G 2/17 obs 2' wide trail oriented E-W w/act 2-4 days.
- (49) 281910H vic YD750109, G 2/17 obs pos bunker or hut under double canopy that appeared to be 6x6' w/3' opening w/neg roc act.

4. (C) Enemy personnel and equipment losses.

- a. 4 NVA KIAF
- b. 16 bunkers dest by A/F, 6-8 bunkers damaged by A/F, 3 huts dest by A/F, 4 boxes dest by A/F, 1 sec and 1 hut dest by Cav.

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

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| (1) | <u>971</u> | <u>971</u> | <u>02</u> |
| | KIA | NVA | NVA/VN POW |
| (2) | and | (3) | Omitted. |
| (4) | <u>19</u> | <u>07</u> | |
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