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Subject: Commander's Situation Report

MHT: Five admin flights, used five UH1H's.

A 2/17: VR around Leatherneck, used HP/C. Sensor mission and VR RT 616, used HP/C. VR Vic Da Krong Valley, used HP/C. Log run, used two AH1G's. Admin flight, used one LOH. Test flight used one LOH.

B 2/17: First light, used one LOH. IRP for A 2/17, used one UH1H. VR of RE 4, used two AH1G's and one UH1H. VR RE 5, used two UH1H's. ARF practice insertion, five UH1H's and one LOH. Log run, used one LOH and two LOH's.

C 2/17: VR of RE 6, used HP/C. VR of RE 7, used HP/C. Test flight, one AH1G. White team to fly Rocket Belt.

D 2/17: Troop training.

L CO: Debbie extracted, inserted and extraction. Norma extracted.

Subject: Planned Summary

MHT: 1. C2C on standby 0730.

2. One aircraft to RT 0830 for ASC. Aircraft will return.

A 2/17: 1. Support Cav Recon. 1 fuel load. a. VR trail T-4 and areas to north and south of trail.

- (1) Determine the extent of enemy activity in the area.
- (2) Locate roads/trails which are truck trafficable.
- (3) Locate suitable interdiction points.

NOTE: COLLATERAL LOCATION OF B12th REPT.

2. Support Cav Recon. 2 fuel loads. a. VR Da Krong River Valley between PB Shepherd and PB Tim Taverna.

- (1) Determine the extent, direction and type of enemy trail/stream activity in area.
- (2) Determine status of road north from PB Tim Taverna.
- (3) Locate suitable interdiction points.

NOTE: BASE AREA DISCOVERED ON 02 AUG. HEAVY URG ACTIVITY FOR 30 DAYS. R. L. COW TACTICAL ION LAST 7 DAYS

- (4) Check grid YB 0419 north to trail T-4.

3. Support Cav Recon. a. VR Red Devil Road and RL-9.

- (1) Determine the status of routes.
- (2) Locate suitable interdiction points.
- (3) Vehicle traffic.
- (4) Enemy activity.

NOTE: DIV ENGINEER S-2 AND DIV PHOTOC APHER WILL FLY IN CHASE A/C. WILL ARRIVE AT AT 1030 HRS.

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- B 2/17: 1. Support Cav Recon. two fuel loads. a. VR in RT 5.
- (1) Emphasis on trails T-5 and T-8 and between.
 - (2) Direction and type of enemy trail activity.
 - (3) Determine the extent of enemy activity in the area.
 - (4) Locate roads/trails which are truck trafficable which might connect with the road system in BA 611.
 - (5) Try and locate elements of the 6th EVA Regt believed to be in area.
2. Support Cav Recon. two fuel loads. a. VR in RT 4.
- (1) Locate wire lines as passed 03 Aug.
 - (2) Determine status of route 922.
 - (3) Extent of enemy traffic.
 - (4) Locate interdiction points.
 - (5) Emphasis RT 548.
3. Eagle first light check.
4. Bus/Eagle/Tan My Rocket Belt screen.
5. IRF on standby 051800 - 061800.
- NOTE: PAC WFO FB POWER 1030 B/2 AIR TRP AND BIR WFO. AIR AT 1100-1200-1300-1300.

- C 2/17: 1. Support Cav Recon. a. VR in RT 6.
- (1) Determine extent of enemy traffic on RT 548.
 - (2) Locate suitable interdiction points.
 - (3) Emphasis grid YC 6473.
 - (4) Check 2x2 box lower left YC 4286.
 - (5) Check YC 327903 Hq North Loc 26 July. In last month a En Campsite and En Center were located on stream in area.
2. Support Cav Recon. a. VR in RT 7.
- (1) Determine extent of enemy activity.
 - (2) Emphasis on southern boundary.
3. Support Cav Recon. a. VR in RT 849.
- (1) Emphasis on southern boundary.
 - (2) VR RT 545.
 - (3) Enemy activity.
4. Bus/Eagle/Tan My Rocket Belt screen.
5. IRF on standby 061800 - 071800.
- NOTE: PAC FB REACTION VFO WFO 1430 B/2 FB BIR WFO. AIR AT 1500 - 1600.

- D 2/17: 1. Eagle Reaction Force.
2. Deploy ambush in B Sector 05 Aug 71. Coordinate with Bus Defense prior to 1800 hrs and advise Squadron WFO.

- L 00: 1. Support teams in field.

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