

6 August 1972

Subject: Commander's Situation Report

HMT: One UH1H used to sweep Rangers to Dong Ha. One UH1H used at T-Sone. Three UH1H's used on admin runs.

A 2/17: Heavy Pink with Chase weather check. Snake and Chas weather check. Heavy Pink with Chase VR T-4. Heavy Pink with Chase VR Da Krong. Three OH6A's for admin runs. One UH1H for leg run.

B 2/17: One OH6A for first light mission. Two AH1G's with Chase worked RZ 4 Vic of Torunre. Two AH1G's with Chase worked RZ 4 Vic of Torange. One OH6A VR'd around N P's. Heavy Pink with Chase VR RZ 6 Vic of Rockst. UH1H on CAC met up with above team to extract Rangers. Heavy Pink with Chase VR RZ 5 Vic of Pepper N. One AH1G used for check ride. Two OH6A's for admin runs. Five UH1H's for admin runs. Two OH6A's for last light mission. Four UK H's with CAC for extraction of ARPs.

C 2/17: Heavy Pink with Chase VR RZ 6 Vic of Millian. Heavy Pink with Chase VR RZ 7 Vic of Thor. Heavy Pink with Chase VR RZ 8-9 Vic of Pike. Heavy Pink with Chase VR RZ 7 Vic of Thor - Pike. Two OH6A's for last light mission. Two UH1H's for admin runs. One OH6A for admin run.

D 2/17: Made sweep of B Sector. Maintained Eagle Reaction Forces.

L CO: First Bde team taken out at Joyce - Tn 18. Second Bde taken out at Tania - Tn 12. Radio Relay 39A and Ranger LNO from 2nd Bde off Arsenal. Radio Relay 39 K off Kim Qui.

Subject: Planned Summary

HMT: 1. CAC on standby at 0730.  
2. One A/C to pick up CMI team at T 1100 hrs.  
3. One UH1H to T IRF 0715.

A 2/17: 1. Support Cav Recon, two fuel loads. a. VR Da Krong Valley between FB Shepherd and FB Tun Tavern.

- (1) Determine the extent, direction and type of enemy trail/street activity.
- (2) Determine the status of the road north from FB Tun Tavern.
- (3) Locate suitable interdiction points.
- (4) Locate suitable locations for implanting Sensor strings and report.

2. Support Cav Recon, two fuel loads. a. VR trail T-4 and areas north and south of trails.

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

3. IRF on standby.

NOTE: DIV C-2 WILL ARRIVE AT 1030 HRS, WOULD LIKE TO FLY IN AC.

NOTE: FAC ON STAB 1 VIC FB TUN T VR 1430 DURING IRF BLDG VIF, AT T 1500-1530.

B 2/17: 1. Support Cav Recon, one fuel load. a. VR in T 6.

- (1) VR between A Loui Airstrip and Laotian border. Where 548 enters base areas 607.
- (2) Try and locate elements of the 6th NVA Regt believed to be in that area.
- (3) Determine the extent of traffic along T 548.

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D 2/17: (4) Determine extent of road repair activity.  
(5) Locate truck turn around points and truck parks.  
2. Support Cav Recon. two fuel loads. a. VR in RZ 3-4.  
(1) Locate wire line YD 137129 to YD 149139, YD 161147 to YD 191160. RZ 3.  
(2) Determine status of route 922.  
(3) Extent of enemy traffic.  
(4) Locate interdiction points.  
3. Support Cav Recon. one fuel load. a. VR in RZ 5.  
(1) Emphasis on ~~two~~ trails T-4 and T-8 and between.  
(2) Direction and type of enemy trail activity.  
(3) Locate roads/trails which might connect with the road system in BL 611.  
4. Eagle first light check.  
5. Hue/Eagle/Tan My Rocket Belt screen.  
6. IRF on standby 071800 - 081800.  
NOTE: FAC ON STATION VIC FB PEP-ER 1130 BRONZE 56.55 BILK VHF AIR AT 1200 -1230.

C 2/17: 1. Support Cav Recon. a. VR in RZ 7.  
(1) Determine extent of enemy activity.  
(2) Emphasis on southern boundary.  
2. Support Cav Recon. a. VR in RZ 8&9 between FB Fist and FB Pistol.  
(1) VR RT 545 report on traffic.  
(2) Emphasis on southern boundary.  
3. Support Cav Recon. a. VR in RZ 6.  
(1) Determine extent of enemy activity, on RT 548.  
(2) Locate suitable interdiction points.  
(3) Emphasis on southern border areas.  
4. Hue/Eagle/Tan My Rocket Belt screen.  
5. IRF on standby 081800 - 091800.  
NOTE: FAC ON STATION VIC FB LILLIAN 1315 DEAD EYE FM BILK VHF AIR AT 1345 - 1430.

D 2/17: 1. Eagle Reaction Force.  
2. Employ ambush in B Sector 07 Aug 71 coordinate with Base Defense prior to 1000 hrs and advise Squadron TOC.

L CO: 1. Support teams in field.

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