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

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1. (U) 2/17th Cavalry LMSUM 237-71

2. (U) 242000H-252000H August 1971.

3. (U) Summary of air activity.

(1) 250630H via YD736146, B 2/17 obs 2 pieces of PSP in a V-shape w/opening toward Camp. Also obs 82mm mortar lying in area w/undet act.

(2) 250915H via YC429842, C 2/17 obs OH6A AAR msn read 1 rd 12.7mm and 300 rds SAF at 25' and 100m, #67-16-036, 1 hit to right passengers side (12.7), Neg cam, A/C no flyable at this time and is at PHU BAI. Supp w/gs Res: unk. Spt Cav: 0915-0920H 15 17lb, 20 10lb, 10 Nails, 5 WP, 200 20mm, 1,000 7.62mm.

(3) 250930H via YC445932-494839, C 2/17 obs hvy ft traff mov undet direc on Rt 548 w/ne g veh traffico in last 48 hours.

(4) 250935H via YD402865, C 2/17 obs 3' trl BS HP E-W w/lgt ft traff mov undet direc in last 24 hours.

(5) 250950H via YC501863, C 2/17 obs 1' trl N-S w/lgt act mov undet direc 24 hrs.

(6) 250955H via YC493872, C 2/17 obs 3 2x2x3' fgt pens and 3 spider holes w/act p pres, did not receive fire and did not engage.

(7) 251000H via YC498860, C 2/17 obs 6' trl N-S w/lgt act mov undet direc 12 hrs.

(8) 251005H via YC500855, C 2/17 obs 1 UO AA/AW psn w/act 24 hours.

(9) 251010H via YC497356, C 2/17 obs 1 UO AA/AW psn w/partical camf w/act 48mhours.

(10) 251015H via YC500852, C 2/17 obs sleeping psns w/lgt act in last 12 hrs.

(11) 251020H via YC498845, C 2/17 obs 2 UO spider holes w/undet act.

(12) 251025H via YC504850, C 2/17 obs 1 4x5' bnk w/neg OH and undet act.

(13) 251030H via YC505850, C 2/17 obs 1' trl E-W w/undet act mov undet direc 24 hrs.

(14) 251035H via YC504846, C 2/17 obs 1 333' bnk w/log OH under construction.

(15) 251040H via YC493845, C 2/17 obs 1' trl fm Rt 548 to a bomb crater w/unk act.

(16) 251045H via YC406863, C 2/17 obs 1' trl NE-SW w/unk act in last 12 hours.

(17) 251050H via YC493860-484875, C 2/17 obs trl down center of Rt 548 trl was HP w/act unk.

(18) 251055H via YC495854, C 2/17 obs trk turn around pt used by 4 trks in last 24.

(17) 251100H via YC495856, C 2/17 obs 1 AA/AW psn w/wpn and neg crew, Eng w/gs Res: 1 12.7mm dest, Spt Cav: 8 17lb, 8 10lb, 4 WP, 10 40mm, 150 7.62mm, 1100-1105H.

(18) 251105H via YC493842, C 2/17 OH6A AAR msn read 30 rds SAF at 100' and 100m fm spider holes, Neg hits, # 66-17-811, AAC 4a, Eng w/gs Res: unk. Spt Cav: 1105-1105H 14 17lb, 20 10lb, 10 WP, 40 40mm, 1,000 7.62mm.

(19) SUMMARY: Extrage act in area, dug in w/good fighting psn in area around A Shan strip w/new bnk and 12.7 pits under const, poss large force infiltrating, firepower expected to increase.

(20) 251100H via YD092267, B 2/17 obs N/A in area.

(21) 251105H via YD092272, B 2/17 obs undet size fld burned of in last 12 hrs.

(22) 251110H via YD094230, B 2/17 obs trl 1' w/lgt act mov in undet dir 24-48.

(23) 251115H via YD096235, B 2/17 obs trl 1' trl down w/act mov in undet dir 24-48.

(24) 251120H via YD096460, B 2/17 obs undet size bnk in bomb crater w/neg OH 12.

(25) 251125H via YD060239, B 2/17 obs bundle of bamboo 20' long on small trl 24-48.

(26) 251130H via YD034282, B 2/17 obs trl 1' w/lgt act mov in undet dir w/act 24 hrs.

(27) 251135H via YD010288, B 2/17 obs UO AA/AW psn res blt w/act 24-48 hrs.

(28) 251140H via YD009312, B 2/17 obs 15x15' hut under const on stilts w/act 24-48

(29) 251145H via YD003320, B 2/17 obs very well kept and res cul fld undet size 48.

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- (30) 251330H v/c Y0492842, C 2/17 AHG AAR msn read 300 rds SAF at 140km and 300'. neg. hits, #67-15-7427 AAC 3b. Eng w/gs w/unk res. Exp spt cov: 20 101b, 10 171b, 6nails, 6 wp, 1000 7.62 and 100 40mm. Res: 6 4x4! bmk dest.
- (31) 251400H v/c Y0592815, C 2/17 obs 4x40m fld undet/crop 3' high also 3' pivot fence and 4x4! hnt w/aot 48 hrs.
- (32) 251405H v/c Y0592816, C 2/17 obs trl 1' NW-SE w/aot 48 hrs.
- (33) 251410H v/c Y0592798, C 2/17 obs 2 20x20m flds undet/crop 4' high w/aot 24 hrs.
- (34) 251415 H v/c Y0592798, C 2/17 obs trl 1 1/2' NW-SE w/log steps up hill hvy aot mov in undet dir 36 hrs.
- (35) 251420H v/c Y0592797, C 2/17 obs 2 20x20' flds ready to plant w/ aot 24 hrs.
- (36) 251425H v/c Y0592795, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp hs N-S w/lgt aot mov in undet dir 24
- (37) 251430H v/c Y0592790, C 2/17 obs 2 50x50m flds w/undet/crop 6" high w/aot 24.
- (38) 251435H v/c Y0974901 to Y0879995, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp NE-SW w/aot 48 hrs.
- (39) 251440H v/c Y0879921 to Y0883926, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp NE-SW w/aot 48 hrs.
- (40) 251445H v/c Y0879924 to Y0874924, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp NE-SW w/aot 24-48 hrs.
- (41) 251450H v/c Y0867927 to Y0881931, C 2/17 obs trl 1 1/2' hp NE-SW w/aot 24-48 hrs.
- (42) 251453H v/c Y0906895 to Y0912895, C 2/12 obs trl 2' over grown w/NRA.
- (43) 251455H v/c Y0883921 to Y0891918, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp NE-SW w/aot 24-48 hrs.
- (44) 251500H v/c Y0902877 to Y0980860, C 2/17 obs trl along rt 545 w/lgt aot mov in undet dir w/aot 48 hrs.
- (45) Team Summary: Area does not seem to be heavy w/aot only small units in area.
- (46) 251600H v/c X0907340, B 2/17 OH6A AAR msn read 20 rds SAF at 20' and 90km neg. hits, #67-16-449, AAC 4a. Eng w/gs w/unk res. Exp spt cov: 21 171b, 10nails, 50 40mm 100 40mm and 300 7.62.
- (47) 250945H v/c X0851331, B 2/17 obs 7 5x5' bmk lgt OHG w/aot 36 hrs.
- (48) 250955H v/c X0851328, B 2/17 obs 20x10x10' hnt hvy OHG and 10' from rd w/NRA.
- (49) 251330H v/c X0874393, B 2/17 obs QL-2 interdia 1 undet size hnt dest 5 6x8' bmk dest and entry cave.
- (50) 251332H v/c X0894400, B 2/17 obs 2 in area.
- (51) 251334H v/c X0909385, B 2/17 obs 2 in area.
- (52) 251336H v/c X0915386, B 2/17 obs trl 1 1/2' N-S lgt aot mov in undet dir 48-72.
- (53) 251338H v/c X0944357, B 2/17 obs trl 1 1/2' N-S hvy ft trl to mov in undet dir 48.
- (54) 251340H v/c X0933353, B 2/17 obs 2 in area.
- (55) 251342H v/c X0928333, B 2/17 obs 21 dia lgt pen fresh dir w/aot 24 hrs.
- (56) 251344H v/c X0942332, B 2/17 obs 21 dia lgt pen fresh dir w/aot 24 hrs.
- (57) 251346H v/c X0942332, B 2/17 obs litter on top dia! bmk part dest w/aot 48 hrs.
- (58) 251600H v/c X0894448, B 2/17 obs exten rt 616 not interdicted 4 5x5' bmk2! OHG 10x81 bmk2! OHG dest and pos bulldozer park dest.
- (59) 251630H v/c X0894448 to X0944344, B 2/17 obs bulldozer: tires mov in did not cross stream w/aot 48 hrs.
- (60) 251640H v/c X0944344, B 2/17 obs 2 2x2x1 lgt pen w/aot 24-48 hrs.
- (61) 251653H v/c X0933224, B 2/17 obs trl 2' hp hs E-W lgt aot mov in undet dir NRA
- (62) 251648H v/c X0944344, B 2/17 abstnl 3' N-S w/NRA.
- (63) 251655H v/c X09461224, B 2/17 obs trl 2' hp hs E-W lgt aot mov in undet dir 48.
- (64) 251655H B 2/17 Team Summary: Area booming warmer and darker. Further recon work v/c X08924 to X09437.

3. Group activities: DELAYED ENTRY: 250900H v/c YD130491, Ranger Team CHARLOTTE, Obs or heard voices about 400m from their pen undet number of people.

4. (C) Enemy personnel and equipment losses.
a. negative.
b. negative.
c. By 2/17th Cavalry (Total for OPORD 13-70)

(1)	1242	1242	02
	KIA	NVA	NVA/VC POW
(2)	and	(3)	Omitted,
(4)	19	08	
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RECOM: See spots #15, 17, 18, 49, 58, and 59.
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