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FROM: CO, 2/17th Cavalry

TO CG: 101st Abn Div (Anbl)

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- (U) 2/17th Cavalry LIESUM 241-71.
(U) 282000H-292000H August 1971.
3. (C) Summary of air activity.

a. Air Activity:

- (1) 290020H vto YC630004, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp SW-NE w/aot 24 hrs.
(2) 290022H vto YC640022, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp NE-SW w/aot 24 hrs.
(3) 290025H vto YC630023, C 2/17 obs UO AA/AW psn w/aot 36 hrs.
(4) 290028H vto YC640027, C 2/17 obs trl 2' hp E-W w/aot 10 hrs.
(5) 290030H vto YC631010, C 2/17 obs camp fire site still smoking.
(6) 290033H vto YC630009, C 2/17 obs 4 6x6' clearing under veg w/aot 24 hrs.
(7) 290035H vto YC610002, C 2/17 AIG AAR msn reed 30 rds SAF at 110km and CO' neg hits. #8-15-021, AAC 3a, Supp w/gs w/unk res. Exp spt oav: 6wp, and 100 40mm.
(8) 290040H vto YC653704, C 2/17 obs trl 4' hp NW-SE w/aot 24 hrs.
(9) Team leader summary: 1st aot in area appears to be unit in transit.
(10) 291050H vto YD219303, B 2/17 obs 30-40 2x2x3' fgt psns w/aot in last 72 hours.
(11) 291053H vto YD210305, B 2/17 obs 2' trl NW-SE w/mod aot mov undet direo 40-72.
(12) 291055H vto YD190305, B 2/17 obs 2 1/2' trl E-W w/Negative rec. activity.
(13) 291058H vto YD212200, B 2/17 obs 30-40 2x2x3' fgt psns w/aot in last 72 hours.
(14) 291100H vto YD222204, B 2/17 obs 1 1/2' trl E-W w/mod aot mov undet direo in last 48 hours.
(15) 291103H vto YD2230, B 2/17 obs area w/Neg rec activity.
(16) 291105H vto YD240320, B 2/17 obs 1 1/2' trl NE-SW w/mod aot mov undet direo 40.
(17) 291107H vto YD245320, B 2/17 obs 12 2x2x3' fgt psns w/aot in last 40 hours.
(18) 291110H vto YD254334, B 2/17 obs 1 1/2' trl N-S w/undet aot in last 12 hours.
(19) 291112H vto YD254334, B 2/17 obs 30-35 prone psns w/aot 12 hours.
(20) 291130H vto YD2417, B 2/17 obs 2 1 1/2' trls undet direo and 2 undet size hits in bad shape w/aot 72 hours.
(21) 291133H vto YD2533, B 2/17 obs mod aot mov NE along river in last 12 hours.
Summary: Activity mov E by FD DAVIS towards lowlands, marked increase of enemy aot vto FD PATTON.
(22) 291050H vto 442101, C 2/17 obs 1' trl NP NW-SE w/undet aot in last 72 hours.
(23) 291055H vto YD446013, C 2/17 obs 1' trl NP NW-SE w/undet aot.
(24) 291100H vto YD445000, C 2/17 obs 1' trl NP w/undet direo and aot in last 24.
(25) 291105H vto YD439016, C 2/17 obs 3.5x5' bnks w/neg OIC w/undet aot.
(26) 291110H vto YD437017, C 2/17 obs 5 2x2x3' fgt psns w/undet activity.
(27) 291120H vto YD441021, C 2/17 obs 1 UO AA/AW psn w/undet activity.
(28) 291125H vto YD447025, C 2/17 obs 10 4x4' bnks w/log OIC and undet activity.
(29) 291130H vto YD442030, C 2/17 obs 1' trl NP NE-SW w/undet aot mov undet direo.
(30) 291135H vto YD443032, C 2/17 obs land slide inter Rt 547 w/neg trk traff E of land slide w/undet activity.
(31) 291140H vto YD393011, C 2/17 obs 1 2' wide undet length log bdge w/undet aot.
(32) 291145H vto YD392016, C 2/17 obs 6-8 4x4' bnks w/neg OIC and undet activity.
(33) 291150H vto YD437015, C 2/17 obs 10 undet size bnks w/log OIC and pitch roofs and 1 AA/AW psn w/wpn, 12.7mm could only fire to the E, Eng w/gs Res; unk. Spt Cav: 1150-1155H 10 171b, 2 nails, 4 WP, 100 40mm.
(34) 291155H vto YD435991-447958, C 2/17 OIGA AAR msn reed 100 rds SAF at 50' and 100km, Neg hits, #67-15-300, AAC 4a, Supp w/gs Res: unk. Spt Cav: 1155-1200H 17 171b 15 nails, 150 40mm, 600 20mm.

DRAFTER: THOMAS E HOLMES

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- (35) 291200H vlc YC443934, O 2/17 obs 3' trl HP NW-SE w/undet act mov undet direc
Summary: Area 4492 of the A SHAU seems to have lgt activity.
- (36) 291500H vlc YC377914, C 2/17 AHG AAR msn recd 30 rds SAF at 500' and 110km
Neg hits, #67-15-749, AAO 4a, Supp w/gs Res: unk. Spt Cav: 1500-1505H 30 17lb, 150
40mm, 500 20mm.
- (37) 290930H vlc YD978396, B 2/17 obs NRA 24 hrs.
- (38) 290933H vlc YD988398, B 2/17 obs trl 1' w/lgt act mov E w/aot 24 hrs.
- (39) 290936H vlc YD998008, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.
- (40) 290939H vlc YD001390, B 2/17 obs NDP 20 2x2x3' fgt psn trl thru NDP w/NRA.
- (41) 290942H vlc YD003378, B 2/17 obs Old rock chimney used for production of charcoal
w/NRA.
- (42) 290945H vlc YD009364, B 2/17 obs NDP 20 2x3x3' fgt psn 1 6x8' bnk 1½' OHC also
trl complex w/aot 2 wks.
- (43) 290948H vlc YD003353, B 2/17 obs sand bar in river w/aot 72 hrs.
- (44) 290951H vlc YD001351, B 2/17 obs trl 1½' NE-SW w/undet act mov off trl to sand-
bar undet time of aot.
- (45) 290954H vlc YD004350, B 2/17 obstrl N-S overgrown w/NRA.
- (46) 290958H vlc YD991351, B 2/17 obs lgt act mov S w/aot 48-72 hrs.
- (47) 291000H vlc YD983351, B 2/17 obs NRA last 2 wk.
- (48) 291003H vlc YD000320, B 2/17 obs NRA 72 hrs.
- (49) 291006H vlc YD999303, B 2/17 obs hvy ft trafio mov W w/aot 18 hrs.
- (50) 291012H vlc YD940332, B 2/17 obs 4 new bnks being const 2 25x25' and 2 6x8' w/
dbl doors all w/neg OHC w/aot 72 hrs.
- (51) 291015H vlc YD933331, B 2/17 obs 1 4x6' hole by road also 3-4 2x2x2' holes w/aot
72 hrs.
- (52) 291018H vlc YD920343, B 2/17 obs bulldozer trks also mod ft act undet time.
- (53) 291021H vlc XD924335, B 2/17 obs interdiction ext rt 616 home orater w/mod
aot mov of rd to W 18 hrs.
- (54) 291024H vlc XD894346, B 2/17 obs cutting grass preparing ext rt 616 for bulldozer
w/aot 18 hrs.
- (55) 291027H vlc XD906340, B 2/17 obs lgt act mov on ridge line undet dir w/aot 18 .
- (56) 291030H vlc XD905343, B 2/17 obs signs of bulldozer mov on prepared rd 18 hrs.
- (57) 291033H vlc XD909342, B 2/17 obs sharpend bamboo poles 6' L 2" dia on side of
rd w/aot 72 hrs.
- (58) 291036H vlc XD930332, B 2/17 obs signs of bulldozer in area w/mod act mov W
also 20 6x8' new bnk by rd w/aot 72 hrs.
- (59) 291039H vlc XD927355, B 2/17 obs trl 1' E-W along ridge line w/NRA.
- (60) 291042H vlc XD930355, B 2/17 obs Hill top w/NRA.
- (61) 291043H vlc XD940356, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.
- (62) 291045H vlc XD950356, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.
- (63) 291046H vlc XD957361, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.
- (64) 291050H vlc XD938360, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.
- (65) 291051H vlc XD932369, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.
- (66) 291052H vlc XD935380, B 2/17 obs 3 6x8' bnk neg OHC 4 2x2x3' fgt psn w/aot 48.
- (67) 291330H vlc XD061321, B 2/17 obs 3 parallel trls 1' N-S w/mod act mov in undet
dir w/aot 24 hrs.
- (68) 291345H vlc YD059316, B 2/17 OH 6A AAR msn recd 20 rds SAF at 20' and 60km
neg hits. #67-17-971, AAO 4a. Sopp w/gs w/unk res. Exp spt Cav: 8 nails, 12 17lb, and
350 20mm.
- (69) 291347H vlc YD057316, B 2/17 obs old UO AA?AW psn w/NRA.
- (70) 291349H vlc YD050310, B 2/17 obs UO AA?AW psn well camf w/aot 6 hrs.
- (71) 291351H vlc YD049323, B 2/17 nobs trl 2' hs undet dir in triple canopy also
3 6x8' bnk w/pitch roof w/aot 24-48 hrs.
- (72) 291354H vlc YD045317, B 2/17 obs NRA on rt 616.
- (73) 291357H vlc YD067310, B 2/17 obs NRA on rt 616.
- (74) 291400H vlc YD063303, B 2/17 obs NRA in area.

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- 291403H via YD077300, B 2/17 obs nook slide 60' wide as interdiction pt on rt w/neg signs of repair.
- (76) 291410H via YD000302, B 2/17 obs mod aot mov to XD995307 w/aot 24 hrs.
- (77) 291420H via XD907435, B 2/17 obs NRA on ridge NW-SE.
- (78) 291430H via XD866367, B 2/17 obs 6x8' bnk w/2' OHC also signs of clearing grass from area for bulldozer w/aot 24 hrs.
- (79) 291445H via XD864371, B 2/17 OH6A AAR msn recd 10 rds SAF at 20' and 60km neg hits. #67-17-971. AAC 4a. Also obs 1 NVA undet unif w/wpn undet type. Eng w/gs and M-16 w/res: 1 NVA wounded and escaped. Exp spt cav: 1445H-1450H. 10 nails and undet num 7.62 rds.
- (80) 291447H via XD863371, B 2/17nobs trl 2' N-S hp w/ hvy aot mov N w/aot 24 hrs.
- (81) 291448H via XD040196, B 2/17 obs trl 3' hs undet dir also 2 6x8' bnk w/1' OHC aot 48-72 hrs.
- (82) 291450H via YD051196, B 2/17 obs 6 100x100m flds w/1 1/2' trl running thru flds E-M w/aot 48-72 hrs.
- (83) 291452H via YD074272-YD099193, B 2/17 obs trl 2 1/2' undet dir and aot due to veg w/aot 48-72 hrs.
- (84) 291455H via YD004187, B 2/17 obs 4 100x100m flds w/neg crop aot 72 hrs.
- (85) 291456H via YD109194, B 2/17 obs trl 2' NW-SE w/aot 48 hrs.
- (86) 291457H via YD106180, B 2/17 obs trl 1 1/2' N-S w/undet num 3! sticks as marks 72.
- (87) 291459H via YD109194, B 2/17 obs trl 2' undet dir and aot due to veg w/aot 72.
- (88) 291500H via YD133179, B 2/17 obs 10 100x100m flds undet crop w/aot 24-48 hrs.
- (89) 291503H via YD124140, B 2/17 obs 6 100m flds also undet size coral w/2 rice bowls near by undet crop in flds area worked in last 12-24 hrs.
- (90) Team leader summary: Area via Exten 616, bulldozer aot in area during night repairing rd via XD0531, hvy trl act crossing Ex 616. UO AA/AW pns and bnk show rec use. Fresh cut brush and grass on Ex 616 via XD8637 appear to be preparing for bulldozer work. Possible mod aot living and working in area.
- (91) Team leaders summary: Area SE of Big Horn, hvy aot on both sides of river, also new flds worked in past 12-24 hrs.
- (92) 291830H via YD813073, C 2/17 obs old trl network w/ undet aot also undet time of usage. Also obs 2 sensors.
- (93) 291900H via YD792112, B 2/17 OH5A AAR msn recd 40 rds SAF from 2 psn at 20' and 50km, neg gits. Also obs tunnel complex next to bamboo thicket. Did not Eng due to friendlies in area.
- (94) 291500H via YG385905, C 2/17 obs 20-30 5x5' bnks w/2" log OHC, also obs 2 NVA w/gm unifs leap into bnk.
- (95) 291500H via YG385905, C 2/17 obs 6' trl thru bnks E-W along ridge finger w/mod pres act, obs 2 individuals were engaged in some type of construction, Eng w/gs Res; unk. Spt Cav: 1500-1507H 10 17lb, 4 WP, 100 40mm, 200 20mm.
- (96) 291540H via YC618888, C 2/17 obs bnk complex of undet no..of 4x6" bnk w/OHC also 6" HP trl SE-NW w/mod aot in last 24-36 hours.

b. GROUND ACTIVITY: Negative

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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5. ROUTE RECON: See spots #30, 53-54, 58, 72-73, 75 and 90 of this INTSUM.

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