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Visual Reconnaissance for 14 October 1971 (U)

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ACoFG, G2

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1. (C) The following areas are submitted in priority order for visual reconnaissance on 14 October 1971. Essential Elements of Information are provided for each area.

$\theta_0 = 2-17$ days

(1) Southern A Shan Valley area. To determine the extent of enemy buildups and the size of elements operating in the high ground west of FB Tennessee and north of and in the vicinity of FB Fury. To further develop the Destiny/Rocket area. To conduct route reconnaissance on Rte 547 and Rte 548 to determine a detailed interdiction status. To search for truck parks/cache sites along Rte 548 with emphasis on vicinity YG4691 and assess the airstrikes employed on reported possible cache site at that grid.

(2) Rte 922/9222 and in the vicinity north of FB Cunningham. To locate truck parks/ caches near Rte 922/9222 and to further develop the area north of FB Cunningham. To determine the extent and direction of movement and road repair activity on Rte 922/9222. To determine the extent of activity in the Da Krong Valley from Krakine to Ranger. To conduct route reconnaissance on Rte 548 and Rte 616 to determine a detailed interdiction status and to provide recommendations on the following grids as permanent interdiction points:

YB246141 - road along ledge
YD248137 - road follows ledge thru series of switchbacks, tight corners, and grades.
YD253130 - road follows ledge.
YD258125 - road follows ledge.
YD291085 - road follows steep ledge.
YD295084 -
YD302088 - sidehill cut and ford.
YD354037 - ford.
YD010565 ROAD CUT

(3) Rte 616 extension and the Da Krong Valley from FB ~~Henderson~~ to FB Shiloh. To determine extent of construction activity along Rte 616 extension and to locate bulldozers/storage sites/caches along the routes. To determine the extent of activity and the size of elements in the high ground east of the Da Krong Valley from FB Henderson to FB Barnett. To detect any movement along the Da Krong Valley or east from the valley to the high ground. To provide recommendations on the following grids as permanent interdiction points:

ID969326
ID974324 - culvert.
ID978520 - ford.

b. 3-5 Cav: Rte 608 and Rte 608 extension with emphasis on the vicinity of new culverts reported at the junction of Rte 608 and Red Devil Road and west of the junction of CL-9 with Rte 616 extension; and Rte 608 between CL-9 and Red Devil Road. To further determine the extant of infiltration south along the eastern DMZ. To provide recommendations on the following grids as permanent interdiction points:

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ID806623 - steep ridge.
ID794616 - steep ridge: switchback.
ID788612 - steep ridge, falls into river.
ID010565 - roadway cut thru shale cliff.
ID999474 - bridge.
YD007467 - bridge.
YD002452 - bridge.
XD975434 - roadway.
XD921398 - sheer rock cliff.
ID896396 - roadway (erosion occurring).
XD905694 - roadway.

c. Bulk P/C: Rte 616 extension. To assist 2-17 Cav in VR of the route. To locate construction supply sites/bulldozers/truck parks along the route.

2. (C) 220TH RAC: Rte 616, Rte 616 extension, and QL-9 from intersection with Rte 616 extension west to the border. To determine type and direction of traffic on the routes. To take hand-held photos of bridges reported at YD029305, XD865379, and XD870369. To provide recommendations on the following grids as permanent interdiction points:

XD851656 - steep ridge, deep switchback.
XD838657 - steep ridge, falling into river.
XD824649 - steep ridge, falling into river.
XD798664 - steep ridge.
XD807666 - steep ridge, small switchback.
XD800648 - junction of 3 sections of road, steep ridge.
XD805651 - steep ridge, deep switchback.

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