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1	0001		Log Opened		RF
2	0545		501 changed & sandwich set plus mission sheets done.		RF
3	0623		A. Pursak advises the birds have been launched from down south to proceed as far as possible.		RF
4	0623		Discom request CTO brought up from Calu & brought to Nam Nghi. Contacting Method Alpha 59.85		RF
5	0730		Mystic 66 advises yesterday's 101 mission is a go. Says there is 10 47 sorties or 4 54 or 53 sorties. Depends on tactical situation.		RF
6	0900		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED THAT 3/05-1 153 TUBE MUST COME OFF ALPHA.		F
7	0901		RECEIVED ADDONS/14117 FROM CIP.		F

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8	0910		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED OF MESSAGE FROM ARVN SENIOR ADVISER TO MYSTIC 20; ARVN SENIOR ADVISER WANTS HIS EQUIPMENT MOVED THIS MORNING OR ELSE HE'LL SEE BIG BEN -		F
9	0922		ADVISED GRIPS 20 TO HAVE HB FIT. POL AND REPOSITION ABN. PAD; CANNOT WORK MSN 103 DUE TO UNAVAILABLE GUNS -		F
10	0924		ADVISED SWAMPY 20 TO TAKE 2 A/C PLUS HIM SELF TO REPOSITION ABN - RECEIVE BRIEFING; WILL START TO WORK B/H'S -		F
11	0925		MYSTIC 9 ADVISES THAT THERE ARE NEGATIVE B/H'S OFF FSB DELTA 1. . .		F
12	0930		REGUARD FIT. CALLED IN; 26-22 18- , 26-44-16 199# 22- 110 -18 SETTING DOWN -		F
13	0940		PAKYEDEM FIT REPOSITIONING TO AWAIT BRIEFING.		F

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13	0950	0950	TOT 20 1115 H XD 625285		
			TOT 20 1245 H XD 529394		
			TOT 20 1430 H XD 557374		
			RECEIVED ARE LIGHTS FROM LT. KENNEDY Gp.		F
14	0955		RECEIVED 2 UH-1H EXTRACTORS FROM 158TH # 566 & 598 th		F
15	0956		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED THAT A BACK SEAT CAN BE PRO- VIDED FOR SWAMPY 20-		F
16	0959		RECEIVED GUN TEAM FROM GUN TEAM FROM Gp- FIRE TEAM FIRE BIRD 96-94		F
17	1001		Gp ADVISED THAT MSN DK-1 CANX-		F
18	1010		PASSED ARC LIGHT COOR- TO SWAMPY 20-		F
19	1011		PASSED SHOT AT COOR TO GRIPS 20- XD 737344-4K ARE AWAITING GUNS-		F
20	1018		MYSTIC 66 ADVISES THAT MSN 162 IS READY AT THIS TIME ADVISES NO B/H'S		F

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21	1030		LADY REACH ADVISED THAT LUYAL SET IS OFF.		F
21	1031		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED THAT THEY ARE NOW 4 ISS TUBES AND 3/OS TUBES, ALSO ADVISED THAT ROAD TO TABOT HAS BEEN HEID ALL NIGHT.		F
22	1032		SWAMPY 20 ADVISED THAT HE IS OFF AND ENROUTE TO PZ on B/H msn.		F
23	1035		MYSTIC 66 K ADVISED OS 10 SORTIES ON msn 102.		F
24	1037		MYSTIC 66 ADVISES THAT TABOT IS TAKING INCOMING - WILL KEEP US ADVISED -		F
25	1047		SWAMPY 20 ADVISED THAT ALL THREE A/C HAVE GOTTEN B/H'S OFF ALPHA - 54'S ARE PICKING UP LEADS.		F
26	1050		CPT LEE ADVISED THAT ISS & ISS TUBES ARE NOT RIGGED ON ADDCN MBS 17, 18 BT THIS TIME, WILL ADVISED WHEN MBS WILL BE READY.		F

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27	1058		SWAMPY 20 ADVISED THAT B/H'S FROM FSB ALPHA-3103 TUBES 2 ISS TUBES HAVE BEEN B/H'ed THIS TIME.		F
28.	1102		GRIPS 22 ADVISED OF ACTIVITY VICINITY HOTEL? WOULD LIKE INFORMATION. TEMP. HCLD Msn. TO GLOVES VICTOR-		F
29.	1105		DISCOM ADVISED OF 22 SORTIES RIGGED & READY TO GO ON Msn DK-2-		F
30.	1109.		GRIPS FIT. HAS CARRIED 15 SORTIES INTO FSB. HOTEL - WILL TEMP. BK OFF Msn DUE TO TAC SITUATION - WILL START ON Msn DK-2-		F
31.	1119		RECEIVED AH-1A EXTRACTION FROM 158TH Ham NGH TO EAGLE AH-1G #740.		F
32.	1126		M-66 ADVISED LZ ON 104 IS STILL TAKING INCOMING ARTY SUPPRESSION - GOING INTO AREA		

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33	1130		DANGER 57 ADVISED THAT P2 MAY HAVE DROPPED 46 min - TO MYSTIC 20		
33	1131		Swampy ²⁰ ADVISES 4 155 3105 COMPLETE FROM ALPHA		F
34	1141		SCORFACE ADVISES THAT DIMMER A/C WILL BE 15-20 MIN LATE.		F
35	1144		REGUARD 26 ADVISES MSD DIC-2 HAS MORE THEN 1 B/H - ADVISE NOT TO CARRY - MAJ KEYSRING.		F
36	1145		ADVISED LADY REACH TO HOLD GUNS APPX 15-20 min.		F
37	1150		MYSTIC 20 ADVISED OF 1 HR Hold on msn - TO P-20 -		F
38	1155		RECEIVED DIC-10 FROM MAJ. KEYSTRING - 10 16 BKTS - CALU HAM NGHI.		F
39	1159		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED THAT INCOMING on TABAT HAS STOPPED-		F
40	1210		LTC. PHILLIPS ADVISED TO MEET 3 A/C FOR EXTRactions OF UH-1H'S FROM DEPT (Swampy Plt.)		F

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41	1231		MYSTIC 66K ADVISED 102 P2 COMPLETE - DISCONTINUED DO TO CONGESTION ON THE P2		E
42	1252		MYSTIC 20 ADVISED THAT A/C ON DELTA ARE READY TO GO. 2 UH-1H'S TOTAL OF FOUR ON LZ.		F
43	1255		GRIPS 30 ADVISED THAT HE WAS NOW TAKING HIS FIT. TO ABN. TO RECEIVE BRIEFING BY M-66.		F
44	1257		ADVISED SWAMPY 20 TO LAUNCH A/C FOR EXTRACTION -		F
45	1257		REGUARD 22 REPOSITIONING TO ABN. PAD TO RECEIVE BRIEFING ALONG WITH GRIPS FIT. AND GUNS-		F
46	1300		MAJ. KEYSERLING ADVISED THAT NO MORE SORTIES WILL BE CARRIED ON DK-2 DUE TO FIRE ON LZ.		F
47	1301		158TH ADVISED ALL 4 A/C ARE READY ON DELTA 1		F

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48	1303		CPT LEE ADVISED THAT TUBES ON MSD 117 118 ARE RIGGED AND READY THIS TIME.		F
49	1905		GRIPS 23 ADVISED OF ENGINE FAILURE - IS TAXING OFF HANGAR ACTIVE THIS TIME.		F
50	1307		DIMMER 3 ADVISED THAT THEY HAVE JUST TAKEN LANDING ON KILO - A/C ARE NOW ENROUTE TO WAMPY - 2 MORE DIMMER 4/C ENROUTE F.TIA 20m.		F
51	1310		SWAMPY 25 ADVISES MUST RETURN TO PHU BAI WITH MAINT PROBLEMS (Banding cycle on pikts side #441)		F
52	1312		CREDIT 37 ADVISES MSD COMPT. (106) WILL REPOSITION ORN TO ATTEND BRIEFING WITH GRIPS	FIT.	F
53	1314		SWAMPY 20 ADVISED THAT ENROUTE FOR EXTRACTION. DOES HAVE CONTACT WITH GUNS - WILL LAUNCH 2 SECOND 2 A/C FOR EXTRACTION		F

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54	1330		Advised PERFECT 20 TO LAUNCH ON 104 - RESUPPLY OF TABAT		E
55	1335		MYSTIC 20 ADVISED THAT AN- OTHER AT AMBUSH XD 73434Z DO STAY CLEAR ^{SI CAL.} GROUP		F
56	1337		SWAMPY 20 ADVISED THAT TWO A/C HAVE BEEN EXTRACTED 1 A/C REMAIN-		F
57	1338		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED THAT ARUNS ARE THINKING OF EXTRACTING FSB. "B" 3 105 TUBES plus MISC. EQUIPMENT.		F
58	1342		COFCARR ADVISED HE HAS PUT LOYAL 33-37 ON A HOLD FOR DUST OFF, IS GUNS ARE NEED GIVE Gp A CALL.		F
59	1400		RECEIVED HEAVY FIRE W/IN- FIREING OUT US TABAT INTO LANG VUY TABAT WEST ALONG ROAD ALL A/C STAY AWAY 1/2 K FROM ROAD BOTH SIDES.		
60	1401		GUN TEAM FOR GRIDS 20 WILL BE		

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61	1405		DIMMER 4 INBOUND THIS LOCATION-		F
62	1430		CREDIT 87 WILL HAVE TO RETURN TO PHU BAI - BOTH GEN - WENT OFF LINE - 2 1/2 TRK WT APPX 21,000 LBS COULD NOT PICK IT UP -		P
63	1437		PERFECT 20 ADVISED THAT 2 A/C HAVE TAKEN FIRE - A/C CANNOT GO SOUTH DUE TO ARTY. P-10 & 13 HAVE TAKEN FIRE - "TV" DOES NOT KNOW FRIENDLY SITUATION -		F
64	1445		TOT 20 1620 H 617 415 RECEIVED ARELT. COORD. FROM SGT. JOHNSON FROM GP.		F
65	1446		ADVISED M-66 THAT 2 1/2 TRK WEIGHS ENTIRELY TOO MUCH. IT MUST BE UNLOAD. IF S4 CANNOT PICK IT UP IT WILL NOT BE POWERS -		F
66	1510		MYSTIC 68 ADVISED OF EXTRACTION COUNT - 1-1/4 1-3/4 1-3/4		

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66	CENT		4-105 TUBES - EXTRACTED FROM FSB R1PHD		F
67	1520		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED OF 4 REMAINING LOADS TO GO TO TABAT 5 TO 90 TO LZBRAVO.		F
68	1531		REGUARD 26 ADVISED THAT DK-10 Camp. 22 & 24 will work 2 105 - DK-8 - 110 -		F
69	1532		P-20 ADVISES HE HAS TWO SPARE A/C HIT - ON LAST SORTIES GOING IN - 14 SORTIES IN - # 13541 19- # 845 -		F
70	1540		ADVISED TO BK MSH OFF (TO ^{LEG} CPT. SMITH)		F
71	1545		CPT. CARR ADVISED OF GUNTO REUSED SATIN 10 - PASSED UH-1H EXTRACTION TO R-26 Lung Wei TO Q.T. # 767		F
72	1546		Launched viper 36 - CONTACT SWAMPY 20 - UH-1F		F
73	1550		MYSTIC 66 ADVISED THAT THERE ARE 4 REMAINING 10#		F
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74	1552		PASSED UH-1H EXTRACTION TO REGUARD 18 # 085 Kilo TO DONG HA!!!		F.
75	1600		P-20 ADVISED THAT PERFECT 13 ADVISED WAS NEGATIVE DAMAGE - P-19 SIC01 THRU 2ND PORT HOLE HIT FORMER SOME BLADE DAMAGE -		F
76	1605		RECEIVED 4 UH-1H EXTRACTIONS # 776 # 771 # 155 # 016		F
77	1630		CREDIT 37 IS LOSED UP WITH WITH SWAMP 20 TO WORK MSN 118 & 119-		F
78	1635		P-13 ADVISED THAT HE CANNOT CARRY UH-1H # 598 BATTERY COVER WILL NOT STAY CLOSED. WILL CARRY A DIFFERENT UH-1H.		F
79	1650		PASSED UH-1H EXTRACTIONS TO SWAMP 13 - AH-1G 740 REGUARD 18 UH-1H # 458 & SWAMP 10 # 155		F
80	1705		SWAMP 20 ADVISED THAT LZ ON 118-118 IS TAKEN UNCONFINING		F

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81	1702		RECEIVED WORD FROM CPT. CARR DEALER 22-23 ARE NOW IN POW - CONTACT		F
82	1715		SWAMP 20 ADVISED THAT HE WAS ABLE TO EXTRACT 1 103 TUBE - ADVISED TO START ON M8N 104 WITH P-20 -		F
83	1725		TIMER 9 ADVISES TO ORBIT UNTIL INCOMING STOPS THEN MAKE ATTEMPT TO EXTRACT TUBES.		F
83.	1730		ADVISED LADY REACH COMT TO LAUNCH BY SATIN 17-18 CONTACT PERFECT 20 - MSH104		F
84.	1731		SWAMPY 20 ADVISES BOTH HIS GUNS ARE DOWN WITH MAINT. TEAM. LONG VEI TO GP. (CPT CARR)		F
85.	1732		REGUARD 26 ADVISES HIS UH-1H # 383 HE HAS JUST EXTRACTED FROM KILD TO DONG HO.		F

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86	1734		Gp ADVISES THAT GUNS CAN NOT BE ACQUIRED AT THIS TIME -		F
87	1735		PASSED UH-1H EXTRACTION # 175 TO SWAMP 28		F
88	1745		PERFECT 20 OFF WITH SARU 17-18 TO WORK MSN 1041-		F
89	1747		SWAMP 28 OFF WITH UH-1H # 175 TO C. EVANS-		F
90	1748		RECEIVED GUN TEAM SPASM GUN TEAM FROM Gp- SPASM 18, 21, 24 -will CONTACT SWAMP 20 UH-1H	TO SWAMP 20	F
91	1802		PASSED UH-1H TO R-26 # 337		F
92	1807		MYSTIC 66 ADVISES MSN 104 COMPT- 25 SORTIES TO BE TABAT-		F
93	1810		REGUARD 26 OUT BOUND WITH UH-1H # 337 RECEIVED 2 UH-1H EXTRACTIONS # 226		F

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94	1812		SWAMPY 20 ADVISED THAT NO ONE WILL CONTACT HIM ON THE PUSH, (EITHER PUSH) NO ONE WILL GO TO THE LEADS.		F
95	1815		RECEIVED UH-1H # 769 FROM 158TH.		F
96	1817		PASSED UH-1H TO P-24 # 623 -		F
97	1818		SWAMP 20 ADVISED C-37 PICKED UP 1 TUBE - STARTED TAKING INCOMING AGAIN. CPT. LEE		F
98	1821		PASSED UH-1H EXTRACTION TO P-20 # 226		F
99	1822		RECEIVED UH-1H # 352 FROM 158TH		F
100	1837		P-10 ADVISED LZ'S ON MSN DK-3 DK-6 @ @.		F
101	1840		SWAMP 20 ADVISES PEOPLE ON P2 CRANK MSN - TO GP - CPT. LEE ADVISES THAT MSN IS SAFE.		F
102	1845		RELEASED C-37 - CONFIDENTIAL		F

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102	1846		M-11 RELEASED SPASM GUN TEAM.		F
103	1850		P-10 ADVISES THAT HIS HOOK IS FAILABLE- PASSED EXTRACTION FROM ALPHA TO SWAMP 20.		F
104	1851		ADVISED GP THAT AAA ARE SHOOTING UP FRIENDLYS N TO ALPHA.		F
105	1858		REQUESTED FROM GP. priority on which A/C TO EXTRACT- A/C ON ALPHA OR LAN VEP	(ALPHA)	F
106	1915		Swamp 20 ADVISED DROPPING A/C OFF AT ALPHA ^{LOGEN} ENROUTE HOME.		P
107	1930		Swamp 20 ADVISED A/C RECOVERY COMPLETE - WILL POC AND RETURN HOME		E
108	2000		Log Closed		SP

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