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From: CO Ninth Marines
To: CG Third Marine Division

Subj: After Action Report Number One (Period 11-13 July 1965)

Ref: (a) 3d MARDIV OpOrder 321-65, 191300H May 1965
(b) 3d Recon Bn OpOrder 421-65
(c) RLT-9 Frag Order 1-65, 101600H July 1965
(d) RLT-9 OpOrder 322-65, 12 July 1965

Encl: (1) Sketch of the Action of the REFLEX Force on 11 July 65
(2) Sketch of the Search and Clear Operation on 12 July 65

1. General

This After Action Report is submitted in accordance with referance (a) and covers the operations of Ninth Marines and the 2d Battalion, 9th Marines during the period 11-13 July 1965.

2. Background

a. As part of the preparation for movement of Ninth Marines from its positions north of the Song Cau Do river into the southern portion of the proposed Division TAOR, the 3d Recon Battalion was requested to conduct reconnaissance operations of the entire southern sector. Company D, 3d Recon Battalion was assigned the task and developed a five day reconnaissance plan for this task. (See Ref (b)).

b. In support of Company D, 3d Recon Battalion, Ninth Marines was requested to provide one PAC team, two Forward Observer teams and an LVT liaison officer. One company from 2d Battalion, 9th Marines was requested as a REFLEX company should the elements of the Recon patrol require assistance. Company G was assigned this task. (See Ref (c)).

c. Shortly after company D, 3d Recon Battalion left their patrol base on 11 July 1965, their 1st platoon came under heavy small arms fire from the village of Duong Son (1) CG AT9968 and were pinned down. The REFLEX force was committed. A sweep was conducted through Duong Son (1) that afternoon and the village was occupied during the next two days by the 2d Battalion, 9th

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Marines. On 12 July 1965 two companies made a sweep from the railroad west to the Song Yen river generally clearing Phong Le (1) CG AT9969, Cam Ne and Yen Ne CJ AT9767. This sweep was conducted against heavy resistance from well concealed positions. On 13 July 1965 positions were strengthened in Duong Son (1) and plans were made for the continuous occupation of the village.

3. Statistics

a. Units Involved

(1) Enemy Forces

One unidentified Viet Cong company is believed to have been operating in the villages of Duong Son (1), Cam Ne (1) and Cam Ne (2) during this operation.

(2) Friendly Forces

Unit	Strength
Company E, 2d Battalion	195
Company F (-), 2d Battalion	159
Company G, 2d Battalion	194
Company D, 1st Battalion	192
Company D, 3d Recon Battalion	98
2d Platoon, Company C, 3d AntiTank Bn	5 M-50 "Ontos"
Company B (-), 1st Amtrac Battalion	8 LVTP-5's 1 LVTC

b. Casualties

	POW	KIA	WIA	MIA
(1) Enemy	1	N/A	*11	*14

* These are confirmed casualties. Intelligence information gathered after this operation indicates that the enemy casualties may have been much greater.

(2) Friendly

(a) Company B	N/A	None	3	6 (1 ARVN)
(b) Company D Recon		None	None	22
(c) Company F		None	None	3
(d) Company G		None	None	4

4. Chronicle of Action

a. 11 July 1965

1110001 - Company D, 3d Recon Battalion began their reconnaissance of the area south of the Song Cau Do river.

111105H - The 1st Platoon, Company D, Recon received sniper fire from the village Yen Ne (2) CC AT 990682 and shortly thereafter they were pinned down by heavy fire from the village of Duong Son (1).

111157H - The REFLEX force, Company G, was committed and began moving to the LP, which was the north end of the bridge at CC AT 998707.

111240H - The 1st Platoon, Company D, Recon had sighted seven Viet Cong suspects in the village of Cam Ne (1) and more in Duong Son (1). Their first casualty was wounded by small arms fire south of Duong Son (1). He died during evacuation.

111300H - Company G moved south from the bridge and deployed along highway 1A to make a sweep of Duong Son (1) from east to west.

111300H - to 111640H Company G made its sweep of Duong Son (1) while Company D, Recon continued its reconnaisance of the area and reported suspected enemy activity in the villages throughout the area with movement of the enemy generally to the south and to the west.

111640H - Company G was engaged in a fire-fight with the enemy on their south flank of Duong Son (1). They found booby traps, entrenched firing positions and communicating trenches in the village. A plan was formulated by the Commanding Officer of Ninth Marines to have Company G occupy defensive positions around Duong Son (1) over night to be reinforced the next day by another company and to conduct a sweep of the villages to the west of the railroad track to the Song Yen river on 12 July 1965 using two companies.

111800H - The 2d and 3d Platoons of Company D, Recon Battalion returned to their patrol base at the south end of the bridge at CC AT 998707 and set up in defensive positions. The 1st Platoon, Company D, Recon and Company F (-) moved to Duong Son (1) to reinforce Company G for the night. Throughout the night and early morning all units south of the Song Cau Do were engaged in sporadic fire-fights.

b. <u>12 July 1965</u>

(1) <u>Movement to the Line of Departure</u>

120600H - Company B, 1st Battalion was attached to 2d Battalion for sweep operations.

120730H - Company B, Company D (-), Recon Battalion and 2d Platoon, Company C, 3d AntiTank Battalion and four M-274's "Mules" with supplies moved south on Highway 1A to the northeast edge of Duong Son (1). They joined with the 1st Platoon, Company D, Recon, and moved through Company F and Company G and deployed along the railroad track which was designated the LCD for the sweep operation. See reference (d) and enclosure (2) for a sketch of the action.

(2) Sweep and Clear Operation

(a) Company D, 3d Recon Battalion

120720H - As the Company approached the Line of Departure south of the village of Duong Son (1) they received moderate fire from the village of Duong Son (2) on their left flank and from the village of Yen Ne (2) on their right flank. One automatic rifle was firing from Duong Son (2) and three VC had been observed entering the woods near Yen Ne (2) and there was an underterminded number in the woods firing that could not be observed.

120830H - The 1st Platoon swung left into the village of Duong Son (1) to destroy the automatic weapon firing from that position. While moving through the village they were fired at from many of the buildings. Eight buildings were destroyed by grenades and rifle fire. There were many shelters and storage areas in the village. At the same time the 2d Platoon moved across the railroad tracks and moved into the village of Yen Ne (2) under cover of a base of fire laid down by the third Platoon.

121000H - The Company reoriented their positions, forming on line with the 2d Platoon holding their positions in Yen Ne (2) and the 1st Platoon moving to the right flank; the 3d Platoon, Company Headquarters and 60mm Mortar Section were in the center. In this formation they moved out at a rapid pace throughout the day with the 1st and 2d Platoons maneuvering while the third Platoon and mortars covered them by fire. The greatest resistance was met in the village of Cam Ne (6) which was very heavily fortified. Pungee stakes were found along the paths. Fence lines had trenches along them and were mined and booby trapped. A mined field was found at XT 974867 and a cement topped bunker covered by a thatched hut was found in the same area. The 1st Platoon approached the village of Cam Ne (6) on line. The ARVN liaison

officer with them noticed the fence was mined and booby trapped. The company the proceeded to grenade the fence to clear the mines. After making gaps in the fence, they proceeded through only to find themselves in a minefield. The mines were anti-personnel and covered a large open area. The 1st platoon proceeded out of the mine field and came abreast of the 2d platoon. The company then came under intense fire from at least twelve different places. The enemy were in trees, dug-in positions and houses. Two casualties were suffered immediately and two corpsman were wounded trying to assist them. Mortar fire was brought on some of the strongest enemy positions. A helicopter evacuation was made for the six MIA's under intense fire. The primary enemy positions were in a tree line bordering a village just across a small stream to the southwest. HU-1B's, Marine combat helicopters were on station and a strike was called for on the enemy in the tree line. After the airstrike the company assaulted across the stream and into the village. Only scattered fire was received at this time. The company took two more casualties at the fence of the village from booby trapped grenades. The casualties were moved back to an area where they could be evacuated. In the village grenades were used to clear the houses from which fire had been received and to destroy caves which may have been hiding the VC. Shortly after this a VC was captured trying to sneak into the company positions with grenades. He was wounded and was evacuated for interrogation and medical treatment. After securing this village, the company was ordered to return to the bridge at CC AT 098707 and began retracing its movement to the east to get to the railroad track. While moving back they again received fire from the villages they had passed through.

121945H - They arrived at the bridge and returned to their Battalion to prepare for further patrolling operations the following day.

(2) (b) <u>1st Battalion, 9th Marines</u>

121015H - Company B deployed on line as shown in enclosure (2) and proceeded to sweep their area of responsibility. Immediately after crossing the railroad tracks the 1st platoon on the left flank received sporadic small arms fire from an estimated squad in the village of Gam Ne (2). After passing through the first cluster of thirteen houses they began crossing a rice paddie when they were taken under fire from their left flank initially and then also from their right front flank. They were receiving heavy fire from automatic weapons from the left which killed one man and wounded one other. The platoon commander at this time requested that the HU-1B's that were on station make a strike, and

he initiated a request for medical evacuation of his casualties. While setting up a perimeter security for the landing zone he sustained another two KIA and four WIA all of which were in the 2d squad which had responsibility for securing the northwest sector of the landing zone. The squad was passing through an opening in a natural bamboo fence when a mine activated by a trip wire exploded and heavy small arms fire was brought to bear on the wounded and the rest of the squad from at least two different positions. The mine killed two men and wounded three others and one more man was wounded by the fire.

121430H - The medical evacuation was carried out without further casualties. The airstrike which had been requested of the HU-1B's was refused because of priority of a mission for company D, 3d Recon Battalion. Two F4B Phantom aircraft were on station in addition to two O1C observer aircraft. An airstrike was called in by the Tactical Air Controll Party with company B. The target was marked with red smoke and the Naval Air Observer directed the Phantoms to the target. Both aircraft made a dummy run and then two more delivery runs. Twenty-eight 2uni rockets were put on target. The results were that the dummy runs caused the VC to run from their positions with the delivery runs catching them in the open. The Naval Air Observer saw six VC killed by the rockets and the men on the ground observed secondary explosions probably from mines. Bits and pieces of human bodies were all that could be identified of the six VC that were hit by the airstrike. The 2d platoon and the company Headquarters which were in the center began receiving fire as soon as they entered the village of Cam Ne (a) although the intensity never equalled that on the left flank. During the airstrike they were kept pinned down by fire coming from the 1st platoon area on the left flank. One of the ARVN advisors with the CP group was wounded at this time and a medical evacuation was called for. There was an hours delay while a landing zone was secured and the evacuation made. The 3d platoon was advancing against light resistance from snipers and had moved ahead of the other two platoons. After the airstrike the resistance fell off and there was a mass evacuation of civilians leaving the village in all directions. It is believed the major part of the enemy force withdrew to the west and then to the south. Company B then advanced to the rendezvous point to join up with the LVTP-5's from company B, 1st Amtrac Battalion.

121815H - The initial elements of company B arrived at the rendezvous point and began moving by LVTP-5's back down the Song Ven and the Song Cau Do to the assembly area at the bridge GC AT 998707.

(2) (c) Company B (-), 1st Amphibian Tractor Bn

120730H - Seven LVTP-5's and one LVTC-1 moved to GC AT 998707 to support the operation in the village of Cam Ne (2) and Cam Ne (1).

120900H - The seven LVTP-5's splashed in the Song Cau Do and spread between GS AT 989699 to GC AT 962688 as a river blocking force.

121200H - On order the LVTP-5's were moved to GC AT 968694 to intercept twenty VC who were believed to be moving in that direction.

121330H - The LVTP-5's received small arms fire from Cam Ne (3) located in the vicinity of GC AT 967686.

121500H - The Commanding Officer of company B, Amtracks was notified that the LVTP-5's would bring company B, 1st Battalion back down the river after the sweep. A rendezvous point was established at GC AT 989692. The tide was going out with only three or four feet of water in the river. The river bottom is soft sand making it very difficult for the LVTP-5's to move at low tide.

121815H - The tractors began moving company B, 1st Battalion down the river to the assembly area at the bridge. The move was hindered by tractors which became stuck in the soft river sand.

121915H - Some of the tractors made it to the assembly area with 47 men. The rest of the company set up a perimeter defence on the island in the river at GC AT 977699 to protect the LVTP-5's still stuck. With great difficulty all of the tractors and men were returned to the assembly area by 130800H and the LVTP-5's returned to their CP for maintenance.

(3) 13 July 1965

130715H - Three Vietnamese interpreters joined Ninth Marines. Two were sent to the 2d Battalion to help search Duong Son (1) GO AT 9968.

130735H - A Force Platoon, 594 Company from the Danang Special Sector with army advisors and an intelligence officer from the Hoa Vang District Headquarters arrived at Duong Son (1) to search the village.

131100H - Company G remained in position while company F provided security for the Vietnamese forces searching the village.

131400H - The search of the village was completed. Enemy documents and important papers were found during the search. Maps and sketches of buildings and tunnels were found.

131520H - A Vietnamese man and child were wounded by a booby trap placed in the village. The child had carried a box into the house and opened it with an ensuing explosion. The child later died.

131800H - Companies F and G, 2d Battalion, Ninth Marines supported by the Popular Force Platoon remained in defensive positions in Duong Son (1). Small arms fire was received throughout the night.

5. Lessons Learned

a. While operating in a village area the 2d squad, 1st platoon, company B, Ninth Marines lost 2 KIA's and 3 WIA's at one instance when a booby trapped mine exploded. This mine was placed at an opening in a natural bamboo fence, a likely place for troops to move. Emphasis should be placed at all times by unit leaders on proper dispersion at the fire team and squad levels. When moving through danger areas such as villages, all fence lines and gates and other likely booby trap locations should be checked by a team of one or two men before the main body of troops move through.

b. Great difficulty was experienced in the movement of amphibian tractors in the Song Yen and Song Cau Ho when the tide was low. The river bottom is soft sand and trafficable

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only with difficulty at low tide. Sandbars which are not plotted on the 1:50,000 maps were also a hindrance to amphibian tractor movement. Accurate river tidal data and river trafficability data must be available during the planning phase of any operation where the use of amphibian tractors is a possibility. This is especially true when tractors are to be used to transport forces and timely movement is an essential part of the plan.

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Situation Report No. 1

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 021730 July 1965 - 032400

3. General Summary. Advance Party RLT-9 arrived 3d MarDiv (FWD) CP at 021730 July 1965 to coordinate and plan subsequent movement of RLT-9. RLT-9 embarked aboard amphibious shipping USS 76.6 sailed for NUE PHU BAI 200360I June 1965. Subsequently USS 76.6 directed by COMSEVENTH to proceed to DANANG where RLT-9 began to administratively offload commencing 071140H July 1965. Regimental assembly area designated coordinates 907719. Units of RLT-9 are offloaded over Red Beach #2 and PIENSBA PENINSULA proceeded to assembly area where units prepared themselves for subsequent operations. RLT-9 continues development of assigned area. Unloading of RLT shipping continues.

4. Activities

a. RLT-9 Advance Party

(1) Composition

(a) Forward Echelon, S-3, S-4, Comm Officer

(b) Advance Party CO RLT-9, CO 2/12 plus 4 officers from RLT 2/9 and selected enlisted personnel.

(2) Operations. Forward echelon arrived 3d MarDiv (FWD) CP at 021730H July. On 3 July two of this party proceeded to NUE PHU BAI on recon of proposed regimental area this party was recalled to 3d MarDiv CP shortly after arrival at NUE PHU BAI on assignment of a mission for RLT-9 in the DANANG area and commenced planning for reception of RLT-9. Advance Party RLT-9 arrived DANANG 041030H July after being called forward by 3d MarDiv. RLT OpOrder 321-65 and Admin Order 321-65 published. CP established 996724.

b. RLT-9 Headquarters

(1) Operations. Commenced debarkation from USS [illegible] (AKA-22) at 072100H July 1965 over Red Beach #2 DANANG. Proceeded to designated assembly area and commenced development of regimental CP (996274).

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c. BLT 2/9

(1) Operations. Commenced debarkation from assigned shipping at 071140H July 1965. CP established 989723. Companies E and G established perimeter defence 989720, 989724. Company F assigned security of Beach area and general unloading operations. Company F aboard USS RENVILLE (APA-37) as ships platoon to offload ammo. One platoon Company F ships platoon for USS PION ARMY (APA-222). At 071830H July one LVT involved in collision with train at Red Beach #2 - LVT expected to be operative 10 July 1965.

(2) Attachments and Assembly Areas

(a) 2d Plt, Co B, 3d Tank Bn - 989719
(b) 2d Plt, Co C, 3d AT Bn - 989719
(c) 2d Plt, Co B, 1st Amtrac Bn - 989719
(d) 1st Plt, Co A, 9th ME Bn - 987718
(e) 2d Plt, Co C, 3d Engr Bn - 987718
(f) D Btry, 2d Bn, 12th Mar - 987718

(3) BLT 2/9 continues to improve defensive positions.

d. 2d Bn (-) (Rein) 12 Marines

(1) Operations

(a) M Btry, 2/12 began debarkation from assigned shipping DANANG harbor 081300H July. CP established 081700H July. Unit continued debarkation and development of assigned area. CP debarked 091530H July. Located 987718. M Btry CP located 989724.

(b) N Btry 2/12 began debarkation from assigned shipping DANANG harbor 071630H July. CP established coordinates 982795.

(c) 107mm Howtzr Btry began debarkation from assigned shipping 081000H July. CP located coordinates 987718.

(d) 1st 8" How Btry began debarkation from assigned shipping 081130H July. CP located coordinates [illegible].

(2) (a) 080908 2dLt Stephen L. [illegible], H Btry 2/12 injured in fall aboard USS CORAL SEA 091115H July. Air evac to DANANG Hospital.

(b) M Btry 2/12 continues to develop position and prepares to provide support to 3/4-9.

e. Co B 3d SP Bn

(1) Operations. CP established with Red Beach #2. Three tanks deployed as security Red Beach #2. Remainder of

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equipment still being debarked from USS GARNER HILL (APD-3).

f. Co C 3d AT Bn

(1) Operations

(a) Company Headquarters began debarkation from USS MARIANAS (AKA-96) over Red Beach #2 DANANG. CP located coordinates 997722 at 081500H July.

(b) Continue to develop CP and provide support if required for BLT-9.

g. Co B 1st Antrac Bn

(1) Operations

(a) Company Headquarters with 6 LVTs loaded over Red Beach #2 DANANG and proceeded to BLT-9 assembly area coordinates 987715. Men personnel remain aboard USS GARNER HILL with motor vehicles.

(b) Continues to develop CP site and provide support to BLT-9.

h. Co C 3d Engr Bn

(1) Operations. Equipment and personnel still being debarked from USS GARNER HILL (APD-3).

i. Co A 9th MT Bn

(1) Operations. Company Headquarters debarked from USS MARIANAS (AKA-96) over Red Beach #2 081500H July. CP established coordinates 002772.

j. Co B 3d Med Bn. At present located 3d Med Bn awaiting anticipated detachment from BLT-9.

5. Changes in location of headquarters: None

6. Changes in location and establishment of new CPs: None

7. Training

a. BLT-9 Headquarters. Conducted training aboard ship on various subjects applicable to the units deployment to RVN.

b. BLT 2/9

(1) Reconnaissance of area by all unit leaders and staff officers.

(2) Preventive Maintenance.

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(1) GMB
(2) Vietnam Briefings
(3) Maintenance of equipment

d. Co B 1st Antrng Bn

(1) Maintenance of vehicles
(2) Care and Cleaning
(3) Operations of Machine Guns
(4) Preparations of positions in assembly area

8. Plans. Planning attachment of observers from MAF 2/9 to BLT 1/3 for two days company patrol.

9. Miscellaneous

a. Liaison with the HQ VNN District Chief Capt HOA, LtCol UNROH, Senior Advisor RVNF I Corps and Major WASHBURN USA, Senior Advisor with the HQ CAN Training Company for the purpose of coordinating all activities in the BLT-9 assigned area. A land line was laid between Major WASHBURN's Headquarters and BLT's CP.

b. MC MAF-9 assigned responsibility for the formation and training of an Airfield Defense Battalion Planning has been initiated with Division Staff.

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Situation Report No. 2

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 101001H July 1965 - 102400H

3. General Summary. RLT-9 continues to develop unit positions. Debarkation from assigned shipping continues. Reconnaissance and planning for future expansion of regimental TACA initiated.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Hq

(a) CO and S-3 RLT-9 together with CO and S-3 RLT 2/9 conducted helicopter recon of proposed regimental TACA.

(b) 101300H July S-3 RLT-9, CO 3d Recon Bn, CO 3d Recon Co together with Major ARVN Advisor to ARVN Special Sector and DAI NE DAI District Chief RVN RCA VAB District. Liaison was effected on the proposed recon operation in the Southern section of the Division TACA. On conclusion of liaison conference a recon patrol was conducted to Railway Bridge and CAM LE FAC Bridge. Recon was also made on roads South to intersection of Routes 1 and 14.

(c) FSCC. Fired one mission, ordnance HE Fuze Timed.

(2) RLT 2/9

(a) Co E occupies defense positions at 985721 to 985719; Co D from AT986723 to AT983725; Co F (-) within CP perimeter at AT998723 with remainder as Red Beach #2 security at AT934723. One platoon Co E occupies positions at AT993722. Co E (-) aboard USS RENVILLE (APA-227) as ships platoon. 81 Mor platoon occupies positions at AT984716. 106RR platoon CP security. Bn CP coordinates AT998723.

(b) Attachments remain the same except 2d platoon Co B, 3d Tank Bn, 2d platoon. Co C, 3d engineer Bn still task organized to RLT but located with parent units.

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(3) 2d Bn, 12th Marines (-) (Rein). All units task organized to 2/12 involved in development of unit positions.

(4) Co D 3d Tank Bn. All equipment and personnel debarked from USS CHARLES HALL (LST-3) by first light 10 July. Three gun tanks remain Red Beach 2 on a security mission. The three flame tanks of Co D directed to bivouac for night 9/10 July with Co A 3d Tank Bn.

(5) Co C 3d Engineer Bn. Completed debarkation from USS CHARLES HALL (LST-3) 101200H July. Present location 3d Engineer Bn compound.

(6) Co D, 1st Antrac Bn. Nothing to report.

(7) Co C, 3d AT Bn. Nothing to report.

(8) Co A 9th AT Bn. Nothing to report.

b. Patrols

(1) Co D 3d Recon Bn will conduct a five day recon patrol in the proposed new regimental GACR beginning 110800H July. BLT-9 will provide accompany direct support. BLT 2/9 will assign six officers and two to accompany the patrol for area familiarization. Co G, BLT 2/9 will be located at AT988721 and assigned the mission of reaction force. The patrol will be supported by two FOs and a FAC team provided by BLT 2/9.

(2) Two officers and six enlisted personnel from BLT 2/9 attached as observers for two day patrol with BLT 1/3 in that unit's GACR. H-Hour for this patrol 102000H July.

c. Ambushes. None

5. Changes in location of headquarters

a. 2d Bn 12 Marines - AT998725
b. Co D, 3d Tank Bn - located Co A, 3d Tank Bn CP
c. Co C, 3d Engineer Bn located 3d Engineer Bn compound.

6. Changes in location of establishment of new CPs - None

7. Training

a. BLT-9 continues to prepare defensive positions and develop CP sites. Preventive maintenance of vehicles and equipment conducted by all units.

b. BLT 2/9 81mm Mot platoon conducted training with

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the 60mm Mortar.

8. Plans. As described in paragraph 4b. CO, 1st Bn 3d Recom Bn intends to establish a small working hand workers at [illegible] 9 CP 110800H July.

9. Miscellaneous. CO RCT-9 attended conference with CG 3d MarDiv(Rein) 1500 hours at Division CP.

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Situation Report No. 4

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 120001H July - 122400H

3. General Summary of Events. 120001H July Companies "F" and "G" BLT 2/9 occupied a perimeter defense DONG SON I coordinates 998687. Company "B" 1st Bn, 9th Marines, moving via highway 1A, crossed initial point (Railway Bridge - coordinates AT998707) and proceeded SOUTH and SOUTHEAST to the LOD (coordinates 993683 to 996691) for planned sweep operation (Sitrep #3). LOD was crossed at 0900 hours and company began its sweep in westerly direction. B company on arrival DONG SON I moved through and around companies "G" and "F" and continued their attack due west through KAM NI villages 1 and 2 (coordinates AT991689). Company "D" 3d Recon Bn with two platoons left patrol base (located north of railway bridge coordinates 998707) 0600 hours and moved coordinates AT999700 to vicinity coordinates YIEN NE #3 (coordinates AT990680). At 0830 hours the third recon platoon which had remained in the overnight defensive position with companies "G" and "F" rejoined their company. Moving westward the company began to move around the left flank of "B" company 1/9 clearing the area from YIEN NE #2 to KAM NE #3 coordinates AT962682. Recon company remained at vicinity KAM NE #3 from 1230 hours until 1630 hours. Unit returned to patrol bases (railway bridge coordinates AT998707) following a reverse route through the area which they had previously swept. Light sniper fire encountered enroute, arrived patrol base 1805 hours.

Radio contact with company "B" 1/9 lost from 1700 hours. Last known location coordinates AT971689 moving west to the SONG YEN RIVER. Intention of CO BLT 2/9 to meet company "B" vicinity coordinates AT965688 with LVTs and return them via river to railway bridge (coordinates AT998707) where transport will return them to parent unit. During period covered by this report companies "G" and "F" swept DONG SONG villages supported by armed HUIEs, air strikes and 81mm Mortars. Final dispositions as at 1800 hours indicated in overlay attached as enclosure (1) to this SITREP.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) Further details of this operation will be forwarded

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on completion of debriefing of company commanders involved.

(2) FSCC Operations

(a) ARTY - 1 mission, 16 rounds illumination

(b) AIR - 2 missions - MK 82 and ZUNIES
- Air cover for Amtrac movement no ordnance fired

b. Patrols. None

c. Ambushes. None

5. Changes to location of headquarters

a. Companies "F" and "G" see overlay attached.

6. Changes to or establishment of new OPs. None

7. Training

a. Company "B" 3d Tank Bn - Preventative maintenance.

b. RLT Headquarters (S-1) personnel procedures normal and in accordance with CG 3d MarDiv Directives.

8. Plans. Complete withdrawal of "D" company 3d Recon Bn and "B" company 1st Bn, 9th Marines. Companies "F" and "G" 2d Bn, 9th Marines to remain overnight deployed as indicated in attached enclosure (1).

9. Miscellaneous

a. Major M. E. IRONS replacement for Major H. R. HENN as Regimental Communications Officer.

b. Civil Action: BLT 2/9 rendered medical aid to children of families located in vicinity RLT-9 CP. 15 treated 11 July, Regimental Surgeon treated 20 children vicinity 3d Tank Battalion CP. Treated 2 year old girl suffering from grenade wounds substained approximately 2 months ago.

c.c. Displacement of civilians from area of operations: A family of VN were required to move from 3d Tank Battalion CP. Payment of 15 bags of cement and approximately $80.00 U.S. currency offered and accepted. Captain HOA of Provience Headquarters VN, Major KEEVER, 3d MarDiv negoiated payment on 10 July. Payment not made at this time. Cement procured by 3d Tank Battalion and available. Family will not move until finicial settlement is made.

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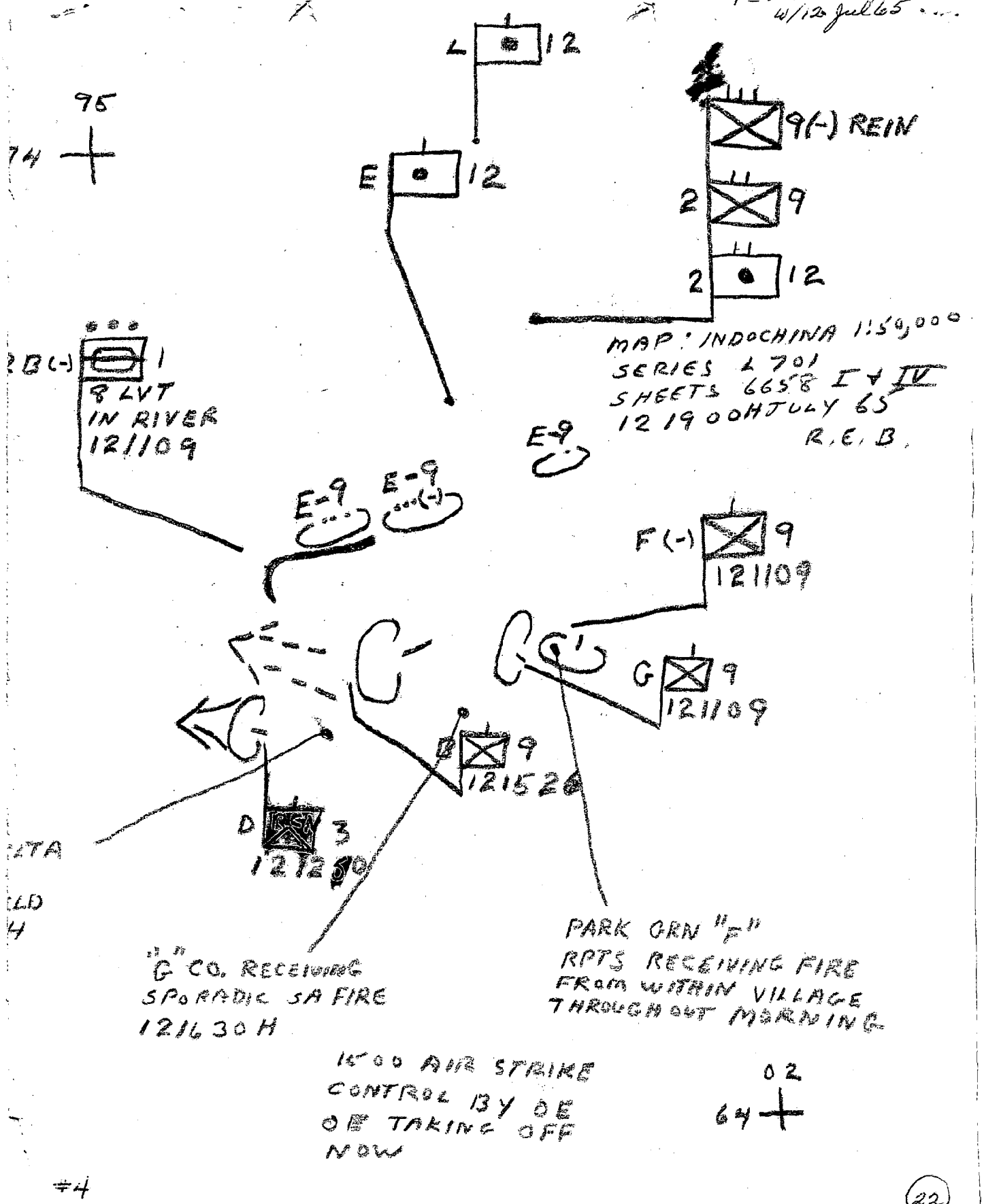

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Situation Report No. 5

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 122400H July 1965 to 132400H

3. General Summary of Events. Company "G" remained in defensive positions AT997691 to AT992682, receiving sporadic fire during the night. Company "F" remained in defensive positions at GT997691 to BT004693 reporting no enemy contacts. Echo company provided reaction force and defended battalion perimeter. Company "B" Commander 1st AmTrac Battalion continued through night to extract six mired tractors at GT979699 with remainder of B 1/9 troops for security. All tractors free and in area at 0930. ONTOS from end of bridge and returned to area at 0230. Forty-five men from B 1/9 returned to unit. Company "H" returned to 2/9 from USS RENVILLE at 1530. "F" Company (-) conducted search and clear operation assisted by one platoon popular forces from DANANG Special Sector. Swept village DUONG SONG No. 1 and returned to old positions. One civilian injured by booby trap, one killed. Three Marines injured during evacuation process by mistaken frag grenade for smoke. ATL returned to duty

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. Received three RVN interpreters from 3d Division on assignment from I Corps. Headquarters units continue construction of camp areas and improve defensive positions. RLT-9 Executive Officer to 1/9 as prospective CO, Airfield defense command.

(2) 2/9. No change in positions. Company "E" assisted 2d Platoon, company "B", 1st AmTracs in the evacuation of company "B", 1st battalion, 9th Marines from the south bank of the Song Cau Do river. Company "F" perimeter defense AT997691 to BT004693 with three Ontos. At 130905 with attachment of ARVN personnel and a mine sweeping team from engineers, company "F" began search and clear operations of Duong Song No. 1 village at coordinates AT998688. Company "F" found various documents, sketches, tunnels and 1 and 2 man fighting holes within village. Villagers of Duong Song No. 1 reported that VC had moved out of village during the night. No VC contact reported. No casualties reported. At 1450 Duong Song No. 1 village AT998688, two RVN civilian casualties from booby trap. Originally reported as 60mm. Young boy killed and old man injured. Requested helo evac. Could not contact helos. Moved to AT997708. In course of attempting to contact helos and mark LZ, one Marine grabbed a grenade box, ran down the hill, opened the

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and threw grenade. It was a fragmentation instead of yellow smoke. One officer and two enlisted wounded as result. Two enlisted evacuated by vehicle to C&C. Old man finally evacuated by helicopter to DANANG airfield for transfer to civilian hospital following treatment by med. One officer treated BAS and released. Company "G" perimeter defense at AT993684 to AT998693 with two Ontos. Company "F" operations reported sporadic sniper fire N.W. of Camne No. 1 130000 to 130530H. No Casualties. Received two rounds sniper fire on right flank at 1515 from west side railroad tracks. Company "H" - Co (-) provided routine security at battalion CP. Remainder of Co "H" moved to battalion CP area from Red Beach #2 arriving here at approximately 1530. Company "H" tied in with Company "E" to provide for battalion perimeter security.

(3) 2d Bn 12th Marines(-) (Rein). Improved positions. Computed high burst registration for E 2/12. 107mm Howtars improved positions and prepares for airlift operations. M 2/12 improves positions. 1st 8" Battery (-) improved positions.

(4) Co B 3d Tank Bn. Three gun tanks from Red Beach #2 at 131300 to A Co CP. &C 983742. Three flame tanks at Tank Battalion CP.

(5) Co C 3d Engineers. Operating and located with 3d Engineer Battalion compound.

b. Patrols. None

c. Ambushes. None

5. Changes in Location of Headquarters

a. Foxtrot Company - BT001691
b. Golf Company - AT992688
c. Hotel Company - AT998723
d. Bravo 1/9 - DANANG Airfield

6. Establishment of CPs. RLT-9 CP at AT991710.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. Present plans consolidates Duong Son village area with "F" and "G" Companies. "E" company will reinforce "F" and "G" to pacify Duong Son village areas. Hotel company to provide perimeter defense.

9. Miscellaneous. Continue work on relocation of family in 3d Tank battalion CP. Major KEEVER Division Civil Affairs Officer assisted. Family agreed to move. Tank battalion provided transportation and working parties. Continued treatment of civilians at BAS. Located area to establish MEDCAP Station at BT000714.

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Army advisory group will assist in notifying civilians of opening. Third Tank Battalion continues medical assistance to FONG BAI hamlet next to their CP.

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Situation Report No. 6

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 132400H July 1965 to 142400H

3. General Summary of Events. The regimental perimeter had sightings of six different people during period 132350 and 140120. Illumination was used and no one occasion Marines fired. Two rounds of incoming in HD-4 9 area at 132350. Local perimeter patrols were established. 1st platoon Foxtrot Company returned from Red Beach #2 where sniper fire produced one KIA. Companies "F" and "G" occupy same positions. Company "H" occupies perimeter defense AT989722 with 1st platoon on Hill 47 coordinates AT976704. Echo company provides security for Bn CP with one platoon ammo dump security AT987733 in relief of 3d Marines. Delta company 3d Recon in support of RLT-9 conducted platoon patrol in area 3. Platoon patrol to be established with squad sized patrols in area 4 from 1830, 14 July to 1830 15 July.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. Two incoming rounds of S/A fire received in HD-4 9 area of perimeter 132340. Sighting of two persons. Illumination used. No further sighting. At approximately 0040, HD-4 2/12 sighted 2 persons and unidentified object 300 meters to front. Illumination used, no further sightings. A local patrol toured perimeter from 0600 to 0830 negative contact.

(2) BLT 2/9. Company "E" occupies its positions until approximately 141000, at which time they were occupied by Company "H"; Company "E" moved to BLT 2/9 CP as security. Company "F" occupies same positions in vicinity of village Duong Son No.1. 1st platoon, company "F" returned to BLT 2/9 CP from Red Beach #2. Company "G" occupies same positions in vicinity of Duong Son No.1. Company "H" (-) occupies a perimeter defense in vicinity of coordinates 989722; 1st platoon, Company "H" occupies Hill 47 coordinates 976704, 3d platoon (-) provides security for the water point located on north end of the bridge at coordinates 998708. Platoon from Echo Company relieved 3d Marines of ammunition dump security AT987733. Elements from "F" and "G" were rotated to Bn CP for showers and chow.

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(3) 2dBn, 12th Marines (-) (Rein). Illuminated sightings of two persons 400 meters from perimeter. At 140040. No further sightings. Local perimeter patrol 141400 to 141530, no contact. Improved positions. 107 Howters loading equipment aboard aircraft in preparation for airlift. "F" Battery improves position and prepares for airlift.

(4) Company "B" 1st AmTrac Bn. Conducted maintenance and repairs to LVTs following operations and preparations for future operations. Conducted helo recon to south with emphasis on river study all areas and ground study in area 5.

b. Patrols. Local perimeter only. No contact.

c. Ambushes. None

5. Changes in Location of Headquarters

Hotel Company (-) 989722

a. 1st Platoon 976704
b. 3d Platoon (-) 998708
c. Echo Company to Bn CP
1st Platoon Echo Company Coordinates 987733

6. Establishment of OPs. BLT 2/9 at 998706

7. Training. 2/9 conducted 60mm Mortar training at BOs VAN range. 2/12 classes on grenades and pyro.

8. Plans. Consolidates in Duong Son village area with "F" and "G" companies. "E" company will reinforce.

9. Miscellaneous

a. Situation at Red Beach #2 finally quieted down and late reports indicate that at approximately 152100H 1st platoon "F" company was providing security for Red Beach #2. They received four rounds of incoming small arms fire from NW. Requested illumination. One crane stuck with crew 400 meters in front of position. Shore Party and platoon establishing perimeter defence. One KIA from head wounds. Helicopter evacuation. 9th Marines requested searchlight tanks from 3d Marines. At 2247 PanHandle-6 reported swimmers sighted out from position of Red Beach #2. Later reports indicate none sighted. One light section with searchlight tank arrived at 2250. Tanks reported fired at one person with automatic weapon. Illumination revealed nothing further, including threat from water. Total rounds incoming approximately 30.

b. CO HMM-9 made liaison with head Buddhist priest at the orphange at coordinates BX005692 at Duong Son Village No.1. Inquired into any assistance by Marines. It was determined that

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medical supplies and assistance was major concern. Medical team dispatched. Engineers also for road and bridge recon.

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2. Period Covered. 142400H July 1965 to 152400H

3. General Summary of Events. All units continued preparation of positions and maintenance of equipment. 2dBn, 9th Marines continued search and clear operations in the village of Dong Song (1) coordinates 998688. One ARVN platoon, a six man security team from Danang Special Sector and a psycological warfare team of ARVN popular forces joined 2dBn, 9th Marines to conduct political indoctrination in Dong Song. A defensive perimeter was established around the village by 151900H.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. Continued to prepare defensive positions around CP. Continued to support 2dBn, 9th Marines operations in the village of Dong Song.

(2) BLT 2/9. Company "F" and company "G" (-) with assistance of one platoon of ARVN, a security team from Danang Special Sector and a pycological warfare team of ARVN Popular Forces, searched the village of Dong Song and conducted political indoctrination. Company "F", company "G" (-), company "E" (-) and the ARVN platoon established a defensive perimeter around the village by 151900H. Company Golf provides a security platoon for the ammunition supply dump at coordinates 987733. The 81mm mortar platoon fired two missions. Four rounds of illumination were fired for company "F" at 150055H at coordinates 999695. Nothing observed. Two rounds of illumination were fired for company "E" at 150230H at coordinates 999706. Nothing observed. Company "H" remained in position. At 1745H the Reaction force from 2dBn, 9th Marines was alerted for helo lift to provide security for a downed helicopter. A command group from H&S company, two platoons from company "F" and one platoon from company "E" began fly away at 151840H.

(3) 2dBn, 12th Marines (-) (Rein). Battery "D" fired two rounds of illumination at 142045H for company "E" who reported sniper fire at coordinates AF992709. "F" battery 4thBn, 12th Marines and 107mm Mortar Battery staged for deployment. Headquarters battery sent parties to Marble Mountain and Hill 327. From 1000-1600 to make a target area survey. Continued

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t ations.

(4) 2d Platoon, Company "B" 1st AmTrac Bn. None

(5) 2d Platoon, Company "B" 3d Tank Bn. Moved one light gun section to RLT-9 CP at 151703 Metres

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. No changes.

6. Establishment of CPs. Headquarters Battery 2/12 established CPs at coordinates 074781 and 970737 from 151100 to 151530H.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans.

(1) Continues search and clearing operations in Dong Son No. 1 with support of ARVN platoon. Consolidate perimeter defense oriented primarily to the south and southeast.

(2) In conjunction with ARVN to make a sweep ASAP of Phong Le (2) to include identification of persons living there and subsequently providing security for the village.

(3) In conjunction with ARVN forces make an amphibious landing south of Marble Mountain with an appropriate size force and conduct sweep. clear and holding operation to the southeast of Marble Mountain. Operation will take place when forces are available. Use of LCU's or LVT's will be considered. Direction of attack will be from south to north.

(4) 2d Platoon, "B" company. 1st AmTrac Battalion plans a recon of the north bank of the Song Con Do river from coordinates 998707 to coordinates 965702 160830H.

9. Miscellaneous. Exchange services is now available in the Headquarters Company and 2/9 CP area. An arrangement has been made with a civilian concern to pick up laundry beginning 16 July 1965. Began granting ten percent liberty this date.

10. Civil Affairs

(1) RLT-9 Civil Affairs Officer contacted the village chief on highway 1 in regards to establishing a MEDCAP station. An interpreter was sent to 3d Tank Battalion to assist in setting up an aid station for the villagers in that area. A civilian laundry will pick up laundry at the Regimental CP beginning 16 July 1965.

(2) Sick call was held in the village of Dong Song today by 2/9. About 50 patients were seen. People with complicated problems like fevers and failing eyesight could not be helped because of translation difficulties and lack of equipment and supplies.

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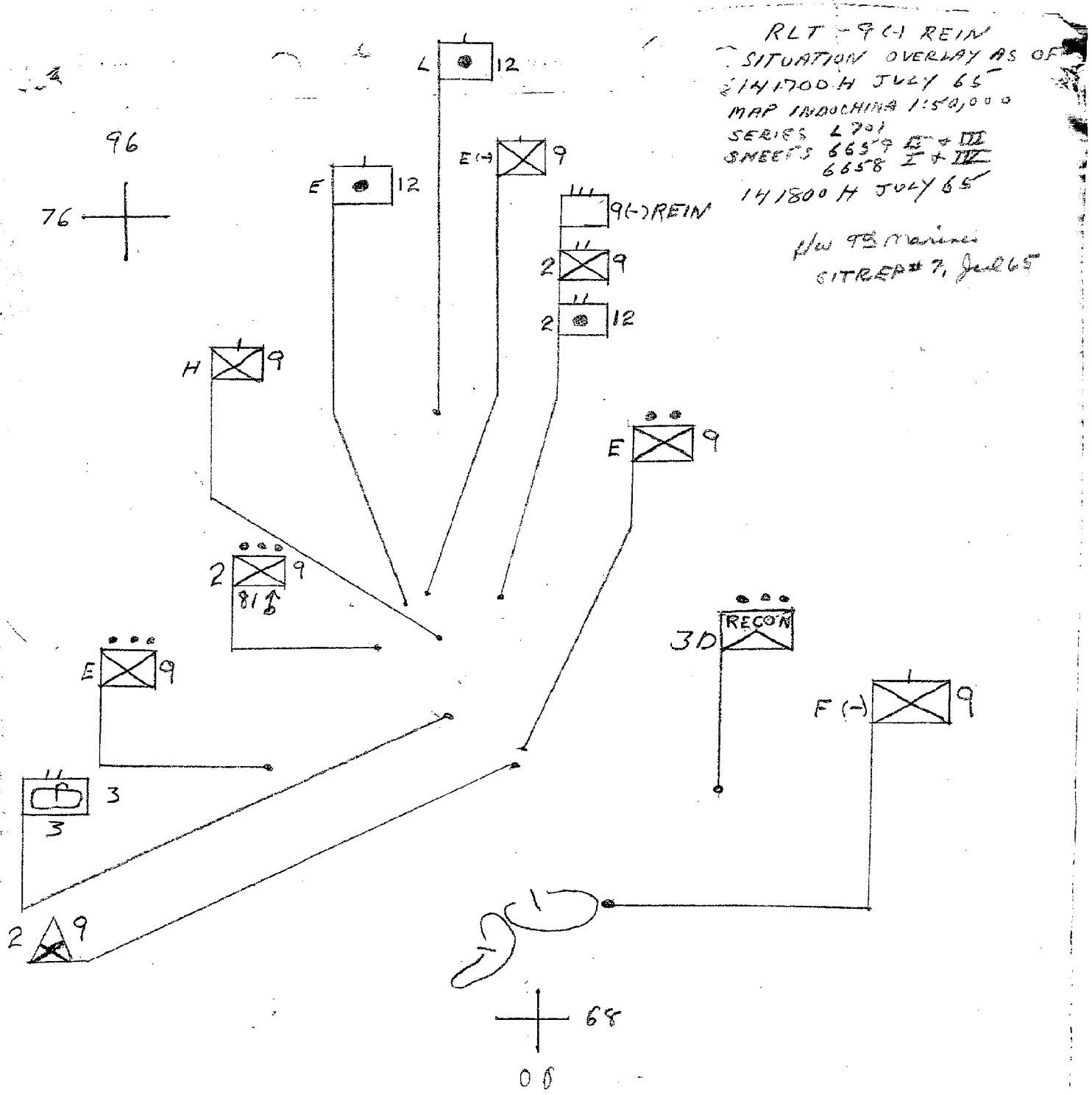
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1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 160001H July 1965 to 162400 July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. All units continued preparation of positions and maintenance of equipment. 2dBn, 9th Marines continued search and clear operations in the village of Duong Son (1) GC AT998688 and continued preparation of defensive positions in a perimeter around the village. Enemy activity within the village ceased during the last 24 hours. Continued effort was made to give medical aid to local inhabitants of the area and liaison was continued with HQ. CAN Training Center, with the senior advisor MACV, with the chief du Canton and with the Canton policeagency.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. Continued to support 2dBn, 9th Marines operations in the village of Dong Son. Continued to improve defensive positions around the RLT-9 Headquarters. Between the hours 161200H and 161215H movement and noise was observed to the northwest of the RLT-9 perimeter. At 160230H a man was observed with binoculars on a roof in the same area. Similar sightings of one and two men were made during the early morning.

(2) 2dBn, 9th Marines. Throughout the night and early morning Company "F", Company "G" (-), Company "E" (-) and the 2d platoon, 594 (RVN) Popular Force Company received sniper fire from outside the village generally from Duong Son (2) and Cam Ne (2). During daylight these companies continued to improve their perimeter defenses. From 161300H to 161630H Company "F" provided security for the Popular Force Platoon which conducted a search of the village. All sniper fire from within the village has ceased since the search by Company "H" yesterday. Company "H" situation remains the same and one platoon from Company "G" continues to provide security for the ammo dump at GC AT987733. Company "F" had one KIA today which was a minor flesh wound from small arms fire. Blood was found at GC 995685 where an enemy sniper had been fired at with a sniperscope. Company "F" shot a sniper out of a tree at coordinates 995680. Enemy casualties 2 WIA's. The bodies were not recovered.

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(3) 2dBn, 12th Marines (-) (Rein)

(a) Headquarters Battery continued to improve positions.

(b) 8" Battery (-) continued to improve positions.

(c) "E" Battery fired one mission in support of Company "B". The target was sniper fire from a house at coordinates 994681. Ten rounds HE were fired, four for adjustment and six for effect. No casualties were observed.

(d) "H" Battery staged for airlift.

(e) 107mm Mortar Battery staged for airlift.

(4) 2d Platoon Company "H" 1st Amtrac Bn. None.

(5) 2d Platoon Company "H" 3d Tank Bn. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. No changes.

6. Establishment of CPs. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans

(1) Withdraw Company "B" (-) from the village of Duong Son (1), GC AT998683 in preparation for future operations. Retain two companies in perimeter defense of the village.

(2) In conjunction with regional forces from the ROA VANG district, sweep the villages of Phong Le (2) BE 0070 and Gom Nam DA 0170.

(3) In conjunction with forces from the ROA DAK Training Center, conduct a combined patrol of the north bank of the Song Gau Ro on Saturday, 17 July 1965.

9. Miscellaneous

a. Liaison was established with Major FORTHEW, USA Senior MACV advisor and with Lieutenant NBOA, the ROA DAK security officer. The CO RLF-9 made direct liaison with MAJ BUI, the Chief du Canton, ROA CHAN CANTON, and with the district police agent (MR HON) and with CN VAN QUA the canton police agent.

b. Civilian laundry service began in the RLF-9 CP.

10. Civil Affairs. 2dBn, 9th Marines BAS treated 36 civilians today. Most patients had skin diseases. One doctor and staff treated 3 civilians and ten ARVN men in the village of Duong Son

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(1). RLT-9 Civil Affairs Officer contacted the Division CAO in regards to moving six civilians homes adjacent to the RLT-9 CP. MedCap supplies for the remainder of July were ordered.

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SITREP No. 9

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 170001H July 1965 to 172400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. Three companies of 2dBn, 9th Marines "E" (-), "F" and "G" (-) continued their defense of Duong Son (1) GC AT9968. Companies "E" (-) and "F" received small arms fire throughout the night from the south and west and some sniper fire from within the village. About 162300H company "F" received three 60mm Mortar rounds in their positions. It is suspected that the location of the mortars was in the village of CAM NE (2) to the west. Three men were wounded by the mortar fire: one superficially, the other two had minor wounds but required medical evacuation. About 162400H another 60mm Mortar round was received in Company "E" positions. The M50 Ontos fired at the suspected 60mm Mortar position. After mortar attack the area was illuminated by aircraft flares. After illumination ceased, the TPS-21 picked up unidentified targets twice at GC AT991681. Machine Gun and 3.5" rockets were fired at the targets with unknown results. Echo Battery fired three illumination missions in support of 2dBn, 9th Marines. 18 rounds were fired about 170200H. About 170230H enemy activity ceased around Duong Son (1). During the day a squad (rein) from company "E" supported a ARVN company patrol. While companies "E" and "G" (-) continued to support the search operations in Duong Son (1). All units continued to improve defensive positions. Detachment 36 Engineer Battalion repaired railroad bridge at GC AT990699. It is now passable for [illegible] ton traffic. There were 2 air medical evacs and two resupply missions flown in support of the Duong Son Operation.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. The search and clear operation scheduled for Phong Le (1) GC AT9969 was postponed.

(2) 2dBn, 9th Marines. Companies "F" and "G" (-) provided security for the 2d Platoon, 504 (ARVN) Popular Force Company, which continued search operations in Duong Son (1). When the search and clear operation was postponed for Phong Le GC AT9969, Company "E" returned to the 2dBn CP.

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(3) 2dBn, 12th Marines (-) (Rein)

(a) Headquarters Battery, [illegible] HOWITZER Battery and E Battery continued to improve positions. E Battery fired three illumination missions in support of 2d Battalion.

(b) F Battery and 107mm Mortar Battery remain staged for airlift.

(4) 2d Platoon Company "B" 1st AmTrac Bn. None.

(5) 2d Platoon Company "B" 3d Tank Bn. None.

b. Patrols

(1) One squad (Rein) from Company "H" conducted a joint patrol with an ARVN Company from NOA OAM Training Center along the north bank of the Song Cau Do in GS 9770, GS 9870 and GS 9970.

(2) Company "B", 1st Amtrac Battalion conducted a squad recon patrol from their CP GC AT985703 south to the Song Cau Do, west along the north bank to GC AT975700, north to destination at GC AT975705. They were looking for an LVT entrance to the river. Negative results and no enemy contact.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. Company "B" CP to GC AT994723.

6. Establishment of CPs. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans

a. Headquarters BLT-9. No new plans.

b. Company "B" (-), 1st Amtrac Bn. Plan to move 8 LVTP-5s during darkness tonight to north side of the railroad bridge at GC AT998707. Six LVTP-5s will support an operation of 1st Battalion, 9th Marines tomorrow. Two LVTP-5s will be employed with the river check point starting tomorrow morning.

Miscellaneous. None.

Civil Affairs

Civilian Employees. No change.

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(1) Duong Song (1)	18 Patients
(2) BLT 2/9 EAS	03 Patients
~~(3) 3d Tank Bn, EAS~~	~~Unknown~~ NTR

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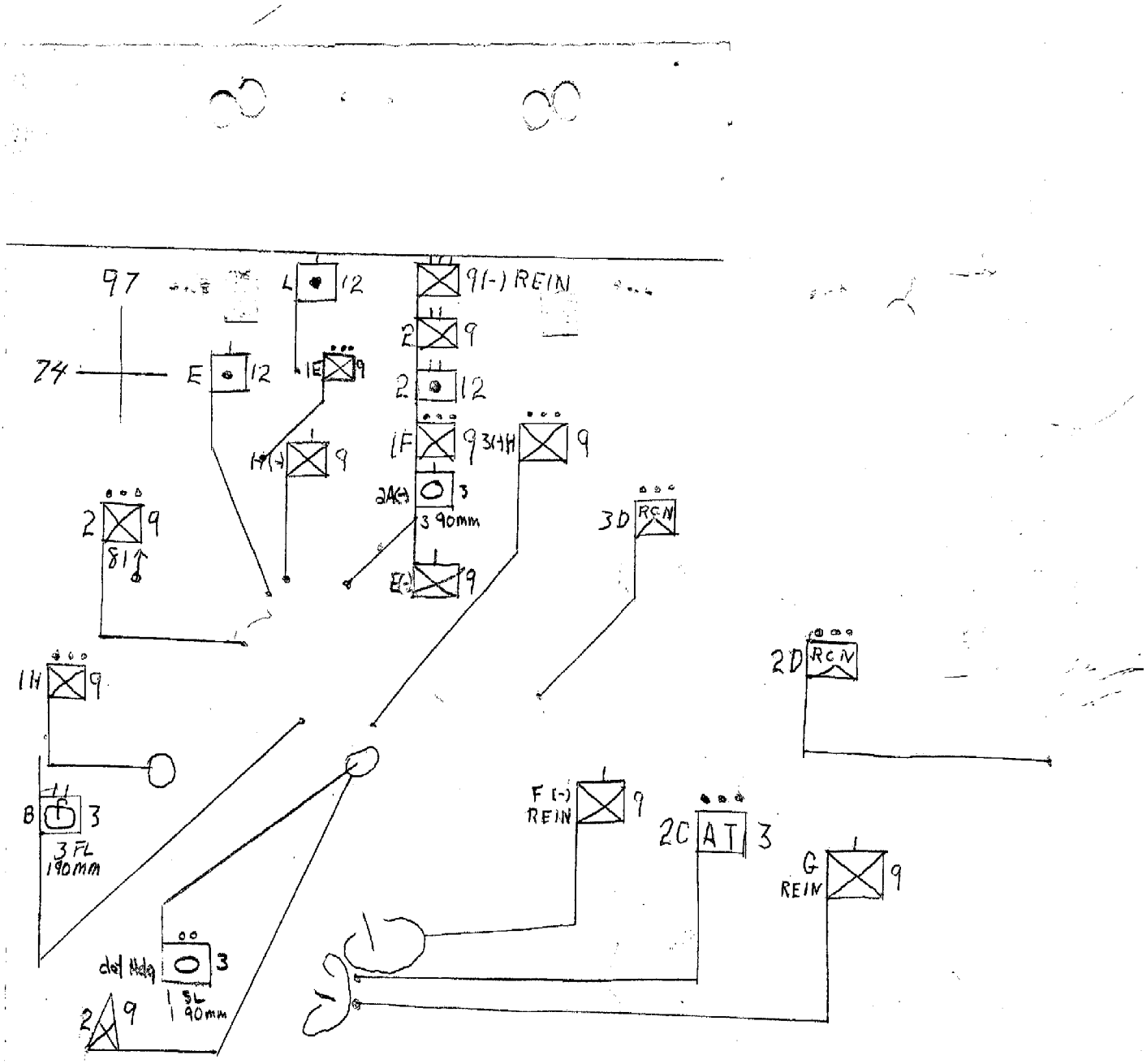

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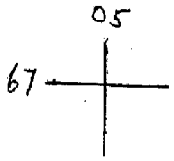

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SITREP No. 10

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2. Period Covered. 180001H July 1965 to 182400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. During this period companies "F" and "G" (-) reinforced by the 2d platoon, 504 (ARVN) Popular Force Company and the 2d platoon. Company "C", 3d AT Battalion, continued operations in Duong Son (1). During the night sniper fire was received from the villages to the south, (AT998878) and to the west (AT992889). Around 172100H two rocket devices were fired over the company "G" positions and landed in a rice paddy. Company "G" fired a 3.5" HE rocket around at a suspected enemy position on the edge of Cam Ne (2) and under this illumination trained machine gun fire on personnel sighted. There were no confirmed enemy casualties, but it is estimated the rocket fire wounded three and the machine gun fire wounded six. There were no friendly casualties. There was no sniper fire from inside Duong Son (1) last night. Today company "E" moved from the 2dBn CP and established defensive positions from GC 991723 to GC 987724. The 1st platoon, company "F" and a detachment of 6 LVTP-5s supported a 1stBn, 9th Marines operation by establishing a blocking force on the Song Can Do. (See para 4a3). All units continued preparation of positions.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. None.

(2) 2d Battalion, 9th Marines. The 1st platoon, company "H" supported a 1st Battalion, 9th Marines operation this morning in accordance with 1st Battalion, 9th Marines FRAG ORDER 5-65. (See Below)

(3) Company "B" 1st AmTrac Bn. A detachment from the 2d platoon of six LVTP-5s picked up the 1st platoon, company "H" at GC AT998708 and established blocking positions from 170600H to 170830H at the following coordinates; AT006707, AT010709, AT021718, AT023722, AT006707, AT031727 and AT032731. No enemy contact was made and the forces returned to their parent units by 181000H.

(4) 2dBn, 12th Marines (-) (Rein). None.

(5) 2d Platoon Company "B" 3d Tank Bn. None.

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b. Patrols. Last night during the hours of darkness a squad of company "G" 2/9 reinforced with six ARVN patrolled Duong Son (1) within their perimeter.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. Company "E" CP moved to coordinates AT997723.

6. Establishment of OPs. Company "G", 2/9 has a squad OP with a "M-21 and operators at coordinates AT995684.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. No plans not previously reported.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

(1) Duong Son	29 Patients
(2) BLT 2/9 BAS	49 Patients

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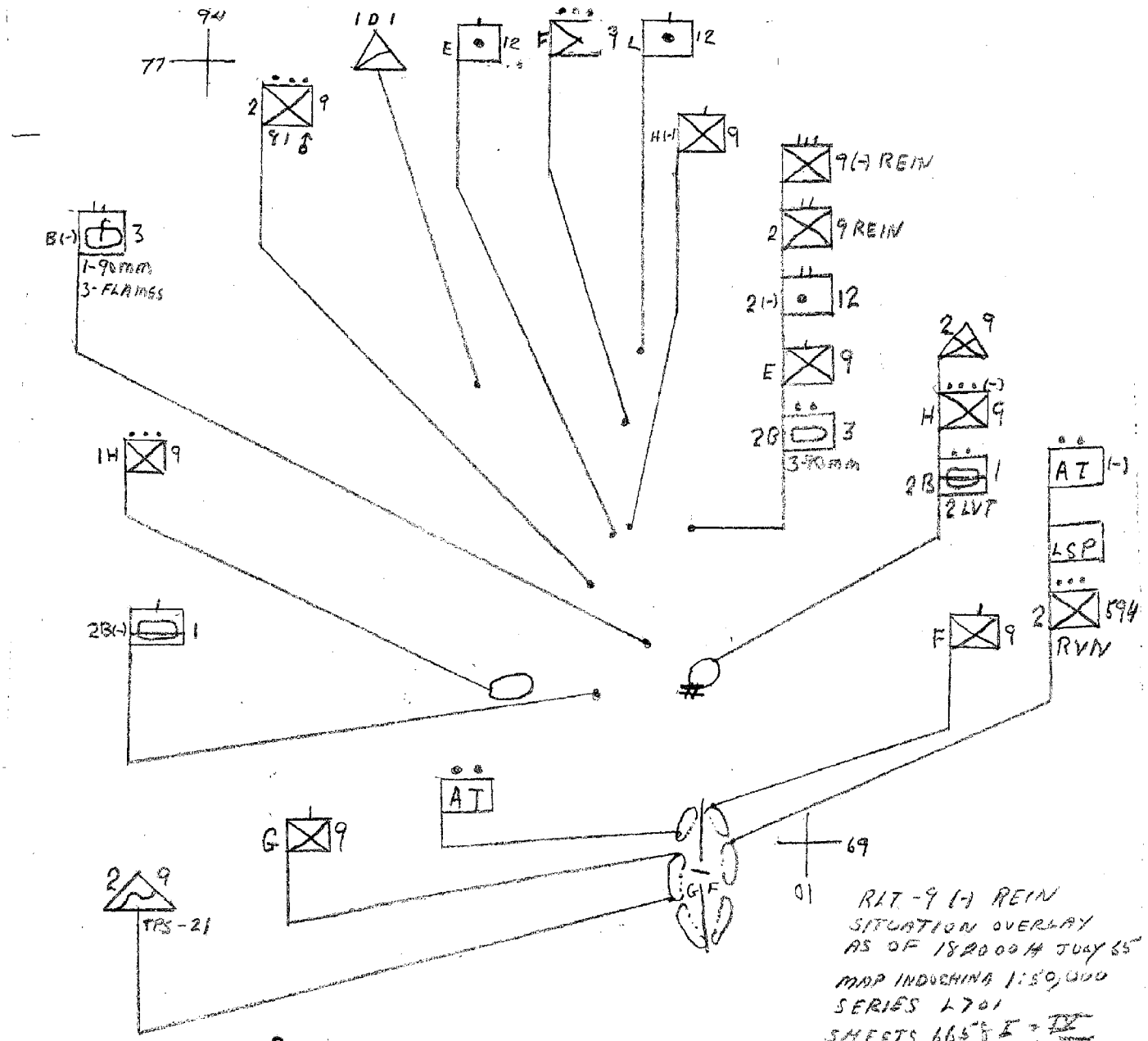

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1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 190001H - 192400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. 2dBn, 9th Marines continued to defend the village of Duong Son (1) (AT9968). During the night activity was characterized by sniper fire which ceased later in the evening. Company "F" received two rounds of sniper fire at 181900H. Company "G" received 15 rounds of small a rms fire at 181830H from coordinates AT992690. The fire was returned and one 3.5" rocket round was fired with undetermined effect. The VC ceased firing. At 181845H they again received fire from coordinates AT994679. They returned fire and fired two 3.5" rocket rounds with undertermined effect. The incoming once again ceased. The VC beat on pans off and on from 181830H to 182030H around the perimeter. At 182100H a man from company "F" fired a 45 caliber pistol at a man on a roof close to the company CP. There was no evidence of having hit him. Company "H", 1st AmTrac Bn, sent two LVTP-5s during the night to the bridge at coordinates AT998707 and they established a river check point beginning at 190900H. No boats were encountered. At 191000H a propaganda raft was found in the river. They materiak was turned over to the RLT-9 S-2. All units continued to prepareedefensive positions and company "H" (-) relieved company "F" in position at Duong Son (1). The 81mm mortars fired four rounds illumination during the night at coordinates AT968698 at 182145H. There was good effect, but no enemy activity sighted.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters - None.

(2) 2d Battalion, 9th Marines. None.

(3) Company "B" (-) 1st Amtrac Bn. Commenced maning river check point at 190900H by the bridge at coordinates AT998707. Coordinated with 1st Battalion, 9th Marines, for support of their operation tomorrow.

(4) 2dBn, 12th Marines (-) (Reinf). None.

(5) 2d Platoon Company B 3d Tank Bn. None.

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b. Patrols

(1) Company "G" had a squad patrol in their local area from 182100H to 190015H. The patrol departed from and returned to coordinates AT002690. No contact was made.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters

a. Company "E" (-) CP coordinates AT998971

b. Company "F" (-) CP coordinates AT002687

6. Establishment of OPs. A squad OP with TRS-21 operation at coordinates AT993684. LP from company "F" at coordinates AT004692.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans

(a) Company "B", 1st Amtrac Bn has a foot patrol and river patrol planned for 21 July 1965. Both plans are attached to this report.

(b) RLT-9 expects to extend the airfield defense, adding a secure zone south of the DONG CAU DO by occupying and consolidating the HOA CHAU district and the HOA DA district. At present this concept is delayed, while two companies at present occupy the village of DUONG SON (1), further expansion in HOS CHAU district is delayed pending agreement between III MAF and I Corps (ARVN) as to the area in which RLT-9 is allowed to operate and the time in which it can extend its influence. It is apparent that a reluctance to initiate positive action against the VC, by the 9th Marines exists due to the inability of the RVN to follow up any combat action. Further that Marine operations in the area south of the DONG CAU DO will be tied to the pacification program and the ability of the VN government to provide civic action teams to follow up seizure of areas by Marine forces. It is recommended that higher headquarters accomplish the neccessary liaison to secure a time schedule for operation of RLT-9.

9. Miscellaneous. CO RLT-9 presented Purple Hearts to five Marines in the 2dBn CB today.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

Duong Son (1)	43 Patients
RLT 2/9 BAS	74 Patients

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SITREP No. 12

1. Reporting Unit. BLT-9

2. Period Covered. 200001H - 202400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. Generally it was a quiet night through the BLT-9 area of responsibility. Company "G" received five rounds of small arms sniper fire at coordinates AT991690 at 200030H. Since the sniper could not be located the fire was not returned. There were no friendly or enemy casualties. Naval Gunfire fired three illumination missions during the night at coordinates AT990185. The missions were fired at 192020H, 192345H and 200200H. A total of fifteen rounds were expended. This morning company "D" (-) relieved company "G" in position at coordinates AT998683 to coordinates AT993654. Company "G" moved to position at coordinates AT991725 to coordinates AT987724. Company "D" (-) found a dud 60mm Mortar round this afternoon at coordinates AT994685. The angle of entry of the round was 070 degrees and the direction of fire was 338 degrees magnetic. Company "B" (-), 1st AmTrac Bn maintained their river block at CG AT998707. They detached nine LVTP-5s at 200400H to 1stBn, 9th Marines for operation this morning.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) BLT-9 Headquarters. None.

(2) 2d Battalion, 9th Marines. None.

(3) 2d Battalion, 12th Marines. None.

(4) Company "B" (-), 1st AmTrac Bn. In the early morning nine LVTP-5s were detached to the 1stBn, 9th Marines. Seven LVTP-5s departed the assembly area at the Danang airfield at 200400H and established river blocking positions at the following coordinates; (1) BT040755 to BT048755 (2) BT042758, BT042758 to BT035759. The native boats were turned back but there was no enemy contact. These positions were maintained from 200445H until 200740H at which time the LVTP-5s returned to the company CP.

(5) 2d Platoon Company "B", 3d Tank Bn. None.

b. Briefs. None.

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c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters

a. Company "H" (-) CP coordinates 997684.

b. Company "G" CP coordinates 984717.

6. Establishment of CPs. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans

a. No new plans other than those previously reported.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

BHF 2/9 BAS - 72 Patients

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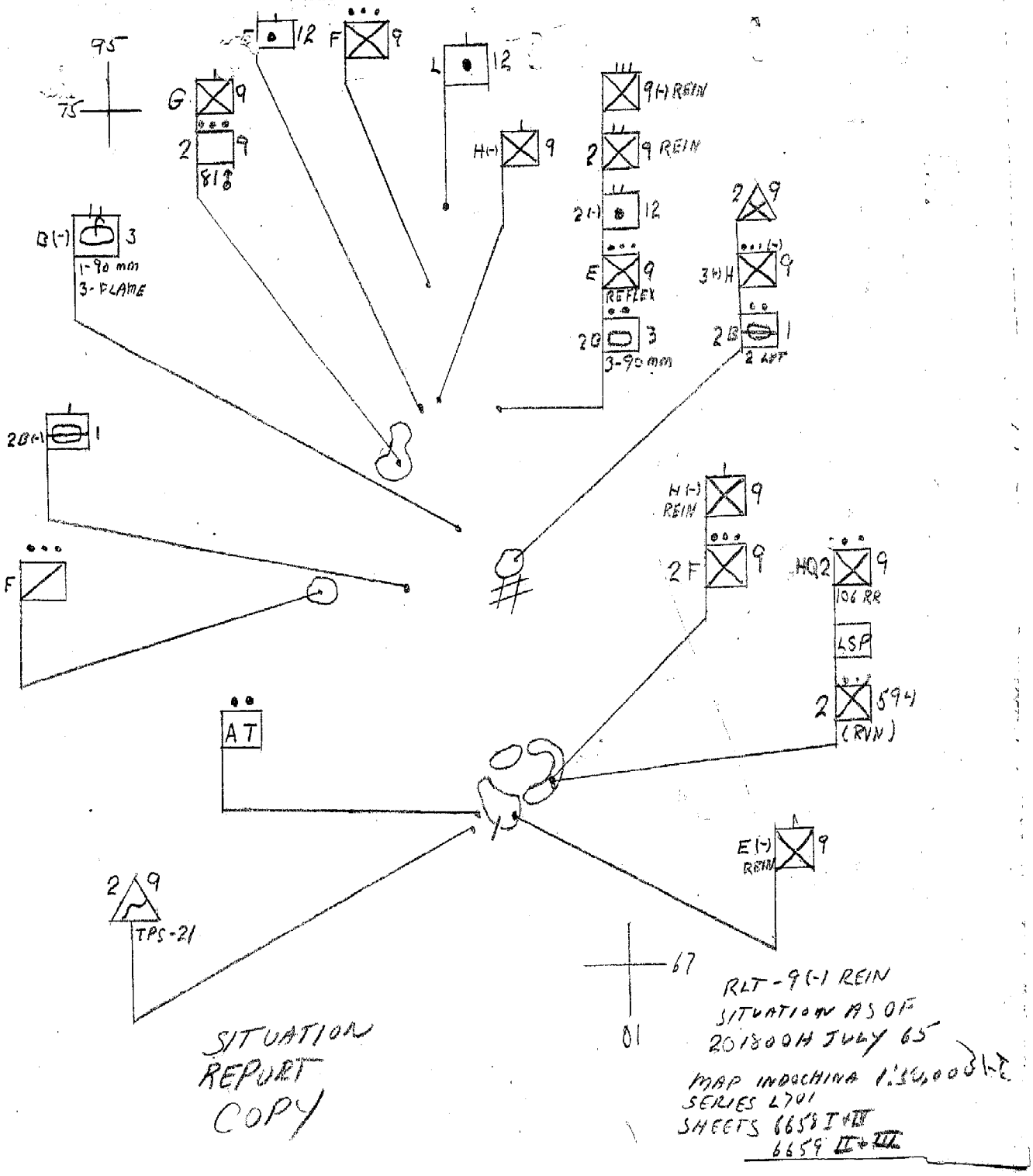

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SITREP No. 13

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 210001H - 212400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. Company "E" (-) and company "F" supported by one section of M-50 "Ontos" and two sections of 106mm recoilless rifles continued to defend the village of Duong Son (1). Company "E" (-) received six rounds of small arms fire between the hours 201740H and 201910H from a house in YAU HA (2) CC AT992683. This house was fired on and hit by a 3.5" RR HP round. Four VC ran from the house, one of whom was shot down by rifle fire. This area was kept under observation with a telescope until darkness set in. At 202021H company "E" (-) fired on four VC in the same area. These men were spotted under illumination and were probably trying to evacuate the wounded. No VC casualties were seen and there were no friendly casualties. At approximately 201930H, three VC were spotted moving into position across the railroad tracks from company "E" (-) position. When the VC fired, fire was returned with small arms and one 3.5" RR round. One of the VC was hit with the 3.5" RR round, another was hit with an M-79 40mm grenade. At VC flag was planted at CC AT982720 near 3d Tank Battalion positions. Upon investigated at 211130, it was found to be booby trapped with a grenade. The grenade was detonated in place. Its make and origin could not be determined. The remains were turned over to RLT-9, S-2.

4. Activities

a. Operations. None.

b. Patrols

(1) A foot reconnaissance patrol from company "E", 1st AmTrac Bn received one round of small arms fire from the village of CAU NOA (1) at 211022H. They did not return fire because the location of the sniper could not be determined. The patrol returned at 211030H without further incident.

(2) The river reconnaissance patrol from company "E", 1st AmTrac Bn departed at 210850H. Entries to the river for AVTs were found in the following places on the Song Yen river; the west bank at CC AT963689, on the east bank at CC AT976697

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CC AT966692, AT964690 and AT967690. A river entry could be made at CC AT9 6702 if a culvert could be constructed so as not to disrupt a mud drainage ditch. A bunker was found on the west bank of the Song Yen river at CC AT967693. The firing port was five feet above the water. No enemy contact was made and the patrol returned at 211024H.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. None.

6. Changes in Location or Establishment of Bn CPs. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. Commanding Officer RMR-9 attended conference with G-3 (G-3) I Corps, (ARVN) and following U.S. representatives:

G-3 III MAF, Senior Advisor I Corps
G-3 3d MarDiv, Senior Advisor Danang Special Sector

Procedures for implement action of I Corps ltr to CG III MAF in regard to expansion of Danang TACS were discussed. It was agreed that RMR-9 could occupy land south of Danang and north of the Song Cau Do at a time desired by RMR-9 in consultation with Danang Special Sector. It was further agreed that expansion south of the Song Cau Do would proceed as mutually agreeable between the District Chief, Danang Special Sector, and RMR-9.

Succeeding conferences this date with representatives of Danang Special Sector, ROA VANG district, and RMR-9 agreed to the following time schedule:

Sector A	Phase	Date	Area	Remarks
	I	22 July 65	018734	Reinforce 15 Aug
	II	30 July 65	008722	
	III	7 Aug 65	033735	
Sector B	I	23 July 65	ROA GIAU VILLAGE	
	II	As concurred by conference to be scheduled 28 July		ROA DA VILLAGE
	III	Not prescribed at this time		ROA PHAI VILLAGE ROA PHAM VILLAGE

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Approval for physical occupation of Phong Le (1) hamlet coordinates 994698 on this date was given. It is planned to move 3d platoon, company "H" to this hamlet this date. Further expansion in PCA DAV village will commence 25 July 1965. 3d platoon company "G" will move to the bridge at 00 AN908707 as the reserve.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs.

a. Medcap Stations

BLT 2/9 DAS	76 Patients
Phong Son (1)	11 Patients
(1 doctor and 3 assistants)	

Most of the patients treated had skin diseases which were wash and medication applied. On 20 July 1965 a Vietnamese woman was evacuated from the 2d Battalion, 9th Marines , DAS to the U.S. Overseas Mission Hospital. She is from the village Phong Le Ioc which is adjacent to the Regimental Headquarters. Her name is BUI thi OHUNG and she has a serious liver ailment with complications.

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SITREP No. 14

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 220001H to 222400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. Companies "F" and "H" (-) continued to hold a defensive position around the perimeter of Thong Son (1) CU 9968 against light small arms fire throughout the night. The 3d platoon, company "H" moved to Thong Le (1) at 211830H and established positions south of the village. Company "F" received sniper fire sporadically from 211650H to 211830H. After the 3d platoon, company "F" moved to Thong Le (1) the sniper fire coming from VAN PO (1) was diverted to them. The snipers position was located and company "F" fired nine rounds of 60mm grenades from an M-79 and four 3.5" HE and one 3.5" HE rocket round. The sniper fire ceased but it could not be determined whether there were any VC casualties. At 212130H the 3/4-21 located at CC AB993685 picked up three to four VC moving north from Thong Son (2). Company "H" fired one 3.5" HE and one 3.5" HE rocket round. The HE round fit and killed one VC. The body was not recovered. At 220100H the 3/4-21 picked up four to five VC moving to the south of Thong Son (2). Company "H" fired one 3.5" HE and one 3.5" HE rocket round. One of the VC was hit and killed by the HE round. The 3/4-21 did not pick up any movement after this action. The body was not recovered. 2dLM, 9th Marines conducted a two platoon sweep and search of the village of Phong Le (1) CC AB9969 in conjunction with RVN troops from the HOA VANG District. At 221130H the 1st Battalion, 9th Marines came under CONCEN RLT-9.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) RLT-9 Headquarters. None.

(2) 1st Battalion. None.

(3) 2d Battalion

(a) Company "E" positions are from CC AB968685 to CC BD 000690 around the western perimeter of Thong Son (1).

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(b) Company "F" positions are:

1st Platoon is at Hill 47 CC AT975705.
2d Platoon is at the bridge at CC AT999708.
3d Platoon is at the ammo dump at CC AT988732.

(c) Company "G" is located at CC AT988720 providing security for the 81mm Mortar platoon. The third platoon was assigned the task of mobile reserve while 3d platoon, company "E" moved to Phong Le (1) at 211830H. The 3d platoon moved to the bridge at CC AT988707 until 212300H when they returned to the company position.

(d) Company "F" (-) is located in position around the eastern perimeter of Duong Son (1) from CC BT002006 to CC BT001690. At 211830H the 3d platoon began moving to the village of Phong Le (1) and established positions to the south of the village from CC AT992698 to CC AT994696. Shortly after the move six rounds of small arms fire was received from inside Phong Le (1) and later sporadic small arms fire was received from the village of Cam Ne (1) CC AT9969 and some sniper fire from Cam Ne (5) CC AT9869 which continued until 220100H. At 221100H the 2d platoon assisted ARVN troops make a sweep of Phong Le (1) while the 3d platoon remained in position as a blocking force and company "B", 1st AmTrac Bn took up blocking positions in the Song Cau Do. No contact was made with the Viet Cong. There were no casualties.

(4) 2d Battalion, 12th Marines

(a) Battery E

(1) Fired an illumination mission in support of 2d Battalion at 212100H CC AT999685. Five rounds expended.

(2) Registered in CC AT9867 from 221300H to 221400H. Eight rounds of HE were expended.

(3) Fired a demonstration smoke screen at CC AT985675 at 221502H. Twenty-four rounds of smoke were expended.

(5) Company "B" (-) (Rein), 1st AmTrac Bn. Five LVTP-5s were used to support the 2d Battalions sweep of Phong Le (1) CC AT9969. River blocking positions were established from CC AT997707 to CC AT988698 from 221000H until 221200H.

b. Patrols. A squad patrol from 2d platoon, company "G" departed at 220800H and returned at 221000H. The route was as planned and approved. No enemy contact was made.

c. Ambushes. None.

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5. Change of Location of Headquarters

a. 1st Battalion

(1) Battalion CP GG AE003745
(2) Company "A" GG AE009742
(3) Company "B" GG AE003755
(4) Company "C" GG AE009742
(5) Company "D" GG AE008755

b. 2d Battalion. No change.

6. Establishment of OPs. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. One company from the 1st Battalion will move to vicinity GG DE018734 tomorrow morning. The 2d Battalion will support Regional Forces provided by the Dallang Special Sector and Popular Forces provided by Mr NGO HUI, Canton Chief of HOA CHAU, in a sweep of the village of Oam Nam and Phong Le (2) on the morning of 23 July 1965.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

2dBn BAS	83 Patients
Phong Le	84 Patients
(one doctor and staff)	

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SITREP No. 15

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 230001H to 232400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. It was generally quiet throughout the RLT-9 area of responsibility during this reporting period. The 2dBn, supported by company "B", 1st AmTrac Bn, and in conjunction with Popular Forces under the command of Canton Chief, Mr NGO MUI, conducted a search of the villages of Cam Nam GS BT 0170 and Phong Le (2) GS BT0070 as part of phase 1 of RLT-9 Operation 324-65. This operation was marred by the accidental shooting of two of the Popular Forces soldiers by Marines. The lead elements of company "H" were moving toward CAM NAM this morning when they were taken under fire by two men at GC BT002698 who they thought were VC. They returned fire. Le Duc Chau, a Popular Forces grenadier, was killed and another unidentified soldier was wounded. The 1st Battalion continued extensive patrolling around the perimeter of the Danang Airfield. Ten reconnaissance and security patrols were sent out but no enemy contact was made. At 230830H company "D" moved from the airfield to a new location at GC BT025733 as part of Phase I of RLT-9 Operation 324-65.

4. Activities

a. Operations

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(1) BLT-9 Headquarters. Phase 1 of BLT-9 Operation 324-65 began today as planned. This headquarters continued direct liaison with all commands having an interest in the operation.

(2) 1st Battalion. Company "D" moved off of the Danang Airfield this morning at 230830H. Trucks carried them to their new positions near the village of Binh Hoa to the south of the airfield GC BT025753.

(3) 2d Battalion. Began Phase 1 for Sector B of BLT-9 Operation 324-65.

(a) Company "E" remained in position at Duong Son (1) in vicinity GC AT995690 to GC AT994686 to BT003690.

(b) Company "F" The 1st platoon moved by trucks from Hill 47 to take up positions at the north side of Cam Ne Bac bridge at GC BT016717. The 2d platoon provided security for company "D" (-) 1st AmTrac Bn.

(c) Company "G" was assigned the task of maintaining one reinforced platoon as the mobile reserve during this operation.

(d) Company "H" (-) at 230603 began moving north of route 14 and established a blocking position to the south of the villages of CAM NAM and Phong Le (2) while ARVN forces conducted the search of the villages. One platoon remained in position to the south of the village of Phong Le (1) from GC AT992698 to AT997696.

(e) The 2d Platoon, Company "C", 3d Antitank Battalion Took up positions at the north end of Cam Ne Bac bridge during the search operation. A light section remained in support of company "D" at Duong Son (1).

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(4) Company "H" (-), 1st Amtrac Battalion. A detachment of five LVTP-5s established a blocking position in the Song Cau Do river from CC 4599870 to BT0167[illegible] from 2307001 until 2313001 during the search operation.

(5) 2d Battalion, 12th Marines. Battery E fired four illumination missions during the night and expended 41 rounds of illumination.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion. Ten reconnaissance and security patrols were carried out around the perimeter of the Dunang Airfield. All patrols were conducted accordingly to patrol plans. No enemy contact was made.

(2) 2d Battalion. None.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters

(a) Company "D", 1st Battalion CC BT025755

(b) All others remain the same.

6. Establishment of Gun. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. Continue to consolidate positions in the next twenty-four hours in accordance with Operation Plan 524-65.

9. Miscellaneous

(a) Major J. A. BUCK, Executive Officer, 2d Battalion, attended the funeral of Lo Duc Chua and interment in the village of Thong Lo (2) which was his home. Major BUCK offered the family a suitably inscribed head stone as they are too poor to afford one. Details of obtaining the head stone will be worked out by the Canton Chief and it will be presented as soon as possible.

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The other Popular Forces soldier wounded this morning has been identified as NUYEN QUANG TAM, a nineteen year old squad leader whose home is AN KAI village, HOA THANH CANTON, HOA VANG District.

(b) The CO 3d MarDiv, CO RLR-9, CO 2d Battalion inspected the 2d Battalion positions at 231300H.

10. Civil Affairs

(a) MedCap Stations

(1) XUAN HOA (CS DK0077)	50 Patients
(2) 2d Battalion PAS	49 Patients
(3) Phong Le (1) (one doctor and staff)	89 Patients

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SITREP No. 16

1. Reporting Unit. RLT-9

2. Period Covered. 240001H to 242400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. RLT-9 continued phase one of Operation 321A-65. There were no incidents on or around the Danang Airfield or in Sector A south of the airfield. 1st battalion continued extensive patrolling around the perimeter of the airfield. In Sector B the 2d Battalion is maintaining its positions around the villages of Phong Le (1) GS AT9969, Duong Son(1) GS AT9968, Phong Le (2) GS BT0070, and CAM NAM GS BT0170; sporadic rifle fire was received during the hours of darkness. 3d platoon, company "F" in positions south of Phong Le (1) sustained one WIA at 231935H (Spot report 23 July). Sergeant Thomas Lawrence SIMMAN 1829986, a squad leader was wounded in the back by fire coming from ~~[illegible]~~ PHONG Le (1) GS AT9869. He has been evacuated to Clark AFB and his condition is serious.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) Headquarters 9th Marines. Continues liaison and planning of Operation 321A-65.

(2) 1stBn 9th Marines. Continuation of perimeter patrols with heavy emphasis of night patrols. Delta company developing Phase 1.

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(3) 2dBn 9th Marines. Incoming small arms fire was continuous. Firing began in earnest 232020H resulting in one WIA from company "H" (Spot report 23 July). All units developed positions and Phase 1 of Sector B. 81 Mortars fired one mission of three rounds of illumination at GC AT991694 at 232345.

(4) 2dBn 12th Marines. Three missions with 12 rounds illumination expended.

232115	4 rds	GC BT014694
240005	7 rds	GC BT014694
240235	1 rd	GC AT991694

b. Patrols. 1/9 conducted 12 recon and security patrols and 2 terrain familiarization patrols. All patrols had negative contact.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. [redacted]

a. 1st Platoon, company "F" from coord 998724 to 987732
b. 3d Platoon, company "F" from coord 987732 to 998724
c. 3d Platoon, company "G" from coord 988720 to 975704
d. 2d Platoon, company "G" from coord 975704 to 988720

6. Establishment of OPs. None

7. Training. None

8. Plans. 9th Marines consolidates Phase 1

a. 1/9 - Improve positions, patrol area, pacify area. Consolidate Phase 1 Sector A.

b. 2/9 - Improve positions, pacify villages of Quang Chau (1) and (2) on 25 or 26 July and unite 2/9 units. Consolidate Phase 1 Sector B.

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c. Begin 25 July familiarization firing of individual and crew-served weapons at HOA CAM TRAINING CENTER RANGES. 2/12 and Tank Bn fire pistol, rifle and MG.

9. Miscellaneous

a. 2/9 BAS treated 22 civilians, majority diseases of the skin.

b. MEDCAP supplies depleted, treatment station closed until Monday when new supplies are expected.

SPOT REPORT 241835H - Echo company received Automatic weapons fire from tree line of Cam Ne (1) village GC AT990694. Returned fire with small arms and three 3.5" rounds. Fire ceased.

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SITREP No. 17

1. Reporting Unit. 9th Marines

2. Period Covered. 250001H to 252400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. The 9th Marines continued phase one of Operation 321A-65. The 1st Battalion continued extensive day and night patrols around the perimeter of the Danang Airfield without incident. Company "D", 1st Battalion began patrols in the area south of the airfield. Company "E", 2d Battalion reported receiving three rounds of small arms fire at 250005H from the vicinity of CC AT985717. No enemy were observed. South of the SONG CAU DO in Sector B it was quiet throughout the night.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) 1st Battalion. None.

(2) 2d Battalion

(a) The 1st platoon, company "G" patrolled the village of Quang Chau (1) CS BT0069 this morning and it was determined there is no enemy activity in this village. To take advantage of this situation, the 1st and 2d platoons are presently moving from the positions they occupied today to positions on line from CC BT016713 to CC BT008692. They will tie in with the 2d platoon, 594 Regional Force Company on their

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left and with company "E" on their right. Tomorrow the line will be extended south of the village Quang Chau (2) at 03 ET0068.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion

(a) Redwood Bravo Two. North of the airfield. Departed 241900H, returned 242145H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(b) Redwood Bravo Three. North of the airfield. Departed 242130H, returned 250117H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(c) Redwood Bravo Four. North of the airfield. Departed 250100H, returned 250302H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(d) Redwood Bravo Five. North of the airfield. Departed 250330H, returned 250545H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(e) Redwood Delta Two. South of the airfield. Departed 242100H, returned 242340H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(f) Redwood Delta Three. South of the airfield. Departed 242015H, returned 242255H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(g) Redwood Delta Four. South of the airfield. Departed 250045H, returned 250340H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(h) Redwood Delta Five. South of the airfield.

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Departed 250045H, returned 240340H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(i) Redwood Delta One. South of the airfield. Departed 250800H, returned 251140H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(j) Redwood Bravo One. North of the airfield. Departed 251300H, returned 251600H July 1965. Squad size. No enemy contact.

(2) 2d Battalion

(a) Parkgreen Golf One. South from GC AT988712 to the SONG CAU DO west to GC AT970698 north to GC AT973707 and then east to GC AT985708. Time of departure 250800H, time of return 251000H. No enemy contact.

(b) Parkgreen Hotel. Twenty Marines and eight Regional Force troops made a reconnaissance of the village of Quang Chau (1) GS BT0069. Time of departure 250955H, time of return 251145H. There is no enemy activity in this village.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Locations of Headquarters

a. Company "H" 2d Battalion - GC BT009693

6. Establishment of OPs. None.

7. Training

a. Headquarters Battery, 12th Marines conducted FAM firing at DGA CAM Training Center for 85 men. The following weapons were fired; 50 cal. MG, 30 cal. MG, 45cal. pistols and M-14 rifles.

8. Plans. The 2d Battalion will search the village of Quang Chau (2) GS BT0068 tomorrow as part of Phase 1 of Operation 321A-65. The perimeter will then be extended south of this village.

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9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

(1) 2d Battalion BAS - 19 Patients

(2) Phong Le (1) - 37 Patients

b. MedCap supplies are now depleted. Resupply is expected tomorrow.

c. The 2d Battalion purchased a headstone for Le Duc Chua for $40.00. This stone will be presented to his family tomorrow. Major J. A. BUCK visited NGUYEN VANG ZAN, the wounded soldier.

d. A dinner conference was held on the evening of 24 July 1965 at the 9th Marines CP between the principle representatives off HOI VANG DISTRICT and the 9th Marines. Representing the 9th Marines was its Commanding Officer, CO 2d/9th Marines and selected staff officers. Representing the HOI VANG DISTRICT was DAI UY HOA, district chief; CHO HUI, chief of the HOA CHAU CANTON and Nguyen Van Hon police chief of HOI VANG DISTRICT. As a result of this conference the following information was obtained:

(1) A 100 meters by 100 meters rice field should be compensated for with 600 piasters. An LVT track through this field is worth about 100 piasters during the August harvest.

(2) River traffic has been suspended on the SONG CAU DO, the SONG VINH DIEN and the SONG CHE DINH with the exception of five small junks allowed to haul construction material on the SONG CAU DO. DAI UY HOA states permission has been given to fire on all boats traveling these rivers.

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(3) All villagers have been notified that curfew of 2200 is established and are not to be outside their homes after this time. Stated shoot anyone out after this time.

(a) DAI UY ROA has recommended to the CO Danang Special Sector that one regional force company be assigned to each Marine Battalion in this district.

(4) Railroad ties south of Danang have been removed and taken to AN GRACH GS AT9666 where they have been used to reinforce tunnels and cave which are impervious to artillery fire.

(5) Popular forces are payed 1300 piasters per month and do not receive a clothing allowance. This accounts for the varried uniform - or lack of uniform that popular forces wear.

(6) There are ten regional force companies spread throughout the Danang Special Sector and 750 individuals in the Popular Forces. Of the 750 Popular Forces approximately 500 are effective.

(7) The rice fields south of the line now held by the Regional Forces, roughly the ROA CHAU and ROA DA districts are subject to VC taxes on the rice crops. These are a minimum of 1/3 of the harvest and often up to 3/4 of the crop. As a result the villagers must be supported through the district chief's office. While some rice is available for this the supply is severely limited.

11. In light of the information learned in conference with the representatives of the ROA VANG District the following <u>Lessons Learned</u> need to be reviewed.

a. Principle casualties to date have been incurred in crossing mined and bobby trapped hedges and rows, outskirts of

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villeges, and with small arms fire in approaching villages across open fields. LVT's have no difficulty in traversing rice paddies. Through use of LVT's, infranty troops can be quickly and safely invested into villages in this manner. On the other hand, the field owner should be compensated for the damage done by marines.

b RECOMMENDATION That division secure funds, and establish civil affairs personnel and procedures with the infranty unit in assault situation for the immediate payment of small claims resulting from combat damage to non-combatants.

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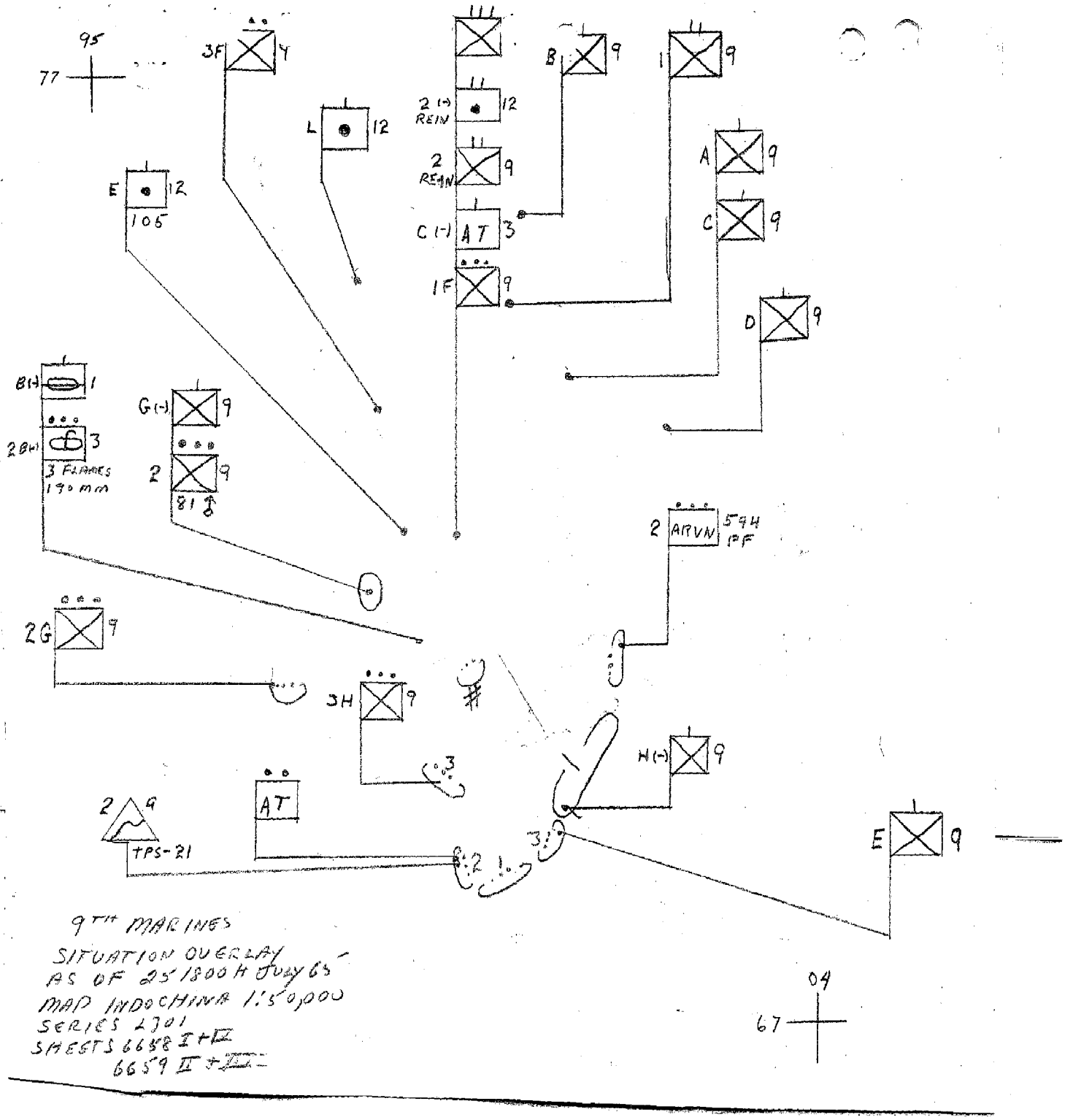

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SITREP No. 18

1. Reporting Unit. Ninth Marines

2. Period Covered. 260001H to 262400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. The 9th Marines continued phase 1 of Operation 3214-65 vigorously expanding friendly control over a larger and larger area south of the Danang Airfield in joint operations with Regional Forces from HOA CHAU District. The 1st Battalion continued their agressive patrolling of the area around the Airfield. The Viet Cong took advantage of the dark night to harrass the sentries at Post 8 on the western perimeter of the base. Eight rounds were fired at sentries who could not see who was sniping at them. Early this morning two platoons from company "F", 2d Battalion and a platoon of Regional Forces moved to the hamlet Quang Chau (2) CS BT 0068 under the cover of darkness and were in position at daybreak to search the village. Two VCS were captured during this operation and were turned over to HOA VANG District Headquarters. There were no friendly casualties.

4. Operations

a. 9th Marines. Continued Phase 1 of Operation 3214-65.

b. 1st Battalion. None.

c. 2d Battalion. The 3d Platoon, company "F" and the 2d Platoon, 789th Co, 52d Regional Force Battalion left the assembly

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area at CC BT 011691 at 260600H and moved to the south edge of Quang Chau (2). The hamlet was searched and two VCS were captured and turned over to the ROA VANG District Headquarters. This afternoon company "E" extended its lines to the south of Quang Chau (2) from CC AT 996688 to AT 995684 to BT 003685 to BT 008689. Company "H" (-) now occupies positions from CC BT 008690 to BT 014702. 3d Platoon, company "H" occupies positions from CC AT 991697 to AT 997696. The 2d Platoon, 789th Company, 522 Regional Force Battalion occupies positions from CC BT 016703 to BT 016715.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion

(a) Redwood Delta Two. Departed 251930H, returned 252229H July. Squad size. South of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(b) Redwood Bravo Two. Departed 251930H, returned 252214H July. Squad size. North of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(c) Redwood Bravo Three. Departed 252130H, returned 252325H July. Squad size. North of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(d) Redwood Bravo Three Alpha. Departed 252200H, returned 260120H July. Squad size. North of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(e) Redwood Delta Four. Departed 252230H, returned 260130H July. Squad size. South of the airfield. No enemy contact.

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(f) Redwood Delta Three Alpha. Departed 252400H, returned 260330H July. Squad size. South of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(g) Redwood Bravo Four. Departed 260200H, returned 260505H July. Squad size. North of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(h) Redwood Delta Three. Departed 260200H, returned 260630H July. Squad size. South of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(i) Redwood Delta One. Departed 260745H, returned 261123H July. Squad size. South of the airfield. No enemy contact.

(2) 2d Battalion. None.

(3) Company "F" (-), 1st Amtrac Battalion

(1) A thirteen man foot patrol made a reconnaissance from 00 AS 993713 to the bridge at 00 AS 998707. Time of departure 260800H; time of return 261030H. No enemy contact made.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters

a. 1st Battalion. None.

b. 2d Battalion

(1) Company "E" - 00 BT 006688

(2) Company "F" - 00 BT 012690

6. Changes to Location and Establishment of New OPs

a. 1st Battalion. None.

b. 2d Battalion. The FSC-21 is now located at 00 BT 012690.

7. Training. None.

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8. Plans. Continue Phase 1 of Operation 3216-65.

9. Miscellaneous. Mr Collin Gilbert of Reuter News Agency (London) and Mr Rene McCall of the London Express visited the Regimental Command Post and toured the 2d Battalion lines.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

2d Battalion RAS - 27 Patients

Phong Le (1) - 35 Patients

(One doctor and staff)

b. The 1st Battalion sent a medical team to hold sick call at the St Vincent Orphanage near the Danang Airfield.

c. The following claims were filed with the Division GAO.

(1) Ngo Sy	50,000	Piastor
(2) Tran Thi Nat	400	Piastor
(3) Le Thi Gu	500	Piastor
(4) Ngo Thi Trong	1,000	Piastor
(5) Le Thi	3,000	Piastor

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Colonel
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SITREP No. 19

1. Reporting Unit. 9th Marines

2. Period Covered. 270001H to 272400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. The Ninth Marines continued consolidation of Phase 1 of Operation SIAM-65. The 1st Battalion continued extensive day and night patrolling of the area around the Nang Air Base. At 262250H one round of illumination was fired at concentration No 202 after the listening post at Post 14 had observed two persons near them. Nothing was seen under the illumination. At 270310H Post 10 reported receiving eleven rounds of small arms fire and one grenade. Post 10 fired twenty-two rounds of small arms fire and two 40mm grenades. There were no friendly casualties and no known enemy casualties. The 2d Battalion continues to hold the same positions south of the Nang Dam No. At approximately 270030H, company "F" saw a large flag located on the railroad tracks at CO AT 992487. A squad was sent to check it out. As part of the squad approached the flag an explosion occurred near it. Electric wires were found in the area. There were no casualties. It appeared that the wire came from Yet Kiu (2). At 271010H company "H" received sniper fire from houses located at CO AT 993679 and CO AT 991687. The M-60 Gatos fired three rounds at these targets. The buildings were destroyed and a bunker was damaged at CO AT 992685. There were no friendly casualties.

4. Activities

a. Operations. None.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion

(a) Redwood Delta Three. South of the airfield. Departed 2 1019H, returned 2 021151H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(b) Redwood Grove Two. North of the airfield. Departed 2 1030H, returned 2 021478 July 1965. No enemy contact.

(c) Redwood Delta Four. South of the airfield. Departed 2 1200H, returned 270049H July 1965. No enemy contact.

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(d) Reduced Bravo Two Alpha. North of the airfield. Departed 262300H, returned 280055H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(e) Reduced Delta Six. North of the airfield. Departed 262330H, returned 270305H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(f) Reduced Delta Five. North of the airfield. Departed 270015H, returned 270400H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(g) Reduced Bravo Four. North of the airfield. Departed 270137H, returned 270520H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(h) Reduced Bravo Three. North of the airfield. Departed 270300H, returned 270515H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(i) Reduced Delta Six. South of the airfield. Departed 271245H, returned 271725H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(j) Reduced Contact. North of the airfield. Departed 271000H, returned 271400H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(k) Reduced Contact. North of the airfield. Departed 271400H, returned 271700H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(2) 22 Battalion. None.

c. Mounted

(1) 1st Battalion. One armed ambush was set 200 meters north of Fort 6 at the Dong Airfield from 262250H until 270020H. No enemy contact was made.

(2) 2d Battalion. None

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. None.

6. Changes to Location and Establishment of Lines. None.

7. Logistics. None.

8. Plans. The Ninth Marines will continue consolidation of Phase II of Operation Piranha-65. Company "H", 2d Battalion moves to Chu Lai on 28 July 1965 and will be held in reserve at Chu Lai.

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9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

(1) Medical

20 Battalion Bdu - 20 Patients

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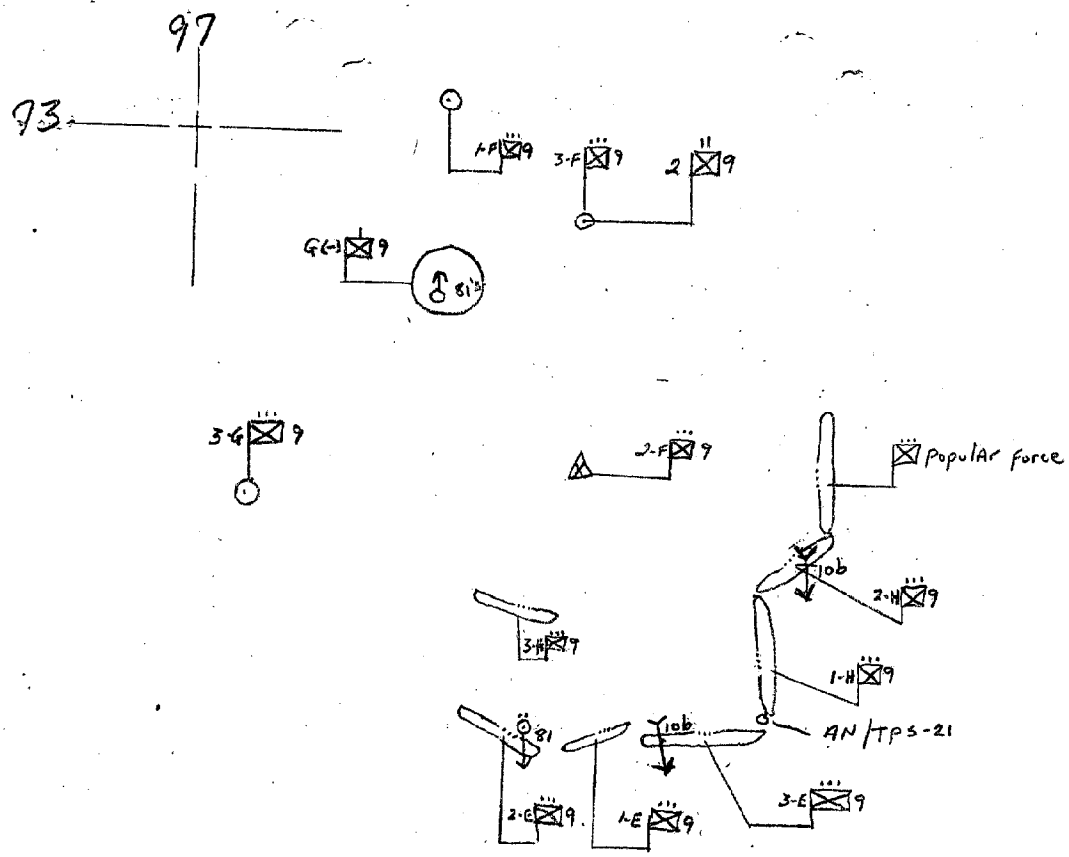

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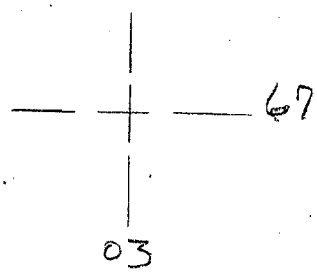

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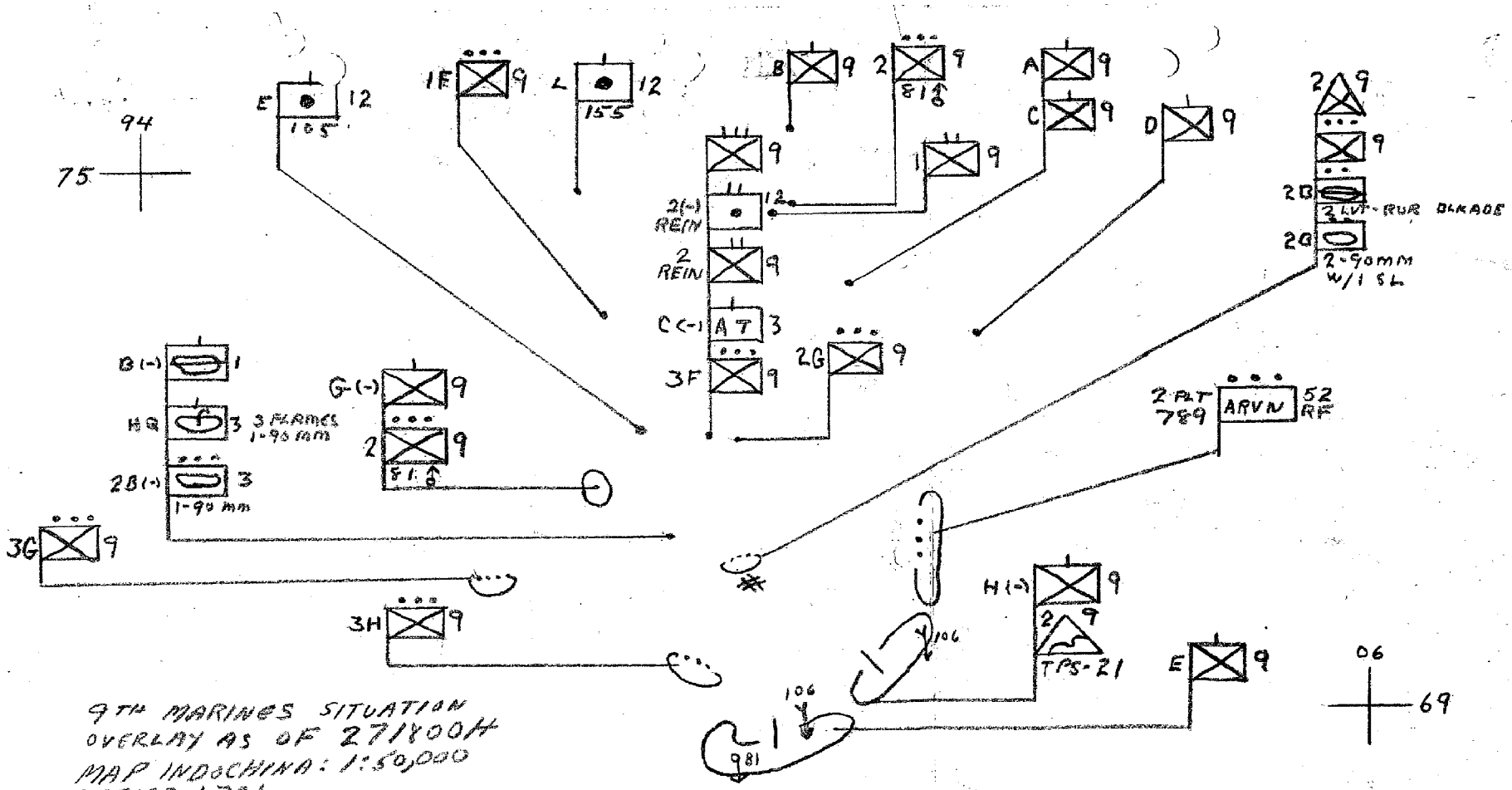

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SITREP No. 20

1. Reporting Unit. 9th Marines

2. Period Covered. 280001H to 282400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. The Ninth Marines continued consolidation of Phase 1 of Operation 3211-65. The 1st Battalion carried out extensive day and night patrols around the Danang Air Base. The ROK VANG District Headquarters 1-2 informed the 1st Battalion that the Redwood Delta patrol operating south of the airfield yesterday at 271900H was followed by two children who were handing out VC pamphlets. There was no enemy contact today in the 2d Battalion area south of the DANG GAU BC. Last night at approximately 272230H the 2d platoon, 769 company, 52 Regional Force Battalion at BC BT 016718 exchanged small arms fire with the Popular Force at the north side of CAU LE LAC bridge. About ninety rounds were fired. This incident started when the Regional Force platoon fired three rounds to the northeast at a VCS. The Popular Force to the north of the bridge thought they were under attack and fired about forty rounds. The Regional Force then fired fifty rounds. A Vietnamese civilian was wounded in the left thigh at CAU HAI village by this fire. The 2d Battalion dispatched medical assistance at 280059H and the wounded man was taken to the Vietnamese hospital. At 272030 the 2d Battalion demonstrated the portable flame thrower on the railroad tracks

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at CC AF 992688. Preceeding the demonstration a siren was sounded for five minutes. Company "G" reverted to operational control of the 4th Marines today and was helilifted to Chu Lai this morning.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) 1st Battalion. None.

(2) 2d Battalion

(a) At 280505H company "G" moved by truck to the Danang Air Base where they arrived at 280530H. They were then heli-lifted to Chu Lai where they reported to Commanding Officer 4th Marines. This company will be employed on the Main Line of Resistance at Chu Lai and will occupy positions vacated by the 4th Marines during their combined operations. They are not expected to return to DANANG and CROCK 9th Marines for 36 hours.

(b) During the early morning hours, the third platoon of Hotel company and the second platoon of Echo company rotated on the main line of resistance, thereby realigning the platoon of each company and insuring company integrity.

(c) 2dBn, 9th Marines assumed responsibility of defense of the Thang Le Railroad Bridge at 988707, replacing the popular force platoon of ROA VNTC district. One squad was employed on the south bank of the bridge, while two squads are retained on the northern bank. This platoon, in addition, provides security for the Division Water Point on the ROKG CAU DO.

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b. Patrols

(2) [illegible]. South of [illegible]. Departed 272300I, returned 272125I July 1969. No enemy contact.

(3) [illegible]. North of the airfield. Departed 272215H, returned 272215H, July 1969. No enemy contact.

(3) Reduced [illegible]. South of the airfield. Departed 272030H, returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(4) Reduced [illegible]. North of the airfield. Departed 272[illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(5) Reduced [illegible]. North of the airfield. Departed [illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(6) Reduced [illegible]. South of the airfield, Departed [illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(7) Reduced [illegible]. [illegible] of the airfield. Departed [illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(8) Reduced [illegible]. South of the airfield. Departed [illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(9) Reduced [illegible]. South of the airfield, Departed [illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

(10) Reduced [illegible]. South of the airfield. Departed [illegible], returned [illegible] July 1969. No enemy contact.

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(12) Relwood Delta Two. North of the [illegible]. Grid [illegible] at 201740N, returned [illegible] July 1965. No enemy contact.

(13) Relwood Alpha Two. South of the demilitarized zone. Grid [illegible] at 88140E, returned 20170[illegible] July 1965. No enemy contact.

(2) 2d Battalion. Troop Unit Echo (1) will establish a fire team layout at coordinates 99;604. Echo (2) at [illegible] and Echo (3) at 9[illegible]2[illegible] during the hours of darkness. Disposition will be established at 2000 to return at 0400 on the morning of 20 July 1965.

5. Upon relief [illegible] Company [illegible], 2d Battalion to [illegible].

6. Planned [illegible] of Establishment of [illegible]. None.

7. Logistics. None.

8. Signal. The [illegible] will have two [illegible] radio communications to assist [illegible] of the [illegible]. The 2d Company is reported to have [illegible] for [illegible] at [illegible]. The fourth and third company provides [illegible] for security on the [illegible], and platoon for [illegible] on the [illegible] and [illegible] perimeter. The third [illegible] provided [illegible] security for the [illegible]. Three companies of the 1st Battalion, [illegible] are committed to [illegible]. The [illegible] can only complete the [illegible] of the [illegible] and be effectively [illegible] this for [illegible] of operations. Only one company of the [illegible] Battalion has been found [illegible] to [illegible] of the [illegible]. [illegible] evidence of the [illegible] [illegible] information [illegible] date or

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the Tien Sha ramp and an working surface for [illegible]. Subject to the availability of additional ground, the 10th Marines will extend its influence into the [illegible] village. Further combat operation are dependent upon the occupation of this complex of hamlets which controls the river system South of the [illegible].

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. Medical Services

(1) 24 Battalion [illegible] - 21 Patients

(2) Bland Ao (1) - 15 Patients

(One Doctor and staff)

(3) Bruno Bay (AO BT 053744) - 40 Patients

b. Canton Chief Ngo Dai continues to give intelligence information on a regular basis.

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Colonel
Commanding Officer

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SITREP No. 21

1. Reporting Unit. 9th Marines

2. Period Covered. 290001H to 292400H July 1965

3. General Summary of Events. There has been a relative lull in activity throughout the 9th Marines area of responsibility. The 1st Battalion continued extensive day and night patrolling to the north and south of the Danang Airbase without enemy contact. In the area south of the Song Cau Do there was no significant contact during this reporting period. At 290400H TPS-21 crew visually spotted four men at GG AT 993663. Four rounds of 81mm Mortar illumination was fired and two rounds of 40mm grenades were fired which hit where the men were seen. No enemy casualties were observed and the men were not seen again. At 282115H company "H" fired flame throwers for psychological effect. At 290150H one squad from the 2d platoon, company "E" provided security ARVN forces which searched Thang Le (1) GG AT 99[illegible]9. At 291132H the 9th Marines were notified to have one company stand by as a reaction force. This task was assigned the 1st Battalion and company "D" was designated.

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At 291037 the battalion was changed to [illegible] (-). The 1st Battalion was changed and a general group in addition to company "B" and company "C" was designated the main line force. It was planned to lift these forces from [illegible] at [illegible] of 905721. The reaction force was not committed and was left to stand down at 292000B. At present the 9th [illegible] has only the normal reaction force of one company. Company "[illegible]", 1st Battalion is designated as the reaction force.

A. Air Strike

1. Preparation

(1) 1st Battalion. None.

(2) 2d Battalion. Company "D" began [illegible] the day 1st Strike for the return to Kunja this afternoon. The lift was to be accomplished in two phases. The rest of the company was to be returned by fixed wing aircraft at [illegible] and was due to be [illegible] back by helicopter. 120 men [illegible] the Kunja airbase at [illegible] and were [illegible] by truck to [illegible] at [illegible] 901716.

(3) Company "D", 2d Battalion Battalion. [illegible] Division map 303744, company "D", [illegible] Battalion, was assigned the mission of providing a platoon [illegible] the security of [illegible] at the Kunja Airbase. The 3rd platoon, company "D" was [illegible] of established [illegible] 073721. The remainder of the 3rd platoon and [illegible] of platoons designated the 2d [illegible] Battalion [illegible] 903737 were [illegible] by truck to Kunja Airbase by truck. [illegible]

attached and a heavy section of tanks from 2d platoon, company B, 3d Tank Battalion is in direct support. The tank section was prepositioned this afternoon at Marble Mountain. All forces were in position by 291800H.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion

(1) Redwood Delta Three. South of the airfield. Departed 282902H, returned 282125H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(2) Redwood Charlie One. North of the airfield. Departed 282502H, returned 282910H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(3) Redwood Delta Four. South of the airfield. Departed 282210H, returned 282390H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(4) Redwood Delta Five. South of the airfield. Departed 282249H, returned 290140H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(5) Redwood Charlie Two. North of the airfield. Departed 282318H, returned 290158H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(6) Redwood Foxtrot. North of the airfield. Departed 290450H, returned 290910H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(7) Redwood Hotel. North of the airfield. Departed 290207H, returned 290503H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(8) Redwood Delta Five Alpha. South of the airfield. Departed 290500H, returned 290640H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(9) Redwood Delta Two. South of the airfield. Departed 290400H, returned 291600H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(10) Redwood Bravo One. North of the airfield. Departed 290745H, returned 291245H July 1965. Apprehended one Vietnamese civilian without proper identification papers.

(11) Redwood Delta Two. South of the airfield. Departed 291400H, returned 291600H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(12) Redwood Bravo Two. North of the airfield. Departed 291500H, returned 291700H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(2) 2d Battalion

(a) Layout patrols were established by company "E" from 282000H to 290600H at the following coordinates; (1) AS 993684, (2) AS 003686 and (3) AS 992692. No contact was made.

(b) Layout patrols were established by company "F" from 282100H to 290130H at coordinates; (1) BS 013694 and (2) BS 013687. There was no contact.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters. None.

6. Changes in Location or Establishment of Key Ops. The 1st platoon company "F", 2d Recon Battalion has a mission of at Marble Mountain CC BS 075710.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. Company "F" 2d Battalion will relieve company "E" in place tomorrow with company "E" becoming the battalion reserve. On 31 July 1965 company "F" will take part in a combined operation with the 591 and 592 Regional Force Companies from the ROA VANG District as part of Phase II of Operation PAL-65.

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Commencing 310600H July 1965, the 591 Regional Force Company and one Marine platoon will deploy on highway 1 from GG BT 017714 to BT 016700 and sweep northwest to GS BT 0472 and the Marine platoon will remain in positions on the north bank of the Song Vinh Dien at GS BT 044722 while the 522 Regional Force Company and two Marine platoons will deploy along highway 1 from GG BT 016695 to GG BT 017577 and sweep northwest to GS 0370 leaving the two Marine platoons in positions on the north bank of the Song Vinh Dien from GG BT 028690 to BT 040700. 1st platoon, company "D", 3d Recon Battalion will begin aggressive combat/reconnaissance patrols in the area of Danang Port Complex and Marble Mountain.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

2d Battalion 1st Marines - 13 Patients

CAP 3MM - 40 Patients

(GS BT 0170)

b. The 1st Battalion held sick call at the St. Vincent orphanage. Thirty patients were seen.

P. B. CARROLL
Colonel
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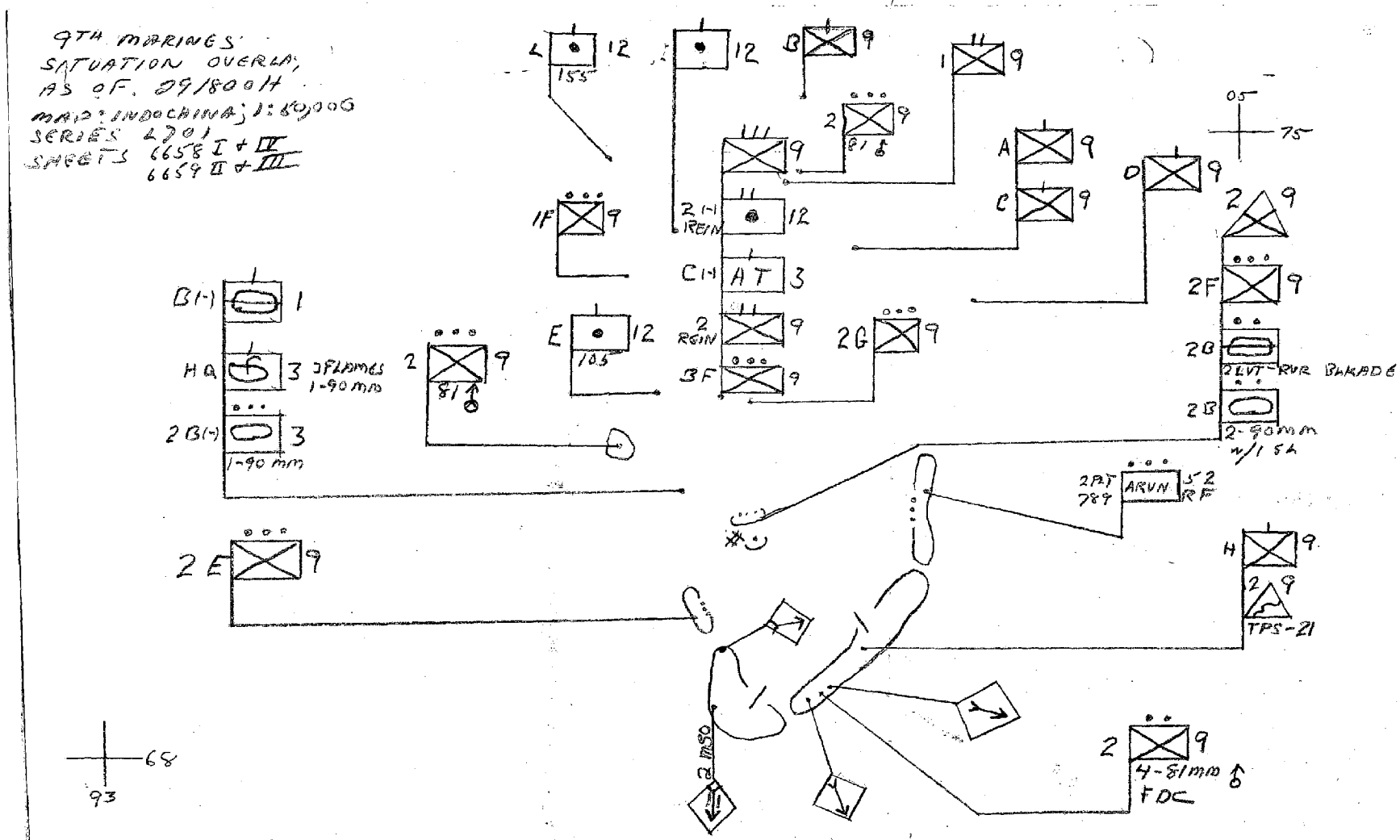

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SITREP No. 22

1. Reporting Unit. Ninth Marines

2. Period Covered. 300001H July to 302400H July 1965

3. General Summary. There has been a relative lull in activity throughout the 9th Marines area of responsibility with only a few Viet Cong initiated incidents. The 1st Battalion has kept up extensive day and night patrols around the perimeter of the Danang Airbase without enemy contact. At 292245H, Company "C" reported five men approached a listening post located at GC BQ 016744. One of the men wore a white band around his head and was carrying a rifle. When challenged, the persons did not respond. The LP fired 14 rounds of small arms at them and withdrew to the perimeter positions. 81mm Mortar illumination was fired in the area with negative results. At 2335, a squad was sent outside the perimeter to investigate. The squad returned at approximately 2400, having found what appeared to be a fresh, bloody handprint on the wall of one of the abandoned buildings in the vicinity. At 300350H a company "C" sentry at the southern tip of the airfield reported a man running west approximately 75 meters south of the position. At the same time, there was a lot of barking and noises from the village directly south of Post No. 6 vicinity of GC C12753. Four rounds of 81mm Mortar illumination was fired but nothing was seen.

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At 300145H a sentry located at GC 003732 reported seeing three men around a candle in the village to his right front (approximately 150 meters). A few minutes later, two of the men departed and returned carrying what the sentry thought were rifles. The men were kept under surveillance. At 0530 two of the men departed and entered a house a short distance away, still carrying what were thought to be rifles. A squad of company "D" with ARVN liaison was dispatched at 0620 and searched the area vicinity of GC 003736 with negative results. There were several men in the village and all had proper identification. Nothing suspicious was found, although shots have been fired from this vicinity into the perimeter on three previous occasions. South of the Song Cau Do in the 2d Battalion area of responsibility, company "C" reported that at 292045H they received sniper fire from San Ho (2) and again from San Ho (1) at 293045H. At 292055H the liaison with the Regional Force platoon on company "D"'s left flank reported that they had received either one 60mm Mortar round or one grenade 50 meters to the front of their positions. There were no casualties. Company "D" shot and hit one VC at 292249H with the night firing device between their lines and San Ho (1) GC AZ 994693. Company "D" sighted two men at a bunker which was destroyed on 28 July 1965 at GC AT 998688. At 291800H a 3.5" rocket round was fired to flush the two men and one was shot with a tracer round. He was carrying a rifle. The body was not recovered. By 301500H Company "D" had completed move from Thong Ton (1) GS AT 9868 to their present positions. The 1st platoon is located at the bridge GC AZ 908707, the 2d

platoon is located 6 on the ammo dump CC AP 907773. The 2d Battalion conducted a reconnaissance of the Can Tinh Dien this afternoon in preparation for tomorrow's operation. Company "F" has been assembled at CB 968723 in preparation for tomorrow operation.

4. Activities

a. Operations. None.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion

(a) Redwood Alpha One. North of the airfield. Departed 291556H, returned 301005H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(b) Redwood Delta Three. South of the airfield. Departed 292059H, returned 292140H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(c) Redwood Delta Four. South of the airfield. Departed 292500H, returned 300247H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(d) Redwood Alpha Two. North of the airfield. Departed 292300H, returned 300422H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(e) Redwood Delta Five. North of the airfield. Departed 300102H, returned 301300H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(f) Redwood Delta Five Alpha. South of the airfield. Departed 301259H, returned 300510H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(h) Redwood Delta Five. South of the airfield. Departed 300750H, returned 301024H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(i) Redwood Zero Two. North of the airfield. Departed 291300H, returned 301560H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(2) 2d Battalion. One squad from Company "D", one CO team and three M113s made a reconnaissance of the area Can Do

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and Song Vinh Dien. From 0G BT 016717 to BT 045735 to BT 028688 and return. They departed at 301335H and at 301725H they were at 0G BT 040735 on the way in. The purpose of the patrol is to determine if the Song Vinh Dien can be used to resupply units. There has been no enemy contact.

c. Ambushes. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters

a. 1st Battalion. None

b. 2d Battalion

Company "E" - 0G AT 998723

Company "F" - 0G AT 998723

Company "G" - 0G AT 967720

Company "H" - 0G AT 994688

6. Changes in Location or Establishment of New CP's. None.

7. Training. None.

8. Plans. No plans not previously reported.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. Medcap Stations

26th MAS - 23 Patients

Cam Nam (0G BT 0170) - 29 Patients

(3 corpsmen)

Duong Son (1) (0G AT 9868) - 21 Patients

St. Vincent Orphanage - 30 Patients

(East of Danang Airbase)

b. At 1000, 30 July, the village Elders of Duong Son (1), Phong Le (1), (2), Cam Nam and Duong Chau (2) met together with

the villagers of Duong Son (1) at the schoolhouse at Duong Son village. Guests attending included the District Chief Captain EOA, the Canton Chief, Ngo NIN and the Canton Police Chief, Mr. HUN. Invitations were sent by the villagers and places of honor were reserved for the CO, 9th Marines, Colonel CARRETSON, CO 2dBn, 9th Marines, LtCol SCHARNEKOW and the former XO 2/9 (now S-2, 9th Mar) Major BUSH. The general tenor of the many speeches made was that of a welcome to the U.S. Marine forces in the area south of the Song Cau Do, a reaffirmation of U.S. Vietnamese solidarity and an affirmation of the peoples will to support the RVN in the fight against the VC. Le Duc Ich who had served with the VC as a corpsman and recently surrendered in Phong Le (1) was presented to the assemblage. He spoke on his experience as a Viet Cong and warned the villagers against affiliating with the VC. When called upon to speak, Colonel CARRETSON restated his appreciation for the cooperation and forbearance of the farmers during our operations in their village areas and added that many additional U.S. forces were enroute to bolster our assistance to the RVN in order to attain complete victory over the VC. The village chiefs responded by presenting the CO 9th Marines and his fellow officers present with an elders black turban hat, an umbrella and a black silk smock as a gesture of respect and friendship. Afterwards, the elders and the Canton Chief conducted Colonel CARRETSON and his party on a tour of the village pagoda and other village points of interest. French and Vietnamese interpreters were available and utilized. Media coverage was

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1. Reporting Unit. Ninth Marines

2. Period Covered. 310001H to 312400H July 1965

3. General Summary. There was very little enemy activity within the Ninth Marines area of responsibility during this reporting period. No incidents were reported around the Danang Air Base perimeter where the 1st Battalion keeps up its aggressive day and night patrols. The 2d Battalion reported one isolated enemy incident. Company "E" received sniper fire from the village of Cam Ne (1) GS AZ 9869 at 302207H. There were no friendly casualties. Battery E fired three rounds of illumination and Naval Gunfire fired four rounds of illumination. The sniper was not seen, but one round of 3.5" WP rocket was fired at the suspected position. The sniper fire ceased. The Ninth Marines swung into Phase 2 of Operation 3214-65 at the crack of dawn this morning as Company "F", 2d Battalion in a combined operation with the 591 Regional Force Company cleared the area of HOA DA village north of the Song Vien Dien. No Viet Cong were encountered during the operation and all objectives were occupied by 311400H. There were three heat casualties caused by the blistering heat; but only two required evacuation and these were returned to duty after being treated. The Ninth Marines now control approximately nine square kilometers south of the Song Cau Do including thirteen hamlets in two villages

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and four kilometers of highway.

4. Activities

a. Operations

(1) Ninth Marines. Began Phase 1 of Operation 321A-65. Prag Order 6-65 was issued.

(2) 1st Battalion. None.

(3) 2d Battalion. Began Phase II, Sector B, Operation 321A-65. 2d Battalion PRAG ORDER 12-65 was issued.

(a) Company "F". Company "F" departed the Battalion CP at 300530H and moved by truck down Highway 1A to the assembly areas at GO BT 016698 and BT 017684 arriving there at dawn. The 1st platoon met one platoon of the 591 RF Company at BT 016698 and Company "F" (-) met the 591 RF Company (-) and US Army advisors from the Danang Special Sector at BT 017684. The 1st platoon moved northeast to Objective 3 at GO BT 044724 searching the hamlets of Lo Giang, Ke Ay and Con Gui Doi as they move. They were in position on the objective at 311300H. The rest of the company moved east and then northeast to Objective 1 at GO BT 028693 and then to Objective 2 at GO BT 037704. Objective 1 was reached at 310845H and Objective 2 at 311215H. The hamlets of Liem Lac (1), Co Man, Liem Lac (2) and Tung Lam (1) were searched during the sweep. The 1st platoon now occupies Objective 3, the company Headquarters and 60mm Mortars and the 2d platoon are at Objective 2 and the 3d platoon occupies Objective 1. There were no Viet Cong encountered during the sweep. The villagers were friendly and receptive. The area has not been fortified. Some villagers are beginning to build self-defense

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tunnels for protection from artillery. The only indication of Viet Cong activity in the area was a VC flag found near the south west edge of the village of Kiem Lac (1) vicinity GC BT 021686. The flag was not booby trapped in anyway.

b. Patrols

(1) 1st Battalion

(a) Redwood Delta Four. South of the airfield. Departed 301800H, returned 302100H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(b) Redwood Bravo One. North of the airfield. Departed 301841H, returned 302145H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(c) Redwood Delta Three. South of the airfield. Departed 302030H, returned 302230H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(d) Redwood Bravo Two. North of the airfield. Departed 302145H, returned 310030H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(e) Redwood Delta Two. South of the airfield. Departed 310055H, returned 310300H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(f) Redwood Bravo Three. North of the airfield. Departed 310055H, returned 310300H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(g) Redwood Bravo Four. North of the airfield. Departed 310325H, returned 310445H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(h) Redwood Delta One. South of the airfield. Departed 310515H, returned 310815H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(i) Redwood Bravo One. South of the airfield. Departed 311300H, returned 311600H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(j) Redwood Charlie One. North of the airfield. Departed 310800H, returned 311130H July 1965. No enemy contact.

(2) 2d Battalion. None.

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Casualties. None.

5. Changes to Location of Headquarters

Company "F", 2d Battalion - GC BT 036704

6. Changes in Location and Establishment of New OPs. None.

7. Training

a. 1st Battalion. Gave elements of the PABD Battalion instructions on the 81mm Mortar. The following subjects were covered; (1) Nomenclature and functioning of the mortar and (2) organization and operation of the FDC.

8. Plans

a. 1st Battalion. Company "B" will move 1 August 1965 to vicinity GC BT 007723 beginning Phase 2, Sector A Operation 321A-65.

b. 2d Battalion. Company "G" will relieve Company "H" in place tomorrow.

9. Miscellaneous. None.

10. Civil Affairs

a. MedCap Stations

2dBn BAS - 18 Patients

b. Ninth Marines received MedCap supplies today.

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0845		1	250502Z	S-4&COMMO (for Action)	
0845		2	250800Z	S&C,(Action)	
0845		3	252148Z	S-1 Info Disb Off	
0845		4	250512Z	S&C (Funds Off) (Action)	
0845		5	250809Z	S-4 (Action)	
0845		6	250644Z	S-4 (Action)	
0845		5	240245Z	S-1 (Action)	
0845		6	290001Z	S-4 (Action)	

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0800		1	240120Z	Pick up payrolls	S&F
0800		2	240900Z	Assgn Camp Cmdr Camp Hansen	S&F
0800		3	242216Z	Extension of Sub Pay	S&F
0800		4	271402Z	Reporting of casualties	S&F
0800		5	280200Z	Daily Strenght Report	S&F
0800		6	280209Z	Daily Strength Report	S&F
0800		7	280746Z	Seventh Fleet Liberty Policy	S&F
0800		8	280812Z	Quarterly inventory of retail clothing stores	S&F
0930		9		Departed Camp Hansen for White Beach	
1030		10		Embarked aboard USS CLYMER APA 27	
0730		11	251910Z	Quarterly inventory of retail colthing stores	S&
0730		12	280054Z	Rotation draft (207th) 19 Jul 65	S&F
0730		13	251843Z	S&C	S&F
0800		14	270308Z	Communications Records	S&F
0800		15	280510Z	Reference action	S&F
0800		16	260516Z	Submission of Call Sigh	S&F
0800		17	281432Z	Returned Pass	S&F
0800		18	280404Z	Communications Equipment	S&F
0800		19	272336Z	Challenge and Passwords	S&F
0800		20	290716Z	1966 Quarterly Budget Report 11	S&F
0800		21	260240Z	Sanitary Fill, Trash Dump	S&F
0800		22	290921Z	Log Status	S&F
0800		23	300320Z	Request for Date/Locating of Conf PHIBRON RLT-9	S&F
0800		24	301212Z	Return of Troops for Legal Hold	S&F
0800		25	290921Z	Current Supply Posture	S&F
0800		26	301322Z	XO RLT-9 Attend Meeting	S&F
0800		27	300320Z	Request Date and Location of Conference	S&F
0800		28		Prepared OP Order 321-65 1400 1Jul65	S&F(Cont
0800		29	011435Z	Strength Report of USS PICKWAY&CABILDO	S&F(Cont

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0830		1	020019Z	50 Man Working Party (s-4 Action)	
1330		2	RLT-9	Wet Net & Embarkation Training	S&F
1600		3	020604Z	20 Man Working Party for Beach Cleanup	S&F
1800		4	020455Z	Assignment of Ships Platoon	S&F
2030		5	020637Z	Emergency Leave Extension	S&F
2030		6	020016Z	Legal Hold L/CPL N. L. CALVIN	S&F
2145		7	020458Z	Troop list aboard ships (S-1 Action)	Conf

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0200		1	021408Z	Receipt of Classified Material	S&F
0200		2	021107Z	Joint Air Movement Training USAF/USMC	S&F
0300		3		Debarked from White Beach	
0730		4	021830Z	Loading Completion	S&F
0730		5	020721Z	Request for Receipts	S&F
0800		6	020904Z	Special Airlift Request	S&F
0800		7	012310Z	Loading Capabilties	S&F
1030		8	022110Z	Advance Ecnelon 2Bn 5th Marines	S&F
1530		9	281953Z	Ney Menorial Awards for Food Service	S&F
2330		10	030510Z	Req coord for FAM firing of T.O weapons	S&F

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2July65	2230		1	0o0645Z	SIERRA REPORTFROM USS PICKAWAY	CONF
3July65	2330		2	021530Z	SAILING REPORT OF USS CLYMER	CONF
3July65	0800		3	021920Z	ENBARKED REPORT OF USS CARTER HALL	SECRET
3July65	1030		4	030005Z	SAILING REPORT OF USS MATHEWS	CONF
3July65	1100		5	022230Z	SAILING REOPRT OF USS COLONIAL	SECRET
3July65	1430		6	172222Z	LDO AND WO PROGRA	S&F
	1630		7	040727Z	FR USS COLONIAL - A LCPL R.D. TURMER ASHORE ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS WHEN SHIP SAILED	

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0830		1	050120Z	Entering TAC NET	S&F
0930		2	102308Z	Suspend issue of Tetanus Toxiod	S&F
1400		3	031339Z	Return of L/Cplu R. D. TURNER to Clymer	S&F
1900		4	050911Z	Notification of death of grandmother	S-1
2100		5	050721Z	Reqrreset time for Bn TAC	

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0800		1	282203Z	Unable to cancel Tef A&B FSN 6810-985-7296	S&F
0800		2	060207Z	Serials of unleading CARTER HALL& MATHEWS	S&F
0900		3	060550Z	Advise status tanks deadlinde for Generator	S&F
0800		4	060612Z	All Beatle running as of 3 July 65	S&F

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1200		1		Med Aid Sta set up BAS 2/9	S&F
1200		2	080640Z	Overall offload percentage Shipping RLT	S&F
1300		3		Setup RLT-9 HQ at Coord 975715	
1810		4	070109Z	LCPL TURNER departed Cki via specFlight DaNang	S&C

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0800		1	081145Z	Req f/8 Man working party and Gd at Pensha Bech	S&F
0800		2	072300Z	Overall percentage of unloading	S&F
0800		3	0811148Z	Off loading status Rpt	S&F
0800		4	082345Z	Staut overloaded RLT shipping	S&F
0900		5		Ref 082345Z Permiss grant Debark Tac Log	
1200		6	080754Z	Project H endclasp Supplies	S&F
1230		7	090105Z	Premission Granted to Debark TAC Log	
1350		8	060922Z	Dead line report on combat equip.	S&F

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0800		1	080754Z	Project Handclasp Supplies	S&F
0800		2	070109Z	Departure LK of L/Cpl R. D. TURNER	S&F

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1200		1		2ndLt THOMPSON, J. R. Lft Shoulder wound Evac to Div by truck	G
1230		2		2dLt MILLER, G. L. Lft chest prob, serious by mite	F
1600		3	PFC	PFC GRIFFITH Spike, l. foot, BAS/Div	G
1630		4	PFC JOHNSON	Serious leg wound HR to Div	G
1730		5		Corp KLINE Punji, /, Evad to Div	F
1800		6		Sgt KING, UNK	F
1900		7	PFC	PFC AVERY Abdominal woukd HR to Civ	F
2315		8		2dLt BUSH, Evac, Obwerver w/1/3	

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0800		1	092111Z	Report of shipment	S&F
0800		2	090554Z	Operating budget 1st Quarter FY66	S&F
0900		3	100645Z	Report of Injury	S&F

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0800		1	111034Z	Requisitioning procedures	S&F
0800		2	100112Z	Mine AP M18, M18A1 (Claymore)	S&F
0800		3	100608Z	Density losting of equipment	S&F
0800		4	110825Z	Quarterly rpt of non-combatants; sub of	S&F
0800		5	080144Z	Safety procedures in handling grenades	S&F
0800		6	072338Z	Req TCN NR, description and method of shipment	
0800		7	091657Z	Auto time-phased downgrading and declassification system	S&F
0800		8	110500Z	Welreps	S&F
1750		9	261118Z	Inventory on Trailers of each Unit	S&F
1750		10	100110Z	Ammunition Training Allowances	S&F
1750		11	081707Z	Complaints Against Finance Companies	S&F
1750		12	090044Z	Third MarDiv Landing Inst--DaNang	S&F

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0800		1	120938Z	Report of Death (Battle)	S&F
0800		2	112246Z	Report of Battle casualty	S&F
0800		3	112252Z	Report of Battle Casualty	S&F
0800		4	112248Z	Report of Battle casualty	S&F
0800		5	120936Z	Report of Death (Battle)	S&F
0800		6	120940Z	Report of Death (Battle)	S&F
0800		7	121652Z	Report of Battle casualty	S&F
0800		8	121652Z	Report of Battle casualty	S&F
1200		9	131200H	Two Interperters reported in from DivHQ	
1230		10	131230H	Capt GRPMME, Lt SINNOT and interperter visited small village on People to People Program	
1200		11	131300H	Report of Battle Casualty	S&F
1445		12	131445H	Report of Battle Casualty	S&C
1445		13	131445H	Report of Battle Casualty	S&F
1450		14	130317Z	Fir t Qtr FY-66 Funds	S&F
1450		15	092201Z/74	Supplies and Equipage obligating Rpting	S&F
1450		16	091605Z	Message Corrections	S&C
1450		17	130117Z	Casualy Reporting	S&F
1550		18	131550H	Req f/evac 2 civilians to Hosp DaNang	S&E
1635		19	131635H	Report of Battle Casualty	
1635		20	131635H	Report of Battle Casualty	
1635		21	131635	Report of Battle Casualty	

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0600		1	131704Z	Report of Deaths (Attle)	S&F
0600		2	120754Z	Replacement of Typewriter's for FY66	S&F
0615		3	130746Z	Casualty Messate	S&F
0630		4	120816Z	Supply Issue of Ballistic Helmet	S&F
0645		5	121318Z	Report of Battale Casualty	S&F
0650		6	131224Z	Challenge and Passwords	S&F
0700		7	121935Z	Report of Death	S&F
0830		8		Mr. Nguyen-Dinh-Hy with a letter of introducation from Capt. Hoa came to see the Adjutant to set up laundry service	
1200		9	131152	Casualty Message	S&F

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0800		1	131152Z	Report of Battle Casualties (Non-Battle)	S&F
0800		2	121850Z	Off Admin Subj Exam	S&F
1640		3	150050Z	Verification of Security Clearence	S&F
1645		4	141034Z	Trash Dump	S&F
1650		5	150050Z	Verification of Security Clearence	S&F
1650		6	130732Z	Deadline combat essential equip report	S&F
1800		7		SitRep submitted to S3	S&F
2210		8		Battle Casulaty	S&F

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0615		1	142143Z	Half Mast Flag in Memoriem of A. E. Stevensom	S&F
0615		2	110550Z	Battle Casualties	
0615		3	121222Z	Request Rosters for Test Qaivers	S&F
0615		4	140642Z	Supply Dconomy and Material Readimess	S&F
0630		5	150815Z	Request Replacement of equipment	S&F
0630		6	130315Z	Proper Procedure for report enemy Fire	S&F
0630		7	151015Z	Appreciation for Recom Support	S&F
0630		8	140440Z	Missing Property	S&F
0630		9	121152Z	Base Loading Report	S&F
0630		10	140910Z	WELREPS	S&F
0630		11	070120Z	Assign of III MAF Provost Marshall	S&F
0630		12	101344Z	REDOPS	S&F
0630		13	091916Z	Promption Date of 1 July 1965	S&F
0630		14	130734Z	Equipment Density Report	S&F
0630		15	140912Z	WELREPS	S&F
0630		16	140844Z	Sanitary Conditions	S&F
0630		17	150640Z	Progress Report PFC D. C. HOMALDW	S&F
0630		18	150750Z	Battle Casualty	
0630		19	151420Z	WELREPS	S&F
0630		20	150026Z	Received call from Black Box Assist	S&F
1130		21		two Casualties: one shoulderrwound, one Pungi Trap wound.	

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
0600		1	160624Z	Supplement of Casulaties	S&F
0600		2	160812Z	Safety Procedures in Handling Grenades	S&F
0600		3	140506Z	Resetting Mechanical Time Fuze	S&F
0600		4	160442Z	SHELREPS AND MORTREPS	S&F

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
0500		1	170334Z	Battle Casualties	
0500		2	171034Z	Battle Casualties	
0530		3	170546Z	Found Property	S&F
0530		4	160704Z	Conference of SITREP Officers	S&F
0530		5	170142Z	Progress Report of PFC D. C. HOWARD 2082644 USMC	S&F
0600		6	170518Z	Case of L/Cpl INGRAN and PFC DAHLINGER	S&F
0600		7	161230Z	Replacement of Radio Sets AN/MRC-83	S&F
0955		8	171125Z	Transmittal of General Messages	S&F
0955		9	170600Z	Dry Cell Batteries	S&F
0955		10	130518Z	Division Engineer Officer	S&F

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0500		1	180106Z	Missing property	S&F
0500		2	180824Z	Safety procedures in handling grenades	
1230		3	180114Z	Readdressal of missing government property	S&F

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES ORDERS, ETC. 20 July 1965	ACTION TAKEN
0500		1	180630Z	Correction report of battle casualty on PFC R.P. RAGLAW 2102474 USMC	S&F

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0626		1	190256Z	Captured document	
0626		2	180220Z	Field sanitation improvement	
0626		3	190742Z	Return of equipment	
0626		4	161350Z	Report of battle casualties	
0626		5	191316Z	Correction of battle casualty report	
0626		6	201510Z	Casualty report	
0626		7	170837Z	TRF of pers through Saigon	
0626		8	191110Z	Supply of combat materials	
0626		9	190032Z	Supply from Barstow	
0626		10	192344Z	Battle casualty	
0626		11	190808Z	Tool kits	
0626		12	180112Z	Requisitioning procedures	
0626		13	180110Z	Missing government property	
0626		14	200001Z	Rpt of PFC E.J. MOCK USNM Yokosuka	

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0630		1	200640Z	WELREPS on casualties	
0630		2	210745Z	Casualty rpt of non-hostile action	
0630		3	210007Z	Report of shipment	
0630		4	190127Z	Change to JAFPUB	
0630		5	171851Z	Explosive safety	
0630		6	210430Z	msg 190808Z negative report submitted	
0630		7	181534Z	R.S.MCNAMARA visited US troops in Vietnam	
0630		8	162354Z	Typhoons and tropical storys	
0630		9	200706Z	Contact instruction teams	
0630		10	100015Z	TRP redisignation of 3/9	
0630		11	200802Z	Missing property	
0630		12	210614Z	Missing Property	
0630		13	170540Z	Missing government property	
0630		14	196953Z	msg correction 52/2	
0630		15	161958Z	interment of Adlai E. STEVENSON, flags half-mast until notice to follow	
0630		16	180636Z	Class IV cold weather articles	
0630		17	151139Z	Income Tax procedures for dislocation allowance	
0630		18	190808Z	Tool kits	

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0600		1	221040Z	Field fortification material	
0600		2	190152Z	Missing property	
0600		3	220042Z	Helment TA NR 43180	
0600		4	220222Z	WELREPS	
0845		5	220028Z	Base loading report	
0845		6	200602Z	Policy for terminating family housing assignments, exception to	
0845		7	221032Z	Class IV cold weather articles	
0845		8	171239Z	Civilian employment of minority groups; Survey of dull-time U.S. Citizen	
0845		9	220447Z	Shipment status	
0845		10	220712Z	Appearance of personnel	
0845		11	220443Z	MILSTRIP REQN	
0845		12	220044Z	CMC 201800Z NOTAL	
0845		13	210642Z	Employment of Embossed metal plates	
1120		14	221036Z	Missing property	
1120		15	231120H	Received call from HqCmdt; water rations in effect until further notice.	
1600		16	220426Z	Pol activities 8 thru 15 July 1965	

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0800		1	231045Z	Tool kits being considered (S-4)	
0800		2	210011Z	Report of shipment	
1145		3	202119Z	Erroneous weights on air shipments	
1145		4	231348Z	Utilization of priority designator system	
1145		5	200035Z	Report of shipment	
2035		6	221033Z	Missing property, req for search of	
2035		7	240536Z	Security in vehicles	

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0700		1	222243Z	Milstrip status	S&F
0700		2	222253Z	Milstrip regn	S&F
0700		3	220242Z	Rpt, very seriously ill, non-battle	S&F
0700		4	231434Z	RT Fklft as to BLT 2/9 ~~2/9~~ by 3dFSR	S&F
0700		5	220445Z	Milstrip reqn	S&F
0700		6	231516Z	Rpt of battle casualty	S&F
1520		7	250200Z	Missing property	S&F
1520		8	240506Z	Sanitary fill/trash dump	S&F
1520		9	230758Z	Vehicle availiability, reporting of	S&F
1520		10	240202Z	Missing property	S&F
1520		11	240204Z	Missing property	S&F
1520		12	230208Z	Missing Property	S&F
1520		13	240210Z	Missing Property	S&F
1520		14	230442Z	Contact inst Team for automotive Maint Procedures	S&F

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0700				Senator 1 Personnel and equipment moved to new tent. No incoming messages to report	

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0700				Continued work from the 26th of July moving personnel and equipment into new tent No imcoming messages to report.	

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0940		1	230542Z	Progress rpt on PFC D.C. HONLJNDN USMC	S&F
0940		2	251200Z	6000 lbs RTF assigned to BLT 2/9	S&F
0940		3	251826Z	Status rpt, injured in hostile action	S&F
0940		4	260150Z	Cancellation	S&F
0940		5	232023Z	Msg corr	S&F

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0745		1	231525Z	Change to JAFPUB	S&F
0745		2	232103Z	Defense cost reduction week	S&F
0745		3	280148Z	Challenge and Pass words	S&F
0745		4	270457Z	Navagation Lights	S&F

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0800		1	291212Z	Missing property	S&F
0800		2	281222Z	Tire chains all "M" series vehs	S&F
0800		3	300924Z	Ch one to liberty regs	S&F
0800		4	281837/09	Chief of Naval Operations shipping over speech	S&F

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HEADQUARTERS
3d Marine Division (Rein), FMF
c/o FPO San Francisco, California 96601

1/RMC/jew
5800
17Jul65

From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 3d Marine Division (Rein) (Attn Civil Affairs Officer)

Subj: Periodic Civil Affairs/Civil Action Report Number 1

Ref: (a) DivO 5800.2

1. In accordance with reference (a) the subject report is herewith submitted.

a. Clearing Operations. No clearing operations were conducted by Headquarters, 9th Marines. The 1st Bn, 9th Marines conducted clearing operations in the hamlet of Duoc Song, District of Hoa Vang. Their operations report is contained in the unit's Civil Affairs Report. Essentially, their operation was contained to medical assistance to injured individual and MedCap aid to others. No repairs or construction projects were undertaken. No assessment concerning the people's reaction can be determined at this time. Future clearing operations will be programed in the TAOR District of Hoa Vang as operational commitments will allow clearing operations utilized RVN and CI personnel. No report of the effect of their contact has been received at this time. Troops are performing well. Morale is high and no adverse incidents have been reported. RVN Popular Forces units conducted psycho warfare techniques and all available information was disseminated through the appropriate S-2 channels. The clearing operations was cleared through the Da Nang Special Sector and the District Chief of Hoa Vang.

b. MEDCAP Activities. There are three units now actively participating in civilian Medical aid. These are the 3d Tk Bn the 3d AmTrac Bn and the 2dBn, 9th Marines. The area of treatment is adjacent to the respective CA areas. The overall program is supervised by the 9th Marines Regimental Surgeon, Doctor [illegible] NN. He has made arrangements for procurring MEDCAP supplies. There are approximately 100 persons treated daily. The age group ranges from babies to the very old. Results have been reported as outstanding. Additionally, usuable remains of "G" rations have been distributed. When requested the District Chief provided a representative to establish contacts locate village or hamlet chiefs and publicize the operations. In general, the reception of the people to our assistance has been rewarding and has contributed significantly to the overall operations in the area.

c. Coordination. All civil affairs activities in this area

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...e coordinated by the 9th Marines, the District Chief of Hoa Vang and the Division Civil Affairs Officer.

d. Displacement of families and homes. At this time one family has moved from the C area of the 3d Marines. Future operations of this nature are not being prepared in the vicinity of the 9th Marines CP. There are 6 homes which must necessarily be moved adjacent to the CP.

e. Future projects. One additional MAG Station will be established at coordinates 002716 by the 9th Marines. No other operations are contemplated at this time.

f. Civil Affairs Contact

(1) Sgt Hoang Van Sub Sector Advisory to the District Chief of Hoa Vang.

(2) Captain [illegible], District Chief of Hoa Vang.

(3) Major [illegible], USMC, Division Civil Affairs Officer.

(4) Lt [illegible], USN, Division Civil Affairs Officer.

(5) Lt [illegible], MC, USN, [illegible] Regimental Surgeon.

[illegible]
By direction

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S-2, RLT-9
DANANG, RVN
281500H JUNE to 100800H JULY

TIME IN	TIME OUT	JOURNAL NUMBER	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
281500		J-1			Journal Opened	
281500		J-2			S-2 Intel Annex compl for 201-65 & 321-65	
281500		J-3			S-2 Jeep/Trailer loaded & staged	
281600		J-4			S-2 Jeep/trailer put on board ship	
290900		J-5			Intel Chief & IntelAsst & field safe went aboard USS CLYMER	
291300		J-6			S-2 officer attended intel conf at Div	
04[illegible]		J-7			RLT-9 Advance Party departed Futema	
041[illegible]		J-8			RLT-9 Advance Party arrived Danang, RVN	
041400		J-9			RLT-9 & staff attended area briefing	
041445		J-10			RLT-9 & Recon Party departed on Recon	
041630		J-11			Recon Party (J-10) returned	
042000		J-12			RLT & Det held area briefing on critical terrain	
050930		J-13			RLT-9 Recon party reconned Red Beach Area	
051015		J-14			S-2 & Asst(Cpl BEISNER) visited 3d Marines and FLSG for maps of the area	
051330		J-15			Recon party (Capt Faust,S-3,CommO,ArtyO) reconned area east of Hill 327	
060800		J-16			Work commenced on RLT-9 OpOrder 321-65	
062300		J-17			RLT-9 OpOrder 321-65 compl for Dist	
070600		J-18			CO,S-3,RLT-9 went to beach for 2 hrs	
070800		J-19			S-2 visited S-2 HOA VAN Dist,CO HOA CAM Trng Center	
071830		J-20			BLT 2/9 compromised both Pri and Alt Password	Notified MAF Changed Code Not 2/9
07[illegible]		J-21			Crowd-2 rptd possible VC attk on bridge (946669)	
072200		J-22			Disembarked ship for landing (bulk of RLT-9 Hqtrs)	
	091520	J-23			Disseminated Challenge & Password	
091650		J-26			U.S. Army Advisor, DAM HOA Trng Center informed Sen-2 of poss # Co VC attack on DAM HOA (975638)	
091700		J-27			Capt GROMME passed word VC Bn (975638)	
XX	100900	J-28			INTSUM #1 Sent to Shove	
101230		J-29	Monroe	Radius	Rec'd Weather report	

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From 111000 To 120900 JULY 1965

1000		J-37	040814	III MAF	III MAF	III MAF 11-65	S,F,M
1000		J-38	111001	USMAC		Directive #381-11	S,F
	1002	J-39	111007	FMFPAC	RVN Statistical Data		S,F
	1030	J-40	111030	Sen-2	BB-2,Shove2	INTSUM #2	S,F
	1100	J-41	111100	Shove2	Sen2	Weather Forecast	S,F
1113		J-42	111113	I-D-6	PS	Rec'd sniper fire at Village 990682	Shove 3
XX	1145	J-43	111145	Sen-2	Shove-2	Rptd J-42 to Shove-2	Shove-2
1315		J-44	111315	I-D-6	Sen-2	7 VC suspects, 985693 in black, khaki,white uniforms.	Shove-2
1325		J-45	111325	Smokeroom	Sen-2	Have Recon patrol in sight, yellow smoke signal.User unknown.	S,F
1326		J-46	111326	Sen-3	SR-3	En acty vic 009682-982682	S,F,M
1335		J-47	111335	BB-2	PG-2	VC Village heavily entrenched 999687	S,F,M
1337		J-48	111337	BB-2	Sen-2	3 persons mov W at 970689.Believed VC's.	
1300		J-49	111300	Sen-2		7 VC suspects at 985693, En acty Vic 009682 & 982682. 2 VC captured held at dismount point RR Bridge.	Shove-2
1400		J-50	111400	BB-2	Sen-2	E Co rpts 3 VC suspects at 967699	S,F,M
1420		J-51	111420	Sen-2	Shove-2	3 suspect VC rptd at 970689 at 1305 believed same as J-50	S,F,M
1430		J-52	111430	BB-2	Sen-2	E Co rpts 5 VC's vic 966698 in & out of trees at 111400	S,F,M
	1445	J-53	111445	Sen-2	Shove-2	PG E rptd 5 VC's in & out of trees at 966698 at 111400	Shove-2 Crowd-2

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1507		J-54	111507	Recon	Sen-2	22 VC's observed carrying farm equip 985693	Notified Crowd and Shove
	1524	J-55	111524	Sen-2	Crowd-2 Shove-2	Recon rpts 22 VC's carrying farm equip Coord 985693 at 1445.	S,F
[illegible]		J-56	111400			6 VCS picked up by Sen-2 & delivered to Div. Picked up aat Coords Approx 004695	Taken to POW compound
1555		J-57	111555	BB-2	Sen-2	E Co OP Established to be on Hill 47	S,F,M
1627		J-58	111627	VMO	Recon	Recon rec'd rpt from VMO of A/ W fire on A/ C O1B at Coords 999654	Shove-2 BB-2
	1800	J-59	111800	Sen-2	Sen	List of Code for Password & Challenge	S,F
1815		J-60	111815	BB-2	Sen-2	BB-2 turned in 60mm mortar round found at 995688	
1820		J-61	111740	Scat-6	Scat	Recon Bn rpts 100-200 VC's at 998688	Notified Shove-2
1845		J-62	111845	BB-2	Sen-2	2-E rec'd S/F at Coord AT975701 at 1800	Notified Shove-2
1850		J-63	111850	BB-2	Sen-2	G Co now under S/A fire at Coord AT995675	Notified S-3
[illegible]		J-64	111900	BB-2	Sen-2	E Co captured document DONG SON (1) Coord AT998688	Notified Shove-2
[illegible]		J-65	112154	BB-2	Sen-2	2 Plts "F" positioned with Golf. Engaged in firefight at 2155. Details to come later.	Notified Shove
2205		J-66	112155	BB-2	Sen-2	Ambulance overran 2 bamboo barriers on way to Med Bn. Kids in vic. Ran same two on way back.	Notified Shove
2245		J-67	112235	PkGrn	PkGrn-6	PkGrn Golf now in firefight.	S,F
2340		J-68	112330	W Master	Sen-2	Poss acty on rt flank. No div acty at all.	

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TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
2350		J-69	112230	2/9	9thMar	Loss of Freq & call signs. Firefight at S. end of bridge.	S,F
0321		J-70	120321	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co receiving S/F.Returning fire on Poss targets.	S,F
0327		J-71	120327	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec S/A fire. Position remaining the same.	S,F
0830		J-72	120145	Amtracs	9thMar	Civ man & Civ Veh sitting by Amtrac OP	S,F
[illegible]		J-73	120805	2/9	9thMar	LOD Coord designation.	S,F,S-3
[illegible]		J-74	120610	12thMar	9thMar	"E" Btry rec'd S/F rt flank. Returned fire 0545.	S,F,Div
[illegible]		J-75	120815	2/9	9thMar	2/9 "B" Co with Orbid Charlie Two crossed LOD on schedule	S,F
0900		J-75	120900	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM submitted #3	S,F,Shove
0900		J-76	120900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F
0901		J-1	120901	———	———	Journal Closed	
0930		J-2	111544	III MAF	9thMar	III MAF IR 15-65	S,F
0930		J-3	111234	III MAF	9thMar	INTSUM MR-62	S,F,M
0945		J-4	120908	1-D-6	9thMar	WIA, 2d Plt. Not serious	S,F,M
0948		J-5	120937	S-D-5	9thMar	Req OE from 9thMar. Rec S/F from Frndly Pos	S,F
0950		J-6	120940	S-D-6	9thMar	Village at AT987677 is clear. Proceeding to village at AT 982675	S,F,M
1140		J-7	121100	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM #3 taken to Shove	S,F
1150		J-8	121135	2/9	9thMar	Rptd ARVN Capt rptd one VC Co has withdrawn from Pos Vic 9968 to 966665 (AT)	S,F,Shove
1331		J-9	121331	Comm	9thMar	Freq,Net,Designator & Type Radio of Sen	S,F
[illegible]		J-10	121330	S-D-6	9thMar	Have loc VC minefield 970680. 3 wounded.	S,F,Shove
[illegible]		J-11	121310	2/9	9thMar	LVT's rpts 6 VC at 970684. Will attempt to capture.	S,F,Shove,M
1325		J-12	121325	S-D-6	9thMar	Req OE ASAP	S,F,Shove
1345		J-13	121345	2/9	9thMar	Debrief of 2/9 S-2 121230	S,F
1542		J-14	121549	S-D-6	9thMar	Have 1 wounded VC. Req evacuation	S,F,M
1550		J-15	121550	Shove	9thMar	VC OOB	S,F,M
1430		J-16	121600	HqCo	9th S-2	Security pers turned in leaflets	S,F,Shove
1615		J-17	121637	9th-14	9th S-2	FOV rpts 6 VC dead as result Air Strikes	S,F,Shove
1630		J-18	121645	3dMar	9thMar	OP #2 rpts 6 VC fled into village Coord 973695	S,F,Shove
1709		J-19	121715	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rpts receiving S/F at 785682	S,F,Shove
1715		J-20	121720	2/9	9thMar	Fire at 985092. Fire started same Coord, spreading W.	S,F,Shove
1825		J-21	121827	2/9	9thMar	Approx 50 refugees Coord 985693 on trail Dov W.ImmAirStrikes	S,F,Shove,M
1830		J-22	121855	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co loc 005685. VC mortar fire from 004685. Do not know if 60mm or 81mm.	S,F,Shove,M

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1835		J-23	121910	2/9	9thMar	See J-22	S,F,Shove
1841		J-24	121916	2/9	9thMar	Req time of low tide SONG AU DOU	S,F,Shove
1856		J-25	121917	SDR	9thMar	SD566 and all patrol at NR & Rd Junc.E	S,F
1858		J-26	121918	2/9	9thMar	Have 1 ARVN soldier wounded at Coord 999700, casuality evac	S,F,Shove
[illegible]0		J-27	121931	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co at 999691. Rec S/A fire from 982681	S,F,M
[illegible]0		J-28	121945	PS-3	9thMar	2/9 rec S/A fire 982681	S,F
[illegible]0		J-29	121947	2/9	9thMar	2/9 rpts 1 casualty, Cpl Stice	S,F,Shove
2100		J-30	122100	Div	9thMar	Low Tide 121900; High 130959; Low 131812	S,F,Col Garrets
2105		J-31	122020	2/9	9thMar	Tracer rds Approx Coords 985735 was VN Trng Cntr on exercise None	
	2330	J-32	122330	9thMar	Shove	Recap of En Losses	S,F,Shove,S-3
2349		J-33	122399	2/9	9thMar	Arty FO indicates only 6 KIA from A/S	S,F
0555		J-34	130600	2/9	9thMar	Have three tractors free, process of tracing other 3.	S,F
0715		J-35	130720	Shove	9thMar	3 VN interpreters at Coll Point	S,F,S-1
0755		J-36	130800	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co made no VC contact during the night	S,F
	0835	J-37	130830	9thMar	Shove	Picked up FFPH HOA VAN Dist. Took to 2/9	S,F
0844		J-38	121100	III MAF	III MAF	INTSUM #63	S,F,M
0855		J-39	130855	9thMar	Div	INTSUM #4 dispatched	S,F
0900		J-40	130900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F
0901		J-1	130901	———	———	Journal Opened	
[illegible]00		J-2	130945	2/9	9thMar	U/I VN mov W. into treeline Coords 996684	S,F
[illegible]40		J-3	131045	2/9	9thMar	Captured VC documents & lighter found (AT975698)	S,F,Shove
[illegible]00		J-4	131100	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of Unk Mine Field vic (AT970680)	S,F,Shove
1215		J-5	131105	2/9	9thMar	Poss booby traps in DOUNG SON Village (AT978665)	S,F,Shove
1220		J-6	131145	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec'd 6 rds S/A fire from vic 978698 at 1217. "F" Co & ARVN have cleared ½ DUONG SONG hamlet #1	S,F,Shove
1224		J-7	131230	9thMar	9thMar	20 males carrying coffin loc 998698	S,F,Shove
	1225	J-8	131232	2/9	9thMar	S-2 departed for 2/9 OP	S,F
1315		J-9	131315	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co OP rec'd 1 rd S/F from Coords 965698	S,F
1350		J-10	131100	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co/ARVN Plt conducts sweep of DUONG SONG (1)	S,F
1430		J-11	131400	2/9	9thMar	Documents, important papers found in "F" Co Sweep area	S,F
1430		J-12	131415	2/9	9thMar	Documents, Captured Equip delivered by MSgt SHAPIRO	S,F
1500		J-13	131450	2/9	9thMar	2/9 took one 60mm Mortar rd	S,F,FSCC
1530		J-14	131551	S-3	Shove	60mm fired at 1450 Coord 002689 was Energy	S,F

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1535		J-15	131554	9thMar	Shove	Wounded child and old man evacuated	S,F
1540		J-16	131556	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rec'd 2 rds of S/F on rt flank W. side of CP	S,F
1610		J-17	131610	2/9	9thMar	Captured VC documents, POW rpt, Opns in Cam Ne	S,F
1745		J-18	131750	2/9	9thMar	Captured VC equip from Coord 998686	S,F
[illegible]		J-19	132233	S-3	S-2	"F" Co rec S/F. 1 KIA poss. Second casualty	S,F,Shove
[illegible]		J-20	132305	S-3	S-2	Lt.Sec.tks pursuing sniper AT948816	S,F,Shove
[illegible]		J-21	132330	2/9	9thMar	1 KIA from Red Beach, More info to come	S,F
	2339	J-22	132240	9thMar	2/9	Blackout Cond off 2339	S,F,Shove
2343		J-23	132344	2/9	9thMar	Actually saw 1 man in black. Shot at same. Couldn't determine if he was hit.	S,F,Shove
0045		J-24	140041	2/12	9thMar	2 Individuals in rice paddies, Unk Obj. 200 meters on rt flank of position	S,F,2/9
0805		J-25	142205	AFe	S-3	Saw flares & hearing S/A fire at 96709571	S,F
0806		J-26	142205	ShorePty	S-3	Rec 4 rds S/F at 1321001 from EW	S,F
0807		J-27	142205	Shove	S-3	Panhandle rec S/F at 2/9 security	S,F
0815		J-28	142250	2/9	S-3	"G" Co rec S/F to both flanks	S,F
0816		J-29	142250	ShorePty	S-3	Rpt swimmers offshore	S,F
0820		J-30	142330	S-3	Shove	Rpt on fire fight at Red Beach	S,F
	0900	J-31	140900	9thMar	Shove	ISSUED INTSUM #4	S,F
0900		J-32	140900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F
[illegible]		J-1	140901	———	———	Journal Opened	S
[illegible]		J-2	140930	2/9	9thMar	HQ 2/12 req est of VC strength vic Marble Mtn. It is their intention to send FO team there. G-2 est that one VC In operates in this area. This team could draw hostile fire.	S,F
0930		J-3	140900	2/9	9thMar	Chief Scout has loc poss tunnel entrance at Coords 997684.	S,F
1001		J-4	141001	III MAF	III MAF	III MAF IR #IR-65	S,F,M
1115		J-5	141115	S-3	2/9	Poss R-2.4 U.O.2 mov SW.	S,F
1151		J-6	131224	III MAF	III MAF	Challenge and Pasword received	S,F
1200		J-7	141200	III MAF	III MAF	Weather forecast	S,F
1300		J-8	141246	S-3	S-2	Rpt of demonstrations to be held Cam Ne (1),(2)	S,F,Shove,2/9
1400		J-9	141320	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of sign on temple "MINES DANGER" 989601	S,F,Shove
1400		J-10	141300	———	———	S-2A and Asst made Helo Recon AT985715 to BA079723 to AT085695 to AT985665 to AT985715. No unusual acty obs.	S,F

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1552		J-11	1A1615			Turned in fragments found at Coords 992683. Rpts poss .50 cal 2/9 ISI firing at 1stPlt 2/9 "H" Co from the west.	S,P,Shove
1552		J-12	1A1650			Overlay of possible enemy positions	S,P
		J-13	1A1615	Shove	S-3	2000-2200 All villages in HOA VANG Dist will participate in a political propaganda lecture. People mov around.	S,P,2/9
[redacted]		J-14	1A1725	Recon	9thMar	Pro-government rally 2000-2200	S,P,2/9,S[redacted]
[redacted]		J-15	1A1000	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co picked up RuVN agent	S,P,Shove
1930		J-16	1A1930	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co rpts S/F, could not det direction	S,P
1945		J-17	1A1945	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rpts A/W fire from AT991667	S,P
2000		J-18	1A2000	HOA VANG	9thMar	Agt rpts 2 VC Co (AT937605) and (963600) may attack	S,P,Shove
2030		J-19	1A2030	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co rpts S/A fire (AT991682)	S,P
2150		J-20	1A2150	Shove	2/9	Two how mov into AT945645 and AT962612	S,P,2/9
2228		J-21	1A2200	Recon	9thMar	S-Unk,A-3 shots,L-From French Fort,U-Unk,R-1A40, E-Believed to be carbine.	S,P
2228		J-22	1A2201	Recon	9thMar	S-Unk,A-3 shots,L-120740meters,U-Unk,L-1A2080,E-Believed to be carbine	S,P
2228		J-23	1A2228	2/9	9thMar	3 pers mov around direct front of illum area.	S,P
0450		J-24	1A2345	Recon	9thMar	Rpt 3 men mov N. along rd 300 meters S. of bridge	S,P
0450		J-25	1A2346	Recon	9thMar	The 3 men mov off rd W. toward village	S,P
0450		J-26	1A2358	Recon	9thMar	Light in village to left of rd S. of fort	S,P
[redacted]		J-27	150145	2/9	9thMar	Suspect troop movement vic 999695. Illum Req.	S,P,Shove
[redacted]		J-28	150226	2/9	9thMar	No sign of trp movement revealed as result of illum	S,P,Shove
[redacted]		J-29	150340	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rec S/ fire from (991690)(990687)(989684)	S,P
0850		J-30	150850	[redacted]	Recon	Recon hit by S/ A fire (BM068706)	S,P
0900		J-31	150900	9thMar	Shove	Intsum #5	S,P
0900		J-32	150900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,P
0901		J-1	150901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,P
0901		J-2	15Jul69	1/9	9thMar	Intel rpt of action 12Jul	S,P
0915		J-3	150910	III MAF	III MAF	INTSUM #64	S,P,M
0920		J-4	150920	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rec S/F (AT993673)	S,P,M
0945		J-5	150935	Recon	9thMar	Rpt of Fort in village of DONG PHUAC	S,P,M
1000		J-6	150936	Recon	9thMar	Recon rpts 1 human run thru brush	S,P
1000		J-7	150946	Recon	9thMar	Recon rpts 4 men run east	S,P

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1030		J-8	151000	Shove	9thMar	1 Plt ARVN from 594th Co attached BLT-9	S,F
1235		J-9	151235	2/9	9thMar	Sighted 9 groups of VN Civ male carrying wire vic Bn CP	S,F,M
1312		J-10	151312	Recon	9thMar	Treated VN who cut self w/knife	S,F
1430		J-11	14Jul	III MAF	III MAF	IR 21-65	S,2,2/9,2/12
[illegible]		J-12	14Jul	9thMar	HOA VAIC	Rpt Civ digging along rd St #1 (005724)	S,F
[illegible]		J-13	151550	2/9	9thMar	Recon of river for LVT entrance	S,F
[illegible]		J-14	151717	9thMar	Shove	Req for permission Est St.Joe OP Marble Mtn.	S,F
1743		J-15	151745	Shove	9thMar	Downed Chopper	S,2,M
1810		J-16	151810	Shove	9thMar	OP Marble Mtn approved	S,F
1900		J-17	151855	2/9	9thMar	Rpt Mort rd incoming	S,2
1900		J-18	151840	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec 1 rd Mort fire.Woman rptd using Field Phone<.	S,F,H
1940		J-19	151930	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec S/A fire	S,F
2030		J-20	152030	2/9	9thMar	Flashlight Sig/Rpt of Illum. S/A fire L/2	S,F,M
2105		J-21	152045	2/9	9thMar	"G" fired on 2 people w/s/scope. Saw them drop	S,F,H
2310		J-22	152200	9thMar	Shove	On SitRep for 152200	S,F
2310		J-23	152225	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co had S/F Coord (999678). Req Illum. Fired Illum. Obs no para, but took 3 more rds	S,F,H,Shove
0645		J-24	160639	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of new trenches dug vic (006638) QUANG CHAU	S,F,H,Shove
0720		J-25	160720	Shove	9thMar	2/9's .50 cal rds turned out to be Arty shell fragments	S,F
0850		J-26	160850	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co patrol to (990635) found blood on ground	S,F,Shove
0855		J-27	160855	9thMar	Shove	INFSUM SUM1	C,F
[illegible]		J-28	160900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F
0901		J-1	160901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
0901		J-2	160901	9thMar	Shove	INFSUM carried to Shove	S
0925		J-3	160925	Recon	9thMar	Obs 5 mortar rds dropped at Coord AT994680	S,F,H
1001		J-4	161001	Recon	9thMar	3-15 people,A-East in group mov toward river, L-BT070702, U-Blk PJ's, Straw Hats,,I-1000,E-Unk	S,F,H
1100		J-5	161100	2/9	9thMar	"F" Co rec S/F from Coords AT995680 to 993678	S,F,H
1120		J-6	161120	2/9	9thMar	InCo59thInfinARVN Forces rptd 3 KIA,1 WIA in DONG SON (1) last night. 10 VC's entered village and removed bodies. DUONG SON (2) has 15 VC's at present	S,F
1120		J-7	161121	Recon	9thMar	3-9 people,A-mov back & forth at river, seem to be picking up something,L-BT06950691,U-Blk PJ's & straw hats, T-161100,E-Unk	S,F

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1057		J-8	161057	Recon	9thMar	5 people mov at rapid pace U79692, HHK FP's at 1050	S,F
1600		J-9	161600	2/9	9thMar	"H" Co rpts sniper in tree at 0900 Coord AT995680. Fired on sniper. Obs him fall from tree. Villagers retrieved bdy	S,F
1635		J-10	161635	2/9	9thMar	ARVN Forces w/"H" Co rpts two mines loc BM002683	S,F,M
[illegible]	1615	J-11	161615	9thMar	Shove	ARVN NCO agent from HOA CAM Trng Cntr rpts 2 VC Co s of 100 men Ea. at AT945690 & AT956672. Armed w/60mm Mort & LAW's. Arrived in area morning 15th. Are prepared to stay a while.	S,F,M,Shove Coord, HOA [illegible] Dist
1800		J-12	161800	HOA VAL	9thMar	VC entered village of CAM DE (1) and (2)	S,F
1859		J-13	161859	Recon	9thMar	15 men mov SW HOB 5705, utilities, packs & rifles	S,F,M
2115		J-14	162115		9thMar	2/12 rpts 2 rds S/F from NE of pos	S,F,M
		J-15		S-3	S-2	SITREP #8	F
		J-16		Recon	9thMar	Recon rpt vic Marble Mtn (0571)	F
		J-17		Recon	9thMar	Recon rpt vic Marble Mtn (0571)	F
	2255	J-18	162255	9thMar	Shove	Req tidal data of 0030 CAU DO River	S,F,Shove
2305		J-19	162305	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rec 3 HE 60mm Mort rds into pos AT990665. "E" Co rec S/A fire from SE. Calling for illum & plane flares	S,F,M,Shove
0010		J-20	161500	2/9	9thMar	Captured En equip by "F" Co AT990665	S,F,Shove
0011		J-21	160835	2/9	9thMar	Captured En equip by "G" Co AT990665	S,F,Shove
0055		J-22	170056	S-3	S-2	SPOT SITREP	S,F,M
[illegible]		J-23	170145	2/9	9thMar	SITREP as of 0145	S,F
[illegible]		J-24	170235	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co has two WIA	S,F
[illegible]		J-25	170830	2/9	9thMar	Summary of acty 162255-170320	S,F
0830		J426	161700	9thMar	9thMar	VC casualties result arty fire	S,F
[illegible]	0900	J-27	160900	9thMar	Shove	Intsum #8	S,F
0900		J-28	160900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DATE	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	170901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
0905		J-2	170905	9thMar	Shove	Issued INTSUM #8	S,F,2/9,2/12
1105		J-3	171105	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co turned in captured documents	S,F,Shove
1110		J-4	171110	Shove	Recon	VC In at Coord BT086671, 045655, 045685. Armed with 2 81mm Mort, S,F,M	
[illegible]10		J-5	171245	Recon	9thMar	60mm Mort, 4 MG's, 8 BAR's and S/A. Recon rpts 25 men mov west	S,F,M,Shov[illegible]
[illegible]50		J-6	171345	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of red lights after a cease fire. Believed to be signal.	S,F
1450		J-7	171448	9thMar	2/9	Postponement OGOO Order	S,F,Shove
1450		J-8	181900	9thMar	———	OpOrder 323-65	S,F
1545		J-9	171537	2/9	9thMar	7 rds Mort fire landed vic (955680)(3dMar)	S,F,M,Shove
1919		J-10	171919	S-3	S-2	SITREP #9	S,F,M
2015		J-11	172015	Shove	9thMar	Meeting with Chaplain O'CONNOR	S,F
2100		J-12	172055	HOA VANG	9thMar	Rpt of VC Regt & VC In	S,F,M,Shove
2100		J-13	172100	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rpts S/F & rocket fire (homemade)	S,F
0200		J-14	180209	MaCo	S-2	Movement of people in village	S,F
0735		J-15	180735	3dMar	9thMar	Helo Recon rpt suspect VC In crossing River	S,F,M,Shove
0855		J-16	180855	———	———	INTSUM #9 drafted	S,F,Shove
0900		J-17	180900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	180901	———		Journal Opened	S,F
	0902	J-2	180902	9thHar	Shove	INTSUM #9 dispatched	S,F,Shove,2/9 S-3,S-1,2/12
1532		J-3	181522	2dHar	S-3,9th	Maj REDDER rpts S/A fire impacting in mud pond at AT998726	S,F,Shove,M
1[illegible]		J-4	170700	Shove	9thHar	HIEU DAN-QUACHANG, possibility of attack 10-20Jul	S,F,2/9
1[illegible]		J-5	182400	S-2	S-3	SITREP #10	S,F,M
1[illegible]		J-6	181300	S-2		S-2,S-2Chief made Recon of DUONG SON (1)	
1930		J-7	181700	2/9	9thHar	Patrol rpt vic 979701	S,F,M
2000		J-8	181900	HOA CAM	S-3,9th	Patrol for 18Jul65	S,F
2000		J-9	181935	2/9	9thHar	"H" Co receiving S/A fire from vic (AT969701)	S,F
2040		J-10	181930	HOA VANG	S-2	Rpt of VC Co vic (970565)	S,F,M,Shove
2040		J-11	182000	2/9	9thHar	Rpt from Chief HOA CHAU village	S,F,Shove
2200		J-12	182045	S-3	S-2	HOA CAM Trng Cntr rpts VC contact from 967698 and 959709. 60mm Mort being received by ARVN	S,F,M,Shove
2[illegible]		J-13	182120	2/9	9thHar	ARVN spotted VC Co Coords 959693 to 950701	S,F,M,Shove Bn Cmdt,Antrace
2240		J-14	182200	2/9	9thHar	Rec occasional fire from M. Will fire 106 as soon as S/F continues.	S/F,S-3,M
0830		J-15	190830	9thHar		INTSUM #10 drafted	S,F
0900		J-16	190900	———		Journal Closed	S,F

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0901		J-1	190901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
0902		J-2	190902	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM #10 dispatched	S,F,2/9,2/12 Shove,S-1,S-3
0902		J-3	190902	9thMar		S-2 & S-3 depart for meeting with agent	S,F
[illegible]30		J-4	190930	9thMar	Shove	Req tide tables for Danang area 19-31 July	S,F
[illegible]0		J-5	191300	AmTracs	9thMar	Rpt discovery of Raft	S,F,M
[illegible]25		J-6	191325	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of Interview between Maj BUCK/Mr. MUI	S,F,Shove
1340		J-7	191340	2/9	9thMar	S-2 2/9 aerial recon	S,F,Shove
1400		J-8	191400	HOA VANG	9thMar	Rpt of VC acty in DUONG SON Area	S,F,Shove
1438		J-9	191430	Recon	9thMar	Recon patrol rpt vic 999689	S,F
1655		J-10	191645	2/9	9thMar	2 RF Co's loc 998654, 009661. May mov DUONG SON (1) tonight	S,F,M,Shove
1845		J-11	191825	2/9	9thMar	35 Civ leaving DUONG SON (1) mov east	S,F,M,Shove
1855		J-12	191500	Shove	9thMar	Rpt of captured document	S,F
1855		J-13	191855	2/12	9thMar	Rpts sign between Div and this CP reading: VC acty beyond this point.	S,F,Shove
1916		J-14	191916	Shove	9thMar	Army Int, I Corps and MFS rpts VC's setting up 81mm Mort at AT967758 and AT978707. Mission to hit Danang AB tonight. G-2 give little creditability	S,F,M
1925		J-15	191925	S-3	S-2	SITREP #11	S,F
1940		J-16	191930	HOA CAM	S-2	Intel rpt from HOA CAM Trng Cntr	S,F,3dMar,Shove 2/9
[illegible]20		J-17	192020	2/12	9thMar	DR obs 2 men on bikes leave rd	S,F
[illegible]55		J-18	192055	HOA VANG	9thMar	Rpt of Civil demonstrations on tuesday	S,F,2/9
0855		J-19	200855	9thMar		INTSUM #11 drafted	S,F
0900		J-20	200900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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0901		J-1	200901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,P
0930		J-2	200930	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM #11 dispatched	S,P
1030		J-3	201030	Shove	9thMar	Confirmations of Enlightings	S,P
[illegible]30		J-4	201400	Shove	9thMar	Rpt of 7 PGN captured on 11 July at DUONG SON	S,P
[illegible]25		J-5	201525	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of 60mm Mort dud	S,P
[illegible]00		J-6	201700	Shove	9thMar	Challenge & Password changed to Code 01	Sent Org
[illegible]45		J-7	200001	S-3	S-2	SITREP #12	S,P
1920		J-8	201920	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec'd 2 rds S/F Coords AT991602; 1910	S,P
2125		J-9	202100	FSCC	S-2	CHR rpts Mort Fire from Coords (AT996645)	S,P
0800		J-10	201600	HOA VANG	9thMar	List of Main & local force VC positions in HOA VANG DIST HQ	S,P
0830		J-11	210830	9thMar	———	Veracity of HOA CHAU village chief, Ang to corps Div EEI INTSUM #12 drafted	S,P
0900		J-12	210900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,P

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SECTION S-2 FROM 210901

PLACED ANANG, RVN TO 220900

TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0900		J-1	210900	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
0925		J-2	210925	Recon	9thMar	Patrol rec S/F from CAM HOA (2)	S,F,M
[illegible]0		J-3	211030	TnkBn	9thMar	Rpt VC flag vic Tnk CP	S,F,M
[illegible]30		J-4	211030	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM #12 dispatched	S,F
[illegible]40		J-5	211020	2/9	9thMar	Patrol rpt 2/9 patrol rec S/A fire	S,F
1200		J-6	211000	2/9	9thMar	S-2 found 5-60mm Mort cannisters & firing tables	S,F,Shove
1220		J-7	211220	3d ITT	9thMar	Documents translation	S,F
1220		J-8	211220	3d ITT	9thMar	Documents translation	S,F
1315		J-9	200630	3d ITT	9thMar	Documents translation	S,F
1435		J-10	211330	2/9	9thMar	Rpt of LVT Recon of CAU DO SONG	S,F,M
1637		J-11	211637	Shove	9thMar	Rpt of VC kidnapping four public works workers and poss two military personnel	S,F
1740		J-12	211725	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec'd S/A sniper fire from Coords 991681 and 991689. 10-20 rds	S,F,M
1840		J-13	211840	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec S/A fire from Coords 991683 and 990685	S,F,M
2000		J-14	212000	S-3	S-2	SITREP #13 for 210000H to 212400H	S,F
2025		J-15	212025	2/9	S-2	Rpt 20 rds sniper fire from Phong Le (1)	S,F
2155		J-16	212150	2/9	9thMar	"H" has Est front line pos at 993698 to 995696	S,F
2300		J-17	212255	2/9	9thMar	Elements of "H" Co rpt sniper fire from 992701	S,F,M
[illegible]25		J-18	212310	2/9	9thMar	"H" & "E" Co rec Hvy S/A fire	S,F,M
[illegible]25		J-19	220050	FSCC	S-2	8 people obs vic 995678, fired W/P 3.5". casualties Unk	S,F,M
[illegible]25		J-20	220125	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rpts that they obs persons at 000670	S,F,M
0210		J-21	220210	2/9	9thMar	Persons moving Coords 995678	S,F
0030		J-22	220030	2/9	9thMar	TIP-21 picked up 5 persons SW "E" Co positions	S,F
0830		J-23	220830	9thMar	———	INTSUM #13 drafted	
0900		J-24	220900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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STATION S-2 FROM 220901

PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 230900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DAG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	230901	------	------	Journal Opened	S,F
0930		J-2	220930	2/9	9thMar	INTSUM for period 210900-220900	S,F,M
1000		J-3	221000	CO	S-2	RLT-9 gets OpCon of 1/9 plus A/F Def Bn	S,F
[illegible]0		J-4	222200	S-3	S-2	SITREP #14	S,F
[illegible]45		J-5	222000	2/9	9thMar	AN/TPS-21 picked up drums in Duong Son (2)	S,F
[illegible]00		J-6	222100	IT-3	9thMar	A/R fire 1800m out	S,F
2100		J-7	222100	Shove	9thMar	RLT-3 rpt of 2 VC Bns	S,F,M
2200		J-8	222215	Shove	9thMar	1/9 picked up VCS	S,F,~~XXXXX~~
2230		J-9	222145	HqCo	9thMar	Concentration of males in village to west of position	S,F
2356		J-10	222348	2/9	9thMar	"H" Co rec'd 5 rds from Duong Son (1), returned one M79 rd. Also rec'd S/F from Phong Le (1)	S,F
2356		J-11	222357	2/9	9thMar	"H" Co rec S/F from 007686. Req arty illum.	S,F,FSCC
230130		J-12	230115	2/9	9thMar	Rec S/F Coords 999685 and 997686. Poss 2 En WIA's	S,F,Shove
0200		J-13	230130	2/9	9thMar	Req 81mm Mort Illum Coords 991688. Hvy S/F	S,F
0200		J-14	230245	2/9	9thMar	Obs Movmt w/TPS-21 Coords 993676. Movmt stopped when 81mm Illum was fired.	S,F
0350		J-15	222345	1/9	9thMar	Captured one VCS. Susp armed w/carbine	S,F,Shove
0455		J-16	230650	2/9	9thMar	"H" 2/9 engaged 2 snipers	S,F
0610		J-17	22-23 Jul	1/9	9thMar	Patrol rpts	S,F
[illegible]20		J-18	230810	2/9	9thMar	Disregard the one VC KIA of 230650	S,F
[illegible]30		J-19	230830	2/9	9thMar	En situation rpt	S,F
[illegible]00		J-20	230845	9thMar	------	INTSUM #14 drafted	S,F
[illegible]00		J-21	230900	------	------	Journal Closed	S,F

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LOCATION S-2 FROM 230901

PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 240900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	230901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
1045		J-2	230935	2/9	9thMar	Reps from G-e visiting 2/9 concerning incident w/Canton Chief (Poss incicdent P.F. KIA)	S,F
1050		J-3	231050	Shove	9thMar	VC picked up by 1/9 named Woa. Turned over to CI, then District Chief.	S,F
[illegible]		J-4	231115	2/9	9thMar	Echo spots VC flag	S,F
[illegible]		J-5	221105	S-3	S-2	Particulars on ARVN (Le Duc Chua) killed	S,F
1245		J-6	231155	S-3	2/9	ELT 2/9 directed div reaction force	S,F
1700		J-7	231115	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co spotted VC flag on a village entrance Coords 986686	S,F,Shove
1705		J-8	231330	2/9	9thMar	Capt VC's in HOA CHU Vill appears to be 18 yrs old	S,F,Shove
1630		J-9	231615	3dAT	9thMar	S-3 officer rpts that nine males have shown up in Yen Bac, Coords AT987703, when over the medical assistance team goes to this Vill. Req action or recommendations.	S,F
[illegible]	1645	J-10	231645	9thMar	3dAT	S-2 suggested to S-3, 3dAT that he get ARVN liaison Officer to go with him to Vill on next visit	S,F
2000		J-11	232000	2/9	9thMar	"H" Co receiving Hvy sniper fire vic Phong Le (1)	S,F,M
2000		J-12	232000	2/9	9thMar	Man admitted Bn Aid w/dog bite-Was armed	S,F,Shove
2020		J-13	232110	9thMar	Shove	SITREP covering period (230001H to 232400H)	S,F
2030		J-14	232026	2/9	9thMar	Bridge OP rec'd 60mm or grenade	S,F
2100		J-15	232015	1/9	9thMar	3d Plt "C" Co rpts S/A fire (011736) (013729)	S,F,M
[illegible]		J-16	232120	2/9	9thMar	2/9 receiving S/F in CP	S,F
[illegible]		J-17	232120	HOA VANG	9thMar	VC Bn vic QUY ET CHAIEN has move vic of HOA VINH LAC	S,F,Shove,M
[illegible]		J-18	232145	2/9	9thMar	3d Plt "H" & ARVN fire fight at 2/9 OP	S,F,Shove
2155		J-19	232155	1/9	9thMar	2/9 A FWD rpts obs large vol fire (934738)	S,F,M
0033		J-20	240035	2/9	9thMar	At 0005 a trip flare was set (000700)	S,F
0900		J-21	240340	1/9	9thMar	Patrol rpts night of 23-24 Jul 65	S,F,Shove
0900		J-22	231045	2/9	9thMar	Patrol rpts "F" Co 22 Jul65	S,F,Shove
0900		J-23	240900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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SECTION S-2 FROM 240901

PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 250900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	240901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
1045		J-2	241045			Distribution of 9thMar INTSUM	S,F,Dist
1700		J-3	241700	2/9	9thMar	Interpreter assigned to 2/9 rpts VC issued instructions to villagers of HOA CHAU Village. To "know, see or hear anything". 1 VC Plt at LO GIANG (1) 0270, 1 VC Plt (30 men) at MIEU DONG (1) 0168; 1 VC squad QUANG CHAU (2) 0068. Poss no VC at QUANG CHAU (1).	S,F,Shove
1840		J-4	241835	2/9	9thMar	AR fire Rec'd from Coords 990694. Returned fire w/three 3.5's and S/A. Fire ceased.	S,F,Shove
1930		J-5	241910	2/9	9thMar	"H" LOC MG Coords 991692. Wire Team pinned down by AR fire.	S,F,M
2045		J-6	241820	2/9	9thMar	"E" & "H" Co Rec S/A & A/W fire from 990694, 990684	S,F,M
2350		J-7	242350	2/12	9thMar	Two men in solid black, carrying something tried to come through wire at post #3 & #5. Wagon master illum. Man ben toward farm house forward of HQ, 9thMar sector.	S,F,M,Shove
0545		J-8	250600	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co Rec 3 rds S/F from left flank	S,F
2355		J-9	242355	1/9	9thMar	Post #5 rec'd 3 rds S/A fire	S,F
1835		J-10	241855	2/9	9thMar	"E" 2/9 rec'd S/A fire from vic 990687	S,F,M,Shove
1922		J-11	241922	2/9	9thMar	"H" 2/9 rec'd S/A fire vic 991692	S,F,INTSUM
0830		J-12	250830	9thMar		INTSUM #16 drafted	S
0900		J-13	250900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 260900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	250901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
1022		J-2	251022	1/9	9thMar	Men digging (997739) vic where AF was fired on 17Jul	S,F,M
1035		J-3	251035	2/9	9thMar	Desire return of paper belonging to ARVN one Ngo Chau	S,F
1220		J-4	251115	Shove	9thMar	HQ rec'd 30 rds S/A fire from entrenched Village (997643)	S,F
[illegible]35		J-5	251420	1/9	9thMar	Post #19 rpts heard 1 rd S/A fire - front	S,F
[illegible]5		J-6	251335	Emp	9thMar	CBS workcrew rec S/F (0673)	S,F
[illegible]5		J-7	251910	2/9	9thMar	"E" Rec S/A (sniper fire from Duong Son (2)	S,F,M
2000		J-8	252000	S-3	S-2	SITREP	S,F
2100		J-9	252100	2/9	9thMar	U.S. WIA from S/F from Duong Son (2)	S,F,Shove
2115		J-10	251700	2/9	9thMar	Frag Order 2/9 of 251700	S,F
0452		J-11	252115	9thMar	Shove	Accidental discharge, 2 men injured	S,F
0500		J-12	260410	1/9	9thMar	LP of Post #6 seeing 12 men dressed in blk, 20 yds out, carrying something making noise	S,F,M
0850		J-13	260850	2/9	9thMar	Two VCS picked up this morning in Duong Son (1)	S,F,Shove
0850		J-14	260830	2/9	9thMar	INTSUM Rec'd	S,F
0850		J-15	260850	9thMar		INTSUM #17 drafted	S,F
0900		J-16	260900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	260901			Journal Opened	S,F
1030		J-2	260901	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM #17 sent to Shove	S,F
1100		J-3	250500	1/9	9thMar	Patrol rpts from 1/9	S,F,Shove
1105		J-4	251155	2/9	9thMar	Patrol rpt from 2/9	S,F,Shove
[illegible]30		J-5	261330			S-2 & Asst made Recon CAM NE Bridge	F
[illegible]00		J-6	261600	9thMar	9thMar	Submitted Recon rpt to CO	S,F
[illegible]10		J-7	261900	1/9	9thMar	HOA VANG rep Bn VC Coord (015655) (010644)	S,F,M,Shove
1915		J-8	261900	HF	9thMar	HF-3 rpts poor turn out for C/A program	S,F
1930		J-9	262400	9thMar	Shove	SITREP	S,F
2020		J-10	262020	2/9	9thMar	VC surrendered to PF	S,F,Shove
2020		J-11	262020	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rpts drums beating CAM NE (2)	S,F
0830		J-12	270830	9thMar		INTSUM #18 drafted	
0730		J-14	270730	1/9	9thMar	Patrol rpts 1/9	S,F,Shove
0900		J-13	270900			Journal Closed	S,F

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TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DATING	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0900		J-1	270901	——	——	Journal Opened	S,F
1000		J-2	271000	2/9	9thMar	VC banner explosion on RR tracks 993684	S,F,M,Shove
1015		J-3	271000	1/9	9thMar	7 Veh, 10 Pers made "U" turn when they saw ARVN checkpoint vic CAM LE Bridge	S,F,M,Shove
[illegible]20		J-4	271005	Lt AHEARN	S-2	Lt KHOA, SecO, HOA CAM Trng Cntr, rpts that Village of YEA BAC (AT985708) is a VC sympathetic Village.	S,F,M,Shove
[illegible]45		J-5	271045	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec S/F Coords 992688	S,F
1025		J-6	271025	Emp	9thMar	4 man C.B. survey party rec S/F 067713	S,F
1550		J-7	271505	Emp	9thMar	4 men (CBS) working orph rec S/F (056758)	S,F
1730		J-8	271720	1/9	9thMar	Have 1 VCS	S,F
1920		J-9	271545	1/9	9thMar	VCS picked up Coords 999776. No ID card. Sent to HOA VANG Dist HQS.	S,F
1930		J-10	272100	S-3	S-2	SITREP #19	S,F
2045		J-11	271945	Recon	9thMar	Recon rpts 2 VC split up at treeline, at Coords 065713. One hid his rifle and went into village.	S,F,M
2100		J-12	271900	2/9	9thMar	Notes on interview w/23rd VC Bn Cmdr	S,F,Shove
0030		J-13	271417	1/9	9thMar	Patrol, Redwood Foxtrot debriefing	S,F,M
0830		J-14	270830	9thMar	——	INTSUM #19 drafted	S,F
0900		J-15	270900	——	——	Journal Closed	S,F

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PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 290900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DAG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	280901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
	0905	J-2	280905	9thMar	Distr	INTSUM #19 issued	S,F
1400		J-3	270830	1/9	9thMar	Patrol Redwood Delta-6 debrief	S,F
1430		J-4	281350	Recon	9thMar	Man carrying a rifle entered Vill (065713)	S,F
[illegible]25		J-5	281500	Recon	9thMar	OP rec 3 rds S/F Coord (0771)	S,F
[illegible]30		J-6	280700	1/9	9thMar	Patrol rpts 1/9	S,F,Shove
1610		J-7	281810	HOA VANG	9thMar	3 VC Co's & 7thBn dispositions	S,F,M,Shove
1845		J-8	281830	2/9	9thMar	"E" rec 4 rds S/F from CAM NE (2)	S,F
2105		J-9	282050	2/9	9thMar	28Jul several strangers believed to be on Recon were observed in QUANG CHAU (2) and MIEU DONG (1)	S,F,M
2226		J-10	282225	1/9	9thMar	Rpt of U/I man throwing (1) illum grenade at 2046 at Co "C" position.	S,F
2345		J-11	282330	1/9	9thMar	Post #9 rpts 6X6 Veh passing post several times	S,F
0307		J-12	290307	1/9	9thMar	Post #10 rec 1 rd. Could not determine where it came from.	S,F
0430		J-13	290430	2/9	9thMar	Co "E" rpts TPS-21 picked up poss 4 men probe	S,F
0600		J-14	290600	HOA VANG	9thMar	VCS under observation	S,F
0900		J-15	290840	S-3	S-2	SITREP #20	S,F
0900		J-16	290900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 300900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	290901			Journal Opened	S,F
0935		J-2	290910	Recon	9thMar	1 sniper fired two rds at OP 072703	S,F,M
0936		J-3	290925	1/9	9thMar	Post #7 rpts 3 people carrying boxes out of cemetery. Boxes were dug up, too big to bontain bodies.	S,F,Shove
[illegible]		J-4	291040	1/9	9thMar	Patrol picked up VCS at 290500 Coords BT088779, suspect in house w/woman, no ID card. Turned over to HOA VANG.	S,F,Shove
[illegible]35		J-5	291245	1/9	9thMar	Sqd to investigate boxes being dug up rpts that boxes were taken to another cemetery and ceremony was held.	S,F,Shove
1300		J-6	281800	1/9	9thMar	Patrol's debriefings	S,F,M
1320		J-7	291320	Recon	9thMar	4 or 5 men in boat stopped on river, disembarked, crossed road Coord 061724 carrying rifles.	S,F,M,Shove
1419		J-8	291419	2/9	9thMar	"E"-5 rpts small firefight from CAM NE (2). 2ndPlt Cmdr rpts S/F on his pos (10 rds). Firing coming from Coord AT992690, fired two (2) 3.5 HE rds, & S/A. Firing ceased	S,F,M,Shove
1430		J-9	291420	Recon	Shove	Rec two rds S/F at OP pos BT065715	S,F,M
1620		J-10	291620	Shove	9thMar	Nat'l Police rpt VC Bn (BT885886)	S,F,M,Shove
1720		J-11	291630	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rec S/A fire from CAM NE (1) and (2)	S,F,M
1800		J-12	280148	Shove	9thMar	Challenge and Passwords period 1Aug-5Aug	S,F
1800		J-13	280610	Shove	9thMar	All units cautioned on infiltration	S,F
1830		J-14	291830	HOA VANG	9thMar	Rpt from HOA VANG on VC Loc	S,F,M,Shove
[illegible]		J-15	292005	2/9	9thMar	"E" Co rpts firing on 6 man patrol CAM NE (2)	S,F,M
[illegible]30		J-16	292400	9thMar	Shove	9thMar SITREP #21	S,F
[illegible]10		J-17	292055	2/9	9thMar	2/9 Liaison Officer rpts PF's obs 3 VC w/flash lights ~~1800-2500 meters out~~	S,F
2110		J-18	292110	1/9	9thMar	Post #6 & #19 rpts firefight 1800-2500 meters out.	S,F
0445		J-19	300415	1/9	9thMar	Post #8 rpts 3 susp in house 150 yds from position	S,F,Shove
0830		J-20	300830	9thMar		INTSUM #21 drafted	S,F
0900		J-21	300900			Journal Closed	S,F

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PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 310900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	300901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
0915		J-2	300915	9thMar	Shove	INTSUM #21 issued.	S,F,Dist
0940		J-3	300926	2/9	9thMar	Helo Recon rec'd 3 rds from Duong Son (2) or (3)	S,F,Shove
[illegible]5		J-4	300930	1/9	9thMar	LP of Post #4 rpts one man creeping up to Pos. LP	S,F,Shove
[illegible]						challenged and fired. Four other men jumped up and ran.	
[illegible]						Marines fired 14 rds. Sqd investigation discovered traces	
						of blood on bldgs.	
1345		J-5	300855	1/9	9thMar	1 VCS picked up Coords 015748. Turned over to HQA VANG HQ.	S,F,Shove
1345		J-6	301140	Recon	9thMar	One tank hit AP mine. Damaged track. Everything now OK.	S,F
1653		J-7	301415	Shove	9thMar	VMF sighted 40 to 50 men walking in column along road	S,F,Shove
						Coords 024727. When plane circled, men hit bushes & remained.	
1710		J-8	301450	S-3	S-2	FRAG ORDER 6-65	S,F
1945		J-9	202400	S-3	S-2	SITREP #22	S,F
2105		J-10	302150	2/9	9thMar	2/9 OP rpts woman came to RR bridge. Rpt 60 VC in hiding.	S,F
2050		J-11	302100	MCB-9	9thMar	Seabees rec fire Coords 075824	S,F,M
2130		J-12	302130	1/9	9thMar	Post #6 rpts firefight Az 220 degrees 1400 meters to front	S,F,Shove
2145		J-13	302145	2/9	9thMar	Co "H" rec 3 rds from Cam Ne (1)	S,F,M
2135		J-14	302135	1/9	9thMar	Post #6 rpts 15 rds fired at Coords 996726	S,F,M,Shove
2230		J-15	291145	1/9	9thMar	Patrol debrief for 29 July	S,F
[illegible]5		J-16	302255	MCB-9	9thMar	Two tank & Grnd Trps return from CB camp. Firefight found	S,F,Shove
						to be ARVN on maneuvers.	
[illegible]05		J-17	302355	1/9	9thMar	Post #20 rec 1 round of S/A fire from 600 meters out.	S,F
[illegible]30		J-18	300830	9thMar		INTSUM #21 drafted.	
0900		J-19	300900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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PLACE DANANG, RVN TO 010900

TIME IN	OUT	SERIAL NUMBER	DTG	FROM	TO	INFORMATION	ACTION TAKEN
0901		J-1	310901	———	———	Journal Opened	S,F
1300		J-2	30 Jul	1/9	9thMar	1/9 Patrol reports	S,F
1355		J-3	311545	Shove	9thMar	Lost ID card of AM-3 C.E. Rex 515353	S,F
1625		J-4	311600	2/9	9thMar	8 women & 2 children thinning brush in front of 81mm Mort Pos 003686	S,F
[illegible]30		J-5	311700	1/9	9thMar	Post #1 rpts parade heading toward Post #2. Close watch kept.	S,F,Sho[illegible]
[illegible]30		J-6	311925	2/9	9thMar	"H" rec S/F from Duong Son (1), which is behind our lines.	S,F,Shove
1945		J-7	312400	S-3	S-2	SITREP #23	S,F
2045		J-8	312040	HOA VANG	9thMar	Agent rpts guerr Co (077666). MF Plt (985692)	S,F,M
2320		J-9	312320	2/9	9thMar	"H" Co firefight at Coords (AT991695). Fired M-79 at 50 yds range, struck VC in chest.	S,F,Shove
2330		J-10	312330	2/9	9thMar	TPS-21 picked up movement vic AT996681, 3 rds 81mm Mort Illum fired, no vis mov obs.	S,F
0820		J-11	312205	1/9	9thMar	Post #8 & 9 heard sounds like bolts going home, obs movmt illum area. Reaction squad sent to check area.	S,F,M
0820		J-12	010150	1/9	9thMar	Reaction squad returned 010140. Nothing unusual to report.	S,F
0825		J-13	010240	1/9	9thMar	Post #4 rpts 1 round fired, sounded like incoming. Could not detect if friend or enemy.	S,F
0826		J-14	010435	2/9	9thMar	"G" Co rec'd 3 rounds S/F from S. of Pos and 1 round from the north. Suspect VC Plt size probe.	S,F
[illegible]40		J-15	010840	2/9	9thMar	"H" Co rec S/A, S/F from Duong Son (2)	S,F
[illegible]40		J-16	010830	2/9	9thMar	Patrol sent to investigate scene of ambush.	S,F
[illegible]50		J-17	010850	9thMar		INTSUM #23 drafted	
0900		J-18	010900	———	———	Journal Closed	S,F

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0850		1	190850	WARNING ORDER FOR RLT SEVEN	S,F
1516		2	191516	CO RLT NINE WARING ORDER TO TASK ORG	S,F
2017		3	192017	RLT-7 DETACHES BLT 2/7 FOR OPERATIONS W/RLT-9 EFFECTIVE 182200	S,F
0246		4	190246	CG'S ~~XXX~~ MSG ACTIVATING RLT NINE	S,F
2317		5	192317	CG III MAF ADMIN REPORT NUMBER 44	S,F

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0438		1	200438	MSG ON LOG AND ADMIN INST FOR MOVEMENT OF FORCES	S,F
0111		2	200111	MODIFICATION #1 TO ADMINO MSG 181519	S,F
1705		3	201715	MOVREP FROM CO 3DBN, 9TH MAR ARRIVED CAMP HANSEN OKINAWA	S,F
1245		4	201245	DETAHCED FROM RLT-9 EFFECTIVE 191515 REPORT TO CO RLT-7	

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0850		1	210850	3d MARDIV EMBARK ORDER 1-65	S,F
1915		2	211915	REQUEST PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVANCE ECHELON IN CONNECTION	S,F
1953		3	211953	ONE TIME STRENGTH REPORT, MOVEMENT OF FORCES TO BE SUB TO DIV	S,F
2140		4	212140	MSG ON AIRLIFT BLT ACTIVATION OF BLT 2/9 RELEASED FROM AIR TO SURFAC	S,F
2350		5	212350	CO RLT-9 ADVANCE ECHELON REQUIREMENTS TO ADMINO 3D MARDIV	S,F

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1345		1	221344	CONCEPT OF MOVEMENT OF FORCES MODIFICATION THREE TO MSG 181519	S,F

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2155		1	232155	ADMIN 3d MARDIV ASSIGNMENT OF RADIO FREQ TO RLT-9 AND BLT 2/9	S,F

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2220		1	242220	3dMARDIV ACTIVATES BLT 3/7 FOR OPNS W/SLF	S,F
2051		2	242051	ADMIN 3D MARDIV REQUESTS AIRCRAFT FOR RLT-9 ADVANCE PARTY	S,F
0443		3	240443	COMPHIBRON THREE MOVEMENT OF FORCES SITREP NUMBER ONE	S,F

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0422		1	250422	INITIAL LOADING STATUS REPORT ELMS RLT NINE	S,F
0950		2	250950	ASSIGNMENT OF SERIALS BLT 2/9 ASSIGNED SER 100-299	S,F

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1041		1	291041	MOVREP 29002528 CHG SFT 28230025 FR CAMP HANSEN OKINAWA TO	S,F
1002		2	291002	MOVREP 29002720 CHG RTO 21091225 ADD HQ GR RLT-9	S.F
1130		1	301130	ESTABLISHMENT OF LOGISTIC SUPPORT UNITS AND PASS OPCON OF UNITS	S,F

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0905		1	010905	ADMIN 3D MARDIV TO CG FMF PAC MOVEMENT OF FORCES SITREP NO 28	S,F
1000		2	011000	COMPHIBRON SITREP UP TO PERIOD 011200H	S,F
1500		3	011500	ADMIN REPORT NUMBER 45 142000H to 152000H JUNE	S,F
1505		4	011505	READDRESSED MSG ON PAC OM WATCH REPORT NO 24-65	S,F
1515		5	011515	MOVEMENT OF FORCES SITREP NO 14 COVERS PERIOD ENDING 251400Z JUNE	S,F
1520		6	011520	CTF 76 SITREP NO 124 AS OF 010000Z	S,F
1530		7	011530	BEGIN AND END OF LOADING. CHGS TO LAODING PLAN. LOADING PLAN FROM	S,F
1610		8	011610	MOVEMENT OF FORCES SITREP NO TWENTY-FIVE ON RLT-9 SHIP LOADING	S,F
1734		9	011734	MOVREP ADD TO: BCT C3 BG ASSUMED BY USS CLYMER APA-27	S,F
2300		10	012300	SITREP NO TWENTY-SEVEN ON ELMENTS RLT-9 SHIP LOADING STATUS	S,F

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1059		1	021059	011200I JULY NOT TRUE INDICATION OF SHIP LOADING CAPABILITY DUE TO	S,F
1200		2	021200	SECURITY ASSIGNMENTS FOR SHIP TO SHORE MOVEMENT RLT-NINE	S,F
1430		3	021430	ASSIGNMENT OF ONE RIFLE PLT W/OFF PLT CMDR FOR DUTY AS SHIPS PLT	S,F
1510		4	021510	FOR ALL EMB TEAM CMDRS, DIV SOP REQUIRES 20 MAN BEACH POLICE PARTY	S,F
1530		5	021530	SAILING REPORT TO CG FMF PAC FOR USS CLYMER APA-27	S,F
	1535	6	021535	SAILING REPORT COMMENCED LOADING 281910I JUNE COMPLETED Loading	S,F
1640		7	021640	BLT 2/9 REQUEST AUTH SUBMIT ON-BOARD STRENGTH DAILY TO ADMINO	S,F
2300		8	022300	BLT 2/9 REQUEST SIGNATURE FOR CLASS MATERIAL FOR EMBARKED TROOPS	S,F
0430		9	020430	MOVREP FOR EMBARK UNIT DRLTA WHICH INCLUDES GT NINTH MARINES	S,F

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0255		1	030255	REQUEST MEMO RECEIPTS FOR MANS COAT FIELD AND DUFFLE BAG SIGNED BY	S,F
0335		2	030335	LOADING BEGAN 291815I JUNE. LOADING COMPLETED 030202I JULY	S,F
0830		3	030830	REQUEST CANCEL JOINT AIR MOVE TRNG	S,F
1025		4	031025	NO LCM-8 AVAILABLE FOR DEBARK RLT-9. CHANGE ANNEX I TO RLT-9 OPORDER	S,F
1210		5	031210	SAILING REPORT COMMENCED LOADING 282200I JUNE COMPLETED LOADING	S,F
1210		6	031210	COORECTED EMBARK ROSTER	S,F
1255		7	031255	SAILING REPORT FOR USS COLONIAL LOADING COMMENCED 290915Z JUNE	S,F
546		8	031546	2/9 REQUEST FOR DELIVERY OF 40MM AMMO FOR M-79 LAUNCHERS PRIOR TO	S,F
547		9	031547	CO BLT 2/9 MSG REGARDING FAM FIRE OF WEAPONS IN ROUTE TO AREA OF OPNS	S,F
1630		10	031630	HUE/PHU BAI OPS	S,F
1700		11	031700	REQUEST FOR M-79 AMMO FOR 2/9 LANDING	S,F
1730		12	031730	MOVREP OF COMPHRIBRON THREE	S,F
1930		13	031930	SAILING REPORT USS MATHEWS COMMENCED LOADING 231100 JUNE COMP 021100	S,F
1930		14	031930	CHANGE TO UNLOADING PLAN	S,F
2255		15	032255	2/9 PREPARE FOR POSSIBLE INDEPENDENT LANDING	S,F

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0800		1	040800	OFF LOAD OF 2/9 AND OFF LOAD PROBLEM AREAS	S,F
0804		2	040804	TO TAKE ACTION ON CONTINGENCY CHANGE. COMPLY W/PARA 4 REF A	S,F
0920		3	040920	SECURITY OF MISSION PLANNING FOR SOUTH EAST ASIA	S,F
0920		4	040920	CTF SEVEN SIX MSG ON ORGANIZATION FOR OPNS OF US MILITARY PORTS	S,F
0930		5	040930	USS MATHEWS SENDS CORRECTIONS TO SERIALS DUE TO NON-AVAIL OF LCM-8	S,F
0945		6	040945	CINCPACFLT MSG REFLECTING POSSIBLE CHANGES TO CONTINGENCY OPER	S,F
1424		7	041424	MSG ORDERING CTU 76.6.2 TO POSIT OFF DANANG AT BEST SPEED	S,F
1429		8	041429	ADVANCED INFO ON QUI NHON AREA OF OPERATION	S,F
1610		9	041610	MSG TO SHIPS EMBARKED REGARDING POSSIBLE PROBLEMS OFF-LOADING	S,F
1630		10	041630	RLT-9 OPERATION ORDER 321-65 CH #1a DELETE APP 2 THROUGH 5	S,F
1635		11	041635	REQUETS PERMISSION TO COORDINATE THE DELIVERY MENAS OF POL TO	S,F
1638		12	041638	REQUEST VERIFICATION PARA SIX REF 030005Z EMB TC MSG	S,F
1720		13	041720	INSURE ADEQUATE SHIPS PLT PERSONNEL ARE ASSIGNED EACH SHIP	S,F
2245		14	042245	MSG REGARDING AVAIL OF SHIPS PLT & ROUGH TEVW FORK LIFTS	S,F

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0619		1	050619	OPORDER 300-65 DANANG OPERATION	S,F
0800		2	050800	SHIPS DRILLS IN PROGRESS: FIRE, ABONDON SHIP.	S,F
1200		3	051200	BE PREPARED TO FURNISH 100 MAN WORKING PARTY FOR RENVILLE	S,F
1300		4	051300	MSG TO ELMS LANDING FORCE 2/7 - 3/7 QUI NHOM. MOVEMENT OF FORCES	S,F
1305		5	051305	DANANG OFF LOADING REQUEST FOR ANCHORAGES THIS TG	S,F
1307		6	051307	MOVEMENT OF FORCES DIRECTS ONE BLT TO BE LANDED AT QUI NHOM	S,F
1310		7	051310	WARNING ORDER	S,F
1350		8	051350	DEPLOYMENT OF US FORCES IN SOUTH VIETNAM	S,F
1330		9	051330	ADV PLANNING QUI NHOM OPERATION	S,F
1825		10	051825	DANANG OFF LOADING COORDINATION PROPOSALS	S,F
1910		11	051910	FR CTG 76.2 TO CTF 76 LVT'S ETA DANANG	S,F
2115		12	052125	CHANGE NO ONE TO CTF OPORDER 301-65 (QUI NHOM OPERATION)	S,F
2130		13	052130	MSG CONCERNING H-HOUR	S,F
2200		14	052200	CHANGE #1 ANNEX D (COMMUNICATION-ELCETRONICS) TO OP ORDER 321-65	S,F
0008		15	050008	MOVREP FOR AIG 61 FR COMPHIBRON THREE ANNOUNCING CHANGE IN CONVOY	S,F
0130		16	050130	MSG REGARDING INTENTIONS AND PLANS FOR OFF LOAD DANANG AREA	S,F

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2130		1	062130	OFF LOAD PRIORITIES FOR OFF LOAD AT DANANG	S,F
2040		2	062040	OMISSION OF MORTAR, 107MM, M98 IN PARA SIX OF SERRIA REPORT	S,F
1910		3	061910	ARTY PERSONNEL EMB CLYMER WILL BE PRE "D" DAY TRANS TO COLONEL	S,F
1735		4	061734	RENVILLE HAS FIRST PRIORITY UNLOADING AT RED BEACH TWO	S,F
1530		5	061530	INTENTION TO LAND RLT HDQS AND BLT 2/9 ADMIN OVER RED BEACH TWO	S,F
1400		6	061400	IN ESTIMATING PROBLEMS AND TIME & MANPOWER FACTORS CONSIDER	S,F
1410		7	061410	DANANG LANDING AND ETA'S OF TU'S 76.2.1	S,F
1432		8	061432	III MAF LANDING INSTRUCTIONS DANANG	S,F
0145		9	060145	MOVEMENT OF FORCES REQUEST PASS TO CO'S EMB UNITS WHEN LANDED	S,F

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1130		1	071130	REQUEST DEBARK SERIAL FOR CMDR TEAM EMB RENVILLE.	S,F
1250		2	071250	COMMUNICATIONS GD FOR EMBARKED UNITS OF BLT 2/9 EFFECTIVE 0705000	S,F
1800		3	071800	MOVREP	S,F
1830		4	071830	ELEMENTS OF RLT-NINE CALLED AWAY TO BOATS	S,F
2100		5	072100	MOVREP TO CHP SFT TO 3D MARDIV (FWD)	S,F
2130		6	072130	SERIAL 301-1 (RLT CMDR) CALLED AWAY TO BOAT. SENATOR THREE ALSO	S,F

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0328		1	080328	OFF LOAD DANANG - REQ TIMED ASSIGN 90 MAN SHIPS PLT FOR OFF LOAD	S,F
0630		2	080630	ABOVE SERIAL UNLOADED AT TIEN SHA PENNINSULA	S,F
0145		3	080145	SERIAL 301-1 PLUS OTHER SERIALS AND XXXXXX MOBILE LOADED EQUIP	S,F
0730		4	080730	TRUCK CONVOY DEPARTED FOR RLT NINE CP AREA	S,F
0830		5	080830	LST CONVOY SERIAL (RLT NINE CO OF TROOPS, SENATOR 5) ARRIVES RLT-9	S,F
0835		6	080835	SECOND CONVOY SERIAL DEPARTS BEACH AREA FOR RLT NINE CP AREA	S,F
0930		7	080930	SECOND CONVOY SERIAL ARRIVES RLT NINE CP AREA	S,F
[illegible]35		8	080935	COMMENCE IMPROVING CP AREA AND UNLOADING OR ORGANIZATIONAL GEAR	S,F
[illegible]800		9	081800	CONTINUE TO IMPROVE CP AREA AND UNLOAD ORGANIZATIONAL EQUIP & SUPPL	S,F

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0908		1	100908	MOVREP FOR EMB TEAM DELTA	s,f

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1530		1	111530	ASSIGNMENT OF FORCES MY 041648 REFERS. ASSUME COMMAND W/O FUR	S,F
1534		2	111534	MOVREP ARRIVAL EMB TEAM DELTA DANANG 09020021 USS BAYFIELD APA 33	S,F
1649		3	111649	WARNING ORDER PREPARE TO COMMENCE OPNS SOUTH OF SONG CAU DO RIVER	S,F

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0035		1	120035	RECENT ARRIVAL OF ADDITIONAL THIRD MARDIV UNITS REQUIRE
1000		2	121000	FRAG ORDER 1-65 SUPPORT OF DANANG HARBOR DEFENSE

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2320		76	142320	SALUTE	F,RB
2340		77	142334	NO CHANGE	F,RB
2345		78	142345	SALUTE	S,F
2346		79	142346	LINE TO ARVN ESTABLISHED	F,RB
2347		80	142346	THE THREE MEN MOVED OFF ROAD WEST TOWARD VILLAGE	F,RB
2348		81	142350	SITUATION TH SAME NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
0015		82	142355	SALUTE	F,RB

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0004		1	140004	SUMMARY OF ACTION OF TANK SECTION	F, R
0020		2	140020	SAW ONE MAN DRESS IN BLACK	F
0119		3	140119	KIA BULLET BEHIND HEAD	F, RB
0129		4	140129	WHISKEY SIGHTED UNKNOWN OBJECT	F
0300		5	140300	BEACH ALL SECURED	PH CALL
0500		6	140500	BEACH ALL SECURED	PH CALL
0630		7	140630	HELO REQ MED EVAC ONE CIVILIAN	F, s-2
0710		8	140710	ONE MARINE COORD 866798 MARKED W/YELLOW SMOKE	F, S-2
0800		9	140800	INFO ON RLT-9 FUTURE DEPLOYMENT OF 2/9	F, S-2
0845		10	140845	CASUALTY AT RED BEACH #2 ONE KIA DURING NIGHT.	F, S-2
0905		11	140900	TUNNEL LOCATED BY BB CH SCOUT AT 997684	S, F
1000		12	141000	SIT SAME NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	S, F
1020		13	141020	POSITION RPT (R-1.8 _ U-0.7*	S, F
1100		14	141100	POSITION RPT (R-2.4 - U-0.2)	S, F
1110		15	141110	Intelligance Summary #5	S, F
1155		16	141155	SIT SAME	S, F
1200		17	141200	WEATHER REPORT	S, F
1140		18	141140	REQUEST SITREP FROM PANHANDLE RED #2 AND PLT FROM F 2/9	F
1240		19	141240	3 DELTA PATROL, 4 MAN TEAM IS MOVING OUT TO CHECK OUT HOUSES	F
1305		20	141305	POSITION (R-1.4 D-2.5) NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
1306		21	141306	RPT OF DEMONSTRATION IN CAM NE (1) AND (2) COORD 9969	F
1307		22	141307	J-19 PATROL BACK WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS	F, RB
1315		23	141513	CLARIFICATION ON FIRING IN RLT AREA AT 2330	F,RB
1320		24	141322	RELAY OF J-21 INFO FROM PG-5	S,F
1403		25	141320	"G" CO FOUND SIGN ALERTING PEOPLE TO MINES	F,RB
1411		26	141405	HAVE ONE HE AT CASUALTY R-1.2 D-2.7 REQUEST HELO EVAC	F,RB
1420		27	141419	HEAT CASUALTY NAME IS PFC POSEY	F,RB
1430		28	141430	HEAT CASUALTY HAS BEEN PICKED UP	F,RB
1515		29	141515	WE ARE GOING TO REPAIR BRIDGE AT COORD (999699)	F,RB
1540		30	141525	REQ FROM CAPT LOYD FOR A WARDOG TEAM FOR AM OF 15 JULY 65	F,RB
1545		31	141545	SCAT 2 DELTA GOING TO MARBLE MT AT 1800	f
1550		32	141550	FR 2000-2200 IN ALL VILLAGES IN THE HOA VANG DIST WILL BE A RALLY	F,RB
1555		33	141535	SIT SAME LOCATION R-0.9 UD-1.2	F
1625		34	141624	SCAT 3 DELTA IS COMING INTO HOME BASE	F
1450		35	141455	TANKS TO SPEND NIGHT IN "A" COMPANY C.P.	F
1635		36	141630	SCAT 3 DELTA BACK AND ALL SECURE	F,S-2
1720		37	141720	WARDOG TEAM NOT NEEDED ON 15TH	F,S-2

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1800		75	151745	OP AT MARBLE MT APPROVED	F
1804		76	151800	DOWNED CHOPPER AT GC 1153 3 PLT (REIN) CO CDR	F,RB
1817		77	151803	NUNGS ON GROUND WILL RETURN ON CHOPPERS THAT TAKE 2/9 DOWN	F,RB
1843		78	151834	CALLED BB-3 ON INFORMATION ABOUT FLY-AWAY	F,RB
1859		79	151855	INCOMING HE 009689 PRESUMED TO BE MOTAR	F,RB
1936		80	151936	SIT OVERLAY OF RLT-9 AS OF 151800H	F,RB
1947		81	151946	DOWNED CHOPPER TO BE TAKEN APART. GOOD PARTS TO BE SAVED	F,RB
1953		82	151940	"E" CO 2/9 REC S/A FIRE FROM DUONG SONG SON #2	,RB
2006		83	151954	REPORT BY CHOPPER LV'S IS RETURNING CHOPPER TO DE DESTROYRF	F,RB
2023		84	151915	RECSIVING S/A fire FROM END OF ZONE. ONE WIA (1153)	F,RB
2045		85	150030	"G" CO REPORTS FLASHLIGHT SIGNALS SOUTH	F,RB
2104		86	152045	FIRED ON TWO PEOPLE WITH S/SCOPE AND SAW THEM DROP	F,RB
2117		87	152100	2/9 UNITS FROM SOUTH HOME RETURNED. 1ST PLT WAS READY TO LAUNCH	F,RB
2237		88	15 2230	EN SIT RPT 152000H 2/9 REPORTS LIGHT S/A FIRE DURING EVENING	F,RB
2258		89	152225	BB "E" HAD SNIPER FIRE FROM 999687. REQ ILLUM	F,RB
2345		90	152225	INFO ON 2/9 HELO OPS: TAKE OFF STARTED 1840	F,RB
2350		91	152350	ILLUM ON "F" AND "G" COMING FROM 016680	F,RB

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1012		38	151000	NEED MIGHTY MITE AT MY POSITION FOR FO	F,RB
1014		39	151005	SITUATION SAME NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
1015		40	151000	ONE ARVN PLT 594TH CO TO BE ATTACHED RLT-9	F,RB
1020		41	151008	RECEIVED ONE SNIPER SHOT FROM AN UNKNOWN POSITION	F,RB
1048		42	151040	FEW PEOPLE ON RIVER TWO TO EIGHT IN FIELD NEAR OUR POSITION	F,RB
1048		43	151045	POSITION R 1.7 U 1.4 HAVE A FEW PEOPLE TRAVELING THE RIVER IN A BOAT	F,RB
1050		44	151048	PEOPLE IN AREA AROUND US SEEM TO BE FRIENDLY	F,RB
1105		45	151055	SITUATION UNDER CONTROL	F,RB
1125		46	151115	MOVING FROM PRESENT POSITION MOVING SOUTH	F,RB
1140		47	151135	FANGS HAVE COME TO THIS AREA AND FINISHED MISSION	F,RB
1215		48	151200	HAVE HAD ONE MORE WIA MANS NAME IS MORISTHE	F,RB
1220		49	151200	SITUATION SAME	F,RB
1221		50	151125	FIVE ARVN COMPANIES IN AREAS 2,3,4 and 5 OF TAOR	F,RB
1225		51	151218	HAVE COMPLETED MISSION ARE HEADING BACK TO THIS PR 2	F,RB
1230		52	151217	EVERY THING UNDER CONTROL NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
1235		53	151235	FIVE GROUPS ALL MALE IN CPX AREA	F,RB
1300		54	151305	3D PATROL 75 METERS FROM THIS POSITION	F,RB
1320		55	151312	AT 1300 VIC 032713 ONE VN WHO SAID HE CUT HAND WITH A KNIFE	F,RB
1325		56	151225	FRAG ORDER 2-65 ISSUED TO BLT 2/9	F,RB
1330		57	151257	SITUATION UNDER CONTROL NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
1338		58	151338	SITUATION SAME	F,RB
1405		59	151405	SITUATION SAME NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
1430		60	151425	SITUATION SAME	F,RB
1500		61	151450	SITUATION SAME	F,RB
1505		62	151500	SITUATION SAME NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
1509		63	151415	ONE TRUCK AND TWO MITES HAVE ARRIVED TO TAKE US BACK TO SCAT CP	F,RB
1530		64	151500	TANK SITUATION POSTURE UNCHANGED AT 1500	F,RB
1544		65	151535	INFORM PEEPSIGHT 6 I'M ON THE WAY TO HIS CP	F,RB
1547		66	151534	SITUATION NORMAL EVERYTHING UNDER CONTROL	F,RB
1605		67	151558	SITUATION NORMAL UNDER CONTROL	F,RB
		68	151550	RECON NORTH BANK OF SANG CON RIVER	F,RB
1615		69	151606	ARRIVING AT PEEPSIGHT 6 CP	F,RB
1620		70	151555	SEVERAL MARINES HAVE REPORTED THAT CIVILIANS ARE DIGGING DEFENSIVE	F,RB
1630		71	151600	ACTUAL SAYS REGIONAL FORCES HAVE LEFT AREA	F,RB
1631		72	151629	SITUATION SAME NOTHING TO REPORT	F,RB
1715		73	151703	VEHICLES HAVE ARRIVED AND WE ARE NOW PREPARING TO LEAVE THIS POSI	F,RB
1716		74	151717	REQUEST PERMISSION FOR FOUR MAN TEAM ST JOE TO ESTABLISH OP	F,RB

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0021		1	150005	IN REGARDS TO MY LAST REPORT LIGHT LEEKED TWICE AND WAS SECURED	F
0025		2	150018	SITUATION SAME NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0030		3	150026	SITUATION SAME NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0100		4	151155	SITUATION SAME NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0101		5	150100	NO CHANGE	F
0145		6	150135	SITUATION NORMALXXXXX LIGHT MENTIONED IN MY LAST REPORT HAS BEEN	F
0148		7	150128	SITUATION NORMAL NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0153		8	150145	RELAY MSG FROM PG FOXTROT: SUSPECT TROOP MOVEMENT VIC 999695	F
0201		9	150200	SITUATION NO CHANGE	F
0202		10	150157	SITUATION NORMAL NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0234		11	150226	NO SIGN OF TROOP MOVEMENT REVEALED AS RESULT OF ILLUMINATION	F
0240		12	150230	SITUATION NORMAL NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0317		13	150300	SITUATION NORMAL NOTHING TO REPORT	F
0335		14	150334	SITUATION NORMAL NOTHING TO REPORT	F
0355		15	150351	SITUATION SAME THERE IS BELLS RINGING IN THE VILLAGE 290	F
0440		16	150435	SITUATION SAME NOTHING UNUSUAL TO REPORT	F
0545		17	150543	SITUATION SAME	F
0610		18	150600	SITUATION SAME	F
0610		19	150605	SITUATION SAME	F
0705		20	150650	SITUATION SAME	F
0706		21	150640	SITUATION SAME	F
0719		22	150716	SIT SAME GETTING READY TO SEND OUT PATROLS	F
0722		23	150719	SITUATION SAME	F
0737		24	150725	PATROL S-3D IS LEAVING THIS PB	F
0800		25	150750	SCAT 3D PATROL SITUATION SAME ALL SECURE	F
0805		26	150751	SITUATION SAME NOTHING TO REPORT	F
0810		27	150808	SCAT 3D APPROX 500 METERS SOUTH OF CHECK POINT 1	f
0830		28	150820	SIT REPORT FROMS3D PATROL MOVING NOTHING UNUSAL TO REPORT	F
0900		29	150845	NEED MED EVAC ONE WIA HIT BY S/A FIRE	F
0901		30	150840	"G" 2/9 REPORTS REC S/A FIRE FROM ACROSS RR TRACKS	F
0915		31	150903	SIP REPORT S2D REC SNIPER FIRE	F
0924		32	150918	MED EVAC IS COMPLETE	F
0930		33	150930	"G" 2/9 REC S/A FIRE FROM AT993678	f
)($)		34	150935	SITREP (INTELLIGENCE) #6 ON READ BOARD	F
0941		35	150922	S3D SITUATION SAME POSITION R 1.2 U 0.6	f
1005		36	150954	SALUTE REPORT	F
1010		37	150955	SALUTE REPORT	F

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0100		1	180100	FLARES HAVE CEASED AND A VN LIGHT PLANE DEPARTED	F
0210		2	180200	EXCESSIVE MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE IN VILLAGE	F
0719		3	180735	MARINE HELO RECON SIGHTED SUSPECT VC BN	F,RB
1543		4	181522	MAJOR KEEGER RPTS S/A FIRE IMPACTING IN MUD POND NEAR BRIDGE	F,RB
1638		5	181638	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY NO. #9	F,RB
1855		6	181755	FLAME TANKS WILL BE FIRING TONIGHT	F,RB
1925		7	181920	TO WINDY WILL NOT FIRE TONIGHT	F,RB
2025		8	181900	PATROL AMBUSHED AT COORD 982701	F,RB
2026		9	182025	2/9 RECEIVING S/A FIRE AT 970665	F,RB
2045		10	181930	ONE VC COMPANY AT 970665	F,RB
2050		11	182000	VC ARE MAKING PREPARATION FOR MARINE ENTRY INTO VILLAGE	F,RB
2100		12	182045	HOA CAMP REPORTS VC AT COORD 967698	F,RB
2215		13	182120	SPOTTED VC AT COORD 959698	f,rb
2120		14	182210	RVN REQUEST ARTY FIRE	F,RB
2240		15	182235	THE WEST HAVE NOT RECEIVED ANY FIRE	F,RB

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0001		1	190001	JOURNAL OPENED	F
0305		2	190300	PHONE CHECK ON HOT LINE. ALL SECURE	F
	0434	3	190430	NGF NET IS DOWN, NEED BB 451 REQ AT FIRST DAWN	F
1106		5	190900	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY NO. #10	F,RB
1300		6	191325	F/6 REPT FROM MR MUI, HOA MUI VILLAGE CHIEF. TWO REGIONAL FORCE	F,
1335		4	191255	REQ OF TIDE TABLE FOR DANANG	F
1345		7	191340	BB-2 (IND) OBSERVED DURING ~~XXXXX~~ AERIAL RECON AT 191000H JULY	F
1406		8	191400	MINES BEIGN LAYED IN VIC CAM NE (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	F,RB
1840		9	191845	TWO RF COMPANIES LOCATION VICINTIY TAN HANH COORD 998654	F
1840		10	191840	"H" COMPANY 2/9 OBSERVED 35 VILLAGERS LEAVING	F
1900		11	191900	3D TANKS FIRING FLAMES	F
1905		12	191910	WM5 RPTS SIGN BETWEEN DIV AND THIS CP	F
2000		13	191916	TO HIT DANANG AIR BASE TONIGHT	F
2005		14	192000	TANKS SECURED FIRING	F
2010		15	192010	OVERLAY COPY	F
2020		16	192020	ONE VC BN SEEN AT 957688	f
2028		17	192025	TWO DRIVERS REPORTEDM SEEING TWO MEN AT WATER POINT	F
2045		18	192045	NO LIBERTY THE 20TH OF JULY	F
2100		19	192100	BAC WILL ASSEMBLE AT RR BRIDGE	F
2105		20	192105	ONE VC COMPANY HIDDEN BETWEEN AT970665	F

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0045		1	200045	OPERATION WITH HOA VANG IS GOING 200500H. EVERYTHING IS TAKEN	F,RB
0140		2	200140	PHONE CHECK ALL PHONES. ALL SECURE	F,RB
0142		3	20XX0130	CMR REPORTS TRACKING MORTARS FROM COORD 98416842.	F,RB
1311		4	201255	TANKS WILL BE FIRING AT COORD 985675 and 985653	F,RB
1337		5	201330	ALL PETROLS WILL HAVE MINIMUM OF TWO PF	F,RB
1457		6	201430	FOUND ROUND OF 60MM MORTAR IN "E" COMPANY POSITIIN	F,RB
1530		7	201525	"E" 2/9 REPORTS 60MM MORTAR DUD AT COORD 994686	F,RB
1529		8	201628	RECEIVED CALL FROM BB-1 THAT TWO ARVN TROOPS RODE INTO THEIS AREA	F,RB
1920		9	201920	"E" COMPANY REPORTS TWO ROUND OF SNIPER FIRE	F,RB
2040		10	202040	RECONNAISSANCE PATROL BE CONDUCTED SOUTH SIDE	F,RB
2120		11	201920	GOOSE CMR REPORTS MORTARS FIRING FROM COORD 996645	F,RB
2125		12	202021	COUNTER MORTAR REPORTS MORTAR FIRE FROM COORD AT996645	F,RB
2130		13	202130	REQUEST 81 ILLUMINATION AT COORD 996681 MOVEMENT IN AREA	F,RB
2210		14	202210	REQUEST OF ILLUMINATION APPROVED	F,RB

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0015		1	210005	SMALL PATROL TO IMMEDIATE FRON OF RLT-9	F,RB
0140		2	210140	ROUTINE TELEPHONE CHECK	F,RB
0411		3	210411	PATROL REPORT	F,RB
0850		4	210850	LVT'S REACHED CHECK POINT #1	F,RB
0925		5	210925	REACHED ~~XXXXX~~ CHECK POINT #2 RECEIVED SNIPER FROM REAR	F,RB
1004		6	211004	CONCEPT OF OPERATION RLT-9	F,RB
0915		7	210915	GEN KARCH ARRIVED RLT-9 CP	F,RB
1015		8	211015	GENERAL KARCH DEPARTED RLT-9 AREA	F,RB
1041		9	210900	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY #12	F,RB
1043		10	211030	REPORT VC PLANTED FLAG VICINITY OF LVT CP	F,RB
1047		11	211050	ALL AMTRACS ARE BACK ON BEACH	F,RB
1117		12	211115	CZLL FROM TANKS THAT A VC FLAG IS FLYING 300M N.W. OF THEIR POSITION	F,RB
1343		13	211330	REPORT OF LVT RECON OF CAU DO SONG	F
1543		14	211541	BTRY "E" CLEARED TO FIRE HIGH BURST	F,RB
1641		15	211637	I COPRS REPORT THAT AT ABOUT 211300	F,RB
1724		16	211650	RECEIVING S/A FIRE FROM 991681=	F,RB
1725		17	211855	"E" COMPANY RECEIVING S/A FIRE	F,RB
2025		18	212020	RECEIVING FIRE FROM 992701	F,RB
2145		19	212139	ESTABLISHED FRON LINE POSITION	F,RB
2045		20	212120	BB WILL MONITOR TAR NET	F,RB
2045		21	211800	ONE PLT WILL SET UP AMBUSH	F,RB
2300		22	212255	"H" COMPANY REPORT SNIPER FIRE	F,RB
2315		23	212315	PG HOTEL REPORT S/A FIRE	F,RB
2325		24	212315	REQUEST 81 ILLUMINATION AT 989683	F,RB

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0040		1	220030	RECEIVING S/A FIRE 600 YDS SW OF "E" CP	F,R
1055		2	220050	REQUSET ILLUMINATION AT COORD 995678 GROUPD OF PEOPLE	F,R
0135		3	220125	REQUEST ILLUMINATION AT COORD 991692. RECEIVING S/F	F,R
0135		4	220125	REQUEST ILLUMINATION	F,R
0215		5	220200	UNIDENTIFIED PERSON MOVING COORD 995878	F,R
0245		6	220115	REQUEST PERMISSION TO MOVE INTO YOUR LINES	F,R
0247		7	220117	REQUEST PERMISSION TO CROSS TRACKS DUR TO MOON	F,R
0259		8	220118	PERMISSION GRANTED	F,R
0303		9	220137	ME AND MY GROUP ARE MOVING	F,R
0305		10	220149	HAVE ARRIVED AT YOUR LINES	F,R
0310		11	220250	REQUEST FIRE CONCENTRATION 436 ILLUMINATION COORD	F,R
0400		12	220405	REQUEST ILLUMINATION AT CONCERN 701 COORD 004689	F,R
1812		18	221758	SITREP LOCATIONS IN GRID COORD HEADQUARTERS	F,R
1823		19	220900	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY #13	F,R
1824		20	220800	JOURNAL FROM S-2	F
1830		21	221715	TWO HOT LINES INSTALLED	F,R
1850		22	221855	INFORMED THEM THEY HAVE PERMISSION TO SECURE FROM CROWD NET	F,R
1945		23	221944	OVERLAY FROM 2/9	F,R
2007		24	222007	CALL FROM MAJOR JONES	F,R
2015		25	222015	PATROL ORDER FORM CROWD 3 FOR IRONTREE-3	F,R
2055		26	222054	POST #7 REPORTS HEARING A/R FIRE FROM 1800 METERS OUT	F,R
2058		27	222000	ANTPS/21 OPERAROR REPORTS DRUMS HEARD IN DUONG SON (1)	F,R
2117		28	222100	RIT-3 REPORTS HIEU DUC LAI OFF WITH 1/3 HAS REPORTED	F.R
2125		29	222115	1/9 PICKED UP VIET MAN NORTH OF HIGHWAY #1 CARRYING AMMO	F.R
2150		30	222145	REPORT OBSERVATION CONCEN TRATION OF MALE	F,R
2201		31	222200	REQUEST 81 ILLUMINATION AT 998702	F,R
2209		32	222208	REQUAST ILLUMINATION COORD 004694	F,R
2220		33	222220	2143 - RW A-3 CROSSED CHECK POINT 23	F,R
2240		34	222234	"H" CO RECEIVING FIVE ROUNDS FROM DONG SON (1)	F,R
2250		35	222248	H-3 RECEIVED FIVE ROUNDS FROM DONG SON (1)	F,R
2330		36	221900	OP PLAN 423-65 FOR 3D RECON	F,R

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0045		1	230030	SPOT REPORT FOR PERIOD 2228 TO 2355	F,R
0115		2	230115	RECEIVING SNIPER FIRE FROM COORD 997680 TO 997680	F,R
0120		3	230120	SPOT REPORT FOR PERIOD 0010 TO 0059	F,R
0130		4	230130	REQUEST 81MM MORTAR ILLUMINATION AT CONC 429 COORD 991688	F,R
0245		5	230245	OBSERVED MOVEMENT W/TIPSY AT COORD 993676 REQ 81MM MORTAR ILL	F,R
0400		6	230340	SPOT REPORT FOR PERIOD 0130 TO 0340	F,R
0600		7	230500	SPOT REPORT FOR PERIOD 0430 TO 0500	F,R
0605		8	230605	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY ~~XX~~ #13	F,R
0705		9	230655	"H" CO ENGAGED 2 SNIPERS AT COORD 230650	F,R
0806		10	230810	DISREGARD VC KIA OF 230650	F,R
0820		11	230815	"H" CO MOVING INTO PSOTION	F,R
1015		12	231004	GOLF THREE VISITING LOCATION OF CONCERNING	F,R
1025		13	231025	VC PICKED UP BY 1/9 LAST NIGHT IS WOA	F,R
1112		14	231105	NAME AND TOWM OF PF KIA	F,F
1130		15	231130	OVERLAY	F,R
1135		16	231135	VC FLAG AT COORD 986686	F,R
1140		17	231115	REPORT PATROL CROSS CHECK POINT ONE	F,R
		18	231140	REDWOOD CROSSED CHECK POINT 2	F,R
		19	231155	2/9 DIRECTED AS DIVISION REACTION FORCE	F,R
		20	231207	REDWOOD 1A 200 YDS FROM CHECK POINT 2	F,R
1325		21	231315	"D" CO 80% COMPLETION ON MOVE	F,R
1350		22	231320	DLT 2/9 APPREHENDED VC'S IN HOA CHAU	F,R
1355		23	231345	ECHO PICKED UP ONE VC COORD 005685	F,R
1400		24	231347	1340 REDWOOD A-1 PASSED CHECK POINT 3	F,R
1530		25	231520	DELTA IN POSITION	N,R
1530		26	231530	TURNED IN SITREP AT 1530	N,R
1920		27	231915	PG "E" SPOTTED VC FLAG OVER THE VILLAGE ENTRANCE AT COORD 986686	F,R
1955		28	231945	"H" CO RECEIVING HEAVY SNIPER FIRE FROM PHONG LE (1)	F,R
2000		29	231000	A LOCAL MAN WAS ADMITTED TO THE BN AID STATION w/A DOG BITE	F,R
2010		30	232010	"H" CO RECEIVING HEAVY SNIPER FIRE ONE WIA	F,R
2010		31	232010	REQ HELO EVAC COORD AT995696	F,R
2028		32	232028	WIA FROM "H" CO PICKED UP BY HELO EVAC	F,R
2030		33	232056	BRIDGE UP REPORTS 60 MORTAR OR GRENADE APPROXIMATE 300 METERS	F,R
2100		34	232100	3D PLT "C" CO REPORTS S/A FIRE & MG FIRE COORD 011736, 013728	F,R
2110		35	232110	SPOT REPORT FROM I.T. FOR PERIOD 1942 - 2057	F,R
2120		36	232120	BB-3 REPORTS S/A FIRE INCOMING CP	F,R
2120		37	232120	HOA AGENT RPTS VC BN COORD 840795, 860795, 840770 - 860770	F,R
2147		38	232147	FF OCCURED BETWEEN 3D PLT "H" AND ARVN	

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0030		1	240020	PATROL REPORTS FROM IT FOR 232315 to 232342	F,R
0034		2	240030	AT 24005 A TRIP FLARE WAS SET OFF AT COORD 00700	F,R
0106		3	240105	PATROL REPORTS FROM I.T. FOR 240011 TO 240041	F,R
0207		4	240210	PATROLS FROM I.T. FOR 240112 TO 240155	F,R
0347		5	240341	PARTOL REPORTS FROM I.T. FOR 240250 TO 240321	F,R
0524		6	240610	RJ NOW IN PERIMETER	F,R
1010		7	241005	REDWOOD BRAVO ONE HAVE CROSS IP	F,R
[illegible]250		8	241250	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY	F,R
[illegible]520		9	241505	PA TROLS REPORTS FROM I.T. FOR 241245 to 241505	F,R
		10	241701	VC HAVE ISSUED INST TO THE INHABITANTS OF HOA CHAU	F,R
1709		11	241706	AT 1710 WILL HAVE A REACTION DRILL	F,R
1840		12	241835	AR FIRE RECEIVED FROM TREES COORD 990694 "E" RETURNED	F,R
1859		13	241855	E-2 REPORTED RECEIVING S/A FIRE FROM COORD 990678	F,R
1930		14	241922	RECEIVED CALL FROM BB-6 THAT AWIRE TEAM FROM H-3 WAS RECEINGIN	F,R
1949		15	241940	ARVN PATROLS AS FOLLOW	F,R
1950		16	241945	THREE FIRE TEAMS LAY OUT AT COORD 993685, 06694, 003685	F,R
2040		17	242032	REDWOOD CROSSED IP REDWOOD HAS RADIO CONTACT	F,R
2100		18	242043	"H"-3 RECEIVED AUTOMATIC FIRE IN POSITION	F,R
2151		19	242145	POST #2 REPORTS OBSERVING TRACER ROUNDS FIRED COORD 008735	F,R
2115		20	242115	REQUEST ILLUMINATION AT COORD 001678 TRAPPED VC	F,R
2130		21	242130	3D MARINES INTEND TO FIRE ILLUMINATIONA AT COORD 968699	F,R
2200		22	242130	3D MARINES "E" BATTERY REUEST PERMISSION TO FIRE ILLUMIFAITON	F,R
2217		23	242214	POST #6 REPORTS SIGHTING TWO RED STAR CLUSTERS	F,R
2350		24	242350	TWO MEN SOLID BLACK CARRYING SOMETHING INTENDED TO COME THROUGH	F,R
[illegible]355		25	242355	POST #5 REPORTS THREE ROUNDS INCOMING APPROXIMATE300 METERS	F,R
[illegible]357		26	242357	"D" CO REPORTS SIX BIES TRUCKS ABOUT 200 METERS DOWN ROAD FROM CP	F,R
2400		27	242400	CLOSED JOURNAL	F,R

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0001		1	250001	JOURNAL OPENED	S,F
0050		2	250050	SPECIAL PATROL BACK FROM CHECK OF PERIMETER	S,F
0545		3	250500	"E" CO REC S/F FROM LEFT FLANK	S,F
0820		4	25 0815	ILLUMINATION IS CRITICAL	S,F
0930		5	250930	PATROL OVERLAY	S,F
1010		6	251010	SAW MEN DIGGING AT COORD 997739	S,F
1030		7	251020	ACCIDENTIAL DISCHARGE PFC T.R. HILL A-1/9 POST #19	S,F
1035		8	251025	PAPERS TURNED OVER FROM ARVN, SPEC FORCES GEAR	S,F
1220		9	251220	HQ RPTS RECEIVED APPROX 30 RDS S/a FIRE	S,F
1420		10	251420	POST 19 REPORTS HEARD ONE ROUND	J,S-2
1425		11	251425	RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE AT COORD. 0673	J,F
1625		12	251400	REPORT ON PATROL FROM (251400 TO 251530)	J,F
1640		13	251625	REQUIRE ONE SQUAD OF INFANTRY	J,F
1645		14	251635	BOTH PATROLS ARE BACK IN ENCAMPENT	J.F
1805		15	251800	CROWD BAILY REQUESTS TO REGISTER HIGH BURST	J,F
1815		16	251800	RW-E REPORT -230530-REPORTED CAVE UNDER ROAD	J,F
1910		17	251910	"E" RECEIVING S/A SNIPER FIRE FROM DUONG SON-2	S,F
2030		18	252027	PATROL REPORTS FROM IRONTREE	J,F
2115		19	252100	PFC WADE, R.B. 2108686 RECIEVED FLESH WOUND	J,F
2117		20	252110	FRAG ORDER 8-65	J,F
2130		21	252115	INFO FROM LN.O. HOA VANG 2 MEN INJURED	J,F
2210		22	252209	PATROL REPORT FROM I.T.-3	J,F
2255		23	252250	RECIEVING 10RDS. SNIPER FIRE FROM VIC. 006688	J,F
302		24	252230	FIRE MISSION CON. 300-A2 3700	J,F

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0035		1	260035	HOTEL COMPANY REPORTS ONE WIA	F,R
0100		2	260100	~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ POST #5 RPTS SAW A FLASH OF LIGHT	F,R
0300		3	260300	FIRING ILLUMINATION COORD 026736	F,R
0430		4	260403	COMPANY "C" RECEIVED S/A FIRE OF APPROX IMATELY 8 RDS	F,R
0435		5	260435	POST #6 OBSERVED 12 MEN DRESSED IN BLACK	F,R
0517		6	260515	POST #8 RECEIVED FIVE ROUNDS S/A FIRE	F,R
0800		7	260800	MAJOR Matino REQUEST ALERT COMPANY FOR TUESDAY	F.R
0850		8	260850	TWO VCS WEREPPICKED UPMTHISMORNING	F,R
0850		9	260850	wia name IS PFC WADE, R. B.	F,R
1020		10	261020	FIFTEEN MINUTE NOTIFY	F,R
1445		11	261445	CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS	F,R
1630		12	261635	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY	F,R
1742		13	261742	FRAG ORDER 3-65	F,R
1915		14	261914	REPORT OF VC BN AT COORD 010644 & 015655	f,r
2025		15	262015	I.T. "C" REPORTED SEEING MAN AT 80°	F,R
2050		16	262050	BB-5 REPORTS THAT MUI INFORMED HIM A VC	F,R
2053		17	262053	"E" COMPANY REPORTS DRUMS BEATING IN CAM NE #2	F,R
2055		18	262055	MESSENGER ARRIVED AT QUA GIANG AND REPORTED	F,R
2110		19	262110	DISTRICT CHIEF OF HOA VANG INFORMS LO THAT ARVN ARTY	F,R
2115		20	262115	I CORPS G-3 C/4 1 BN TO ATTACK DANANG A/B SOMETIME	F,R
2210		21	262110	BB OP HEARING DRUM BEATS W/ OR POS FOR SHORT	F,R
2227		22	262227	BB-3 RECEVING REPORTS FROM ALL LINE COPM THAT ALL IS QUIET	F.R
2258		23	262257	I.T. 3 INFORMS SEN-3 THAT THEY WILL FIRE ILL UMINATION	F,R

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0130		1	270130	XXXX I.T. "C" CP RPTS FIVE RDS TRACER RDS 700METERS OUT AZ 1308DEGREES	F,R
0345		2	270300	EXP & S/S FIRE AT POST #10 INCOMING GRENADE S/A FIRE	F,R
0900		3	270900	2/9 PROVIDES ONE COMPANY OPCON	F,R
1020		4	271000	FOUND A BUKER ACROSS RR TRAKS	F,R
1025		5	271000	TWO SQDS ON PATROL TO VIC CAM LE BRIDGE	F,R
1045		6	271031	RECEIVED FROM SMALL FIRE FROM COORD 067763	f,r
1050		7	271031	"E" COMPANY RECEIVING S/A FIRE COORD 992688	F,R
1550		8	271550	RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE COORD 056758	F,R
1735		9	271720	112 MEN BROKEN INTO 7 TEAMS - AT HMM-261 OPERATIONS	F,R
1737		10	271720	RW "F" ENTERED PERIMETER AT POST #19 WITH ONE VCS	F,R
1850		11	271850	AO RPTS BEING FIRED ON WITH S/A	F,R
1925		12	271920	NGUYEN VAN HUE PICKED UP ON SPOT CHECK	F,R
2040		13	271945	TWO VC HID RIFLE AT TREE LINE	F,R
2200		14	272145	POPULAR FORCES HAVE WITHDRAWN LAST POSITION	F,R
2240		15	272225	ARVN GOT INTO FIRE FIGHT WITH THEMSELVES	F,R
2245		16	272230	188 MARINES TO CHU LAI ON 28 July 65	F,R

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0945		1	280935	BB-3 REQUEST MP ON 24 HR BASIS.	F,R
1150		2	280900	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY #19	F,R
1414		3	281425	TWO MEN WALING TO VILIAGE COORD 965713. ONE MAN WEARING BLACK	F,R
1714		4	281710	POST #11 REPORTS THAT AT 1100 AND AGAIN AT 1300 A MAN WAS SEEN AT	F,R
1817		5	281520	OUR OP HAD THREE SNIPER ROUNDS FIRED AT THEM COORD 0771	F,R
1719		6	281700	IN REGARD TO MESSAGE ABOUT SNIPER FIRE. MAGNETIC AZIMUTH 40	F,R
1810		7	281810	3 VC COMPANIES AT COORD 980683 - 087680 & 045660	f,r
1857		8	281845	"E" COMPANY RECEIVING SNIPER FIRE FROM CAM NE (2)	F,R
1945		9	281945	PG 81MM MORTARS (4GUNS) LOCATED AT COORD 005687 IN DIRECT SUPPORT	F,R
2020		10	282020	PATROL RW CHARLIE-1 NOW LOCATED IN SMALL VILLAGE AT COORD 992764	F,R
2045		11	282045	RPT FROM DISTRICT CHIEF	F,R
2050		12	282050	SEVERAL STRNAGERS FROM VC CONTROLLED AREA OBSERVERED IN QUANG CHAU	F,R
2225		13	282200	SITREP	F,R
2345		14	282230	POST #9 RPTS SUSPECTED VEHICLE 50 METERS FROM POST	F,R

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0030		1	290030	RECEIVED PHONE CALL FROM MAR LNO STATEING HE AND A SMALL PATROL	FR
0157		2	290155	PVT RALPH F. GLUIN 2020703 HAS BEEN KILLED BY A SENTRYAT 0105	FR
0310		3	290307	POST #10 REPORTED ONE ROUND FIRED AT HIS BUNKER. COULD NOT TELL	FR
0430		4	290430	CO "E" RPTS EPS-21 PICKED UP A POSSIBLE PROBE BY FOURE MEN	F,R
0600		5	290500	VCS IS PRESENTLY IN THE CUSTODY OF HOA VANG DISTRICT HQ	F,R
0735		6	290730	FLSG REPORTS SENTRY FIRED ONE ROUND AT A PROWLER AROUND 0130	F,R
0815		7	290812	PROBE MENTIONED EARLIER WAS A VISUAL SITING NOT PICKED UP ON TPS-21	F,R
0930		8	290925	POST #7 REPORTS THREE PEOPLE CARRYING BOXES OUT OF CEMETARY	F,R
1100		9	291040	I.T. PATROL PICKED UP VCS AT 290900 COORD BT 008779	F,R
1145		10	291145	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY #20	F,R
1145		11	291132	WARNING ORDER. ONE COMPANY ALERT FOR QUICK REACTION FORCE.	F,R
1150		12	291150	WE HAVE SOMETHING GOING HERE. YOU WILL HAVE ONE COMPANY STAND BY	F,R
1212		13	290930	2/9 ASSIGNED RESPONSIBILITY FOR SECURITY OF 2/9, 9TH MAR, 2/12	F,R
1300		14	291227	WARNING ORDER. BE PREPARED ON ORDER TO COMMIT BN (-).	F,R
1345		15	291320	FOUR OR FIVE MEN IN XXXX LARGE WOODEN BOAT STOPPED ON RIVER.	F,R
1347		16	291335	PROVIDE ONE SQUAD TO FLSG TONIGHT FOR SECURITY AT RED BEACH ONE	F,R
1500		17	291445	SALUTE REPORT	F,R
1500		18	291450	"E" COMPANY 5 RPTS SMALL FIRE FIGHT FROM CAM NE (2)	F,R
1650		19	291620	NAT POL AGENCY RPTS VC BN VICINITY (BT 885886	F,R
1751		20	291645	HOA CAM TRNG CTR WILL HAVE TRUCKS MOVING TO AND FROM DANANG	F,R
1733		21	291722	"E" COMPANY REC S/A FIRE FROM THREE POSITIONS IN CAM NE 1 & 2	F,R
1735		22	291630	LAYOUT PATROLS FOR "H" COMPANY. 1ST PATROL TO CONSIST OF 12 MEN	F,R
1834		23	291800	STAND DOWN FROM BN (-) REACTION ALERT. MANITAIN NORMAL COMPANE	F,R
1835		24	291836	120 MEN FROM "G" COMPANY ARRIVED AIR PORT.	F,R
1849		25	291849	REPORT FROM HOA VANG	F,R
1840		26	291845	ALL OF "G" COMPANY ARRIVED AT CP	F,R
2010		27	292010	ECHO - RPTS FIRING ON SIX MEN PATROL VICINITY CAM NE TWO	F,R
2117		28	292110	292040 - POST #6 RPTS FIRE FIGHT 190° AZ. APPROX 1800 METERS OUT	F,R
2122		29	292110	TIME 292055. BB HAZIOAI RPTS PF OBS THREE VC W/FLASH LIGHTS	F,R
2155		30	292155	HOA CHAU TRAINING CENTER SENDING TRUCK LOAD OF TROOPS INTO 81MM	F,R
2200		31	292131	81MM MORTARS SHOOTING REGISTRATION FIRE AT COORD AT 986687	F,R
2355		32	292340	I.T. FIRED FOUR ROUNDS OF ILLUMINATION CONSENTRATION 202 AT 2250	F,R

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0045		1	300006	FIRED CONCENTRATION 202 - FIVE ROUNDS ILLUMINATION	F,R
0115		2	300115	RADIO RELAY INFORMED SEN-3 THAT HOT LINE TO I.T. 3 IS BACK IN OPER	F,R
0445		3	300415	POST #8 RPTS THREE MEN HUDDLED AROUND CANDLE IN FRONT OF HOUSE	F,R
0845		4	300800	A/F POST AT FIRST LIGHT RPTS THREE MEN CARRYING WPNS	F,R
0900		5	300850	522 COMPANY REGIONAL FORCES WILL BE MOVING INTO VICINITY HOI AN	F,R
0930		6	300926	HELO RECON REC'D 3 RDS OF FIRE ON HELICOPTER FROM EITHER DONG SON	F,R
0945		7	302300	LP IN FRONT OF POST #4 DISCOVERED ONE MAN WITH WHITE BANDANA	F,R
[illegible]100		8	300855	ONE VCS PICKEDP UP 300855 COORD 015748. PICKED UP BY REACITON FORCE	F,R
1145		9	301145	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY NO. 21	F,R
1150		10	301140	ONE TANK HIT AP MINE DAMAGED TRACK MOVING TO SCAT D CP.	F,R
1230		11	301215	BB6 RQS WATER PATROL 301300H RETURN BEFORE DARK REIN SQD ON 3 LVTS	F,R
1350		12	301450	PATROLS BY SLUOP HAVE COMPLETED MISSION. HAVE COVERED ONE MILE	F,R
1650		13	301645	LANDLINES OUT. FURNISH ONE SQUAD FOR PUMPING OPERATIONS 301800H	F,R
1700		14	301340	REPORT ON PATROL FROM 301330 to 301700	F,R
1725		15	301415	F4B FROM VMF-514 SIGHTED 40 TO 50 MEN WALKING N.E. ALONG ROAD AT	F,R
1745		16	301745	AMTRACS ARE ON WAY BACK FROM CP #1 TO TANK PARK. ETA TANK PARK 1830	F,R
1800		17	301800	XXXX BB3 RPTS THAT THE LVT PATROL AND SUPPORTING INF PLT W/PLT	F,R
1915		18	301900	HOA CAM PATROL SCHEDULED 1 AMBUSH 2100 TO 0400 AT 976701	F,R
1915		19	301900	MINE SWEEPING TEAM IS REQ EVERY MORNING FROM 0630 THROUGH CONPLET	F,R
2052		20	302047	POST #6 REPORTS A FLARE AT 220 DEGREES 500 METERS OUT	F,R
2104		21	302050	CB'S RECEIVING S/A FIRE AT GC BT 075824. REQ PERMISSION TO USE	F,R
2115		22	302105	BB OP RPTS 2DLT DOI COMMAND OF BRIDGE DEF PLT RPTS THAT A WOMAN	F,R
2151		23	302105	POST #6 REPORTS FF AT 220 DEGREES 1400 METERS OUT. HEARD ALL	F,R
[illegible]150		24	302147	AT 2135 POST #6 HAERD 15 RDS FIRED AT COORD 996726	F,R
[illegible]2206		25	302200	"H" COMPANY REC'D THREE RDS SNIPER FIRE FROM CAM NE (1)	F,R
2206		26	302145	LT KY BRIDGE DEFENSE CO HAS MADE A CURASORY CHECK AT PHONG BAC (1)	F,R
2251		27	302255	BOTH TANKS ARE BACK IN COMPOUND. NO VC CONTACT	F,R
2358		28	302355	TWO TANKS AND 60 TROOPS EMBARKED CAMP FROM MONKEY MOUNTAIN	F,R

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0001		1	310001	POST 17A REPORTS MOVEMENT 200 METERS in FRONT OF POSITION	S,F
0100		2	310100	POST 6 REPORTS SEEING RED SHUTE 1200 METERS FROM POST	S,F
	0725	3	310725	BB-3 STATES OPERATION KICKED OFF CROSS LOD AT 0628	S,F
0735		4	310735	3 AMTRACS STUCK AT CAM LE BAC BRIDGE.	S,F
0820		5	310820	BB-3 0815 MOVING TO THE VILLAGE OF COMAN COORD 029690	S,F
0915		6	310915	6 LVT'S PAST CP 5 HAVE TAKEN UP BLOCKING POSITIONS	S,F
1005		7	310957	BLT TAC NOT IN CONTACT WITH F COMPANY HAVE CONTACT VIA CO TAC NET	S,F
1100		8	311045	1/9 PROVIDE ONE SQUAD RED BEACH ONE SECURITY MAF UNLOADING OPER	S,F
1130		9	311130	INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY #22	S,F
1200		10	311200	FRAG ORDER 12-65	S,F
1400		11	311415	"G" COMPANY LST PLT WILL BE REACTION STAND BY PLT. LT BUSE OIC	S,F
1200		12	311145	PARKGREEN FOX HAS SWEEPT OBJECTIVES ONE AND TWO	S,F
1545		13	311535	594 RF COMPANY CLEARING REDWOOD TAOR. RED WOOD BRAVO WILL COMMENCE	S,F
1615		14	311615	BB-3 WILL HAVE A LISTENING POST OUT TONINGHT AT COORD 991695	S,F
1630		15	311630	CORPSMAN LOST HIS I.D. CARD IN VICINITY (471144)	S,F
1635		16	311635	APPROX 8 WOMEN AND TWO CHILDREN THINNING BRUSH IN FRONT OF POSI	S,F
1700		17	311700	POST ONE REPORTS PARADE IS HEADING TOWARD POST TWO	S,F
1759		18	311759	WEEKLY TRNG SCHEDULE	S,F
1931		19	311900	PG "H" NOW REC S/F FROM DUONG SON (1(998678)	S,F
1955		20	311953	BB-3 REPORTED FIVE LVT'S STUCK AT CAM LE BAC BRIDGE	S,F
2050		21	312040	HOA VANG AGENT REPORTS A GURRL CO COMAND BY CAO XUAN LONG EQUIP	S,F
2055		22	312045	REQ 2 LVT'S FOR WATER RESUPPLY TO "F" CO TOMMOROW AT 1100	S,F
2140		23	312130	PATROL REPORT FROM COMPANY "F" 2DBN	S,F
2145		24	312130	"L" BTRY AND 8" WILL BE FIRING H&I FIRE FROM 2200 TO 0530	S,D
2215		25	312053	REQ YOU SEND ONE CASE 279 BATTERIES, FOUR CASES RATIONS TOMMOROW	S,F
2335		26	312320	REF H CO FIRE FIGHT AT 991695 LAYOUT PATROL SET UP ON PATH	S,F
2345		27	312330	TIPSY 21 PICKED UP MOVEMENT VIC 996681.- FIRED 3 RDS 81MM ILL	S,F
2355		28	312335	CALL FR TIPSY THAT MOVEMENT WAS PICKED UP AT 2300	S,F

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160800I		1-65		Journal Opened	
160319I		2-65	151430Z	Warning Order-Maintain RLT-9 and 2/9 in air-mount out status	RLT-9 put on 4 hour alert & 2/9. RLT-9 Hqdrs on Immed alert.
180617I		3-65	171338Z	Alert mod. 2/9 removed from 4 hour alert. RLT-9 Staff remains on Immed air alert.	Noted & filed.
190246I		4-65	181519Z	Activate RLT-9 as a surface mount out	Be prepared to embark on order. Filed.
[illegible]0101I		5-65	202350Z	Assignment of shipping.	Noted & filed.
200438I		6-65	191735Zc	Logistic & Admin instns for movement of forces	Noted & filed.
211953I		7-65	210945Z	One time strength report for shipping requirements.	S-1 action.
221800I		8-65		Commended staging USS Mathews. O	Only 5-6X6's and 1 stake avail for movement to Whitebeach
230800I		9-65		Priority to 3/7.	No vehicles or forklift avail. No electric forklift in holds.
240200I		10-65		All vehicles & rations aboard. Loading engineers gear. Only 2 stake beds & 2 forklifts avail. Veh kept moving from one loading site to another. Very slow loading conditions.	Noted.
[illegible]800I		11-65		All unpalletized engineer supplies aboard. Avail forklifts & stakes pulled for 3/9. Mathews pulled out to stream.	Noted.
251400I		12-65		Mathews returned to pier. Limited support equip avail.	Noted.
252200I		13-65		CG III MAF increased Class V from BA to BA plus 30 days.	S-4 set up.
260800I		14-65		Colonial will stage 27Jun. Clymer cargo staged, Sun; Vehicles, Mon; personnel, Tues.	S-4 set up.

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260930I		15-65		Mathews 95% loaded.	Noted.
261200I		16-65		Mathews completly loaded. Two (2) men from HqBn Det (Postal) UA.	Noted.
261300I		17-65		Renville asgn as AMMO Ship.	Noted.
261305I		18-65		CCO Renville arr CH. Only 2 ammo holds avail on Renville.	Noted.
261315I		19-65		Trans set up for 27Jun. Clymer staging 0700, Colonial 1300.	S-4 set up.
270830I		20-65		Div Embark said Renville will be loaded by Civilian steveadors. Ammo only.	Noted.
270840I		21-65		Carter Hall & Clymer staging. Colonial staging at Sukiran.	S-4 set up.
280815I		22.-65		Staging vehicles for Clymer. Ship will dock at 0800 at Whitebeach.	S-4 set up.
281300I		23-65		Renville in at Whitebeach. Clymer will dock at 1600. No personnel on Clymer until compl of loading. RLT ammo block for 4.2 & 155 will go on Clymer. All ships for RLT-9 are in Whitebeach area.	Noted.
281330I		24.-65		Trans set up to move 200 personnel and baggage to Whitebeach at 0800 29Jun65 to board Clymer.	S-4 set up.
290700I		25-65		RLT-9 commeced staging personnel and gear for departure to Whitebeach	S-4 set up.
2[illegible]00I		26-65		Commenced loading RLT-9 personnel on busses.	S-4 set up.
290930I		27-65		Departed CH for WhiteBeach.	Noted.
291015I		28-65		Arrived at Pier Bravo Whitebeach.	Noted.
291030I		29-65		Got aboard Clymer.	Noted.
291930I		30-65		Loading operations still going on aboard Clymer & Renville.	Noted.
300800I		31-65		Clymer moved to staging area a few hundred yards out in stream.	Noted.
301100I		32-65		Counter Mortar Radar Team One attach to Renville.	Noted.

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010900I		33-65		XO Conf, 150 men requested by the Renville.	Furnished.
01100I		34-65		3 Tanks down for generator parts. LST-3 ballast two low.	"B" 3dTk action.
030230I		35-65		APA-27 compl loading 300730I. Commenced loading XXXXXXX281910I. AKA-96 Compl loading 021100I, commenced 231000I. LSD-3 completed loading 030230I. Commenced loading 282200I. LSD-18 completed loading 021730I, commenced loading 290915I.	~~Fixedx~~ Noted.
041600I		36-65	030444Z	2/9 proceed independently to Da Nang.	Noted.
050730I		37-65	180628Z	CTG 76.4 (Capt K.P.HUFF) to operate all beaches Chu Lai to DMZ. Notify of all cargo, ship movement, weather, surf and other info concerning beaches.	
050735I		38-65	040545Z	CTG 76.6 wants info on ships platoons and and forklifts at Hue.	Filed info not avail at this time.
050755I		39-65	050520Z	2/9 provide 100 man ship platoon to Renville upon arrival at Da Nang.	Furnished.
060730I		40-65	050845Z	CTG 76.6 Da Nang off loading coordinaton proposals.	Filed.
061800I		41-65		Commenced off loading of RLT-9 and BLT 2/9 shipping.	
082310H		42-65		Div G-1 requested 20 man working party for USS Winston.	Winston loaded with FSR gear. RLT-9 did not furnish.
09[illegible]45H		43-65	082345Z	Request for TACLOG to be relieved.	TACLOG relieved. Arr CP 091115H
091530H		44-65		Div G-1 requested 20 man working party for Winston.	2/9 furnished.
092145H		45-65		Div G-1 requested an additional 20 man working party for Winston.	RLT-9 did not furnish.

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102310H		46-65		Driver coming from Red Beach two to RLT-9 hdqrs was shot at through the drivers side of windshield. No one was hit.	Reported to G-3, G-4, and PMO
110020H		47-65		Major Gutheinz notified S-3, G-3, G-4 & PMO. He also called Red Beach Two and informed them of the incident. Told them to hold all trucks until daylight.	S-4 set up.
110045H		48-65		Major Gutheinz called Div G-4 and ask him if he should continue operations at Red Beach Two. G-4 said it was 9th Mars gear, do what we wanted. Also G-4 asked if one shooting incident should stop operations.(LtCol Ross).	S-4 set up.
110055H		49-65		S-4 called Red Beach 2 and told them to continue operations.	S-4 set up.
110115H		50-65		Recd call from Maj Gutheinz at Red Beach Two and informed me that operations were continuing.	
110800H		51-65		All RLT-9 supplies & equip off both beaches.	Noted.
111145H		52-65		Sent Radio msg to TankBn requesting them to requisit on 15 bags of cement for people to people program.Movement of two familes from TankBn CP.	S-4 set up.
111500H		53-65		POW Compound under construction. Located 20 yards east of entrance to RLT-9 assembly area. Security platoon guarding six suspected VC's being brought in.	S-4 set up.
111600H		54-65		Shore Party support was considered good, especally Lt La Fever's, considering all the Logistical problems.	Noted.

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120810H		55-65		POW compound complete. Ready for POW's.	S-4 set up.
120915H		56-65		All supplies and equip moved from beach area to CP.	Sections are still missing some items. Supply & S-4 are checking other units to see if gear was mis-sent from beach.
121000H		57-65		Recd call from G-4(Maj Nolan) that all trans was tied up for today. All trans request must go through RLT-9 S-4 day prior to requirement. Bn's must utilize reaction force trucks for admin runs. This is Div policy.	Called Capt Lawrenc S-4, 2/9 and informed him of this policy. He said he would inform his CO.
121005H		58-65		Installed fly tent to cover troops serving line.	S-4 set up.
121020H		59-65	100112Z	CG III MAF req equip density rept by 16Jul65	S-4 notified all units to submit.
121020H		60-65	111034Z	CG 3dMarDiv msg on sitting up requisition procedures.	Supply set up.
121020H		61-65	090554Z	3/9 Budget req for 1st qtr FY66	Fiscal has copy.
121145H		62-65		EngrBn is moving potable water tank from above messhall to river area.	Notified all sectic and units to fill all water trls & 5 gal cans.
XXXXXXX	121215H	63-65	120405Z	Answer to MCSC Barstow's msg 260001ZJun65	Boxes, Wood, FSN 8115-292-0115
121230H		64-65		Periodic Logistic Reports	Put out RLT-9Bul 5213 10Jul65
121605H		65-65		Pass msg from Water Point to Engr's Utilities Section. "Stud on Carburator machine section "B", broken off during operations. Need replacement or repairs ASAP.	Relayed msg by phone to Utilities Section, EngrBn.

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122000H		66-65		Showers put in operation.	Noted.
130050H		67-65		Request for M-49 gas tanker at GC 998708 for gasing LVT's(Maj DUNN), first light 13Jul65.	Called Div MT and set up.
130700H		68-65		Set up wrecker and 6x6 to pick up 60KW generator at FLSG to light CP.	S-4 set up.
130735H		69-65		Turned in sizes for boots and light weight utilities.	Supply will order.
130750H		70-65	090554Z	Operating budget 1st qtr FY66 request for 3/9	Msg 130317 sent to 3/9 auth them $26,000 for 1st qtr, FY66
	131100H	71-65		Walked through requisition for water trailers (2) from Div.	S-4 will pick up.
	131115H	72-65		Endorsed Engr Support ltr to Div for 2/9	Tent for messhall, S-3 and CommRepShop.
	131125H	73-65	130316Z	Msg sent to 3/9 auth them 1/3 of allowance of trng ammo shown in CG 3dMarDiv ltr 8/WD/cet of 7May65	S-4 sent out.
	131215H	74-65		Endorsed 2 ltrs from 2/9 to Div for Engr Support.	1. Health & comfort pack. 2. Strong back for "E", 2/12 messhall.
131400H		75-65		Set up 6x6 with ATBn for trash run of CP at 0800 14Jul.	S-4 set up.
	131600H	76-65		Engr Support ltr to Div on road around ARVIN compound.	S-4 set up.

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140630H		77-65		Div appd issue of 2 water trls on temp loan and strong back for Comm Msg Center when materials become available	1st End on CO RLT-9 ltr 4/JRG/rc over 4000 of 10Jul65
140700H		78-65		New Regt MT Chief (Gysgt CALVERT) reported in to HqCo.	Noted.
140800H		79-65		Trash truck policing the CP.	S-4 set up.
	141035H	80-65		Equipment Density Rept sent to Div.	CG 3dMarDiv ltr 4/JKR/pds over 4015 of 19Jun65
141200H		81-65		Laundry broken down. No laundry facilities for 4 or 5 days.	S-1, S-4 & HqCmdt are negoiating for a civilian laundry pick up at the assembly area daily.
141500H		82-65		Showers can be set up on an on call basis.	S-4 will set up.
141610H		83-65		Picked up diesel fuel for runing generator for lighting CP.	S-4 picked up.

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	150845H	84-65		2/12 requested 2 shelters for heads, strong backs for S-3 & 2 strong backs for messhall	S-4 forwarded to G-4
	150850H	85-65		"B" 3dTkBn requested change of tank components	S-4 forwarded to G-4
	150900H	86-65		Letter to G-4 requesting motor transport support for RLT-9 3, 6x6's and 1M-105 trl	For use by messhall, trash run, laudnry run, supply runs, personnel runs and admin runs.
	150920H	87-65		Request to G-4 to construct 20 benches for chapel	S-4 sent to G-4
	151000H	88-65		Request for boot repair van for 2/9	S-4 sent to G-4
	151010H	89-65		S-4 put out RLT-9 Bulletin 5213 of 15Jul65 (Reports Control)	S-4 coordinate.
	151600H	90-65		S-4 put in letter for trash shed for RLT-9 trash pick up.	Hqds Cmdt will coordinate.

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	161140H	91-65		Called 3dEngrBn(Utility Section) to repair pump at water point.	Water Point repaired 161205H
	161150H	92-65		Submitted Deadlined Combat Essential Equipment Report to Div G-4	S-4 Coordinated.
	161230H	93-65		Submitted Monthly Engine Generator and Engineer Equipment Readiness Report to Div G-4	S-4 Coordinated.
	161420H	94-65		Submitted Monthly Float Status Report to Div G-4	S-4 Coordinated.
Late Entry	160800H	95-65		3, 6x6's and 1 trailer arrived for support from Div MT.	To be used for Mess Hall, Trash, Water and Admin Runs.
	161610H	96-65		Engineer Support for 2/9 sent to Div G-4	Request for gravel for urnial pits.

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	170730H	97-65		Sent out Vehicle Bisting Report to Div G-4.	S-4 Coordinated.
170745H		98-65		1000 sand bag bridge and 2 spillways were completed in "G" Co, 2/9 Area 15Jul65.	Noted.
	170825H	99-65		Submitted Logistic Status Report to Div G-4.	S-4 Coordinated
170920H		100-65	152306Z	Ballistic Helmet Liners request for requisition of	Supply will requisition
170925H		101-65	130914Z 130912Z 161226Z	Ammunition expenditure and inventory report.	S-4 will coordinate.

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	170730H	102-65		Embarkation data for airlift and surface lief request from sections of HqCo, 9th Mar	Embark Coordinate
171240H		103-65		2/9 request for health & comfort issue of 13Jul65	Returned from Div disapproved.
	171245H	104-65		Submitted operational ration breakdown report to G-4	Supply Coordinate.
	171300H	105-65		Submitted Maintenance of Equip Cost Report to G-4	S-4 Coordinate.

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	190935H	106-65		Submitted Quarterly Accident Summary to Division	S-4 Coord.(MTO)
190940H		107-65		Rec'd call from EngrBn to pick up 20 benches for Chapel.	S-4 will have picked up and put in chapel
	191000H	108-65		Set up Diesel Tanker to come to CP weekly on Tuesday to fill up all 55 gallon drums. Also tanker for gas for Mess Hall.	S-4 Coord.(Comm) (2/9 & 2/12)
191115H		109-65		Rec'd call from G-1 for 12 Man working party for FLSG.	2/9 will furnish.
	191216H	110-65		Submitted Clsss V inventory report to Division.	S-4 Coord.(Ord)

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	201230H	111-65		Endorsed 2/9's ltr to Div requesting weapons and equipment for two (2) ARVIN interperters attached to 2/9.	S-4 Forwarded
	201435H	112-65		Called Div MT and reduced our daily committments from 3-6x6's to 2-6x6's.	S-4 checked daily runs and found 2 6x6's will support RLT-9 headquarters.

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SER. NO.	DTG	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, REPORTS, ETC.	REMARKS
210745H		113	190808Z	CG 3dMarDiv on Tool kits request for	S-4 sent in negative report.
211515H		114		Received call from Div G-4 to contact 1/9 & 2/9 and have each Bn invoice 2 each M79's to RUC43010 and deliver them to Div G-4 ASAP.	S-4 called both 2/9 and 1/9 and directed them to do this.

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	221300H	115		Call from Div to pick up Capt Reckwell, new Regt Supply Officer	Lt Adams wentoto Div to pick up new Capt.
	221620H	116		Submitted Logistic Status Report to Div G-4.	S-4 Coord.

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	230850H	117		Water point down. Mess Hall out of water.	S-4 called Utilities Section, 3dEngrBn. Will be Repaird ASAP.
	230855H	118		Called Div MT. 2-6x6's did not report at 0800 as requested.	Div Mt said they would send 1-6x6 ASAP. S-4 called Div MT again at 1100. They will pull 2-6x6's from 1/9 and send to us. Trks arrived at 1230.
230910H		119	220506Z	Informed by S-1 to pick up 1/9 for OPCON and reporting purposes.	S-4 will do.
	231005H	120		Endorsed 2/9 ltr to Div for EngrSpt (Ditch Digger).	S-4 coordinated.
	231015H	121		Submitted ltr to Div requesting hard stand and screening for Off/ SNCO mess, 9th Mar CP.	S-4 coordinated.
	231350H	122		Submitted ltr to Div requesting camouflage covers for new ballastic helmet liners.	S-4 coordinated.

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240900H		123		2-6x6's ordered for 0800 1 arrived at 0715; other has not arrived at this time.	S-4 called Div MT. Div will check and send another.
	240950H	124		Called Div MT. 1-6x6 Still did not show up.	Div MT said truck broke down. Another will be dispatched ASAP. Truck arrived 1130.
	241225H	125		Ltr authorizing Capt. RECKEWELL to sign priority 5 and 12 requisitions.	For Col. GARRETSON signature(ASAP)

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250810H		126		Both 6x6's arrived as ordered.	S-4 Coord.
	251530H	127		Submitted Base Loading Report.	S-4 Coord.
	251540H	128		Set up 6x6 from ATBn for Communication to take generator to FLSG.	S-4 Coord.

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	260730H	129		No illumination gernades available after security platoon utilizes the 44 remaining in stock.	None held by FLSG. Unable to procure G-895 gernades.
	260930H	130		Set up 2 additional 6x6's for 1/9 to help move CP.	1/9 is currently receiving 8-6x6's daily from Div MT.
	261500H	131		Submitted letter to S-1 requesting reassignment of SSGT WOODHEAD.	New SSGT that just reported into MT. Already have a new GYSGT CALVERT who came in last week.

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270910H		132		Lt ADAMS caught 4 different units dumping trash in unauthroized dump. ("E" 2/12, Mort, 2/12, 3dTkBn & 1st 8" HowBty).	S-4 notified units concerned and G-4.
	271035H	133		Submitted Camp Site Cantonement Report to Div G-4	S-4 Coordinated. HQ & 2/9. (1/9 submitted with 4th Marines).

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	280800H	134		Submitted 2/9 letter to Div EngrO for repair of road entering CP.	S-4 forwarded.
	281230H	135		Civilian Engineer came in to see how late he could work his Vietenese labor gang who are hauling fill from opposite our CP and 2/9 CP.(991723) Also if he could leave his equipment there over night.	S-4 said he could work until dark. He could check with the Engineers about leaving his equipment over night.

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	291050H	136		Set up 6x6 with "C" ATBn for 0730 30 JUL65 for lt. Adams to haul materials to build EM Club.	S-4 will pick up material and deliver to CP.
	291410H	137		Forwarded 2/9's ltr req EngrSpt for road & bridge at DuRangSan # 2 to Div EngrO.	S-4 Forwarded.
291500H		138		S-3 called for info on Ferry at base of Monkey Mt.	S-4 called G-4 and found out that FALCON 6207 runs the ferry. (LtCol.RITTER). Ferry operates 24hrs a day. Tanks can cross anytime.

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	300715H	140		Forwarded 2/9's ltr for Engr Spt to Div for modification to mess Hall Galley.	S-4 Fwd.
	301000H	141		Lt. Adams picked up 60 bags of cement for deck in the Regimental EM Club. (Club will be 28'x60')	S-4 coordinated with Div Clubs Off.
	301515H	142		Lt. Adams submitted Embarkation data to S-3 for command diary.	S-4 coordinated.

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310830H		143		1/9 called and reported that only 1-6x6 reported from Div MT.	S-4 called Div MT and only 1-6x6 was dispatched. Div is short 15-6x6's for daily runs.
	310900H	144		Set up 1-PC for Wire Section from 2/12.	S-4 Coordinated.
	311010H	145		Forwarded 2/9's letter on Shipboard Accomodations aboard USS Rickaway to Div Embark.	S-4 Forwarded.
	311145H	146		Set up 8-6x6's with trls for 1/9 to move CP.	S-4 Coordinated.
	311545H	147		Forwarded two (2) letters for 2/9 on Engineer Spt to Div Engr O.	S-4 Forwarded.

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