The first "Graduation Date" for Recondo School was much earlier than January 1967. I was in the second or third class and recall being on the graduation field mission on Christmas Eve 1966 (we were extracted so we could be back for Christmas "Cease Fire"). Block and Lopez graduated from separate classes just prior to me. Division LRRP (our unit now) was not yet activated when we went to Recondo. We were sent out of 2nd Brigade LRRP.

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