AVBTS-C

12 June 1972

SUBJECT: Enemy Attack on US Installations After Action Report (Final)

Commanding General
1st Aviation Brigade
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IAW Appendix C, 1st Aviation Brigade Circular 335-2, the following information is submitted concerning an attack by fire on Marble Mountain Army Airfield and 11th Combat Aviation Group the morning of 11 June 1972.

1. 110256H Jun 72
2. 11th Combat Aviation Group
3. HTO 063736
4. 12 rounds, 82mm mortar confirmed; however, 34 rounds were heard going off (counted by TDC officer).
5. 7 OV-1D aircraft damaged: 3 OV-1D minor skin damage; 2 OV-1D extensive skin damage (retrograde); 1 OV-1D direct hit right wing (possible retrograde) – above six aircraft in revetted positions; 1 OV-1D moderate skin damage to top of fuselage and left wing (aircraft was in maintenance hangar, not revetted).
6. 131st MIC (AS) maintenance hangar damaged (4' x 4' hole in roof, which must be repaired). HHC, 11th CAG latrine damaged with numerous shrapnel holes, 1 commode and one wash bowl needing replacement. HHC, 11th CAG, MCI billets – very light damage, 1 window blown out.
7. None
8. 2 casualties: superficial fragment wounds, returned to duty (131st MIC)(1 Pilot & 1 GS in hangar area).
9. 3,000 meters
10. 10 minutes
11. N/A
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12. Gunships launched to work with Night Hawk, launched at 0305 hrs, and flare ship. One confirmed KIA.

13. No further enemy activity.

14. Mobile reaction force formed and perimeter on 100% alert.

15. Colonel James M. Leslie, Commanding Officer, 11th CAG.

16. 11th CAG.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

1 Incl
Diagram

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