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1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), PFO
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Division (Rein), PFO (G-3)

Subj: Command Chronology for period 121406 May to 312406 May 1970

Ref: (a) HCC 5750-1A
    (c) HCC 5750-91
    (c) HCC 5750-23

Enclosure (1) 1st Reconnaissance Battalion Command Chronology May 1970

1. In accordance with the provisions of references (a), (b), and (c), enclosure (1) is herewith submitted.

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COMAND CHECKLIST
GLODCEH TO 12/24/205 MAY 1970

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Enclosure (1)
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ORGANIZATION:

1st Reconnaissance Battalion

SUBORDINATE UNITS:

HQ COMPANY

COMPANY B

COMPANY C

COMPANY D

COMPANY E

ATTACHED UNITS:

3rd Force Reconnaissance Company transferred to L Company on 1-31 May 1970

1st Lt. C. COPHAN 1-31 May 1970

1-31 May 1970 1st Reconnaissance Battalion, Da Nang, RVN

1-31 May 1970 3rd Force Reconnaissance Company, Da Nang, RVN

3. MAIN STAFFS:

Executive Officer

Adjutant/Spt.

S-2

S-3

S-5

Supply Officer

Communication Officer

Motor Transport Officer

Battalion Surgeon

Enclosure (1)
PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

The 1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein.) conducted normal patrolling, salvage recovery and SORH activities in general support of the 1st Marine Division (Rein.), REFORGER during the month of May 1979. The results of this activity are documented in Part IV.
PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

03 May 1970
Major C.F. WILDEHORST, Commanding General 1st Marine Division, visited the 1st Reconnaissance Battalion and was briefed on reconnaissance operations, training, and logistics and also witnessed a demonstration on reconnaissance capabilities.

05 May 1970
Lieutenant A.D. BUN, assumed the duties as the Commanding Officer of Company "C" from Lieutenant S.L. EASTER.

07 May 1970
ARM Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program 05-70 terminated.

09 May 1970
Brigadier W.E. DODD, Assistant to the Division Commander, visited the 1st Reconnaissance Battalion for dinner with the Officers and Staff.

10 May 1970
Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course 04-70 commenced.

11 May 1970
ARM Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program 04-70 commenced.

11 May 1970
Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program 04-70 commenced.

15 May 1970
Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course 04-70 terminated.

18 May 1970
Lieutenant F.J. HARRIS assumed the duties as the S-4 Officer from Captain F.J. FITZGERALD.

19 May 1970
ARM Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program 04-70 terminated.

19 May 1970
Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program 05-70 terminated.

21 May 1970
1st Reconnaissance Battalion Air Officer Orientation Class held.

21 May 1970
Lieutenant Calvin ZAGS, United States Army Commanding General of XXV Corps, visited the 1st Reconnaissance Battalion, was briefed on reconnaissance operations and witnessed a demonstration on reconnaissance capabilities.

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22 May 1970  Republic of Korea Marine Corps Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program 05-70 commenced.

25 May 1970  lstLt. F.M. HUTCHINSON assumed the duties as Communication Officer from Capt. R.A. HOBART.

PART XV

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

A. Operation Orders and Final Reports 05-70
B. 35th Order 06-70
C. Reconnaissance Indoc. Program 05-70 (Marines)
D. ARVN Reconnaissance Indoc. Program 05-70
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H. Statistical Data Chart
STATISTICAL DATA CHART

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Enclosure (1)
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IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAR
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
SIXTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFA
IAG ONE SIX
VIO-NO

INFO: CG AFRICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (All)
IAGG ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROCKET BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
LA QUAG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FOR CG/TOC/GO-2/3-2
FIRST RECON BI SIT RPT J21-70 010001H MAY 70 012400H MAY 70 (U)
1. OF 48 OPR RECON TBS THERE ARE 34 TBS OPEN AT 24 LOC WITHIN
FIRST MAR DIV TAOR; 2 TBS DIR GPT HQBN; 5 TBS INTERIOR QD
FIRST RECON BI; 5 TBS INN FOR PLD DU; 2 TBS TRN STATUS.

John J. Mathias
DRAfter

FIRST RECON BI
James E. Masters
AC/3, 0-2
PRECEDENCE
ACTION: IMMEDIATE
INFO: PRIORITY

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2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46s; 2 UH-1Es)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. PANAMA HAT (7 IHE) AT 010900H VIO AT979409 COMBINED TEAM
2. SWIFT SCOUT (8 IHE) AT 010930H VIO Z019725
3. TRAILER PARK (7 IHE) AT 011025H VIO Z019197
4. DELIVERY BOY (7 IHE) AT 011040H VIO Z010585 COMBINED TEAM
5. PARALLEL PANS (6 IHE) AT 011600H VIO AT972991

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. DUBLIN CITY (6 IHE) AT 010900H VIO AT855603

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

E. REASON INSERTS/EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 02 MAY 70

1. CANON BREAK (8 IHE) HAVEN UL(Z01971)LR(ATE069)
2. STONE PIT (24 IHE)(4 THB) HAV: N: LR(ATE9532)LR(ATE04520)

F. EXTRACTIONS PLANNED FOR 02 MAY 70

1. GUN PIPER (11 IHE) HAVEN UL(Z01971)LR(ATE069)
2. FIG MOUNT (3 IHE) HAVEN UL(Z01975)LR(Z02081)
3. SCRANPPIN (7 IHE) HAVEN UL(ATE976)LR(ATE0476)
4. STONE PIT (25 IHE)(4 THB) HAV: N: LR(ATE9532)LR(ATE04520)
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 012400 H 70

A. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (2 HM) VIC ATG382
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (2 HM) VIC ATG150
C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (2 HM) VIC ATG9433
D. DENVER CITY (2 HM) (2 HM) VIC ATG382
E. STONE CHISE (2 HM) (2 HM) VIC ATG7952
F. SUNRISE (2 HM) (4 HM) VIC ATG946
G. WEST ORANGE (2 HM) (4 HM) VIC ATG850
H. GAYELLO (8 HM) VIC Z01676
I. COFFEE TIME (6 HM) VIC Z01073
J. ELF SKIN (6 HM) VIC Z00672
K. OILY PINE (11 HM) VIC Z0070
L. PHILLY LINE (6 HM) VIC Z01077
M. SWAMPY LAND (6 HM) VIC ATG174
N. PUPPET SHOW (6 HM) VIC ATG372
O. PANAMA HAT (7 HM) VIC ATG739
P. DURHAM (6 HM) VIC ATG075
Q. FIG NEVON (7 HM) VIC Z01891
R. PICK-NICK PAPER (7 HM) VIC ATG0850
S. GOOSEBERRY (7 HM) VIC ATG088
T. PAL JOEY "A" (6 HM) VIC ATG146
U. PAL JOEY "B" (7 HM) VIC ATG146
V. PAL JOEY "C" (7 HM) VIC ATG146
W. TERRAPIN (7 HM) VIC ATG777
X. SWIFT SCOUT (7 HM) VIC Z01952
Y. TRAILER PARK (7 HEN) VIC ZC1559
Z. DELIVERY BOY (7 HEN) VIC ZC1158  COMBINED TEAM
AA. PARALLEL BARS (6 HEN) VIC AT9628

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON THS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. ELF SKIN
   (1) 011100H - TRL., 1 FT. TO 1½ FT. WIDE, RUNNING SE TO NW VIC. ZC039710. TRL. LOOKS AS THOUGH IT IS STILL BEING USED BUT NOT HEAVILY.
B. PICKNICK PAPERS
   (1) 301400H - 5 BUNKERS AND 10 VC/NVA. BLK. PJ'S. APPEARED TO BE WORKING. VIC. AT855815. BUNKERS WERE 6 FT. BY 5 FT. AND APPEARED TO BE MADE OF LOGS AND DIRT. CALLED FM, REQ. CLEARANCE.
C. COSJACK
   (1) 010930H - TRL. COMPLEX VIC. AT813892. HIGH SPEED TRL., 3 FT. TO 4 FT. WIDE WITH TRENCHES OR TRENCH-LIKE. FOUND HARBOUR SITE BESIDE TRL. WHICH COULD HOLD 8 TO 12 PEOPLE. ALSO FOUND SOME HALVED BERRIES AND HUMAN HAIR ALONG TRL. TRL. WELL USED BUT NOT RECENTLY.
D. FENNYWISH
   (1) 301030H - 1 BASE CAMP, HEARD CHOPPING VIC. ZC093745. TRL. WITHIN HEARING RANGE OF ENEMY ACTIVITIES AND HAVE MOVEMENT TO N AND NE. UNABLE TO OBS. ENEMY DUE TO TERRAIN. CALLED FM, 12 ROUNDS FIRED, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TGT., REQ. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO TERRAIN.
301515H - 1 BASE CAMP, APPROX. 30 FT. BY 50 FT. VIC. ZC095752. BASE CAMP CONSISTED OF 6 TO 8 LEAN-TO'S, 8 FT. BY 10 FT. BASE CAMP NOT USED IN APPROX. 1 YR.

301600CH - 1 TRL. RUNNING E TO W, 3 FT. TO 4 FT. WIDE, VIC. ZC094744. TRL. IS WELL USED, HAS SOD AND CHOPPED DOWN TREES BY IT. TRL. USED TODAY.

011000CH - 1 TRENCH LINE, VIC. ZC100745. TRENCH LINE APPROX. 6 MONTHS OLD AND IS 3 FT. WIDE AND 5 FT. DEEP. TRENCH LINE RUNS N TO S AND GOES ALL AROUND SIDE OF STREAM BED.

011100CH - 1 TRENCH LINE, VIC. ZC102756. TRENCH LINE RUNS N TO S AND IS APPROX. 6 MONTHS OLD. TRENCH LINE IS 5 FT. WIDE AND 5 FT. DEEP. TRENCH LINE GOES ALL AROUND SLOPE OF STREAM BED.

WEST ORANGE

011805H - 1 VC/NVA, GRN. UTIL. IVG. IN TRENCH LINE, VIC. EXPENDED HOSTAGE ZULU CAME ON STATION AND HIS ON-BOARD ORDNANCE WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TGT. HEK. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO SMOKE.

302230H - RECEIVED 6 INCOMING RDS., VIC. AT988518. BELIEVED TO BE RECEISSION RIFLE FIRE. HANSWORTH CALLED FM. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TGT., HEK. OBS. OF RES., DUE TO DARKNESS.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SHTY TM IS DEPLOYED AND 1 PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DTR SPT OF HQBN.
B. 011414H VICT. 20197323 TM SWIFT SCOUT COMPLETED 1 EMERGENCY
MED-EVAC, BBC (HEAT STROKE).

C. "U" RELAY INSERTED TO SUPPORT TN PARALLEL BAR."
IMMEDIATE

FROM: GG FIRST MAR DIV

TO: GG XXIV CORPS

FIRST MAR

FIFTH MAR

SEVENTH MAR

ELEVENTH MAR

CO C FIFTH

HAG ONE SIX

ACTION: IMMEDIATE

INFO: IMMEDIATE

CC: AMERICAN DIV

CC OIJI ZERO ONE ABU DIV (AH)

HAGG ONE NIGHT

CC SECOND SERIES

FIRST FOR RECON CO

SA QUANDI DA SPECIAL ZONE

FOR CC/G2/G-2/3-2

FIRST RECON IN JET RPT #122-70 COMM 020001H TO 022400H MAY 70 (U)

1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON TIN THIRE ABH S AT 30 LAC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOL. 2 TIN DIR SPT KOLS. 5 TIN INTERIOR

CC 4 TIN KMP FOR FLD DIV. 6 TIN TRASH STATUS.

2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 16-46°s; 2 16-10°s)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED
1. STATION BREAK (8 IEM) AT 020624H VIC ZGC208705
2. STONE PTP (1 IEM) (4 IES) AT 020910H VIC AT797528

D. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. PIEK HAVEN (7 IEM) AT 020750H VIC ZGC189919
2. TERRAPIN (7 IEM) AT 020800H VIC AT836774
3. CLAY PIPE (7 IEM) AT 020624H VIC ZGC208705
4. STONE PTP (25 IEM) (4 IES) AT 020910H VIC AT797528
6. TRAILER PARK (1 IEM) AT 021015H VIC ZGC15157
6. PUPPET SHOW (6 IEM) AT 021520H VIC AT342731 COMBINED TH
C. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE
D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE
B. MISSION LIST/EVENT NOT COMPLETED
N/A

F. MISSION PLANNED FOR 05 MAY 70

1. DUBLIN CITY (7 IEM) HAVE! UL(ZGC1326) LR(ZGC1654)
2. TRAILER PARK (6 IEM) HAVE! UL(ZGC1561) LR(ZGC1858)
3. WAGG BEAKIN (7 IEM) HAVE! UL(ZGC1732) LR(ZGC129) COMBINED TH
   UL(AT8493)
4. DELIVER CITY (16 IEM) (3 IES) HAVE! LR(AT8462)
6. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 03 MAY 70
1. CAYMER (6 IEM) HAVE! UL(ZGC1378) LR(ZGC1575)
2. PICKnick PAPERS (7 IEM) HAVE! UL(AT3265) LR(AT8462) COMBINED TM

3. ELF CLIN (6 IEM) HAVE! UL(ZGC0773) LR(ZGC1070)
4. COSSACK (7 HEN) HAVEN U(L AT5386) LR (AT588) ET ET
5. PAL JOEY "A" (6 HEN) HAVEN UL( D148) LR (0444) ET ET
6. PAL JOEY "B" (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(D148) LR (0444) ET ET
7. PAL JOEY "C" (7 HEN) HAVEN UL( D148) LR (0444) ET ET
8. SHAMPIAN (7 HEN) HAVEN UL (AT8076) LR (AT8474) DER
9. CITY (10 HEN) (2 T.5) HAVEN UL (AT8963) LR (AT8482) 6
10. (C) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 02400H MAY 70
11. A. VESPER BELL3 "X" (RR) (2 HEN) VIC AT8362
12. B. VESPER BELL3 "A" (RR) (3 HEN) VIC AT8138
13. C. VESPER BELL3 "B" (RR) (3 HEN) VIC ZC1453
14. D. VESPER BELL3 "U" (RR) (2 HEN) VIC AT9447
15. E. DELIVER CITY (10 HEN) (2 T.5) VIC AT8562
16. F. SPOLE PAT (24 HEN) (4 T.5) VIC AT7952
17. G. SUNRISE (23 HEN) (4 T.5) VIC AT9946
18. H. WEST ORANGE (23 HEN) (4 T.5) VIC AT9650 201159
19. I. DELIVERY BOY (7 HEN) VIC COMBINED CH
20. J. GAYLORD (8 HEN) VIC ZC15574
21. K. CONFESSION (6 HEN) VIC ZC1073
22. L. ELF SKIN (6 HEN) VIC ZC0872
23. M. STATION BREAK (12 HEN) (2 T.5) VIC ZC2070
24. N. PRETTY SKIN (6 HEN) VIC ZC0975
25. O. SHAMPIAN (7 HEN) VIC AT8175
26. P. DUNHAM (6 HEN) VIC AT8075 COMBINED CH
27. Q. PICKWICK PAPER (7 HEN) VIC AT8362 COMBINED CH
28. R. COSSACK (7 HEN) VIC AT8168
29. S. JOEY "A" (6 HEN) VIC HT0146

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T. PAL JOEY "B" (7 LBN) VIG BTO146
U. PAL JOEY "C" (7 LBN) VIG BTO146
V. PANAMA HAT (7 LBN) VIG AT9739 COMBINED TH
W. SWIFT SCOUT (7 LBN) VIG ZO1932
X. PARALLEL BARS (6:22) VIG AT9628

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN: AVAILABLE TIME
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. SURVEY
   (LE) (1) 012020H - OBSR 50 VQ/AVT, VIG AT9954BO. CALLED FIRE
   INJ, UNABLE TO OBSR DUE TO DARKNESS.
B. DELIVERY NOY
   021350H
   (1) OBSR 2 VS, 1 AK-47. OVLG W/ ON TRAIL, VIG Z0119594.
   TRAILLED 4 GROUPS. MADE POINT-POINT CONTACTS IN HOT WATER.
C. CAYENNE
   POSSIBLE
   (LE) (1) 012120H - OBSR 5 LIGHTS, TORCHES, OVLG
   LE, VIC ZC160752. CALLED FIRE NO, LIGHTS EXTINGUISHED. COULD
   NOT OBSR DUE TO DARKNESS.
D. ELF SKID
   (LE) (1) 011600H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, 2 FT WIDE, RUNNING NW -
   SE, VIC ZC083722. TRAIL APPEARED TO BE OLD, FOUND 1 H-14 SHELL.
   IT APPEARED TO BE A WEEK OLD.
   (2) 021030H - NETWORK OF TRAILS, 3 FT WIDE, VIC ZC064723 RUNNING
   N-S, JR-1. TRAILS WERE HEAVILY USED APRX 1 MONTH AGO. A TOTAL
   OF 3 TRAILS.
(3) 021155H - FOUND 1 HOOTCH, LOCATED NEXT TO STREAM & OPEN FIELD, VIC 20064733. HOOTCH WAS 8 FT X 14 FT X 4 FT. INSIDE FOUND 3 COVEN BASKETS 18 IN DIAMETER, ALSO FOUND 1 CAVES LARGE ENOUGH FOR 3 LEGS. HOOTCH APPEARED TO BE 2 FEET OLD. BUT CAVES HAS ONLY 2 FEET OLD. CAVES 6 FT X 3 FT X 2 FT.

E. PAL JOKY "C"

(1B) (1) 010600H - OBJ: 19 VG/VG, BLUE & CREAM UTILITIES, 5 BLACK UTILITIES, PACK & SFI, MOVING IN 2 LINES, VIC 20020436. NEGAT FIRE OBJ, HOSTAGE DRAG ON CONTACT, PASSED SIGHTING TO AO.

F. PARA-A MAT

(1B) (1) 010745H - FOUND 2 "L" SHAPED BUNKERS ON RIDGELINE, VIC AT973397. BUNKERS HAVE BIK, PARILY DECRUROYED, DIAMETER 2 FT WIDE, 2 FT DEEP, 6 FT LONG. REINFORCED ROOF OF 2 IN - 3 IN DIAMETER LOGS, W/ 1 FT DIRT ON TOP, NOT USED WITHIN LAST 2 MONTHS.

G. TRAILER PARK

(1) 020200H - 020230H - 12:7 IN AUTO FIRE PIRE, SPORADIC, NICE FIRE. COULD NOT OBS DATE AHEAD SPORADIC FIRE COM TO THEIR N-8 IN TOOK NEGAT ACT DEN TO ENSURE NICE OF TGT GRID.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MM RCLILE BARTY TI & A 6 IN MIGHT AIRDISH ARE DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE BATT HT FOR 1D ON STANDRTY IN DIR SPT OF HTB.

B. 020900H - RAGC: DIVIDED DEPARTED TO AREA & CHASED BBD AT Coord AT997706, AT990641, & DTC36649, W/ NEGAT RESULTS. DIVIDED RETURNED TO BE AREA 021130H.
C. 021003H - V10 20152597, Ti TRAILER PARK EXTRACTED DUE TO NEGAT COHI & ILLNESS OF TRAILER. TI TO BE REPLACED 03 MAY.

D. 021325H - V10 AT842731 Ti PUPPET SHO. EXTRACTED DUE TO ILLNESS OF TRAIlER.

E. 340C. X1 DIV23 TO BE INSERTED V10 YD3419 L. VPT OF 101ST ARI. DIV. TO ATTEMPT RECOVERY OF DOWNED HELO.
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FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAF
CG FIRST MAF
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CG C PARCH EUGA
SAO ONE MAF

INFO: CG ARMSDIV
CG ONE ZM OR ARM DIV (AE)
HA CG ONE RIGHT
CG SECOND ROKIC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
QUANG
SAI DAO SPECIAL ZONE

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FIRST RECON BU SIT REP #123-70 030001H TO 032400H MAY 70 (U)
OPER
1. (C) OF 48 RECON THS THERE ARE 29 THIS OPER AT 18 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TASK. 2 THE PER STHMN. 5 THE INTERIOR
GD FIRST RECON BN. 6 THIS PREP FOR FLD DU. 6 THIS THUS STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 AH-10'S; 1 CH-53)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

Wallace C. Engesser
DRAFTER

AC/S, G-2
PREREQ.

ACTION: IMMEDIATE
INFO: PRIORITY
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1. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) (3 TMB) AT 030756H VICT 837028
2. DUBLIN CITY (8 MEN) AT 050945H VICT 2C158946
3. WAGA BARBER
   (7 MEN) AT 051146H VICT 2C182297 COMBINED TM
   AT VICT 837028
4. TRAILER PARK (6 MEN) 051403H VICT 20150586

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. PICKPACK PAPER3 (7 MEN) AT 030756H VICT AT837828 COMBINED TH
   AT 050945H VICT 2015886
2. DENVER CITY (1 MEN) (1 TMB) AT VICT 837828
3. COSSACK (7 MEN) AT 030953H VICT AT816860
4. SWAYPLAND (6 MEN) AT 031000H VICT AT814753
5. CAMPBELL (6 MEN) AT 031209H VICT 2C158748
6. ELE LIM (6 MEN) AT 031129H VICT 2C054725
7. ELE LIM (1 MEN) (3 TMB) AT 031229H VICT 2C06666
     DELELIM NOT COMPLETED
     NONE
8. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
     NONE

B. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 04 MAY 70
1. TERRAPIN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC2069) LR(AT8156)
2. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT9145) LR(AT9442) COMBINED TM
3. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1778) LR(ZC2075)
4. OFF SPRING (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1086) LR(ZC1583)
5. FAST DAY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(     LR(ZC1779)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 04 MAY 70
1. COFFEE TIME (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0975) LR(ZC1273)

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2. PERRY WISE (6 MNS) HAVEN UL(ZC0978) LR(ZC1275)
3. SNIFF SCOUT (7 MNS) HAVEN UL(ZC1934) LR(AT7932)
4. DURHAM (6 MNS) HAVEN UL(ZC2077) LR(AT8074) COMBINED TN
5. (6) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 032400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELL "X" (RR) (2 MNS) VIC AT8382
B. VESPER BELL "A" (RR) (3 MNS) VIC AT8138
C. VESPER BELL "S" (RR) (3 MNS) VIC ZC1453
D. VESPER BELL "U" (RR) (2 MNS) VIC AT9433
E. DENVER CITY (16 MNS) (2 MNS) VIC AT8582
F. SPECIFIC PIT (16 MNS) (2 MNS) VIC AT7952
G. BUNKER (18 MNS) (4 MNS) VIC AT9946
H. WINE OASIS (25 MNS) (4 MNS) VIC AT9650
I. DEPOT PONT (7 MNS) VIC ZC1260 COMBINED TN
J. COFFEE TIES (6 MNS) VIC ZC1073
K. TRAILER PARK (6 MNS) VIC ZC1658
L. STATION BREAK (12 MNS) (2 MNS) VIC ZC2070
M. PEWS WISE (6 MNS) VIC
N. WAGE ENERGY (7 MNS) VIC ZC1830 COMBINED TN
O. DUBLIN CITY (8 MNS) VIC ZC1584
P. DURHAM (6 MNS) VIC AT8075 COMBINED TN
Q. PANAMA HAT (5 MNS) VIC AT9739 COMBINED TN
R. SNIPP SCOUT (7 MNS) VIC ZC1932
S. PARALLEL HARES (6 MNS) VIC AT9628
T. EMPIRE STATE (6 MNS) VIC AT8382
U. SPECIFIC PIT "A" (5 MNS) VIC AT3953
V. VESPER BELL DIVERS (3 MNS) VIC AT9687
W. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TNS

FMFPAC-GEN 2100/1 (3/69)
0101-V01-6601

DECLASSIFIED
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. STONE PIT

(1) OBSR 4 NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RPLS, MOVING E ON TRAIL, VIC AT838524. CALLED FIRE NEH, EXC COVERAGE TGT.
2 CONFIRMED EN KIA (UNIT UNK). OBER BY ASPARAGUS.

B. WEST ORANGE

(1E) (1) OBSR 9 NVA, MIXED GREEN & BLACK UTILITIES, 3 BOATS & 6 PACKS, MOVING IN TOWARDS A SEE CROSS RIVER PT NE OF S-W. CALLED FIRE NEH, EXC COVERAGE TGT, 3 CONFIRMED EN KIA (UNIT UNK).
1 BOAT DESTROYED. OBER BY HAIGHWORTH, VIC AT969920.

(1E) (2) OBSR 3 VC, RPLS, FLET WIRE, VIC AT967502.
2 RPLS DETECTED NOT ENGAGED EN W/S/A, RESULTING IN 5 CONFIRMED EN KIA (UNIT UNK), WHICH EN CALLED AWAY. SEARCH OF AREA RESULTED IN NEGAT FINDINGS.

C. PENNY WISE

(1E) (1) OBSR 3 VC, BLACK PJ'S, 1 AK-47, MOVING S-N THROUGH BRUSH, VIC ZC094753. CALLED FIRE NEH, GOOD COVERAGE TGT, HEARD 1 VC SCREAM.

(2) OBSR 1 EN HARBOUR SITE, 8 X 10 METER, HOLDS 6 PEOPLE, 1 FISHING TRAP, 1 SMALL FIRE PLACE 1 PT X 1 PT, 1 BURIED DOIN
HOOCHIE. HARBOUR SITE USED WITHIN LAST 4 DAYS, VIC ZC094747.

D. DURHAM

(1E) (1) OBSR 1 TRAIL, RECENTLY USED, 3 FT WIDE, TROOP & WATER BUFFALO TRACKS HEADING W-E, VIC AT805750.
E. PARALLEL BARS

(LE) (1) 021500H - FOUND FOOT PRINTS, 1-6 HOURS OLD, LOVING N-S, 1 SET BOOTS, 2 SETS BARS FEST, VIC AT963286.

F. CAYFIRE

(LE) (1) 021200H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, RECENTLY USED, 3 FT = 4 FT SIDE, RUNNING SW-NE, VIC ZC175774.

(LE) (2) 021500H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, NOT RECENTLY USED, 2 FT WIDE, RUNNING S-W, ALSO FOUND SEVERAL CHICOM 50 CAL CASINGS WHICH WERE SEVERAL HOURS OLD, VIC ZC159753.

G. (1) ADDITIONAL DETAILS

A. LONG HILL SPIKE TRAP TRAP DEPLOYED, 1 FLAT (3 SQD) SIDE REACTION FOR BS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HHL.

B. 030600H -- RECON BY DIVERS DEPARTED IN AREA FOR KUKER SPT BASE RECON. VIC YD3419 FOR HCPTR RECOVERY OP IN SPT OP 103ST AIR DIV (AH). HCPTR RECOVERED. DIVERS RETURNED TO RECON DBG AREA 031500H.

C. 031600H -- RECON BY DIVERS DEPARTED IN AREA ON BODY RECOVERY IAN IN SPT OF 1ST HAR, VIC AT9667. TH IN CO ELEMENTS 1ST HAR.

D. 031745H -- VIC AT796539 COMPLETED 1 ROUTINE MED-EVAC, TH STORE PIT "A", FOR SUSP SARASIA.

E. 031630H -- VIC AT966291 TH PARALLEL BARS CONDUCTED TERMINAL GUIDANCE & LINKED UP W/ ELEMENTS OF 7TH HAR. TH NOW IN DIR SPT 7TH HAR.

F. WELL DONE CATTLE CALL 80 8-2 0 SCARFACE 3-5 0 2-10.

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HT
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAF
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO G FIFTH SFOG
MAG ONE SIX
WHO/TWO

RE: CO EMERGENCY DIV

AT 0100 HRS CO AND XXIV (AM)
FIRE ONE ROUND
CO SECOND RECEIVER
FIRST FOR RESCUE CO
SOUTH VIA SPECIAL ZONE

FOUR/FOUR/FOUR/FOUR/FOUR

FIRST RECON END RPT #123-70 0200H TO 0600H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 20 TMS OPER AT 0500H
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 2 TMS HDR SIT HQ BRIG. 5 THE INSTRUCTION
END FIRST RECON HU. 4 TMS PREP FOR FLD DZ. 9 THE TNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRactions (2 CH-46'S; 2 AH-1G'S)

INSERTS COMPLETED

DECLASSIFIED
1. Offspring (7 Men) at 040830h Vic 201208h
2. Fast Day (7 Men) at 040910h Vic 2016383
3. Detroit Tigers (7 Men) at 041045h Vic 201777h
4. Terrapin (7 Men) at 041139h Vic AT01661
5. Clay Pipe (1 Men) at 041340h Vic AT07428 (Combined TM)

D. Extracts Completed
1. Pennymise (6 Men) at 040840h Vic 200917h
2. Coffee Time (6 Men) at 040920h Vic 201077h
3. Durham (6 Men) at 041110h Vic AT04756
4. Swift Scout (7 Men) at 041100h Vic 2019826
5. Inserts Not Completed

NONE

D. Extracts Not Completed

NONE

E. Reason Insert/Extract Not Completed

N/A

F. Inserts Planned for 05 May 70
1. Thin Man (7 Men) Haven UL (201346) IR (201330)
2. PONY Boy (7 Men) Haven UL (AT0630) IR (AT0628)
3. Veal Stew (7 Men) Haven UL (201146) IR (201143)
4. Pickwick Papers (6 Men) Haven UL (201143) IR (201740)

1. Extracts Planned for 05 May 70
1. Parallel Bars (6 Men) Haven UL (AT0730) IR (AT0628)
2. Delivery Boy (7 Men) Haven UL (201361) IR (201458) (Combined TM)
3. Panama Hat (7 Men) Haven UL (AT0562) IR (AT0939) (Combined TM)

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(18)(1.1) 021635H - 9 VO/HV. GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RIFLES

UNCLASSIFIED
WALKING N TO S, VIC BTQ04558. CALLED FIRE MISSION. EXCELLENT
COVERAGE OF TARGET, 2 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK), OBSERVED BY
HANSWORTH.

(E2)(2) 031720H - 6 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RIFLES,
MOVING N TO S ON TRAIL, VIC AT987556, CALLED FIRE
MISSION, NEGATIVE CLEARANCE DUE TO FRIENDS IN AREA. ENEMY
HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED.

(E2)(3) 031720H - 6 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, RIFLES & PACKS,
MOVING N TO S, VIC AT982557, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT
COVERAGE OF TARGET, 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK). ENEMY WAS HEAVILY
CAMOUFLAGED. OBSERVED BY HANSWORTH.

(1) 040620H - 4 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, 6 PACKS & 1 RIFLE,
AK-547, COOKING CHOW, VIC AT963538, CALLED FIRE MISSION,
EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, 2 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK),
OBSERVED BY HANSWORTH.

B. SUNRISE

(E2)(1) 031720H - 10 VC/NVA, DARK UTILITIES, 1 PACK, MOVING
IN ALL DIRECTIONS, VIC BTQ14492. ENEMY WERE SEEN IN GROUPS OF 2 - 3 IN AREA OF BOMBED OUT HOUSE,
CALLED FIRE MISSION, FAIR COVERAGE OF TARGET, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION DUE TO DARKNESS,
OBSERVED BY NIGERIA.

C. WAGE EARNER

(E2)(1) 031715H - VIC ZQ180301, TRAIL JUNCTION OF 3 TRAILS,
RECENTLY USED WITHIN 10 DAYS TO 2 WEEKS. BOOTPRINTS ON TRAIL
ARE SMALL & CLEATS ON BOOTS RESEMBLE U. S. JUNGLE BOOTS,

BOOTPRINTS ARE VERY NARROW, DIRECTION OF TRAILS N, N", S, N".
WIDTH 1-2 FT WIDE.
D. TRAILER PARK

(1) 031800H - 1 TRAIL, VIC ZC168582, RUNNING N-S, 3-6 MONTHS OLD, COVERED BY LEAVES AND OVERGROWN BY VINES IN SOME SPOTS. TRAIL IS 3 FEET WIDE.

(2) 040825H - 1 TRAIL, RUNNING E-W, VIC ZC163586, 3-6 FT WIDE, 3-6 MONTHS OLD, OVERGROWN WITH ELEPHANT GRASS AND VINES. 1 SMALL 2 MAN HARBOR SITE NORTH SIDE OF TRAIL. OBSERVED TREES WITH FORKED LOG BRANCHES, VIC ZC163586, CAN BE SEEN FROM AIR AT THAT POINT.

(3) 040820H - 1 ARTILLERY ROUND, ESTIMATED 175 MM, VERY OLD & RUSTY, VIC ZC166636, DUD ROUND FROM PREVIOUS FIRE MISSION. NOT A BOoby TRAP. 6 INCHES WIDE, 3 FT LONG, COVERED WITH LEAVES. LEFT AS IS.

E. STONE PIT

(1) 031825H - 1 VC/NVA PACKS, CAMOUFLAGED WITH BUSHES, CARRYING SUSPECTED MORTAR TUBES, MOVING INTO TREELINE, VIC ZC196419, CALLED FIRE MISSION, HAD SECONDARY EXPLOSION, OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION DUE TO TREELINE & DARKNESS.

F. DUBLIN CITY

(1) 040545H - 1 500 POUND BOMB, VIC ZC151613, NO LOT NUMBER READABLE, 3-4 MONTHS OLD, WILL ATTEMPT TO DESTROY WITH AIR STRIKE.

G. TRAILER PARK

(1) 041202H - 1 VC/NVA REST AREA, VIC ZC156584, 1 FIREPLACE, 1 PILE OF WOOD, HOLDS 30 PEOPLE, GOOD COVER FROM AIR, PLENTY OF WATER.
(2) 0415G3H - 1 .38 REVOLVER, VIC ZG15656. 4 POUNDS PISTOL UNDER ROCK & FIREPLACE, PISTOL WRAPPED IN PLASTIC
(3) 041120H - COMM WIRE, BLACK & BLUE, VIC ZG15656, COMM WIRE LED AROUND ROCK & FIREPLACE, WAS TIED TO TREE.

II. FAST DAY
(1) 041320H - 4 GRAVES, 1 DRINKING CUP, 1 GREEN BOTTLE, 1 POT, VIC ZG173796, GRAVES HAD THATCH ROOF & FANCY CARVINGS & WERE MADE VERY STURDY, THEY APPEARED TO BE 6 MONTHS OLD. THERE WAS A BODY IN EACH GRAVE. GRAVES WERE SPREAD OUT OVER 100 METERS. TOOK PICTURES OF GRAVES.
(2) 041330H - VIC ZG161797, 1 BASE CAMP, 200 X 200 METERS, CAMP CONTAINS MUCH PERSONAL COMFORT GEAR, 8 HOOTS 30 X 30 X 25 FT, 2 DESTROYED, 8 CAVES BOoby TRAPPED WITH M-26 GRENADES, 20 BOMBS, 5 X 5 X 30 FT BOoby TRAPPED WITH M-26 GRENADES, 2 TRAILS INTO CAMP, 1ST M-3, 2ND E-W, BOTH 10 FT WIDE, AREA NOT USED IN LAST 2 MONTHS.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MAN RIGIDLINE SOTY TM IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DAR 6PT OF HCN.
B. 041305H - VESPER BELLS DIVERS "A" DEPARTED BN AREA AND CHECKED BRIDGES AT COORDINATES AT926566, AND AT928842 WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. DIVERS "A" RETURNED TO BN AREA 041320H.
C. 041320H - RECON BN DIVES RETURNED TO BN AREA FROM BODY RECOVERY IN SUPPORT OF FIRST MARINES. BODY ASSOCIATED.
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAR
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SINGA
BAG OHN SIX
WHO-TWO

INFO: CG AMERICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AN)
HAGG ONE RIGHT
CG SECOND NOMIC BIE
FIRST FOR RECON CO.

SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FOR COC/TOC/G-2/S-2
FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #125-70 050001H TO 052400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON THIS THERE ARE 28 THE OPER AT 16 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR. 2 THE DIR SPT HQBN. 5 THE INTERIOR
GD FIRST RECON WIL. 5 THE FRM FROD DO. 3 THE THING STATUS
U&E-16’S

2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRASCTIONS (2 CH-46’S; 2

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

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DECLASSIFIED
1. PONY BOY (7 MEN) AT 050840H VIC AT966291
2. PICKnick PAPERS (6 MEN) AT 050907H VIC ZC144410
3. THINK MAN (7 MEN) AT 051000H VIC ZC066501
4. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) AT 051055H VIC ZC102458

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. PARALLEL BARS (6 MEN) AT 050840H VIC AT966291
2. PONY BOY (6 MEN) AT 051223H VIC AT966291
3. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) AT 051320H VIC ZC125597 COMBINED TM
4. PANAMA HAT (7 MEN) AT 051410H VIC AT980393 COMBINED TM
C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE
D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE
E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
N/A
F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 06 MAY 70
1. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN)/HAVEN UL(29837) LR
2. PUPPET SHOW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(291689) LR(220986)
3. SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(290976) LR(211719) COMBINED TM
4. COSSACK (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(0148) LR
5. CAYENNE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(28081) LR(283776)
G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 06 MAY 70
1. TRAILER PARK (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(291561) LR(201858)
2. DUBLIN CITY (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(29138) LR(21684)
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 052400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9082
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 HN) VIC AT8138
C. VESPER BELLS "S" ( RR) (3 HN) VIC ZC1453
D. DENVER CITY (16 HN) (5 TNS) VIC AT8382
E. STONE FIT (23 HN) (4 TNS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (23 HN) (4 TNS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (23 HN) (4 TNS) VIC AT9950
H. TRAILER PARK (6 HN) VIC ZC1559
I. STATION BREAK (12 HN) (2 TNS) VIC ZC2070
J. PICKVICK PAPERS (6 HN) VIC ZC1441
K. VAGS BARNER (7 HN) VIC ZC1950 COMBINED TM
L. DUBLIN CITY (8 HN) VIC ZC1384
M. VEAL STEW (7 HN) VIC ZC1046
N. OFFSPRING (7 HN) VIC ZC1284
O. FRAZIER CITY (7 HN) VIC ZC1580
P. DETROIT TIGERS (7 HN) VIC ZC1876
Q. CLAY PINE (7 HN) VIC AT9244 COMBINED TM
R. THIN MAN (7 HN) VIC ZC0831
S. TERRAPIN (7 HN) VIC AT7966
4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. SUNRISE
  (LB) (1) 04175CH - OBSR 6 HVA, DANK UTILITIES, 6 PACKS, COOKING
  CHOW IN BOHRED OUT HOOTCH, VIC BT015499. NIGERIA CALLED FIRE
  HNW, EXC COVERAGE TOT. NEGAT SURV DUE TO FADING LIGHT.
DECLASSIFIED

B. WEST ORANGE

(LE) (1) OBSR 2 SUSP NVA, GREEN UTILITY SHORTS COVERED BY BLACK PJ'S & WHITE WOMANS SHIRTS W/ 13,000 PISTOLS, CARRYING CORN OUT OF VILL, VIC AT 0418518. TM DETAINED EN, 1 HAD RECON TYPE HAIRCUT, 1 HAD NO ID CARD & RAN AS TH APPROACHED. 2 DETAINERS EXTRACTED BY HGPTR.

C. TRAILER PARK

(LE) (1) 041740H -- FOUND 2 LARGE BONE SHAPED OBJECTS, YELLOW & BLACK MARKINGS, VIC ZC156583 TO ZC155583. TM WILL BRING A COPY OF ALL MARKINGS.

D. WAGE BARBER

(LE) (1) 041900H -- 1 SILVER GRAY CLOUD OF SMOKE, VIC ZC1926. TFQ-40 LIMIT IN THIS AREA AT 041850H. SMOKE ROSE 10 MINUTES LATER, 150 FT INTO AIR, SMOKE FR TFQ-40 HAD ALREADY DISAPATED. COULD NOT HEAR SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

(2) 050645H -- VIC ZC162305, FOUND 1 TRAIL, 1 FT -- 2 FT WIDE, RUNS W-S, USED TODAY BY 3 - 4 EN, 1 PRINT OF HO CHI MINH SANDALS, REST MADE BY SPIKED BOOTS.

E. OFFSPRING

(LE) (1) 041100H -- FOUND 1 BARBED WIRE FENCE, 5 STRANDS HIGH, 200 M LONG, RUNS N-S, VIC ZC127845. 3 - 6 MONTHS OLD.

F. FAST DAY

(LE) (1) 041200H -- OBSR 1 NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACK, BUSH COVER, POS CARTRIDGE BELT, OBSR OUR PATROL, VIC ZC161795. PATROL MOVED TOWARD NVA, BUT HE RAN AWAY TO THE N.

(2) 050800H -- VIC ZC157799, FOUND 1 BASE CAIMP, HOLDS 50 PEOPLE.
3 HOOD BUNKERS. 2 WERE 20 FT X 20 FT X 15 FT HIGH, THE OTHER 8 FT X 8 FT X 10 FT HIGH. ALL WERE PARTIALLY TORN DOWN. 2 BUNKERS.
OPENINGS 3 FT X 3 FT. INSIDE 8 FT X 10 FT X 4 FT HIGH. CAMP
LAST USED 3 - 4 MONTHS AGO. CAMP 50 M X 100 M.
(3) 051115H - FOUND 4 GRAVES, VIC ZC158796, COVERED W/ ROOFS
MADE OF SMALL LOGS & STICKS. FOUND DECAYED BONES & GREY OR KHAKI
UTILITIES IN GRAVES.
C. PARALLEL BARR
(LE) (1) 041045H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, 2 FT - 4 FT WIDE, RUNNING N-S, VICT AT971291, LAST USED 6 - 8 HOURS AGO.
(6) (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MHA RANDELINE SHTT TH IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE
REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT HQBN.
B. 051115H - RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA & CK BPG AT COORD
AT925553, AT94587, AT945706 W/ NEGAT RESULTS. DIVERS RETURNED
TO BN AREA 051435H.
C. 051000H - VIC
TH PONY ROY MADE CONTACT W/ 2 VC/NVA.
RESULTING IN 2 EN KIA'S (UNIT UNK). TH RECEIVED S'A FIRE FR
IN RESULTING IN 1 VC/VC VIA (ENERG). TH SUPPRESSED EN FIRE &
MOVED TO SH. MED-EVAC COMPLETED VIA HOIST BY BES 73 ACP 051157H,
VIC AT965290, TH EXTRACTED 051235H, VIC AT966292 W/O INCIDENT. 52 - 155 MM ARTILLERY RDS UTILIZED
ON AREA AFTER EXTRACT. 1ST RDS 051240H.

GP-4

BT
FROM:  CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO:  CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAR
CG FIRST NAV
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SF QA
MAG ONE SIX
VTH-TWO
INFO:  CG AMERICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AM)
MAG ONE RIGHT
CG SECOND ROKING EDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FOR OCC/TOC/0-2/3-2
FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #126-70 060001E TO 062400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (c) OF 48 OPER RECON THUS THUS OPER AT LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 2 THIS DIR SPT RGN. 5 THIS INFERIOR
CD FIRST RECON BN. 5 THIS PREP FOR FLD DU. THIS TRNG STATUS.
2. (c) INSERTIONS & Extractions (2 CH-46'S; 2 AH-10'S)
A. INSERTIONS COMPLETED

DECLASSIFIED
1. EMPIRE STATE (6 M/M) AT 060742H VICO AT9742B
2. CAYENNE (7 M/M) AT 060750H VICO AT924504
3. PUPPET SHOW (7 M/M) AT 060800H VICO ZC1858866
4. SWANPLAND (7 M/M) AT 060814H VICO ZC109729 COMBINED TM
5. COGSACK (8 M/M) AT 060820H VICO BT016464

B. EXTRCTIONS COMPLETED
1. DUBLIN CITY (8 M/M) AT 060805H VIC ZC132843
2. TRAILER PARK (6 M/M) AT 060842H VICO ZG150596
3. WAGE EARNER (7 M/M) AT 062030H VICO ZC189504 COMBINED TM

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 07 MAY 70
1. DELICATESSEN (7 M/M) HAVEN UL (AT9642) LR (AT9939)
2. SWIFT SCOUT (7 M/M) HAVEN UL (ZC1948) LR (AT9046)
3. COFFEE TIME (6 M/M) HAVEN UL (AT7976) LR (AT8273)
4. SUMMER BREEZE (7 M/M) HAVEN UL (AT9023) LR (AT9231)
5. PONY BOY (7 M/M) HAVEN UL (ZC1569) LR (ZC1866)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 07 MAY 70
1. TERRAPIN (7 M/M) HAVEN UL (ZC2069) LR (AT8166)

3. (c) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 062400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (2 M/M) VICO AT83982
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (5 M/M) VICO AT8138
DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (5 THS) VIC AT8582

STONE PIT (23 MEN) (4 THS) VIC AT7952

SUNRISE (23 MEN) (4 THS) VIC AT9946

WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) (4 THS) VIC AT9950

COSSACK (7 MEN) VIC BT0146

STATION BREAK (12 MEN) (2 THS) VIC ZC2070

PICKWICK PAPERS (6 MEN) VIC ZC1441

SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) VIC ZC0972 COMBINED TM

VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1146

OFFSPRING (7 MEN) VIC ZC1284

FAST DAY (7 MEN) VIC ZC1680

DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) VIC ZC1874

CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) VIC AT9245 COMBINED TM

PUPPET SHOW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1986

THIN LAD (7 MEN) VIC ZC0831

TERRAPIN (7 MEN) VIC ZC2066

EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) VIC AT8383

CAIRN (7 MEN) VIC AT8280

4. (c) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON THS

A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. DENVER CITY

(LE) (1) 052015H - OBSR 20 - 25 LIGHTS, MOVING SV TOWARDS

3
RIVER ON LINE, VIC AT9734. CALLED FIRE NSN, EXC COVERAGE TGT.
LIGHTS EXTINGUISHED.

B. SUNRISE
(1) 060645H -- OBSR 36 VC/NVA, DARK UTILITIES, HVY PACKS & RIFLS
(EVERY MAN), MOVING N-S, VIC AT946445. EN CROSSED CLEARING IN
GROUPS OF 8-15. 1 MAN WAS SEEN COUNTING AS THEY MOVED ACROSS
TO COVER. CALLED FIRE NSN, EXC COVERAGE TGT, RESULTS 2 KIA
(UNIT UNK). OBSR BY NIGERIA.

C. WEST ORANGE
(1) 061920H -- OBSR 3 VC/NVA, BLACK PJ'S, RIFLS & RICE, CALLED FIRE NSN, RESULTS 1 EN KIA
(UNIT UNK). OBSR BY HAUNSWORTH.

(2) 060305H -- OBSR 4 VC/NVA, 1 FEMALE, IN BLACK & WHITE PJ'S,
1 MALE IN BROWN TROUSERS & GREEN 1ST MAR DIV T-SHIRT, IN VILL
VIC AT982520. 2 IN SIGHT OF PATROL. MALE BELIEVED TO BE
FUND COLLECTOR FOR VC. TOTAL OF 4 PEOPLE SPOTTED, 1 HAD RIFL
SLUNG ON SHOULDER IN READY FIRE POS, LOOKED BRAND NEW,
BELIEVED TO BE AK-47 W/ FOLDING STOCK. PURSUIT OF PATROL RESULTED
IN 2 POW'S, 1 PROBABLE VIA. DOCUMENTS FOUND ON MALE ADMIT HIM
TO BEING VC. 4 IN GROUP, 2 GOT AWAY. 2 DELIVERED TO DIV COLLECTION
PT.
(3) 061315H -- 1 HOL-CHAIN, BLUE SHIRT, GREEN TROUSERS, NEAT
SHOES, VIC AT966495. APPROACHED POS HAVING CHU-EI PAPER,
SAID WAS TAKEN FR DA HANG BY VC. HOL-CHAIN DELIVERED TO ITT.

(4) 061445H -- OBSR 1 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, 6 PACKS, 6 RIFLS.
MOVING ACROSS TRAIL E-S, VIC BT012523. CALLED FIRE NSN, EXC
COVERAGE TGT. RESULTS 4 EN KIA'S (UNIT UNK). OBSR BY HAUNSWORTH.
(1) 061045H - OBS 4 VC/NVA, ALL HAD GREEN UTILITY SHIRTS, BLACK SHORTS, & CARRYING BUNDLES, MOVING DOWN TRAIL S-N, VIC BT015476. VC/NVA OBS MOVING OUT OF BRUSH ONTO SMALL TRAIL AT LOW CROUCH AT APRX 15 MINUTE INTERVALS. UPON REACHING PREDETERMINED PLACE ON TRAIL, EN STOPPED, TOOK OFF GREEN SHIRT, PUT ON WHITE JACKET & STRAW HATS, ROLLED UP GREEN SHIRTS & CONTINUED ON THROUGH PADDLES WHILE CONTINUOUSLY LOOKING DOWN TRAIL. AT 1145H, 1 VC/NVA W/ BRUSH CAMOUFLAGE ON BACK, MOVED DOWN TRAIL AT A LOW CROUCH & SET UP IN ROCKS ON TRAIL. EACH VC/NVA STOPPED AT THIS ROCK FOR APRX 1 MINUTE, THEN MOVED DOWN TRAIL TO POINT WHERE CLOTHES WERE CHANGED.

E. VEAL STEW

(1) 060000H - FOUND 2 PARALLEL TRAILS, RUNNING SE-NW, VIC ZG109468. TRAIL 4-5 FT WIDE, NOT USED RECENTLY.

(2) (2) 051623H = 5-6 ROCKET BLASTS, VIC ZG096462. HEARD SOUND OF ROCKETS TAKING OFF IN VALLEY. SAW SMOKE FR ROCKET BLAST. INFORMED ALLEROCK WHO CALLED FIRE 2SH & 2OT.

F. FAST DAY

(1) 060820H - FOUND 1 FENCE, 200 FT LONG, VIC ZG153802. FENCE WAS 2 FT HIGH, MADE OF SHARPENED STICKS STUCK IN GROUND W/ VINES & BRUSH WOVEN BETWEEN TRAIL. FENCE RAN N-S DOWNHILL TO AN OLD DRIED UP STREAM & STOPPED. WAS AT LEAST 6 MONTHS OLD.

G. THIN NAM

(1) 061220H - BRG & TRAIL, VIC ZG092312. BOTH BRG & TRAIL APPEARED
TO BE WELL USED, BRG APPEARS TO BE IN GOOD SHAPE, ABOUT 20-25 FT LONG, 4-6 FT WIDE, BRG HAS GUARD RAIL ON BOTH SIDES, STEEL IS IN TACT, TRAIL RUNS ALONG RIVER BANK, VISIBLE FROM AIR. BRG MADE OF WOOD.

(2) 061330H - 1 WOODEN BRG, VIC ZC040305. BRG SEEN TO BE IN GOOD SHAPE, GUARD RAIL STILL IN TACT. APPROX 15-20 FT LONG, 4-6 FT WIDE, APPEARS TO BE WELL USED, RUNS NW-SE.

H. TRAILER PARK

(LE) (1) 04175OH - 1 BOMBLET, PAINTED YELLOW, VIC ZC155584.
LAYING OFF SIDE OF TRAIL, DID NOT DISTURB BOMBLET.

DESERTED

(LE) (2) 051113H - 1 VC/NVA, BASE CAMP, VIC ZC052591.
2 HOLES, 6 FT X 6 FT X 5 FT. 1 BUNKER, 3 FT X 3 FT X 3 FT, CAVED IN. 11 B-40 ROCKETS, PIECES OF PLASTIC & FRUIT CASES.
6-4 MONTHS OLD. B-40'S BURIED.

(3) 051650H - 1 VC/NVA, LIGHT Khaki SHIRT & TROUSERS, MOVING ALONG TRAIL E-S, VIC ZC068312. PATROL WAS LEAVING OP VEN POINT MAN SPOTTED 1 VC/NVA 30 M FR TM'S POS, NEGAT CONTACT, VC/NVA RAM AWAY.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE GCTY TM & A 7 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH ARE DEPLOYED; 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SFT OF HQPN.

B. 061107H - VIC DTO15646, TM COSACK COMPLETED 1 EMERG MED-EVAC PR UINK TYPE SPF DETONATED BY PATROL MEMBER SHORTLY AFTER INSERT. MED-EVAC COMPLETED BY SWIFT 2-4.
0900 HRS: BU DIVERS DEPARTED BU 20 & BU BG AT COORD
AT990641 & B1036649, W/ NEGAT RESULTS. DIVERS RETURNED
TO BU AREA 061115H.

D. 062030H -- VIC ZC183304, T: VAGS EARLIER EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL
ENERG AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ UNK SIZE HI FOR & BECOMING SURROUNDED.
FULL REPORT TO FOLLOW: SIX-RPT 4127-70. 1ST RDS ON TGT 062035H.

E. WELL DONE SUPT 2-1, 2-2, SCARPEN 14 & 20 FOR MSN 73.

GF-4

ET
Immediate

From: CG FIRST MAR DIV
To: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAF
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFGA
MAG ONE SHY
VMO-2 NO

INFO: CG AMERICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ABH DIV (AM)
MAG ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROKMC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

For OCC/TGC/3-2/5-2

First Recon Dn Sit Rpt #127-70 070001H TO 072000H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) Of 48 Oper Recon This There Are 33 This Oper At 21 LOC
Within First Mar Div Taor. 2 This Dir Spt Hqbn. 5 This Interior
Gd First Recon Hq. 4 This Prep For Pld Du. 4 This Trng Status.
2. (C) Insertions & Extractions (2 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1E'S)

A. Inserts Completed
1. COFFEE TIME (6 HEN) AT 070820H VIC AT915752
2. PONY BOY (7 HEN) AT 070840H VIC ZG162878
3. SUMMER BREEZE (7 HEN) AT 071043H VIC AT913512
4. SWIFT SCOUT (7 HEN) AT 071200H VIC ZG204478

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. TERRAPIN (7 HEN) AT 070850H VIC ZG207661

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
1. DELICATESSEN (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(AT9642) LR(AT9639)

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

INSERT OF TH DELICATESSEN NOT COMPL DUE TO NVY ORD DROP IN AREA.

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 08 MAY 70

1. TRAILER PARK (9 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0576) LR(ZC0873) COMBINED TM
2. DURHAI (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0974) LR(ZC1272) COMBINED TM
3. FEWY VUSEE (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC241) LR(ZC0838)
4. POW NEWTON (9 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1971) LR(ZC8069)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 08 MAY 70

1. CLAY PIPE (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(AT9246) LR(AT9543) COMBINED TM
2. FAST DAY (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1482) LR(ZC1779)
3. OFFSPRING (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1086) LR(ZC) 1385
4. DETROIT TIGERS (7 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1778) LR(ZC2074)
5. STATION BREAK (12 HEN) (2 THI) HAVEN UL(ZC1971) LR(AT8069)
6. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 072400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (2 HEN) VIC AT8582
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
C. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC ZC1453
D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8382
E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850
H. SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) VIC ZC2047
I. COSSACK (7 MEN) VIC DTO147
J. STATION BREAK (12 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC ZC2070
K. PICKJICK PAPERS (8 MEN) VIC ZC1441
L. COFFEE TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT8074
M. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC1668
N. SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) VIC ZC0975 COMBINED TM
O. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1146
P. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) VIC ZC1283
Q. FAST DAY (7 MEN) VIC ZC1680
R. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) VIC ZC1974
S. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) VIC AT9444 COMBINED TM
T. PUPPET SHOW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1987
U. THIN MAN (7 MEN) VIC ZC0730
V. SUMMER BREEZE (7 MEN) VIC AT9232
W. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) VIC AT8284
X. CAYENNE (7 MEN) VIC AT8280

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
   A. INCREASES: NONE
   B. DECREASES: NONE
5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. SUNRISE

(LE) (1) 061940H - OBSR 5 VC/NVA, MOVING E-W, VIC AT981469.

CALLED FIRE 1SM, EXC COVERAGE TOT, UNABLE TO OBSR DUE TO DARKNESS.

NIGERIA.

OBSR BY .

B. WEST ORANGE

(LE) (1) 061950H - OBSR 2 NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RPLS,

BT HILLING AROUND IN HARBOR SITE, VIC .016528. CALLED FIRE 1SM.

EXC COVERAGE TOT, RESULTS 1 NVA KIA (UNIT UNK). OBSR BY HANSWORTH.

COSSACK

C.

(LE) (1) 061950H - OBSR 22-25 NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, 1 RPL,

PACKS 

& UTENSILS, MOVING INTO VIL, VIC DTO15425. CALLED 5

FIRE 1SM, EXC COVERAGE TOT, RESULTS NVA KIA (UNIT UNK).

D. COFFEE TIME

(LE) (1) 061100H - FOUND 1 TIRE IN STREAM, OLD & WORN OUT.

NO TREAD, STREAM RUNNING E-W, VIC AT807747. TIRE HAS FOREIGN

WRITING ON IT, "CHUTRI MOH DAP VA VC RUOI XE HCI DU CO 155.

HA VAN NGA SAIGON". TIRE IS LARGER THAN WHEELS ON 6 X 6 TRUCK.

E. VEAL STEW

(LE) (1) 061730H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, 3-4 FT WIDE, SW-NE, NOT RECENTLY

USED, VIC ZC110463.

F. FAST DAY

(1) 071100H - FOUND 11 BUNKERS, VIC ZC165796- ZC162796. BUNKERS

WERE ABOUT 20 M APART & LOC ON EITHER SIDE OF AN OLD TRAIL WHICH

RUNS INTO BASE CAMP RPT IN RPT 041330H. BUNKERS ARE ALL UNDERGROUND.

ENTRANCE ON 10 OF THE BUNKERS; 2X3 FT, INSIDE DIMENSIONS 5X5X5 FT.
1 BUNKER HAD 3X3 FT ENTRANCE, & INSIDE DIMENSIONS 20X20X4 FT.
THIS BUNKER HAD 2 ROOMS. ALL BUNKERS HAD LOG ROOF COVERED BY
1/2X2 FT OF DIRT. ALL BUNKERS WERE IN FAIR SHAPE, THEY APPEARED
TO HAVE BEEN USED 3 OR 4 MONTHS AGO.

G. CLAYPIPE
(1) 071131H - FOUND 12 RCT SITES, USED ABOUT 3 WEEKS AGO, VIC
AT932454. RCT SITE PointING DIRECTLY N.
(2) 071130H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, 1 FT WIDE, 3 SETS OF FOOTPRINTS,
VIC AT931454~AT932459. FOOTPRINTS OF UNDETERMINED AGE. TRAIL
RUNNING W-E.

H. EMPIRE STATE
(1) 071205H - OBSR 1 VC/HVA, BLACK UTILITIES, OBSR OUR ACTY
FR TREES, VIC AT627877. DISTANCE APX 200 M AWAY. NEG AT
TAKEN.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SCTT TM IS DEPLOYED; 1 PIAT (5 SQD) SIZE
REACTION FOR 13 ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.
B. 071003H - VIC AT998464, COMPL 1 ROUTINE HED-SVAC PR OP SUNRISE
FOR LACERATIONS INCURRED DURING FALL.

C. (LE) 061815H - VIC 20189304 (AMPLIFICATION OF "-062030H SIT
RPT #126-70) TH MAJ EARNER MADE CONTACT W/ 15 VC/HVA APPROACHING
S/A, TH'S POS. TH ENGAGED EN W/ GRENADES, & CLAYPIPES, RESULTING
IN 9 VC/HVA KIA (UNIT UNK). TH CPTR
1 AK-47, 4 PACKS OF UNOPENED ADDRESSED LETTERS, HISC PERS GEAR,
TH SUSTAINED 1 MINOR VIA. TH UTILIZED AC, 1 FLIGHT OF FIXED
MIL & GUNSHIPS FOR COVER ON EXTRACT. TH EXTRACTED 062030H
U/O INCIDENT: 1ST RDS 175MM ARTY ON TGT 062035H. TOTAL OF 50 RDS UTILIZED.

D. 070905H - RECON BN DIVS DEPARTED BN AREA & CK BRG AT COORD AT926966 & LT927842 W/ NEGAT RESULTS. DIVIS RETURNED TO BN AREA 071210H.

E. 071830H-071900H - RECON BN HELD ANTI-SAPPER REACTION DRILL. RESULTS EXCELLENT.
FROM:  CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO:    CG XXIV CORPS
       CO III MAF
       CO FIRST MAF
       FIRST MAR
       FIFTH MAR
       SEVENTH MAR
       ELEVENTH MAR
       CO G FIFTH BFGA
       MAG ONE SIX
       WHO-TWO

INFO:  CG AMERICAL DIV
       CO ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AM)
       MAG ONE RIGHT
       CO SECOND ROKMO BDE
       FIRST FOR RECON CO
       SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FOR COO/TOC/0-2/3/5
FIRST RECON EN HTT RPT #128-70 080001H TO 082400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (c) OF 48 OPR RECON TMS THERE ARE 29 TMS OPR AT 13 LOC
   WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACO. 2 TMS HIR-SPT SQDN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
   OHD FIRST RECON EN. 6 TMS PREP FOR FLD EN. 6 TMS TRNO STATUS.
2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 HH-60'S)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

081605  1235-1236

DECLASSIFIED
1. DURHAM (7 MEN) AT 080900H VIC ZC107737 (COMBINED TM)
2. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) AT 081050H VIC ZC107739 (COMBINED TM)
3. PENDYWISE (7 MEN) AT 081300H VIC ZC107737
4. DURHAM (7 MEN) AT 081435H VIC ZC107701 (COMBINED TM)
5. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

6. COSSACK (7 MEN) 080815H VIC ET016477
7. STATION BREAK (52 MEN) AT 080835H VIC ZC207705 (2 TMS)
8. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) AT 080900H VIC ZC912746
9. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) AT 081207H VIC ZC128841
10. FAST DAY (7 MEN) AT 081207H VIC ZC163803
11. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) AT 081100H VIC AT944444 (COMBINED TM)
12. PENDYWISE (7 MEN) AT 082011H VIC ZC021400
13. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

14. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

15. REASON EXTRACT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

16. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 09 MAY 70
17. DELICATESSEN (8 MEN) HAVEN UL (AT97642) LR (AT9939)
18. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC11674) LR (ZC1971)
19. WEST ORANGE (21 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC216346) LR (ZC213198) (4 TMS)
20. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 09 MAY 70
21. THIN MAN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC0732) LR (ZC1130)
22. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC1046) LR (ZC3143)
3. PICKWICK PAPERS (8 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZGL4443) LR (ZGL740)

4. WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZGL923730) LR (ZGL93498) (1 TMS)

3. (O) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 062400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT 8382
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT 8138
C. VESPER BELLS "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZGL453
D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT 8238
E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (1 TMS) VIC AT 7952
F. SUNRISE (23 MEN) (1 TMS) VIC AT 9946
G. WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT 9850
H. SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) VIC ZGL47
I. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2070
J. PICKWICK PAPERS (8 MEN) VIC ZGL4441
K. COFFEE TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT 8075
L. PONY BOX (7 MEN) VIC ZC2667
M. S AMPLAND (6 MEN) VIC ZO0973 (COMBINED TM)
N. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC ZGL1146
O. CAYENNE (7 MEN) VIC AT 8280
P. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) VIC ZO0673 (COMBINED TM)
Q. DURHAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC1070 (COMBINED TM)
R. PUPPET SHOW (7 MEN) VIC ZGL987
S. THIN MAN (7 MEN) VIC ZO0930
T. SUMMER BREEZE (7 MEN) VIC AT 9133
U. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) VIC AT 8284

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

S. (2) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. WEST ORANGE

(LE)(1) 071825 H - 2 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RIFLES, MOVING W - E DOWN TRAIL, VIC AT 982557, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, RESULTING IN 2 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK)

(2) 081214 H - 5 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, WHITE PJ'S, CHANGING CLOTHES IN TREELINE, 3 RIFLES, VIC AT 970517, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET 2 VC/NVA WIA & 1 KIA (UNIT UNK), 1 LARGE SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

(3) 081405 H - 4 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, WHITE PJ'S, 1 RIFLE, CHANGING CLOTHES IN TREELINE, VIC AT 970517, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, OBSERVED 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK).

B. PUPPET SHOW

(LE)(1) 070630 H - 1 500 POUND BOMB, VIC 2C190863, BOMB APPEARED VERY NEW, BOMB TAIL PINS WITH BOMB, APPEARED TO BE BOoby TRAPPED, CALLED FIRE MISSION, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION, DIDN'T HEAR SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

(LE)(2) 071600 H - RIVER CROSSING & TRAIL MARKER, RUNNING E TO W VIC 2C197870, MARKER APPEARS TO BE 2 MONTHS OLD, 4 SMALL CAMP FIRES & ELEPHANT DUNG, ABOUT 1 MONTH OLD FOUND BY MARKER.

C. CLAY PIPE

(LE)(1) 071800 H - BDA, VIC AT 941416 - AT 941416, WHOLE GRID COVERED & BURNED WITH AIRE & ARTILLERY, 1 HOOTCH 4 X 6 X 6 FT
BURNED DOWN, NO SIGN OF ENEMY.

D. VEAL STEW

(1E) (1) 071345H - 2 ROCKET BLASTS, IN VALLEY SOUTHWEST OF OUR POSITION, VIC ZC095165, COULDN'T OBSERVE FLASH OR SMOKE DUE TO THICKNESS OF VEGETATION, DID NOT CALL FIRE MISSION DUE TO FAILURE IN COMM.

(2) 081545H - 3 SHOTS, VIC ZC100450, 2ND SHOT FOLLOWED 1ST SHOT BY APPROXIMATELY 1 MINUTE & 3RD FOLLOWED 1ST BY APPROXIMATELY 5 MINUTES.

E. THIN MAN

(1E) (1) 071945H - 8 - 10 EXTREMELY BRIGHT FLASHES, VIC ZC07110, COULD SEE FLASHES BUT COLD NOT HEAR NOISES, SUSPECTED ROCKET SITES.

(1E) (2) 071450H - 1 CAMPFIRE, VIC ZC040350, SAW SMOKE AT 071450H IT WAS TOO FAR AWAY TO GET ACCURATE GRID.

(1E) (3) 072330H - HEARD NOISES THAT SOUNDED LIKE EMPTY AMMUNITION CANS FALLING TOGETHER, VIC ZC0730

(1E) (4) 072010H - 1 TORCH, MOVING W TO E, VIC ZC1036, NEGATIVE ACTION TAKEN DUE TO INABILITY TO GET ACCURATE GRID.

(5) 081000H - 1 TRAIL, VIC ZC082312 - ZC092300, TRAIL RUNS N TO S DOWN INTO VALLEY, 2 - 4 FT WIDE, NOT USED RECENTLY.

F. TRAILER PARK

(1) 081100H - 1 HOOTCH, VIC ZC071738, HOOTCH WAS 10 X 8 X 6 FT, MADE OF BAMBOO WITH THATCHED ROOF, A HORSESHOE SHAPED BUNKER BEHIND HOOTCH, THE PASSAGE WAS 8 FT DEEP, ROOM ENOUGH FOR 3 PEOPLE, HOOTCH & BUNKER HAD BEEN USED 1 MONTH AGO.
A. A 20 man ridgeline arty TM is deployed. 1 Plato (3 squad) Size Reaction Force is on standby in direct support of HQ BN.

B. 082014H - VIC ZCL021400, TM PENNYWISE EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMERGENCY UNDER HEAVY FIRE AFTER BECOMING SURROUNDED BY UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY. 1ST ROUNDS 175 MM ARTILLERY ON TARGET 082018H. MULTIPLE TPQ-10 STRIKES REQUESTED FOR AREA.

C. TM COSSACK EXTRACTED AS UNSCHEDULED EXTRACT DUE TO FF'S MOVING INTO COSSACK'S NO FIRE ZONE AND SURROUNDING TM.

D. 080950H - VIC ZCL07737, TM DURHAM RECEIVED FIRE ON INSERT. TM EXTRACTED DUE TO THE FIRE. AO CAME ON STATION, CONTACTED TM S:AMLAND, WHO WAS IN CLOSE PROXIMITY, AND DIRECTED ARTILLERY FIRE ON AREA WHERE FIRE CAME FROM. TM REINSERTED 081435H, VIC ZCL07701.

OP-4
BT
DECLASSIFIED

IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAR
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SPQA
MAG ONE SIX
VMO-2

INFO: CG AUSTRALIAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ARM DIV (AM)
MAG ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROYAL BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO

SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FOR COG/TAC/6-2/6-2

TO FIRST RECON BN SIT REP 129-70 090001H 10924000H MAY 70 (U)

1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON THE THERE ARE 28 THIS OPER AT 17 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAO. 2 THIS DEP HDN. 5 THIS INTERIOR
GD FIRST RECON BN. 7 THIS PEP FOR FID DEP. 6 THIS TANG STATUS.

2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2)

A. INSERTS COMPLETE

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**Reason Insert/Extract**

N/A

**Inserts Planned for 10 May 70**

1. DUBLIN CITY (7 men) HAVEN UL(ZC0569) LR(ZC0866)
2. PANAMA HAT (6 men) HAVEN UL(ZC1466) LR(ZC1785)
3. WAGE HAMMER (6 men) HAVEN UL(ZC1731) LR(ZC2026)
4. SUNRISE (22 men) (4 TKS) HAVEN UL(AT9347) LR(BF0145)
5. Inserts completed for 10 May 70

**Extracts Planned for 10 May 70**

1. PUPPET SHOW (7 men) HAVEN UL(ZC1880) LR(2086)
2. SWAPLAND (7 men) HAVEN UL(ZC0876) LR(ZC1172) COMBINED TK
3. CAYENNE (7 men) HAVEN UL(AT8081) LR(20370)
4. SUNRISE (22 men) (4 TKS) HAVEN UL(AT9947) LR(BF0145)
5. LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 092400H MAY 70
6. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (2 men) VIC AT9382
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
C. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC1453
D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 THS) VIC AT8382
E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (4 THS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 THS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (21 MEN) (4 THS) VIC AT9850
H. DELICATESSEN (6 MEN) VIC AT9739
I. SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) VIC ZC1947
J. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC1772 COMBINED TH
K. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2070
L. COFFEE TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT7975
M. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC1666
N. SWANPLAND (7 MEN) VIC ZC0874 COMBINED TH
O. CATBIRD (7 MEN) VIC AT6380
P. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) VIC ZC0573 COMBINED TH
Q. DURHAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC0970 COMBINED TH
R. PUPPET SHOW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1886
S. SUBLIER BREEZE (7 MEN) VIC AT9134
T. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) VIC AT8285

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON THS
   A. INCREASE: NONE
   B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
   A. STONE PIT
      (1) (1) OS1920S -- OBR 11 MVA, HVY BRUSH CAN, MOVING N. 2
           NEW CARRYING BOX, VIC ZC196547. CALLED FIRE MSN, EXC COVERAGE
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(1) 091145H - FOUND 1 TUNNEL, VIC AT971392. 2 FT DIAM X 25 FT LONG. CK W/ NEGAT RESULTS.

C. PONY BOY

(LE) (1) 081900H - OBSR 4 VC, BLACK PT'S, OBSR CUR PCS, VIC ZC165661. CALLED FIRE ISN, GOOD COVERAGE TGT. NEGAT OBSR DUE TO DARKNESS.

(2) 091300H - FOUND 1 BASE CAMP, 2 HOOTCHES, 8 FT X 10 FT X 8 FT, VIC ZC1566615. CALLED FIRE ISN, LWC COVERAGE TGT, RESULTS 1 HOOTCH DEST. HOOTCHES WERE MADE OF GRASS & BAMBOO.

D. TRAILER PARK

(1) 090830H - FOUND 1 HARBOR SITE, & HOOTCH, VIC ZC064735.

HOOTCH. 20 FT X 35 FT X 16 FT, 2 STORIES HIGH, BAMBOO WALLS, THATCH ROOF. HARBOR SITE HAD LOOKOUT TOWER, BAMBOO CHAIRS, & RACKS & TENT POLES FOR LEAN-TO. HARBOR SITES WILL HOLD ABOUT 50 PEOPLE. 3-4 IN OLD.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 LAN RIDGELINE SCTY TH IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HORN.

B. (LE) 081830H - VIC ZC026399, TH PENNY WISE BECAME SURROUNDED BY LARGE NO OF EN, CALLED ON-CALL TGT & MOVED BACK TO HIZ. TH Began receiving fire on HIZ 081650H. AO COVERING TH RECHD .50 CAL FIRE FA GEN VIC ZC026399. TH ENGAGED EN W/ S/A, GRENADES & N-79, RESULTING IN 17 VC/IWA KIA (UNIT UNK). TH EXTRACTED 082014H VIC ZC026400 UNDER HVY FIRE. 1ST RDS 175 MM ARTY ON
TGT 082016H, TOTAL OF 49 RD3 UTILIZED.

GP-4

BT
FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO XXIV CORPS
CO III MAR
CO FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFGA
MAC ONE SIX
VAD-TWO
INFO: CO AMERICAL DIV
CO ONE ZERO ONE AHM DIV (AK)
MAC ONE RIGHT
CO SECOND BOCNS RDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
MA QUANG 2K SPECIAL ZONE
CT

101500Z MAY 70

FOR COG/TOG/0-8-8-2
FIRST RECON IN SIT RPT /130-70 180001H TO END COH MAY 70 (v)
1. (c) OF L-6 OPN RECON THIS THERE ARE 28 THE OPN AT 17 LGC WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAC. 2. THE MIX SPT BUSH. 3. THE INTRER
CO FIRST RECON BN. 5. THIS福特 FOR PID BN. 6. THIS IS HH Status.
2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRICATIONS (2 CH-46-8,2 AH-66-8, 1 CH-53)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. PANAMA HUT (6 MEN) AT 100810H VIC ZC160854
2. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) AT 100810H VIC ZC092674
3. SUNRISE (22 MEN) AT 100910H VIC AT999464
4. WAVE BARINE (7 MEN) AT 101135H VIC ZC175322

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. PUPPET SHOW (7 MEN) AT 100815H VIC ZC195866
2. SWAMPLAND (7 MEN) AT 100915H VIC ZO088718
3. SUNRISE (22 MEN) AT 100910H VIC AT999464
4. CAYDENE (7 MEN) AT 100915H VIC AT630603

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 11 MAY 70

1. TEA TIME (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT6076) LR(AT3973)
2. PARKER PNC (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1465) LR(ZC1565)
3. POLICY GAME (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1660) LR(ZC1987)
4. PRIME OUT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1745) LR(ZO0032)
5. CHILI PEPPER (7 MEN) HAVEN UL( AT6133) LR( AT6430)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 11 MAY 70

1. COFFEE TIME (5 MEN) HAVEN UL( AT7976) LR( AT2973)
2. PONY BOY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1569) LR(ZO1866)
3. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) HAVEN UL( AT6151) LR( AT4682)
1. **SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN)** HAVEN UL (201916) LR (AT9016)
2. (C) **LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 102400H MAY 70**
3. **A. VESPER BELLS "K" (BR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382**
4. **B. VESPER BELLS "A" (BR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8186**
5. **C. VESPER BELLS "F" (BR) (2 MEN) VIC 201453**
6. **D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8382**
7. **E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7959**
8. **F. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7946**
9. **G. WEST ORANGE (29 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850**
10. **H. DELICATESSEN (8 MEN) VIC AT9739**
11. **I. SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) VIC 202047**
12. **J. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) VIC 201873**
13. **K. VIC NEWTON (9 MEN) VIC 202070**
14. **L. COFFEE TIME (5 MEN) VIC AT8074**
15. **M. FONI BOY (7 MEN) VIC 201667**
16. **N. WADD GARNER (7 MEN) VIC 201730**
17. **O. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) VIC 200573**
18. **P. DURHAM (7 MEN) VIC 200972**
19. **Q. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) VIC 200666**
20. **R. SUMMER BREEZE (7 MEN) VIC AT9032**
21. **S. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) VIC AT9585**
22. **T. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIC 201585**

A. **(C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS**

A. **INCREASE: NONE**
B. **DECREASE: NONE**
5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. EMPIRE STATE

(LE)(1) 091945N - 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, VIC AT633854, WERE
REGISTRATION ON CALLS, OBSERVED 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, FIRED
ADDITIONAL ROUNDS ON TARGET. EXPLOSIONS APPROXIMATELY 25%
MORE POWER THAN W.P ROUND, EXPLOSIONS 1 - 3 SECONDS AFTER ROUND
HIT.

B. SUNRISE

(LE)(1) 091850N - 14 VC/NVA, DARK UTILITIES. 3 PACKS, 11 RIFLES,
MOVING W TO E ON TRAIL NEAR TO RIDGBLNE, VIC BTO16500, CALLED
FIRE MISSION, 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK), EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF
TARGET.

(LE)(2) 091945N - 6 VC/NVA, MOVING W TO E ON TRAIL, VIC
BTO9526500, CALLED FIRE MISSION, UNABLE TO OBSERVE DUE TO
DARKNESS.

C. SUMMER BREEZE

(1) 101107N - 2 BUNKERS, VIC AT711347, BUNKER IS ROUND & MEASURES
12 X 8 FT, 12 FT ACROSS, 8 FT DEEP, ONLY TOP COVERING IS 1 LOG,
BUNKER NOT USED IN 2 - 3 MONTHS. MOVED 30 METERS E, FOUND
SECOND BUNKER IN THICK UNDERBUSH, 15 FT LONG, 12 FT ACROSS,
6 FT DEEP, NEGATIVE COVERING EXCEPT FOR SECONDARY GROWTH
ON TOP. HAS NOT BEEN USED IN 2 - 3 MONTHS.

D. DUBLIN CITY

(1) 101008N - 1 BUNKER, VIC 20078670, NOT REINFORCED,
APPROXIMATELY 4 MONTHS OLD, WILL HOLD 12 PERSONS, WELL CON-
CEALED UNDER BAMBOO THICKET, 3 X 7 X 10 FT.
(2) 100903H - 1 BUNKER, L-SHAPED, VIC 20076673, BUNKER
REINFORCED BY 4 INCH DIAMETER LOGS ON TOP ONLY, NO EARTH
ON TOP, 1 - 2 MONTHS OLD, CAPACITY 6 PEOPLE, WELL CAM-
OUFLAGED UNDER BAMBOO THICKET, 2 X 12 X 6 FT.

E. TRAILER PARK

(1) 091030H - 2 HOOTS, 3 CLEARED AREAS, 3 HARBOUR SITES,
CAPACITY FOR 50 PEOPLE, VIC 2003746 TO 2008735, 1ST HOOTCH
10 X 12 X 8 FT, RECENTLY USED, HAS FRESH WORK DONE ON IT,
ALSO HAD RICE PANS HANGING ON IT. 2ND HOOTCH OLD & BROKEN
DOWN, 8 X 6 X 6 FT, HOOTCH HAD MATTING AROUND IT & WAS
RECENTLY USED, HARBOUR SITES WERE NOT RECENTLY USED, 15 X 15
FT, CLEARED AREAS CONSISTED OF CHOPPED TREES & BURIED UNDER-
GROWTH.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIFLE LINE SGT TM IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQUAD) SIZE
REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HOB, A 6 MAN NIGHT
AMBUSH IS ALSO DEPLOYED.

B. 101435H - EMERGENCY MEDIVAC COMPLETE FOR 1 USMC WOUNDED
TM COFFEE TIME, VIC A1802749, MARINE SUFFERED DEEP CUT IN BACK
FROM FALL.
DECLASSIFIED

IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAF
CG FIRST MAF
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFQA
MAG ONE SIX
WMO-TWO

INFO: CO Americal Div
CG ONE ZERO ONE ADN Div (AM)
MAG ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND RECON BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

RT

111518Z MAY 70

FOR CG/TOC/0-6/6-2

FIRST RECON EN SIT RPT #131-70 110001H TO 112400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF L8 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 26 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 2 TMS DIR SFT REDN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
CD FIRST RECON EN. 4 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 11 TMS TRNG STATUS.

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2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRATIONS (2 CH-46's; 2 UH-1E's; 1 CH-53)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. TEA TIME (8 MEN) AT 110808H VIC AT802749
2. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) AT 110813H VIC ZG159677
3. POLICY GAME (7 MEN) AT 110954H VIC ZG1864867
4. PRIME CUT (6 MEN) AT 111025H VIC ZG196451
5. CHILI PEPPER (7 MEN) AT 111127H VIC AT633305

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. COFFEE TIME (5 MEN) AT 110808H VIC AT802749
2. EMPIRE STATE (6 MEN) AT 110823H VIC AT82856
3. PONY BOY (7 MEN) AT 110843H VIC ZG159677
4. SHIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) AT 111050H VIC ZG208475
5. SUMMER BREEZE (7 MEN) AT 111355H VIC AT93359
6. WAGE EARNER (6 MEN) AT 111510H VIC ZG180897
7. CHILI PEPPER (7 MEN) AT 111620H VIC AT821319

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 12 MAY 70

1. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZO0733)1R(ZO1030)
2. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC00642)LR(ZC1039)
3. DEFEND (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC11441)LR(ZC1839)
4. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC13338)LR(ZC1635)
5. EXTRACTIONS PLANNED FOR 12 MAY 70

1. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC00576)LR(ZC00873) COMBINED TEAM
2. DURHAM (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC08731)LR(ZC1170) COMBINED TEAM
3. (C) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 112400H MAY 70
   A. VESPER BELL'S "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT6882
   B. VESPER BELL'S "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT6888
   C. VESPER BELL'S "D" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC1453
   D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8382
   E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
   F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
   G. WEST CHANGE (25 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850
   H. DELICATESSEN (8 MEN) VIC AT9839
   I. TEA TIME (8 MEN) VIC AT8075
   J. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC1673
   K. PIC NICKON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2070
   L. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) VIC ZC1567
   M. POLICY GAME (7 MEN) VIC ZC1887
   N. PRIME CUT (8 MEN) VIC ZC1943
   O. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) VIC ZC0774
   P. DURHAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC0872
   Q. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) VIC ZC0567
   R. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1685
4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TDR
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. DURHAM
   (IE)(1) 101100H 1 TRL., VIC. Z0098702. TRL. 1'-2' WIDE AND
   RUNS NW TO SE. TRL. RECENTLY USED. 1 SET OF FOOTPRINTS RUN-
   NING NW APPOX. 1 DAY OLD.
   (IE)(2) 101150H 1 HARBOUR SITE AND LEAN-TO HOOTCH, VIC.
   Z0097717. BOTH HARBOUR SITE AND HOOTCH 3-4 MONTHS OLD. 1
   SMALL FIRE PLACE. LEAN-TO BROKEN DOWN.
   (IE)(3) 101300H 12 GRAVES AND 12 BODIES VIC. Z0091719.
   1 EMPTY BOTTLE, 1 BOWL, AND 1 SPOON. GRAVES 7'-3'x3'. BODIES
   6' UNDER GROUND. COFFINS MADE OF HOLLOWED OUT TREES. CLOTHES
   ROTTED OFF. AT LEAST 1 YR. OLD. GRAVES 15-20 METERS APART.
   COULD NOT DETERMINE CAUSE OF DEATH OR IF THEY WERE VQ/VNA.
B. DUBLIN CITY
   (IE)(1) 101500H 1 TRL. VIC. Z0068872. TRL. 1'-2' WIDE AND
   RECENTLY USED. 3 HARBOUR SITES, 15'-15' ALONG TRL.
   C. SUNRISE
      101300H
   (IE)(1) 10 NVA, DARK UTILS., 1 PKS., 5 RIFLES, 1 POSSIBLE
   MORTAR TUBE. STANDING AROUND HOOTCH, VIC. BT02642. CALLED
   FM., EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG. OBS. DUE TO DARKNESS.
   TM. DID NOTE 1 POSSIBLE SECONDARY EXPLOSION. OBS. BY NIGERIA.
   (2) 100630H 2 NVA, DARK UTILS., MVG. N TO S ALONG TREE LINE
   VIC. BT02642. CALLED AO (HOSTAGE 6). FIRED 1 BURT OF MINI-
   GUN FIRE AND WAS DIVERTED. NEG. OBS. OF NIG.
(3) 110910H 2 NVA, ORN. UTILS., RUNNING NE TO SW VIC.
AT 072448, CALLED AO, AO DIRECTED FIXED WING, GOOD COVERAGE
OF TOT., NEG. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO FOILAGE AND SMOKE.

D. PANAMA HAT
(1) 101900H SUSPECTED ENEMY POS. SMELLED SOMETHING COOKING
AND HEARD DOGS BARKING, VIC. ZC166857. CALLED FM, GOOD COV.
ERAGE OF TOT., DOGS STOPPED BARKING AND COULD NOT SMELL SMOKE.

E. WEST ORANGE
(1E)(1) 101845H 10 NVA, ORN. UTILS., RIFLES, PKS., IN CAMP
AND BUNKER COMPLEX VIC. ZC020531. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT
COVERAGE OF TOT., RES. IN 1 CONF. NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.) AND 1
SECONDARY EXPLOSION. OBS. BY HANSWORTH.

F. FIG NEWTON
(1) 110220H MOVEMENT 20 METERS OUTSIDE PERIMETER, MVG. TOWARD
VIC. ZC207702. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT ADJUSTMENT BY
SERVICEMAN "IF" FROM ON CALL ROUNDS. CHECKED OUT AREA AT FIRST
LIGHT WITH NEG. RES.

G. WAGE EARNER
(2) 111200H 2 NVA, CAMOUFLAGED UTILS., PANTS, SHIRTS,
AND HATS, PKS., MVG. 6 TO N ALONG RIVER VIC. ZC177295. TM.
SPRUNG AFTUSH RES. IN 2 NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.) 2 PKS. CAPTURED.

H. TBA TIME
(1) 110900H 1 TRL. RUNNING E TO W VIC. AT 062751. TRL.
RUNS ALONG OLD ROAD AND ABOUT 3' WIDE. TRL. NOT USED RECENT-
LY. TRL. 6 MONTHS OR MORE OLD.

FMFPAC-GEN 2100/1 (3/69)
0181-V004-6601
DECLASSIFIED
UNCLASSIFIED
(2) 111030H 1 FIGHTING HOLE, VIC. AT804752. FIGHTING HOLE
4' WIDE AND 3' DEEP AND NOT RECENTLY USED. FIGHTING HOLE
CIRCULAR SHAPE AND APPROX. 1 MONTH OLD.

I. PRIME CUT
(1) 111445H 2 VQ/NVA, GRN. SHORTS AND TOPS, NEG. WPNS.,
WALKING DOWN THR. VIC. ZC1944L2. TM. INITIATED CONTACT WITH
NEG. RES. ENEMY FIELD AREA.

J. CHILI PEPPER
(1) 111520H UNK. NUMBER OF VQ/NVA, PITH HELMETS, GRN. UTILS.,
WITH RIFLES NEG PACKS
ATTEMPTING TO MOVE UP TO TM'S. REAR, VIC.
AT831310. TM. INITIATED CONTACT, CALLED AO AND GUN BIRDS. TM.
CONFIRMED 4 VQ/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.) WITH SMALL ARMS. AO HOSTAGE
SMOKE CREDITED WITH 10 KBA'S (UNIT UNK.)

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MAN RIDOLELINE SOTY TM AND A 6 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH ARE
DEPLOYED AND A 1 PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON
STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.

B. 111333H TM SUMMER BREEZE EXTRACTED VIC. AT901359 ONE
DAY BEFORE PLANNED EXTRACTION DUE TO CANCELLATION OF THEIR
TERMINAL GUIDANCE MISSION FOR 7TH MARINES.

C. 111510H TM WAGE EARNER EXTRACTED VIC... ZC180377
AFTER AMBUSHING AND KILLING 2 NVA (UNIT UNK.) TM INCURRED
1 NEG EMERGENCY MED-EVAC FOR HEAT STROKE AND FOLLOWING
MED-EVAC BECAME SURROUNDED BY UNK SIZE ENEMY FORCE. TM
EXTRACTED BY LADDER WITH NEG FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. HOSTAGE
SMOKE WORKED ARTILLERY AND FIXED WING ON TIM DURING AND
IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE EXTRACT. 1ST RND 111514H.
20H 7th CHILI PEPPER EXTRACTED V/C AT 21.819 AFTER
MAKING CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE ENEMY FORCE AND FINDING
SUSPECTED BASE CAMP. TM CONTACT RES IN & CONFIRMED ENEMY
KIA'S (UNIT UNK.) AND 10 KBA'S (UNIT UNK.) BY HOSTAGE
SMOKE. TM EXTRACTED WITH NO FRIENDLY CASUALTIES.
TORRENTIAL RAINS PRECLUDED USE OF FIXED WING OR 1756M
IMMEDIATELY AFTER EXTRACT. HOWEVER TOT WILL BE FIRED
THROUGHOUT NIGHT.

OP-4

BT
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO XXIV CORPS
CO III MEF
CO FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO G FIFTH SIGA
MAG ONE SIX
WHO-NO

INFO: CO AMERICAL DIV
CO ONE ZERO ONE AHM DIV (AG)
MAG ONE EIGHT
CO SECOND ROKING EDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

121605

FOR OIC/TOC/0-2/0-2:
FIRST RECON EN SIT RPT #132-70 120000h TO 121600H MAY 70 (O)
1. (O) OF4-6 OFER RECON THIS THERE ARE 25 EMS OPER AT 14 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAC. 2 THE DIR SERT HQMN. 5 THE INTERIOR
CO FIRST RECON IN. 4. THE PREP FOR FLD DU. 12 THE TING STATUS.

2. (O) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS(2 CH-46'S) 2 AH-10'S

UNCLASSIFIED
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) AT 120930H VIC Z0087319
2. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) AT 120955H VIC Z0097419
3. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) AT 121028H VIC Z0134357
4. DEP END (7 MEN) AT 121100H VIC Z0145413

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. TRAILER PARK (9 MEN) AT 121150H VIC Z0076744
2. DURHAM (7 MEN) AT 121530H VIC Z0059720
3. DELICATESSEN (8 MEN) AT 121530H VIC AT92390
4. DEPEND (6 MEN) AT 121855H VIC AT92513
5. PRIME CUT (8 MEN) AT 121815H VIC AT95536

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 13 MAY 70

1. FAST DAY (11 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01971) LR(AT8069)
2. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8293) LR(AT8590)
3. THIN MAN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8593) LR(AT8890)
4. SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8914) LR(AT9241)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 13 MAY 70

1. FIG NEXTON (9 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01971) LR(AT5069)
2. DELIVERY BOX (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01674) LR(Z01971)
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 122400H MAY 70

A. VESPER HILLS "X" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT8382
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (KR)(3 MEN) VIC AT8138
C. VESPER BELLS "B" (KR)(2 MEN) VIC ZC11653
D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8382
E. SHOPE PIT (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850
H. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) VIC ZC0831
I. DELIVERY BOX (7 MEN) VIC ZC1771
J. FIG MINTON (9 MEN) VIC ZC2070
K. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) VIC ZC1267
L. POLICY GAME (6 MEN) VIC ZC1788
M. TRA TIME (6 MEN) VIC AT8175
N. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) VIC ZC0943
O. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) VIC ZC0766
P. VIAL DISK (7 MEN) VIC ZC1336
Q. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1685

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RATION TMS
   A. INCREASE: NONE
   B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
   A. DURHAM

   (LE)(1) 111215H - 1 CAVE, VIC ZC08721, CAVE ABOUT 1 YEAR OLD,
   OPENING IS 3 X 4 FT, INSIDE 6 X 6 X 4 FT, NO GEAR IN CAVE,
   LOOKS AS THOUGH IT WERE USED AS BUNKER WHEN AIR STRIKES
   WERE RUN IN AREA.

   (LE)(2) 111023H - 1 UNDERGROUND BUNKER, VIC ZC091720,
APPEARED TO BE 3 - 6 MONTHS OLD, 4 X 4 X 6 FT, LOGS & DIRT COVERING IT, DUNKER SET ON SIDE OF TRAIL, HASN'T BEEN USED RECENTLY.

(LE)(3) 11123OH = 1 FIGHTING HOLE, VIC 20089721, FIGHTING HOLE HASN'T BEEN USED IN LAST 6 MONTHS, FIGHTING HOLE NO OLDER THAN 1 YEAR OLD, 3 X 4 X 6 FT.

B. SUNRISE

(LE)(1) 11173OH = 4 VC/NVA, DARK UTILITIES, IN TREELINE, VIC DTO281866, CALLED FIRE MISSION, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION DUE TO DARKNESS.

(LE)(2) 11193OH = OBSERVED 52 VC/NVA MOVING W TO E ALONG CANAL, VIC AT96470, CALLED FIRE MISSION AT 193OH, 1ST ROUNDS 203OH, DELAY DUE TO CLEARANCE, BAD COMM WITH SLATE CREEK "C" & SLATE CREEK "B" HAD GUN PROBLEM. TM FIRED APPROXIMATELY 400 ROUNDS .50 CAL & 12 60MM HIGH EXPLOSIVE AT ENEMY POSITION. TARGET COVERAGE OF ARTILLERY VERY POOR. CALLED AO HOSTAGE "ABLE" WHO FIRED ON BOARD ORDINANCE WITH OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TARGET & REPORTED TAKING GROUND FIRE FROM VIC AT985475 TO 994478. NIGERIA RESUMED FIRE MISSION WITH SLATE CREEK "C" AT 2125.

STINGER 1-3 CAME ON STATION AT 2206 AND FIRED ON BOARD ORDINANCE WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET AREA, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION OF AREA DUE TO DARKNESS & OVERCAST. TOTAL ROUNDS EXPENDED: SLATE CREEK "C" 27 HE, 09 FIRECRACKERS, SLATE CREEK "B" 08 HE.

C. PANAMA HAT

(1) 120812H = 3 FIREPLACES, VIC 20168856, USED IN LAST 24 HOURS.
2 WERE 10 X 10 FT, OTHER WAS 4 X 2 FT.

D. WEST ORANGE

(LE)(1) 111730H - 11 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RIFLES, VIC ZG0305H, CALLED FIRE MISSION, GOOD COVERAGE OF TARGET RESULTING IN 4 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK).

E. PARKER PEN

(1) 120945H - 1 DRIED OUT STREAM BED, USED AS HIGH SPEED TRAIL, VIC ZG157673, 5 FT WIDE, NOT VISABLE FROM THE AIR, RECENTLY USED, RUNS NE TO SW.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDDING LINE SOTY TM IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.

B. 120900H - RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA TO CHECK BRIDGES VIC AT977706, BT032619, AT99061L. 121130H RETURNED TO BN AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS FROM BRIDGE CHECKS.

C. 121515H - TM DELICATESSEN EXTRACTED VIC AT993393. AFTER MAKING CONTACT WITH APPROXIMATELY 22 VC/NVA, RESULTING IN 3 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK). AN HOSTAGE BILL DIRECTED ARTILLERY PRIOR TO AND AFTER EXTRACT WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET. ALSO 1 FLIGHT OF FIXED WING RUN AFTER EXTRACT. AFTER FIXED WING WERE RUN, 151 MORE ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY FIRED ON TARGET AND GRID REGISTERED AS HIGH PRIORITY INTELLIGENCE TO BE FIRED ALL NIGHT. 1ST ROUND AFTER EXTRACT - 1516H.

D. 121815 - TM PRIME OUT EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMERGENCY DUE TO PENDING EXTRACTION OF TM DEFEND. TM DEFEND WAS PRIME OUT'S ONLY POSSIBLE SOURCE OF RADIO COMMUNICATIONS.
E. 121535H - ROUTINE MEDEVAC OF 2 USMC'S OF TM DEFEND COMPLETE FOR CUT ARM AND POSSIBLE MALARIA.

F. 121855 - TM DEFEND EXTRACTED AFTER MAKING CONTACT WITH 1 VC/NVA AND SUFFERING 1 USMC WIA (SHOT IN LEG) 1ST ROUND 1859.

G. 121725H - 1 USMC PRIORITY MEDEVAC COMPLETE FOR TM POLICY GAME, VIC 20177874, MAN WAS BITTEN BY SNAKE.

GP-u
DT
FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XII Corps
CG XII MAR
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO 3RD SFCA
MAD ONE SITE
WHO-TWO
INFO: CG AMERICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE JEN DIV (AH)
MAD ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROKMC FOR
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE
ET

FIRST RECON IN SIT RPT #133-70 13000N TO 132400E MAY 76 (U)
10 (C) OF 48 OPER RECON THIS THERE AND 23 THIS OPER AT 12 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 2 THIS DIR SPT MARK. 5 THIS INTERIOR
ON FIRST RECON DI. 7 THIS FAST FOR FLD DI. ALL THIS TONI STATUS.
2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 CH-46E8, 2 AH-10G3)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEn) AT 131417H VIC AT838919

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. TURF CLUB (7 MEn) AT 131005H VIC Z0096119

2. DELIVERY BOY (6 MEn) AT 131540H VIC ZC169712

3. POLICY QUACK (6 MEn) AT 131615H VIC ZC165879

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

1. FAST DAY (11 MEn) HAVEN UZ(ZC1971)IR(AT8069)

2. THIN MAN (7 MEn) HAVEN UZ(AT8593)IR(AT8890)

3. SWAMPLAND (7 MEn) HAVEN UZ(AT8914)IR(AT9241)

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

1. FIG NEWTON (9 MEn) HAVEN UZ(ZC1971)IR(AT8069)

2. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

INSERTION OF FAST DAY, THIN MAN, AND SWAMPLAND AND EXTRACTION OF FIG NEWTON NOT COMPLETED DUE TO HAVING TO USE AIRCRAFT FOR EMERGENCY EXTRACTS AND PEACHMASH. 2-1 DAMAGING ROTOR BLADE.

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 14 MAY 70

1. PANAMA HAT (6 MEn) HAVEN UZ(ZC0683)IR(ZC0980)

2. CLAY PIPE (7 MEn) HAVEN UZ(ZC1573)IR(ZC1870)

3. WAGG EARNER (6 MEn) HAVEN UZ(AT8067)IR(AT8386)

4. CHILLY PEPPER (7 MEn) HAVEN UZ(ZC1681)IR(ZC1978)

5. FAST DAY (11 MEn) HAVEN UZ(ZC1971)IR(AT8069)

6. THIN MAN (7 MEn) HAVEN UZ(AT8593)IR(AT8890)

7. SWAMPLAND (7 MEn) HAVEN UZ(AT8914)IR(AT7241)
0. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 01 APR 70

1. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC0569) LR (ZC0866)

2. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC1971) LR (AT0069)

3. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL (ZC1488) LR (ZC1785)

3c. (c) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 132400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "X" (HR) (2 MEN) VIO AT8382

B. VESPER BELLS "A" (HR) (3 MEN) VIO AT8388

C. VESPER BELLS "S" (HR) (2 MEN) VIO ZC1453

D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 HMS) VIO AT8382

E. STONE FIT (22 MEN) (4 HMS) VIO AT7952

F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 HMS) VIO AT9946

G. WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) (4 HMS) VIO AT9850

H. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) VIO ZC0831

X. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) VIO ZC2070

J. PARKER PEN (17 MEN) VIO ZC1568

K. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) VIO AT8392

L. TEA TIME (7 MEN) VIO AT8074

M. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) VIO ZC0767

N. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIO ZC1436

O. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIO ZC1625

4c. (c) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TSR

A. INCREASES NONE

B. DECREASES NONE

5c. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. PANAMA HAT
(1E)(1) 121955+ SUSPECTED ENEMY POSITION. HEARD 3 RDS.
FROM S/A, VIC. ZC063960. CALLED FM. EXCELLENT COVERAGE
OF TOT., OBS. 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

B. TURN CLUE
121830H
(1E)(1) 1 TRL. 1° TO 2° WIDE, RUNS N TO S VIC. ZC069724E
TO ZC063960. TRL. WELL USED AND SHOWS SIGNS OF RECENT USE.
ORN. LEAVES AND FLOWERS LAID IN JUNCTION OF TRL. AND WERE
STILL FRESH. TRL. WAS COVERED WITH LEAVES AND CANNOT BE
SEEN FROM AIR.

C. SUNRISE
(1E)(1) 121955H 5 VC/NVA, MVO. W TO E ALONG CANAL VIC.
A1986470. NEG. FM CALLED DUE TO RAPID MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.
ENEMY TURNED AROUND AND WENT BACK THE WAY THEY CAME.

(1E)(2) 122000H 6 VC/NVA, MVO. W TO E ON TRL. VIC.
B009406. NEG. FM CALLED DUE TO CLOSE PROXIMITY OF
VILLAGE.

(3) 1306XHN 10 VC/NVA, DARK UTILS., PKS., MVO. N TO S
ON TRL. VIC. AT961443. CALLED FM, POOR COVERAGE OF TOT.,
ENEMY MOVED OUT OF AREA BEFORE RDS. IMPACTED.

D. WEST FRAGE

(1) 130900H 15 POSSIBLE VC/NVA, WHITE AND BLK. PJ'S,
DETECTED GATHERING IN VILLAGE VIC. AT967528.

HAD SOMETHING UNDER THEIR ARMS BUT COULD NOT OBS.
WHAT WILL CONTINUE TO OBS.

E. VEAL SHRI
(1) 130930H 1 TRL., 2° TO 3° WIDE, RUNS SW TO NE VIC.
ZC036365. TRL NOT USED IN APPROX 2 TO 3 MONTHS. POSSIBLE
RODDY TRAP MARKERS. VIC. ZC037366.
P. PARKER PH.

(1) 130500H VIC AT 200955. SL 34 TO 140 WIDTH, RUNNING NE TO SW. VIC AT 200950. FCL NOT USED IN LAST 2 TO 3 MONTHS.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL CONTENTS

A. A 20 MAN RECON SECTION STAY ISDEPLOYED AND J. PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN ORDER STP OF HQ.

B. 130527H VIC AT 190953. TM TROOP COMPLETED 1 ROUTINE MED-EVAC, HHC (SPIDER KIA).

C. 130527H VIC AT 190953. TM TROOP COMPLETED 1 PRIORITY MED-EVAC, HHC (CUT ON HEAD).

D. 130530H TM TURK COMPANY EXTRACTED FROM NCE FRIENDLY CASUALTIES AFTER MAKING CONTACT WITH 5 VC/NVA VIC 200950 RES IN 2 VC/NVA KIA'S (UNIT UNK). TM CAPTURED FKS WITH CLOTHING, MEDICAL SUPPLIES, AND NUMEROUS DOCUMENTS. TM ALSO CAPTURED 9MM PISTOL. AO RAN 3 ROUNDS OF FIXED WING OVER AREA WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOP AND FOLLOWED UP WITH 175MM GUN BARRAGE OF 53 RDS TO AREA.

E. 130645H TM FOOLY COMPANY EXTRACTED AFTER MAKING CONTACT WITH 3 VC/NVA VIC 200953.9 RES IN 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK). TM HEARD MOVEMENT IN 360 DEGREES AROUND THEIR POS AND AO ON STATION RECEIVED GROUND FIRE ON GUN RUNS. IMMEDIATELY AFTER EXTRACTION, ARTILLERY UNABLE TO FIRE DUE TO TOWENIAL RAINS BUT AS SOON AS RAIN STOPPED, 51 RDS OF 175MM FIRED ON GRID. EMERGENCY EXTRACT TO CONFIRMED 2 VC/NVA KIA'S (UNIT UNK) BY S/A UPON EXTRACTION. 1ST RDS 131615H.

OP-4

FMFPAC-GEN 2100/1 (3/69)
0101-V04-6601

DECLASSIFIED
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III INF
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR.
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFDA
MAC ONE SIX
VMO-TWO

INFO: CG AMERICAL DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE AIN DIV (AH)
MACO ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROAMING BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

PHONE 382111

FOR OCC/TOC/G-2/2-2
FIRST RECON IM SIT RPT #134-70 110000H TO 110000H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF LQ OPER RECON THIS THERE ARE 27 TMS OPER AT 16 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAR. 3 TMS DIR SPT HOBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
OF FIRST RECON BN. 4 TMS FRRF FOR FLD BN. 9 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46A, 2 AB-10A)
   A. INSERTS COMPLETED
   1. FAST DAY (10 MEN) AT 14:0802H VICT 20207705
   2. THIN MAN (7 MEN) AT 14:0805H VICT AT861985
   3. WAGE EARNER (6 MEN) AT 14:0854H VICT AT808857
   4. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) AT 14:1009H VICT 20065808
   5. CHILI PEPPER (6 MEN) AT 14:1014H VICT 20176803
   6. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) AT 14:1040H VICT 20150728
   7. SAMPLAND (7 MEN) AT 14:1120H VICT AT927432
   B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
   1. FIG NEWTON (9 MEN) AT 14:0802H VICT 20207705
   2. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) AT 14:0818H VICT 20076674
   3. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) AT 14:0900H VICT 20266854
   C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
      NONE
   D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
      NONE
   E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
      N/A
   F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 15 MAY 70
   1. IMPRESSIVE (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(202186) LR(201483)
   2. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(201342) LR(201319)
   3. DELEGATESSEN (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(201318) LR(201385)
   4. CHERRY JAM (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(202050) LR(201377)
   G. EXTRACTIONS PLANNED FOR 15 MAY 70
   1. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201470) LR(201767)
2. TEA TIME (7 MEN) HAVEN UL (AT8076) IR (AT8373)
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 142400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (2 MEN) VIO AT8382
B. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIO AT8136
C. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (2 MEN) VIO Z01453
D. DENVER CITY (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIO AT8382
E. STONE PIT (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIO AT7952
F. SUNRISE (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIO AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (23 MEN) (4 TMS) VIO AT9850
H. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) VIO 2C0832
I. FAST DAY (10 MEN) VIO ZG2070
J. WAGE EARNER (6 MEN) VIO AT8085
K. PARKER MEN (7 MEN) VIO Z01459
L. THIN MAN (7 MEN) VIO AT8692
M. TEA TIME (7 MEN) VIO AT8075
N. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIO ZG0786
O. CHILI PEPPER (6 MEN) VIO ZG1780
P. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIO Z01436
Q. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) VIO AT8291
R. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) VIO ZG1572
S. SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) VIO AT9212
L. (O) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECOON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (O) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. SUNRISE
(LE)(1) 131645H - 50 VCNVA, moving N to S, VIC AT997457, called fire mission, poor coverage of target, negative observation due to darkness.

(LE)(2) 132140H - 4 VCNVA, moving E to W on trail, VIC AT993473, fired on enemy with .50 caliber & expended 250 rounds. Also fired 6 rounds of 60 M4 high explosive, negative observation due to darkness & terrain.

(LE)(3) 132127H - 9 VCNVA, moving W to E on trail, VIC AT985475, called fire mission, good coverage of target, negative observation due to darkness, observed by Nigeria.

(LE)(4) 133020H - 33 VCNVA, moving W to E on trail, packs & rifles, VIC AT961464, called fire mission, outstanding coverage of target, 9 confirmed VCNVA KIA (unit unk), observed by Nigeria.

B. Puppet show

(LE)(1) 131500H - 3 booby traps on trail, VIC AT857920, made from "Diamond" mackerel cans filled with-old CS, 2 had been detonated, 3rd was a dud, TM disposed of dud, traps were hooked up with trip wire across trail, spaced 10 meters apart, trail was 1 - 2 ft wide, ran E to W, trail unused for several months, traps 1 year old.

(2) 140820H - 1 small campfire on trail, VIC AT829921, campfire 1 month old, trail runs E to W, frequently used by small groups, trail is 2 - 3 ft wide.

C. Fig Newton
(LE)(1) 132040H - HEARD MOVEMENT TO OUR NE MOVING TOWARD OUR POSITION, VIC ZC208703, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT STOPPED, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION DUE TO DARKNESS, ALSO FIRED M-79 HIGH EXPLOSIVE ROUNDS.

(LE)(2) 132220H - HEARD MOVEMENT 75 METERS NE OF TM'S POSITION, VIC ZC208703, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED, TM ALSO UTILIZED M-79 HIGH EXPLOSIVE ROUNDS & M-26A1'S, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION DUE TO DARKNESS.

D. WEST ORANGE

(1) 141300H - 8 VC/NVA, MOVING E TO W ON TRAIL, VIC AT964512, BLACK & WHITE PJ'S & CREW UTILITIES, PACKS & RIFLES, HANSWORTH CALLED FIRE MISSION AT 1305, END OF MISSION 1325, "M" BATTERY FIRED RESULTING IN 4 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT ONE).

E. SANDHIT

(1) 141120H - 3 RIFLE SHOTS, VIC AT9043, SHORTLY AFTER TM WAS INSERTED, HEARD SHOTS TO THE NW ABOUT 2000 METERS AWAY, 1 SHOT RIGHT AFTER THE OTHER, NEGATIVE ACTION TAKEN DUE TO UNCERTAINTY OF LOCATION OF SHOTS.

F. DENVER CITY

(LE)(1) 132350H - SUSPECTED ENEMY MOVEMENT, OBSERVED LIGHT MOVEMENT TOWARD TM'S POSITION, VIC AT833830, CALLED FIRE MISSION, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TARGET, MOVEMENT CEASED, NEGATIVE OBSERVATION DUE TO DARKNESS.

G. (G) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SHTY TM IS DEPLOYED AND 1 FLAT (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DUR SPT OF HQRN. A 6 MAN
NIGHT AMBUSH IS ALSO DEPLOYED.

B. 140900H- RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED IN AREA TO CONDUCT BRIDGE CHECKS VIC BT087880, AT921557, & AT945706, 141155H DIVERS RETURNED TO BN AREA WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

C. THE RECON BN WAS MOST ABLY SUPPORTED THIS DAY BY SWIFT 2-1 & 2-2 AND SCARCE 4 & 20. COMPLETING 10 TACTICAL EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE DIVISION TAOR AS WELL AS 6 ADMINISTRATIVE RUNS. WITHIN 5 HOURS, THEY DISPLAYED OUTSTANDING FLYING ABILITY AND TEAMWORK. THE RECON BN OFFERS A 'SINCERE WELL DONE' TO THE PILOTS AND CREW OF THESE AIRCRAFT.
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO XXIV CORPS
     CO III MAR
     CO 1ST MAR
     5TH MAR
     7TH MAR
     11TH MAR
     CO GB FIFTH AFGA
     MAG ONE SIX
     VMO-250

INFO: CO AMERICAN DIV
     CO ONE ZERO ONE AIN DIV (AN)
     MAGO ONE EIGHT
     CO SECOND ROE BC
     FIRST FOR RECON CO
     LAGUARDI SPECIAL ZONE

151426Z MAY 70

FOR COG/TOC/15-2/3-2

FIRST RECON EN HRT RPT #135-70 150000H TO 152400H MAY 70 (U)

1. (G) OF 48 OPER RECON THIS THERE ARE 28 THIS OPER AT 17 LOC
   WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOC. 2 THIS DIR SPT BQUIT. 5 THIS INTENT
   46 THIS RECON EN. 8 THIS FOR FOR FLD DU. 5 THIS TRNG STATUS.
2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46's, 2 AH-10's)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. CHERRY JAM (8 MEN) AT 150835H VIC AT835780 COMBINED TEAM
2. IMPRESSIVE (8 MEN) AT 150835H VIC 20122850 COMBINED TEAM
3. DELICATESSEN (8 MEN) AT 151020H VIC 20014466 COMBINED TEAM
4. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) AT 151033H VIC AT945404 COMBINED TEAM

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. TEA TIME (7 MEN) AT 150930H VIC AT803750
2. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) AT 150947H VIC 20116664
3. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) AT 151615H VIC 20157726

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 16 MAY 70

1. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT7465)LR(AT77162)
2. ELF SKIN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z00975)LR(Z01271) COMBINED TEAM
3. PONY BOY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z00673)LR(Z00973)
4. FIG NEWTON (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01170)LR(Z01467)
5. STONE PIT (22 MEN) (4 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT790532)LR(AT804520)

G. EXTRACTIONS PLANNED FOR 16 MAY 70

1. STONE PIT (22 MEN) (4 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT790532)LR(AT804520)
2. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0733)LR(ZC01030)
3. REAL STEW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL (201:335) LR (201:635)

3. (0) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 152400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BIRDS "X" (22) (2 MEN) VIO AT8382
B. VESPER BIRDS "A" (22) (3 MEN) VIO AT8198
C. VESPER BIRDS "S" (22) (2 MEN) VIO 201:453
D. DENVER CITY (22.MEN) (3 TMS) VIO AT8382
E. STONE PIT (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIO AT7952
F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIO AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIO AT9850
H. WAR CLOUD (7 MEN) VIO 200:831
I. FAST DAY (10 MEN): VIO 202:070
J. WAGE EARNER (6 MEN) VIO XC AT8205
K. CHERRY JAM (8 MEN) VIO AT8179 COMBINED TEAM
L. THIN MAN (7 MEN) VIO AT8690
M. IMPRESSIVE (8 MEN) VIO 201:184 COMBINED TEAM
N. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIO 200:780
O. CHILI PEPPER (6 MEN) VIO 201:779
P. REAL STEW (7 MEN) VIO 201:526
Q. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) VIO AT8390
R. DELICATESSEN (8 MEN) VIO 201:46 COMBINED TEAM
S. SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) VIO AT9042
T. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) VIO AT9541 COMBINED TEAM

4. (0) INCREASE/DECREASE IN Avail RECOH TMS

A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. SUNRISE

(1) 114509H OBS. 120 VC/NVA NVG. W TO E ON T/L. VIO.

(LE) Called FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT. RES. IN
16 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.) TM. ALSO OBS. 4 VC/NVA NVG. W
AWAY FROM TOT. TM. OPENED UP WITH 50 CAL. MG FIRE RES. IN
3 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.) FOR A TOTAL OF 19 KIA'S.

(2) 150929H 1 ANTI-AIRCRAFT POS. VIO. AT988458. LANGDALE

63 CALLED FM, NEG. FM DUE TO POOR COMM. WITH AIRCRAFT AND
LIMITED TIME LEFT ON STATION. AT 151019H, TM. SPOTTED POSSIBLE
CAVE 200 METERS W OF TOT. AREA. AREA HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED.

NIGERIA CALLED FM, (UNOBS.), HOSTAGE STUPID ON STATION TO

CONDUCT FM, NEG. SURV. DUE TO AO GOING OFF STATION FOR

PRIORITY MISSION. TOTAL RDS. EXPENDED WERE 11 8" HE.

B. CLAY PIPE

(LE) 115000H 5-5 OUT GOING ROCKETS, VIO. Z6162729.

FM WENT INTO AREA JUST AFTER ROCKETS. ALSO HEARD 5 SEMI-

AUTOMATIC RIFLE SHOTS FROM VIO. Z6157724. NEG. ACTION

TAKEN. TM. NVG. INTO AREA IN MORNING.

C. PUPPET SHOW

(1) 151130H HEARD UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC/NVA •

OUT TREES VIO. AT831210. TREES 3" IN DIAMETER. HEARD

VOICES FROM STREAMED. TM. WAITING FOR FOG TO LIFT BEFORE

TAKING FURTHER ACTION.

&MPPAC-06N 2100/1 (3/69)
0101-V04-6601
D. WARCLOUD

(1) 151300H 1 BRIDGE, 40'x8'x5' VIC. Z0053293. BRIDGE CONNECTED WITH SEASONAL ROAD. BRIDGE MADE OF LOGS AND WOOD AND IN GOOD CONDITION. NEG. TRAVEL ON BRIDGE IN LAST 4 DAYS. BRIDGE IS LOCATED ON MAP. CALLED FM, HAD TO GIVE END OF MISSION DUE TO HVY. FOG. WILL KEEP GRID AS ON CALL. WILL CALL FM AS SOON AS FOG LIFTS.

E. CHERRY JAM

(1) 151225H 2 HOLES VIC. 819793. 1ST HOLE 7'x3'x3' AND "L" SHAPED. 2ND HOLE 4'x3'x3' AND USED AS FIGHTING HOLE. HOLES APPROX. 6 MONTHS OLD AND EXCELLENTLY CONCEALED.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDELINE SOTY TM IS DEPLOYED AND A PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQ PN.

B. 151615H EMERGENCY EXTRACTION COMPLETE FOR TM CLAY PIPE. TM HAD MOVED INTO SUSPECTED ENEMY BASE CAMP IN HVY RAIN WHEN THEY SPOTTED 10 NVA AT SAME TIME AS ENEMY SPOTTED THEM. HVY FIREFIGHT ENSUED RES IN 5 ENEMY CONFIRMED KIA (UNIT UNK) AND 3 PROBABLE KIA. ENEMY WITHDRAW AND WAS REINFORCED TO BRING THEIR TOTAL TO APPROX 30. ENEMY THEN PURSUED TM FOR 500 METERS IN RUNNING FIREFIGHT. TM INFLECTED 7 MORE CONFIRMED KI. (UNIT UNK) AND 6 MORE PROBABLE KIA'S IN THIS ACTION WHILE SUFFERING 1 FRIENDLY WIA AND 2 NCO'S (FROM FALLS). TOTAL RES OF CONTACT WERE 1 FR. WLY WIA, 2 NCO'S, ENEMY KIA'S AND 9 PROBABLE KIA'S.
151646H (1 MINUTE AFTER TM WAS EXTRACTED), RECEIVED FIRST RDS OF 54 RD BARRAGE OF 175MM ARTILLERY IN AREA.
DECLASSIFIED

IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST ARABIAN DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
     CG III IAF
     CG FIRST IAR
     FIRST IAR
     FIFTH IAR
     SEVENTH IAR
     ELEVENTH IAR
     CO C FIFTH SFDA
     MAG ONE SIX
     VNO-ZW

INFO: CG ARABIAN DIV
     CG ONE ZERO ONE ARAB DIV (AH)
     HACG ONE EIGHT
     CG SECOND EIGHT BDE
     FIRST FOR RECON CO
     SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

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FOR OCC/TOC/G-2/3-2

FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #136-70 150001H TO 162400H MAY 70 (U)

1. (C) OF 48 OPEK RECON THIS THERE ARE 29 THIS OPEK AT 18 LOC
   WITHIN FIRST IAR DIV TAQR. 2 THIS DIR-SPT HQM. 5 THIS INTERIOR
   GD FIRST RECON BN. 7 THIS PREP FOR FLD DU. 5 THIS TAKO STATUS.

2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-45'S; 2 UH-1E'S)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

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1. ELF SKIN (7 REM) AT 160609H VIC ZC107753 COMBINED TM
2. PONT BOY (7 REM) AT 160628H VIC ZC064753
3. FIG NEWTON (7 REM) AT 160905H VIC ZC116512
4. DUBLIN CITY (7 REM) AT 161045H VIC AT973425
5. STONE PIT (21 REM) (4 TSH) AT 161009V VIC AT797528

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. VEAL STEW (7 REM) AT 161002H VIC ZC152364
2. CHILI PEPPER (7 REM) AT 161245H VIC ZC171792
3. WAR CLOUD (7 REM) AT 161316H VIC ZC006724
4. STONE PIT (22 REM) (4 TSH) AT 161009H VIC AT797528
5. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

C8. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 17 MAY 70
1. FAKE CUT (7 REM) HAVEN UL(ZC1670) LR(ZC1967)
2. TURF CLUB (7 REM) HAVEN UL(ZC00675)
3. DEFEED (7 REM) HAVEN UL(ZC0587) LR(ZC0684)
4. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (11 REM) (2 TSH) HAVEN UL(AT8383)
   LR(AT8482)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 17 MAY 70
1. SWAMPLAND (7 REM) HAVEN UL(AT8944) LR(AT9241)
2. PUPPET SHOW (6 REM) HAVEN UL(AT9293) UR(AT8593) LR(AT8590)
   LR(AT8490) LR(AT8490) LL(AT8288)
3. WAGE EARLIER (6 LEN) HAVEUl AT7987 LRAT8284
4. VESPER BELLS "X" (16 LEN) (3 TIS) HAVEUl AT8385 LRAT9482
5. THIN HAN (7 LEN) HAVEUl AT8593 LRAT8888
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 162400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 LEN) VIC AT8138
B. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (2 LEN) VIC ZC1453
C. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (18 LEN) (3 TIS) VIC AT8582
D. STONE PIT (21 LEN) (4 TIS) VIC AT7952
E. SUNLISE (22 LEN) (4 TIS) VIC AT9946
F. WEST ORANGE (21 LEN) (4 TIS) VIC AT9950
G. FAST DAY (10 LEN) VIC ZC2070
H. WAGE EARLIER (6 LEN) VIC AT8084
I. DILICATESSEE (8 LEN) VIC BE0246 COMBINED TH
J. THIN HAN (7 LEN) VIC AT8692
K. SUMMER BREEZE (8 LEN) VIC AT9540 COMBINED TH
L. PANAMA HAT (6 LEN) VIC ZC0860
M. DUBLIN CITY (7 LEN) VIC AT9644
N. CHEEY JAIK (8 LEN) VIC AT8079 COMBINED TH
O. PUPPET SHOW (6 LEN) VIC AT8268
P. ELF SKIN (7 LEN) VIC ZC1073 COMBINED TH
Q. SWAMPLAND (7 LEN) VIC AT9941
R. IMPRESSIVE (7 LEN) VIC ZC1184 COMBINED TH
S. POUT BOY (7 LEN) VIC ZC0774
T. FIG HENTON (7 LEN) VIC ZC1268
4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAL RECON THS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
   A. STONE PIT
      (LE) (1) 151700H - OBSR 15 VC/HVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RFIS, MOVING SW INTO TREE LINE, VIC AT986532. CALLED FIRE 15:1, EXC COVERAGE TGT, NEGAT OBSR DUE TO TREE LINE. HOSTAGE TRAPPER EXPENDED ON ED ORD ON TOT, EXC COVERAGE TGT, NEGAT OBSR DUE TO TREE LINE, OBSR BY ASPARAGUS.
   B. SUN.LSE
      (LE) (1) 151811H - OBSR 30 VC/HVA, MOVING E-S ON TRAIL, VIC AT947458. CALLED FIRE 12:1H, RESULTS UNOBSR. FIRE HSN CALLED BY AIR HOSE 25.
   C. WEST ORANGE
      (LE) (1) 152105H - OBSR 1 VC/HVA, POSSIBLY CUTTING PERIMETER WIRE, VIC AT984507. FIRED ON EN W/ S/A, EN JAN AWAY, CK AREA W/ NEGAT RESULTS. HEARD FIRE BEING CUT ON MOVED (BEFORE FIRING).
   D. DUBLIN CITY
      (1) 161330H - FOUND 1 TUNNEL COMPLEX, VIC AT965447. APRX 10 CAVES, ENTRANCE 2 FT X 3 FT, 1 BUNKER 6 FT X 4 FT X 6 FT W/ LOG & DIRT 300F. CAVES LOC ON BOTH SIDES OF DRAU.
   E. CHERRY JAI
      (1) 160620H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, RUNS E-W, VIC AT315792. 2 FT - 3 FT WIDE. NOT USED IN 3-4 MONTHS.
   F. PUPPET SHOW
      (LE) (1) 151620H - FOUND SMALL BASE CAM, SAME AS EARLIER MSG.
VIC AT832906. HEARD MOVEMENT & VOICES, CALLED FIRE 1SH, REC
CK FIRE PAIO: 1ST RD. CALL HAT'S FOR TONIGHT, MOVED OUT OF
AREA.

(LE) (2) 151735H - FOUND TRAIL JUNCTION, VIC AT832906. 1
TRAIL NOT RECENTLY USED SE-EW, OTHER TRAIL NOT USED FOR 1 MONTH,
1 FT WIDE, N-NE - S-SW. HEARD VOICE & SHUTTED CHOCO 150 M TO
NE.

G. SWAMPILand

(1) 161030H - OBSR 7 VC/IVA, STANDING AROUND FIRES, BLACK PJ'S
& WHITE STRAW HATS, VIC AT865424. CALLED FIRE 1SH, EXC COVERAGE
TOT. RESULTS 1 KIA (UNIT UNK).

H. IMPRESSIVE

(1) 160845H - FOUND 20 HOOTCHES, VIC ZC117847. NOT USED IN
LAST MONTH. AVERAGE SIZE 4 FT X 6 FT X 5 FT HIGH. 6-12 MONTHS
OLD.

I. CHILI PEPPER

(1) 160840H - FOUND 1 SUSP ANTI-ACTF GUN POS & TRASH PIT, VIC
ZC175765. OLD POTS & CUPS IN TRASH PIT. BOTH LAST USED APRX
1 MONTH AGO. GUN POS 6 FT DEEP, 4 FT DIAM. HAS 6 FT CYLINDRICAL
HOUNDS 3 FT IN DIAM. TRASH PIT 2 FT X 3 FT, PALMED 1/2 FT
STAKES AT EITHER END. BOTH FOUND ON EITHER SIDE OF VERY OLD
TRAIL. TRAIL 1 FT WIDE, RUNS N-S, LAST USED APRX 1 MONTH AGO.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SFLY TM IS DEPLOYED AND 1 PLAT (3 SQD)
SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DI: SPT OF HKN.

B. 161400H - VESPER BELL S DIVERS DEPARTED RECON EN TO ASSIST

DECLASSIFIED
5TH BAR IN BODY RECOVERY OP AT LIBERTY BKG. 161615H DIVERS RETURNED TO EN AREA. DIVERS WERE UNABLE TO RECOVER BODY.


D. 161250H - CHILI PEPPER EXTRACTED UNDER EMERG CONDITIONS AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ EN SIDE FO, VIC ZC171769. TH INFLICTED 2 EN KIA'S (UNIT UNK) W/ M-26 GRENADES & S/A, WHILE SUFFERING NEGAT FRIENDLY CASUALTIES. AO WORKED OVER AREA W/ UNOSR RESULTS & AT 1300H 1ST RDS WERE FIRED IN A 54 RD 175 ARMY BARRAGE TO COVER THE AREA.

E. 161225H - PRIORITY MED-EVAC COMPLETED FOR 1 USMC W/ 1 USC ON THR IMPRESSIVE, HAD BELIEVED TO HAVE CONTRACTED MALARIA.
DECLASSIFIED

IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO 3D FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO XXXIV CORPS
     CO I XI MAF
     CO 3D FIRST MAR
     FIRST MAR
     FIFTH MAR
     SEVENTH MAR
     ELEVENTH MAR
     CO G FORTH SAGA
     MAU 166 SFL
     WNO TUG

INFO: CO AMERICAL DIV
       CO ONE ZERO ONE 3RD DIV (AM)
       MACH ONE EIGHT
       CO SECOND RCTNG EDE
       FIRST RECON CO
       SA QUANG BA SPECIAL ZONE

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FOR CEC/TOC/0-2/6-2

FIRST RECON IN SJT REP #137-70 170001H TO 172000H MAY 70 (U)
1. (c) OF 1-6 OPER RECON THIS THERE ARE 27 TMS OPER AT 16 LOC
   WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACO # 2 TMS DIR SPT BORN. 5 TMS INTERI OR
   ON FIRST RECON IN. 2 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 12 TMS TRMG STATUS.

UNCLASSIFIED
2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRCTIONS (2 CH-46's; 2 UH-1H's; 1 OH-53)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. DEFUSE (7 MEN) AT 1709/15H VIC ZC057863

2. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) AT 271405H VIC ZC077707

3. PRIME OUT (7 MEN) AT 171205H VIC ZC168666

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. WAVE RAGER (6 MEN) AT 170915H VIC AT828166

2. PUPPET SHON (6 MEN) AT 271028H VIC AT829889

3. THIN MAN (7 MEN) AT 171025H VIC AT861925

4. SAMPAND (7 MEN) AT 171255H VIC AT894341

5. ELF SKIN (7 MEN) AT 271440H VIC ZC077733

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

1. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR)(45 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT8363) LR(AT8462)

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

1. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR)(14 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT8383) LR(AT8462)

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

INSERTION AND EXTRACTION OF RADIO RELAY/OBSERVATION POST VESPER BELLS "X" NOT COMPLETED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 18 MAY 70

1. TAKE OUT (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1689) LR(ZC1980) COMBINED TEAM

2. CATENNE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8935) LR(AT9232)

3. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR)(11 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT8383) LR(AT8462)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 18 MAY 70

1. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0683) LR(ZC0980)

2. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR)(16 MEN)(3 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT8383) LR(AT8462)
3. (c) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 172400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELL'S "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
B. VESPER BELL'S "B" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC ZC1463
C. VESPER BELL'S "X" (RR) (18 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT3382
D. STONE PIT (21 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
E. SUNRISE (26 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT9946
F. WEST ORANGE (21 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850
G. FAST DAY (10 MEN) VIC ZC2070
H. DEFEND (7 MEN) VIC ZC0585
I. DELICATESSEN (6 MEN) VIC BY0317 COMBINED TEAM
J. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) VIC ZC0770
K. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) VIC AT9640 COMBINED TEAM
L. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIC ZC0580
M. D CITY (7 MEN) VIC AT9442
N. CHERRY JAM (8 MEN) VIC AT8078 COMBINED TEAM
O. PRIME CUT (7 MEN) VIC ZC1668

P. IMPRESSIVE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1284 COMBINED TEAM
Q. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC0673
R. FIG NEWTON (6 MEN) VIC ZC1369

4. (d) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE - NONE
B. DECREASE - NONE

5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. DELICATESSEN
(1) 170730H OBS. 2 VC/NVA GN. UTILS. MOV. SW ON TNL, VIC. DT030458. VC/NVA HAD NEGO. PKs. OR WEAPONS. CALLED FM. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT. NEGO. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO TERRAIN.

B. SUNRISE

(1E) (1) 161932H OBS. 8 VC/NVA COULD NOT OBS. UNIFORM OR WEAPONS. MOV. W TO E ON TNL VIC. AT981454. CALLED FM. OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TOT. NEGO. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO D A R K N E S S .

C. STONE PIT

(1E) (1) 161446H OBS. 5 TO 10 VC/NVA GN. UTILS. POSSIBLY RIFLES. MOV. N TO S IN TREELINE VIC. AT631530. CALLED FM. NEGO. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO TREELINE.

(1E) (2) 161922H OBS. 7 VC/NVA GN. UTILS. PKs. RIFLES. MOV. W TO E ACROSS RICE PADDIES VIC. AT832512. CALLED FM. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TST. NEGO. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO TREELINE.

(3) 171130H OBS. 4 VC/NVA GN. UTILS. PKs. RIFLES. MOV. N INTO TREELINE VIC. AT851551. CALLED FM. GOOD COVERAGE OF TOT. NEGO. OBS. OF RES. DUE TO TREELINE.

D. PONY DOY

(1) 171130H 1 VC/NVA DMR GN. UTILS. PK. RIFLE, AND CARTRIDGE REL. MOV. W ON TNL. VIC. ZG069740. TM INITIATED CONTACT RES. IN 1 VC/NA VIC. TM. WAS UNABLE TO FIND BODY. TNL. WAS 2" WIDE, RUNNING NE TO SW AND WAS M ST. AND RECENTLY USED.
6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MAN RIDDLING SHTY BN IS DEPLOYED AND 1 PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQ BN.
B. 171330H VIC ZO120685 FNG NEUTON COMPLETED A ROUTINE MED-EVAC, NBC (FUO).
C. 171200H VESPER BELLS DIVES DEPARTED RECON BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIC AT926886 AND AT928842. RETURNED TO BN AREA AT 171400H WITH NEG RES.
D. 171710H TM ELF SKIN EXTRACTED AFTER TWO TM MEMBERS CONTRACTED MALARIA AND BECAME PRIORITY MED-EVACS.
E. TM WAGG EARNER, WHILE AWAITING EXTRACTION, ENCOUNTERED ONE TIGER IN EXTRACT LZ. ENGAGED WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE RES IN ONE APPROX 300LB TIGER KIA.

FT
CP-4
TO: CG XXIV Corps
CG III MAF
CG FIRST MAF
FIRST MAF
FIFTH MAF
SEVENTH MAF
ELEVENTH MAF
CO C FIFTH 3FGA
HAG ONE SIX
VCO-TWO

INFO: CG AMERICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ARE DIV (AH)
HAG ONE NIGHT
CG SECOND NOMIC NDE
FIRST FOG NIC CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FIRST RECON EN BIT RPT #138-70 160001H TO 182400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON TKS THERE ARE 27 TKS OPER AT 16 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAF DIV TAO. 2 TKS DIR SPT HQBN. 5 TKS INTERIOR
CD FIRST RECON BU. 5 TKS PREP FOR FLD DU. 9 TKS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRATIONS (2 CH-46'S, 2 AH-1G'S, 1 CH-47)

DECLASSIFIED
1. CALLING (7 HEN) AT 180826H VIC AT891344
2. VESPER BELLS "X" (13 HEN) (3 T:3) AT 180845H VIC AT837828
3. TAKE OUT (6 HEN) AT 180929H VIC ZC169621 COMBINED TH
4. SUNRISE "A" (12 HEN) AT 180810H VIC BT026483

DONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NOTE

B. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

H/A

P. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 19 MAY 70
1. POLICY GAIN (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1971) LR(2C8069)
2. VEAL STEW (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1790) LR(ZC2087)
3. DATE PALE (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(AT9845) LR(AT0143) COMBINED TH
4. DENVER CITY (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1236) LR(ZC1534) COMBINED TH
5. PARADISE BAYS (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0655) LR(ZC1131)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 19 MAY 70
1. FAST DAY (10 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1971) LR(AT9069)
2. CHEERY JAI (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC2080) LR(AT0177) COMBINED TH
3. IMPRESSIVE (6 HEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1186) LR(ZC1483) COMBINED TH
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 182400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "A" (3 HEN) VIC AT8135
B. VESPER BELLS "S" (2 HEN) VIC ZC1453

UNCLASSIFIED
C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (12 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9332
E. STONE PIT (20 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9552
F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (21 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850

H. FAST DAY (17 MEN) VIC ZC2072
I. TAKE OUT (8 MEN) VIC ZC1891 COMBINED TM
J. CAYENNE (7 MEN) VIC AT9353
K. SUMMER BREEZE (9 MEN) VIC AT9741 COMBINED TM
L. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) VIC AT9443
M. CHERRY JAM (9 MEN) VIC AT9277 COMBINED TM
N. IMPRESSIVE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1284 COMBINED TM
O. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC0673
P. FIG HEWTON (7 MEN) VIC ZC1356
Q. DEFEND (7 MEN) VIC ZC0695
R. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) VIC ZC0772
S. PRIME CUT (7 MEN) VIC ZC1669

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. SUNRISE "A"

(1) 18120H - FOUND 1 BUNKER, VIC BT824494. REIN W/ BRICKS. ENTRANCE, 3 FT WIDE, 3 FT HIGH. FIGHTING HOLES IN 360 DEGREES ABOUT 20 FT OUT FR BUNKER. FIGHTING HOLES, 2 FT DEEP, 3 FT LONG.

PAGE FIVE RUMLLUA2771 CONFIDENTIAL
10 M APART, BARBED WIRE AROUND SOME. FOUND SIGN IN FRONT OF
BUKNER, B. TOUGHT SIGNS BACK.

(2) 181230H -- FOUND 1 VC/NVA, DEAD LESS THAN 24 HRS, VIC BTO31472.
DARK BLUE SHIRT, GREY TROUSERS, SANDALS. CARTRIDGE BELT LYING
10 M IN FRONT OF EN ON TRAIL, BELT BOoby TRAPPED W/ 1 CHI-CON
GREN. EN WAS POS IN A FIGHTING HOLE, ABOUT 1-1/2 FT DEEP. GUN
HINDS MADE 3 PASSES ON EXTRACT, & GOT 3 SECONDARY EXPLO.

B. DUBLIN CITY

(LE) (1) 171430H -- FOUND 1 TRAIL, RUNS N-S, VIC AT953437
2 FT WIDE, HTN USED WITHIN LAST 2 DAYS. VIS FR AIR.

C. IMPRESSIVE

(LE) (1) 170300H -- FOUND 1 BRG, VIC ZC116640. 180 M LONG X
10 M WIDE. FOUNDATION MADE OF CEMENT & STEEL, RUNWAY WAS WOOD
5-10 YRS OLD. CALLED FIRE IHSN, COULD NOT OESR RDS IMPACT, ALSO
MET TIED UP W/ HED-EVAC. GAVE END OF IHSN, WILL TRY AGAIN TOMORROW.

D. PONY BOX

(LE) (1) 171100H -- OBSR 1 VC/NVA, MOVING SW ON TRAIL, DARK
GREEN UTILITIES, KHAKI PACK, RFL, CARTRIDGE BELT W/ SUSPENDER
STRAPS. VIC ZCO69740. TH ENGAGED EN W/ S/A, EN WOUNDED, BUT
ESCAPED. TRAIL, 2 FT WIDE, RUNS NE-SW, WELL & RECENTLY USED.

E. DEFEAT

(LE) (1) 171050 -- OBSR 4 VC/NVA, SEARCHING LZ, 3 V/ CAN UTILITIES,
1 W/ KHAKIS, VIC ZCO66658. TH WAIVED & OBSR AREA. NEGAT FIRE
IHSN DUE TO NEGAT COMM W/ BTRY AT THAT TIME.

(2) 181415H -- OBSR 5 VC/NVA, MOVING SW-NE, 2 W/ KHAKIS, 1 W/
GREEN UTILITIES, ALL HAD PACKS, VIC ZCO67053. OBSR NEGAT SPNS.

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6. (c) ADDITIONAL Comments

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SOTY TH IS DEPLOYED 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE
REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DL SPOT OF HQEN.

B. 160810H - VIC DTO264630, TH SUNRISE "A" INSERTED TO REPL
ENTRY IN SENSOR DEVICES. AREA OF DEVICES VERY HV BOOBY TRAPPED.
TH EXTRACTED 161214H FR VIC DTO304710, GUN IRDS PREPPING AREA
FOR EXTRACTION, OBTAINED 3 SECUNDARY EXPL.

C. (IE) 171920H - VIC DTO314740, TH DELICATESSEN EXTRACTED
AS UNKED EXTRACT AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ 8 VC/NVA AT 171750H,
VIC DTO344760, RESULTING IN 3 KIA (UNIT UNK) BY S/A, & 1 EN
KIA (UNIT UNK) BY AIR. EXTRACT COMPL W/O INCIDENT.
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IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
    CG III MAF
    CG FIRST MAR
    FIRST MAR
    FIFTH MAR
    SEVENTH MAR
    ELEVENTH MAR
    CO C FIFTH SPOA
    MAG ONE SIX
    VMO-ZERO

INFO: CG AMERICAN DIV
    CG ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AM)
    MAG ONE EIGHT
    CO SECOND ROMAC XIX
    FIRST FOR RECON CO
    SI. QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

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FOR OOC/IOO/3-2/3-2

FIRST RECON BN SXT RPT 139-70 190001H to 192400H MAY 70 (U)

1. (C) QF 48 OPER RECON TMS THERE AMR 26 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 2 TMS DIR SPT HRHN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
QD FIRST RECON BN. 4 TMS PREP FOR PLO DU. 11 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRactions (2 OH-46's; 2 OH-16's)

2. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. POLICY GAME (8 MEN) AT 190821H VIC 20207705 COMBINED TEAM

2. VEAL STEW (6 MEN) AT 190835H VIC 20196886

3. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) AT 191020H VIC 20134957 COMBINED TEAM

4. PARALLEL BARS (6 MEN) AT 191022H VIC 20090309

5. DATE PALM (6 MEN) AT 191055H VIC AT9844344 COMBINED TEAM

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. FAST DAY (10 MEN) AT 190821H VIC 20207705

2. IMPRESSIVE (8 MEN) AT 190850H VIC 20127840 COMBINED TEAM

3. SUMMER BREEZE (8 MEN) AT 191025H VIC AT938996 COMBINED TEAM

4. CHERRY JAM (8 MEN) AT 191250H VIC AT817777 COMBINED TEAM

5. DEFEND (6 MEN) AT 191540H VIC 20068857

6. TURF CLUB (7 MEN) AT 191650H VIC 20089727

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 20 MAY 70

1. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201190)IN(201497)

2. SNIFF SCOUT (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(20962)IN(209839)

3. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(205838)IN(208835) COMBINED TEAM

4. COSSACK (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(200832)IN(201030)
EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 20 MAY 70

1. PONY BOX (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0676) LR(ZC0973)
2. FIG NEWTON (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1170) LR(ZC1469)
3. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT9415) LR(AT9742)
4. (0) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 192400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
B. VESPER BELLS "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC1153
C. VESPER BELLS "C" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BELLS "D" (RR) (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT9382
E. STONE PIT (20 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST OANGE (21 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9850

H. POLICY GAME (6 MEN) VIC ZC2070

I. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) VIC ZC1880

J. GUNSHINE (7 MEN) VIC AT9033
K. VEAL STEW (6 MEN) VIC ZC1988
L. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) VIC AT9541
M. DENVER CITY (8 MEN) VIC ZC1335

N. PARALLEL BARS (8 MEN) VIC ZC0006

O. PONY BOY (7 MEN) VIC ZC0067

P. FIG NEWTON (6 MEN) VIC ZC1368

Q. DAVE PALM (8 MEN) VIC AT9891
R. FRANK OUT (7 MEN) VIC ZC1769
4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TKS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. STONE PIT

(LE)(1) 182030H 30 = 40 LIGHTS, MVG. N TO S ON NORTHERN BANK OF RIVER VIC. ZG1693. NEG. FM CALLED DUE TO CEASE FIRE.

B. SUNRISE

(LE)(1) 181942H 6 VQ/NVA, FKS. AND RIFLES, MVG. W TO E ON TRL. VIC. AT9614A. NEG. ACTION TAKEN DUE TO CEASE FIRE. WILL CONTINUE TO OBS.

C. PONY BOY

(1) 190940H 3 = 4 VQ/NVA FOOTPRINTS, MVG. S TO N VIC ZG066736.
TM. COULD DETECT STRONG SMELL OF ENEMY.

D. DATE PALM

(1) 191500H ENEMY HARBOR SITE VIC. AT9664.35. HARBOR SITE 20° BY 30° AT INTERSECTION OF 3 TRLS. 1ST TRL. RAH NE TO SW AND WAS 3' WIDE. 2ND TRL. RAH N TO S AND WAS 2' WIDE. 3RD TRL. RAH W TO E AND WAS 2' WIDE. ALL 3 TRLS. WERE HARD PACKED AND HAD BEEN USED IN LAST WEEK. 4 BUNKERS = 1ST 3'x3'x3' AND OTHERS WERE 3'x3'x3'. ENTRANCES OF ALL BUNKERS WERE 2'x2'. BUNKERS WERE 3 MONTHS OLD AND USED IN LAST MONTH. BUNKERS WERE CAMOUFLAGED AND NOT VISIBLE FROM AIR. AREA LITTERED WITH COMMERCIAL FISH CANS AND PIECES OF OP PONCHOS AND RICE PACKAGES. GATE ON N TO S TRL. WAS 6' TALL AND 3' WIDE. MADE OF STICKS AND VINES.
6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SOTY TM AND A 6 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH ARE
DEPLOYED AND 1 PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCSE IS ON
STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HMBN.

B. 190900H RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA ON BRIDGE
CHECK VIC AT997706, AT990641, AND BT036949. RETURNED TO BN
AREA 191255H WITH NEG RES.

C. 191025H VIC AT938396 TM SUMMER BREEZE EXTRACTED DUE TO
ILLNESS OF PATROL LEADER.

D. 191600H VIC Z0089727 TM TURF CLUB EXTRACTED DUE TO ILLNESS
OF PATROL LEADER AND PRIMARY RADIONIAN.

E. 191330H VIC Z0066857 TM DEFEND MADE CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN
NUMBER OF VQ/NVA RESULTING IN 1 USMC WIA (EMERGENCY). MED-EVAC
COMPLETE 191435H BY HOIST. EXTRACT OF TM AT 191540H RESULTED
IN 1 USMC KIA AND 2 USMC WIA. GUNBIRDS AND AO STATION ON
STATION TO WORK OVER AREA. 1ST RDS OF 179MM ARTILLERY AT
191602H. TOTAL OF 50 RDS UTILIZED.

F. AIMIN INSERTS PLANNED FOR 20 MAY DUE TO HIGH THREAT PERIOD:

1. SURPRISE (10 MEN) (2 TLS) HAVEN UL (AT9947) LR (BT0115)

2. STONE PIT (5 MEN) HAVEN UL (AT9052) LR (AT90452)

3. WEST ORANGE (10 MEN) (2 TLS) HAVEN UL (AT982510) LR (AT993498)

4. VESPER BELLS "1" (6 MEN) HAVEN UL (AT8383) LR (AT8182)
IMMEDIATE

FROM: GO FIRST MAR DIV
GO 6TH CORPS
GO III MAF
GO FIRST MAF
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
GO C FIFTH SFGA
HAS ONE SIX
VMO-TWO
INFO: GO AMERICAL DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ARN DIV (AM)
MAGG ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROOKING BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE
BT

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FOR COC/TOC 3-2/3-2
FIRST RECON BN Smithsonian 200000h to 202400h MAY 70 (U)
1o. (O) of 600 OPN RECON TBS THERE ARE 29 TMS OPN AT 12 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOL. 2 TMS DIR SPT HQBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
CD FIRST RECON BN. 5 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 7 TMS TRNG STATUS.

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2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTS (2 GH-46's & 2 AH-1G's)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) AT 201052H VIC AT858367 COMBINED TM
2. SWIFT SCOUT (8 MEN) AT 201105H VIC AT974416
3. COSSACK (7 MEN) AT 201159H VIC ZC085316

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. PONY BOY (7 MEN) AT 200905H VIC ZC064735
2. FIG NEWTON (6 MEN) AT 200905H VIC ZC037684
3. DUBLIN CITY (7 MEN) AT 201111H VIC AT943448
4. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) AT 201258H VIC AT858367 COMBINED TM
5. CAYENNE (7 MEN) AT 201751H VIC AT911329
6. DATE PALM (8 MEN) AT 201847H VIC AT994440 COMBINED TM

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

1. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1190) LR(ZC1487)

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

INSERT OF PICKWICK PAPERS NOT COMPLETED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 21 MAY 70

1. TEA TIME (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1376) LR(ZC1573)
2. DELICATESSEN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1076) LR(ZC1373)
3. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1032) LR(ZC1330)
4. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8538) LR(AT8835) COMBINED TM
5. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1190) LR(ZC1487)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 21 MAY 70

1. PRIME CUT (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1670) LR(ZC1967)
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 202400H MAY 70
   A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
   B. VESPER BELLS "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC 201453
   C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
   D. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT8382
   E. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT7952
   F. SUNRISE (32 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT9946
   G. WEST ORANGE (31 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT9850
   H. TAKE OUT (8 MEN) VIC 201780 COMBINED TM
   I. PRIME CUT (7 MEN) VIC 201769
   J. DENVER CITY (8 MEN) VIC 201334 COMBINED TM
   K. PARALLEL BARS (7 MEN) VIC 200832
   L. COSSACK (7 MEN) VIC 200931
   M. SWIFT SCOUT (8 MEN) VIC AT9741
   N. POLICY GAME (8 MEN) VIC ZG2070 COMBINED TM
   O. VEAL STEW (6 MEN) VIC 201948

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
   A. INCREASE: NONE
   B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
   A. VESPER Bells "X"
      (LE) (1) 191330H - HOPTR TAKING FIRE, VIC AT828819 & AT842824.
      PILOT RPT 7 MUZZLE FLASHES FR AT828819, CALLED FIRE MBN, EXO
      COVERAGE TOT. NEGAT SURV DUE TO FOLIAGE.

   B. SUNRISE
      (LE) (1) 191815H - OBSR 4 NVA GREEN UTILITIES, MOVING NW
SE: 4 packs, 1 had bush on his head, called fire msn, exo coverage
ttc. negat survl due to foliage. obsr by nigeria.

C. Denver City
(1) 20130ch - obsr base camp 100 ft x 200 ft, vic 20133346:
10-15 bunkers; entrance 2 ft x 3 ft, inside 6 ft x 3 ft x 7 ft,
cots & ponchos scattered around inside, also inside found 1
mort nd. no signs of recent use within last 2-3 months.

D. Cayenne
AT 905330
(1) 20113ch - obsr 5 vc/nva, 1 pack, 1 nfl. 3 males & 2 females.
2 females believed to be nurses. pack cntrn medical sup. point
man escaped to w. results 4 en kia (unit unk), 2 male & 2 female.
E. Date Palm
(1) 20110ch - obsr vc/nva pamphlets, vic AT994438. printed
pamphlets in 3 sets, 2,000-3,000 in no, will bring back samples
of ea.

6. (c) additional comments
A. a 20 man ridgeline soty tm is deployed, 1 plat (3 sqd) size
reaction for is on standby in dir spt of hqbn.
B. 200910ch - recon bn divers departed bn area & ck brq, vic
AT926866 & AT928842 w/ negat results. divers rtn to bn area
20112ch.
C. 20125ch - vic AT858367, tm cherry jam extracted due to ser
illness of 2 tm members. tm to be reinserted 21 may.
D. 20150ch - vic ZG088332, tm parallel bars compl 1 routine
med-evac for broken leg. chatter box 1 compl med-evac by hoist
in exc fashion under extremely difficult conditions.
E. 201751H - VIC AT911329, TM CAYENNE EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMBRO AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ UNK NO OF VC/NVA, RESULTING IN 2 USMC WIA (EMBO) FR EN GREN. COBRA ACFT WORKED OVER AREA AFTER EXTRACT. 1ST ARTY RDS 201810H, TOTAL OF 90 - 155 MM RDS, 24 - 8 IN RDS, 60 - 81 MM MORT RDS UTILIZED. LAST RDS 201825H.

F. 201847H - VIC AT994440, TM DATE PALM EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMBRO DUE TO BECOMING OBSERVED BY EN COUNTER-RECON ELEMENTS. 1ST ARTY RDS ON TGT 201850H, TOTAL OF 150 - 155 MM ARTY RDS UTILIZED.

G. ADMIN INSERTS COMPLETED 20 MAY, DUE TO HIGH THREAT PERIOD:

1. SUNRISE (10 MEN) (2 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT9947) LR(AT0145)
2. STONE PIT (5 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT79052) LR(AT804520)
3. WEST ORANGE (10 MEN) (2 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT982510) LR(AT993498)
4. VESPER BELLS "X" (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8383) LR(AT8482)

TMS WILL REMAIN ON OP'S FOR DURATION OF HIGH THREAT PERIOD.

GP-4
BT
SUBJECT: FIRST RECON DIV

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CG XXXV CORPS
CG XXX MAR
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CG C FIFTH SUVC
MAC ONE SIX
WHO-THO

INFO: CG AMERICAN DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ARM DIV (AM)
MACO ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND RONMC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

DI

FIRST RECON IN SIT RPT #241-70 210001H TO 212400H MAY 70 (9)

1. (0) OF 60 CIR RECON TMS THERE ARE 51 TMS OPER AT 11, LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR. 2 TMS DIR SPT REIN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
CD FIRST RECON BN. 4 TMS PREP FOR FLG DU. 6 TMS TRNG STATUS.

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2. (c) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46's; 2 UB-158's)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) AT 210809H VIO ZC1043777
2. DECIMATISSIREN (7 MEN) AT 210900H VIO ZC1027762
3. TEA TIME (6 MEN) AT 211005H VIO ZC1045714
4. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) AT 211102H VIO ZC10636099 - COMBINED TEAM

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. PRIDE OUT (7 MEN) AT 210910H VIO ZC1060695
2. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) AT 211300H VIO ZC1072604 - COMBINED TEAM

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

1. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) HAVEN ULZC1032)IR(ZC10330)

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

INSERTION OF CHILI PEPPER NOT COMPLETED DUE TO NEG COM. TO BE REINSERTED TOMORROW.

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 22 MAY 70

1. DESK WORK (7 MEN) HAVEN ULAT92)IR(AT95)
2. PARKER PHE (7 MEN) HAVEN ULAT77)IR(AT90)
3. FIREFATHER (6 MEN) HAVEN ULZC1030)IR(ZC1028)
4. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) HAVEN ULZC1032)IR(ZC10330)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 22 MAY 70

NONE
3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 212100H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT6338

B. VESPER BELLS "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZCL453

C. VESPER BELLS "C" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433

D. VESPER BELLS "D" (RR) (22 MEN) (L TMS) VIC AT8382

E. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT7952

F. SUNRISE (32 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT7946

G. WEST ORANGE (31 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT9850

H. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) VIC ZCL288

I. DELICATESSEN (7 MEN) VIC ZCL274

J. DENVER CITY (8 MEN) VIC ZCL435

K. PARALLEL BARS (7 MEN) VIC ZCL033

L. COSSACK (7 MEN) VIC ZCL0831

M. SWIFT SCOUT (8 MEN) VIC AT9744

N. POLICY GAME (8 MEN) VIC ZCL070

O. VEAL STEW (6 MEN) VIC ZCL968

P. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) VIC AT8736

Q. TEA TIME (6 MEN) VIC ZCL474

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS

A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. PICKWICK PAPERS

(1) 210840H 5 BOOBY TRAPS AND POSSIBLY MORE VIC, ZCL24876.

FOUND 5 BOOBY TRAPS ON LZ AND SIGNS OF POSSIBLY MORE. PLACEMENT
DEVISE WITH TRIP WIRE ATTACHED. CONTAINED GLASS AND UNK. EXPLO-
SIVE SUBSTANCE IN "C" RAT CANS.
(2) 210900H HARBOUR SITE, LEAN-TO STRUCTURES AND HUMAN IDENTIFICATION
Vic. ZC125876. LEAN-TO APPROX. 1 MONTH OLD AND HAD BEEN USED
RECENTLY. HUMAN IDENTIFICATION APPROX. 2-3 DAYS OLD. LEAN-TO AND
HARBOR SITE HAVE BEEN USED BY 25-40 PEOPLE.

HARBOR SITE WAS 50X50 METERS
AND LEAN TO WAS 7'X7'.

B. TEA TIME
(1) 211530H 8 VC/IVA AND 2 DOGS, GRN. UTILS. AND CAMOUFLAGE PAINT,
SEARCHING OTHER SIDE OF RIVER, VIC. ZC1152746. VC/IVA CARRIED RIFLES.
VC/IVA WERE CHECKING OUT OUR LZ. CALLED AC, AC RAN 2 FLIGHTS OF
FIXED WING WITH EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT, REG. REG. OF TOT, DUE
TO TERRAIN.
C. COSSACK
(1) 211400H WOODEN BRIDGE, CROSSING RAVINE AND RUNNING PARALLEL
TO RIVER, VIC. ZC0050294. BRIDGE IS 35 METERS LONG AND 10 METERS
WIDE. WOODEN RAILS ON BRIDGE ARE 1' TO 5' HIGH. BRIDGE IS SUPPORTED BY 2-3 LC OS EXTENDING ACROSS RAVINE. NO MOVEMENT SIGHTED
AS OF TOT BUT TM. WILL CONTINUE TO OBS.
D. SWIFT SCOUT
(1) 211625H 1 TRL., 2' WIDE, RUNNING SW TO NE VIC. AT975111.
TRL. WELL USED WITHIN LAST MONTH.
(2) 211625H 1 TRL., 2' WIDE, RUNNING N TO S, VIC. AT973406.
TRL. WELL USED WITHIN LAST MONTH.
E. PARALLEL BARS

(1) 21130G BASE CAMP, 100 METERS BY 200 METERS, VIC. 20090326.
2 HOOCHES--1ST HOOCH 14'x20'x12'; WITH THATCHED ROOF WITH BUNKER UNDERNEATH. BUNKER WAS 3'x3'x12' AND HAS 2 ENTRANCES, EACH 2'x2'.
BUNKER POSSIBLY USED AS CLASSROOM OR BRIEFING ROOM. 2ND HOOCH 30'x12'x8' WITH THATCHED ROOF AND BUNKER UNDERNEATH. BUNKER WAS 3'x3'x2' AND HAS 2 ENTRANCES, EACH 2'x2'. HOOCH HAS 2 FIRE HOLES, EACH 18''x10'' PLUS A TABLE 6''x2''x3' WITH A BENCH.

6. (c) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SOTTY TM IS DEPLOYED AND A PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DUR SPT OF HQBN.
B. 210900H RECON BY DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIC AT925553, AT925582, AND AT925706. RETURNED TO BN AREA AT 211300H WITH NO ERR.
C. 211300H VIC 20072804 TM TAKE OUT EXTRACTED AS UNSCHEDULED EXTRACT DUE TO EMERGENCY ILLNESS OF TM MEMBER.
D. TM SURPRISE "A" TO BE INSERTED 22 MAY 70 TO PROVIDE SOTTY FOR G-2 SENSOR TM.
FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #14, 2-70 220001H TO 222400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 31 TMS OPER AT 14 LOC
   WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR.  2 TMS DIR SPT HQBN.  5 TMS INTERIOR
   GD FIRST RECON BN.  3 TMS PREP FOR FLG DU.  7 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1E'S)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

UNCLASSIFIED
1. DESK WORK (7 MEN) AT 220839H VIC AT941414
2. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) AT 220910H VIC AT879434
3. FORE FATHER (8 MEN) AT 221145H VIC ZC160281

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. REAL STEW (6 MEN) AT 221300H VIC Z0192888
2. PARKER PEN (7 MEN) AT 221424H VIC AT879434
3. TEA TIME (5 MEN) AT 221742H VIC Z0139746

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
1. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01032) LR(Z01330)

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
INSERT OF CHILI PEPPER NOT COMPL DUE TO ACPT RECD FIRE ON INSERT ATTEMPT

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 23 MAY 70
1. TURF CLUB (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT7945) LR(AT8242) COMBINED TM
2. CAYENNE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8934) LR(AT9232)
3. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01386) LR(Z01684)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 23 MAY 70
1. DENVER CITY (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01236) LR(Z01534) COMBINED TM

3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 222400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
B. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC Z01453
C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT8382
E. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (32 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (28 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT9850
H. FORK PATHER (8 MEN) VIC ZC1623
I. DESK WORK (7 MEN) VIC AT9441
J. DENVER CITY (8 MEN) VIC ZC1335 COMBINED TM
K. PARALLEL BARS (7 MEN) VIC ZC0934
L. COSSACK (7 MEN) VIC ZC0831
M. SWIFT SCOUT (8 MEN) VIC AT9741
N. POLICY GAME (8 MEN) VIC ZC1970 COMBINED TM
O. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) VIC ZC1369
P. HELICATESSEN (7 MEN) VIC ZC1274
Q. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) VIC AT8636 COMBINED TM
R. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
C. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. SUNRISE

(LE) (1) 211745H - OBSR 3 VC/NVA, MOVING N-S ON TRAIL, GREEN UTILITIES & PACKS, VIC BT009482. NEG FIRE MSN BECAUSE EN MOVED OUT OF AREA TOO FAST, REQ AO. AO LOOKED OVER AREA W/ NEG RESULTS.

(LE) (2) 211840H - OBSR 6 VC/NVA, WANDERING AROUND BOMBED OUT HOUSE, GREEN UTILITIES, VIC BT022491. NIGERIA CALLED FIRE MSN OUTSTANDING COVERAGE TO TGT. HOSTAGE PLAYMATE EXP ORED W/ OUTSTANDING COVERAGE. HOSTAGE PLAYMATE TOOK GND FIRE. NEG OBSR DUE TO TERRAIN.
B. PARALLEL DANS

(LE) (1) 21160GH - FOUND BASE CAMP, 300 M X 200 M, VIC ZG088330.
2 KITCHEN HOOTCHES, 20 FT LONG, 14 FT WIDE, 12 FT HIGH, 6 FIRE HOLES 18 IN-24 IN IN DIAM. 8 BUNKERS, 4 FT DEEP X 6 FT WIDE X 1C FT LONG. 9 LIVING BUNKERS, 16 FT LONG, 12 FT WIDE, 10 FT HIGH; BUNKERS 4 FT DEEP, 10 FT LONG, 6 FT WIDE UNDER FLOOR.
6 LIVING HOOTCHES 14 FT X 10 FT X 8 FT, BUNKERS 4 FT X 5 FT X 8 FT UNDER FLOOR. LAST USED 4-6 MO AGO. FOUND SOME MED GEAR & LETTERS.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGETLINE SCOTY TM IS DEPLOYED. 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.

B. 221300H - RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA & CK BRG, VIC AT926866 & AT927842, W/ NEG. RESULTS. DIVERS RTN TO BN AREA 2216300H.

C. 221000H - VIC ZG095303, TM CHILI PEPPER RECO'D FIRE ON INSERT ATTEMPT. PERS ON ACFT SIGHTED VC/NVA IN LZ & SURROUNDING TREES, RTW FIRE, RESULTS 2 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK). 1ST RDS ON TOT 221020H, DELAY DUE TO CLOSE PROXIMITY OF TM COSSACK. TOTAL OF 07 RDS UTILIZED. TM COSSACK CNTL RDS.

D. 221300H - VIC ZG192888, TM VEAL STEW EXTRACTED DUE TO PRIORITY ILLNESS OF TM MEMBER.

E. 221424H - VIC AT879434, TM PARKER PEN EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMERG BY LADDLE AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ UNK SIZE EN FOR, RESULTS 3 EN KIA (UNIT UNK). ACPT ON STA, EXP ON- RD ORD. 1ST RDS 221429H.
TOTAL OF 16-155 MM RDS UTILIZED. AREA TO BE FIRED AS INTEL.
TOT NIGHT OF 22-23 MAY.

F. 221742H - VIC ZC139746, TM TEA TIME EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL ENEMY AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ UNK SIZE EN FOR, RESULTS 4 EN KIA (UNIT UNK) BY S/A, 3 EN KIA (UNIT UNK) BY GUNSHIPS, 1 EN KIA (UNIT UNK) BY AO, 2 FLIGHTS FIXED WING UTILIZED ON EXTRACT.

TM DELICATESSEN UNTIL ARTY ON TOT AREA AFTER AIR STRIKES. 1ST HDS 175 MM ARTY ON TOT...5H. TOTAL OF 15 HDS UTILIZED.

TM DELICATESSEN TO CONT TO OBSR AREA.

G. 221448H - VIC AT987508, COMPL 1 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE MED-EVAC FR TM WEST ORANGE "A". TM HAD THROWN GRENADE INTO WELL & RECD SECONDARY EXPL INJURING TM MEMBERS.

H. 2 TMS OF WEST ORANGE TO BE ADMIN EXTRACTED 23 MAY DUE TO END OF HIGH THREAT PERIOD.

I. TM COSSACK RESUP W/ CLAYMORES & 1 RADIO AFTER LIGHTNING EXPL CLAYMORES & DEST 1 RADIO.

J. OUTSTANDING SPT 22 MAY FR SWIFT 1-1, 1-2, & COMPRISE 9, 20, & MSN 80 ACFT.

GP-4

BT
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CO XXIV CORPS

CG XXIV MAC

CG FIRST MAR

FIRST MAR

FIFTH MAR

SEVENTH MAR

ELEVENTH MAR

CG FIFTH MAC

MAC ONE SIX

VMQ-2 TWO

INFO: CO AMERICAL DIV

CG ZERO ONE TWO ADN DIV (AM)

MAC ONE RIGHT

CG SECOND RCMD DEE

FIRST FOR RECON CO

SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

BT

[Redacted]

FIRST RECON RPT #43-70 23000 H H TO 232400H MAY 70 (U)

1. (C) OF L\8 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 26 TMS OPER AT 13 LOC

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR. 2 TMS DRP SPT TO D. 5 TMS INTRIOR

CG FIRST RECON IN. 9 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 4 TMS TRNO STATUS.

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2. (G) INSERTIONS & EXTRactions (2 CH-46/6, 2 AH-109) 
   A. INSERTS COMPLETED 
   1. CAYENNE (7 MEN) AT 230825H VIG AT911341
   2. CHILLI PEPPER (6 MEN) AT 230900H VIG ZG135364
   3. TURF CLUB (6 MEN) AT 230950H VIG AT807124
   B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED 
   1. PARALLEL BARS (7 MEN) AT 231020H VIG ZG093347
   2. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) AT 231040H VIG ZG133357
   3. PICKWICK PAPERS (7 MEN) AT 231330H VIG ZG156923
   4. TURF CLUB (6 MEN) AT 231730H VIG AT981243
   5. SUNRISE "A" (7 MEN) AT 231530H VIG AT915275
   C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
   NONE
   D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
   NONE
   E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
   N/A
   F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 21, MAY 70
   1. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1971)IR(AR9669)
   2. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1982)IR(AR9079) COMBINED TEAM
   3. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT98165)IR(ER0019)
   4. PARKER PEN (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT9612)IR(AT9640)
   5. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (5 THS) HAVEN UL(AT99147)IR(ER01145)
   6. TURF CLUB (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT99145)IR(AR9242) COMBINED TEAM
   G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 21, MAY 70
   1. POLICY GAME (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1971)IR(ZG9069) COMBINED TEAM
   2. OSSACK (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG0832)IR(ZG1930)
3. DELICATESSEN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201076) LR(202373)

4. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (5 TMS) HAVEN UL(249947) LR(241015)

5. SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(236428) LR(259019)

3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 232400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8638

B. VESPER BELLS "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT0163

C. VESPER BELLS "C" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT2939

D. VESPER BELLS "D" (RR) (22 MEN) (1 TMS) VIC AT8382

E. STONE PIT (28 MEN) (6 TMS) VIC AT7552

F. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9916

G. WEST ORANGE (21 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT8580

H. FOREFATHER (8 MEN) VIC 201628

I. DESK WORK (7 MEN) VIC AT2012

J. CATHYNE (7 MEN) VIC AT9093

K. CHILLI PEPPER (6 MEN) VIC 201364

L. OSSAUK (7 MEN) VIC 200830

M. POLICY GAME (8 MEN) VIC 202070 COMBINED TEAM

N. DELICATESSEN (7 MEN) VIC 201274

O. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) VIC AT8633 COMBINED TEAM

P. SWIFT SCOUT (6 MEN) VIC AT9743

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS

A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (c) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. SUNRISE

(1E) (1) 221000H 1 VC/NVA, DEAD, BIK. PJ'S AND BARE FEET, NVA
TYPE PK. VC/NVA WAS LYING FACE DOWN ON TRL, HIS PK WAS STILL
ON HIS BACK. WE DID NOT GO THROUGH PK DUE TO TIME FACTOR AND
BOoby TRAP IN AREA. VC/NVA WAS KILLED BY ARTY. BODY HAS NUMER-
OUS SHRAPNEL WOUNDS. TM ALSO FOUND 2 PKS, BELT, AND PITH
HELMET AND 1 AK-47 RIFLE APPRX. 200 METERS FROM THE BODY TO
THE E ON SAME TRL VIC. BTO32470. IT APPEARS THAT AT LEAST
4 PEOPLE WERE WIA OR KIA IN SAME AREA OF THE BODY BY ARTY. 3
TO 4 DAYS AGO. DEAD VC/NVA HAD STRANGE HAIRCUT, ALL OF HIS HAIR
WAS CUT OFF EXCEPT FOR A SCALP LOCK ON THE BACK OF HIS HEAD. VC/
NVA WAS LARGE, ABOUT 170 LBS AND WAS SOLIDLY BUILT.

(1E) (2) 221500H 25 VC/NVA, MVO. N TO S, VIC. BTO34275, BIK. PJ'S
MIXED WITH KHAKI SHIRTS, PKS, AND SANDBAGS. FIRST MAN HAD AK-47
GUN. THESE PEOPLE MVO FROM WHERE THEY WERE WORKING IN THE RICE
PADDIES DRESSED AS FARMERS TOWARDS FOOTHILLS. THEY MOVED AT 2
TO 4 MINUTE INTERVALS INTO TREE-LINE, CHANGED CLOTHES AND PICKED
UP PKS AND EQUIPMENT. THEN THEY MOVED ACROSS OPEN AREA WITH
BRANCHES IN THEIR HANDS FOR CAMOUFLAGE. WE OBS EACH ONE OF
THESE PEOPLE WATCHING OUR POS AS THEY ENTERED FOOTHILLS AND
WENT OUT OF SIGHT. WE ALSO OBS 2 OF THESE PEOPLE GETTING
AK-47'S OUT OF A TREE. EVERYONE OF THE PEOPLE WE OBS HAD
BEEN WORKING IN VALLEY ALL DAY AS FARMERS IN THE FIELD. MOVE-
MENT MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO CALL FM. WILL TRY PRISONER SNATCH
TOMORROW.
DECLASSIFIED

(12)(3) 222140H 5 VC/NVA, RIFLES AND TUBULAR GRENADES (RPG OR
RIFLE), 1 HELMET, VG-1 SH, NS VIC AT 1930/63. ALSO SPOTTED 5 VC/
NVA HWI SH. THEY OPENED FIRE AND RECEIVED SMALL ARMS. VC/NVA
DISPERSED TO NS. SUNRISE "B" RETURNED TO SUNRISE'S POS. CALLED
FM AT 222019H, 1ST RD 222215H, END OF MISSION AT 222225H. RIG-
ROOM "A" FIRED 14 RDS OF 155MM HE. NEO OBS OF RES DUE TO
DARKNESS.

(4) 231430H 2 VC/NVA, 1 WEARING PJ SHORTS, OTHER RED SHIRT
AND WHITE SHORTS, 1 AK-47, CARTRIDGE BELT, 2 MAGAZINES AND
PERSONAL GEAR, WALKING DOWN TIL N TO 8 VIC BT105475.

THE PATROL OPENED

FIRE KILLING THE PERSON WITH THE AK-47 AND CAPTURING THE OTHER.

AS TM WAS BEING EXTRACTED, THE BIRDS TOOK FIRE FROM 3 DIFFER-
ENT POS. AN ADDITIONAL VC/NVA WAS KILLED BY 8/A FIRE AS TM WAS
BEING EXTRACTED. VC/NVA WORE GRN UTILS. CAPTURED GEAR WAS
1 AK-47, 1 CARTRIDGE BELT, 2 MAGAZINES, AND PERSONAL GEAR ON
BELT. THE SNATCH WAS MADE AT 231415H. TM WAS PUT BACK IN OUR
POS AT 231500H. THE EXTRACTION WAS MADE BY SWIFT H-1, H-2 AROUND
231530H. CATTLE CALL CAME TO OUR POS AND TOOK TM AND KIA TO
LZ BALDY, ALONG WITH THEIR GEAR.

B. WEST ORANGE

(12)(1) 221725H 4 VC/NVA, GRN UTILS, 4 PKS, 4 RIFLES,
STANDING IN GROUP VIC BT011551. HANSWORTH CALLED FM AT
231725H. 1ST RDS AT 231800H, LAST RDS AT 231805H. HICEL-
LENT COVERAGE OF TOT. RES. IN 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.). FM FIRED BY RIDGE BEAM.

(12)(2) 221300H 1 WELL, VIC., AT982517. WELL BOoby TRAPPED. ORDNANCE USED TO EXPLODE TRAP RES. IN 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION RES. IN 2 FRIENDLY WIA'S. PATROL FELT DEAD WELl MIGHT HAVE TUNNEL BELOW BECAUSE SECONDARY EXPLOSION AND NO ROPE, BUCKET, OR SIGN OF WATER PRESENT. WELL WAS 3' IN DIAMETER WITH AN UNDETERMINED DEPTH.

(3) 231025H 2 VC/NVA, ORN UTILS., PK'S., RIFLES, NVG. E TO W ON TRL. VIC. HTO06512. HANSWORTH CALLED FM AT 231025H, 1ST RDS. AT 231030H, LAST RDS. AT 231050H. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT. RES. IN 2 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.). FM FIRED BY RIDGE BEAM.

C. STONE PIT

(1E)(1) 221820H 10 TO 15 VC/NVA, ORN UTILS., 4 PK'S., RIFLES, CHOW, VIC. AT982529. CALLED FM AT 221820H, 1ST RDS. AT 221825H, LAST RDS. AT 221833H. END OF MISSION AT 221835H. FIRED BATTERY 1 IN EFFECT. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT. RES. IN 2 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK.). OBS. BY ASPARAGUS.

D. DESK WORK

(1E)(1) 221100H 1 VC/NVA, Coughing, VIC. AT997417. ALSO HEARD DOG BARKING IN SAME LOCATION SHORTLY AFTER HEARD COUGHING.

E. CHERRY JAM

(1) 230930H 1 TRL., RUNNING E TO W, 10 TO 20 MIDE, VIC. AT869359. TRL. HAS NOT BEEN USED RECENTLY. LOOKED LIKE IT WAS FORMED BY FRIENDLIES.
F. PARALLEL BARS

(12)(1) 22103CH BASE CAMP. 200 METERS BY 200 METERS, VIC ZOO57338. COMM HOOTCH AND TECH HOOTCH 15'x10'x6' WITH BUNKER 4'x9'x6' UNDER FLOOR. 1 WORK SHOP HOOTCH 25'x16'x12' WITH BUNKER 15'x10'x4' UNDER FLOOR. ASSORTED TOOLS, HAMMERS, SHOVELS, ETC SCATTERED ON FLOOR. 1 KITCHEN OR DINING HOOTCH 18'x10'x12' WITH BUNKER 4'x9'x12' UNDER FLOOR. ELEVATED COOKING AREA WITH FIRE HOLES 16' AND 21'. 2 LIVING HOOTCHES 15'x10'x8' WITH BUNKER 12'x8'x5' UNDER FLOOR. 1 LIVING HOOTCH 35'x16'x14' WITH BUNKER 25'x5'x8' UNDER FLOOR. FOUND 3 SKS RIFLES IN EXCELLENT CONDITION, ALSO 2 AK-47'S IN GOOD CONDITION. FOUND 1 LAND LINE SET WITH TRANSMITTER AND 1 HANDSET AND HEADSET. FOUND ASSORTED TUBES AND 1 LONG WIRE ANTENNA. ALSO 600 FT. OF DOUBLE STRAND COMM. WIRE. 1 RETRANS CABLE AND A POSSIBLE 12 LINES SWITCHBOARD. FOUND ASSORTED MEDICINE AND DISCARDED BATTERIES SCATTERED ABOUT. BASE CAMP HAS NOT BEEN OCCUPIED FOR PAST 2 TO 3 MONTHS.

G. SWIFT SCHOOT

(1) 230930H 3 VC/NA, GRN UTILS AND HELMETS, 3 PKS, 2 AK-47'S, WALKING ACROSS OPEN FIELD VIC AT953421. NEG ACTION TAKEN DUE TO ENEMY MVG. OUT OF OBS.

(2) 231025H .7 VC/NA, GRN UTILS, EKX, PJ#8, 7 PKS, 6 RIFLES, MVG SE TO NW ACROSS OPEN FIELD VIC AT953421. DID NOT CALL FM BECAUSE OF CLOSERNESS OF ANOTHER TM. TM HAS BEEN NOTIFIED.
6. (c) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MAN RIDELINES SOTY TM IS DEPLOYED AND A 1 PLATOON
(3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DTR 2PT OF HBRN.
B. 231123H VIC ZC115893 TM PICKWICK PAPERS EXTRACTED AS
TACTICAL EMERGENCY BY LADDER AFTER MAKING CONTACT WITH 5 VC/NVA
WHILE ATTEMPTING PRISONER SNATCH. RES OF CONTACT WERE 5 VC/NVA
KIA (UNIT UNK.) TACTICAL AIR PLACED ON TOT AFTER EXTRACT. 1ST
RDS 172MM ARTY ON TOT 231122H. TOTAL OF 50 RDS UTILIZED.
C. 231400H VIC PEG15175 TM SUNRISE "B" MADE CONTACT WITH 2
VC/NVA RES IN 1 VC/NVA KIA (UNIT UNK) AND 1 POW. SWIFT 4-3,
WHO WAS COMPLETING ADMIN RUN TO SUNRISE AT THAT TIME, IMMEDIATELY
EXTRACTED SUNRISE "B" UNDER FIRE WITHOUT GUN ESCORT, WENT DOWN
4-1.
D. 231730H VIC AT1796413 TM TURF CLUB EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL
EMERGENCY AFTER BEING SURROUNDED BY UNOUCH NUMBER OF VC/NVA
IN A BASE CAMP AND BUNKER AREA. 3 FLIGHTS FIXED WING UTILIZED
PRIOR TO EXTRACT. 1ST RDS 155MM ARTY ON TARGET 231740H TOT RDS
UTILIZED-24 RDS 6" AND 80 RDS 155MM.
E. 231359H RECON ON DIVES DEPARTED EN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK
VIC AT2977706, AT2990613, RT036619. RETURNED EN AREA 231605 WITH
NEG RES.

GP-4
HT
FMFPAC-GEN 2100/1 (3/69)
0101-V04-6601

UNCLASSIFIED
FROM: CO: FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO: XXIV CORPS
CO: III MAF
CO: FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFGA
MAG ONE SIX
V10-TWO
INFO: CO: AMERICAL DIV
CO: ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AM)
MAGO ONE EIGHT
CO: SECOND ROKMC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE
BY

FIRST RECON BN SIT REP #144-70 240001H TO 242400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 48 OPEN RECON TMS THERE ARE 28 TMS OPER AT 13 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR. 2 TMS DIR SPT HQBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
GD FIRST RECON BN. 5 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 8 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 AH-10'S)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

UNCLASSIFIED
DECLASSIFIED

1. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) AT 240645H VIG A7964414
2. PAPER KEN (6 MEN) AT 240705H VIG A7973471
3. CLAY PIGE (7 MEN) AT 240905H VIG ZC102817 COMBINED TM
4. SUNRISK (25 MEN) (5 THS) AT 240930H VIG A7974644
5. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) AT 240945H VIG ZC205764
6. TURF CLUB (6 MEN) AT 241045H VIG A819433 COMBINED TM

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. SWIFT SCOUT (3 MEN) AT 240705H VIG A7973471
2. DELICATESSEN (7 MEN) AT 240715H VIG ZC102817
3. SUNRISK (25 MEN) (5 THS) AT 240930H VIG A7974644
4. POLICY GAME (6 MEN) AT 240945H VIG ZC205764 COMBINED TM
5. COSSACK (7 MEN) AT 241102H VIG ZC005337
6. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) AT 241336H VIG A869279 COMBINED TM
C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
N/A

THREDS PLANNED FOR 25 MAY 70

1. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1656) EA(ZC1687)

2. THAILER PARK (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1661) EA(ZC1978) COMBINED TM
3. DELIVERY BOY (1 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT9342) EA(603090) COMBINED TM
4. BERRY WISE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT8536) EA(AT8342) COMBINED TM

THREDS PLANNED FOR 25 MAY 70
NONE

3. (C) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 212400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT6138
B. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC ZG1453
C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT8382
E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (27 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9850
H. FORE FATHER (8 MEN) VIC Z01729
I. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1981 COMBINED TM
J. DESK WORK (7 MEN) VIC AT9242
K. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC AT9843
L. PARKER PEN (6 MEN) VIC AT9741
M. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) VIC ZC2070
N. TURF CD 88 (8 MEN) VIC AT8444 COMBINED TM
O. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) VIC ZC1384
P. CAYENNE (7 MEN) VIC AT9033

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS

A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. STONE PIT

(1) 241030H - OBSR 2 VC/NVA, WALKING AROUND STAGING AREA, GREEN UTILITIES. ASPARAGUS CALLED FIRE MSN, PR RING BROOM "O", 1ST EN 1045H, EXC COVERAGE TGT. LAST RD 1045H. RESU...
(UNIT UNK). VIC AT837544.

B. SUNRISE

(LE) (1) 23174OH - OBR 2 VC/NVA, WALKING DOWN TRAIL N-S, GREEN SHORTS & BLACK TOPS. NIGERIA CALLED FIRE MSN 171OH, 1ST RD 1725H, LAST RD 1736H. SLATECREEK "C" FIRED 12 HDS, NEG SURVL DUE TO TERRAIN. BT015479.

(2) 24061OH - OBR 8 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RFLS, MOVING N-S, VIC BT022491. CALLED FIRE MSN, EXC COVERAGE TOT, W/ 24 HE & 4 FIRE CRACKERS. NEG OBR DUE TO EN DISPARING.

(3) 24140OH - OBR 1 VC/NVA, WALKING DOWN TRAIL NE-SW, DARK UTILITIES, PACK & 2 RFLS. CALLED FIRE MSN 131OH, FIRE MSN CANG BECAUSE EN WALKED THROUGH TOT AREA TO PADDIES, FRIENDLIES WERE IN PADDIES, VIC BT014472.

(4) 24140OH - OBR 2 VC/NVA, WALKING DOWN TRAIL SE-NW, GREEN UTILITIES & PACKS, VIC BT014472. CALLED FIRE MSN 1337H, 1ST RD 1345H, LAST RD 1350H. 2 HDS HE QUICK. NEG RESULTS.

C. WEST ORANGE

(LE) (1) 23220OH - OBR 1 VC/NVA, MOVING PR NW-SE, WHITE PJ'S, VIC AT985506. LISTENING POST TOOK ACT BY S/A FIRE. NEG SURVL DUE TO DARKNESS.

D. CLAY PIPE

(1) 24150OH - FOUND 3 ANTI-AUFT POS, VIC GC194814. SHAPED LIKE DOUGHNUT W/ STAND IN MIDDLE, POS WERE 4 FT IN DIAM, STAND 4 FT IN DIAM. IT WAS DUG DOWN 4 FT. ALL 3 WERE IN LINE 13 M APART. APPEARED TO BE 4-6 MO OLD.
(LE) (1) 231620H - FOUND 1 PUNJI PIT, VIC 2C133849. PIT 2-3
MO OLD. PIT WAS ON FINGER LEADING TO HILL TOP.

F. CAYENNE
(1) 240945H - OBSR 1 VC/NVA, WALKING E-W, GREEN UTILITIES,
VIC AT901343. APPEARED TO WALK AROUND OP, TO SEE IF FRIENDLIES
HAVE LEFT. BELIEVED THERE MAY BE MORE W/ HIM.
(2) 241645H - OBSR 13 VC/NVA, IN VARIOUS GROUPS, MOVING IN
RICE PADDIES, VIC AT907345, BLACK PJ'S & GREEN SHIRTS, 1 AK-47,
WE ARE GOING TO OBSR HABITS & SEE WHEN THEY JOIN.

G. SWIFT SCOUT
(LE) (1) 231600H - OBSR 11 VC/NVA, MOVING SE-NW ON TRAIL,
GREEN UTILITIES, 3 IN BLACK PJ'S, PACKS & RFLS. CALLED AO,
AN MOVED INTO CANOPY. CALLED FIRE MSN 1640H, 1ST HD ON TGT
1658H. NEG. OBSR DUE TO CANOPY, END OF MSN 1705H. VIC AT964426.

6. (6) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SGTY TM, & A 6 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH IS DEPLOYED;
1 PLAT (3 SQE) SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF
HQBN.

B. 241436H - VIC AT869359, TM CHERRY JAM EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL
ENERG AFTER MAKING CONTACT W/ 12 VC/NVA. TM UTILIZED AO, GUNSHIPS,
ARTY IN SPT. FIXED WING ON TGT AFTER EXTRACT. 157455 MM ARTY
HDS UTILIZED ON TGT AREA AFTER AIR STRIKE. AIR STRIKE 1440-1450;
1ST ROUND ARTY 1455.
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG XII MAR
CG FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SEAB
MAC ONE SIX
MAC TWO

INFOs: CG AMERICAN DIV
CO ONE ZERO COE AEN DIV (AM)
MAC ONE EIGHT
CO SECOND ROMEO EOE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SI QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

// NO 3821 //

FIRST RECON IN SIT RPT #145-70 25JUN 68 TO 25JUN 70 (U)

1. (C) OF 28 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 28 TMS OPER AT 13 LOC
   WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAC. 2 TMS DIR SPT HBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
   CO FIRST RECON BN. 5 TMS PREP FOR FLD BU. 0 TMS THNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 0H-45°S, 2 0H-02°S)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED
1. LIVER CITY (6 MEN) AT 250630H VIO 2034876
2. TRAILER PARK (6 MEN) AT 250645H VIO 20347983 COMBINED TEAM
3. PENDWYSE (7 MEN) AT 251020H VIO AT973358
B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. PENDWYSE (7 MEN) AT 251338H VIO AT876353
2. CANYENS (7 MEN) AT 251400H VIO AT902239
3. FOREFATHER (8 MEN) AT 251430H VIO ZC160560
C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
1. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(200782) IR(200110)
D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE
E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
INSERTION OF DELIVERY BOY NOT COMPLETED DUE TO MEDICAL CAUSE.
F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 26 MAY 70
1. ELF SKIN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(200788)IR(201085)
2. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201092)IR(201389) COMBINED TEAM
3. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(201080)IR(201377)
4. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(201076)IR(201373)
5. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201785)IR(202062) COMBINED TEAM
6. FAST DAY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201383)IR(201680)
7. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201678)IR(201975)
G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 26 MAY 70
1. DESK WORK (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(A7214A)IR(A29542)
2. REAL STEIN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(A72065)IR(A170043)
3. PARKER PEN (6 MEN) HAVEN UL (AT9612) IR (AT9640)

3. (C) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 252400H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELL S "A" (HR) (3 MEN) VIC AT9138

B. VESPER BELL S "B" (HR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC1145

C. VESPER BELL S "C" (HR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9143

D. VESPER BELL S "D" (HR) (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT6382

E. STONE PIT (23 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT7952

F. SUNRISE (76 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9946

G. WEST ORANGE (26 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9550

H. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) VIC ZC1888

I. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) VIC ZC1961 COMBINED TEAM

J. DESK WORK (7 MEN) VIC AT9242

K. VEAL TOWN (7 MEN) VIC AT9863

L. PARKER PEN (6 MEN) VIC AT9763

M. COPPER TUBE (7 MEN) VIC ZC2070

N. TURF CLUB (8 MEN) VIC AT9143 COMBINED TEAM

O. CHILE PEPPER (6 MEN) VIC ZC1485

P. TRAILER PARK (8 MEN) VIC ZC1779 COMBINED TEAM

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TROOPS

A. INCREASE: NONE

B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

A. WEST ORANGE

(LE) (L) 214130H 2 VC/HVA, GRN UTILS, 1 PES & RIFLES, IN BUSHES AND BUNKER VIC BT0108. CALLED IN. GOOD COVERAGE OF TOT RES IN 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSION. OBS BY HANSWORTH.
(1E)(2) 242000H 2 VC/NVA, RIFLE, FIRED ON LP AS IT MOVED INTO POS, VIC AT965506. LP MOVED INTO POS AND STOPPED ON ALERT FROM SCOUT DOG. ENEMY FIRED ON LP WITH SEMI-AUTOMATIC FIRE. FOLLOWING DOG'S ALERT, LP RETURNED FIRE WITH NEG OBS OF RES.

(1E)(3) 242200H 2 VC/NVA, RUNNING OVER RIDGELINE VIC AT965511. OPENED FIRE WITH M-79 RDS IN 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSION WHICH SOUNDED LIKE A GRENADE. ENEMY WERE SETTING OUT BOOBY TRAPS.

B. SUNRISE

(1E)(1) 241710H 2 VC/NVA, ORN UTILS, PK, RIFLE, MVC N TO S ON TRAIL VIC BT031649. NIGERIA CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE ON TOT. FM CALLED AT1710H, 1ST RDS AT 1720H, LAST RDS AND END OF MISSION AT 1730H. VC/NVA RAN RIGHT THROUGH PLT 2 FIRE CRACKER. ADJUST ON HIM AGAIN, UNABLE TO OBS RES. RDS EXPENDED; RAZORBILL "W" 8 FIRE CRACKER.

(1E)(2) 241831H 25 VC/NVA, WALKING N TO S DOWN TRAIL VIC AT947460. SUNSE 26 CALLED FM AT1831H. 1ST RDS AT 1847H, END OF MISSION AT 1904H. FIRED BY RINGROOM "W". 36 RDS VT EXPENDED. NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO VEGETATION.

(1E)(3) 241840H 3 VC/NVA, ORN UTILS, 2 PK, SITTING IN TREES, VIC BT031648. NIGERIA CALLED FM AT 1840H. 1ST RDS AT 1846H, LAST RDS AND END OF MISSION AT 1908H. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT.

RDS ON TOT. TOO MUCH SMOKE AND DEBRIS TO OBS RES. TOTAL RDS EXPENDED; RAZORBILL "W" 72 105MM.
(4) 250632H I KG/HVA ORN UTILS, PKS, RIFLES, HVG S TO N VIC BTOL81B8. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TOT. HOSTAGE SGD CAME ON STATION AND EXPENDED ONBOARD ORDNANCE. PKS EXPENDED ON FIRE CRACKER 1KG HIT, AND 3 WP. NEG OBS OF RISS DUE TO VEGETATION.

C. TURF CLUB

(LE)(1) 241100H 1 TRS 10 FT WIDE, RUNNING NE TO SW VIC AT 817164. TRS IS HARD PACKED WITH LITTLE OVERGROWTH. TRS CAN BE SEEN FROM AER. TRS PROBABLY USED IN LAST COUPLE OF DAYS. NUMEROUS SMALL TRS LEADING TO THE NW.

D. PARKER PEO

(LE)(1) 241650H 7 KG/HVA, DARK CLOTHING, HVG SE VIC AT 854045. ENEMY OBS ONLY APPROX 5 SECONDS.

(2) 251540H 6 KG/HVA, BUSH COVERS AND DARK CLOTHING, HVG N TO S ON TRS VIC AT 954414. CALLED FM BUT COULD NOT GET CLEARANCE IN TIME TO UTILIZE ARTY. TOT MADE INTO ON CALL.

(3) 251635H 2 KG/HVA, DARK CLOTHING, LARGE PKS, HVG N TO S ON TRS VIC AT 954414. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RISS DUE TO TERRAIN.

E. VEAL STEW

(1) 250730H HEARD 4 TO 5 KG/HVA HVG THROUGH BRUSH VIC AT 931432. AO HOSTAGE TRAPPER CAME ON STATION AND WORKED OVER AREA RISS IN MOVEMENT REAS.

6. (G) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SGT TMT IS DEPLOYED AND A 1 PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HARN.
B. 251615H VIG AT 24500 WEST ORANGE COMPLETED 2 ROUTINE MED-EVAC, BBC (SKIN RASH).

C. 250900H RECON IN DIVERS DEPARTED BASE AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK VIG AT 250936S AND AT 251000S. RETURNED TO BASE AREA AT 251100H WITH NEG RES.

D. THE PENNYWISE, CAYENNE, AND FORGER EXTRACTED AS UNSCHEDULED EXTRACTS UNDER GUIDANCE FITS... HEADQUARTERS.
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CG FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CG XXIV CORPS
CG III MAF
CG FIRST MAF
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH BFGA
MAG ONE SIX
VMQ-2

INFO: CG AMERICAL DIV
CG ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AM)
MAG ONE EIGHT
CG SECOND ROKMC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

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FIRST RECON BN SIT RPT #146-70 260001H TO 262400H MAY 70 (J)
1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 29 TMS OPER AT 14 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR. 2 TMS DIR SPT HQBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
OF FIRST RECON BN. 3 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 9 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (O) INSERTIONS & EXTRATIONS (2 OR-46'S, 2 OR-1E'S)

FMP AC-GEN 2100/1 (1/69)
0101-004-600L
INSERTS COMPLETED

DECLASSIFIED
1. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) AT 260625H VIC ZG194842 COMBINED TM
2. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) AT 261045H VIC ZG176780
3. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) AT 261157H VIC ZG116893 COMBINED TM
4. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) AT 261224H VIC ZG126776
5. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) AT 261300H VIC ZG107733
6. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) AT 260930H VIC AT981432
2. PARKER PEN (6 MEN) AT 260932H VIC AT975415
3. DESK WORK (7 MEN) AT 261407HH VIC AT929427
4. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) AT 261743H VIC ZG195814 COMBINED TM
7. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
1. ELF SKIN (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC0786) LR(ZC1085)
2. FAST DAY (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1484) LR(ZC1781) COMBINED TM
8. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
9. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
INSERT OF ELF SKIN NOT INSERTED DUE TO NEG CLNC.
INSERT OF FAST DAY NOT COMPL DUE TO ACFT RECO FIRE ON INSERT ATTEMPT.
10. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 27 MAY 70
1. COSJACK (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1070) LR(ZC1367) COMBINED TM
2. SWIFT SCOUT (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1569) LR(ZC1867) COMBINED TM
3. FAST DAY (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1484) LR(ZC1781) COMBINED TM
11. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 27 MAY 70
1. TURF CLUB (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT7945) LR(AT8243) COMBINED TEAM
2. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT1386) LR(AT1684)
3. LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 262400H MAY 70
A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8136
B. VESPER BELLS "S" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC Z01453
C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9382
E. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (26 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9850
H. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) VIC Z01776
I. DELIVERY BOY (7 MEN) VIC Z01289 COMBINED TM
J. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) VIC Z01984 COMBINED TM
K. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) VIC Z02070
L. TURF CLUB (8 MEN) VIC AT8044 COMBINED TM
M. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) VIC Z01687
N. TRAILER PARK (8 MEN) VIC Z01779 COMBINED TM
O. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) VIC Z01277
P. CHILI PEPPER (8 MEN) VIC Z01485
Q. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) VIC Z01073
4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. STONE PIT
(BK) (1) 24184 Ch - OBSR 10-15 VM/HVA, GREEN UTILITIES, KHAKIS
& CAM UTILITIES, ENTERING HARBOR SITE, VIC AT841494 W/HVY BOX
& 2 HVY PACKS. CALLED FIRE MSN, EXC COVERAGE TOT. RESULTS
5 CPM EN KIA. OBSR BY ASPARAGUS. LATE REPORT DUE TO TRANSMISSION
B. SUNRISE

(1) 251800H - OBSR 4 VC/NVA, MIXED WHITE TOPS, BLACK BOTTOMS, GREEN UTILITIES, CAM & PACKS, VIC BT010489. NIGERIA CALLED FIRE MSN 175OH, 1ST RD 1758H, LAST RD 1808H. FAIR COVERAGE TOT. NEG OBSR DUE TO TREE LINE. RD EXP BY SLATE CREEK "C", 6 HE, 4 VT.

C. PARKER PEN

(1) 251800H - OBSR 12 VC/NVA, MOVING N-S ON TRAIL, DARK CLO. LARGE PACKS. CALLED FIRE MSN 1735H, 1ST RD 174OH, END OF MSN 1640H, EXC COVERAGE TOT. NEG SURVL DUE TO FOLIAGE. FIXED WING ON STA 1810H, OFF STA 1640H. NEG SURVL DUE TO FOLIAGE & DISTANCE.

6. (6) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN LINELINE SCOTY TM IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SQD) SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.

B. 260910H - RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA & CK BRO AT GOOG AT925553, AT914587, & AT945706 W/ NEG RESULTS. DIVERS RTS TO BN AREA 251310H.

C. 260855H - VIC ZG154630, TM FAST DAY SHOT OUT OF ATTEMPTED INSERT. GUNBIRDS STAYED IN AREA TO WORK AREA OF CONTACT. 1ST RD ON TGT 26 0900H.

A FOLLOW-UP 261030H. TOTAL OF 54-175 MM ARMY HDS UTILIZED.

D. 261743H - VIC ZG195811, TM CLAY PIPE EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMERG BY LADDER AFTER CONTACT RESULTING IN 1 WOUNDED POW. POW DIED ON LADDER ENROUTE TO 1ST RECON BN POS. 1ST RD ON TGT 261030H.

TOTAL OF 10-8 IN HDS UTILIZED. LAST RD ON TGT 261835H.

GP-4

FREXAC-GEN 2100/1 (3/69)
01847004-6621
FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO II IV CORPS
CO VII MAR
CO FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SFGA
MACO ONE SIX
MACO FMFPAC

INFO: CO AMERICAN DIV
CO ONE ZERO ONE ARN DIV
MACO ONE EIGHT
CO SECOND ROEIC DIV
FIRST FOR RECON CO
HA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

FIRST RECON BY SIT RPT 1147-70 TO 27000CH TO 27400H MAX TO (U)
10 (G) OF 48 OPP RECON THIS THERE ARE 29 THIS OPER AT 1¾ LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACR: 2 THIS NOT REPORT. 5 THIS INTERIOR
CO FIRST RECON BE. 3 THIS PREP FOR FLD DU. 9 THIS TACR STATUS.
2. (c) INSERTIONS & Extractions (2 OH-16's, 2 UH-1E's)
   A. INSERTS COMPLETED
   1. FAST DAY (8 Men) AT 270800H VAC 20174696 COMBINED TEAM
   2. COSSACK (7 Men) AT 270920H VAC 20102692
   3. SWIFT SCOUT (7 Men) AT 270950H VAC 20166674
   B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
   1. CHILI PEPPER (8 Men) AT 270815H VAC 20143952
   2. DELIVERY BOX (6 Men) AT 271220H VAC 20118992 COMBINED TEAM
   3. TURF CLUB (8 Men) AT 271232H VAC AT416A5 COMBINED TEAM
   C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
      NONE
   D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
      NONE
   E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
      N/A
   F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 25 MAY 70
      1. FOREFATHER (8 Men) HAVEN UL(201972)IR(AT8069) COMBINED TEAM
      2. VIAL STEM (7 Men) HAVEN UL(20175)IR(201872)
      3. PICKWICK PAPERS (8 Men) HAVEN UL(AT9346)IR(AT9643) COMBINED TEAM
      4. PARALLEL BARS (6 Men) HAVEN UL(AT9322)IR(AT8630) COMBINED TEAM
      5. OLAY PINE (7 Men) HAVEN UL(AT7932)IR(AT8228)
   G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 25 MAY 70
      1. COFFEE TIME (7 Men) HAVEN UL(201972)IR(AT8069)
      3. (c) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 272100H MAY 70
         A. VESPER BILLS "A" (8) (3 Men) VAC AT9130
         B. VESPER BILLS "B" (8) (2 Men) VAC ZC0463
C. VESPER BEEPS "U" (BR)(2 MEN) VIC 201583
D. VESPER BEEPS "A" (BR)(22 MEN)(4 TMS) VIC 201902
E. STONE FIT (24 MEN)(5 TMS) VIC 201982
F. SUNRISE (25 MEN)(5 TMS) VIC 201946
G. WEST ORANGE (26 MEN)(5 TMS) VIC 201950
H. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) VIC 201776
I. FAST DAY (8 MEN) VIC 201583
J. DETROIT TIMES (7 MEN) VIC 201582
K. COPPER TIME (7 MEN) VIC 202070
L. COSSACK (7 MEN) VIC 201068
M. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) VIC 201967
N. TRAILER PARK (6 MEN) VIC 201779
O. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) VIC 201177
P. SWEET SOUT (7 MEN) VIC 201667
Q. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) VIC 201274
R. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RESCUE HMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
S. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
A. WAR CLOUD
(LE)(1) 26L3000H 1 TRL 20 MILE, RUNNING E TO W VIC 201075
TRL LAST USED WITHIN PREVIOUS 48 HRS, TRL COVERED WITH JUNGLE
BOO AND SANDAL TRACKS.
(LE)(2) 26L730H 1 HARBOR SITE VIC 201075
FRESH BROKEN BRANCHES, "U" RAT CANS 2 OR 2 DAYS OLD, ALSO HEARD
BARKING 600 METERS NE OF HARBOR SITE.
B. TRAILER PARK
(IE)(1) 26135cm. FOUND 1 122MM ROCKET, 1 60MM F/15, AND 3 MINES VIC 20163790. FOUND EQUIP NEAR STREAM ACROSS WELL USED TRL. OLD BASE CAMP NEAR LOCATION. ROCKET HAS RUSSIAN MARKINGS AND IS DATED 7/69. ORDNANCE WILL BE BURIED.
(IE)(2) 26164sh 1 BASE CAMP VIC 20166793. HOOCHES APPEAR TO BE 8 x 10. COULD NOT OBS BUNKERS BECAUSE OF DEBRIS. BASE CAMP HAD BEEN DESTROYED BY ARTILLERY.
(IE)(3) 26140cm. TRL. 20 TO 30 WIDE, RUNNING NE TO SW VIC 20163790. TRL WELL USED. FOUND OLD TABLE BY TRL. FOLLOWED TRL ABOUT 50 METERS UNTIL TRL APPEARED TO RUN OUTSIDE OF HAVEN. TRL RUNS INTO STREAM WHERE ENEMY ORDNANCE WAS FOUND. AFTER LEAVING STREAM WITH ORDNANCE TM HEARD MOVEMENT ON STREAM.
C. INCLUDE BOY
(IE)(1) 26163cm. FOUND 1 HABITATE VIC 2016896. THERE WERE 12 TO 15 6' TENT FRAMES FOR 3 OR 4 MAN TENTS. AREA NOT USED IN APPROX 1 MONTH. OLD TUNA CANS ALL OVER AREA. TENT FRAMES MADE OF CUT STAKES AND TIED WITH VINES. ALSO FOUND LAND MINES WIRE RUNNING NE TO W INTO POS.
D. SUNRISE
(IE)(1) 26174cm. 2 WC/AV, GRN UTILS, CAM, 10, RIFLES, M/14 IN TO HOOTCH VIC 20112169. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT. SCARFACE 53 AND 21 CAM ON STATION AND EXPENDED ON BOARD ORDNANCE WITH OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TOT RES IN HOOTCH BEING COMpletely DESTROYED. POSSIBLE BUNKER UNDER HOOTCH.
E. STONE PIT

(IKE)(1) 261320H 5 WO/IVA AND 2 FEMALES, 3 IN ORN UTILS, FEMALES IN BLK PJ's WITH WHITE TOPS, PKS, RIFLES, NWG 1M TO SE VIC AT849511. FEMALES CARRIED POSSIBLE UNIT-1. 3 WERE HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT RES IN 1 WO/IVA MALE KIA (UNIT UNK). OBS BY ASPARAGUS.

(IKE)(2) 261333H 8 TO 10 WO/IVA, GRN UTILS, PKS, RIFLES, W/ Hvy Cam. NWG W TO E ON TRL VIC AT812491. CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

F. TURF CLUB

(IKE)(1) 261600H FOUND 1 BUNKER VIC AT810441. BUNKER APPROX 7X5X3 AND REINFORCED WITH 3" LOGS. BUNKER USABLE BUT NOT RECENTLY USED. APPROX 5 OR 6 MONTHS OLD, 2 OPENINGS TO BUNKER LARGE ENOUGH TO CRM/LI THROUGH. BUNKER LOCATED ALONG SIDE OF SEASONAL STREAM BED.

G. WEST ORANGE

(IKE)(1) 262055H 3 WO/IVA, RIFLES, NWG NE TO SE VIC AT981506. LISTENING POST HEARD MOVEMENT, CMS RATTLING AND TRIP FLARE POPPED. LISTENING POST OPENED FIRE AND ENEMY RETURNED FIRE. NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO DARKNESS. CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO DARKNESS.

H. DETROIT TIGERS

(IKE)(1) 260830H 2 WO/IVA, CUT OFF UTILS, SITTING ON HILL, VIC 2605286. GUNSHIPS WORKED OVER AREA. NEG OBS OF RES OR FURTHER SIGHTINGS.
6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SHTY TM AND A 7 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH ARE
DEPLOYED AND A PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS
ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.
B. 271140H VIC AT798528 OP STONE PIT COMPLETED 3 PRIORITY
MED-EVAC, NBC (MAN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING).
C. 271100H RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN AREA ON BRIDGE CHECK
VIC AT797706, AT790849 AND BT026649. RETURNED TO BN AREA AT
271230H WITH NEG RES.
D. 271220H VIC 2012289: TM DELIVERY BOY EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL
EMERGENCY BY LADDER AFTER MAKING CONTACT WITH UNKOWN SIZE ENEMY
FORCE RES IN 3 VC/EVA KIA (UNIT UNK) AND 1 USMC KIA (EMERGENCY).
MED-EVAC COMPLETED 271100H BY HOIST. 1ST RDS ON TOT 271350H.
TOTAL OF 52 RDS UTILIZED. FOLLOW UP STRIKE AT273345H. TOTAL OF
17 RDS UTILIZED. DELAY ON INITIAL STRIKE DUE TO NEG SAV-A-FLAME.
E. 3 TM OF RECON BN DIVERS PRESENTLY DEPLOYED IN DIR SPT OF
1ST BN 1ST MARINES.
DECLASSIFIED

IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CO XXIV CORPS
CO III MAF
CO FIRST MAW
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO 5 FIFTH SFGA
MACO ONE SIX
VNO-TWO

INFO: CO AMERICAN DIV
CO ONE ZERO ONE ABN DIV (AM)
MACO ONE EIGHT
CO SECOND ROKMC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

// NO 3821 //

FOR COC/TOC/G-2/3-2

FIRST RECON BN SIT HPT #48-70 290000H TO 282400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 4U OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 2-3 TMS OPER AT 17 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR. 2 TMS DIR SPI HQBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
OD FIRST RECON BN. 3 TMS PREP FOR FLW DU. 9 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 AH-10's)

28 15 31 MAY 70
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APR. 57/5
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. FORE FATHER (7 MEN) AT 280824H VIC Z0203705
2. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) AT 280831H VIC Z0151728
3. PICKWICK PAPERS (8 MEN) AT 280900H VIC AT935452 COMBINED

4. CLOTH PIPE (7 MEN) AT 28094IH VIC AT81309
5. PARALLEL BARS (6 MEN) AT 280959H VIC AT835309 COMBINED

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) AT 280824H VIC Z0203705
2. COSSACK (7 MEN) AT 281530H VIC Z0105690

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 29 MAY 70

1. FLAT EYED SNOW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01729) LR(Z02026)
2. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01429) LR(Z01626)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 29 MAY 70

1. TRAILER PARK (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01681) LR(Z01978) COMBINED

2. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01060) IR(Z01377)
3. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(Z01076) IR(Z01373)
3. LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 2824-00H MAY 70

A. VESPER BELLS "A" (RR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8136
B. VESPER BELLS "B" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC Z01453
C. VESPER BELLS "U" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (28 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT8382
E. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (27 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9850
H. CLAY PIPE (7 MEN) VIC AT8030
I. OFF SPRING (7 MEN) VIC Z01676
J. SHIFTS SCOUT (7 MEN) VIC Z01668
K. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) VIC Z01783 COMBINED TM
L. FORE FATHER (7 MEN) VIC Z02070
M. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC Z01573
N. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) VIC Z01987
O. TRAILER PARK (6 MEN) VIC ZO1780 COMBINED TM
P. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) VIC Z01277
Q. FAST DAY (8 MEN) VIC Z01563 COMBINED TM
R. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) VIC Z01173
S. PICKWICK PAPERS (8 MEN) VIC AT9244 COMBINED TM
T. PARALLEL BARS (6 MEN) VIC AT8430 COMBINED TM

4. INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS

A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE

5. SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS

UNCLASSIFIED
A. SUNRISE

(LE) (1) 271620H - OBSR 47 VC/NVA, MOVING N-S ON TRAIL, WPNS, VIC BT005462. CALLED FIRE MSN. NEG OBSR.

(LE) (2) 271739H - SENSOR READINGS, MOVING N-S ON TRAIL, METAL BEING CARR, VIC BT005462. CALLED AO, FIRED ON-BD ORD & DIR ARTY. EXC COVERAGE TOT. NEG SURVL DUE TO FOLIAGE.

(LE) (3) 272059H - OBSR 9-12 VC/NVA, MOVING N-S ON TRAIL, WPNS, VIC BT006463. CALLED FIRE MSN. NEG SURVL DUE TO DARKNESS.

(4) 281015H - OBSR 5 VC/NVA, GREEN UTILITIES, PACKS & RIFLS, W/BUSHES, VIC BT024476. CALLED FIRE MSN. NEG SURVL DUE TO TERRAIN.

B. WEST ORANGE

(1) 280830H - 1 HOI CHANH CAME TO BASE OF OUR HILL TO SURR, WHITE SHIRT & SHORTS, NO FT GEAR, HOI CHANH TAKEN TO LZ BALDY BY HGCTR AT 1130H. VIC AT987598.

C. SWIFT SCOUT

(LE) (1) 271050H - FOUND 1 HARBOR SITE, 20 FT X 10 FT, HOLDS 20 PEOPLE, VIC ZC167676. 1 BROKEN COOKING POT & 1 WOODEN SPOON.

D. DENVER CITY

(LE) (1) 270830H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, 1-3 FT WIDE, VIC ZC183876. NOT USED IN LAST 4 MO.

(LE) (2) 271500H - FOUND 1 TRAIL, 1-2 FT WIDE, RUNS E-W, & 1 DEAD FALL PIT, 8 FT X 6 FT X 17 FT, VIC ZC189876. APRX 2 MO OLD

E. FAST DAY

(LE) (1) 271045H - FOUND 1 OLO LINE, VIC ZC170836. 2 DAYS
(2) 281300H - FOUND 1 HARBOR SITE, 75 M X 25 M, HOLDS 25 PEOPLE, W/ PLASTIC SANDBAGS SCATTERED AROUND, VIC ZC163834. 2 WEEKS OLD.

P. WAR CLOUD

(LK) (1) 271500H - FOUND BASE CAMP & 2 BUNKERS, VIC ZC119744. 3 HUTCHES 10 X 10 X 6 FT, FALLING DOWN. BUNKERS 6 X 6 X 5 FT. CAMP NOT USED IN LAST 4 MO.

G. PARALLEL BARS

(1) 281015H - FOUND 2 TRAILS, VIC AT844308. 1ST TRAIL RUNS W-E, 2 FT - 3 FT WIDE, USED 4-6 MO AGO. 2ND TRAIL RUNS NW-SE, 2 FT - 3 FT WIDE, NOT USED IN LAST WK.

(2) 281330H - OBSR 2 VC/NVA, WALKING ON TRAIL NE-SW, 1 W/ BLACK PJ'S & 1 W/ KHAKIS, HVY PACKS & 1 AK-47, VIC AT843306. EN PASSED WITHIN 10 M OF OUR POS ON OLD TRAIL, 4-5 MO OLD. THEY DID NOT OBSR US. BOTH WERE CLEAN W/ SHORT HAIROUTS.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TH IS DEPLOYED, 1 PLAT (3 SJD) SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.

B. 280900H - RECON BN DIVERS DEPARTED BN ARE & CK BAO AT COOL AT926866 & AT928642. 1 M-16 RFL FOUND AT VIC AT928642. DIVERS HTN TO RECON IN AREA 281000H.

C. 281500H - VIC ZC105690, TH GOSSACK EXTRACTED AS UNACK EXTRACT DUE TO NON COMM.

D. 280930H - 281600H - CLAY PIPE BDA TGT BOX QUANG NAM 11143. OBSR 90% OF TGT AREA, POOR BOMB COVERAGE OF TGT AREA, W/ MOST
OF IMPACTS IN UNUSED AREA. OBSR 50 HUTS, 10 BUNKERS, 5 HUTS.
2 BUNKERS DEST BY STRIKE. HUTS WERE DISTR IN GROUPS OF 3 TO
5, W/ 1 BUNKER HEIN W/ 4 IN LOGS FOR EA HUT. OBSR NO KIA FR
STRIKE.

GP-4
BT

PMPPAC-GEN 2100/1 (3/69)
0101-V04-6601
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CO XXIV CORPS
CO XXI MAF
CO FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SEJA
MAJ ONE SIX
VMO-250

INFO: CO AMERICAN DIV
CO ONE ZERO CHI ARN DIV (AR)
MAJ ONE EIGHT
CO SECOND ROC BCE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE

DATE: 29/10/65

FIR CO/2CO/8-2/6-2

FIRST RECON IN 6TH RPT #149-70 29000H TO 292400H MAY 70 (U)

1. (C) OF 18 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 28 TMS OPER AT 12 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAC. 2 TMS DIR SPT RNG. 5 TMS INTERIOR
CO FIRST RECON IN. 7 TMS PREP FOR FLD DUT. 10 TMS FOG STATUS.

DECLASSIFIED
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 OH-468s; 2 UN-156s)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. FLAMING SHOULDER (7 MEN) AT 291030H VIO 20170280
2. PUPPET SHOULDER (6 MEN) AT 291219H VIO 20149286

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. TAKE OUT (6 MEN) AT 290805H VIO 21123777
2. WAR CLOUD (6 MEN) AT 290815H VIO 20119735

3. TRAILER PARK (6 MEN) AT 290841H VIO 20179303 COMBINED TEAM
4. DENVER CITY (6 MEN) AT 290845H VIO 20134377
5. CAYMAN ISLANDS (7 MEN) AT 290930H VIO AT080556
6. PARALLEL BARS (6 MEN) AT 291137H VIO AT042306 COMBINED TEAM

7. PICKLE PAPERS (6 MEN) AT 291121H VIO AT096467 COMBINED TEAM
8. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

9. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 30 MAY 70

1. DURHAM (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1667) IR(ZC1366)
2. CHERRY JAM (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1366) IR(ZC1666)
3. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1666) IR(ZC1960)
4. TEA TIME (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1963) IR(AT7960)
5. CAYENNE (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT7963) IR(AT8260)
6. STONE FIT (23 MEN) (2 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT790532) IR(AT804520)
EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 30 MAY 70

1. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1785) LR(ZC02082) COMBINED TEAM
2. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1676) LR(ZC1975)
3. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (4 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT795532) LR(AT804520)
4. (C) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 292 MCH MAY 70
   A. VESPER BELLS "A" (HR) (3 MEN) VIC AT8138
   B. VESPER BELLS "B" (HR) (2 MEN) VIC ZC1153
   C. VESPER BELLS "C" (HR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9033
   D. VESPER BELLS "D" (HR) (15 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT4322
   E. STONE PIT (25 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT7952
   F. SUNRISE (25 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
   G. WEST CRANIE (27 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9850
   H. FLAKED SNOW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1707
   I. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) VIC ZC1576
   J. SWIFT SNOT (7 MEN) VIC ZC1668
   K. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) VIC ZC1889 COMBINED TEAM
   L. FOREFATHER (7 MEN) VIC ZC2070
   M. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC ZC1572
   N. PUPPET SNOW (6 MEN) VIC ZC1158
   O. FAST DAY (6 MEN) VIC ZC1532 COMBINED TEAM

5. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
   A. INCREASE: NONE
   B. DECREASE: NONE

5. (C) SIGHTINGS & CONTACTS
   A. TRAILER PARK

(HE)(1) GAS & ANIMAL PIT VIC ZC178799. PIT 875' AND 10' DEEP.
PIT APPROX 7 MONTHS OLD. TRL 1° TO 2° NORTH 8° TO 9°
B. PART DAY

(1) 291045H HARBOR SITE VICT ZO159832. HARBOR SITE WAS 100 -
50 METERS AND CONTAINED 6 COOKING FIRES. APPEARED TO BE APPROX 1
MONTH OLD. ALSO FOUND HAMMOCK VINES AND VN CANS. HARBOR SITE BIG
ENOUGH FOR 30 PEOPLE.

(2) 290755H HARBOR SITE VICT ZO159832. HARBOR SITE WAS 100-75
METERS AND CONTAINED 5 COOKING FIRES APPROX 2 MONTHS OLD. BASKET,
OLD CLOTHES, SNAIL SHELLS, LEAN-TO APPROX 4'M X 6' WITH POLES TIED
BETWEEN TREES USING HAMMOCK VINES. HARBOR SITE BIG ENOUGH FOR 30
PEOPLE. CLOTHES WERER 1 BLK PJ'S (TROUSERS) AND 1 BLUE SHIRT.

C. PARALLEL BARS

(1) 2908145H 3 VU/VWA, WALKING BE TO SW ON TRL VICT AT 839204. TM
WAS CHECKING OUT CRATER WHEN ENEMY WALKED ABOUT 15 METERS FROM SIDE
OF CRATER. TM UNABLE TO OBS EQUIP. TM THINKS ENEMY SIGHTED THEM.
TM IS IN AN AREA THAT IS A LARGE NETWORK OF NEW AND OLD TRLS RUNNING
IN ALL DIRECTIONS. TRL TM WAS ON WAS 2-3' WIDE. TM HAS SEEN ABOUT
10 TO 15 TRLS. MOST ARE 2-3' WIDE AND TWO ARE 5-6' WIDE. TRLS ARE
FROM 1 WEEK TO 1 MONTH OLD. MG ACTION WAS TAKEN ON ENEMY WHEN
SIGHTED. ENEMY FLED THE AREA.

D. SWEET SCAPE

(1) 291005H 1 PUNJI FIT VICT ZO164686. PUNJI PIT WAS 4'X8'X4' AND
APPROX 1 MONTH OLD. TM FOUND BOOBY TRAP MARKER 5 METERS FROM PUNJI
FIT. BOOBY TRAP MARKER WAS 2 CROSSED STICKS.

(2) 291045H TRL VICT ZO166685. TRL IS 3-4 MONTHS OLD AND 2' WIDE.
TRL MARKERS WERE 5
PARALLEL PIECES OF IRON AND BOOBY TRAP MARKERS WERE 2 CROSSED STICKS.
F. REAL STEM

(18)(1) 281045H OBS TRL AND BOOBY TRAPS VIC 26142750. TRL WAS 2' WIDE AND RAN SW TO NE. BOOBY TRAP WAS A SOVIET BOMB-REEF AND 2 ANTI-PERSONAL GRENADES WITH A FRICTION PULL FUSE AND CLEAR FISHING WIRE 2' OFF GROUND. TM ALSO FOUND 2X3' PUDDY KIT WITH BAKED BAM-DOO 3X' HIGH AND APPROX 3 MONTHS OLD. BOOBY TRAP MARKED BY LEANING STICK 100 METERS NE OF MINES.

F. SUNRISE

(13)(3) 281950H 8700463

LROA FOUND 1 FOOT PRINT AND POSSIBLE HARBOUR SITE. CALLED FM, OUTSTANDING COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RES. HMG BLOOD TRAIL.

G. CLAY PIPE

(18)(1) 281405H OBS 45 HOOTCHES, 5 TWO STORY HOOTCHES, 10 BUNKERS, 30 CULTIVATED FIELDS, 6 FOOT BRIDGES, 10 VC/NAV WEARING ORN SHIRTS AND BLM SHIRTS, VIC AT7750, AT8050, AND AT8250. CALLED FM AT 1000H, 1ST RDS AT 1100H. END OF MISSION AT 1400H. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO VEGETATION AND DUST FROM RDS.

(13)(2) 281825H OBS 5 VC/NAV, 2 IN ORN UTILS, 2 IN ORN SHIRTS AND SHORTS, 2 IN BLUE SHORTS AND BLM TROUSERS. CHECKING OUT DAMAGE TO FIELDS VIC AT8329. CALLED FM AT 1715H. 1ST RDS AT 1755H. END OF MISSION 1830H. EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO HILL.

G. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SGTY TM AND A 6 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH TM ARE DEPLOYED AND A PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SF'T OF HQNS.
B. 290950H VIG AT805304 TM CLAY PIPE EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMERGENCY DUE TO CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC/NAV. TM UTILIZED AO AND GUNSHIPS IN SPT. 1ST RDS 175MM ARTY ON TOT 291015H. TOTAL OF 50 RDS UTILIZED. DELAY DUE TO AIRCRAFT.

C. 291137H VIG AT828306 TM PARALLEL BARS EXTRACTED AS TACTICAL EMERGENCY BY LADDER DUE TO CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN NUMBER OF VC/NAV. TM UTILIZED AO AND GUNSHIPS IN SPT. 1ST RDS 175MM ARTY ON TOT 291143H TOTAL OF 50 RDS UTILIZED.

D. 291721H VIG AT934447 TM PICKMICK PAPERS EXTRACTED DUE TO REQUEST FROM 7TH MAR AND ILLNESS OF TM MEMBERS.

E. 290940H VIG AT981661 TM SUNRISE COMPLETED 2 ROUTINE MED-EVAC, NBC (CELLULITIS).
FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV
TO: CO XXIV CORPS
CO III MAF
CO FIRST MAR
FIRST MAR
FIFTH MAR
SEVENTH MAR
ELEVENTH MAR
CO C FIFTH SPG A
MAG ONE SIX
VMO-TWO
INFO: CO AMERICAL DIV
CO ONE ZERO ONE ARM DIV (AM)
MAG ONE EIGHT
CO SECOND ROKMC BDE
FIRST FOR RECON CO
SA QUANG DA SPECIAL ZONE
ET

// NO 3821 //

FOR COG/TOC/G-2/9-2

FIRST RECON BY SIT RPT #150-70 300001H TO 302400H MAY 70 (U)
1. (C) OF 48 OPER RECON TMS THERE ARE 25 TMS OPER AT 15 LOC
WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TAOR. 2 TMS DIR SPT HQBN. 5 TMS INTERIOR
ON FIRST RECON EN. 5 TMS PREP FOR FLD DU. 11 TMS TRNG STATUS.
2. (C) INSERTIONS & EXTRACTIONS (2 CH-46'S; 2 UH-1E'S)
A. INSERTS COMPLETED

[Handwritten notes and stamps]

DECLASSIFIED
2. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) AT 300828H VIC ZG159614
3. TEA TIME (7 MEN) AT 300852H VIC ZG200620
4. CAYENNE (7 MEN) AT 300857H VIC AT811602
5. LURIAH (7 MEN) AT 300953H VIC ZG175653 COMBINED TM
6. STONE PIT (13 MEN) (2 TMS) AT 301000H VIC AT797528

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED
1. STONE PIT (17 MEN) (3 TMS) AT 301000H VIC AT797528
2. OFFSPRING (7 MEN) AT 301003H VIC ZG162762
3. DETROIT TIGERS (7 MEN) AT 301045H VIC ZG179637 COMBINED TM

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED
NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED
N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 31 MAY 70
1. COSSACK (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1367) LR(ZG1664)
2. DENVER CITY (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG2090) LR(AT8187)
3. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(AT7978) LR(AT8275) COMBINED TM
4. SWAMPLAND (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1690) LR(ZG1987) COMBINED TM
5. VESPER BELLS "X" (RR) (11 MEN) (2 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT6383) LR(AT6482)

UNCLASSIFIED

DECLASSIFIED
G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 31 MAY 70

1. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZC1572) LR(ZG1872)

2. FAST DAY (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1454) LR(ZG1781) COMBINED TM

3. SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(ZG1569) LR(ZG1867)

4. VESPER Bells "X" (RR): (13 MEN) (2 TMS) HAVEN UL(AT6383)

LR(AT9432)

3. (C) LOG OF PATROLS AS OF 302400H MAY 70

A. VESPER Bells "A" (RR): (3 MEN) VIC AT9138

B. VESPER Bells "S" (RR): (2 MEN) VIC ZG1453

C. VESPER Bells "U" (RR): (2 MEN) VIC AT9433

D. VESPER Bells "X" (RR): (18 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8362

E. STONE PIT (15 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT7952

F. SUNRISE (22 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946

G. WEST ORANGE (27 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9850

H. SWIFT SCOUT (7 MEN) VIC ZG1667

I. FORE FATHER (7 MEN) VIC ZG2070

J. VEAL STEW (7 MEN) VIC ZG1672

K. FLAKEY SNOW (7 MEN) VIC ZG1726

L. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) VIC ZG1528

M. FAST DAY (6 MEN) VIC ZG1562 COMBINED TM

N. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIC ZG1661

O. CHERRY JAL (7 MEN) VIC ZG1461

P. TEA TIME (7 MEN) VIC ZG2063

Q. CAYENNE (7 MEN) VIC AT8160

R. DURHAM (7 MEN) VIC ZG1764 COMBINED TM

4. (C) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS

A. INCREASE: NONE
A. SUNRISE

(1) 01700H - OBSR 1 VC/NVA, MOVING INTO THEELINE, MIXED UTILITIES, PACKS, VIC BT021605. NIGERIA CALLED FIRE MSN 1705H, 1ST RDS 1720H, LAST RDS 1750H, END OF MSN 1753H, GOOD COVERAGE TGT.

B. WEST ORANGE

(LE) (1) 291940H - RECEIVED 1 INCOMING S/A RD, VIC AT960507.

CALLING FIRE MSN, GOOD COVERAGE TGT. NO SURVL DUE TO DARKNESS.

(LE) (2) 292150H - OBSR 3 VC/NVA, MOVING S UP DRAW TOWARDS OUR POS, VIC AT977511, ENGAGED EN W/ S/A. RESULTS L EN WIA (POSSIBLE), (UNIT UNK). CALLED FIRE MSN, GOOD COVERAGE TGT.

C. TRAIL STEW

(LE) (1) 291630H - FOUND 15X5-MAN HARBOR SITES & 1 PUNJI PIT, ALONG TRAIL RUNNING NE-SW, 2X-2 FT WIDE, VIC ZC160723. HARBOR SITE 3 MO OLD. PIT 5X2X6 FT, 2 MO OLD.

(2) 300530H - FOUND BASE CAMP 5X50 M, W/ 8 UNDERGROUND BUNKERS, 2X2X5 FT, 1 FIGHTING HOLE LEADING TO UNDERGROUND ROOM 5X10X15 FT, HOLDS 5-10 SNA, VIC ZC155726. COOKING UTENSILS, BASKETS & BOTTLES.

D. FLAKEY SNOW

(LE) (1) 300640H - FOUND HARBOR SITE 10X15 FT, VIC ZC173274, 1
DECLASSIFIED

SITE: 90 ft diam. Holds 4 PROFEL 4 K-47 MAG.
OLD & INOPERABLE. TENT HOLES 10 FT HIGH. HARBOR SITE & CAMP FIRE
SITE WERE 2 WK OLD.

(2) 300900H - FOUND 4 MIGHTING HOLES, 2X2X4 FT, VIC ZC143274.
1 WAS CAM W/ BRUSH, 3X4 NO OLD.

B. PUPPET SHOW

(3) 30063CH = 1x1,000 LB BOMBS, VIC ZC149288. 6 FT LONG, 14
IN IN DIAM. OLIVE DRAB IN COLOR. LYING FLAT ON GROUND & EXPOSED

F. CHERRY JAM

(1) 300955H = FOUND 1 TRAIL, RUNNING NE-SW, VIC ZC153618 ZC148614. TRAIL USED RECENTLY. SIZE IS 1X-1.5 FT WIDE. STEPS
ADDED TO STEEP PARKS.

G. TEA TIME

(1) 300945H = FOUND 1 TRAIL, RUNS NW, VIC ZC201619. 2-3 FT
WIDE. 2 MO OLD.

(2) 30152CH = FOUND 2 GRAVES, NEAR TRAIL, VIC ZC205628. GRAVES
2X5 FT, ABOUT 2-3 MONTHS OLD. TRAIL 2X3 FT WIDE. DUG 4 FT
& FOUND NOTHING.

6. (C) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGELINE SCTY TM IS DEPLOYED & A PLAT (3 SQM)
SIZE REACTION FOR IS ON STANDBY IN DIR SPT OF HQBN.

B. 301100H = RECON BY DIV. HTN FR DIVING MSN IN SPT OF 1ST MAR. RESULTS: 4-6X4 MORT RDS, 2 TUNNELS, 1 OLD STORAGE SITE
FOUND.

C. 301158H = VIC M199964,66, COMPL 2 ROUTINE NBC MED-EVACS FR
OP SUNRISE.

GP: 4
IMMEDIATE

FROM: CO FIRST MAR DIV

TO: CO XXIV CORPS

CO III MAF

CO FIRST MAR

FIRST MAR

FIFTH MAR

SEVENTH MAR

ELEVENTH MAR

CO 6 FIFTH SFGA

MAC ONE SIX

VNO-ENO

INFO: CO AMERICAN DIV

CO ONE ZERO ONE ARN DIV (AR)

MAC ONE EIGHT

CO SECOND ROKAC HOS

FIRST FOR RECON CO

HA QUANG NAM SPECIAL ZONE

RT

// NO 3842 //

FOR OGC/TOC/0-2/5-2

FIRST RECON IN STR RPT #7-51-70 STR Kelvin to 3842 600 MAN May 70 (U)

1. (O) GF 40 OPER RECON THEE THERE ARE 26 RMS OPER AT NO LOG

WITHIN FIRST MAR DIV TACL. 2 THE DMR SIT HIGH. 5 THIS INTERIOR

OF FIRST RECON HQ. 5 THIS FSP FOR FLG DIV. 0 THE THIRD STATUS.
2. (0) INSERTS & EXTRACTS (2 CH-1618; 1 CH-53; 2 AH-1018)

A. INSERTS COMPLETED

1. VESPER BELLS "T" (11 MEN) (2 TMS) AT 210828H VICT2937528

2. SWAMP LAND (7 MEN) AT 210855H V ICT Z0165672 COMBINED TEAM

3. DENVER CITY (7 MEN) AT 211035H VICT Z02118681

4. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) AT 211044H VICT 26397779 COMBINED TEAM

5. COSSACK (6 MEN) AT 211052H VICT 211137668

B. EXTRACTS COMPLETED

1. VESPER BELLS "T" (13 MEN) (2 TMS) AT 210828H VICT 2937528

2. FAST DAY (7 MEN) AT 211065H VICT 20150823 COMBINED TEAM

3. SMACKY BOAT (7 MEN) AT 211135H VICT 20166676

4. VEAL SKIN (7 MEN) AT 211137H VICT 2016720

C. INSERTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

D. EXTRACTS NOT COMPLETED

NONE

E. REASON INSERT/EXTRACT NOT COMPLETED

N/A

F. INSERTS PLANNED FOR 01 June 70

1. IMPRESSIVE (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(277972)IR(282649)

2. DELIVERY BOY (8 MEN) HAVEN UL(201840)IR(202137) COMBINED TEAM

3. DELICATE SAND (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(20205)IR(203042)

4. SUMMER BREEZE (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(201971)IR(203669)

5. DATE PAIN (6 MEN) HAVEN UL(201250)IR(203581)

G. EXTRACTS PLANNED FOR 01 June 70

1. FOREFATHER (7 MEN) HAVEN UL(201971)IR(203669)
3. (c) LOC OF PATROLS AS OF 312/00H MAY 70
A. VESPER BUKS "A" (HR) (3 MEN) VIC ATB138
B. VESPER BUKS "S" (HR) (2 MEN) VIC ZCT153
C. VESPER BUKS "U" (RR) (2 MEN) VIC AT9433
D. VESPER BUKS "X" (HR) (16 MEN) (3 TMS) VIC AT8362
E. STONE PIT (35 MEN) (2 TMS) VIC AT7952
F. SUNSHINE (21 MEN) (4 TMS) VIC AT9946
G. WEST ORANGE (27 MEN) (5 TMS) VIC AT9859
H. SWAMPLAND (7 MEN) VIC ZC1787 COMBINED TEAM
I. FOREFATHER (7 MEN) VIC ZC2070
J. DENVER CITY (9 MEN) VIC ZC2088
K. FLAMING SHARK (7 MEN) VIC ZC1726
L. PUPPET SHOW (6 MEN) VIC ZC0527
M. COFFEE TIME (7 MEN) VIC AT8277 COMBINED TEAM
N. PANAMA HAT (6 MEN) VIC ZC0662
O. CHEEKY JIM (7 MEN) VIC ZC0560
P. TEA TIME (7 MEN) VIC ZC1962
Q. CATHERINE (7 MEN) VIC AT9360
R. DURHAM (7 MEN) VIC ZC1864 COMBINED TEAM
S. COSSACK (6 MEN) VIC ZC1366
4. (c) INCREASE/DECREASE IN AVAIL RECON TMS
A. INCREASE: NONE
B. DECREASE: NONE
5. (c) früherdings & CONTACTS
A. SURPRISE

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(1)(2) 001759H 2 V/LNA, PLS, RIFLES, MVO N TO S NEAR A WATER-HOLE VIC A29346266. MIERTA CALLED FM, GOOD COVERAGE OF TOT, NEG OBS OF RES DUE TO HTY FOLIAGE. 1ST RDS AT 1200H, LAST RDS AT 1905H, END OF MISSION AT 1905H. RINGROOM "N" WAS THE FIRING BATTERY AND UTILIZED 1 RD WP AND 12 RDS HE.

B. PUPPET SHOW
(1)(2) 001200H FOUND 1 TRL, 3 FT WIDE, RUNNING E TO W VIC ZCL352065. TRL WAS WELL WORK BUT LOOKS AS IF IT HASN'T BEEN USED IN LAST 3 MONTHS.

C. STONE PIT
(1)(2) 001634H OBS 4 V/LNA, OPM UTILS AND KHAKIS, HTY PLS, MVO W TO E ON TRL VIC A8404436. ASPARAGUS CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT RES IN 1 V/LNA CONFIRMED KIA (UNIT UNK). FM CALLED AT 1845H, LAST RDS AT 1855H, END OF MISSION AT 1900H.

D. CHEERRY JAM
(1)(2) 002200H FLASHLIGHTS MVO ABOUT AS IF SEARCHING ALONG TRL VIC ZCL4263. FLASHLIGHTS SEEMED TO BE USED WHILE PASSING ALONG TRL. LIGHTS WERE MVO N TO S.

E. DURHAM
(1) 007000H FOUND A LOG FENCE VIC ZCL80603 TO ZCL83643. FENCE IS APPROX 2 FT HIGH AND IS MADE OF LOGS 4 INCHES IN DIAMETER. FENCE IS APPROX 1 YR OLD OR MORE. FENCE WAS PROBABLY USED AS ANIMAL PEN. NO RECENT SIGNS OF ENEMY ACTIVITY.

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(2) 311045H  OBS 3 TO 6 VC/NVA, SPLASHING WATER AND COOKING VIC ZG166615. TM SMELLED CHOW COOKING AS THEY MOVED DOWN TO DRAW. THEN THEY HEARD WATER SPLASHING AND VOICES AS THEY GOT CLOSER TO END OF DRAW. TM IS OBS ENEMY AT THIS TIME AND WILL TAKE ACTION ON THEM LATER.

F. PANAMA HAT

(4) 310836H  FOUND 3 TRL, 3/4 TO 1 1/2 FT. WIDE, RUNNING W TO E, VIC ZG166616. TRL JOINED LARGER TRL VIC ZG166616. TRL USED IN LAST 7 TO 8 DAYS.

(2) 310916H  FOUND 2 FIGHTING HOLES, 3 FT DEEP AND 3 FT WIDE VIC ZG166616. FIGHTING HOLES ARE APPROX 5 DAYS OLD AND CRUDELY MADE WITH LOGS AND BRANCHES WITH A SMALL COVER OVER THE TOP.

G. TFA TIME

(1) 311075H  FOUND 1 TRL, 3 FT WIDE, RUNNING N TO S, VIC ZG166625. TRL IS APPROX 2 TO 3 MONTHS OLD.

H. WEST ORANGE

(2) 311306H  FOUND 2 WELL, 3 FT IN DIAMETER AND 20 FT DEEP WITH NICE WATER VIC ZG165318. WALL IS APPROX 3 INCHES THICK, MADE OF BRICK DOWN TO 10 FT AND THEN CLAY WALLS. BOTTOM OF WELL IS CLEARED OUT EXCEPT FOR A ROPE ON THE BOTTOM. HANSHURTH COULD NOT FIRE PRECISION DESTRUCTION DUE TO LOCATION.

(2) 311306H  OBS 3 VC/NVA, ORN UTILS, 3 RPG, 3 RIFLES, SITTING IN GRASS VIC ZG07530. HANSHURTH CALLED FM, EXCELLENT COVERAGE OF TOT RES IN 3 VC/NVA KIA'S (UNIT UMI). 1ST RDS AT 1405H, LAST RDS AT 1445H. RIDGEHILL "F" WAS THE FIRING BATTERY. AN ARVN BATTERY ALSO FIRED.
6. (c) ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

A. A 20 MAN RIDGE LINE SGTY TM AND A 6 MAN NIGHT AMBUSH ARE DEPLOYED AND A PLATOON (3 SQUAD) SIZE REACTION FORCE IS ON STANDBY IN DLR SPT OF HQRN.

B. 313035H VIC AT901/6/4 OP SUNRISSE COMPLETED 2 ROUTINE MEN-NVAC, MBC (SUSPECTED KIDNEY AVIATION).

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HEADQUARTERS
1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

Date: 1510
3/JUN/70
10 May 1970

BATTALION BULLETIN 1510

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program (RIP) 5-70 (Marines)

Ref: (a) DivO 3500.1

Encl: (1) Training Schedule
(2) Forward Observers Class (5 days)
(3) Roster of Personnel

1. Purpose. To indoctrinate and train newly arrived Marines in Reconnaissance techniques in accordance with reference (a).

2. Information. The RIP class will cover the period 11 May - 19 May 1970; the Forward Observer class will cover the period 25 May - 30 May 1970 in accordance with enclosure (2).

3. Action. The personnel listed in enclosure (3) will report to the Battalion theater at 0730 on 11 May 1970.

4. Self-Cancellation. 05 June 1970

JOHN M. MATTIAE
By direction

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### FOURTH DAY

#### Time  
- **0730** Formation Inspection  
- **0800** Inspection  
- **0830** Cliff Repelling or Tower  
- **1300** Helicopter Repelling  
- **1500** Helicopter Repelling  
- **1600** PT  
- **1700** PT

#### Place
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- Area
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#### Scope of Instruction
- To familiarize personnel on techniques of cliff repelling, swiss seat knots, practical application
- To familiarize personnel on techniques of helo repelling, practical application
- Physical Fitness

#### Equipment
- LPM
- PT
- Uniform

#### Remarks
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Day 2 - Classes - (1) Map Reading, (2) Ammo and Fuses, and (3) Call for Fire.

Day 3 - Morning Classes - Practice Artillery Missions; Afternoon (1200 - 1600) Shoot.

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(2) Roster of Personnel

1. Purpose. To indoctrinate and train ARVN personnel in reconnaissance techniques LW ref. (a).

2. Information. The EIP class will cover the period 27 Apr - 7 May 1970. LW enclosure (1).

3. Action. The personnel listed in enclosure (2) will report to the Battalion theater at 0730 on 27 April 1970.


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1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), FMF
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

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10 May 1970

BATTALION BULLETIN 1510

From: Commanding Officer
To: All Distribution List

Subj: ARVN Reconnaissance Indoctrination Program (RIP) 4-70 (ARVN)

Ref: (a) DivO 3500.1

Encl: (1) Training Schedule
      (2) Roster of Personnel

1. Purpose. To indoctrinate and train ARVN personnel in Reconnaissance
techniques.

2. Information. The RIP class will cover the period 11 May - 19 May
1970.

3. Action. The personnel listed in enclosure (2) will report to the
Battalion theater at 0730 on 11 May 1970.

4. Self-Cancellation. 05 June 1970

JOHN M. MATTIACE
By direction

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Enclosure (2)
HEADQUARTERS
1st Reconnaissance Battalion (Rein)
1st Marine Division (Rein), FRO
FPO San Francisco, California 96602

06 May 1970
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EnBul 1510

BATTALION BULLETIN 1510

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course 04-70

Ref: (a) CG 1stMarDiv mag 031206Z Feb 70

Encl: /() Training Schedule
 /() Roster of Students

1. Purpose. To promulgate a training schedule for Pre-SCUBA Indoc­
trination Course 04-70 to be conducted at Spanish Beach, Da Nang,
Vietnam, during the period 10 May to 15 May 1970.

2. Background.

a. Reference (a) allocated SCUBA School quotas to the Battalion
for the fourth (4th) quarter Fiscal Year 1970.

b. In order to insure maximum participation in, and benefit from,
SCUBA School, a Pre-SCUBA Indoctrination Course will be conducted during
the period 10 May to 15 May 1970.

c. Personnel listed in enclosure (2) will attend the subject
course.

3. Action.

a. The Battalion S-3 will conduct the subject course in accordance
with the schedule outlined in enclosure (1).

b. Company Commanders will ensure that the personnel contained in
enclosure (2) are available to commence instruction at 0930, 10 May 1970.

c. Company Commanders will provide instructors as outlined in
enclosure (1).
EnBul 1510
08 May 1970

d. Sgt. BLUNK, J.L., is designated as the NCOIC of the Pro-SCUBA
Indoctrination Course, 04-70.


Distribution "C" plus:
C-2 (2)
C-3 (3)
SCUBA Locker (35)

JOHN H. NATTRACE
By direction
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From: Assistant Operations Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: Air Officer Orientation, 21 May 1970

Ref: (a) DivBul 1500 of 09 Mar 1970

Encl: *(1) Orientation Schedule

1. 1st Reconnaissance Battalion will provide a one-day orientation for four (4) Air Officers from the 1st Marine Air Wing in accordance with the enclosed schedule.

2. It is desired that this program give a realistic picture of our daily activities. It is not to involve "putting up a front" or to provide people with a chance to harass the air wing.

3. Following personnel are requested to take the following action:

   a. Training Officer
      (1) Provide escort for visiting officers
      (2) Provide for use of Jungle Lane to include booby traps and personnel to provide "ambushing" force utilizing blank ammunition.
      (3) Provide for rapell and stabo training at Hill 34
      (4) Provide instructor and safety officer for rapell and stabo training on LZ 401.

   b. Intelligence Officer
      (1) Provide for quick brief on S-2, and for debrief of team.

   c. Executive Officer, Company "B"
      (1) Escort visiting officers

   d. Commanding Officer, Company "C"
      (1) Escort officers to Hill 425, provide brief on Hill.
19 May 1970

e. All Company Commanders
   (1) Attend evening meal with visiting aviation officers.

f. Air Liaison Officer
   (1) Provide for aviators to ride an insert/extract.
   (2) Provide helicopter for rappelling and stabo training on LZ 401.

4. All hands are encouraged to make this visit a worthwhile endeavor. These visitors will most likely fly in support of us in the near future, so the knowledge they gain will reap benefits for our personnel in the field.

W. C. Gregson

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