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APPENDIX B

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EXTRACTS FROM X AUST INF BDE BHS LANDING CRAFT TABLES

(Issued as Appendix B to 2 Aust Beach Gp OO 1 (Exercise Only)).

CRAFT AVAILABLE:-

LCA	1
ALC(5)	2
ALC(15)	12
ALC(20)	9

AVERAGE TURNROUND TIME:-

Troops and Vehicles	75 mins
Stores	100 "

Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Landing Craft Type	LOAD Personnel Description	Personnel Marching	Personnel In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	MANNING Place	MANNING Time at Ready Line	LANDING Beach	LANDING Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
1		ALCA	ABM & Party	1 3				Beach Signs & Lamps		H-45	Yellow	H Hour	Yellow	Wave 1 Right Flank Stores to be pre-loaded
6		ALC(B)	ABM & Party	1 3				do		H-45	Yellow	H Hour	Yellow	Wave 1 Left Flank Stores to be pre-loaded
7		ALC(B)	ABM & Party	1 3				do		H-45	Red	H Hour	Red	Wave 1 Right Flank Stores to be pre-loaded
12		ALC(5)	ABM & Party	1 3				do		H-45	Red	H Hour	Red	Wave 1 Left Flank Stores to be pre-loaded
19		ALC (15)	2/11 Aust Fd Coy D Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn OC (BCC) Pl Sjts Orderly	1 3 1 3 1						H-25	Yellow	H+20	Yellow	Recce Party - Right Flank.

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Type	Personnel Description	Marching	In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	Manning Place	Manning Time at Ready Line	Landing Beach	Landing Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
20			B Ir & Dot	1 11				1 Boat & Signs etc		H-35	Yellow	H+20	Yellow	Boat = 6 Man Spaces
		AIC (15)	RAN Sig Soc	2				108 Set W/S Eqpt						
			1 Beach Sig Soc	2				46 Set						
			X Bde Sig Soc	2	1		1 Jeep	05 Phone 2 Mile Cable 22 Set						Jeep provided in Exercise in lieu of normal Inf carrying party
21			A Aust Inf Bn							H-25	Yellow	H+20	Yellow	Stores to be pre-loaded.
			Comd	1 1										
			Adj	1 1										
			RAN Sig Soc	2				108 Set 22 Set						
			1 Beach Sig Soc	3										
			2 AAIC Coy (Beach Gp)	1										Recce Party. Accompany RHD.
			do S.B.	1										
			X Inf Bde Sig Dot	1				46 Set						
24			B Aust Inf Bn							H-25	Red	H+20	Red	
			Comd	1 1										
			Adj	1 1										
			RAN Sig Soc	2				108 Set 22 "						
			1 Beach Sig Soc	3										
			2 AAIC Coy (Beach Gp)											
			S/Sgt	1										Recce Party. Accompany RHD.
			Water Duties	1										
			X Inf Bde Sig Dot	1				46 Set						

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft		LOAD						PLANNING		LANDING			REMARKS
			Personnel											
	No	Type	Description	Marching	In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	Place	Time at Ready Line	Beach	Time	Ex Ship	
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
25		AIC (15)	D Mr & Det	1 11				1 Boat & Signs &c		H-25	Red	H+20	Red	Stores & Boat Pre-loaded.
			RAN Sig Sec	2				108 Set						
			1 Beach Sig Sec	1 2				VS Eqpt 46 Set D5 Phone 1 Mile Cable						
			X Bde Sig Sec	2	1		1 Jeep	22 Set						Jeep provided in exercise in lieu of normal Inf carrying party.
26			2/11 Aust Fd Coy	1 3						H-25	Red	H+20	Red	Recce Party. Wave 3 Left Flank
			B Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn											
			OC (BCC)	1										
			Pl Sjts	3										
			Orderly	1										
27		AIC (15)	1 Pl 2/11 Aust Fd Coy	1 19						H-15	Yellow	H+30	Yellow	Wave 4 Right Flank Recce Party
			tp LAA Bty	1 3										
28			1 Pl 2/11 Aust Fd Coy	16						H-15	Yellow	H+30	Yellow	
31		AIC (15)	tp LAA Bty	1 3						H-15	Red	H+30	Red	Wave 4 Right Flank Recce Party
			2 Pl 2/11 Aust Fd Coy	1 19										
32			2 Pl 2/11 Aust Fd Coy	16						H-15	Red	H+30	Red	
36														

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft		LOAD						LAUNCH				REMARKS
			Personnel						Place	Time at Ready Line	Beach	Time	Ex Ship	
	No	Type	Description	Marching	In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores						
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
36			2 AAMC Coy (Bch Gp):-							H-5	Yellow	H.40	Yellow	
			Nurse Orderlies	3										
			Cook	1										
			Hygiene	1										
			S B	4										
			D R	1										
37		AIC (15)	2 AAMC Coy (Bch Gp)							H-5	Yellow	H+40	Yellow	
			Cpl S B	1										
			S B	4										
			G D	2										
38			2 AAMC Coy (Bch Gp)							H-5	Yellow	H+40	Yellow	
			Cook	1										
			Clerk	1						-				
			Nurse Ord	1										
			S B	8										
			Batman	1										
41			2 AAMC Coy (Bch Gp)							H-5	Red	H+40	Red	
			Dispenser	1										
			Nurse Ord	2										
			Clerk	1										
			S B	5										
			Cook	1										
43			Beach Gp "R" Party							H-5	Red	H+40	Red	
			DAQMG	1										
			Batman		1									
			IO	1										
			Draughtsman		1									
		AIC (15)	OC 2/11 Aust Fd Coy	1	1									
			OC 2 Beach Wksp	1	1									
			OC 17 Ind Pro Pl	1	2									
			D P B Mr	1	1									
44			2 AAMC Coy (Bch Gp)	(See Over)										

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Type	LOAD Personnel Description	Marching	In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	MARKING Place	Time at Ready Line	LANDING Beach	Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
44		(	2 AAMC Coy (Bch Gp)							H-5	Red	H+40	Red	Wave 5. Left Flank.
		(	S B	5										
		(	"Q"	1										
		(	Nurse Ord	3										
		(	Cook	1										
45		ALC (15)	2 Aust ME Pl	2	1		1 Dozen HD7	Sled & 60 Sheets ARC mesh (2¾ ton)		H-Hour	Yellow	H+45	Yellow	
			3 pl 2/11 Fd Coy	19										
46		ALC (15)	2 Aust ME Pl	6	1		1 Dozen HD7	Sled & 60 Sheets ARC Mesh (2¾ ton)		H Hour	Red	H+45	Red	
			C Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	1 23										
			2/11 Fd Coy	6										
47		ALC (15)	RAN Commando "B"	7				10cwt Naval Stores		H 15	Yellow	H+60	Yellow	
			2 Beach Wksp :-											
			Rec Sec	1 3										
			M.T. Sec	6										
48		ALC (15)	RAN Commando "B"	1						H 15	Red	H+60	Red	
			Y Tp 288 Lt AA Bty	1 8	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor Arty		10 cwt Naval Stores (1-22 set (1-108 set (Aldis (Lamp						
			RAN Sig Sec	6										
			1 Beach Sig Sec	12				(2-22 Set (1-46 set (Telephone (Cable						

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Type	LOAD PERSONNEL Description	March-ing	In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	MANNING Place	Time at Ready ~~Line~~	LANDING Beach	Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
49		ALC (15)	RAN Sigs	2				1-108 set						
			1 Beach Sig Soc	2				1-46 set						
			2 Aust Beach Wksp: MT Soc	7						H+20	Yellow	H+65	Yellow	
			Y Tp 288 LAA Bty	4	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor AA								
			17 Ind Bde Pro Pl	5										
50		ALC (15)	B Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	15						H+20	Red	H+65	Red	
			1 Beach Sig Soc	8				1-22 set 1-46 " 1-No 4 " S/board Telephone Cable						
FERRY SERVICE COMMENCES.														
57		(	1 Beach Sig Soc		2		1 Jeep	1-22 set Batteries etc		A	Yellow	H+90	Yellow	
		(	17 Ind Bde Pro Pl	5										
		(	TkA Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	4						S				
58		(	TkA Pl 2/2 PnrBn	1				Engr 1T (ARC mosl)			Yellow	H+90	Yellow	
		ALC (20)	D Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	10										
		(	C Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	15						C				
62		(	C Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	10				Engr 1T (ARC mosl)		A	Yellow	H+90	Yellow	
										L				
65		(	Beach Gp Comd Party											
		(	Comd	1	1	1	1 Jeep & Trailer			L	Red	H+90	Red	
		(	GIII	1	2									
		(	P N Mr	1	1					E				
		(	BADIS	1	1									
										D				

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Landing Craft Type	LOAD Personnel Description	LOAD Personnel Marching	LOAD Personnel In Vehs	LOAD Guns	LOAD Vehs	LOAD Stores	MANNING Place	MANNING Time at Ready Line	LANDING Beach	LANDING Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
66		ALC (20)	2 Beach Gp "R" Gp OC 2/1 Ord Bch Det OC 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy OC 235 Sup Depot Pl OC 58 BIPOD Pl 1 Beach Sig Scc	1 1 1 1	1 1 1 2		1 Jeep	Maint stores		A S	Red	H+90	Red	Stores loaded on Jeep
67			HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn CO Adj IO Orderly B Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	1 1 1 6	- 1		1 Jeep			C A	Red	H+90	Red	
68			D Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	14						L	Red	H+90	Red	
70			D Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	20						L	Yellow	H+100	Yellow	
71		ALC (20)	D Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn RMO Sjt	33 1	1					E D	Yellow	H+100	Yellow	
72		ALC (20)	1 Beach Sig Scc Sig Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	3	2		1 Jeep & Trailer	Bty Charger			Red	H+100	Red	Loaded on Trailer
74			Sig Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	1	9						Red	H+100	Red	

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Landing Craft Type	LOAD Personnel Description	Personnel Marching	Personnel In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	MARSHALLING Place	MARSHALLING Time Ready Line	LANDING Beach	LANDING Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
78		ALC (20)	1 Beach Sig ARMY) Unit NAVY)	4						AS CALLED	ASTU DIRECTED	H+110	Green	
			2 Aust LT Pl	1 5										
79			1 Beach Sig ARMY) Unit NAVY)	4								H+110	Green	
			"C" Aust Inf Bn Comd	1 1										
80			A Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn									H+110	Green	
			OC (DCC)	1										
			Pl Sjts	3										
			Orderlies	1										
			"C" AustInf Bn Adj	1 1										
81			2/11 Fd Coy (3 Pl)	2	2		1 Jeep & Trail cr.				Yellow	H+110	Yellow	Trailer loaded with Water Pt stores
82			Sig Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	8							Yellow	H+110	Yellow	
83		ALC (20)	2 Aust Stores Pl	2	2		1 Jeep				Yellow	H+110	Yellow	
			HQ Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	1 4										
			Sig Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	3										
84			Pnr Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	1 29							Yellow	H+110	Yellow	
			HQ 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy	1 2										
			Wksp Pl 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy (S/Sgt Mech)	1										
			A Pl 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy (Sgt Adm)	1										
			B Pl 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy (Sgt Adm)											

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Landing Craft Serial No	Landing Craft No	Landing Craft Type	LOAD Personnel Description	LOAD Personnel Marching	LOAD Personnel In Vehs	LOAD Guns	LOAD Vehs	LOAD Stores	LOAD Place	MANNING Time at Ready Line	LANDING Beach	LANDING Time	LANDING Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
86			HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde Comd Party	3 1	2		1 Jeep				As directed	H+110	Red	
87		AIC (20)	"X" Bde Sig Sec	6	4		2 Jeeps	46 set 11 set 2-22 sets 1 mile cable			"	H+110	Red	
88			HQ 2 Beach Group		2		1 jeep				Red	H+110	Red	Jeep Waterproofed
89			2/11 Aust Fd Coy (3 Pl)	13							As directed	H+115	Green	
90		AIC (20)	HQ 2/11 Fd Coy 2 Aust ME Pl	1 12 10							As directed	H+115	Green	
93			2 AAMC Coy (Beach Gp)		2		1 jeep & trailer				Yellow	H+120	Yellow	
94		AIC (20)	2 AAMC Coy (Beach Gp) Surgical Team	1	1		1 jeep & trailer				Yellow	H+120	Yellow	
95			HQ 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy A Pl " HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn S B Storeman C Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	8 1 1 2 1 15							Yellow	H+120	Yellow	
96			(See over)											

(RAME)

LANDING CRAFT SERIAL NO	Landing Craft		LOAD							MARSHALLING	LANDING		Ex Ship	REMARKS
	No	Type	Personnel Description	Marching	In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	Place	Time, at Ready Line	Beach	Time		
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
96			A Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn C Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn HQ 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy 3 Pl "	11 11 7 1 1							Yellow	H+120	Yellow	
97		CRAFT AS AVAIL-ABLE	2 AMC Coy (Bch Gp) Surgical Team	1 6	1		1 Jeep & trail-er	1½ tons Surgical Team Stores			Red	H+120	Red	
98		"	Y Tp 288 LAA Bty		2		1 Jeep				Red	H+120	Red	
102		"	1 Pl 2/11 Fd Coy	3										
			2 Aust ME Pl	12	1		1 Dozer HD7	Sled & 60 sheets ARC mesh (2¾ tons			As direct-ed	H+120	Green	Dozer water-proofed

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
103		C R	RAN Commando (B) 2 AAMC Coy (Boh Gp)	8	2		1x3ton Water	10cwt Nav Stores			As directed	H+20	GREEN	
104		A						Amr 3T			YELLOW	H+130	YELLOW	Rolls Runway
105		F T						Rations 3 T			YELLOW	H+130	YELLOW	
106								POL 3T			YELLOW	H+130	YELLOW	
107		A						Eng 3T			YELLOW	H+130	YELLOW	
109		S	2/1 Ord Beach Det	5							RED	H+130	RED	
111		A V	HQ 2/11 Fd Coy 17 Pro Pl	7	2		1 Jeep & trail				RED	H+130	RED	Trailer loaded with RAP equipt
112		A I	2/1 Ord Beach Det 235 Sup Dep Pl	16 19							RED	H+130	RED	
113		L	YTP 228 LAA Bty	5	6	1 Bofor	1 Tractor				YELLOW	H+135	YELLOW	
114		A	235 Sup Dep Pl 'B' Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	2 10							RED	H+135	RED	
115		B L	YTP228 LAA Bty	6	6	1 Bofor	1 Tractor				RED	H-150	RED	
116		E	YTP228 LAA Bty HQ 2/108 A.G.T Coy 'A' Pl 2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	4 1 6 12	6	1 Bofor	1 Tractor				YELLOW	H-150	YELLOW	

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	No	Type	Personnel Description	Personnel Marching	Personnel In Vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores		Place	Time at Ready Line	Beach	Time	Ex Ship	
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i		j	k	l	m	n	o
118		C	YTP228 LAA Bty	6	6	1 Bofor	1 Tractor					RED	H+155	RED	
119	&	R A F T						Unit and Bde 2T Water 1T				A S	H+180	YELLOW	
120								Water 1T Ord 2T				D	H+180	YELLOW	
121								Amn 3T					H+180	YELLOW	
122		A						Rations 3T				I	H+180	YELLOW	
123		S						POL 3T				R E	H+180	YELLOW	
124		A						Engr 3T				C	H+180	YELLOW	
129		V	'B' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy	8	2		1 Jeep & trailer					T	H+180	RED	
130		A I	HQ 2/108 AGT Coy 'B' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy	3	1		1 Jeep (O.Cs)					E	H+180	RED	
131		L A	"B" Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn (I Sec)	25 2								D	H+180	GREEN	
132			HQ Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn (QM) HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn I Sec Hyg Bn HQ HQ 2/11 Fd Coy	1 	1 2 1 3 2		1 Jeep						H+180	GREEN	

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
133		C	'A' Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	13							A	H+120	GREEN	
		R	HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn (RAP & S.B)	8							S			
137		A	2 M.E. Pl	2	1		1 Dozer TD9	Sled & 60 sheets arc mesh ($2\frac{3}{4}$ Ton)			D	H+180	BLUE	
		F												
		T						Amn 3T			I	H+190	YELLOW	
142														
143		A						Ration 3T			R	H+190	YELLOW	
144		S						POL 3T			E	H+190	YELLOW	
145		A	HQ 2/2 Pnr Bn	10										
		V	X Bde Sig Det		1		1 Jeep	Amn $1\frac{1}{2}$T			C	H+190	RED	
146		A	X Bde Sig Det		1		1 Jeep				T			
		I	MMG Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	10								H+190	RED	Carry 2 MMG 1x3" Mortar
			Mortar " " "	5										
147		L	Tk/A Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn	3	2		1 Jeep				E	H+190	RED	
												H+190	GREEN	
150		A	17 Pro Pl	6							D			
151		B						POL 1T Misc 2T				H+200	YELLOW	
												H+200	YELLOW	
152		L						Engr 3T						
153		U						Amn 3T				H+200	YELLOW	
154								Water 3T				H+200	YELLOW	

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	j	j	k	l	m	n	o
156		C R A F T	'A' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy		2		1 Jeep & trailer				A			Water proofed vehicle
157			'A' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy		2		1 Jeep & trailer				S			Water proofed vehicle
158			'A' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy		2		1 Jeep & trailer				D	H+200	BLUE	Jeep loaded with stores for 2/108 GT Coy
159			'A' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy		2		1 Jeep & trailer				I			
160		L S	'A' Pl 2/108 AGT Coy Wksp Pl " " (Cooks)	1 1	2		1 Jeep & trailer				R E			Veh loaded with Amn for 2/108 G.T.Coy (Token only)
161			HQ 2 Bde Gp	4			Engr 3T				C	H+200	RED	nolle runway
162							Engr 3T				T	H+200	RED	
163							Amn 3T				E	H+200	RED	
164							POL 3T				D	H+200	GREEN	
165		L	HQ Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	16										
166		A	HQ Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn 'A' " " " "	29 7										
167		B	'A' Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	5										
169		L	1 Pl 2/11 Fd Coy 23 A.M.C.U.	7	2		1 Jeep							Jeep waterproofed
171							Engr 3T					H+205	GREEN	

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
172		C						Amn 3T		A	A			
173		R						Rations 3T				H + 210	YELLOW	
174		A						Rations 1T Misc 2T		S	S			
175								Water 3T						
176		F						Amn 3T		C	D			
177		T						Water 3T						
178								POL 3T		A	I	H + 210	RED	
179		A						Engr 3T		L				
180		S	2 AAMC Coy Bde Gp		2		1x2½tn	POL 3T Engr 3T		L	R T	H + 210	GREEN	
181		A V .	2/1 Ord Beach Det 2 Bch Wksp :- Cook G.D. MT Sec Reo	13 1 1 4 4				Amn 3T Water 3T Engr 3T POL 3T Ord 3T		E	C T	H + 210	GREEN	
181 a		I						Bn 3T		D				
181 b		L						Bde 1T Amn 2T			E			
181 c		A						Amn 3T				H + 270	GREEN	
181 d		B						Amn 3T			D			
181 e		L						Water 3T						
181 f		E						Water 3T						

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
181 g		C						Amn 3T			A			
181 h		R						Amn 3T				H+230	GREEN	
181 i		A						Water 3T			S			
181 j		F						Amn 3T						
181 k		T						Water 3T				H+290	GREEN	
181 l								Rations 3 T			D			
181 m		A						POL 3T			I			
181 n		S						Rations 2 T POL 1T			R	H+295	GREEN	
181 o		A						Ord 2T Engr 1T			E			
181 p		V						Rations 3 T						
181 q		A I L						Rations 12 Expense 3			C T	H+300	GREEN	
181 r		A B	58 BIPOD Pl	6	2		1x2½tn 1 Drum Lifter	Expense Misc 4			E D			
182		L	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy 'B' Pl " " "		1 1		1 Jeep & trailer							Waterproofod veh.
		E												

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
183		C						Amn 3T						
184		R						Rations 3 T.			A	H+210	BLUE	
185								POL 3T			S			
186		A						Engr 3T						
187		F						Med 1T Expense 2 T			D			
188		T						Bde Stores 1 T Ord 2T			I			
189		A						Bn 3T			R			
190		S						Amn 3T				H+220	RED	
191								Rations 3 T			E			
192		A						POL 3T			C			
193		V						Amn 3T			T			
194		A						Amn 2T Water 1T			E			
195		I L						Water 2T Rations 1 T			D	H+220	YELLOW	
196		A						Rations 3 T						
197		B -L E						Rations 3 T						

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
198		C L	2 Pl 2/11 Fd Coy	8	2		1x3tn tipper 1 Jeep				A	H+220	BLUE	Tipper loaded with arc mesh
200		A	2 Stores Pl		2		1 6x6 GMC				S	H+225	YELLOW	Truck loaded with arc mesh
201		F T A						Engr 1T Water 6T Rations 3 T POL 1T Amn 3T Misc 4 T			D	H+225	RED	
202		S A						Amn 6 T Rations 6 T Ord 5T Water 3T			I R	H+240	RED	
203		V A						Exp 5 T Ord 3T Water 4T			E	H+240	YELLOW	
204		L A						Amn ½ T Rat 8T Water 3T Exp 5T			C	H+245	RED	
205		B L	2/11 Fd Coy (3 Pl)	8	2			1x 3 T Tipper 1 Air Comp.			T E	H+270	BLUE	Water proofed Tipper loaded with air tools
206		E	B Pl 2/108 GT Coy Hqsp Pl " " "		2 2			1x2½ton 1 Jeep			D	H+270	BLUE	Both vehicles water proofed

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
207		C R	2 Beach Wksp :- Rec Soc		2		1xDiamond T Rec				A	H+270	BLUE	
209		A F T	2 Beach Wksp :- Rec Soc 23 A.M.C.U.		2 2		Tractor D8 1 Jeep				S	H+280		
210			'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				D	H+290		Water proofed vehicle
211		A	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer					H+290	BLUE	Water proofed vehicle
212		S	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				I	H+290		Loaded with st for 2/108 G T Co
213		A	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				R	H+290		
214		V	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				E	H+290		Water proofed vehicle
215		A	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				C	H+290		Water proofed vehicle
216		I L	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				T			Loaded with st for 2/108 G T Co
217		A	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				E			
218		B	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer					H+300	BLUE	
219		L	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer				D			
220		E	'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer							
221			'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1Jeep & trailer							

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
222		C	B Pl 2/10S G T Coy		2		1x2½T					H-310	BLUE	Water proofed veh
223		R	'B' Pl 2/10S G.T Coy		2		1x2½T				A	H+310	BLUE	Water proofed veh
224		A	2 Stores Pl		2		1xCrane Tractor Whld				S	H+360		
225		E T	'B' Pl 2/10S G T Coy		2		1x2½T				D	H+360		Veh loaded with Bn HQ Stores & Sig Stores for 2/2 Pnr Bn
226		A	'B' Pl 2/10S G T Coy		2		1x2½T				I	H+360		Veh loaded with Stores for Pnr Pl 2/2 Pnr Bn
227		S	Attd Tps	100							R	H+360	)	
228		A	Attd Tps	100							E	H+360	) LSI	
229		V	Attd Tps Armd Sal Unit	100 6							C	H+360	)	
230		A I	'B' Pl 2/10S GT Coy		2		1x2½T					H+370	)	Water proofed vehicle
231		L	2 Stores Pl		2		1 Crane Whld				T	H+370	) BLUE	
232		A	'A' Pl 2/10S GT Coy		2		1 Jeep & trailer				) E)			
233		B L	'A' Pl 2/10S G T Coy		2		1 Jeep & Trailer				)))	H+380		
234		E	2/4 Ord Bch Det		2		1 Jeep				)			
235			2/1 Ord Bch Det		2		1 Jeep				) D)			
236			2 M.E. Pl		2		1 Jeep & trailer				)			

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
237		C	2 M.E. Pl		2		1 Jeep & trailer				A	H+380	BLUE	
238		K A	2 Bch Wksp :- Dvr Dvr Mech		1 1		1 Jeep				S			
239		F T	2 Bch Wksp :- Dvr G.D.		1 1		1 Jeep							
240			17 Pro Pl		2		1 Jeep				D	H+390	BLUE	
241		A S	17 Pro Pl		2		1 Jeep				I			Water proof vehicle
242			'A' Pl 2/108 G T Coy	2	2		1 Jeep & trailer				R			
243		A						Ammn 3T						
244		V A I	2 Bch Wksp :- Dvr Electrician Armd Sal Unit	18	1 1 2		1 Wksp 1 Jeep				E G	H+400	B	
245		L	'B' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1x2½T					H+400		Waterproofed v
246		A	'B' Pl 2/108 G T Coy HDI " " "	2 1	2 -		1x2½T				T	H+450	L	" "
X 247		B L	'B' Pl 2/108 G T Coy 'A' Pl " " "	- 2	2 -		1x2½T				E	H+450		Veh loaded wi support weapo for 2/2 Pnr
X 248		E	'B' Pl 2/108 G T Coy	2	2		1x2½T				D	H+450	U	Veh loaded wi 1st line amn Pnr Bn (token or
													E	

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
249		C	'B' Pl 2/103 GT Coy		2		1x2½T					H+460		Veh loaded with stores etc for HQ 2 Aust Bch Gp
250		K	'B' Pl 2/103 GT Coy		2		1x2½T				A	H+460		Veh loaded with stores For 'A' Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn
251		L						Ann 3T			S	H+470		
252		F						Ann 3T				H+470		
253		T						Engr 3T				H+470	B	
254		A						Engr 3T			D	H+470		
255		S						POL 3T				H+470	L	
256								POL 3T			I	H+470		
257		A						Engr 3T				H+480		
258		V						Engr 3T			R	H+480	U	
259		A						POL 3T			E	H+480		
260								POL 3T				H+480		
261		I						RAT 3T			C	H+480	E	
262		L						RAT 3T				H+480		
263		A	235 Sup Dep Pl Wksp Pl 2/103 GT Coy	2 22	2		1x2½T				T	H+490		
264		B	HQ 2/103 G T Coy	1							E	H+490	Off i/c Embarkation veh loaded with stores for B Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn	
		L	'B' Pl 2/103 GT Coy		2		1x2½T							
		E	Wksp Pl " " "		19						D			

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LANDING CRAFT SERIAL NO	Landing Craft No	Type	LOAD Personnel Description	Marching	In vehs	Guns	Vehs	Stores	MANNING Place	Time at Ready Line	LANDING Beach	Time	Ex Ship	REMARKS
a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
265		C	2/11 Fd Coy (1 Pl)		2		1x2½T					H+540		Truck loaded with Pl stores
266		R	2/11 Fd Coy (2 Pl)		2		1x2½T				A	H+540		" " "
267		A	2/11 Fd Coy (3 Pl)		2		1x2½T					H+540	B	Waterproofed Veh loaded with Pl stores
268		F	'B' Pl 2/103 GT Coy		2		1x2½T				S	H+550		Veh loaded with 1st line Arm 2/2 Pnr Bn
269		T	'D' Pl 2/103 GT Coy		2		1x2½T					H+550		" " "
270		A						Ann 3T			D	H+560	L	
271		S						Ann 3T				H+560		
272								POL 3T			I	H+560		
273		A						POL 3T				H+560		
274		V						Engr 3T			R	H+560	U	
275		A						Engr 3T				H+560		
276		I						Ann 3T			E	H+570		
277		L						Ann 3T				H+570		
278		A						POL 3T			C	H+570		
279		D						POL 3T				H+570		
280		L						Engr 3T			T	H+570	E	
281		E						Engr 3T				H+570		
282		D	'D' Pl 2/103 GT Coy		2		1x2½T				E	H+580		Veh load with 1st line Arm 2/2 Pnr Bn (Tobruk only)
283		L	" " " "		2		1x2½T				D	H+580		" " "
		E	'D' Pl " " "		2		1x2½T					H+630		Veh loaded with stores for 6 Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn
285			HQ 2/11 Fd Coy		2		1x3 ton Jabon					H+630		

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
286		C	2 Stores Pl		2		1xSemi trailer				A	H+630		S.B.G. loaded
287		R A F T	'A' Pl 2/108 GT Coy		2		1x3 T water				S	H+640		
288			'B' Pl 2/108 G T Coy		2		1x3 T water				D	H+640	B	
289		A S A V A I L A B L E						RATS 3T			I R E	H+650	L U E	
290								RATS 3T				H+650		
291								Ord 3T			C T E	H+650		
292								Water 3T				H+650		
293								Ammn 3T			D	H+650		
294								Ammn 3T				H+650		

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
								POL 3T				H+660	BLUE	
295								POL 3T				H+660	BLUE	
296		C						POL 3T			A	H+660	BLUE	
297		R						Engr 3T				H+660	BLUE	
298		A						Engr 3T			S	H+660	BLUE	
299		F						Engr 3T				H+660	BLUE	
300		T										H+670	BLUE	Water proofed veh loaded with HQ stores
301			HQ 2/11 Fd Coy		2		1x3ton Tipper							
302		A S	2 Beach Wksp:- Cpl Mech Dvr "		1 2		1 x Diamond T Rec				D I	H+670	BLUE	
303			HQ 2/11 Fd Coy		2		1x3ton Tipper				R	H+720	BLUE	Water proofed veh loaded with HQ stores
304		A V A	2/11 Fd Coy (1 Bl) 2 Stores Pl		1 1		1x3ton Tipper Air Comp				E C	H+720	BLUE	Water proofed veh loaded with Air Tools
305		I L A B	2/11 Fd Coy (2 Pl)		2		1x3ton Tipper Air Comp				T E	H+720	BLUE	Water proofed veh loaded with ARC Mosh
306		L E	HQ 2/11 Fd Coy		2		1x3ton Tipper				D	H+730	BLUE	Water proofed veh loaded with HQ Stores
307			2/11 Fd Coy (1 Pl) 2 Stores Pl		1 1		1x3ton Tipper					H+730	BLUE	Water proofed veh loaded with ARC Mosh
308								Amn 3T				H+740	BLUE	
309								Amn 3T				H+740	BLUE	
310								Amn 3T				H+740	BLUE	
311								RAT 3T				H+740	BLUE	
312								RAT 3T				H+740	BLUE	
313								RAT 3T				H+740	BLUE	
314								POL 3T				H+750	BLUE	
315								POL 3T				H+750	BLUE	
316								POL 3T				H+750	BLUE	

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317								Engr 3T				H+750	BLUE	
318		C						Engr 3T				H+750	BLUE	
319		R						Engr 3T			A	H+750	BLUE	
320		A F	2/11 Fd Coy (2 Pl)		2		1x3ton Tipper				S	H+760	BLUE	Tipper loaded with Pl stores
321		F	2/11 Fd Coy (3 Pl) 2 Stores Pl		1 1		1x3ton Tipper					H+760	BLUE	Tipper loaded with SBG
322			2/11 Fd Coy (1 Pl)		2		1x3ton Tipper					H+810	BLUE	Tipper loaded with Pl stores
323			2/11 Fd Coy (3 Pl)		2		1x3ton Tipper					H+810	BLUE	Tipper loaded with Pl stores
X 324		A S	B Pl 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy		2		1x2½ ton				D I	H+810	BLUE	Veh loaded with QM Stores for 2/2 Pnr Bn
X 325			B Pl 2/108 Gen Tpt Coy		2		1x2½ ton				R	H+820	BLUE	Veh loaded with stores for D Coy 2/2 Pnr Bn
326								Amm 8T RAT 9T			E	H+820	BLUE	
327		A						RAT 3T			C	H+830	BLUE	
328		V						POL 3T				H+830	BLUE	
329		A						Ord 3T			T	H+830	BLUE	
330		I						Engr 3T				H+830	BLUE	
331		L A						Misc 3T			E	H+830	BLUE	
332		B I E						RAT 1T Misc 2T			D	H+830	BLUE	
333								RAT 3T				H+840	BLUE	
334								POL 3T				H+840	BLUE	
335								Ord 3T				H+840	BLUE	

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a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
336								Engr 3T				H+840	BLUE	
337		CRAFT						Water 2T Ord 1T				H+840	BLUE	
338		FT						Engr 3T				H+840	BLUE	
339		AS						RAT 18T				H+850	BLUE	
340		--						POL 18T				H+850	BLUE	
341		AVAIL						RAT 3T POL 8T				H+900	BLUE	
		ABLE						ORD 3T Engr 5T				H+900	BLUE	

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LC SERIAL No.	RED SHIP	YELLOW SHIP	GREEN SHIP	BLUE SHIP
19		O.C. D Coy 3 pl Sgts 1 Ord (3)		
26	OC. B Coy 3 pl Sgts 1 Orderly (5)			
46	OC. C Coy 23 OR'S (24)			
50	B Coy 15 OR'S (15)			
57		TK/A pl 4 OR'S (4)		
58		TK/A pl Comd (1) D Coy 10 OR'S (10) C Coy 15 OR'S (15)		
62		C Coy 10 OR'S (10)		
67	CO, AOJT, I.O. Orderly (4) B Coy 6 OR'S (6)			
68	B Coy 14 OR'S (14)			
70		D Coy 20 OR'S. (20)		
71		D Coy 33 OR'S (33) RMO, AAMC S/T. (2)		
72	Sig Pl 3 OR'S (3)			
74	Sig Pl Comd 9 OR'S (10)			
80				
82		Sig pl 8 OR'S (8)	OC A Coy 3 pl Sgts 1 Ord. (5)	
83		O.C. HQ Coy 4 OR'S Sig pl 3 OR'S (8)		
84		PNR pl Comd, 29 OR'S (30)		
95		~~[illegible]~~ 2 SB, Storeman (QM)		
96		C Coy 15 OR'S (18) A Coy 11 OR'S, C Coy 11 OR'S (22)		
114	B Coy 10 OR'S (10)			
131				
132			B Coy 23 OR'S, I Sec 2 OR'S (25) QM, RQMS, I Sec 2 OR'S (8)	
133			Hyg S/T., Bn HQ Ord Pm Staff 3 OR'S	
145	Bn HQ 10 OR'S. (10)		A Coy 13 OR'S, RAP+SB'S 8 OR'S (21)	
146	MMG pl. 10 OR'S, MORTAR pl 5 OR'S (15)			
147	TK/A Pl 3 OR'S (3)			
165				
166			HQ Coy 16 OR'S (16)	
167			HQ Coy 29 OR'S, A Coy 7 OR'S (36) A Coy 5 OR'S (5)	
	105	186	116	

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2 AUST BEACH GROUP MEDICAL ORDER No.1

(Issued as Appendix "E" to 2 Aust Beach Group OO No.1)

1. Information NOT in OO.

(a) Estimate of Casualties:

(i) D Day 200

(ii) After D Day 100 per day.

(b) CCS:

Will NOT arrive before night D plus 2.

(c) AGH:

TOWNSVILLE.

(d) Re-supply:

"C" Section Adv Base Dental Medical and Vet Stores. Arrives afternoon D plus 2.

(e) Hospital Ships:

INTENTION:

2. 2 AAMC Coy (Beach Group) wi collect and treat casualties for evacuation by sea.

METHOD:

3. Troops:

2 AAMC Coy Beach Group with under command from time of landing:

Stretcher Bearers 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn.
AAMC personnel 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn.

4. Beach Bearer Posts:

Vicinity HQ Beach Company Commanders at YELLOW and RED BEACHES.

5. Advance Beach Dressing Station (Adv BDS):

As per first key plan.

6. Main Beach Dressing Station (MBDS)

(a) Advance Beach Dressing Stations will join to form MBDS but NOT before establishment of Main Dressing Station. (MBS) by "X" Aust Fd Amb.

7. Surgical Team:

Location: YELLOW BEACH Beach Dressing Station.

8. Evacuation:

(a) Land:

(i) A and B Aust Inf Bn.

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Cleared by respective Beach Dressing Stations until arrival of detachments "X" Aust Fd Amb who will then evacuate to the corresponding Beach Dressing Station.

(ii) Transport:

Empty Transport returning to Beach Area may be called upon to transport casualties to Beach Dressing Station.

(b) Sea:

(i) Casualty Embarkation Control Officer (CEO):

DADMS 2 Aust Beach Group.

(ii) Craft:

Returning ALCMs or LCIs as determined by the Principal Beach Master.

ADMINISTRATION:

9. Medical Supplies:

10 days supply to be carried by 2 AAMC Coy (Beach Gp).

INTERCOMMUNICATION:

10. Location Senior Medical Officer (SMO):

(i) Afloat: LSI YELLOW

(ii) Ashore: Beach Dressing Station until Main Dressing Station is established then Main Dressing Station.

11. Progress Reports:

To be rendered hourly to Senior Medical Officer ashore.

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APPENDIX "A"
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MAP ENLARGEMENT - SAN REMO AREA
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2 Aust Beach Gp 001.)



SCALE 2" to 1 mile Ref Map CAIRNS 1" to 1 mile

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Appendix D
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BEACH MAINTENANCE AREA
SIGNAL DIAGRAM

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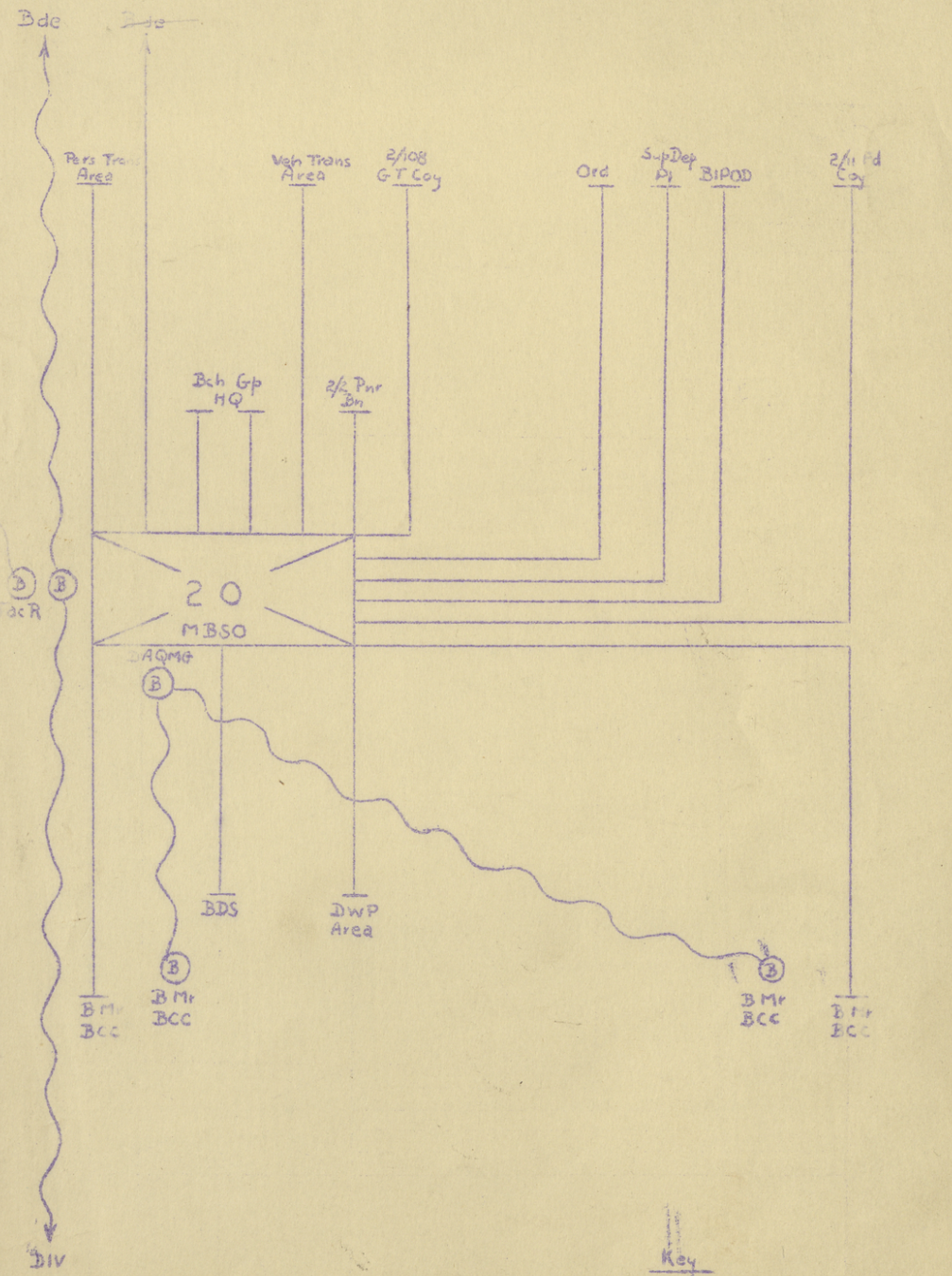

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EXERCISE "LEMON"

SECRET

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25 May 44

2 AUST BEACH GROUP OPERATION ORDER NUMBER 1 (EXERCISE ONLY)

(NO change from verbal orders)

Reference Maps:- 1 inch to 1 mile CAIRNS
Map Enlargement SAN REMO area
(Attached Appendix "A")

INFORMATION:

1. Enemy:

(a) General:

The enemy is in possession of part of QUEENSLAND coast, including all as shown on map 1 inch to 1 mile CAIRNS. His main concentrations are at CAIRNS.

(b) Sea:

NO seaward defences are known. His navy strength is small.

(c) Ground:

NO garrison in SAN REMO area. His mobile reserve is apparently concentrated in SAWHILL area reference 6974. A system of coast-watching is known to be operating in this sector of the coast generally. The presence of working parties suggests that the enemy may be giving consideration to the installation of beach defences.

(d) Air:

Enemy fighter strength is based on MAREEBA, 30 miles WSW of CAIRNS and he is certain to dispute our predominating air superiority on D Day.

2. Own Troops:

(a) Sea:

Our naval dispositions are considered to be adequate to cope with any seaborne threat during D Day.

(b) Land:

(i) 24 Aust Inf Bde Gp is to land on BAKER SECTOR and 9 Aust Cav (Commando) Regt through CHARLIE SECTOR coming under command 9 Aust Div on landing.

(ii) This force will secure a covering position to cover the development of a Beach Maintenance Area by 2 Aust Beach Group, and the concentration of follow-up troops. The limits of this covering position are shown

on Map Enlargement SAN REMO AREA (Appendix "A").

(iii) 20 Aust Inf Bde Gp will pass through Beach Maintenance Area on the night of D-D plus 1 to assembly areas within the covering position.

(c) Air:

5th Air Force is to provide fighter cover over the beaches and operational area from H-15 to H+240.

3. Topography:

(a) Appendix "A" shows subdivision of coast in sectors and beaches.

(b) Details of BAKER SECTOR

(i) Length:

2650 yards

(ii) Average Width:

30-40ft at high tide. 80-90ft at low tide.

(iii) Nature:

Soft, fine sand above high water mark. Firm sand below high water mark.

(iv) Gradient:

The beach appears to have a uniform pitch of from 1:8 to 1:10 for its whole width except that at low tide it seems flatter at the water line. Vehicles should, therefore, be capable of landing dryshed at all but low tides.

(v) Surf:

There is normally NO surf inside the BARRIER REEF but with sustained winds from SE to NE, surf may rise to 3ft.

(vi) Seaward Approaches:

It should be possible to approach BAKER sector in loaded ALCM's at all tides with the following exceptions:-

(a) Sandbars are evident near the mouths of both RICHTER and BARR CREEKS and the positions of these sandbars are subject to change.

(b) Sandbars have been observed up to several hundred yards off the beaches at extremely low tides. These may create navigational difficulties for ALCM's for a period about low tide.

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(c) Beach Exits:-

(i) There is only one mangrove swamp in the area. It stretches inland at the junction of YELLOW and GREEN beaches for approximately 500-yards and runs to the north into RICHER CREEK. It has at least one track through it.

(ii) A few sections of broken-down sea wall on the extreme north end of RED BEACH may prove an obstacle.

(iii) Immediately inland from the NORTH half of RED BEACH are two small gullies which may become swampy in bad weather.

(d) Hinterland:

The whole area is well-wooded down to the dune line. A mangrove swamp stretches from RICHER CREEK, about 800-yds inland from GREEN beach, to the SOUTH This will probably make the only exit from the area along the formed road leading south. This road should be capable of carrying two lanes of traffic.

4. Meteorological:

(i) Prevailing Winds:

SE from 5-15 miles per hour may be expected during the afternoons, but otherwise calm.

(ii) Sea:

Calm or slightly choppy seas may be expected during the afternoons with surf up to three feet in unusual circumstances.

(iii) Rainfall:

Normally dry but occasional thunder storms may occur.

(iv) Sun, Moon, Tides:

DATE	FIRST LIGHT	SUN RISES	SUN SETS	LAST LIGHT	MOON RISES	MOON SETS	H/	HT	H/	HT
May 30	0605	0638	1753	1828	1251	-	0454 1616	6'7" 5'0"	1307 2331	2'6" 3'7"
May 31	0605	0638	1753	1828	1529 x	0048	0539	6'0"	- 1339	- 2'3"
Jun 1	0604	0639	1753	1828	1407	0155	0601 1904	6'0" 6'0"	0001 1247	3'5" 2'1"

(x Moon First Quarter)

5. Additional Troops Under Command:

Following units under command 2 Aust Beach Group (for purposes of exercise only) at YORKEY'S NOON from 0630 hrs 30 May 44:-

Det 1 Aust Mtn Bty (Mech)(AIF)	(50 all ranks)
Det 114 Aust LAA Bty (AIF)	(100 all ranks)
"Y" Troop 114 Aust LAA Bty (AIF)	(3 offrs 77 O/Rs)
Det 7 AIRNS Portress	(150 all ranks)

6. Maintenance Project:

The following schedule sets out the accomodation to be provided in the Beach Maintenance Area (BMA) (Column (c)) and the stores to be carried on the assault convoy for discharge on D Day (Column (d)):-

Serial	Type of Store	Total Accommodation Tons DW	To Arrive D Day Tons DW
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
1	Ammunition	450	107
2	Rations	500	121
3	Water		50
4	Engineer	70	17
5	POL	450	107
6	Ord	150	20
7	Engr	400	80
8	Medical		1
9	Canteen)Miscell-		
10	Postal)aneous	100	17
11	Amenities)Supplies		
12	Hdo & Unit Stores		10
13	Total	2120	547

(i) Serials 9,10,11 will be handled through supply dump;
(ii) Serial 12 will be delivered to Personnel Transit Area.

EXECUTION:

7. 2 Aust Beach Group will land on BAKER SECTOR to develop a Beach Maintenance Area (BMA) to meet the requirements of the maintenance project.

METHOD:

8. Landing:

In accordance with extracts from "X" Aust Inf Bde Dns Landing Craft Tables (Appendix "B").

9. H Hour:

Issued later.

10. D Day:

NOT before 31 MAY 44.

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11. First Key Plan:

Attached as Appendix "G".

12. Reconnaissance Parties:

(a) Land as per Extracts from "X" Aust Inf Bde Bns Landing Craft Tables (Appendix "B");

(b) HQ to be kept informed of progress of all reconnaissances.

13. [redacted] Defence:

(a) Ground and Sea:

Lt-Col C.H.DAVIS, CO, 2/2 Aust Fmr Bn, will be responsible for:-

(i) Organising adequate protection of all roads and tracks entering the area and flank protection of the beaches;

(ii) Co-ordinating the fire plan of individual unit areas;

(iii) Co-ordinating "X" Troop 114 Aust LAA Bty and M/A.2/2 Aust Fmr Bn guns for seaward defence of the Beach Maintenance Area (BMA) and for the co-ordinating of the fire control of these guns;

(iv) Submitting detailed plan of the defence scheme to HQ NOT later than 1600 hrs D Day.

(b) Air:

(i) Alarms:

3 rounds from LAA.

(ii) Actions:

Troops will cease work whilst actually being attacked only.

14. Engineers:

(a) Troops:

[redacted] 2/11 Aust Fd Coy with under command

2 Aust Fd Pl, and
2 Aust Engr Stores Pl

from 250650K May 44 from time of landing.
[redacted] "G" Coy 2/2 Aust Fmr Bn from time of landing.

(b) Tasks in Order of Priority:

(i) Beach clearance;
(ii) Beach feeders;
(iii) Beach laterals;
(iv) Beach exits;
(v) Road frameworks;
(vi) Water points;
(vii) Dump areas as per priorities issued after landing;
(viii) Construction Prisoner of War (PW) cage.

(c) Water Point:

Location, together with time of opening, to be notified for inclusion in Second Key Plan.

15. Labour:

(a) Commander:

Lt-Col C.E.DAVIS, CO, 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn;

(b) Units:

2/2 Aust Pnr Bn less "C" Coy, Signals Platoon, Stretcher Bearers and AAMC personnel with under command from time of landing:-

Det 1 Aust Mtn Bty (Mech) (AIF)	(50 all ranks)
Det 114 Aust LAA Bty (AIF)	(100 all ranks)
Det CAIRNS Fortress	(150 all ranks)

(c) Beach Company Commanders:

(i) BAKER YELLOW Beach, Capt J.A.ROBERTSON, OC, "D" Coy, 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn;

(ii) BAKER RED Beach, Capt T.L.JAMES, OC, "B" Coy, 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn.

(d) Demands for Labour for Dumps:

To be submitted to Beach Group HQ after landing.

16. Transport:

(a) OC 2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy will keep HQ advised as to availability of transport.

(b) Allocation to beaches and dumps as directed after landing.

17. Supplies and POL:

(a) Ready for issue by H plus 9 hours;

(b) NO water to be issued without the authority of HQ 2 Aust Beach Group.

18. Ordnance (including Ammunition):

To be ready for issue by H plus 9 hours.

19. Medical:

As per 2 Aust Beach Group Medical Order No 1 (Appendix "E").

20. Recovery:

(a) Recovery points: BAKER YELLOW, BAKER RED;

(b) D8 Tractor: BAKER YELLOW.

21. Dewaterproofing (D.P):

Location:- 2 Aust Beach Wkshops AEME representative at wheeled and tracked vehicle beach exits.

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22. Provost:

(a) Tasks:

(i) Sign-posting in Beach Maintenance Area (BMA);
(ii) Traffic control in Beach Maintenance Area (BMA);
(iii) Guarding of Prisoners of War;
(iv) Stragglers.

23. Salvage:

To operate from 0600K D plus 1.

ADMINISTRATION:

24. Transport:

(a) Allocation of 2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy vehicles:-

(i) Stores:

HQ 2 Aust Beach Group	1 x 2½ ton 6x6
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	8 x 2½ ton 6x6 ✓

(ii) Ammunition:

(See paragraph 33)	
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	5 x 2½ ton 6x6 ✓

(b) Vehicles loaded with unit stores and ammunition will land as per Extracts from "X" Aust Inf Bde Bn Landing Tables (Appendix "B").

(c) Transport will report to unit lines for loading at 300900K May 44.

25. Waterproofing (WP):

(a) Schedule of vehicles to be waterproofed to Stage 3:-

Unit	¼ Ton	2½ Ton	3 Ton	Dozers	Total
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
HQ 2 Aust Beach Group	1	-	-	-	1
2/11 Aust Fd Coy	1	1	4	-	6
2 Aust ME PL	-	-	-	1	1
2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	8	6	-	-	14
17 Aust Indep Bde Gp Provost Pl	1	-	-	-	1
Total	11	7	4	1	23

(b) The driver and spare driver of the vehicles, plus the 2 additional personnel per vehicle who have attended the Waterproofing Course at 2 Aust Beach Wkshops AEME, will accompany each vehicle through all phases of dewaterproofing. The 2 additional personnel per vehicle have NOT been included in the extracts from Battalion Landing Craft Tables but will, nevertheless, ride in each of the vehicles.

(c) Vehicles NOT included in the above schedule will have ignition systems protected from water splash.

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(d) All the above waterproofed vehicles will be required to wade ashore and will land as per instructs from "G" Asst Inf Bde Bn Landing Craft Tables (Appendix "B")

(e) Stages:-

2 Asst Beach Maintce Area representative will meet waterproofed vehicles at the beach exits where he will carry out necessary immediate action. He will then travel with the vehicle to the vehicle park or unloading area where the personnel allotted to the vehicle will, under the supervision of the Area representative, carry out dewaterproofing to Stage 4.

(f) Stage 5:-

After conclusion of exercise at 2 Asst Beach Maintce Area.

20. Labour for "Digging In".

2/2 Asst Fmr Bn will arrange for the undermentioned Personnel to report to the locations stated at H plus 120:-

(a)	HQ 2 Asst Beach Group	1	HQO	8 O/Rs
(b)	Main Beach Signal Office	1	"	10 "
(c)	Beach Crossing Station [redacted] BEACH	1	"	8 "
(d)	Beach Crossing Station RED BEACH	1	"	8 "

27. Medical:-

(a) Medical Establishment and Functions:-

(i) 2 AAMC Coy (Beach Group) will establish Beach Crossing Stations (BCS) on RED and [redacted] Beaches. Allocation is as in Unit Key Plans.

(ii) Stretcher-bearers of the Beach Crossing Station RED and [redacted] BEACHES will establish beach bearer posts on landing. They will collect casualties from their respective beaches and place them at the beach bearer post for evacuation to the respective BCS by stretcher-bearers to the BDS on RED and YELLOW BEACHES.

(iii) Beach Bearer Posts will be sited near HQ of the Beach Company Commander (BCC).

(iv) Stretcher-bearers of 2/2 Asst Fmr Bn [redacted] will move to Beach Bearer Posts on landing and will assist stretcher-bearers of the BCS. If casualties on the beach are NOT heavy, bearers of the BCS may be withdrawn (See AAMC Operation Order No. 1).

(v) AAMC Orderlies:-

Located at HQ following units:-

2/11 Asst Bde Coy
2/100 Asst Gen Spt Coy
2 Asst Beach Maintce Area.

(b) Immediate Casualties:-

Immediate casualties, 25 to each beach, will be detailed by Medical Officer. Key personnel will NOT be detailed. Units in which casualties are detailed

will notify the nearest stretcher-bearer posts.

(c) **Evacuation of Sick and Genuine Casualties**

As for Exercise Casualties

(d) Seaward Evacuation:

(i) Casualties occurring in craft in the assault waves will return with craft to the LSIs.

(ii) Casualties occurring in craft of the ferry services and all casualties occurring on beaches will NOT be placed on craft except by direction of the casualty embarkation officer.

(iii) Casualty Embarkation Officer will arrange with the Principal Beach Master for evacuation of casualties in the returning craft (for exercise purposes casualties will be embarked on craft and will NOT be evacuated out of the area).

(e) Malarial Protection:

(i) As the area contains Anopheline mosquitoes, all ranks will take full protective measures.

(ii) Long Sleeves and gaiters will be worn after sunset. Working parties will NOT remove shirts after sunset.

(iii) Mosquito nets will be used by all troops. Nets must be kept in good repair and will be inspected to see they are tucked in and are mosquito-proof.

(iv) Mosquito repellant lotion (MARY) will be applied at 2-hourly intervals by all personnel NOT under mosquito nets after sunset.

(v) Sentries will wear veils and gloves if available.

(vi) NO bathing will be permitted after sundown.

(vii) Sundown may be considered to commence at 1800H.

(f) Scrub Typhus:

(i) Mite repellant lotion will be applied to all clothing taken on exercise. In lieu of BETTY, MARY will be used but should be applied every 24-hours.

(ii) All ranks bivouacing in the area will sleep in treated clothing. All ranks will sleep in improvised beds off the ground, where practicable.

(g) Hookworm:

Personnel will NOT walk about barefooted except on the actual beach.

28. Hygiene:

(a) Latrines:

(i) Deep-trench latrines will be dug as early as practicable on D Day.

(ii) Fly-proofing will be carried out as soon as possible.

(iii) Shallow-trench latrines will NOT be used for more than 24-hours after landing.

(iv) All latrines will be filled in at conclusion of exercise.

(b) Disposal of Refuse:

All rubbish will be burnt and then buried. Tins will be burnt, crushed and then buried.

29. Identification of Key Personnel:

The undermentioned personnel will wear helmets steel and have printed thereon in white letters the following:-

Principal Beach Master	PBMr
Beach Master	BMr
Assistant Beach Master	ABMr
Beach Company Commander	BCC
Beach Control Officer	BCO

30. Dress:

(a) To be worn:

Hats, Khaki Felt (Except personnel referred to in paragraph 29).
Shirts.
Long Trousers, KD or JG.
Socks.
Gaiters.
Boots
Web Equipment including pack, haversack & water bottle.

(b) To be carried:

Personal Arms.
Blanket.
Groundsheet.
Mosquito Net, mask and gloves.
Capes, AC
Pullover.
Change of Clothing.
Mossing Gear.
Toilet Gear.
Rations.
Mosquito Repellant (MARY).
Mite Repellant (HENRY) (if available).
Field Dressing.

31. Lights and Fires:

NO lights or fires after last light or before first light.

32. Damage to Property:

As this exercise is being carried out in an area occupied by civilians, every measure will be taken to ensure that private property, including fences, roads and houses, is NOT damaged unnecessarily. Any property damaged, accidentally or otherwise, will be reported to an officer who will note all relevant details and report through normal channels to HQ.

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33. Ammunition:

(a) Live ammunition will NOT be taken;

(b) Units will be allocated vehicles to represent those which would be required to carry first line ammunition. Those vehicles on landing will go through the actions of delivering first line ammunition to units. The vehicles are shown in paragraph 24.

34. POL:

Vehicles to embark with:-

(a) Petrol tanks 7/8 full;
(b) Reserve fuel for 100-miles.

35. Batteries:

Fully charged.

36. Rations:

(a) Carried on the Man:

2 meals for consumption on D Day.

(b) Under Unit Arrangements:

2 meals for consumption on D plus 1.

(c) Administrative instructions for the embarkation period to be issued separately.

37. Water:

(a) Strict water discipline will be followed;

(b) Water, other than that carried, will NOT be drunk unless chlorinated;

(c) Each vehicle will carry 2-gallons.

(d) All personnel NOT carrying unit equipment will carry one full 2-gallon water can which will be carried by the personnel to their unit area where they will be stored under unit arrangements for use as a unit reserve.

SIGNAL COMMUNICATION:

38. Locations:

As per First Key Plan (Appendix "C").

39. Units:

1 Aust Beach Sig Sec and RAU Sig Detachment with under command Sig Pl 2/2 Aust Fmr Bn from 300600K May 44.

40. Advanced Beach Signal Stations:

(a) [redacted]

(b) [redacted]

41. Line Communications:

(a) As per Beach Maintenance Area Signal Diagram (Appendix "D")

(b) Priorities:

(i) Beach Company Commanders;
(ii) HQ 2 Aust Beach Group;
(iii) 2/11 Aust Fd Coy;
(iv) 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn;
(v) 2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy;
(vi) Beach Dressing Stations;
(vii) 2 Aust Beach Wkshops;
(viii) 2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det;
(ix) 58 Aust EXPOD Pl;
(x) 235 Aust Sup Depot Pl;
(xi) Personnel Transit Area;
(xii) Vehicle Transit Area.

42. W/T Communications:

As per Beach Maintenance Area Signal Diagram (Appendix "D")

43. Wireless Silence:

To be maintained until:-

(a) Suprise is lost; or,
(b) Assault companies are ashore.

44. Special D/Rs:

Two available to HQ 2 Aust Beach Group from H plus 150 minute

45. DRLS:

To be established by H plus 360 minutes and on a basis of four trips daily.

46. Runners:

Two runners per unit to report to and remain at HQ 2 Aust Beach Group 20 minutes after landing of main unit party.

47. Codes:
(a) Plain Language:
May be used but with due regard to WT security.

(b) RT Code No.2:

(i) To be used;

(ii) Key Words:

D minus 1	SEND FOUR MAIL/W
D Day	LADEN GIFTS OR/D
D plus 1	METHODS BRING/L

48. Code Names:

HQ 2 Aust Beach Group	VORO
2/11 Aust Fd Coy:-	
HQ	ROBO ✓
1 Pl	SADU
2 Pl	~~HUPO~~ MUPO
1 Aust Beach Sig Sec	KARA

2/2 Aust Pnr Bn:-

HQ	TAGU
HQ Coy	SEPO
A Coy	GOPA
B Coy	WALO
C Coy	BOPO
D Coy	SOTA

2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	PELO
235 Aust Sup Depot Pl	VAPO
58 Aust BIPOD Pl	PORA

2 AAMC Coy (Beach Group):-

YELLOW BEACH	PEMO
RED BEACH	TUBO

2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det	~~NORA~~ MORA
2 Aust Beach Wkshops	KAVA
17 Indep Bde Gp Provost Pl	NONA
"Y" Tp 114 LAA Bty (AIF)	MOLO
1 Aust Armd Bde Salvage Unit	MAPA NAPA

40. Appointments Code:

(a) RAN Commander "B":

Principal Beach Master	PETUNIA
Beach Master YELLOW BEACH	BLUEBELL YELLOW
Beach Master RED BEACH	BLUEBELL RED

(b) 2 Aust Beach Group:

Commander	SUNRAY
GSO III	SEAGULL
DAQMG	MOLAR
IO	ACORN
Sig Officer	PRONTO
DADMS	STARLIGHT

50. Synchronization:

(a) D minus 1:

By DR leaving HQ 2 Aust Beach Group at 1800K.

(b) After Landing:

By EASTERN Standard Time Signal daily.

51. Code Words:

Reference this order HERON.

ACK

K. Collins Major
2 Aust Beach Group

Issued by Special DR.

Signed at 0500K

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1 Aust Beach Sig Soc	5	5	9	5	5	3
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	6-13	6-13	10-17	6-13	6-13	4-5
2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	14-16	14-16	18	14-16	14	6
255 Aust Sup Depot Pl	17	17	19	17	15	7
58 Aust BIPOD Pl	18	18	20	18	16	8
2 AAMC Coy (Beach Group)	19	19	21	19	17	9-10
25 Aust AMCU	20	20	22	20	18	11
2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det	21	21	23	21	19	12
2 Aust Beach Wkshops AEME	22	22	24	22	20	13
17 Aust Indep Bde Gp Pro Pl	23	23	25	23-26	21	14
1 Aust Armd Bde Salvage Unit	24	24	26	27	22	15
"Y" Tp 114 Aust LAA Bty (AIF)	25	25	27	28	23	16
1 Aust Combined Ops Soc	26-36	26-36	28-51	29-44	24-34	17-27
Cond	37	37	52	45	35	28
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MESSAGE FORM

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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2/2 AUST PNR BN

Date—Time of Origin: 281510 K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO 2 BCH GP

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. A154/ ref your ADM INSTR No5 copies 6-13 O rek

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except 4 } Wireless

Signed Maj Capt

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

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2 AUST BEACH GP ADM INSTRUCTION NO.5

EXERCISE "HERON" - EMBARKATION

(Issued in conjunction with 2 Aust Beach Group O.O. No.1)

Ref Map CAIRNS 1" to 1 Mile

Sketch Plan Appx "A"

1. GENERAL

This Instruction will deal with the movement of personnel, vehicles and stores, concerned in Exercise "Heron", into YORKEY'S BEACH Area, Sqs. 6882 and 6883 and with the organisation necessary, in view of the lack of appropriate shipping, for the embarkation of troops and loading of material from simulated "ship" areas at the beach line.

The movement will be dealt with in three parts as follows :

(1) Movement of guns, vehicles and stores to "ship areas".

(2) Movement of personnel to "ship areas".

(3) Embarkation and loading of Craft.

2. EMBARKATION STAFF

(a) M.L.O. Capt E.C. Phillipson 1 Aust Military Landing Group

Tasks : For purpose of Exercise, controls embarkation and disembarkation from simulated "ships" into Craft. Controls all Ships Adjts in loading and unloading of all M.T. and stores.

(b) SHIP'S ADJUTANTS

(i)	LSI "BLUE"	Lt	MARSHALL	2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det
(ii)	LSI "GREEN"	Lt	DRUMMOND	2/2 Aust Pnr Bn
(iii)	LSI "YELLOW" and 3 LCIs	Lt	P.O. GRAHAM	1 Aust M.L. Group
(iv)	LSI "RED"	Lt	MANSFIELD	2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy

Tasks : To control the embarkation of personnel, M.T. and stores into "ship" areas and the loading into Craft of all personnel, vehicles and stores concerned in relevant extracts from Bn Landing Craft Tables.

(c) LOADING OFFICERS

(i)	LSI "BLUE")	Lt	G.G. HITCHEN	2/1 Aust Fd Regt
(ii)	LSI "RED")	Lt	E.D. OMAR	" " "
(iii)	LSI "YELLOW")	Lt	R.C. TAIT	" " "
(iv)	LSI "GREEN")	Lt	C.K. WOODCOCK	" " "

Tasks : Supervision of all work at loading points under the direction of the "Ship's" Adjutant.

3. SHIP'S STAFF

O.C. Troops respective "Ships" and Comds L.C. Serials will be detailed in separate instruction. Tasks as shown in Appx "B".

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PART I

THE MOVEMENT OF GUNS VEHICLES AND STORES TO "SHIP AREAS"

1. Vehicles and Guns

(a) Identification

All vehicles and guns to take part in the Exercise will be marked with Landing Craft Serial No. on both sides in 6" figures. This Number will also be shown on windscreen (paper 9" x 6" inside glass) at bottom at side opposite driver.

(b) Movement of vehicles of units permanently in Beach Group to YORKEY'S BEACH.

(i) Waterproofed Vehicles. On 29 May 44, under arrangements 2 Aust Beach Wkshops, vehicles to be used will move to waterproofing area as shown on Appendix "A".

Drivers and personnel under instruction in waterproofing will accompany vehicles with full equipment prepared to take part in the exercise.

On 30 May, on completion of waterproofing to stage 5, these 23 vehicles will move direct under Wkshop arrangements to "ship Areas" reporting to Ship's Loading Officer on arrival.

(ii) Vehicles NOT waterproofed will move to "ship areas" in accordance with march table Appendix "C"

(c) Movement of vehicles and guns of "Y" Troop :-

(i) These will move to "ship areas" when called for and along route given by Ships' Loading Officers.

(ii) These vehicles and guns will be in position by 1300 hrs 30 May 44.

(d) All vehicles will be in "ship areas" as shown on Appendix "A" by 1400 hrs 30 May 44.

2. Stores :

(a) All stores (except engr stores) will be drawn from Salvage Unit;

(b) Engr stores will be drawn from 2/11 Aust Fd Coy

(c) These will be dumped in craft serial lots on appropriate beaches, as shown on Appendix "A", above high water mark;

(d) Each dump will be marked with craft serial number;

(e) All stores will be in position by 28 May 44.

PART II

MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL TO "SHIP AREAS"

1. Permanent Beach Group personnel dismounted :-

(a) Personnel by ship loads under unit control will move to assembly area at times shown on Appendix "D";

(b) On arrival, senior officer or NCO, will report to control truck (Salvation Army vehicle equipped with Public Address System) for checking and will receive directions as to which part of the area to move his troops;

(c) Vehicles on arrival will be positioned by control officer;

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(d) Craft serials will be married up as follows :-

(i) Control Officer will call craft serial number on Public Address System;

(ii) All personnel in that serial will report to control truck;

(iii) Control officer will check personnel and direct them to a vehicle for embussing;

(iv) Vehicles will be filled from front - 22 per vehicle;

(e) When all personnel of each convoy are embussed, convoy will be despatched;

(f) Units supplying vehicles, number, time of reporting, embussing ST and personnel to be loaded, are shown on Appendix "D".

(g) On arrival at debussing point as shown on Appendix "D", vehicles will be met by Ship's Adjutant. Troops, on order being given, will debuss on right-hand side of road;

(h) M.T, on being emptied, will complete circuit and move off, reporting as shown on Appendix "D", "Remarks".

(i) Troops will be marched to "Ship areas" and will be bivouacked for night 30/31 May 44 in bays off tracks running through "ship area". These bays will be marked with craft serial number;

(j) NO troops will leave "craft serial" bay before 1600 hrs;

(k) At 1630 hrs NCO or officer in charge each craft serial will meet ship's adjutant and be shown route to beach.

FUP
Waiting line
Ready line
Beach Section being used for ship

(l) OC craft serial will then inform all personnel in his craft and ensure that the information is known by them;

2. Permanent Beach Group personnel mounted:-

(a) These personnel will remain with vehicle until parked in "ship area".

(b) On parking, personnel will bivouac near vehicle;

(c) Vehicle will NOT leave ship area until called for by ship's loading officer;

(d) Ship's loading officer will familiarise these personnel with routes and locations of beach feeders.

3. "Y" Troop - driver and spare driver :-

(a) will remain with vehicle until parked in ship area;

(b) will bivouac in vicinity of vehicle;

(c) Sub-paragraphs (c) and (d) Paragraph 2 also apply.

4. "Y" Troop - Other personnel :-

(a) will organise into craft serials in concentration area;

(b) These personnel will be met by a guide from MLO at 3015K and shown to craft serial bays in various ship areas;

(c) Sub-paragraphs of paragraph 1 as to action on being led to craft serial bays in various ship areas also apply.

(d) These personnel marry into complete craft serial in bays.

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5. CAIRNS FORTRESS PERS (150 all ranks)

(a) These personnel will move by own MT to arrive in concentration area at YORKEY'S BEACH by 311000K;

(b) All personnel will remain in concentration area until sent for by Ship's Adjutant;

(c) Guides will direct personnel to waiting line and thence to craft;

(d) These personnel will cease to be under command 2200 hrs 31 May 44.

6. 114 LAA BTY (Excluding "Y" Troop) (100 all ranks)
DET 1 AUST MTN BTY (50 all ranks)

(a) These personnel will move, using own MT, to bivouac area to be in position by 291200K May 44.

(b) On being called for on 31 May 44 troops will follow guide to waiting line and thence to beach.

7. DET 2/1 AUST FD REGT (350 all ranks)

(a) This detachment will move, using own MT, to be in bivouac area by 291200K May 44;

(b) Detachment will supply officers, NCOs and troops for loading craft on YORKEY'S BEACH as arranged direct by Capt PHILLIPSON.

8. GUIDES

MLO will arrange all necessary guides from Detachment 2/1 Aust Fd Regt.

PART III

EMBARKATION AND LOADING OF CRAFT

Personnel - Dismounted:

1. In order to simulate disembarkation from LSI, the movement of personnel from "ship areas" will be controlled by Ship's Adjutants. It will be in 4 phases :-

(1) From bivouac bay or area in "ship area" to FUP;

(2) From FUP to waiting line;

(3) From waiting line to ready line;

(4) From ready line to craft.

2. Craft serials will be at ready line 2 minutes before manning time as shown in craft serial table.

3. Where no manning time is given Ship's Adjutants will ensure that personnel are "fed up" to waiting line as required by them.

4. Senior Offr or NCO in Craft Serial will be O.C. Craft Ser and will control personnel in His Serial.

PERSONNEL MOUNTED AND M.T

5. Loading Offrs will call forward vehicles as required. Drivers and spare drivers will accompany vehicles.

STORES

6. (i) Stores will be loaded to craft as available under supervision of Loading Offr, and in accordance with Landing Craft Table.
(ii) Serials will NOT be split
(iii) 2/6 Coy AASC will provide 6 vehicles to report Adjt BLUE SHIP at the Beach at 0600 hrs 31 May 44.

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PART IV

GENERAL.

NOMINAL ROLLS

1. Ships Adjutant will supply each O.C. L/C Ser with pro forma in duplicate.

2. O.C. L/C Ser will prepare nominal roll of personnel in his Serial by 301800K hrs.

3. These will be collected by Ships Adjutant Staff prior to embarkation into craft.

TIME TABLE 31 MAY 44

4.

	Serials 1 - 100	Serials 101-541
Reveille	H - 165	H - 45
Breakfast	H - 120	H hr
Ready to move	H - 75	H+45

MESSING ARRANGEMENTS

Staff

(1) W.O. Caterer 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn will be i/c of all messing arrangements.

(2) Cooks and mess orderlies will be supplied as follows :

	Cooks	Mess Orderlies
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	4	-
2/11 Aust Fd Coy	2	4
2/103 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	-	12
2 Aust Beach Workshop	1	-
1 Ord Beach Det	2	-
58 Aust EIPOD P1	1	-

These will be supplied from personnel in later L/C Serials and will report to W.O. Caterer at YORKEY'S BEACH by 301200K hrs using 2/11 Aust Fd Coy transport (jeeps)

5. The following meals will be supplied under HQ Beach Gp arrangements from messing points Nos 1 and 2. - (30 May Evening Meal; (31 May Breakfast

6. (a) The following units are not included in above messing arrangements but will accommodate themselves

Det 2/1 Aust Fd Regt
Det 114 L.A.A. Bty (less "Y" tp)
Det 1 Aust Mtn Bty
Det CAIRNS Fortress

(b) "Y" Tp will be supplied under Gp arrangements with meals as in para (5).

(c) Personnel attending Wkshops area for waterproofing will be rationed by 2/103 Aust Gen Tpt Coy and accommodated under Wkshop arrangements. Craftsman drivers and students will be attached to 2/103 Aust Gen Tpt Coy for rations.

7. Personnel will be called when meals are available for serving.

HYGIENE

8. Ships Adjutants will be responsible for Hygiene in their areas (incl preparation of latrines), the W.O. Caterer for Hygiene at the Kitchens.

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RATIONS

9. Rations for the meals mentioned above will be diverted to this H.Q.

10. Personnel will embus with exercise rations.

CONTROL

11. 2/1 Fd Regt will supply personnel to control traffic as directed by M.L.O.

12. Ships Adjutants will ensure that Reveille hours are observed.

INTERCOMMUNICATION

13. 2/1 Fd Regt will supply intercommunication as arranged with M.L.O.

Ack.

K. Collins ....Maj.
(K.C. COLLINS)
DAQMG, 2 Aust Beach Group.

Issued by S.D.R.
Signed at 27/1100 K hrs.

List of Appendices - A. Litho Embarkation area.
B. Duties of O's C. LSI and O.C. L.C. Serials.
C. March Table of M.T.
D. March Table unmounted tps.

Distribution:

	Adm Order	A.	B.	C.	D.
R.A.N. N.B.C.(B)	2	2	-	1	1
2/11 Aust Fd Coy	2	2	2	2	2
1 Aust Beach Sigs	1	1	1	1	1
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	2	2	2	1	2
2/10B Aust Gen Tpt Coy	5	5	5	5	5
235 Aust Sup Dep Pl	1	1	1	1	1
58 Aust BIPOD Pl	1	1	1	1	1
2 AAMC Coy	1	1	1	1	1
23 Aust Malaria Control Unit	1	1	1	-	1
2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det	1	1	1	1	1
2 Aust Beach Wkshops	1	1	1	1	1
17 Aust Ind Bde Gp Pro Pl	1	1	1	1	1
1 Aust Armd Bde Salvage Unit	1	1	1		
"Y" Tp LAA	1	1	1	1	1
Det 2/1 Aust Fd Regt	1	2	-	-	-
" 114 LAA	1	1	-	-	-
" 1 Mtn Bty	1	1	1	-	-
" Cairns Fortress	5	5	2	-	2
incl 1 each for G.T. Coy and O.C. Labour Detachment	12	12	12	12	12
1 Aust Comb Ops Sec	1	1	1	1	1
Comd	1	1	1	1	1
D.A.Q.M.G.	1	1	1	1	1
G.III	1	1	1	1	1
D.A.D.M.S.	1	1	1	1	1
Capt Phillipson	5	20	5	5	5
Capt Beattie	2	2	-	2	2
War Diary	2	2	2	2	2
File	1	1	1	1	1

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Adm. Order No 5
Appendix A

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Scale 1" = 110 yds
Ref. Map CAIRNS 1"
square 6883

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Appx "B" to 2 Aust Beach Group Adm Order No.5 dated..5..May '44

DUTIES OF O.C. SHIPS AND O.C. DRAFT SERIALS

(a) OCs LSIs and AKA (YELLOW, RED, BLUE, GREEN "SHIPS")

(i) Responsible for all personnel allotted to his "Ship"

(ii) Instructs each Boat Team Leader of the route to be followed from the Assembly Area to the F.U.P. thence to the Ready Line.

(iii) Responsible that each Boat Team Leader has a Nominal Roll and that a complete check of each Boat Team is carried out in the "Ship" Area.

(b) OCs LCIs

(i) Responsible for all personnel allotted to his Craft.

(ii) Responsible for compilation and checking of Nominal Roll and that Boat Team is complete. Hands out copy of Nominal Roll to "Ship's" Staff at Assembly Area.

(iii) Ensures that every man knows the Number of his Serial.

(iv) Contact "Ship's" Adjutant as to the route from the Assembly Area to the Embarkation Point.

(c) O.C. Craft Serial

(i) Responsible for all their Boat Team irrespective of Unit or Sub-unit.

(ii) Responsible for compilation of Nominal Roll and that his Boat Team is complete. Arranges for Roll to be called in Assembly Area, and 1 Copy to be handed to "Ship's" Staff.

(iii) Ensures that every man knows the Number of his Serial.

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EXERCISE SECRET

Copy No....05.

27 May '44

MOVEMENT TABLE - U.T. (unwaterproofed) from Camp Area to SHIPS

Appx "C" to 2 Aust Beach Group Adm Order No.5 dated 27 May 44

DATE OF MOVE: 30 May '44
ROUTE : COOKS HIGHWAY - YONKEY'S RD - YONKEYS BEACH
S.P. OUT TRACK SPORTS GROUND Opp 2/2 AUST PIR BN. REF 616876
DENSITY : 18 V.T.U.
CONTROL OFFR : CAPT BEATTIE, 2/103 A.G.T. COY
ASSEMBLY AREA : SPORTS GROUND

SPEED : 20 m.i.h.
REGULATING HQ at S.P.
BIVOUAC AREA - Night 30/31 May 44. YONKEYS BEACH in Ship Areas.

Serial No	UNIT	No of Vehs	Time report assembly area	Time past S.P.	Time due YORKEYS BEACH	O.C. Convoy	Load to Ship	REMARKS
1	All unwaterproofed for vehs YELLOW & GREEN SHIPS (in that order)	11	1030	1045	1105	SENIOR OFFICER OR U.C.O. IN CONVOY	YELLOW and GREEN	1. Control offr will muster vehs into progressive order of Serial Nos.
2	All unwaterproofed vehs for REDSHIP	16	1100	1115	1150		RED	2. Control offr will despatch vehicles.
3	Unwaterproofed vehs for BLUE-SHIP Ser 1-250	35	1130	1145	1220		BLUE	3. Each Serial moves as one convoy.
4	Unwaterproofed vehs for BLUE-SHIP Ser 251-341	20	1200	1215	1250		BLUE	4. Driver & spare driver travel with veh - take own midday meal.
5	Transporter 4 Dozers 1 Tractor D8, 2 Tracked Cranes	8	Move independently		1600		VARIOUS	

Jeep X

EXERCISE SECRET

Copy No. 12

MOVEMENT TABLE - PERSONNEL FROM CAMP AREA TO SHIPS

Appx "D" to 2 Aust Beach Group Adm Order No.5 dated 27 May 44

27 May '44

DATE OF MOVE : 30 May '44
ROUTE : COOKS HIGHWAY - YORKEYS RD - YORKEYS BEACH
S.P. : OUT TRACK - SPORTS GROUND Opp 2/2 AUST PIR BN
DENSITY : 36 V.T.E. SPEED : 20 m.p.h.
CONTROL AND EMBUSSING OFFR : CAPT BEATTIE

ASSEMBLY AREA : SPORTS GROUND
REGULATING HQ at SPORTS GROUND
BIVOUAC AREAS : Night 30/31 May 44 YORKEYS BEACH
IN SHIP AREAS.

Serial No	Personnel	No Pers	Vehicles supplied by	Vehicles to report assembly area	Tps to report assembly area	Time Past S.P.	Time Due YORKEYS	Load to ship	REMARKS
1	All unmounted personnel for RED SHIP	397	2/6 - 17 2/10B - 2	1230	1230	1245	1320	RED	1. Each Serial will move as a separate convoy.
2	All dismounted personnel YELLOW SHIP	416	2/10B - 1 2/11 - 6 L of C - 13	1255	1255	1315	1350	YELLOW	2. Vehs will be 2½t or 3 t vehs carrying 22 pers.
3	All dismounted personnel GREEN SHIP	236	2/6 - 11	1405	1400	1420	1455	GREEN	3. All vehs used in Ser 1
4	All dismounted personnel BLUE SHIP	93	2/10B - 5	1435	1430	1450	1525	BLUE	4. Ser 3. Same vehs as Ser 1. 5. Ser 4. Includes same veh as Sers 1 and 2.
	Reserve 5 vehs 2/11 Fd Coy - on call in unit lines								6. Ser 2. L of C vehs on completion to return by direct route to own camp. 7. Ser 3 and 4. On completion vehs return to unit lines.

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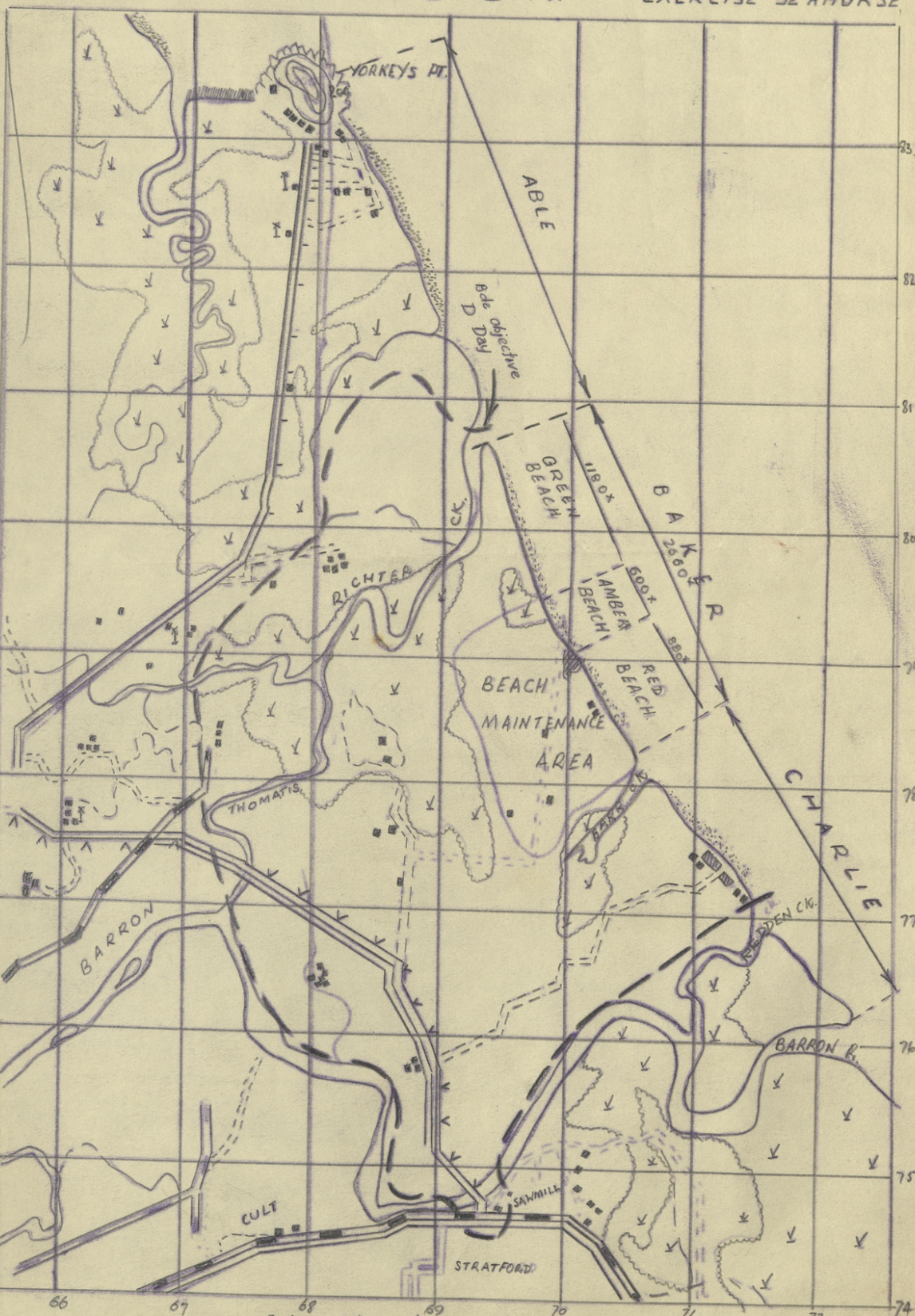
APPENDIX A

BEACHES - ASSAULT BDE COVERING LINE

BMA FOR D - DAY

EXERCISE SEAHORSE



SCALE = 2" to 1 mile Ref. Map CAIRNS 1" to 1 mile.

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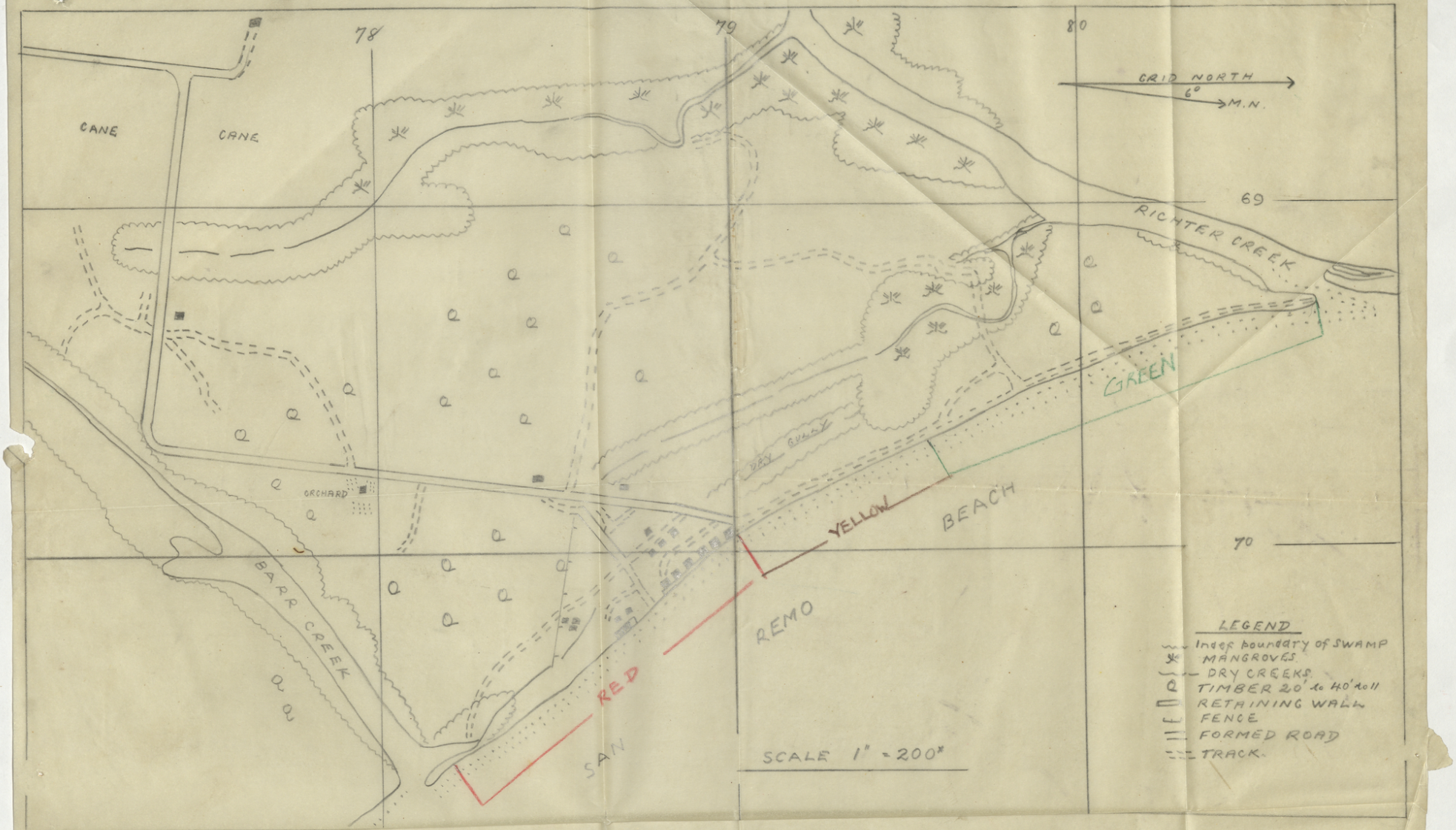
EXERCISE SEAHORSE

APPENDIX B



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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: TAGU

Date—Time of Origin: 31/1134K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO SOTA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. EX4/

WALO sailreport YELLOW BCH immediately

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except ..... } Wireless

Signed mf Capt

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

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THI or TOR		
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For Action

TO WALO

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. Ex 3 / no reports received – expedite

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except ..... } Wireless

Signed Wolegs Capt

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

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FROM (A) Originator: TAGU

Date—Time of Origin: 31 1120K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO SOTA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. EX 2/ NO reports received — expedite

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Signed [signature] Capt

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Signed

Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority

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Serial No.

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IN

OUT

No. of Groups
GR.

OFFICE DATE STAMP

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TO TAGO

FROM SOTH

Originator's Number	Date	In Reply to Number
WHS 5	8	

Serial	1-19-20-	21-27-28	-36-37-38	-45-47	-57
58-62-	81-82-83	-84- 93	-94-95-	96-102	-116
104-105	-106-107	-131-132	-103-1	19-120	-121-
156-159	-158-151	-152-153	-15X	have	cancel
⊙	would	be	delighted	to	have
a	telephone	and	have	arse	to
talk	to	⊙	We	want	talk

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN * (EXCEPT) BY ANY MEANS: ( ) WIRELESS

SIGNATURE

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THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CYPHER IF LIABLE TO INTERCEPTION OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS.

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY

TIME OF ORIGIN
31-11 35 15

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T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) Originator: HQ Coy

Date—Time of Origin: 31/1150K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

BN H.Q

ORIGINATOR'S No. H3

Coy landed strength 4 and 62 O

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except ..... } Wireless

Signed [illegible] for O/C HQ Coy

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) Originator: TAGH

Date—Time of Origin: 31 1145 K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO GOPA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

EXS/ INCO 10 OR' report BIPOD immediately

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except ..... } Wireless

Signed Int Capt

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

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Time Cleared		

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MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: B H Q

Date—Time of Origin: 31/0002 K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO ALL COYS

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

OPT I — FIND RUNNERS FROM EACH COY TO REPORT TO RHQ IMMEDIATELY.

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except ..... } Wireless

Signed Clo Knight RSM

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

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Time Cleared		

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MESSAGE FORM

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Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: H Q Coy

Date—Time of Origin: 311050K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO Bn H. Q

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

H.Q. Coy LANDED STRENGTH 4 offrs 61 o/Rs.

Coy H.Q. established, Bn Pl moved to various jobs, as ordered.

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except } Wireless

Signed [illegible] for OC

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op
THI or TOR		
Time Cleared		

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MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: ~~SOTA~~ TAGU

Date—Time of Origin: 31/1055K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO SOTA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. Ex 1/ no labour available

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except / Wireless }

Signed [illegible] Capt

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority: Hand

Time	System	Op
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Serial No.

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OUT

No. of Groups
GR.

OFFICE DATE STAMP

(ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

TO TAGU

FROM B.C.C. YELLOW

Originator's Number WK 2

Date 31 1052K

In Reply to Number

BEACH	GETTING	BAD	O	BARGES	GROUNDING
30	YARDS	OUT	O	LABOUR	HS
REQUESTED	NOT	YET	REPORTED	O	WANTED
URGENTLY					

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(Pads of 100)

MESSAGE FORM

Serial No.

CALL AND INSTRUCTIONS	IN	No. of Groups GR.	OFFICE DATE STAMP
	OUT		

(ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

TO TAGU

FROM	Originator's Number	Date	In Reply to Number
WALO	A1	31	

SEPO	THREE	offs	53 O/Rs ✓	COPA	1 officer
4 O/Rs	WALO	2 offrs	62 O/Rs	BOPO	all
ranks	SOTA	53 O/Rs	arrived	RED	BEACH
D	Have	no	L/T	or	W/T
communication	with	open	⊙		

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T.O.R.

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For Action

TO WALO

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

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EX 91 INCO 10 ORs report ORD DET immediately

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Signed pp Capt

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Signed

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Degree of Priority

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For Action

TO GOPA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

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EXR/ INCO 10 ORs report ORD DET immediately

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Signed 10 Bty Capt

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Date—Time of Origin: 311205 K

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TO SOTA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. EXT/GOPA WALO will NOT report yellow until decision reached ref tide

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Signed [signature] Capt

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Signed

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FROM (A) Originator: A. Coy

Date—Time of Origin: 31 1115K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Pur. Bn

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

OR2 OC 1 Pl Com 3 Pl Sgts 1 6 Sells + 21 OR's landed

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Signed Cyparroll L/Cpl

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Signed

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FROM (A) Originator: TAGG

Date—Time of Origin: 31/1200K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO SOTA

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Ex 61 what about some reports, giving details espec our 001

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Signed Maj Capt

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Signed

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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM: 2 aust beach gp 01 1110K

TO: ran commando (b) 2/11 aust fd coy 1 aust beach sigs 2/2 aust pnr bn 2/108 aust gen tpt coy 235 aust sup depot pl 58 aust bipod pl 2 aamc coy (beach gp) 2/1 aust ord beach det 2 aust beach wksp 17 aust ind bde gp pro pl 1 aust armd bde sal unit BCC YELLOW beach BCC RED beach

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Originators No XQ5 (.) return of personnel to SAN REMO BEACH per landing craft 011400K jun (.) embarkation area YELLOW BEACH (.) craft available 14 ALCs (.) craft to be used 13 ALCs (.) FUP clear of beach lateral immediately WEST of YELLOW BEACH (.) personnel will form up and embark in following serials (.) Serial 1 (.) 2/1 aust ord beach det 40 1 aust armd bde sal unit 12 58 aust bipod pl 6 (.) serial 2 (.) 2/11 aust fd coy 80 (.) serial 3 (.) 1 aust beach sig sec 50 235 aust sup depot pl 15 (.) serials 4 to 9 (.) 2/2 aust pnr bn 450 (.) serial 10 (.) 2/108 aust gen tpt coy 70 (.) serial 11 (.) 2/108 aust gen tpt coy 30 (.) serial 12 (.) 2 aamc coy (beach gp) incl 23 aamcu 45 (.) serial 13 (.) 17 aust ind bde gp pro pl 28 ran commando (b) 50 (.) serials commence vicinity hq BCC YELLOW BEACH and extend SOUTH to end of beach (.) 17 aust ind bde gp pro pl will provide one provost at each serial by 011330K (.) location of serials will be notified to pro by BMr YELLOW BEACH (.) ran commando (b) will call serials forward to craft (.) on arrival SAN REMO personnel will move to camp areas under unit arrangements

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DRLS

FUP-1330

[signature] Maj

5 x 50

4 75 D Coy.
5 remainder D + C Coy = 75
6 ✓ C + BN + HQ Coy = 75
7 ✓ HQ + B Coy = 75
8 } B + A Coy = 75
9 }

D
C
Bn
HQ
B
A

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FROM (A) Originator: 80 Po

Date—Time of Origin: 10830K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO TAGU

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. CRT SIT REP. O 300R'P CALLED FOR UNLOADING OF STORES AT 312.000K UNTIL 10100K O OTHERWISE SIT REPSIT-NOR. O

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Signed [illegible]

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Signed

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Refer. 6 ors ? or 8 ors

Reinforcements.

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FROM (A) Originator: C.S.M. H.Q. Coy

Date—Time of Origin: 01 0745 K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO R.S.M. B.H.Q.

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. ~~###~~ G.1. AMM. REQUIREMENTS ⊙

SMALLS GTN 2500 RDS ⊙

SMALLS BELT 3000 RDS ⊙

9 MM 500 RDS ⊙

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Signed A.E. Goverswell

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Signed

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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM: 2 aust beach gp 31 2355K

TO: ran commando (b) 2/11 aust fd coy 1 aust beach sigs
2/2 aust pnr bn 2/108 aust gen tpt coy 235 aust sup
depot pl 28 aust bipod pl 2 aamc coy (beach gp)
23 aamcu 2/1 aust ord beach det 2 aust beach wksp
17 aust ind bde gp pro pl 1 aust armd bde sal unit
Y tp laa bty BCC YELLOW beach BCC RED beach

Originators No X03 (,) 10 6x6 vehs 2/108 aust gen tpt coy report as follows (.) first (.) 4 to BCC YELLOW BEACH and 4 to BCC RED BEACH at 010830K jun (.) task to load 44 gal drums from beach area to BIPOD where on arrival loads will be checked in by BIPOD but NOT unloaded (.) vehs will then proceed to 698623 and return in convoy to 1 aust armd bde sal unit camp area and unload (.) second (.) 2 vehs to report 1 aust armd bde sal unit bivouac area 010900K jun and pick up 10 personnel of that unit then proceed to 2/2 aust pnr bn bivouac area and pick up 30 personnel of that unit (.) vehs will then proceed to 698623 to move with convoy personnel to act as unloading party (.) 2/108 aust gen tpt coy to provide OC convoy (.) after unloading vehs proceed to unit lines (.) 2/108 aust gen tpt coy will contact BCC RED and YELLOW BEACHES before 010830K jun who will advise jeeps and trailers required to complete clearance of light stores from beach area to dumps (.) vehicles required to report to BCC's 010900K (.) all unit commanders report beach gp hq 010815K jun short conference re return to camp

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..... Maj

311625 K

From Walo
Hourly Report

Unloading of craft
is proceeding satisfactorily
— 3 air strikes in last
hour — No casualties —
Received 9 Reinforcements

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TO PNR BN

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

A.1 ⊙ OC 3 Pl Sgt 1 OR ARRIVED 0855 ⊙ NOW AT RD JUNC NEAREST BEACH NE BDS ON FIRST KEY PLAN ⊙ INDICATE TASK ⊙ ACK.

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Signed

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Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

D.R.

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FROM (A) Originator: BOPO

Date—Time of Origin: 310920K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO TAGO

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. CR2 BOPO Landing complete

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Signed [signature]

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Signed

Originator's Instructions
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6 Bay Parade State 31st June '44.

— NOT EXERCISE. —

	Offrs.	WO	Sgt.	Cpl.	Bdr.	OR's
C	1		3	4	65	73
E				1	1	2.

L.S. Thomson Lt/Col.

A COMPANY — PARADE STATE (W300 b.

31-5-44

	OFFRS	WO's	SGT's	CPL's	OR's	TOTAL	
P	4	1	3	3	27	38	
E			1			1	
G				1	1	2	VX73464 PTE. PAULKA. W. VX74314 CPL. WINCHCOMB EVAC TO HOSP 30.5.44

NUMBER ON EXERCISE 41

ALL ACCOUNTED FOR.

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WALO

109
111
112
114

1 jeep – 1 ltr. 60.

142
143 } am 3 bars am
144 } 3 vatican
3 Pol.

145 } 1 jeep
146 } 1½ am
147 } 30 person

159 } 2 jeep + ltrs
160 } 4 OR's

188 } 1 ton shovels
189 } 2 ton ord
190 } 3 ton am
3 – Bn shovels
20 A.P.

ACOY. TENTATIVE SITING

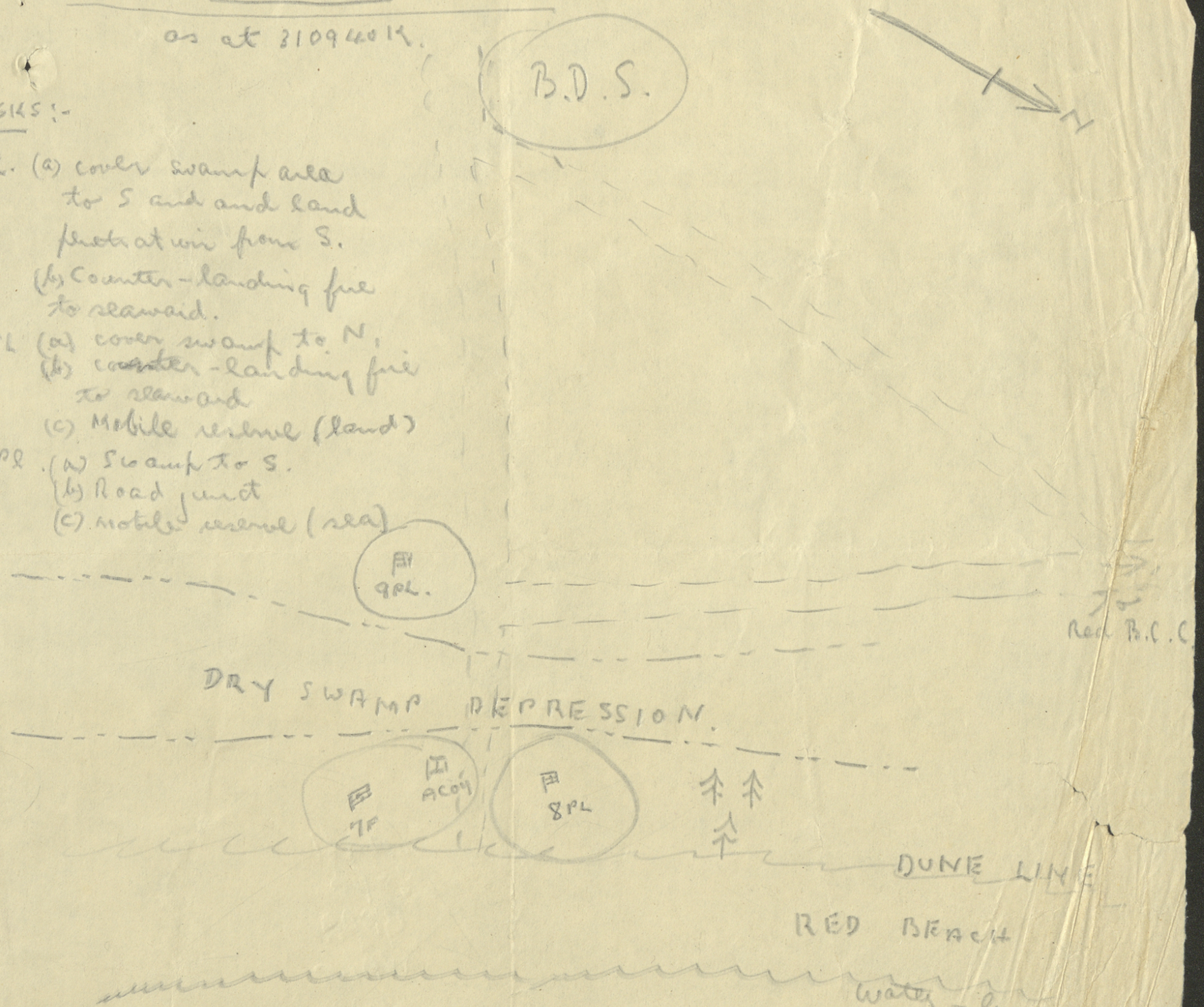
as at 310940K.

TASKS:-

1/ 7PL. (a) cover swamp area to S and and land penetration from S.
(b) Counter-landing fire to seaward.

2/ 8PL (a) cover swamp to N.
(b) counter-landing fire to seaward
(c) Mobile reserve (land)

3/ 9PL. (a) Swamp to S.
(b) Road junct
(c) mobile reserve (sea)



SCALE: 2" to 100 yds (approx)

G. F. Bellmaine Capt.

TAGU
SEPO
GOPA
WALO
BOPA
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APPENDIX 'C'
SECRET
COPY NO. 13

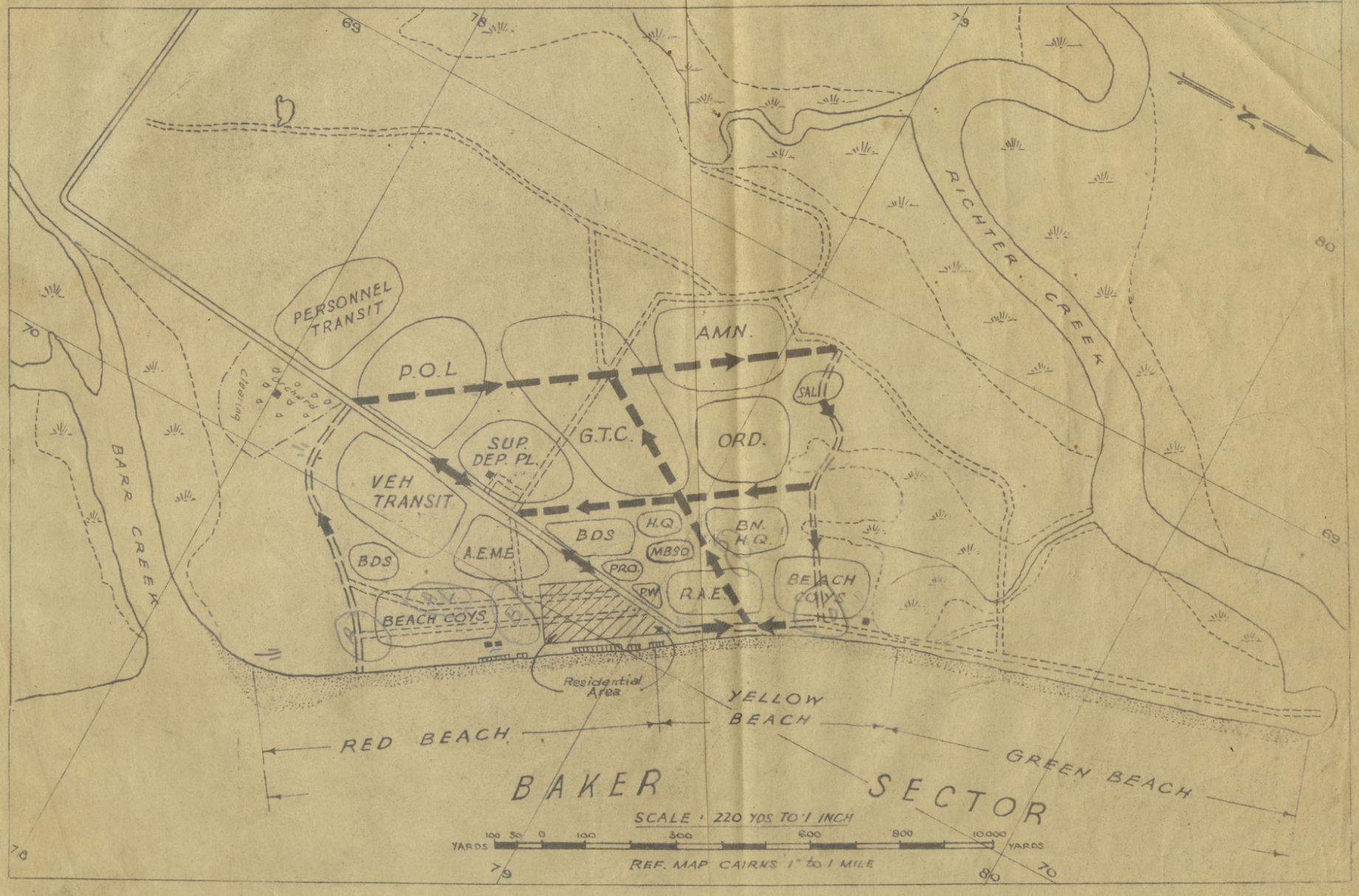
EXERCISE 'HERON'

FIRST KEY PLAN

(ISSUED AS APPENDIX "C" TO 2 AUST. BEACH GROUP 001)

LEGEND

- EXISTING ROAD
- EXISTING TRACKS
- EXISTING TRACKS TO BE USED IN TRAFFIC CIRCUIT
- TRACKS TO BE CONSTRUCTED



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To B.H.Q.
From B Coy

Stores being moved from Ack to dune line 0
rollers in use for ann 0 jeeps & thos carting stores
to dumps from dune line 0 2 air strikes 0 no casualties
14 reinforcements M/1 1645

TH1
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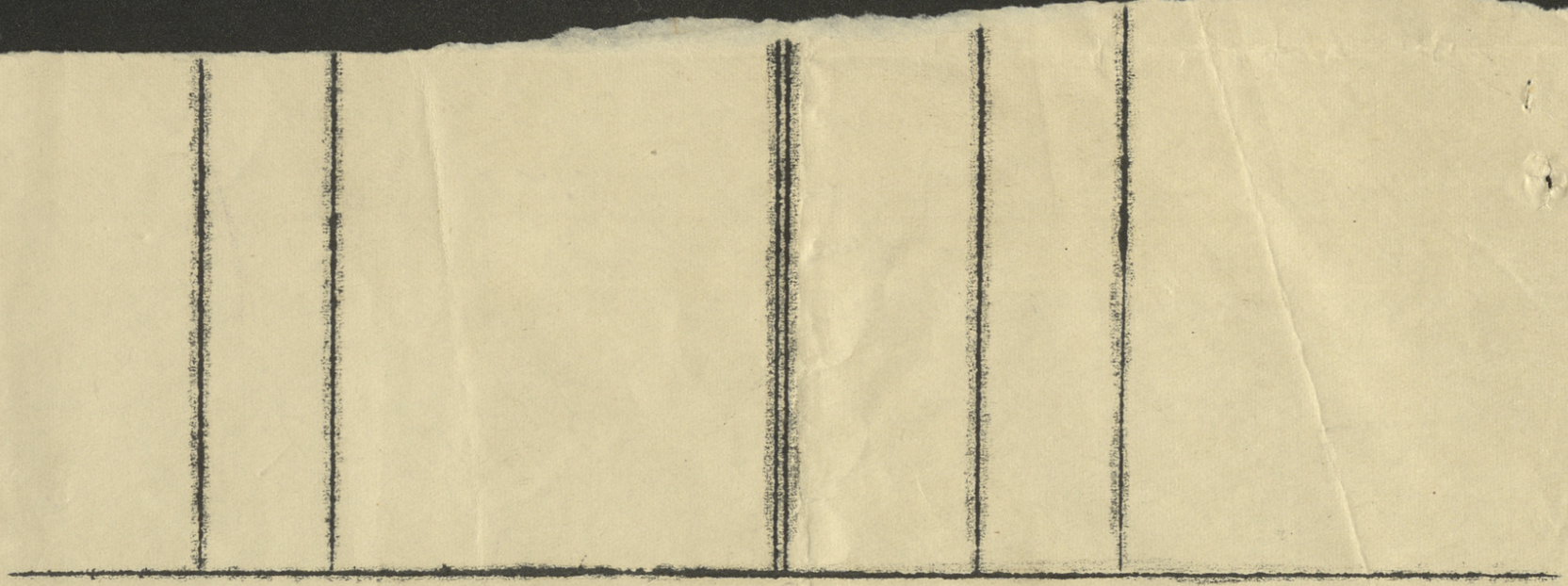

Weapons and Stores

Date _____

O.C. LANDING CRAFT SERIAL _____

THIS FORM WILL BE COMPILED IN DUPLICATE ORIGINAL TO BE HANDED TO SHIP'S ADJUTANT AND DUPLICATE RETAINED BY O.C. L/C SERIAL.

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30/5/44 AE5/1/120

Date 1/1 File No. 1

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FROM: 2 aust beach gp 30 0900K

TO: 2/2 aust pnr bn 2/6 coy aasc

(INFO)

1 aust mil landing gp

Originators No A721 (.) 200 additional personnel 2/2 aust pnr bn to be tptd to embarkation area 31 may 44 for inclusion HERON (.) embussing pt sport ground 618875 at 310900K (.) debussing pt SHIP YELLOW under direction ships adjt at 311000K (.) first addressee to appoint embussing offr and oc tps

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K. Callinan ..... Maj

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MESSAGE FORM

FROM : H.Q. 2 AUST BEACH GROUP

DATE 30

T.O.O. 301200K

TO : All Units on Op Order Number 1 (Exercise only)

ORIGINATORS NO: 0.728. SECRET (.) HERON (.) ADV HQ 2 AUST BEACH GROUP CLOSES PRESENT LOCATION 301800K OPENS SHIP RED SAME TIME REAR H.Q. REMAIN PRESENT LOCATION.

Date 30/5/44 TIME 1/172

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K. Collins Lig
.....~~Capt~~

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HQ
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn
AE 5/891

HQ
2 Aust Beach Group

LANDING CRAFT TABLE - HERON EXERCISE

Att herewith detail of landing craft table for HERON Exercise as requested.

19 May 44

.....Capt
Adjt 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn

Encl

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"HERON"

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EXERCISE LERON.
2 KEY PLAN.

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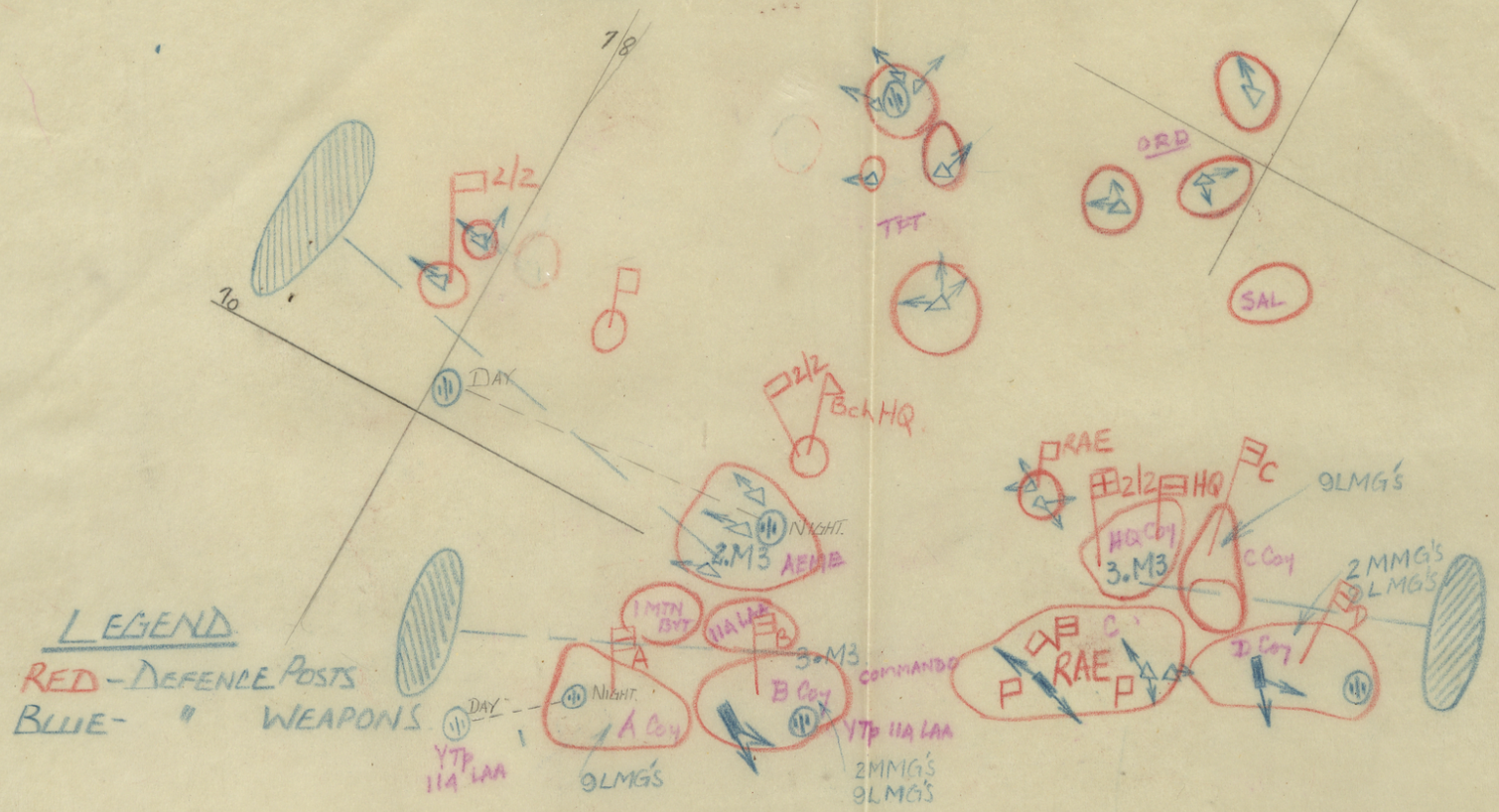

LEGEND
RED - DEFENCE POSTS
BLUE - " WEAPONS

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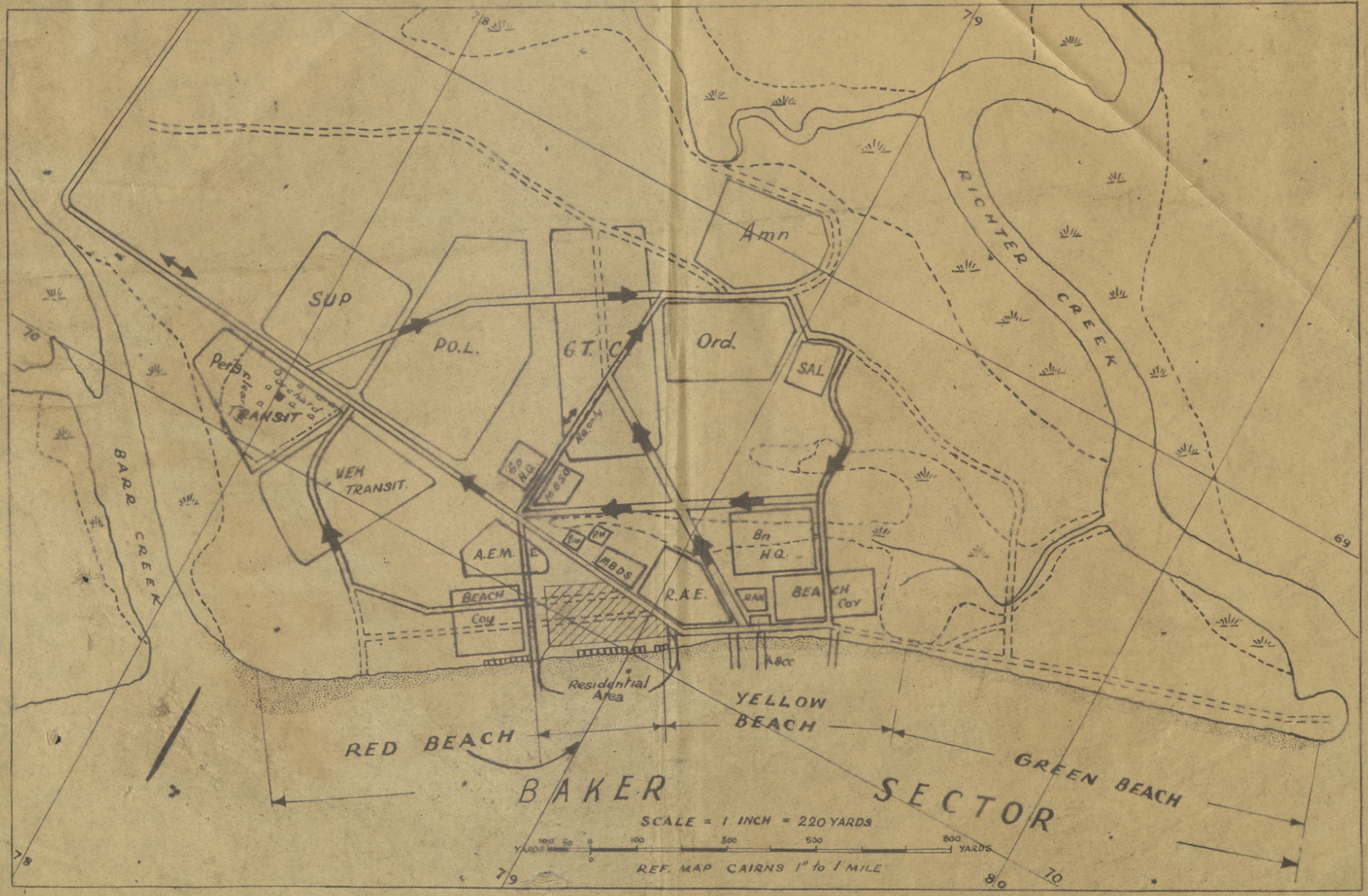
EXERCISE 'HERON'
SECOND KEY PLAN

LEGEND
EXISTING ROADS & TRAFFIC CIRCUIT
EXISTING TRACKS



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HQ 2 AUST BEACH GROUP.

28 May 44.

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EXERCISE : "HERON".

RATIONS.

It is intended to issue Aust tinned ration for 4 meals during the period of the exercise.

2. Rations for consumption 31 May and 1 Jun will be issued 1/3 fresh and 2/3 tinned for both days.

3. The tinned ration will be delivered to units on 29 May 44 as follows :-

a.	2/2 Aust Pwr Bn	670
b.	2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	380
c.	235 Aust Sup Depot Pl	60
d.	1 Aust Armd Bde Salvage Unit	34
e.	2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det	66
f.	2 Aust Beach Wkshop	96
g.	2/11 Aust Fd Coy RAE	280
h.	2 Aust Beach Medical Sec	100
i.	HQ 2 Aust Beach Gp	334
j.	228 Aust Lt AA Bty	266
k.	1 Aust Mtn Bty	80

and units will issue tinned rations to be carried by all pers proceeding upon the exercise, sufficient for 4 meals.

4. The unconsumed portion of rations for the evening meal 30 May 44 will be collected from units by 2/6 Coy AASC and delivered to Catering Officer at the site of the exercise before 1200 hrs on 30 May 44 according to attached scale.

5. Fresh rations for 1/3 consumption 31 May for serials a - i will be delivered in bulk to the site of the exercise on 30 May 44. Fresh rations for serials j and k will be delivered to units.

6. Fresh rations for 1/3 consumption 1 Jun 44 will be delivered to unit lines on 31 May 44.

8. Units will leave sufficient tinned rations for rear parties remaining in camp 31 May and 1 Jun 44.

9. Indent for rations AB55 will be forwarded as usual by units to be collected by 2/6 Coy AASC four days before consumption. It is not necessary to show the proportion of tinned and fresh rations required.

..... Capt
(D.R.A.MURRAY)
Staff Capt 2 Aust Beach Gp.

Distribution List C:
less Serials 4,5,9,13,25 & 26
plus 228 Aust Lt AA Bty
1 Aust Mtn Bty.

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SCALE FOR EVENING MEAL ON 30 MAY 44 (1/3 COMMODITIES)
FOR UNIT PERSONNEL ON EXERCISE.

(Mutton or	
(Beef - ½ ration	Sultanas
Milk - tinned	Peas Blue
Butter	Cabbage
Pepper	Rice
Salt	Biscuits
Sugar	Jam
Potatoes	Tea

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HQ 2 AUST BEACH GROUP.

28 May 44.

Ref: Q351/49.

28/5/44 GS 5/1/25

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Distribution: List C (less Serials 4 & 5,9,13,25&26)

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BOWO (for infn)

CANS WATER - 2 GAL

1. Cans Water - 2 gallon will be delivered to units on the afternoon 29 May 44 in accordance with the following schedule and taken on charge by the respective units :-

Serial	Unit	No. of Cans
1	R.A.N.	50
2	H.Q. 2 Aust Beach Group	20
3	2/11 Aust Fd Coy	100
4	2 Aust Mech Equip Pl	5
5	2 Aust Engr Stores Pl	10
6	1 Aust Beach Sig Sec	20
7	2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	520
8	2/108 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	80
9	235 Aust Sup Dep Pl	20
10	58 Aust BIPOD Pl	20
11	2 AAMC Coy	30
12	25 Aust Malaria Cont Unit	5
13	2/1 Aust Ord Beach Det	40
14	2 Aust Beach Wkshop	40
15	17 Aust Ind Bde Gp Pro Pl	15
16	1 Aust Armd Bde Sal Unit	25

2. These cans filled with water will be carried ashore in the HERON exercise by marching personnel NOT required to carry unit equipment. On landing the cans will be carried by the personnel to their unit area where they will be stored under unit arrangements for use as a unit water reserve.

3. At the conclusion of the HERON exercise the cans will be retained by the units and used in future training exercises. They will NOT be used for any other purpose including use as water cans in vehicles. Every effort must be made to eliminate unnecessary damage to the cans.

4. The above allocation is provisional only and units will submit recommendations as to the number they require NOT later than 3 JUN 44.

5. The cans will before being issued be branded W
2

K. Collins .....Maj.
(K.C. COLLINS)
DAQMG, 2 Aust Beach Group.

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BHQ PERSONNEL

WOI	KNIGHT	ORDERLY ROOM
S/SJT	GRACE	
CPL	LEWIS	
L/CPL	THOMSON	
PTE	ROSS	
PTE	JONES	
SJT	LAWRIE	I SECTION
CPL	SHEEN	
PTE	NICHOLL	
PTE	WARNE	
PTE	GIBSON	
PTE	HILL	PAY CLERK
Sjt	LEECH	POSTAL Sjt
PTE	SHEUMACK	BATMAN
"	COOPER	
"	NICKS	
"	THOMPSON	
"	MANSKI	
L/CPL	RICHARDS (b)	REGIMENTAL POLICE
PTE	LEWIS	
"	HUNTER	
"	CURRAN	
SJT	JOHNSON	R.A.P.
CPL	THATCHER	
PTE	MITCHELL	
"	FISHER	
"	STRATTON	
CPL	O'DONNELL	BAND
CPL	BEASLEY	
PTE	ALLEN	
"	BUTLER	
"	ELLIOTT	
"	HOUGHTON	
"	MEAD	
"	WILKINS	
"	BARR.	

Capt SINCLAIR Hyg Sjt

HQ
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn
7 May 44
CT 5/231

HQ
2 Aust Beach Group

Subject: Your Sig G361

L.	Bn HQ	5	Offrs	30 OR's	37
	HQ Coy	5	"	127 "	132
	A Coy	2	"	41 "	43
	B Coy	2	"	73 "	~~70~~
	C Coy	3	"	72 "	
	D Coy	2	"	65 "	
	Total	19		408	

2. Vehicles.

2x¼ ton jeeps

2x15 cwt weapon carriers

1x3 ton GS

7 May 44

.....Capt
Adjt 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn

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MESSAGE FORM

TO : 2/2 AUST PNR BN

FROM : HQ 2 AUST BEACH GROUP G.361 6

REF 2 AUST BEACH GP TRG INSTR NO.2 WETSHOD EXERCISE HERON (.) RETURN REQUIRED THIS HQ BY 071000K MAY SHOWING ESTIMATED NUMBER OF OFFICERS ORs AND VEHS THAT WILL BE AVAILABLE TO TAKE PART THIS EXERCISE (.) 2/11 AUST FD COY TO SUBMIT RETURN BY PLS (.) 2/2 AUST PNR BN TO SUBMIT RETURNS BY COYS (.) 2/108 AUST GEN TPT COY TO SUBMIT RETURNS BY PLS (.) ALL INFORMED ACK.

Date 6/5/44 File No. ~~AG 9~~ 231 ct 5/231

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ANC [illegible]

PA

BF

[signature] .....Capt

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T.O.O.
061045K

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MESSAGE FORM

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Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: 2/2 AUST PNR BN

Date—Time of Origin: 280924K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO 2 BCH GP

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions — GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. A151/ SIG ORDER NO1 copies 6-8 ack

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except ~~[illegible]~~ } Wireless

Signed Maj Capt

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

DRLS

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Time Cleared		

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"X" AUST INF BDE SIGNAL ORDER NO.1.

Ref Map : CAIRNS 1 in to 1 mile.

INFORMATION.

1. Enemy

(a) The enemy is in possession of part of Queensland coast including all that shown on the CAIRNS 1" sheet. His main concentrations are at CAIRNS. There is no enemy garrison in the SAN REMO area.

2. Own Troops

(a) Navy

Naval dispositions are considered to be adequate to cope with any seaborne threat during D-day.

(b) Army

"X" Aust Inf Bde and 9 Aust Commando Regt is to land on BAKER and CHARLIE SECTORS and are to seize a covering position as shown in Appx "A" HERON Inst No.2.

(i) Right "A" Aust Inf Bn on BAKER YELLOW.

(ii) Centre "B" Aust Inf Bn on BAKER RED.

(iii) Left 9 Aust Commando Regt on CHARLIE GREEN (NOT IN EXERCISE)

(c) Signal Order of Battle and under command.

"X" Aust Inf Bde Sig Sec.
1 Aust Beach Sig Sec.
"A" Naval Beach Sig Sec.
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn Sig Pl.

(d) Air

5 Air Force is to provide cover over the beaches and operational area from H - 15 to H plus 240 mins.

3. Topographical

Ground is covered with thick but not impenetrable timber. A main exit Road leaves the Beach where BAKER YELLOW and BAKER RED join. A good track runs laterally along the beach.

INTENTION

4. "X" Aust Inf Bde Sig Sec, and 1 Aust Beach Sig Sec will provide the signal comms during the approach to the beach, and the various phases of the landing of "X" Aust Inf Bde and attached troops

METHOD

5. Embarkation

(a) Recce party of 1 offr from "X" Bde Sig Sec, 1 Aust Beach Sig Sec and "A" Naval Beach Sigs will recce ship Red area and site combined signal office.

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(b) Location of HQ

HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde	Ship Red
HQ 2 Aust Beach Gp	Ship Red
HQ "A" Aust Inf Bn	Ship Yellow
HQ "B" Aust Inf Bn	Ship Red

6. PHASE I Final Approach to the Beaches (See Appx "A" Diag 1.)

(a) One W/T det of 1 Sigmn with No. 11 mounted in ¼ ton truck, and a line det of 2 Sigmn will accompany each Bn Comd ashore in a craft adjacent to the Bn Comd.

(b) One Sigmn from W/T det with W/T set No. 46 will land in the same craft as the Bn Comd.

(c) One Advance Party from the Beach Signal Unit will land as follows:-

(i) 2 Army Sigmn with one No. 46 set and 1 - F phone and 2 Navy Sigs with one 108 Mk III will land in the craft adjacent to the Bn Comd.

(ii) 3 Army Sigmn with one No. 22 and 2 Navy sigs with one 108 Mk III will land in the same craft as the Bn Comd.

(d) Wireless sets will open a listening watch on Bde "B" wave and landing wave from the time of embarkation into landing craft. Control set on Bde "A" in HQ Ship Red will also open listening watch.

(e) Wireless silence will be observed in accordance with para. 11.

7. PHASE II Bn H.Q. Landed (See Appx "A" Diag. 2.)

(a) Adv. Beach Sig Stas will be established on BAKER YELLOW and BAKER RED beaches, by Adv. Parties Beach Sigs and will provide the following wireless comms:-

FROM	TO	WAVE	Frequency PRIM	Frequency SEC	REMARKS
BAKER YELLOW AND BAKER RED	HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde. HQ (SHIP RED) "A" Aust Inf Bn "B" Aust Inf Bn	Bde "B"	3690	3970	1 Aust Bch Sigs.
BAKER YELLOW AND BAKER RED	Control Craft S.O.A.G. HQ SHIP RED	Landing Wave	3445	2645	"A" Naval Beach Sigs.
BAKER YELLOW AND BAKER RED	HQ SHIP RED	Naval Beach Wave	2750	2970	"A" Naval Beach Sigs.

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(b) Returning landing craft will be used as messenger boats to HQ Ship RED.

(c) When Bn HQ moves inland the No. 11 set Dets will establish direct comm to HQ ship on Bde "A" frequency. 4585 K/c.

(d) The Bde Sig Sec line det will lay a line from the Adv Beach Sig Sta to the Bn HQ as they move inland and will be labelled BSY from YELLOW BEACH and BSR from RED BEACH.

(e) Comm will be maintained by W/T on Bde "B" to Adv. Beach Sig Stas, Bde HQ Ships and Lateral Bn HQ.

8. PHASE III Establishing MBSO and Adv Bde HQ Landing (See Appx "A" Diag. 3.)

(a) As soon as the main beach has been decided, the main support Party Beach Signal Unit will land and establish the Main Beach Sig Office, sufficient time being allowed for comms to be established before the arrival of Bde HQ.

(b) The following Comms will be provided by MBSO.

WIRELESS:

Ser. No.	FROM	TO	WAVE	Frequency PRIM	Frequency SEC	REMARKS
1	MBSO	A and B Aust Inf Bns	Bde A	4585	4360	1 Aust Bch Sigs
2	MBSO	A and B Aust Inf Bns	Bde B	3690	3970	"
3	MBSO	Div HQ X Aust Inf Bde	Div	5635	6035	"
4	MBSO	Tac R Sqn	Tac R	4885		" Reception only
5	MBSO	BAKER YELLOW & BAKER RED	Army Beach Wave	3790	3930	1 Aust Beach Sigs
6	MBSO	Ship RED Subsidiary Beach	Naval Beach Wave	2750	2970	"A" RAN Beach Sigs
7	MBSO	Ship RED SOAG Control Craft Subsidiary Beach	Land-Wave	3445	2645	"

(c) Immediately the MBSO No. 46 set on Bde "B" wave takes over control, the No. 46 sets at Adv. Beach Sig Stas on BAKER YELLOW and BAKER RED will flick to "B" frequency 3790 K/c and will operate the Army Beach Wave, Control being No. 46 set at MBSO.

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(d) When the Bde HQ establish HQ. near the MBSO, the MBSO No. 22 set on the Bde "A" wave will assume control.

(e) Bde Sig Sec Dets on landing will move to an assembly area (in vicinity of MBSO.

(f) Line Comms.

The following line Comms will be provided by MBSO:-

FROM	TO	RESPONSIBILITY	LABEL	REMARKS
MBSO	BAKER YELLOW	1 Aust Bch Sigs	MBY	Existing Line Looped in
MBSO	A AUST INF BN	"	BSY	Existing Line Looped in
MBSO	HQ X Aust Inf Bde	"	AB1	
MBSO	HQ 1 Aust Bch Gp	"	BG1	
MBSO	BAKER RED	"	MBR	

9. PHASE IV Bde HQ Established inland (See Appx "A" Diag.12.)

(a) The position of Bde HQ inland will be notified before leaving MBSO.

(b) The following Comms will be provided at BDE HQ:-

Wireless

FROM	TO	WAVE	FREQUENCY PRIM	FREQUENCY SEC	REMARKS
HQ X Aust Inf Bde	A and B Aust Inf Bns	Bde A	4585	4560	
HQ X Aust Inf Bde	A and B Aust Inf Bns	Bde B	3690	3970	
HQ X Aust Inf Bde	HQ X Aust Div MBSO	Div	5635	6035	

Line

FROM	TO	RESPONSIBILITY	LABEL	REMARKS
HQ X Aust Inf Bde	A Aust Inf Bn B Aust Inf Bn	X Aust Inf Bde Sig Sec		Line to A Aust Inf Bn looped in.
HQ X Aust Inf Bde	MBSO	1 Aust Beach Sig Sec	AB1	Looped in from existing line to A Aust Inf Bn

10. DRLS

(a) 1 Aust Beach Sig Sec will be responsible for DRLS from MBSO to HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde and units within the Beach Maintenance Area, four times daily.

(b) "X" Aust Inf Bde Sig Sec will be responsible for the DRLS within the Bde Gp on a twice daily basis.

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11. Wireless Silence

Wireless silence will be maintained until.

(a) Surprise is lost.

(b) Leading coys of assault Bn are ashore.

12. Pre arranged Message Code (See Appx "B")

13. Code Names and appointments Code. (See Appx "C")

14. Call Signs and frequencies (See Appx "D")

15. Datum frequency

3900 K/c Code word RATAP
Code word for net control R/T - TALLYHO

16. R/T Code No. 2

R/T code No. 2 will be used.

KEYWORDS:		
	D -1	SENDFOURMAIL/W
	D	LADENGIFTSO3/D
	D plus 1	METHODSBRING/L

17. W/T Identification

Block recognition sheet serial No. 19.

18. Cipher

All unit cipher documents will be collected by Bde HQ on S - 1 and redistributed on the landing of Bde HQ.

19. Time

D-1 by DR leaving HQ 2 Aust Beach Group at 1800K.
After landing by Eastern Standard time Signal daily.

20. Frequency Standard

By Standard freq. sta W.T.O. operating on 5000 K/c and 15000 K/c.

21. Duty detachment cards

Will be completed for each W/T and Line det by S - 1.

ADM

22. Rations

(a) Carried on the man

2 meals for consumption on D-day.

(b) Under unit arrangements

2 meals for consumption on D plus 1.

23. Water.

(a) Strict water discipline will be followed.

(b) All personnel not carrying unit equipment, will carry one 2 gallon tin of water and be placed in unit reserve.

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24. Batteries

(a) Dry Batteries

100% spares carried on man. 100% spares in unit reserve.

(b) Accumulators

Will be landed fully charged, Charging under det arrangements.

ACK

Method of issue D.R.L.S.

Time of signature 26/7 00 K. Hrs.

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O.C. "X" Aust Inf
Bde Sig Sec.

Distribution:

"A" RAN Beach Sig Sec	1
1 Aust Beach Sig Sec	2
Sig Off 2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	3
HQ 2 Aust Beach Group	4-5
2/2 Aust Pnr Bn	6-8
HQ "A" Aust Inf Bn	9
HQ "B" Aust Inf Bn	10
1 Aust Combined Ops Sec	11-13
HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde	14-15
9 Aust Div	16
War Diary	17-18
File	19
Spare	20

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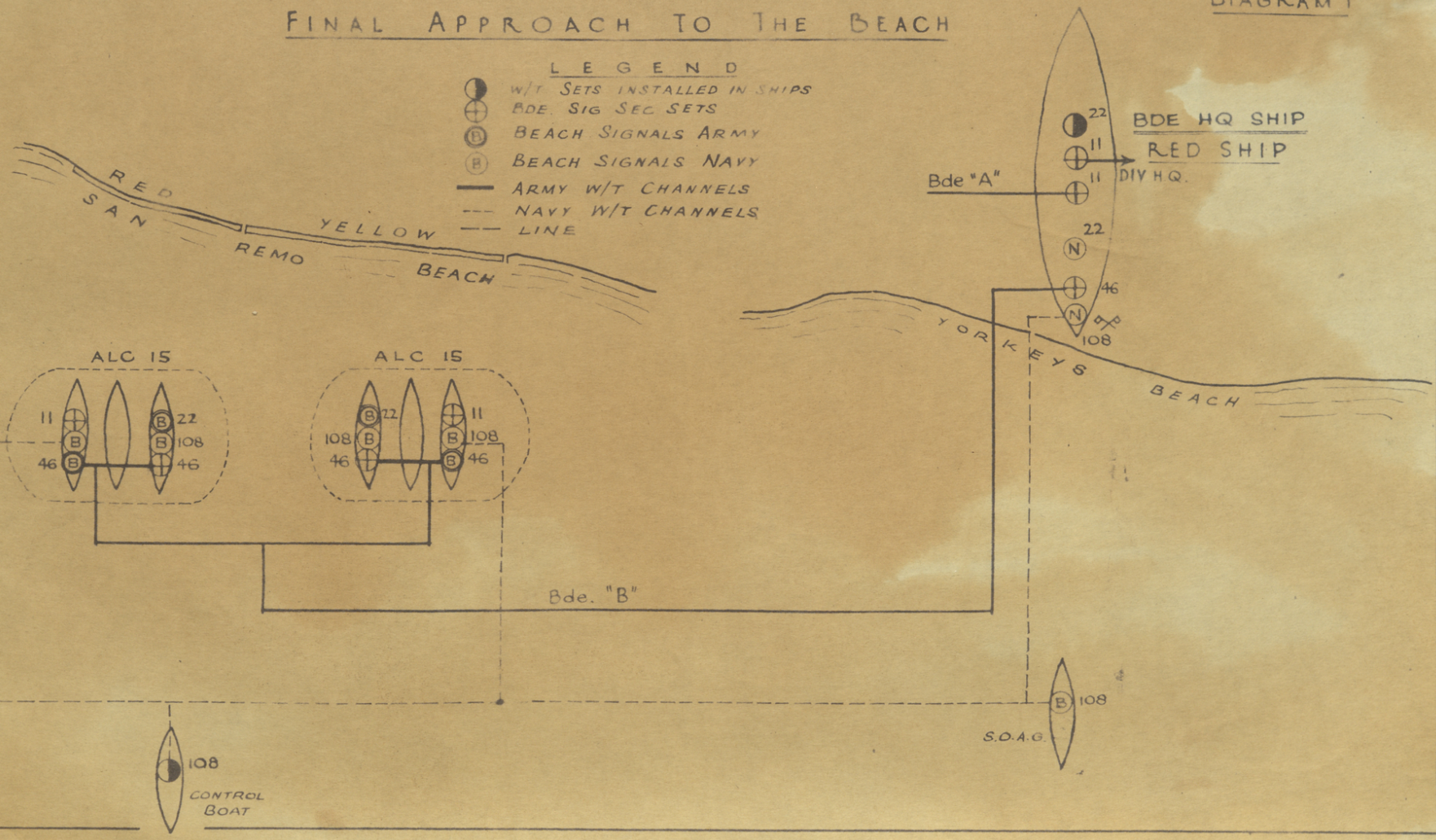
WIRELESS DIAGRAM

FINAL APPROACH TO THE BEACH



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PHASE 2

WIRELESS DIAGRAM
BN H.Q. LANDED

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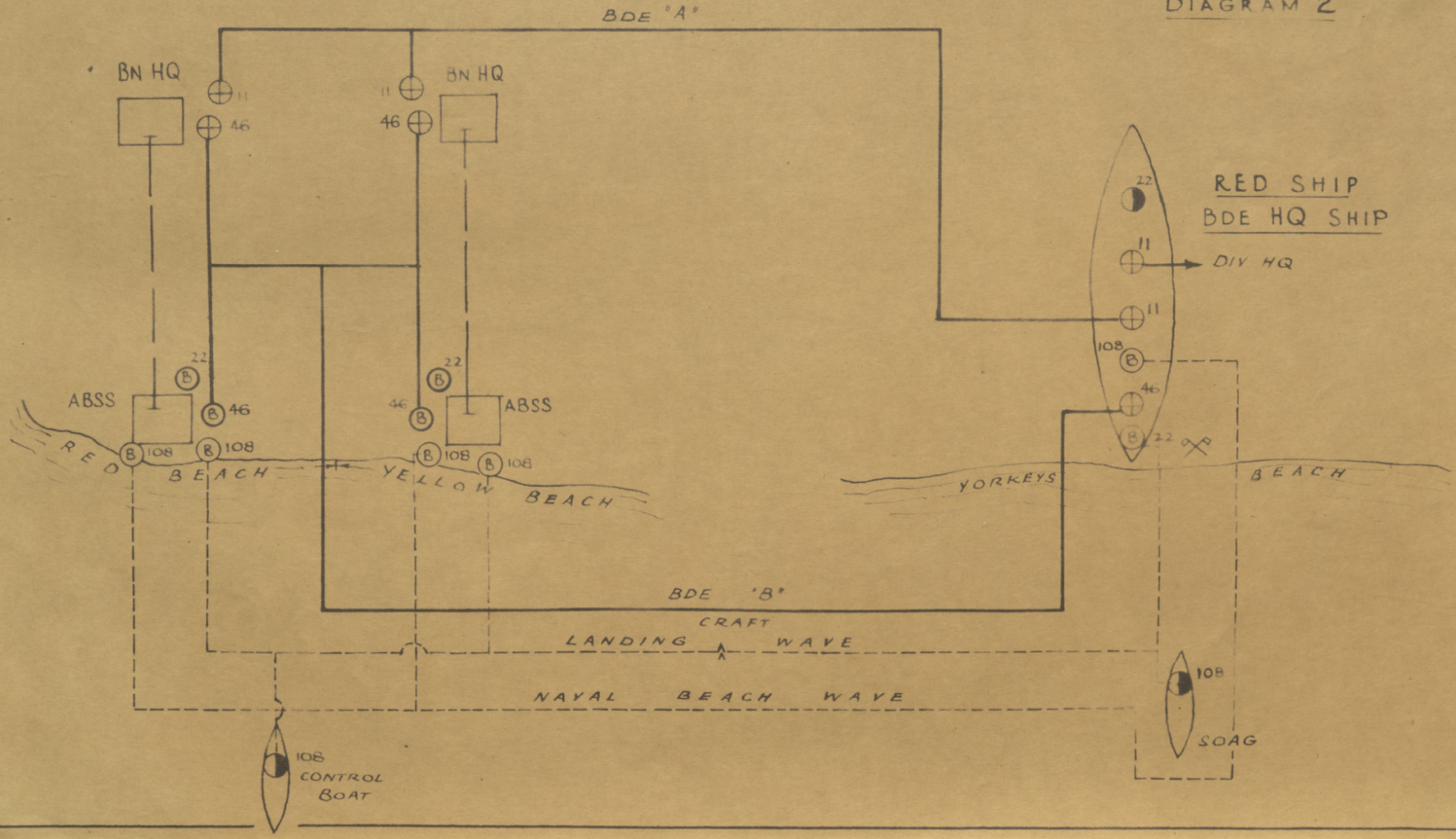

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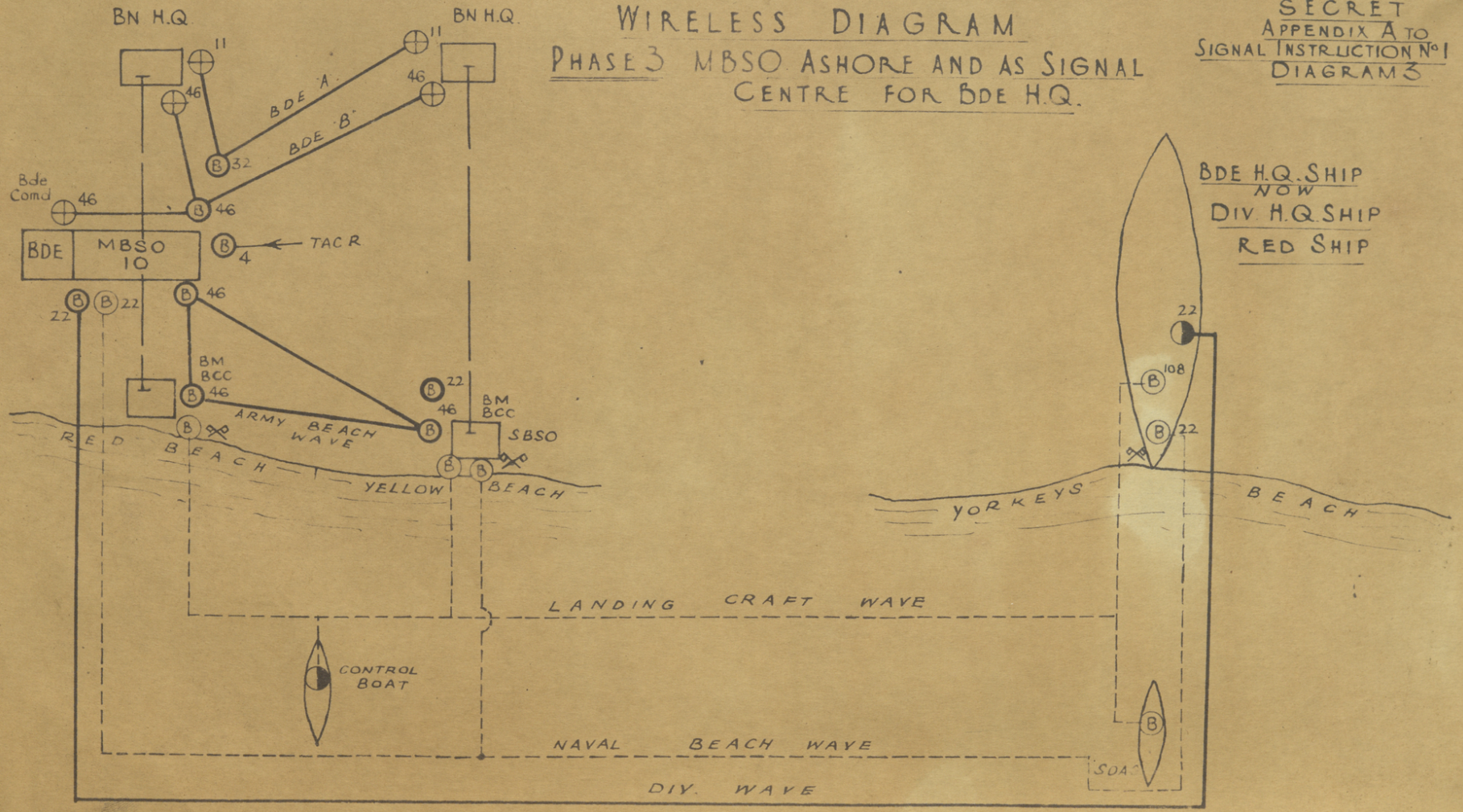
WIRELESS DIAGRAM

PHASE 3 MBSO ASHORE AND AS SIGNAL CENTRE FOR BDE H.Q.



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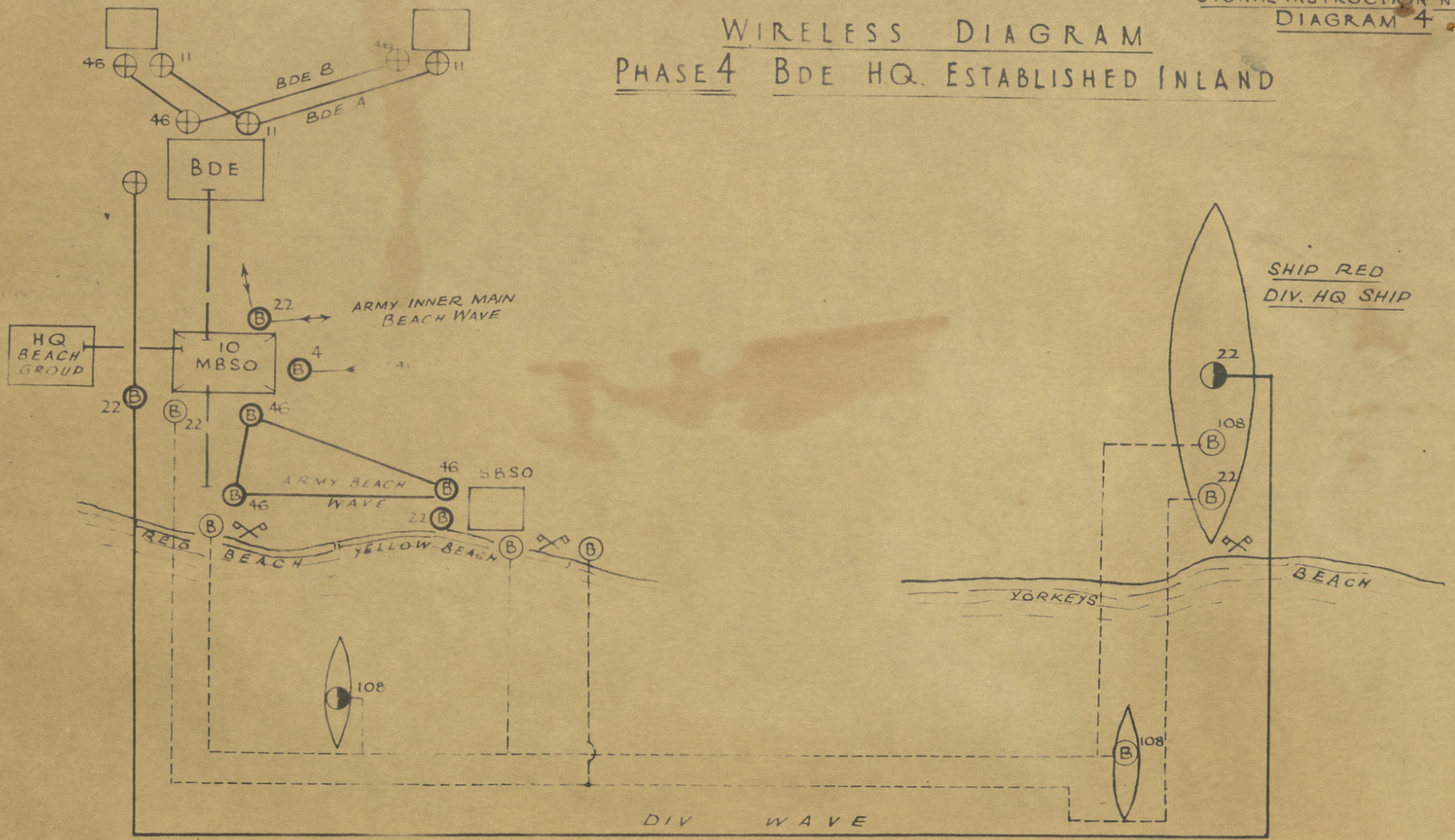
PHASE 4 BDE HQ. ESTABLISHED INLAND



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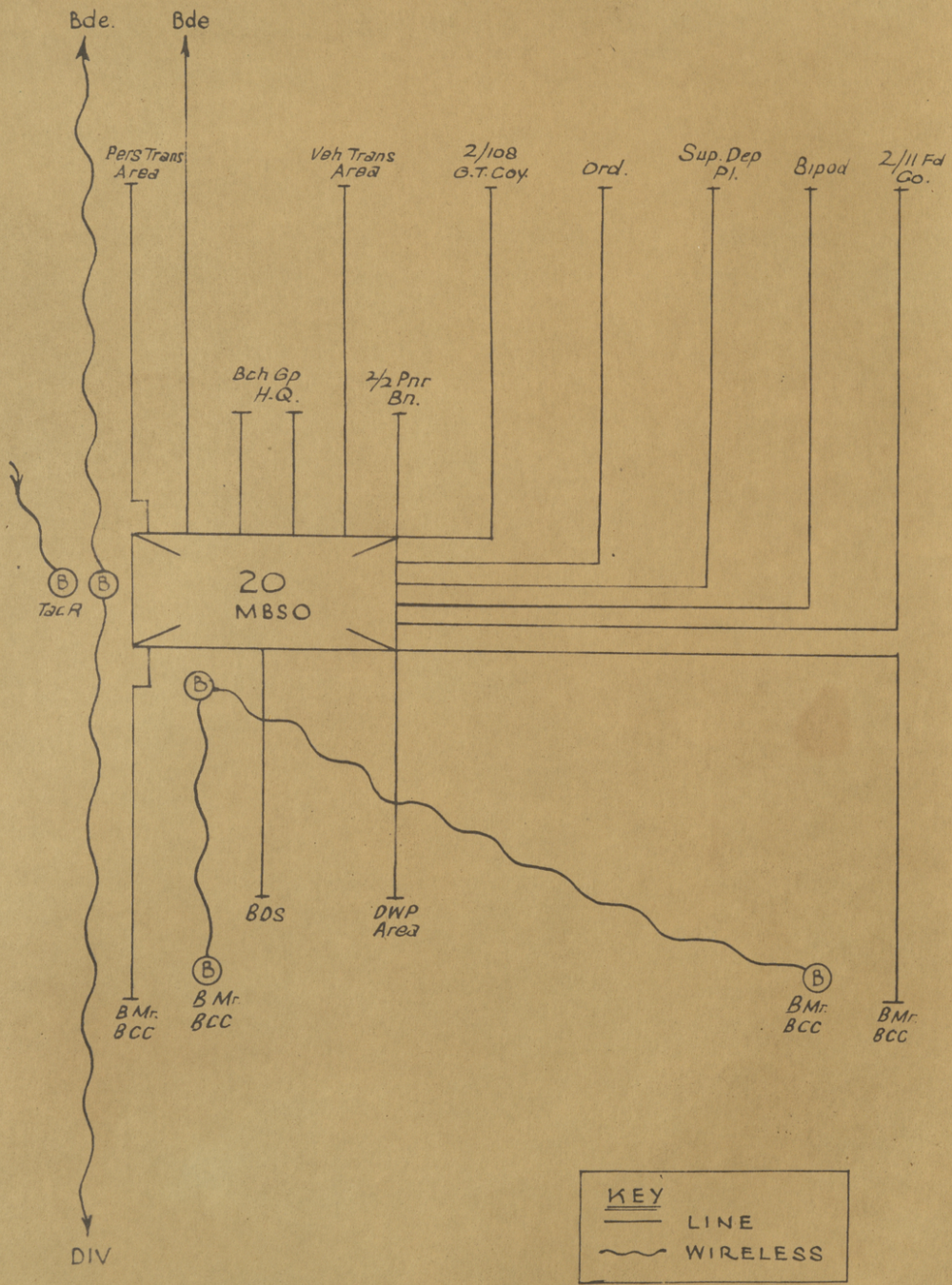
BEACH MAINTENANCE AREA
SIGNAL DIAGRAM.



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Appendix "B" to
"X" Aust Inf Bde Signal
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Pre arranged Message Code

Barr Creek	-------	SPARROW
Richter Creek	-------	HAWK
BAKER GREEN BEACH	-------	EAGLE
BAKER YELLOW BEACH	-------	FINCH
BAKER RED BEACH	-------	DOVE
CAIRNS	-------	MAGPIE
MAREEBA	-------	WAGTAIL
FRESHWATER	-------	STARLING
YORKEYS BEACH	-------	CROW
Landing effected at BAKER YELLOW	-	SHARK
" " " BAKER RED	-	LOBSTER
" " " other than intended beach	-	SALMON
No Enemy opposition	-	KINGFISH
Weak Enemy opposition	-	STINGRAY
Strong Enemy opposition	-	CRAB

CODE NAMES

Appendix "C" to
"X" Aust Inf Bde Signal
Order No. 1 of 26 May 44

"X" Aust Inf Bde	-------	PATO
"A" Aust Inf Bn	-------	MOTU
"B" Aust Inf Bn	-------	ROTA
"C" Aust Inf Bn	-------	DANO
9 Aust Div Cav (Commando) Regt	-	TALO

Appointments Code

Comd	-------	SUNRAY
G	-------	SEAGULL
Q	-------	MOLAR
I	-------	ACORN
Sigs	-------	PRONTO

The deputy of an officer designated by a code name is referred to as "MINOR"

e.g. SUNRAY MINOR - 2 i/c

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Appendix "D" to
"X" Aust Inf Bde
Sig. Order No. 1.

CALL SIGNS & FREQUENCIES

Ser No.	UNIT	WAVE	CALL SIGN		FREQUENCY K/c	
			D	D + 1	D	D +1
1.	HQ "X" Aust Div	Div	5RA	PL6	5635	6055
	2 Aust Bch Gp	Div	WU8	035		
	HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde	Div	8UU	2E0	5360	5080
2.	HQ "X" Aust Ind Bde	Bde A	SB2	T56		
	2 Aust Bch Gp	Bde A	2CB	5QT		
	"A" Aust Inf Bn	Bde A	0V8	XL9	4585	4360
	"B" Aust Inf Bn	Bde A	GU4	5L6	4320	4560
3.	HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde	Bde B	4TJ	9FL		
	2 Aust Bch Gp	Bde B	SQ9	E03		
	"A" Aust Inf Bn	Bde B	4UJ	300	3690	3970
	"B" Aust Inf Bn	Bde B	4IJ	AN1	3970	3690
	Beach Yellow	Bde B	RH6	FI8		
	Beach Red	Bde B	6QH	3F0		
4.	2 Aust Bch Gp	Army	7IU	FB7		
	Beach Yellow	Beach	RH6	FI8	3790	3930
	Beach Red		6QH	3F0	3930	3790

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"X" AUST INF BDE LANDING TABLE

CRAFT AVAILABLE:- 72LCVP
15LCM

Issued in conjunction with HQ "X" Aust Inf Bde O.O. No. 1.

AVERAGE TURNROUND TIME: 90 Mins.

Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
1-6	H.hr	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT ABMr & Parties	208 8			* Beach Signs & Lamps		6LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	* Preloaded
7-12	H.hr	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT ABMr & Parties	208 8			* Beach Signs & Lamps		6LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	* Preloaded
13-15	H plus 10	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT	108					3LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
16-18	H plus 10	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT	108					3LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
19-22	H plus 20	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT LO "X" Aust Inf Bde "X" Aust Inf Bde Sig Sec * Bch Gp Fd Coy BMr & Det Bch Coy Comd Bch Gp Sigs N&A Bch Med Sec	101 2 3 36 12 5 9 2			1 Boat & Signs etc.		4LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	* Recce Party 3 spaces allowed for boat Advance Party Recce Party accompanies RMO

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
23-26	H plus 20	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT	100					4 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
		LO "X" Aust Inf Bde	2								
		Bde Sig Sec	3								
		Bch Gp. Fd Coy	4 6								
		EMr & Det	12								
		Bch Coy Comd	5			1 Boat					Recce Party 6 Spaces Allowed for boat
		Bch Sigs N&A	10								
		Bch Med Sec	2								
											Advance Party. Recce Party [illegible] accompanies RMO
27-30	H plus 30	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT	104					4 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
		"Y" AA Tp	4								
		[illegible] Fd Coy & Det									Recce Party
		[illegible] Pl	36								
31-34	H plus 30	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT	104					4 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
		"Y" AA Tp	4								
		Bch Gp Fd Coy & Det ME Pl	36								Recce Party
35-39	H plus 40	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT	149					5 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
		Bch Gp Med Sec	29								
40-44	H plus 40	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT	141					5 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
		Bch Gp "R" Pty	13								
		Bch Gp Med Sec	~~24~~ 20								

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (L)
45	H plus 45	Bch Gp Fd Coy (ME Pl)	2	1	1 Dozer	ARC Mesh & Sled		1LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
		Bch Gp Fd Coy	19								
46	H plus 45	Bch Gp Fd Coy (ME Pl)	6	1	1 Dozer	1 Sled & Mesh		1LCM	Red	BAKER RED	
		Bch Gp Pnr Bn (D Coy)	24								
		Bch Gp Fd Coy	6								
47	H plus 60	Bch Gp ~~Naval~~ RAN Commando B 2 AUST BCH WKSHPS	7					1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	Navy Stores
		Bch Gp Det ~~ARME~~	10								
		"A" Aust Inf Bn LT (Fd Bty)	13	6	1 x 25 pdr 1 x Tractor A	Navy 10 cwt					preloaded
48	H plus 60	Bch Gp ~~Naval~~ RAN Commando B	1					1 LCM	Red	BAKER RED	Navy Stores preloaded
		"Y" AA Tp	9	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor AA	Navy 10 cwt					
		Fd Coy	5								Recce Party
		Bch Gp Sigs (N & A)	12								
49	H plus 65	Bch Sigs (Navy)	2					1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
		(Army)	2								
		Bch Gp ~~ARME~~ 2 AUST BCH WKSH PS	7								
		"Y" AA Tp	4	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor AA						
		Bch Gp Pro	5								

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landihg Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
50	H plus 65	Bch Gp Pnr Bn	15					1 LCM	Red	BAKER RED	
		"B" Aust Inf Bn LT (Fd Bty)	9	6	1 x 25 pdr 1 x Tractor						
		Bch Gp Sigs	6								
51-56	H plus 90	Bch Gp AEMr & Parties	8					6 LCVP	Green	BAKER as directed.	
		"C" Aust Inf Bn LT	208								
		FERRY SERVICE COMMENCES									
57-62	H plus 90	Bch Gp Bch Sigs		2	1 x Jeep			6 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	Jeeps: 1 Arty 1 Fd Amb 1 Tk/A
		Provost	5								
		"A" Aust Inf Bn LT	35	6	3 x Jeep	Engnr	2T				
		Bch Gp Pnr Bn	15		1 x T/A Gun						
		Bch Gp Pnr Bn D Coy	25								
63-68	H plus 90	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT	31	2	1 x Jeep			6 LCVP	Red	BAKER YELLOW RED	
		" " " ") LT(Fd Coy)	11	2	1 x Jeep						
		Bch Gp Comd	1	2	1 x Jeep + TLR						
		G III	3								
		C.C.Pnr Bn	3	2	1 x Jeep						
		O.C.Bch Ord	2								
		OC Sup Dep Pl	2								
		OC BIFOD PC	2								
		OC G.T.C.	2								
		D.A.D.M.S.	2								
		PBMr	2								
		Sigs		2	1 x Jeep						
		Pnr Bn	20								

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns, No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
69-71	H plus 100	Bch Gp Pnr Bn	55								
		"A" Aust Inf Bn LT	20	2	1 x T/A Gun 1 x Jeep			3 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
72-74	H plus 100	Bch Gp Sigs		2	1 Jeep & Trlr						
		"B" Aust Inf Bn LT	7	4	1 x T/A Gun 1 x Jeep 1 Jeep(Arty)			3 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
		Bch Gp Pnr Bn Sig Pl	13								
75-77	H plus 100	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT	108					3 LCVP	Green	BAKER as directed	
78-80	H plus 110	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT	73								
		Bch Gp Bde & Det	12			1 Boat		3 LCVP	Green	BAKER as directed	6 spaces allowed for Boat
		Bch Coy Comd	5								
		Adv Bch Sigs	8								
		Fd Coy	4 6								
		Bde L.O.	2								
81-84	H plus 110	Bch Gp Pnr Bn	46								
		Bch Gp G.T.C.	6					4 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
		Bch Gp Fd Coy									
		Stores Pl	2	2	1 x Jeep						
		Bde Sig Sec	1	2	1 x Jeep						
		Bch Gp Fd Coy	2	2	1 Jeep & Trlr						
85-88	H plus 110	Bch Gp HQ		2	1 x Jeep						
		HQ X Aust Inf Bde	29	2	1 x Jeep			4 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
		Bde Sig Sec	23	2	1 x Jeep						
		HQ Bde (Attached Units)	11								ex. Bn LT

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
89-92	H plus 115	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT	108					4 LCVP	Green	BAKER as directed	
		Bch Gp Fd Coy	36								
93-96	H plus 120	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT	13					4 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
		Bch Gp Med Sec		4	2 x Jeeps & 2 x Trlrs						
		" " GTC	19								
		" " Engr Bn	40								
97-101	H plus 120	Bch Gp Med Sec	6	2	1 Jeep & Trlr			5 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	Include Surgical Team
		"Y" A.A. Tp		2	1 x Jeep						
		"D" Aust Inf Bn LT	20	2	1 Jeep 1 T/A						
		Bde Sig Sec	9	4	2 x Jeeps						
102	H plus 120	Bch Gp Fd Coy	12	1	1 Dozer	1 Sled & ARC Mesh		1 LCM	Green	BAKER as directed	
		"C" Aust Inf Bn LT	16								
103	H plus 120	Bch Gp ~~Naval~~ RAN Comdo	8					1 LCM	Green	BAKER as directed	
		Bch Gp Med Sec		2	1x3T Water						
		"C" Aust Inf Bn LT	19								
104 -107	H Plus 130					Amn. 3 Rations 3 P.O.L. 3 Engnr 3 12		4 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
108 -112	H plus 130	Bde HQ		4	2 x Jeeps			5 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
		~~"B"~~ Aust Inf Bn LT	50								
		Bch Gp Ord	21								
		" " Sup Dep Pl	19								
		" " Provost	7								
		" " Fd Coy		2	1 Jeep & Trlr						

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113	H plus 135	"Y" AA Tp "A" Aust Inf Bn LT	5 7	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor AA			1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	X
114	H plus 135	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT Fd Bty Bch Gp Sup Dep Pl Inf Bn	4 2 10	6	1 x 25 Pdr 1 Tract Arty			1 LCM	Red	BAKER RED	
115	H plus 150	"Y" AA Tp	6	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor			1 LCM	Red	BAKER RED	
116	H plus 150	"Y" AA Tp Bch Gp G.T. Coy	4 19	6	1 Bofors 1 Tractor			1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	X
117	H plus 155	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT do. Fd Bty	9 4	6	1 x 25 Pdr 1 Tract Arty			1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	X
118	H plus 155	"Y" AA Tp	6	6	1 Bofors 1 Tract AA			1 LCM	Red	BAKER RED	
119 -124	H plus 180	"A" Aust Inf Bn LT (CQMS HQ Coy)	2			Amn. 3 Rations 3 P.O.L. 3 Ord 2 Engnr 3 Unit&Bde 2 Water 2 18		6 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	X LT - 1

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT	SHIP	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS
125 -130	H plus 180	Bde HQ Bde Sig Sec Bch Gp GTC 2/2 T Pl Bch Gp GTC "B" Aust Inf Bn LT	2 8 19	4 4 2 2	2 x Jeeps 2 x Jeeps 1 x Jeep 1 x Jeep & Trlr			6 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
131 -136	H plus 180	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT Bch Gp Fd Coy " " Pnr Bn	57	2	1 x Jeep			6 LCVP	Green	BAKER as directed	
137	H plus 180	Bch Gp Fd Coy		3	1 x Dozer	1 Sled ARC Mesh		1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
138	H plus 180	Fd Bty	4	6	1 x 25 Pdr & Tractor			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
139	H plus 180	Fd Bty	3	6	1 x 25 Pdr & Tractor			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
140	H plus 190	Fd Bty	3	6	1 x 25 Pdr & Tractor			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
141	H plus 190	Fd Bty	3	6	1 x 25 Pdr & Tractor			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
142 -144	H Plus 190					Amn. 3 Rations 3 P.O.L. 3 9T		3 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
145 -147	H plus 190	Bde Sig Sec Bch Gp Pnr Bn	2	2 2	2 x Jeeps 1 x Jeep	Amn. 1½		3 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNITS (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
148 -150	H plus 190	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT Beh Gp Provost	46 6		2 Jeeps & 2 T/A Guns			3 LCVP	Green	BAKER as dir -ected	
151 -154	H plus 200					Mtce 2 Engnr 2 Amn 3 P.O.L. 1 Water 3 11		4 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
155 -160	H plus 200	Fd Amb Beh Gp Jeep Pl	2 2	2 10	1 Jeep 5 Jeeps & Trailers			6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
161 -164	H plus 200	Beh Gp HQ	4			Engnr 6 Amn 3 P.O.L. 3 12		4 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
165 -167	H plus 200	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT Beh Gp Fmr Bn Bde Sig Sec	20 57 4	 2	 1 x Jeep			3 LCVP	Green	BAKER as dir -ected	
168 -171	H plus 205	"C" Aust Inf Bn LT Bde Sig Sec Beh Gp Fd Coy " " L.M.C.U.	23 4 2 7	 2 2	 1 x Jeep 1 x Jeep	Engnr 3T		4 LCVP	Green	BAKER as dir -ected	
172 -175	H plus 210					Amn 3 Rations 4 Mtce 2 Water 3 12		4 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
178 -179	H plus 210					Amn 3 Water 3 P.O.L. 3 Engnr 3 12		4 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	
180	H plus 210	Bch Gp Ld Sec		2	1 x 2½T	P.O.L. 3 Engnr 3 6		1 LCM	Green	BAKER as dir -ected	
181	H plus 210	~~Bch Gp BIP'D~~ ~~8~~ " " Ord Det 13 " " AEME 10				Amn 3 Water 3 Engnr 3 P.O.L. 3 Ord 3 15		1 LCM	Green	BAKER as dir -ected	Balance of stores discharg -ed as available See Sheet 10a
182 -187	H plus 210	Bch Gp G.T.C.		2	1 x Jeep & Trailer	Amn 3 Rations 3 P.O.L. 3 Engnr 3 Med 1 Exp 2 15		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
188 -192	H plus 220	"B" Aust Inf Bn LT 18				Bde & Unit 4 Amn 3 Rations 3 P.O.L. 3 Ord 2 15		5 LCVP	Red	BAKER RED	

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SHEET No. 10a
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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
		STORES DISCHARGE AS CRAFT AVAILABLE									
181a-f	H plus 270 approx	HQ Coy CQMS OR	1 1			4T Unit & Bde Stores 8T Amn 6T Water		6 LCVP	Green	As dir -ected	
181g-i	H plus 280 approx	-				6T Amn 3T Water		3 LCVP	Green	As dir -ected	
181j-l	H plus 290 approx	-				3T Amn 3T Water 3T Rations		3 LCVP	Green	As dir -ected	
181m-p	H plus 295 approx	-				4T P.O.L. 5T Rations 2T Ord Stores 1T Engnr		4 LCVP	Green	As dir -ected	
181q	H plus 300					12T Rations 3T Expense Stores		LCM	Green	As dir -ected	
181r	H plus 300	BIPOD	6	2	1x2½ TON 1 DRUM LIFTER	2T Expense Stores 4T Mtnce		LCM	Green	As dir -ected	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
193 -197	H plus 220					Amn 5 Water 3 Rations 7 15		5 LCVP	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	
198	H plus 220	Bch Gp Fd Coy Bch Gp Fd Coy	8	2 2	1 x 3T Tipper 1 x Jeep			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
199	H plus 220	Fd Coy	2	2	1 x 3T 1 x Air Com -pressor			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as direct -ed	
200	H plus 225	Bch Gp Fd Coy		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER YELLOW	Stores PL

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SHEET No. 12
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Landing Craft Serial No (a)	Craft Ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS. (l)
201	H plus 225					Engnrs 1 Water 6 Rations 3 POL 1 Amn 3 Mntnce 4 18		1 LCM	Red	BAKER as directed	
202	H plus 240					Amn 6 Rations 6 Ord 3 Water 3 18		1 LCM	Red	BAKER as directed	
203	H plus 240					Expense 5 Water 4 9 Ord 3 1/2		1 LCM	Yellow	BAKER as directed	
204	H Plus 245					Amn 1/2 Rations 8 Water 3 Expense 5 16 1/2		1 LCM	Red	BAKER as directed	
205	H plus 270	Bch Gp Fd Coy	8	2	1 x 3 T Tipping 1 x Air Comp			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
206	H plus 270	Bch Gp Tpt Pl Bch Gp Wksp Pl		2 2	1 x 2 1/2 T 1 x Jeep			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
207	H Plus 270	Bch Gp AME		2	1 Diamond T Recovery Vehicle			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns. No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS. (l)
208	H plus 280	Fd Coy		2	1 x 3 T			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
209	H plus 280	Bch Gp AEE Bch Gp AICU		2 2	Tractor D8 1 x Jeep			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
210-215	H plus 290	Bch Gp Jeep Tpt Pl.		12	6 Jeeps & 6 Trlrs			6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
216-221	H plus 300	Bch Gp Jeep Tpt Pl		12	6 Jeeps & 6 Trlrs			6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
222	H plus 310	Bch Gp 2½ T Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
223	H plus 310	Bch Gp 2½ T Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
224	H plus 360	Bch Gp Fd Coy		2	1 x Crane Tractor Wheeled			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
225	H plus 360	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
226	H plus 360	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
227-229	H plus 360	Bch Gp Shore Pty Bch Gp Sal Unit	300 6					3 LCI	--	BAKER as directed	
230	H plus 370	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
231	H plus 370	Bch Gp Fd Coy		2	1 Crane wheeled			1 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	

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SHEET No. 14
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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles & Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector & Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
232-237	H plus 380	Bch Gp Tpt Pl Bch Gp Ord Det Bch Gp Fd Coy		4 4 4	2 Jeeps & Trlrs 2 Jeeps 2 Jeeps & Trlrs			6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
238-243	H plus 390	Bch Gp AMPE Bch Gp Provost Bch Gp Jeep Pl	2	4 4 2	2 Jeeps 2 Jeeps 1 Jeep & Trlr	Ammn 3 T		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
244	H Plus 400	Bch Gp AMPE Bch Gp Salvage Pl	18	2 2	1 x 3 T Wksp 1 Jeep			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
245	H plus 400	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½ T			1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
246-248	H plus 450	Bch Gp Tpt Pl	7	6	3 x 2½ T			3 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
249-250	H plus 460	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		4	2 x 2½ T			2 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
251-256	H plus 470					Ammn 6 Engnr 6 POL 6 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
257-262	H plus 480					Engnr 6 POL 6 Rations 6 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
263-264	H plus 490	Bch Gp Sup Dep Pl Bch Gp Wksp Pl Bch Gp 2½ Tpt Pl	44	4 2	1 x 2½ T 1 x 2½ T			2 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	
265-267	H plus 540	Bch Gp Fd Coy		6	3 x 2½ T			3 LCM	Blue	BAKER as directed	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Vch. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector & Beach (k)	REMARKS. (l)
268-269	H plus 550	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		4	2 x 2½ T			2 LCI	Blue	BAKER as directed	
270-275	H plus 560					Ammn 6 POL 6 Engnr 6 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
276-281	H plus 570					Ammn 6 POL 6 Engnr 6 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
282-283	H plus 580	Bch Gp Tpt Pl		4	2 x 2½ T			2 LCI	Blue	BAKER as directed	
284-286	H plus 630	Bch Gp Tpt Pl Bch Gp Fd Coy		2 2 2	1 x 2½ T 1 x 3 T Water 1 x 3 T Stores			3 LCI	Blue	BAKER as directed	
287-288	H plus 640	Bch Gp GT C		4	2 x 3 T Water			2 LCI	Blue	BAKER as directed	
289-294	H plus 650					Rations 6 Ord 3 Water 3 Ammn 6 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
295-300	H plus 660					POL 9 Engnr 9 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
301-302	H plus 670	Bch Gp Fd Coy Bch Gp AEME	1	2 2	1 x 3 T Tip 1 Diamond T Recovery			2 LCI	Blue	BAKER as directed	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh. (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	WHIP (j)	Landing Sector & Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
303-305	H plus 720	Bch Gp Fd Coy		6	3 x 3 T Tip 2 Air Comprs			3 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
306-307	H plus 730	Bch Gp Fd Coy		4	2 x 3 T Tip			2 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
308-313	H plus 740					Arm 9 Rations 9 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
314-319	H plus 750					POL 9 Engnr 9 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as directed	
320-321	H plus 760	Bch Gp Fd Coy		4	2 x 3 T Tip			2 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	
322-324	H plus 810	Bch Gp Fd Coy Bch Gp 2½ T Tpt PL		4 2	2 x 3 T Tip 1 x 2½ T			3 LCH	Blue	BAKER as directed	

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Landing Craft Serial No. (a)	Craft ready to Beach (b)	UNIT (c)	Personnel Parties Foot (d)	Personnel Parties Veh (e)	Vehicles and Guns No. (f)	Stores Type Tons (g)	Embarkation Sector or Beach (h)	CRAFT (i)	SHIP (j)	Landing Sector and Beach (k)	REMARKS (l)
325/6	H plus 820	Bch Gp 2½T Tpt Pl		2	1 x 2½T Tip	Amn 87 Rations91		2 LCM	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
327/32	H plus 830					Rations 4 P.O.L. 3 Ord 3 Engnr 3 Mtce 3 Expense 2 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
333 -338	H plus 840					Rations 3 P.O.L. 3 Ord 4 Engnr 6 Water 2 18		6 LCVP	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
339 -340	H plus 850					Rations18 P.O.L. 18 36		2 LCM	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	
341	H plus 900					Rations 3 P.O.L. 8 Ord 3 Engnr 5 19		1 LCM	Blue	BAKER as dir -ected	

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