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Annex C

[1-30 Apr 1969]

ANNEX C TO COMMANDER'S DIARY OF HQ 1 ATF

FROM 1 APR 69 TO 30 APR 69.

OPERATION ORDERS AND INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED

MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 011330Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

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TO: LIST F, LIST F1

Q 391

INFO: LIST Z, 1 ATF (REAR)

1 ATF OPO 27/69 (OP OVERLANDER) ANNEX E . ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS .

FIRST . GEN OUTLINE .

ALFA . NO CHANGE TO PRESENT ARRANGEMENTS EXCEPT AS DETAILED BELOW .

BRAVO . IN GEN TERMS CLN

ONE . HQ 1 ATF MAIN AND UNITS LOC FSPB JILLIAN WILL BE RESUP BY RD CONVOY OP FROM FWD TFMA .

TWO . RESUP TO FSPB SALLY WILL CONTINUE TO BE BY RD CONVOY OP FROM FWD TFMA .

THREE . RESUP OF 9 RAR BN GP WILL BE BY AIR FROM NUI DAT AS FROM 3 APR .

FOUR . RESUP OF 5 RAR COY GPS WILL CONTINUE TO BE BY AIR FROM FWD TFMA .

SECOND . AMMO .

ALFA . 161 FD BTY MOVES BY AIR FROM FSPB JILLIAN TO FSPB WATTLE ON 2 APR 69 WITH APPROX THREE FIRST LINES GUN AMMO .

BRAVO . 9 RAR MOVES BY AIR FROM FSPB JILLIAN TO FSPB WATTLE ON 2 APR 69 WITH ONE BY CH47 LOAD (432 RDS) MOR AMMO . ONE FURTHER CH47 LOAD DEL ON 2 APR 69 BY AIR FROM NUI DAT .

THIRD . DEF STORES . FOL DEF STORES DEL FROM FWD TFMA TO FSPB WATTLE IN FOUR BY CH47 SORTIES ON 3 APR 69 .

ALFA . CONCERTINA QTY 112 COILS .

BRAVO . PICKETS EIGHT FOOT QTY 444 .

CHARLIE . PICKETS 32 INCH QTY 333 .

DELTA . BARBED WIRE QTY 18 ROLLS .

ECHO . SANDBAGS QTY 19600 .

FOXTROT . CG-1 SIX FOOT QTY 200 .

FOURTH . UNIT ECHS .

ALFA . ELMS FWD ECH 9 RAR AND BTY ECH 161 FD BTY MOVE BY RD CONVOY FROM FWD TFMA TO NUI DAT ON 2 APR AND 4 APR .

BRAVO . HQ COY 1 ATF KITCHEN MOVES BY RD CONVOY FROM FWD TFMA TO NUI DAT ON 2 APR .

FIFTH . RD MOV FSPB KERRY TO FSPB JILLIAN .

ALFA . FOL 5 TON VEHS BEING PROVIDED 030800H TO ASSIST UNITS IN MOV CLN

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- ONE . A SQN 3 CAV REGT CMM ONE .
- TWO .. B SQN 1 ARMD REGT CMM FOUR .
- THREE . 104 SIG SQN CMM THREE AND RECOVERY VEH .
- FOUR . HQ COY 1 ATF CMM 10 .
- BRAVO . ADV PARTY DEP FSPB KERRY AT 030800H . MAIN BODY
DEP FSPB KERRY AT 031100H

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011745Z APR 69

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FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

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TO: LISTS F AND F1

INFO: LIST Z

1 ATF LOS BIEN HOA TAC
XUAN LOC
BEARCAT
DUC TU
TRANG BOM

1 ATF (REAR)
36 RGR BN
2/11 ACR
LONG BINH POST
3 BDE 1 CAV DIV (AM)
11 ACR
RTAVF
18 ARVN DIV
BIEN HOA TAC

- OP OVERLANDER - AMDT ONE . 1 ATF OPO 27/69 OF 1 APR 69 .
- ONE . AMEND PARA THREE ALFA FIRST BY CANCELLING 012359H AND INSERTING 022359H .
- TWO . AMEND PARA THREE ALFA FIFTH BY CHANGING DATE TO 3 APR .
- THREE . ADD TO TOP OF PARA THREE BRAVO FIRST CMM UNDER COMD FROM 021100H APR UNTIL REL 3 APR ONE PL D COY 9 RAR WITH OP CON NI 2/3 APR ONE PL F TP 2/11 ACR SECURING FSPB JILLIAN YT3308 .
- FOUR . AMEND PARA THREE BRAVO FIRST BY INSERTING 3 APR BEFORE ONE SPLINTER TEAM 1 FD SQN .
- FIVE . ADD TO PARA THREE BRAVO SECOND CMM COORD DEF FSPB JILLIAN WITH PL D COY 9 RAR UNDER COMD 5 RAR .
- SIX . AMEND PARA THREE CHARLIE FIRST BY DATE OF OP CON ONE TP B SQN 1 ARMD REGT TO 030700H APR CMM BY AMENDING DETAIL D COY REVERTING TO UNDER COMD FROM ARRIVAL AO GOULBURN TO READ D COY LESS ONE PL .
- SEVEN . PARA THREE DELTA SECOND DELETE LO BLACKHORSE CMM NOW NOT REQUIRED .
- EIGHT . PARA THREE ECHO FIRST CMM AMEND DATE OF OP CON TO 030700H APR .
- NINE . PARA THREE FOXTROT FIRST CMM FOL D COY 5 RAR INSERT 3 APR CMM FOL D COY 9 RAR INSERT 2 APR CMM DELETE 2 APR AFTER TIMES .
- TEN . PARA THREE FOXTROT SECOND CMM AMEND CLOSURE FSPB KERRY AND DEPLOYMENT TO AO REID TO 3 APR CMM AMEND RELIEF OF HQ 9 RAR FSPB JILLIAN TO READ ONE PL D COY 9 RAR WITH OP CON ONE PL F TP 2/11 ACR .
- ELEVEN . AMEND PARA FIVE ALFA AND BRAVO BY CHANGING DATE TO 3 APR CMM TIME PERIOD TO 0900-1000 HRS .
- TWELVE . AMEND PARA FIVE DELTA SUB PARAS TO READ FIRST SECOND THIRD CMM AMEND DATES 2 APR TO READ 3 APR

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HQ 1 ATF
NUI DAT

3 Apr 69

R617/1/4

Distribution below:

1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME
FOR PERIOD 070800H APR 69 TO 140800H APR 69

1. Attached is a copy of 1 ATF Patrol Programme for the period 070800H Apr 69 to 140800H Apr 69.

D.A. Chinn
for (D.A. CHINN)
Maj
GS02 (Ops)

Distribution

B Sqn 1 Armd Regt	(3)
A Sqn 3 Cav Regt	(2)
1 Fd Regt	(9)
1 Fd Sqn	(3)
21 Sp Tp	(2)
Det 17 Const	(2)
104 Sig Sqn	(2)
547 Sig Tp	
4 RAR	(26)
5 RAR	(11)
9 RAR	(11)
3 SAS Sqn	
161 (Indep) Recce Flt	
1 ARU	(2)
HORSESHOE Coy	(5)
TFMA	(3)
HQ Coy	(2)
106 Fd Wksps	
1 Aust CA Unit	
CP	
Arty Tac	
GS02 (Ops)	
FATOC	
Diary	(2)
Spares	(5)
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1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME FOR PERIOD 070800H APR 69 TO 140800H APR 69

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A.	Patrol serial No	4340/69	4341/69	4342/69	4343/69
B.	Sub-unit to provide	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
C.	Callsign and Frequency	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
D.	Controlled by	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Task	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS473683.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS477673.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS485663.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS466683.
F.	Strength	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	Date/Time out	071600H	071630H	081700H	081630H
H.	Date/Time in	080830H	080800H	090800H	090900H
J.	Route (Shown on appropriate trace)	Via V Coy	Via TL 52	Via TL 52	Via V Coy
K.	LZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
L.	PZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
M.	Remarks (to include any bids for hel or APC lift)	-	Drop of point vic YS470659. Tpt and escorts required.	Drop of point vic YS473658. Tpt and escorts required.	-

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A.	4344/69	4345/69	4346/69	4347/69	4348/69
B.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	@ RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
C.	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Raer	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS473661.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS455678	Ni obsn and early wng. Ni loc vic YS466669	Ni obsn and early wng. Ni loc vic YS455674	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS466669.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	091730H	091800H	101600H	101700H	111600H
H.	100800H	100800H	110830H	110800H	120900H
J.	Via TL 52	Via B Coy	Via B Coy	Via V Coy	Via B Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	Drop of point vic YS479657. Tpt and escorts required.	-	-	Patrol from NORTH to ni loc.	-

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A.	4349/69	4350/69	4351/69	4352/69	4353/69
B.	4 RAR Rear	4RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
C.	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS465680.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS467663.	Ni obsn and early wng. Ni loc vic YS462671.	Ni obsn and early wng. Ni loc vic YS462667.	Ni obsn and early wng. Ni loc vic YS453680.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1;6	1:6
G.	111700H	121730H	121630H	131600H	131800H
H.	120830H	130830H	130830H	140900H	140800H
J.	Via V Coy	Via TL 52	Via B Coy	Via B Coy	Via V Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	Drop of point vic YS463657. Tpt and escorts required.	-	-	-

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A.	B1/69	B2/69	B3/69	B4/69	B5/69
B.	4 Pl	6 Pl	5 Pl	4 Pl	6 Pl
C.	21A and 21B(B Coy)	23(B Coy)	22A and 22B	21	23A and 23B
D.	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy
E.	Obsn and ambush	Ambush	Obsn and ambush	Ambush	Obsn and ambush
F.	1:12(both Patrols)	Platoon	1:12(both Patrols)	Platoon	1:12(both Patrols)
G.	061500H	071600H	081600H	091500H	101530H
H.	071000H	081000H	090900H	101000H	110900H
J.	Dircet	Via "VIC" to YS508603.	Direct	Direct via "VIC"	Dircet
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	21A - Area "IAN" Ambush in vic YS479631. 21B - Area "JACK" Ambush in vic YS495640.	Platoon to move into position after last light.	22A - Area "TOM" Ambush vic YS504640. 22B - Area "IAN" Ambush vic YS480616.	Ambush area YS519613.	23A - Ambush area of YS512615. 23B - Ambush area of YS488633.

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A.	125/69 5 RAR	126/69	127/69	128/69	129/69
B.	Admin Coy	C Coy/17 Const Sqn	D Coy	Admin Coy	Admin Coy
C.	92J 55.55	34 55.55	44 55.55	92J 55.55	92J 55.55
D.	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear
E.	Early wng YS431683	1. Road check on South mov traffic YS'38697. 2. Ni loc 1 vic YS448702. 3. Ni loc 2 vic YS445698	1. Road check on North bound traffic YS422684. 2. Ambush ni 1 YS402684. 3. Ambush ni 2 YS415685.	Early wng YS431683.	Early wng YS431683.
F.	5	1:5 (Plus 2 men from 17 Const Sqn).	1:7 (Plus 2 men from Admin Coy).	5	5
G.	061845H	060930H	070900H	071845H	081845H
H.	070700H	080830H	090900H	080700H	090700H
J.	Out via A Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In via B Coy	Out via TF Gate In via TF Gate	Out via A Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In via A Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.	-	1. No movement South of 68 Northing.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.

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A.	130/69	131/69	132/69	133/69	134/69
B.	A Coy	B Coy	Admin Coy	C Coy	D Coy/17 Const Sqn
C.	14 55.55	24 55.55	92J 55.55	34 55.55	44 55.55
D.	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear
E.	1. Check South mov traffic YS435697. 2. Ni loc 1 vic YS447705. 3. Ni loc 2 vic YS446702.	1. Check North mov traffic YS422684. 2. Ni ambush YS408685.	Early wng YS431683.	1. Check South mov traffic YS438697. 2. Ni loc 1 YS447694. 3. Ni loc YS445695.	1. Check North mov traffic YS422684. 2. Ambush ni 1 YS403689. 3. Ambush ni 2 YS414680.
F.	1:7	1:7 (Plus 2 men from Admin Coy)	5	1:7	1:7 (Plus 2 men from Admin Coy)
G.	080900H	090930H	091845H	100900H	111400H
H.	100900H	100900H	100700H	120800H	130800H
J.	Out via A Coy In via B Coy	Out via TF Gate In via TF Gate	Out via A Coy In via A Coy	Out via B Coy In via A Coy	Out via TF Gate In via TF Gate
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	1. No movement South of 68 Northing.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.	-	1. No movement South of 68 Northing.

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A.	135/69	136/69	137/69	138/69
B.	Admin Coy	Admin Coy	BHQ	3 SAS
C.	92J 55.55	92J 55.55	92J 55.55	54 55.55
D.	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear
E.	Early wng YS431683	Early wng YS431683	Early wng YS431683	1. Recce and obsn AO BRONX and TONY. 2. Ni loc vic YS455705.
F.	5	5	5	1:4
G.	101845H	111845H	121845H	121100H
H.	110700H	120700H	130700H	130900H
J.	Out via A Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In via A Coy	Out via B Coy In via A Coy
K.	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-
M.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.	Fort Courage to have Starlight Scope.	1. Ptl comd briefing 111500H.

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A.	271/69 9RAR	272/69	273/69	274/69	275/69
B.	A Coy	Admin Coy	B Coy	Admin Coy	C Coy
C.	10C 60-65	20C 60-65	10C 60-65	20C 60-65	10C 60-65
D.	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vicinity YS387665	Ambush vicinity YS459654	Ambush vicinity YS391664	Ambush vicinity YS452651	Ambush vicinity YS395660
F.	1:10 to incl 2 men B sqn	1:6	1:10 incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6	1:10 to incl 2 Men B Sqn
G.	060900H	061815H	071745H	071800H	081800H
H.	070830H	070745H	080800H	080800H	090800H
J.	Veh by pass road and as briefed	Out D Coy - In A Coy	As for 271/69	Out A Coy - In A Coy	As for 271/69
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. To be in ni loc by last light. 2. To carry 2xGPMG M60 and 1xM79	1. To be in ni loc by last light. 2. To carry 1xGPMG M60 and 1xM79	As for 271/69	As for 272/69	As for 271/69

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A.	276/69	277/69	278/69	279/69	280/69
B.	Sp Coy/BHQ	1 Fd Sqn	Admin Coy	D Coy	Admin Coy
C.	20C 60-65	10C 60-65	20C 60-65	10C 60-65	20C 60-65
D.	9 RAR Rear	9RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vic YS457655	Ambush vic YS398664	Ambush vic YS459652	Ambush vic YS402667	Ambush vic YS455652
F.	1:6	1:10	1:6	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6
G.	081815H	091800H	091815H	101800H	101815H
H.	090800H	100800H	100745H	110800H	110745H
J.	Out B Coy - In A Coy	As f or 271/69	Out A Coy - In A Coy	As for 271/69	Out A Coy - In A Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	As for 272/69	As for 271/69	As for 272/69	As for 271/69	As for 272/69

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A.	281/69	282/69	283/69	284/69
B.	Sp Coy/BHQ	Admin Coy	1 Fd Sqn	Admin Coy
C.	10C 60-65	20C 60-65	10C 60-65	20C 60-65
D.	9RAR Rear	9RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vic YS402662	Ambush vic YS455654	Ambush vic YS407662	Ambush vic YS457654
F.	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6	1:8 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6
G.	111815H	111815H	121800H	121815H
H.	120800H	120745H	130745H	130745H
J.	As for 271/69	Out B Coy - In A Coy	As for 271/69	Out D Coy - In A Coy
K.	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-
M.	As for 271/69	As for 272/69	As for 271/69	As for 272/69

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A.	113/69 1 ARU	114/69	115/69	116/69	117/69
B.	2 P1	Holding P1	2 P1	Holding P1	Holding P1
C.	52 67.85	56 67.85	52 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Patrol and ambush in AO ALICE and KAREN.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS456641.	Patrol and ambush in AO NORM and JIM.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS445647.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS454637.
F.	1:30	1:5	1:30	1:5	1:5
G.	060830H	061630H	070830H	081730H	091630H
H.	070800H	070800H	080800H	090730H	100800H
J.	Through MANDY	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. Dropped of by veh clearance required from 5 RAR to use KAREN.	1. AO NORM/JIM 2. Ni locstat subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.	1. Ni locstat to be notified.	1. AO NORM	1. AO NORM

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A.	118/69	119/69	120/69	121/69
B.	3 P1	Holding P1	Holding P1	Holding P1
C.	53 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Ambush in AO NORM/JIM	Obsn and early wng in vic YS422695.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS439644.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS451645.
F.	1:30	1:5	1:5	1:5
G.	101600H	101615H	111730H	121715H
H.	110800H	110800H	120745H	130745H
J.	Direct	Through MANDY	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-
M.	1. Ni locstat to be notified.	1. AO ALICE 2. Dropped off by veh.	1. AO NORM 2. Ni locstat subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.	1. AO NORM

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FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

OPS 413

TO: LIST F1

INFO: LIST F

1 ATF LOS XUAN LOC
BEARCAT
TRANG BOM
BLACKHORSE

1 ATF (REAR)

2/11 ACR

11 ACR

RTAVF

18 ARVN DIV

AUSTFORCE VIETNAM

FRAGO 1 TO 1 ATF OPO 27/69 (OP OVERLANDER) .

ONE . DUE MAX RANGE 105 FD BTY IN DS 5 RAR CMM BOUNDARY AOS MANUKA/GOULBURN
IS TO BE ADJUSTED WITH EFFECT 060700H APR 69 .

TWO . TRACE ANX A ISSUED SEPARATELY .

ACK INSTRS . ACK TO ENSIGN CP

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CHINN

GS02 (Ops)

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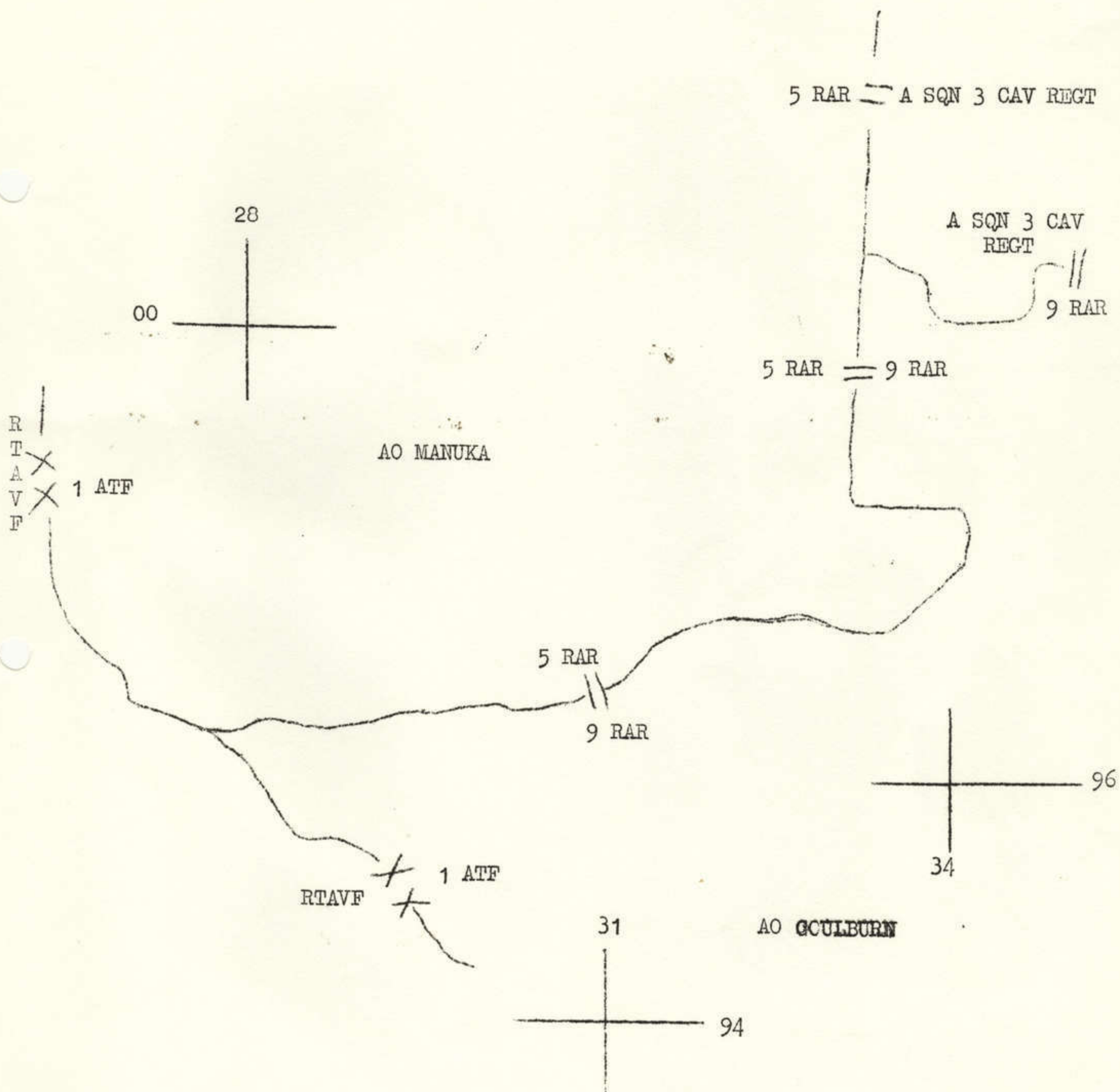
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ANNEX A TO
FRAGO 1 TO
1 ATF OPO 27/69
DATED 4 APR 69

RIVISED BOUNDARY
AOS MANUKA, GOULBURN

Reference Maps:
Scale: 1:50,000
Effective 060700H Apr 69.



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PRIORITY PRIORITY 050500Z APR 69

FROM: HQ 1 ATF (MAIN)

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TO: LIST Z
LIST F
LIST F1
HQ 1 ATF (REAR)
HQ 1 ATF LONG BINH

Q418

INFO: 1 ALSG REAR
1 ALSG FWD

OP OVERLANDER . ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS FROM 6 APR 69 . THESE INSTRS ARE
A PLANNING GUIDE ONLY AND ARE SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION .

FIRST . GEN OUTLINE .

- ALFA . HQ 1 ATF (MAIN) AND UNITS BASED IN FSPB JILLIAN REDEPLOY BY
RD ON 8 APR 69 TO AO CAMDEN .
- BRAVO . 5 RAR BN GP VACATES AO MANUKA ON 3 APR 69 AND MOVES TO NUI DAT
BY AIR .
- CHARLIE . 4 RAR BN GP DEPLOYS BY AIR FROM NUI DAT ON 8 APR 69 TO AO
MARULAN .
- DELTA . 9 RAR BN GP REDEPLOYS BY AIR FROM AO GOULBURN TO AO PICTON ON
9 APR 69 .
- ECHO . 5 RAR CMM HQ 1 ATF (MAIN) AND UNITS BASED IN FSPB JILLIAN ARE
TO BE REPLENISHED FROM FWD TFMA UP TO 7 APR 69 . AS FROM 8
APR 69 ALL REPLENISHMENT FOR THE FORCE WILL BE FROM NUI DAT .
- FOXTROT . FWD TFMA AND UNITS CMM SUB UNITS AND DETS BASED IN FWD TFMA
AREA WILL RETURN TO NUI DAT ON 8-9 APR 69 .

SECOND . AMMO .

- ALFA . GUN AMMO .
 - ONE . 105 FD BTY MOVES WITH 100 RDS PER GUN . EXCESS
HOLDINGS TO BE BACKLOADED TO FWD ALSG ON 7 APR 69 .
 - TWO . 104 FD BTY DEPLOYS WITH 200 RDS PER GUN . SUBSEQUENT
RESUP BY AIR .
 - THREE . 161 FD BTY REDEPLOYS WITH 200 RDS PER GUN .
SUBSEQUENT RESUP BY RD .
- BRAVO . MOR AMMO . BNS MOVE WITH FIRST LINE HOLDINGS .
- CHARLIE . SAA AND EXPLOSIVES .
 - ONE . ALL UNITS MOVE WITH ONE FIRST LINE .
 - TWO . UNITS DRAW EXPLOSIVES ON DEMAND .
 - THREE . FWD TFMA AP CLOSES 081000H .

THIRD . POL .

- ALFA . PP IN FWD TFMA CLOSES 081200H .
- BRAVO . AVGAS P IN FSPB JILLIAN CLOSES 071300H AND OPENS IN NEW FSPB IN
AO CAMDEN AT 081500H .

FOURTH . RATS .

- ALFA . UNITS CARRY AT LEAST THREE DAYS .
- BRAVO . SUP P IN FWD TFMA CLOSES 061700H .

FIFTH . WATER .

- ALFA . UNITS TO DEPLOY WITH MAX HOLDINGS IN JERRY CANS AND WATER BOTTLES .

BRAVO . FWD TFMA TO DEPLOY 1000 GAL WATER TKS IN THE AO CAMDEN FSPB ON 8 APR AND IN TO AO PICTON FSPB ON 9 APR . SUBSEQUENT REFILLING BY TFMA ARRANGEMENTS .

SIXTH . DEF STORES .

ALFA . TFMA MUST BE PREP TO DEL NORMAL DAY 1 FSPB LOADINGS AS FOLS CLN ONE . BY RD ON 8 APR TO FSPB IN AO CAMDEN . TWO . BY AIR ON 8 APR TO FSPB IN AO MARULAN . THREE . BY RD ON 9 APR TO FSPB IN AO PICTON .

BRAVO . UNITS ARE TO CARRY TO NEW FSPBS (R BACKLOAD ALL UNUSED DEF STORES CMM PICKETS AND OGI WHICH ARE SERVICEABLE AND ALL ARMCO AND TIMBER . SEE PARA SEVENTH FOR BACKLOADING ARRANGEMENTS .

SEVENTH . RD TPT .

ALFA . VEH REQUIREMENTS . 1 ALSG REQUESTED TO PROVIDE FOR CLN ONE . 27 BY 5 TON VEHs AT FSPB JILLIAN BY 071200H . VEHs WILL BE EMPLOYED IN BACKLOADING TO FWD TFMA ON 7 APR FOLLOWED BY LOADING OF UNITS IN READINESS FOR MOVE TO FSPB IN AO CAMDEN ON 8 APR . THESE VEHs TO RETURN TO LONG BINH ON 8 APR AND A NUMBER TO BE DETERMINED PROVIDED TO FWD TFMA FOR LIFT OF THAT UNIT TO NUI DAT ON 9 APR .

TWO . EIGHT BY 5 TON VEHs AT FSPB SALLY BY 071200H . VEHs WILL BE EMPLOYED IN BACKLOADING TO TFMA ON 7 APR FOLLOWED BY LOADING OF FWD ECH 5 RAR IN READINESS FOR MOVE TO NUI DAT ON 8 APR .

THREE . THREE BY 5 TON VEHs AT FSPB DUSTER BY 071200H . VEHs WILL BE EMPLOYED IN MOVING RADAR DET 131 DIV LOC BTY TO NUI DAT ON 8 APR .

FOUR . TWO BY 5 TON VEHs AT FWD TFMA BY 071200H . VEHs WILL BE EMPLOYED IN MOVING DET 106 FD WKSP TO NUI DAT ON 8 APR .

BRAVO . RD CONVOYS . DETAILED INSTR WILL BE ISSUED SEPARATELY FOR THE FOL RD MOVES .

ONE . FWD TFMA TO BACKLOAD FIVE BY 5 TON VEHs LOADS REFRIGERATORS CMM AMMO AND DEF STORES TO NUI DAT ON 6 APR . VEHs TO RETURN SAME DAY .

TWO . 1 ALSG CONVOY OF 36 BY 5 TON VEHs FROM VUNG TAU TO LONG BINH CMM FSPB DUSTER CMM FSPB SALLY AND FSPB JILLIAN TO ARRIVE IN THOSE LOCS BY 071200H . ESCORT PROVIDED BY 1 ALSG .

THREE . CONVOY TO LEAVE FWD TFMA BY 080800H FOR NUI DAT COMPRISING DET 106 FD WKSP CMM RADAR LET 131 DIV LOC BTY CMM DET 2 AFCU CMM DET 1 OFP CMM FWD ECH 5 RAR CMM FWD ECH 1 FD REGT . ESCORT PROVIDED BY 1 ALSG .

FOUR . CONVOY TO LEAVE FSPB JILLIAN BY 080900H FOR FSPB IN AO CAMDEN COMPRISING HQ 1 ATF (MAIN) INCL ARTY TAC CMM A SQN 3 CAV REGT FWD CMM B SQN 1 ARMD REGT FWD CMM 1 FD SQN FWD CMM 104 SIG SQN FWD CMM HQ COY 1 ATF CMM WATER P CMM AVGAS P .

- FIVE . CONVOY TO LEAVE TFMA BY 081000H FOR FSPB IN AO CAMDEN
COMPRISING THREE BY 5 TON VEH LOADS DEF STORES CMM
DAILY MAINT REQUIREMENTS NOTIFIED BY UNIT REAR ECHS ON
7 APR CMM ENGR PLANT .
- SIX . CONVOY TO LEAVE TFMA BY 090900H FOR FSPB IN AO PICTON
COMPRISING THREE BY 5 TON VEH LOADS DEF STORES CMM
DAILY MAINT REQUIREMENTS NOTIFIED BY UNIT REAR ECHS ON
8 APR 69 .
- SEVEN . CONVOY TO LEAVE LONG BINH BY 091300H FOR NUI DAT AND
VUNG TAU COMPRISING REMAINING PERS AND STORES FROM FWD
TFMA AND 1 ALSG FWD . ESCORT PROVIDED BY 1 ALSG .
- CHARLIE . CONTROL OF RD TPT RESOURCES .
- ONE . TFMA TO PROVIDE TPT OFFR TO CON TPT 7-9 APR . TO REPORT
TO DAQMG AT FWD TFMA BY 071000H .
- TWO . TF EME TO CON ALL REC RESOURCES FOR RD MOVEMENT 7-9 APR .
- EIGHTH . AIR MOV . AIR PLANNING CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD ON 6 APR . DETAILS LATER .
- NINTH . REPAIR AND REC .
- ALFA . . DET 106 FD WKSP TO CLOSE FWD TFMA AT 081000H .
- BRAVO . TF EME TO CON ALL AVAL REC RESOURCES FROM FWD TFMA DURING THE
PERIOD 7-9 APR INCL .
- TENTH . ORD . DET 1 OFF TO CLOSE 081000H AND RETURN TO NUI DAT SAME DAY .
- ELEVENTH . CANTEENS . DET 2 AFCU TO CLOSE 081000 AND RETURN TO NUI DAT SAME DAY .
- TWELFTH . CARIBOU SVC . WILL CEASE TO OP AFTER 8 APR 69 .
- THIRTEENTH. MAINT CONFERENCES .
- ALFA . THERE WILL BE NO RESUP FROM FWD TFMA AFTER 7 APR . LAST MAINT
CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT 070900H .
- BRAVO . RESUP OF THE FORCE WILL BE FROM NUI DAT AS FROM 8 APR . DAQMG'S
DAILY MAINT CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT 1400H FROM 7 APR .
REPS FROM ALL UNITS DEPLOYED ARE TO ATTL .
- FOURTEENTH. MED . RMO 12 FD REGT TO ESTB RAP AT TF FSPB IN AO CAMDEN .

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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE

ROUTINE

050700Z APR 69

R569/2/157

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FROM: 1 ATF (REAR)

SECRET

TO: 3 SAS SQN

OPS 445

INFO: 1 ATF (MAIN) GSO2 (INT) GSO2 (AIR)

OP INSTR 29/69 (OP SHORT FINAL) .

ONE . SIT CLN AS BRIEFED BY GSO2 (INT) .

TWO . MSN CLN TO CONDUCT RECCE IN AO THARWA IN PERIOD 8 - 15 APR TO PROVIDE
INFO FOR OPS AGAINST SUSPECTED ENEMY INSTL AND ACTIVITY IN THAT AO . .

THREE . 3 SAS SQN CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN IN SP FROM 080700H APR FOR OP - 9 SQN RAAF . .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY BY AIR INTO AO THARWA .

SECOND . OPERATE IN TWO AREAS DESIGNATED ANNEX A .

THIRD . LOCATE BASE OF D445 BN AND ITS SUB UNITS
ALSO TRACK PLANS .

FOURTH . LOCATE THE L OF C TO D445 BN FROM SUOI TE
AND DAT DO AREAS .

FIFTH . EXTRACT FROM AO BY AIR .

FOUR . 9 SQN RAAF CLN PROVIDE AIRLIFT AS TASKED BY GSO2 (AIR) .

FIVE . CO-ORD INSTR CLN

ALFA . OP COMMENCES 8 APR .

BRAVO . AO THARWA ANNEX A .

CHARLIE . CONTACTS CLN AVOID AT ALL COSTS CMM MAY BE INITIATED ON
LAST DAY OF PTLIS FOR IDENT OR PW .

DELTA . 1 ATF (REAR) IS TO CO-ORD ALL ACTIVITIES 3 SAS SQN WHILE
1 ATF (MAIN) IS DEPLOYED .

SIX . ADMIN AND LOG . 1 ATF SOP CMM 3 SAS SQN RESPONSIBLE .

SEVEN . COMD AND SIG . 1 ATF SOI

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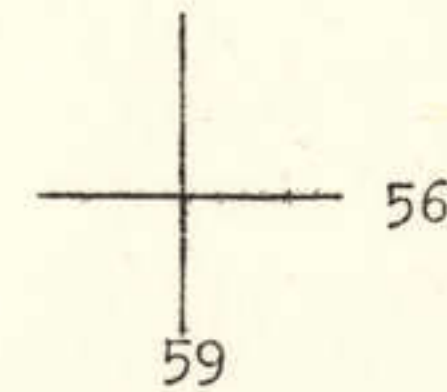
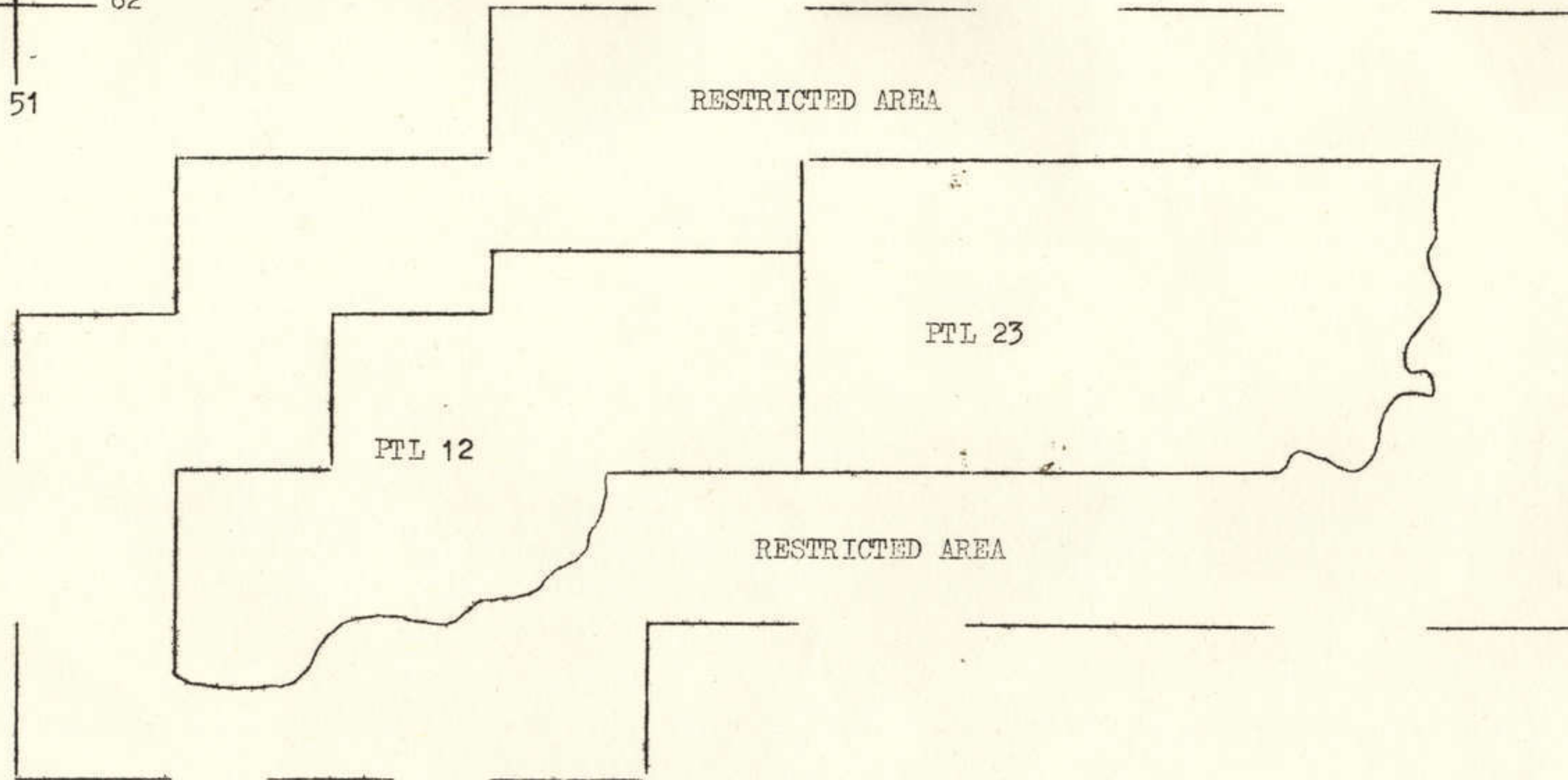
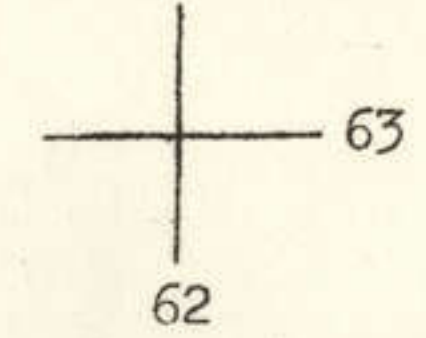
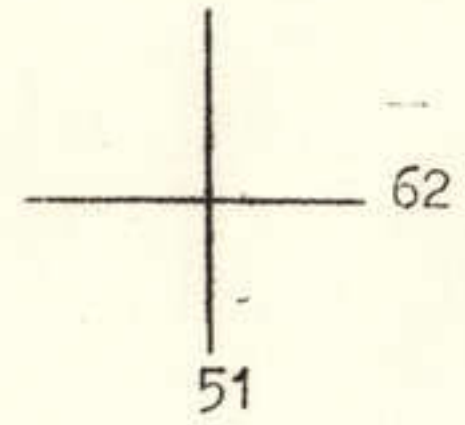
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AO THARWA

ANNEX A TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 29/69
DATED APR 69

Reference Map: VIETNAM 6430

Scale: 1 : 100,000



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MESSAGE FORM

PRIORITY PRIORITY 060840Z APR 69
FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)
TO: LIST Z, LIST F, LIST F1
1 ATF (REAR), 1 ATF (LONG BINH)
INFO: 1 ALSG (REAR), 1 ALSG (FWD)

CONFIDENTIAL
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REF 418 OF 050500Z APR 69 . OP OVERLANDER . ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS FROM 6 APR 69 .

FIRST . THE REFERENCE IS CONFIRMED EXCEPT AS FOLLS .
ALFA . 1 ALSG REQUESTED TO PROVIDE 29 BY 5 TON VEHS AT FSPB JILLIAN BY 071200H .
BRAVO . 1 ALSG TO PROVIDE TWO BY 5 TON VEHS TO LIFT DET 106 FD WKSP TO NUI DAT ON THE 091300H CONVOY AND NOT THE 080900H CONVOY . .
CHARLIE . CARIBOU COURIER WILL CEASE AFTER THE 071415H FLIGHT FROM LONG BINH .
DELTA . RADAR DET 131 DIV LOC BTY IS TO JOIN THE 080900H CONVOY FROM FSPB JILLIAN FOR DEPLOYMENT IN AO CAMDEN AND NOT RETURN TO NUI DAT ON THE 080800H CONVOY AS WAS PLANNED .

SECOND . THE FOLLOWING IS IN AMPLIFICATION OF INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN THE REFERENCE .

ALFA . ALLOTMENT OF VEHS ARRIVING FSPB JILLIAN AT 071200H IS CLN A SQN 3 CAV REGT TWO CMM B SQN 1 ARMD REGT FOUR CMM ARTY TAC THREE CMM 1 FD SQN TWO CMM 104 SIG SQN FOUR CMM HQ COY 1 ATF TWELVE CMM WP ONE CMM AVGAS P ONE . EXCEPT FOR THOSE VEHS WHICH MUST REMAIN FOR LOADING OVERNIGHT CMM THE VEHS ARE TO ASSEMBLE AT 071730H FOR RETURN TO THE FWD TFMA AREA WHERE THEY WILL STAGE OVERNIGHT . THESE VEHS WILL LEAVE THE FWD TFMA AREA AT 080600H AND RETURN TO UNIT LOCATIONS IN FSPB JILLIAN FOR FINAL LOADING PRIOR TO DEPARTURE AT 080900H .
BRAVO . CONVOY OF THREE VEHS 1 FD SQN WILL DEPART FWD TFMA AREA 070930H FOR NUI DAT .
CHARLIE . FWD TFMA TO ARRANGE BACKLOADING OF 1000 GAL WATER TANK FROM FSPB SALLY AT APPROXIMATELY 080830H

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MESSAGE FORM

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IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 062330Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

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TO: LISTS F AND F1 PLUS 4 RAR
104 FD BTY

OPS 424

INFO: LIST Z
1 ATF LOS XUAN LOC
BEARCAT
BLACKHORSE
TRANG BOM
1 ATF (REAR)
2/11 ACR
11 ACR
RTAVF
18 ARVN DIV

FRAGO 2 TO 1 ATF OPO 27/69 (OP OVERLANDER)

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . EN FORCES ISSUED SEPARATELY .

BRAVO . FRIENDLY FORCES DEPLOYMENTS 8 APR CLN

FIRST . 4 RAR DEPLOYS BY AIR FROM 1 ATF BASE INTO AO
MARULAN FOR RIF OPS .

SECOND . 5 RAR DEPLOYS BY AIR FROM AO MANUKA TO 1 ATF
BASE FOR PHASE 2 OPS .

THIRD . 1 ATF (MAIN) WITH SP ARMS DEPLOYS BY RD FROM AO
REID TO AO CAMDEN .

TWO . 4 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING .

FIRST . UNDER OP CON FROM 080700H APR FOUR COMBAT ENGR
TEAMS 1 FD SQN .

SECOND . UNDER OP CON FROM ARRIVAL FSPB DYKE 8 APR UNTIL
REL ONE TD 15 BY ENGR RD CONVOY .

THIRD . IN DS 104 FD BTY .

FOURTH . IN DS ONE H13 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT FROM 080700H
APR .

FIFTH . IN SP AT PRI CALL FROM 080815H APR UNTIL REL ONE
SECT 161 FD BTY .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . CONTINUE RESPONSIBILITY FOR READY REACTION COY TASKS
UNTIL 081200H APR .

SECOND . DEPLOY BY AIR INTO AO MARULAN 8 APR .

THIRD . RIF AO MARULAN TO DESTROY OR CAPTURE EN LOC .

FOURTH . DENY ALL BUNKER SYSTEMS LOC BY SEEDING WITH CS
CRYSTALS .

THREE . 5 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING .

FIRST . REMAINING IN DS 105 FD BTY .

SECOND . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD B SQN 1 ARMD REGT BY
081200H APR ONE TP .

THIRD . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD A SQN 3 CAV REGT FROM
081430H APR TWO MOR CARRIERS .

- FOURTH . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD 1 FD SQN ON ARRIVAL 1 ATF BASE 8 APR TP HQ THREE COMBAT ENGR TEAMS ONE SPLINTER TEAM .
- FIFTH . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD 1 FD SQN FROM REL 8 APR ENGR PLANT LOC FSPB SALLY .
- SIXTH . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT FROM 081500H APR ONE H-13 .
- SEVENTH . REVERTING TO OP CON 1 ATF (MAIN) FROM REL 8 APR ONE TP 2/11 ACR .
- EIGHTH . REVERTING TO IN GEN SP REINFORCING 1 ATF FROM 080800H APR B/2/35 ARTY (US) .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

- FIRST . CLOSE FSPB SALLY YT2906 AND DEPLOY BY AIR FROM AO MANUKA TO 1 ATF BASE 8 APR .
- SECOND . ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR READY REACTION COY TASKS FROM 081200H APR .
- THIRD . CARRY OUT PHASE TWO OPERATIONS IN LONG LE DISTRICT AS ORDERED SEPARATELY .

FOUR . 9 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CMM NO CHANGES OTHER THAN CLN

- FIRST . UNDER OP CON UNTIL REL ONE TP B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .
- SECOND . UNDER OP CON FROM 070800H APR TO 071600H APR ONE TP A SQN 3 CAV REGT .
- THIRD . UNDER OP CON FROM 071600H APR TO 081200H APR TWO SECTS A SQN 3 CAV REGT .
- FOURTH . IN SP AT PRIORITY CALL TO 4 RAR FROM 080815H APR UNTIL REL ONE SECT 161 FD BTY .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

- FIRST . SECURE LZ WITH ONE COY AND TP TKS IN VIC YS340869 7 APR FOR FLY IN OF COY 4 RAR 8 APR .
- SECOND . DEPLOY ONE SECT 161 FD BTY TO COY LOC VIC YS340869 TO SP 4 RAR ASLT LANDINGS AO MARULAN 8 APR .
- THIRD . RETURN ONE SECT 161 FD BTY TO FSPB WATTLE ON COMPLETION SP FIRE FOR 4 RAR DEPLOYMENT .

FIVE . 1 FD REGT CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

- FIRST . REMAINING IN GEN SP REINFORCING 2 HOW BTY (US) .
- SECOND . UNDER COMD FROM 080800H APR B/2/35 ARTY (US) .

BRAVO . LIAISON FROM AM 8 APR CLN

- FIRST . AS FOR OPO 27/69 .
- SECOND . LO FSPB GREY TO BE CFM .

- CHARLIE . DEPLOYMENT B/2/35 ARTY (US) TO FSPB MARTINE TO BE COORD WITH A SQN 3 CAV REGT . RECCE OFFR FROM BTY TO JOIN 1 ATF (MAIN) RECCE PARTY FOR AIR MOV AM 8 APR AND BTY RECCE PARTY TO MOVE WITH 1 ATF (MAIN) ADV PARTY .

SIX . B SQN 1 ARMD REGT (LESS TWO TPS) CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . UNDER COMD FROM 5 RAR REL BY 081200H APR ONE TP .

SECOND . DET TO UNDER OP CON 9 RAR UNTIL REL ONE TP .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY WITH 1 ATF (MAIN) TO AO CAMDEN 8 APR .

SECOND . CONDUCT RIF OPS AO CAMDEN IN CONJUNCTION WITH
CAV/INF ELMS LOC FSPB MARTINE YS2575 .

THIRD . DEF AND COUNTER PENETRATION FSPB MARTINE CMM COORD
BY A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

SEVEN . A SQN 3 CAV REGT (LESS TWO TPS) CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . DET TO UNDER OP CON 9 RAR FROM 070800H APR TO
071600H APR ONE TP .

SECOND . DET TO UNDER OP CON 9 RAR FROM 071600H APR TO
081200H APR TWO SECTS .

THIRD . UNDER COMD FROM 5 RAR 081430H APR TWO MOR CARRIERS .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . PROVIDE CAV/MOBILE FROM ROUTE 15 TASK 8 APR TO
SECURE AREA FSPB MARTINE BY 080800H APR FOR GROUND
RECCE AND ENGR WORKS .

SECOND . CLOSE FSPB JILLIAN YT3306 8 APR 69 .

THIRD . DEPLOY 1 ATF (MAIN) AND SP ARMS FSPB JILLIAN INTO
AO CAMDEN 8 APR 69 TO FSPB MARTINE .

FOURTH . COMD AND COORD DEF FSPB MARTINE .

FIFTH . CONDUCT RIF OPS AO CAMDEN SP BY ARMD/INF ELMS LOC
FSPB MARTINE .

EIGHT . TWO TPS 2/11 ACR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . REMAINING OP CON TO 9 RAR E TP 2/11 ACR .

SECOND . UNDER OP CON 1 ATF (MAIN) FROM 5 RAR REL 8 APR
G TP 2/11 ACR .

BRAVO . TASKS CMM TO BE ADVISED LATER .

NINE . 1 FD SQN CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . DET TO UNDER OP CON 4 RAR FROM 080700H APR FOUR
COMBAT ENGR TEAMS .

SECOND . DET TO UNDER OP CON 4 RAR FROM ARRIVAL FSPB DYKE
ONE TD 15 BY ENGR RD CONVOY .

THIRD . UNDER COMD FROM 5 RAR REL 8 APR ENGR PLANT LOC
FSPB SALLY .

FOURTH . UNDER COMD FROM ARRIVAL 1 ATF BASE 8 APR TP HQ
THREE COMBAT ENGR TEAMS ONE SPLINTER TEAM .

BRAVO . SPECIAL TASKS CMM ASSIST CONST FSPB DYKE FSPB MARTINE CMM
CLOSURE FSPB SALLY FSPB JILLIAN .

TEN . 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT . PROVIDE ONE H13 IN DS TO 4 RAR FROM
080700H APR CMM RECEIVE ONE H13 FROM IN DS 5 RAR BY 081500H APR .

ELEVEN . RAAF . PROVIDE AHC LIFT TO DEPLOY 4 RAR 1 ATF BASE TO AO MARULAN AND
5 RAR AO MANUKA TO 1 ATF BASE 8 APR . OTHER TASKS AS NORMAL .

TWELVE . US ARMY AVN . PROVIDE MED HEL SP FOR DEPLOYMENTS 5 RAR/9 RAR AND
DS BTYS 8 APR .

THIRTEEN . COORD INSTR CLN
ALFA . ISSUED SEPARATELY CMM AO MARULAN ANX A AO CAMDEN ANX B .
BRAVO . FSPB CLN
4 RAR DYKE YS2780 OPENS 8 APR .
5 RAR SALLY YT2906 CLOSES 8 APR .
9 RAR WATTLE YS3591 REMAINS .
1 ATF (MAIN) JILLIAN YT3306 CLOSES 8 APR .
1 ATF (MAIN) MARTINE YS2575 OPENS 8 APR .
CHARLIE . MOV DETAILS INCL TIMINGS FOR AIR AND GROUND MOVES ISSUED
SEPARATELY .
DELTA . CURFEW TIMINGS CMM RESTRICTED AREAS CMM RF/PF LOCS ISSUED
SEPARATELY ANX C .
ECHO . BRIEFING 1 ATF LOS 7 APR BY LO FROM 1 ATF (MAIN) .

FOURTEEN . ADMIN AND LOG . SEE 1 ATF (MAIN) Q 418 OF 050500Z APR 69 .

FIFTEEN . COMD AND SIG CLN
ALFA . 1 ATF (MAIN) CLOSES FSPB JILLIAN CMM OPENS FSPB MARTINE
0900 - 1000 HRS 8 APR 69 .
BRAVO . 1 ATF SOI APPLY .
CHARLIE . LIAISON CLN
FIRST . LO TRANG BOM WITH SIG DET DEPLOYS BY RD 8 APR
TO LONG THANH SUB SECTOR WITH MAIN BODY MOV .
A SQN 3 CAV REGT TO COORD . CALLSIGN 73 .
SECOND . 1 ATF LO FOR PHU MY POST YS2574 TO BE PROVIDED BY
5 RAR LONG LE DISTRICT MATS TEAM WITH DET
104 SIG SQN . CALLSIGN 76 .
THIRD . REMAINING LOS/SIG DEPS NO CHANGE .

ACK INSTR . ACK TO ENSIGN OR EBONY CP

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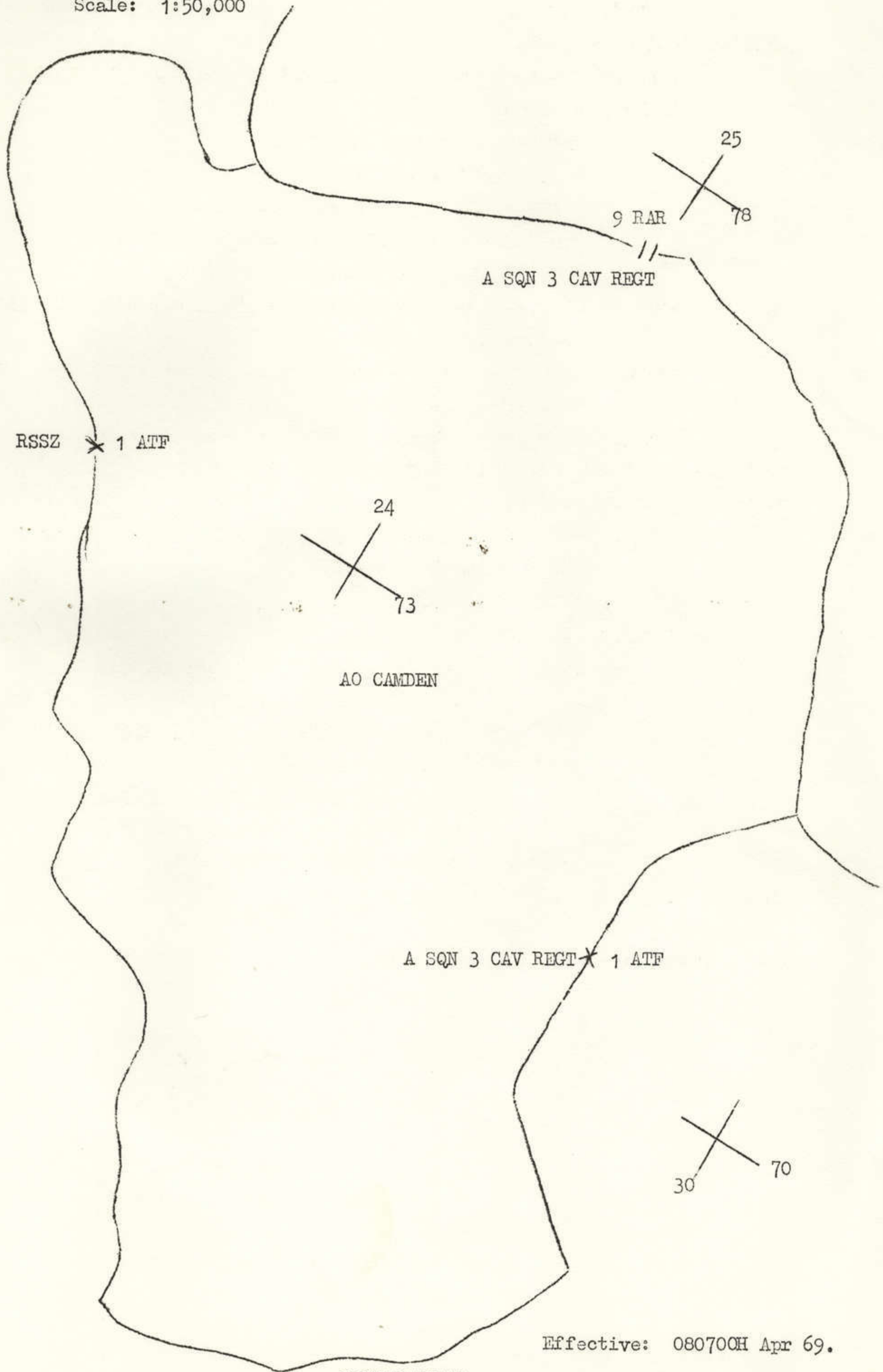
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ANNEX B TO
FRAGO 2 TO
1 ATF OPO 27/69
DATED 7 APR 69

AO CAMDEN

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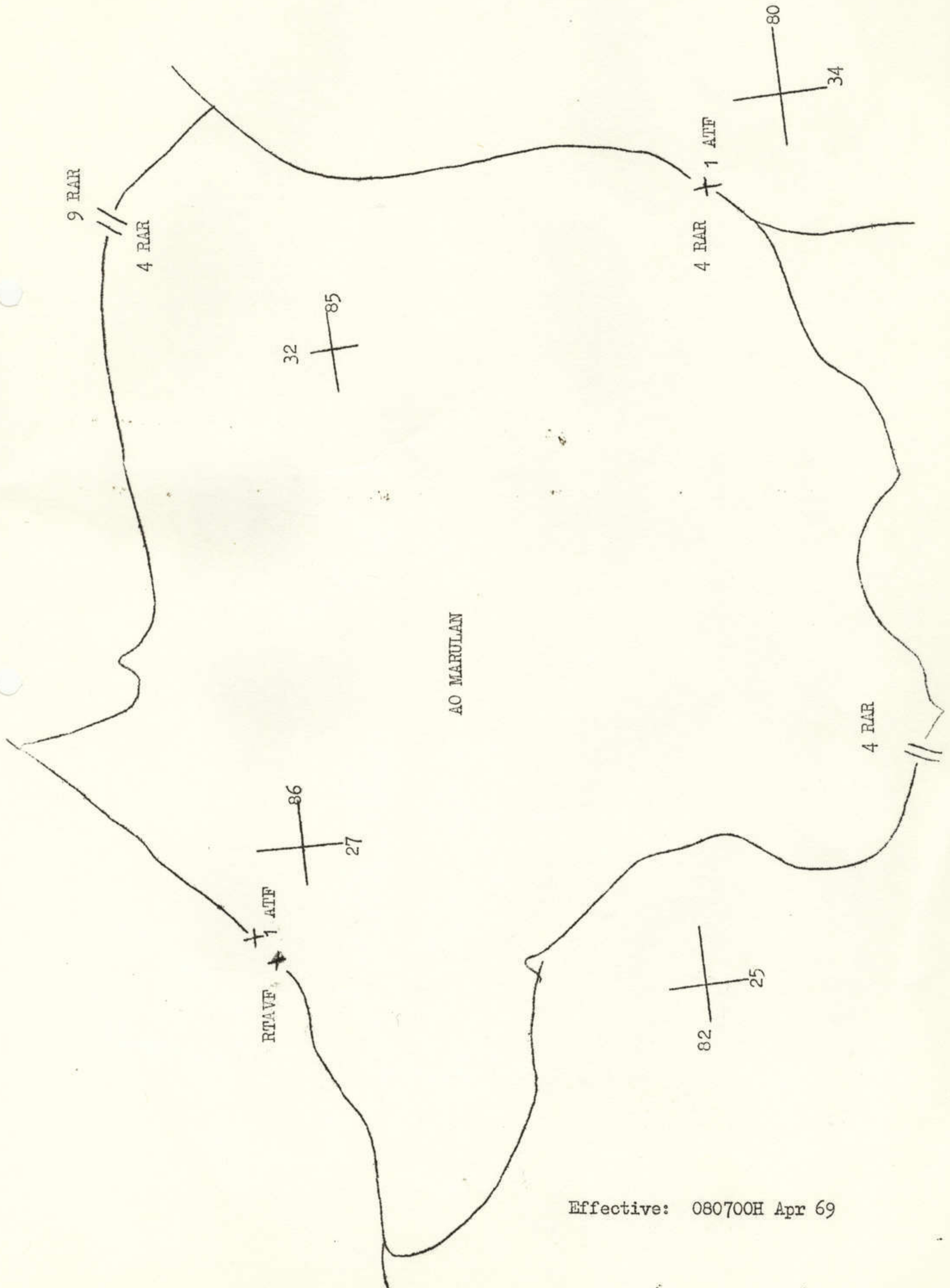
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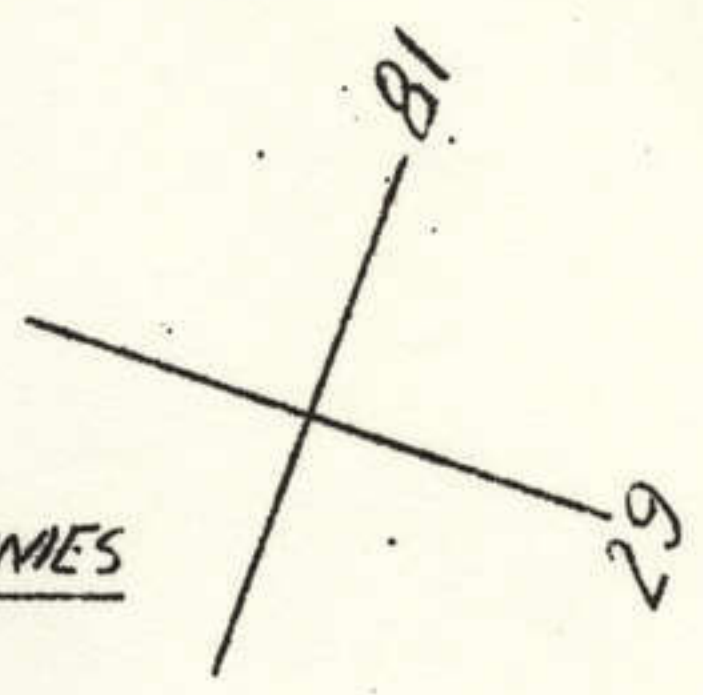
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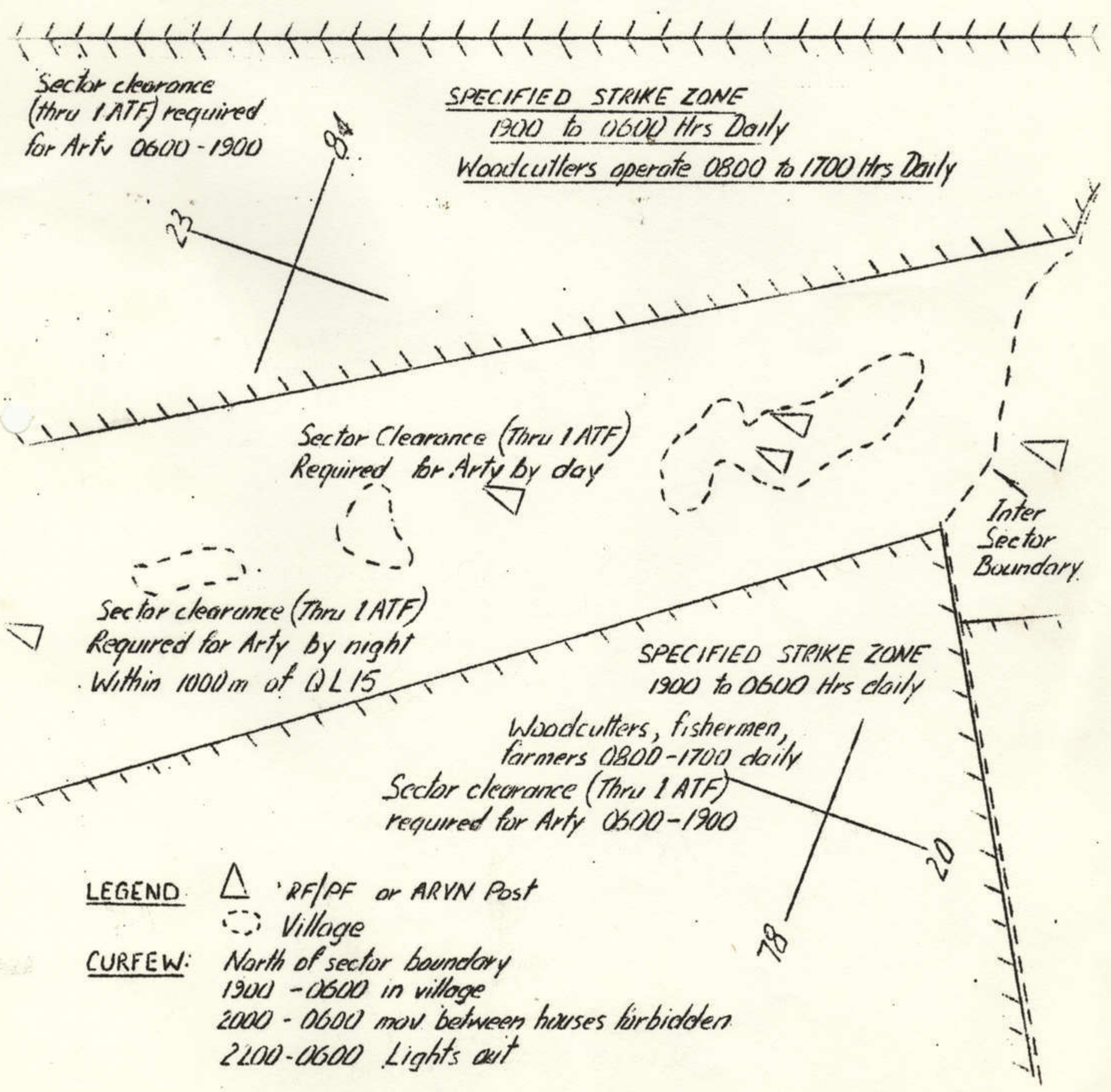
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TO 1ATF UPO 27/69
(OP OVERLANDER)
DATED 06 2330Z APR 69

PROVINCE DATA ROUTE 15 - AO HUME
SHEET 1

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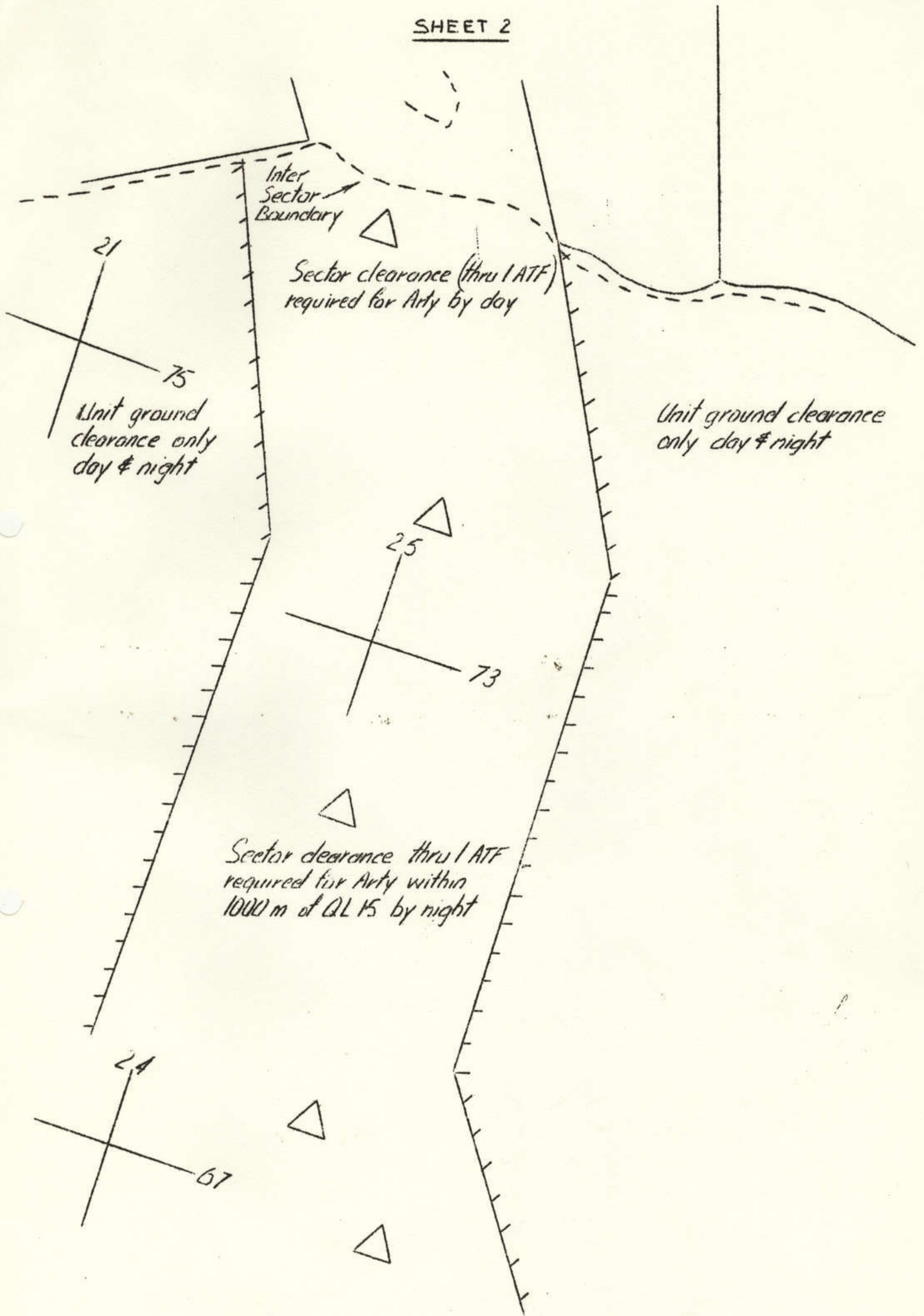


LEGEND: RF/PF or ARVN Post
 Village

CURFEW: North of sector boundary
1900 - 0600 in village
2000 - 0600 mov between houses forbidden
2200 - 0600 Lights out

AUST LO for northern portion - Long Thanh c/s 73 on 51.35 mhz

SHEET 2



CURFEW: South of sector boundary
1900 - 0600 in houses.

AUST LO for Southern portion PHU MAY c/s 76 on 51.35 mhz

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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 071745Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

CONFIDENTIAL

TO: LISTS F AND F1 PLUS 5 RAR
105 FD BTY

OPS 430

INFO: LIST Z
1 ATF LOS XUAN LOC
BEARCAT
BLACKHORSE
LONG THANH

1 ATF (REAR)
2/11 ACR
11 ACR
RTAVF
18 ARVN DIV

FRAGO 3 TO 1 ATF OPO 27/69 (OP OVERLANDER) .

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . EN FORCES BY CURRENT INTSUMS CMM BRIEF BY COMD TO CO 9 RAR
8 APR .

BRAVO . FRIENDLY FORCES SEE FRAGO 2 DATED 6 APR 69 .

TWO . 5 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . AS GIVEN FRAGO 2 .

SECOND . DET TO OP CON 9 RAR FROM 081200H APR A COY 5 RAR .

BRAVO . TASKS CMM AS GIVEN FRAGO 2 LESS ONE COY .

THREE . 9 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . AS GIVEN FRAGO 2 .

SECOND . UNDER OP CON FROM 081200H A COY 5 RAR .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . AS GIVEN FRAGO 2 .

SECOND . CON OPS A COY 5 RAR ON BRIEF BY COMD 1 ATF AM

8 APR 69 .

FOUR . CO ORD INSTR CLN

ALFA . AO GOULBURN EXTENDED FROM 081200H APR INTO AO MANUKA TO LINE
OF ORIGINAL AO FOL GRIDS YT261994 YT274001 YT280997 YT295004
YT303002 YT315008 YT333005 .

BRAVO . A COY REVERSION TO COMD 5 RAR AND EXTRACTION FROM AO GOULBURN
ANTICIPATED 9 APR TO BE CFM SEPARATELY .

CHARLIE . COMD 1 ATF VISITS CO 9 RAR TO BRIEF AM 8 APR .

FIVE . ADMIN AND LOG . NORMAL EXCEPT THAT ALL RESUP TO BE ARRANGED THROUGH
9 RAR ECH .

SIX . COMD AND SIGN CLN 1 ATF AND 9 RAR SOI APPLY

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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE ROUTINE 071800Z APR 69 CONFIDENTIAL

FROM 1 ATF (MAIN) OPS 431

TO: LIST F AND F1

INFO: LIST Z

- 1 ATF LOS XUAN LOC
- BEARCAT
- BLACKHORSE
- LONG THANH

- 1 ATF (REAR)
- 2/11 ACR
- 11 ACR
- RTAVF
- 18 ARVN DIV

FRAGO 4 TO 1 ATF OPO 27/69 (OP OVERLANDER)

ONE . SIT CLN

- ALFA . EN FORCES ISSUED SEPARATELY .
- BRAVO . FRIENDLY FORCES SEE FRAGO 2 DATED 6 APR CMM FRAGO 3 DATED 7 APR .

TWO . 9 RAR CLN

- ALFA . GROUPING CMM NO CHANGES OTHER THAN CLN
- FIRST . UNDER OP CON FROM DEPLOYMENT AO PICTON 10 APR ONE TP B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .
- SECOND . IN SP FROM 100700H APR 69 A SQN 3 CAV REGT LESS TWO TPS .
- THIRD . IN SP FROM COMMENCEMENT DEPLOYMENT AO PICTON 10 APR 104 FD BTY CMM B/2/35 ARTY (US) .
- BRAVO . TASKS CLN
- FIRST . RIF AO PICTON TO DESTROY OR CAPTURE EN LOC .
- SECOND . DENY ALL BUNKER SYSTEMS LOC BY SEEDING WITH CS CRYSTALS .
- THIRD . **AMBUSH** MSR FROM WATER ACROSS ROUTE 15 INTO HAT SICH .

THREE . 1 FD REGT CLN

- ALFA . GROUPING CMM NO CHANGES OTHER THAN CLN REVERTING TO IN GEN SP REINFORCING 11 ACR FROM 9 RAR DEPARTURE AO GOULBURN CMM 2 HOW BTY (US) .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN NORMAL .

FOUR . B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .

- ALFA . GROUPING CMM NO CHANGES OTHER THAN CLN ONE TP TO UNDER OP CON 9 RAR FROM 9 RAR DEPLOYMENT AO PICTON .

BRAVO . TASKS . TK TP SP FOR 9 RAR AND SEE FRAGO 2 .

FIVE . A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

- ALFA . GROUPING CMM NO CHANGES OTHER THAN CLN IN SP 9 RAR FROM 100700H APR A SQN 3 CAV REGT LESS TWO TPS .

BRAVO . TASKS ~~CMM~~ IN ADDITION TO FRAGO 2 CLN

FIRST . BE PREPARED TO SECURE LZ FOR DEPLOYMENT 9 RAR TO AO PICTON 10 APR .

SECOND . APC SP TO 4 RAR CMM 9 RAR BY COORD 1 ATF (MAIN) .

SIX . 1 FD SQN CLN

- ALFA . GROUPING CMM NO CHANGES OTHER THAN CLN UNDER OP CON FROM ARRIVAL 9 RAR FSPB UNTIL REL ONE TD 15 IF REQUIRED .

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- BRAVO . SPECIAL TASK CMM ASSIST 9 RAR IN CONST FSPB .
- SEVEN . 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT . PROVIDES ONE H 13 IN DS AS NORMAL .
- EIGHT . RAAF . PROVIDE AHC LIFT TO DEPLOY 9 RAR FROM AO GOULBURN TO AO PICTON
10 APR . OTHER TASKS AS NORMAL .
- NINE . US ARMY AVN . PROVIDE MED HEL SP FOR DEPLOYMENT 9 RAR AND DS BTY
10 APR .
- TEN . CO ORD INSTR CIN
ALFA . AO PICTON ANX A ISSUED SEPARATELY .
BRAVO . FSPB LOC AND NAME TO BE ADVISED BY 9 RAR .
CHARLIE . MOV DETAILS SEPARATELY . AIR PLANNING CONF FSPB WATTLE
YS3591 090900H APR .
- DELTA . CURFEW TIMINGS CMM RESTRICTED AREAS CMM RF/PF LOCS ISSUED AS
ANX C TO FRAGO 2 DATED 6 APR .
- ECHO . BRIEFING 1 ATF LOS EFFECTED 7 APR .
- ELIEN . ADMIN AND LOG . SEE 1 ATF (MAIN) Q 418 OF 5 APR .
- TWELVE . COMD AND SIGN CIN
ALFA . TIME OF CLOSING/OPENING CMM LOC HQ 9 RAR TO BE ADVISED
SEPARATELY .
BRAVO . 1 ATF SOI APPLY .
CHARLIE . 1 ATF LO BLACKHORSE WITH SIG DET CLOSES ON DEPLOYMENT 9 RAR
FROM AO GOULBURN AND REJOIN UNITS BY 1 ATF ARRANGEMENTS .
ACK INSTR . ACK TO ENSIGN OR EBONY CP

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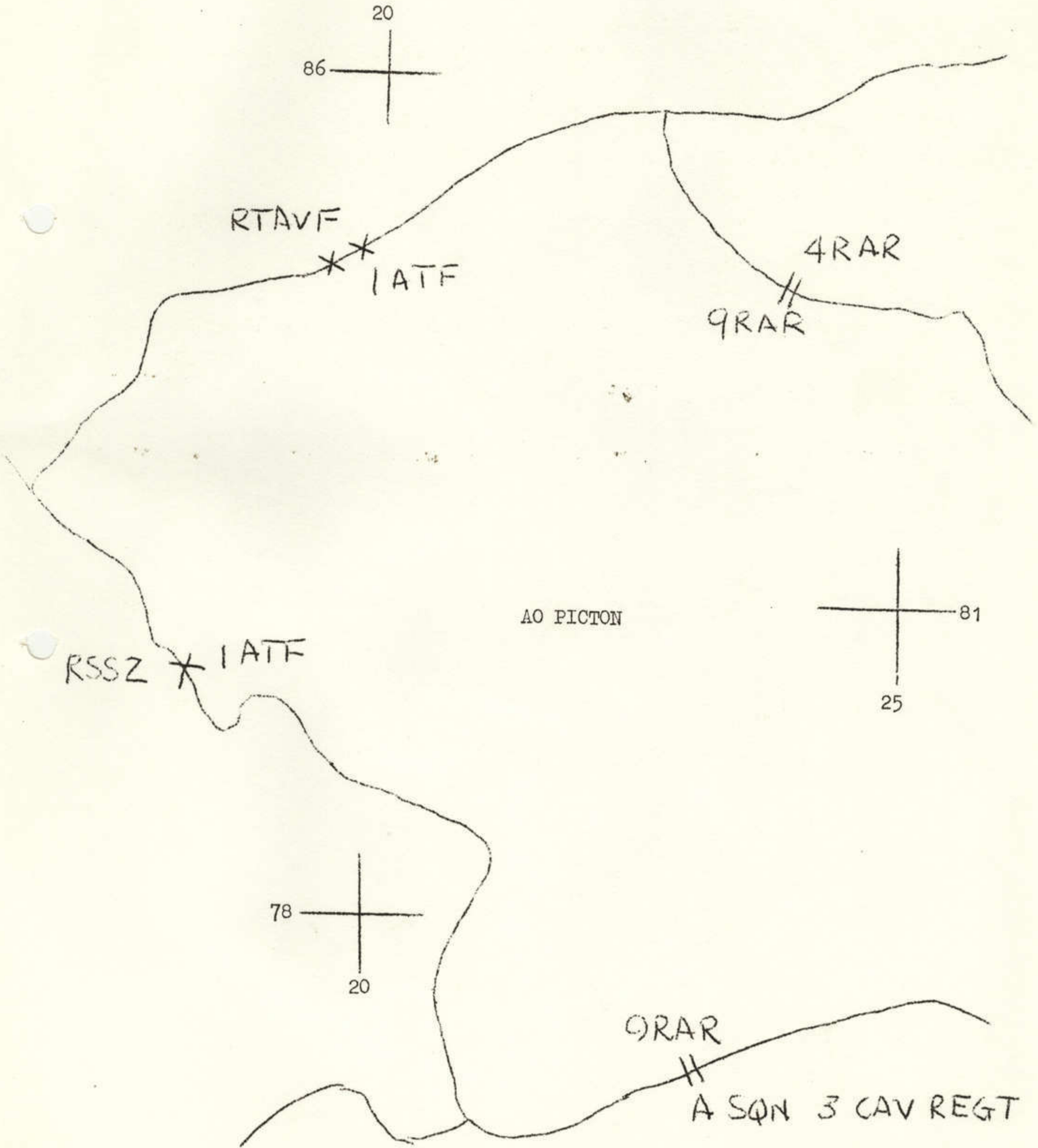
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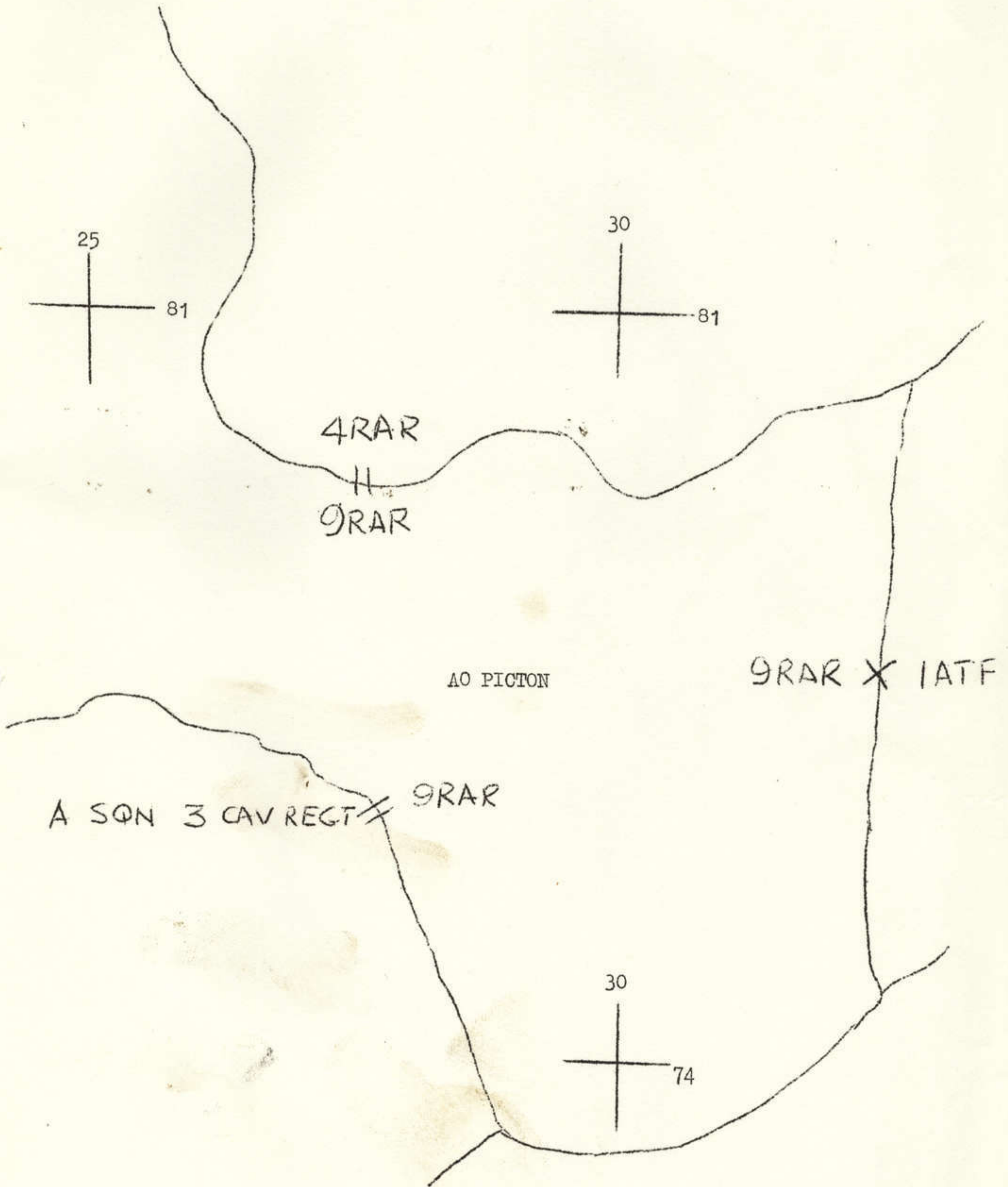
ANNEX A TO
FRAGO 4 TO
1 ATF OPO 27/69
DATED 7 APR 69

AO PICTON

Ref Maps: 6430-III, 6330-II
Scale: 1:50,000
Effective: 100700H Apr 69.



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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE ROUTINE 071830Z APR 69

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FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

OPS 432

TO: LIST F AND F1 PLUS 5 RAR
105 FD BTY, 2/11 ACR

INFO: LIST Z 1 ATF LOS XUAN LOC
BEARCAT
BLACKHORSE
LONG THANH

1 ATF (REAR)
11 ACR
RTAVF
18 ARVN DIV

OP OVERLANDER . 1 ATF OPO 27/69 OF 31 MAR 69 .
ONE . TWO TPS 2/11 ACR REVERT TO COMD 2/11 ACR WITH EFFECT 081500H APR .
TWO . DELETE REF TO TPS 2/11 ACR IN FRAGO 2 TO REF OPO .
THREE . ACK BY 5 RAR CMM 9 RAR

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MESSAGE FORM

PRIORITY

080545Z APR 69

R617/1/4

FROM: 1 ATF (REAR)

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TO: 5 RAR 9 RAR 1 ARU

OPS455

INFO: 1 ATF (MAIN) 4 RAR
1 ATF LO BARIA
CP (REAR)

CANCELLATION OF PATROLS . 1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME FOR PERIOD 070800H
APR 69 TO 140800H APR 69 DATED 3 APR 69 REFERS .

ONE . WITH EFFECT 101000H APR 69 PATROL ZONES GINA CMM JULIE CMM SUSAN
CMM CAROL CMM JAN CMM SANDRA CMM HELEN CMM CHRISTINE CMM LYNNE
CMM ALICE CMM KARIN CMM ANNA CMM ILSA CMM MANDY CMM BETTY CMM
ROSA CMM CINDY CMM MARY CMM RITA CMM LOUISE AND JENNY ARE
ALLOCATED TO 5 RAR UNTIL 181000H APR 69 .

TWO . PATROLS PROGRAMMED IN THE ABOVE PATROL ZONES BETWEEN 101000H APR 69
AND 181000H APR 69 INCLUSIVE ARE TO BE CANCELLED

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Tele No

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Releasing Officer's Signature and Rank

Bennett
CAPT

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ROUTINE	081530Z APR 69	R569/1/16
FROM: 1 ATF (REAR)		CONFIDENTIAL
TO: LIST A		OPS457

ONE . REPORTS INDICATE THAT SMALL GROUPS (2 - 3) OF VC IN BARIA INTEND TO HARRASS AUSTRALIAN MOVEMENT IN AND AROUND BARIA .

TWO . UNITS ARE TO ENSURE CLN

ALFA . ALL TROOPS MOVING TO BARIA OR THROUGH BARIA ARE INFORMED .

BRAVO . ONLY ESSENTIAL TRIPS ARE MADE .

CHARLIE . TROOPS ON SUCH TRIPS DO NOT LOITER .

DELTA . WHILE MOVING IN VEHICLES CMM TROOPS ARE TO REMAIN VIGILANT .

ECHO . WHEN VEHICLES ARE STOPPED/PARKED CMM THEY ARE TO BE CHECKED BEFORE MOVING OFF

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Releasing Officer's Signature and Rank

P. Pannell CAPT

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MESSAGE FORM

R569/2/155

IMMEDIATE ROUTINE 090800Z

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OPS 434

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

TO: LISTS F AND F1

INFO: LIST Z
1 ATF LO'S XUAN LOC, BEARCAT, BLACKHORSE, LONG THAN, PHU MY.
1 ATF (REAR)
11 ACR
RTAVF
18 ARVN DIV

AMDT ONE TO FRAGO 4 TO 1 ATF OPO 27/69 (OP OVERLANDER) DATED 7 APR 69 .
DEPLOYMENT 9 RAR FROM AO GOULBURN TO AO PICTON IS POSTPONED 24 HRS .
AMEND DETAIL AND TIMINGS AS APPROPRIATE .

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ENSIGN

John de Camp
for
MAJ

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HQ 1 ATF
NUI DAT

10 Apr 69

R617/1/4

Distribution below:

1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME
FOR PERIOD 130800H APR 69 TO 200800H APR 69

Reference: A. 1 ATF Ops455 dated 8 Apr 69.

1. Attached is 1 ATF Patrol Programme for the period 13-20 Apr 69.
2. B Coy 4 RAR, HORSESHOE HILL, is to adjust future patrol task submissions to cover the 1 ATF patrol period, Sunday to Sunday weekly.
3. 5 RAR will conduct ambush operations in the area WEST of 1 ATF Base during the period 10 - 18 Apr 69. Patrol zones allotted to 5 RAR are contained in Reference A. 9 RAR patrols to the WEST of 1 ATF Base are cancelled.

M. J. Barwick Capt
(D.A. CHINN)
Maj
GS02 (Ops)

Distribution

HQ 1 ATF (Main)	
B Sqn 1 Armd Regt	(3)
A Sqn 3 Cav Regt	(2)
1 Fd Regt	(9)
1 Fd Sqn	(3)
21 Sp Tp	(2)
Det 17 Const	(2)
104 Sig Sqn	(2)
547 Sig Tp	
4 RAR	(26)
5 RAR	(11)
9 RAR	(11)
3 SAS Sqn	
161 (Indep) Recce Flt	
1 ARU	(2)
HORSESHOE Coy	(5)
TFMA	(3)
HQ Coy	(2)
106 Fd Wksp	
1 Aust CA Unit	
CP	
Arty Tac	
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Diary	(2)
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1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME FOR PERIOD 130800H APR 69 TO 130800H APR 69

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A. Patrol Serial No	4 RAR 4354/69	4355/69	4356/69	4357/69
B. Sub-unit	TFMA	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR
C. Callsign and Frequency	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net
D. Controlled by	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E. Task	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS473665.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS464689.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS471670.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS470686.
F. Strength	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G. Date/Time Out	141550H	141640H	151610H	151630H
H. Date/Time In	150910H	150800H	160820H	160730H
J. Route (Shown on appropriate trace)	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via C Coy	Via W Coy
K. LZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
L. PZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
M. Remarks (to include any bids for hel or APC lift)	-	-	-	-

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A.	4358/69	4359/69	4360/69	4361/69	4362/69
B.	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR	W Coy 4 RAR	D Coy 4 RAR	V Coy 4 RAR
C.	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS478669.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS462677,	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS467665.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS473678.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS483671.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	161545H	161710H	171605H	171620H	181530H
H.	170840H	170720	180750H	180830H	190920H
J.	Via C Coy	Via B Coy	Via C Coy	Via B Coy	Via B Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	-	-	-	-

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A.	4363/69	4364/69	4365/69	4366/69	4367/69
B.	B Coy 4 RAR	C Coy 4 RAR	Sp Coy 4 RAR	W Coy 4 RAR	D Coy 4 RAR
C.	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in NOEL. Ni loc vic YS478688;	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS483675.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS469680.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS483667.	Ni obsn and early wng in NOEL. Ni loc vic YS480692.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	181550H	191540H	191610H	201530H	201540H
H.	190900H	200900H	200750H	210840H	210820H
J.	Via V Coy	Via B Coy	Via V Coy	Via C Coy	Via V Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	-	-	-	-

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B COY 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN HORSESHOE HILL

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A.	B6/69	B7/69	B8/69	B9/69	B10/69
B.	5 Pl	6 Pl	4 Pl	5 Pl	6 Pl
C.	22	23A and 23B	21	22A and 22B	23
D.	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy
E.	Ambush	Ambush and obsn	Ambush	Ambush and obsn	Ambush
F.	Platoon	Sect	Platoon	Sect	Platoon
G.	111400H	121500H	131600H	141600H	151630H
H.	121000H	131000H	140900H	150930H	161100H
J.	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct via VIC
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	Area "PETE" ambush vic of YS520603.	Area "VIC" C/S 23A - YS517616 C/S 23B - YS508627	Area "PETE" ambush YS519613	22A-IAN-YS480617 22B-TOM-YS503635	Ambush area "LEN" YS529602

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A.	B11/69	B12/69
B.	4 Pl	5 Pl
C.	C/S 21A and 21B	C/S 22
D.	B Coy	B Coy
E.	Ambush and obsn	Ambush
F.	Sect	Platoon
G.	161530H	171500H
H.	170900H	180930H
J.	Direct	Dircet
K.	-	-
L.	-	-
M.	21A-Area JACK YS497637 21B-Area FRANK YS512623	Area JOCK YS513593

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A.	5 RAR 139/69	140/69	141/69	142/69	143/69
B.	Sp Coy (Pnr Pl)	BHQ	Sp Coy (Tkr Pl)	Admin Coy	Sp Coy (Mor Pl)
C.	62B 55.55	92J 55.55	61B 55.55	92J 55.55	92J 55.55
D.	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR
E.	Destroy bunkers YS463699. Ni ambush area YS474704.	Early warning YS431683	Ptl AO BRONX & TONY. Ni ambush area YS455711.	Early warning YS431683	Early warning YS431683
F.	Sect	5	Sect	5	5
G.	131000H	131845H	140900H	141845H	151845H
H.	140800H	140700H	150800H	150700H	160700H
J.	TBA	Out: Via A Coy In: Via A Coy	TBA	Out: Via A Coy In: Via A Coy	Out: Via A Coy In: Via A Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	Clearance required from 4 RAR for ni ambush. Out: Via B Coy In: Via B Coy	FORT COURAGE. To have starlight scope	Out: Via A Coy In: Via B Coy	FORT COURAGE. To have starlight scope.	FORT COURAGE. To have starlight scope.

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A.	144/69	145/69	146/69	147/69	148/69
B.	Sp Coy (Tkr Pl)	Sp Coy (Sig Pl)	Admin Coy	Admin Coy	Sp Coy (Tkr Pl)
C.	61B 55.55	92J 55.55	92J 55.55	95Z 55.55	61B 55.55
D.	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR
E.	Ptl AO BRONX. Ni ambush area YS452692.	Early warning YS431683	Early warning YS431683	Road block YS437697. Ni ambush area YS441699.	Ptl AO TONY. Ni ambush area YS464715.
F.	Sect	5	5	Sect	Sect
G.	150830H	171840H	181845H	160830H	170830H
H.	160800H	180700H	190700H	170800H	180900H
J.	TBA	Out: Via A Coy In: Via A Coy	Out: Via A Coy In: Via A Coy	TBA	TBA
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	Out: Via B Coy In: Via B Coy	FORT COURAGE. To have starlight scope.	FORT COURAGE. To have starlight scope.	Ni ambush snadpit. Road block-stop all traffic. Out: Via A Coy In: Via B Coy	Check on old en camp sight

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A.	149/69	150/69	151/69
B.	Sp Coy (Sig Pl)	Sp Coy (Pnr Pl)	Sp Coy (Mor Pl)
C.	92J 55.55	62B 55.55	81B 55.55
D.	5 RAR	5 RAR	5 RAR
E.	Early Warning YS431683	Ptl AO BRONX. Ni ambush area YS469705.	Road block YS437697. Ni ambush area YS448700.
F.	5	Sect	Sect
G.	171845H	180930H	190900H
H.	200700H	190830H	200815H
J.	Out: Via A Coy In: Via A Coy	TBA	TBA
K.	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-
M.	FORT COURAGE. To have starlight scope.	Out: Via B Coy. In: Via B Coy	Road block-stop all traffic. Out: Via A Coy. In: Via B Coy

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A.	9 RAR 285/69	286/69	287/69	288/69	289/69
B.	A Coy	B Coy	C Coy	Admin Coy	Admin Coy
C.	20C 65.15	20C 65.15	20C 65.15	20C 65.15	20C 65.15
D.	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vicinity YS496654	Ambush vicinity YS490651	Ambush vicinity YS487658	Ambush vicinity YS489656	Ambush vicinity YS494655
F.	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn
G.	131800H	141800H	151815H	161745H	171830H
H.	140800H	150730H	160745H	170830H	180745H
J.	Out: By veh to YS489651 and as briefed. In: As briefed to YS487658 to veh pick up point.	Out: Veh to YS480657 then as briefed. In: As briefed to YS483657 to veh pick up point.	Out: Veh to YS489651 then as briefed. In: As briefed to YS480657 to veh pick up point.	Out: Via A Coy In: Via D Coy	Out: Veh to YS487657 and as briefed. In: As briefed to YS489651 to veh pick up point.
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. To be in night loc by last light. 2. To carry 2xGPMG 60 and 1xM79. 3. Veh to have escort.	As for 285/69	As for 285/69	As for 285/69 less serial M (3).	As for 285/69.

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A.	290/69	291/69
B.	D Coy	Sp Coy/BHQ
C.	20C 65.15	20C 65.15
D.	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vicinity YS493647	Ambush vicinity YS486652
F.	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn
G.	181815H	191815H
H.	190745H	200745H
J.	Out: Veh to YS489640 and as briefed. In: As briefed to YS489650 to veh pick up point.	Out: Veh to YS489645 and as briefed. In: As briefed and A Coy
K.	-	-
L.	-	-
M.	As for 285/69	As for 285/69

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A.	1 ARU 122/69	123/69	124/69	125/69	126/69
B.	3 P1	3 P1	HOLDING P1	HOLDING P1	HOLDING P1
C.	53 67.85	53 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Patrol and ambush in AO NORM and JIM.	Patrol and ambush in AO ALICE and KARIN.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS453638.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS453638.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS446640.
F.	1.35	1.35	1.5	1.5	1.5
G.	130830H	140830H	141830H	151700H	161715H
H.	140800H	150800H	150715H	160745H	170730H
I.	Direct	Through MANDY	Direct	Direct	Direct
J.	-	-	-	-	-
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	Ni locstat to be notified.	1. Dropped off by veh. 2. Ni locstat to be notified. 3. Clearance required from 5 RAR.	1. AO NORM.	1. AO JIM.	1. AO JIM 2. Ni locstat subject to 18 ARVN Div Range practice.

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A.	127/69	128/69	129/69
B.	HOLDING PL	HOLDING PL	HOLDING PL
C.	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Obsn and early warning in vic YS438639	Obsn and early warning in vic YS446645	Obsn and early warning in vic YS444650
F.	1 : 5	1 : 5	1 : 5
G.	171715H	181730H	191830H
H.	180730H	190730H	200730H
J.	Direct	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-
M.	1. AO NORM. 2. Ni LOCSTAT subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.	1. AO NORM	1. AO NORM

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MESSAGE FORM

100430Z APR 69

ROUTINE

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

UNCLAS

TO: LIST A

OPS 440

SUBJECT CLN WET SEASON HAZARDS .

ONE . WITH THE APPROACH OF THE RAINY SEASON PERSONNEL AT ALL LEVELS MUST BE FAMILIARIZED WITH THE HAZARDS CAUSED BY HEAVY RAINS . EVERY EFFORT MUST BE MADE TO PREVENT UNFORTUNATE INCIDENTS CAUSING THE LOSS OF LIFE AND/OR DAMAGE TO EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES .

TWO . PARTICULAR ATTENTION SHOULD BE GIVEN TO BUNKERS TO ASCERTAIN THAT EROSION WILL NOT OCCUR AROUND SUPPORT BEAMS OR THAT SANDBAGS WILL NOT BECOME WATER SOAKED CAUSING COLLAPSE FROM ADDITIONAL WEIGHT . ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT SHOULD BE WELL GROUNDED AND PROTECTED FROM MOISTURE . SANITATION SYSTEMS SHOULD BE INSPECTED AND MODIFIED IF NECESSARY SO THAT THEY WILL FUNCTION DURING THE PERIOD OF HIGHER WATER TABLES . ACCIDENTS CAN BE PREVENTED BY INSURING ACCESS ROADS AND DRAINAGE DITCHES ARE PREPARED TO WITHSTAND HEAVY RAINS . GUN PADS MUST BE INSPECTED FREQUENTLY TO DETERMINE WHETHER UNSAFE CONDITIONS EXIST .

THREE . AMPLE TIME REMAINS BEFORE THE ONSET OF THE RAINY SEASON TO TAKE NECESSARY PREVENTIVE MEASURES AGAINST WET SEASON HAZARDS . IMMEDIATE ACTION AND FREQUENT INSPECTIONS ARE REQUIRED TO ENSURE THAT POSSIBLE UNSAFE CONDITIONS ARE ELIMINATED

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Daymond Capt for MAJ

MESSAGE FORM

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PRIORITY 110930Z APR 69 R569/2/159
 FROM: 1 ATF (REAR) CONFIDENTIAL
 TO: LIST Z LESS SERIALS 7, 27, 32, 33 OPS460
 INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA

OP INSTR 30/69 (OP BEAVER DAM VI)

ONE . SITUATION CLN 1 ATF HAVE BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT LAND CLEARING
 OPS ALONG ROUTE 15 SOUTH OF PHU MY IN THE AREA YS6925 .

TWO . 5 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . UNDER OP CON FROM 130630H APR UNTIL RELEASED
 SECT A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

SECOND . UNDER COMD FROM 130630H APR UNTIL RELEASED -
 LCT 1 FD SQN .

THIRD . IN SP DURING OP OVERLANDER - 1 FD REGT .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY BY ROAD TO AO CAMDEN .

SECOND . CONDUCT LAND CLEARING TASKS AS ARRANGED BY
 GSO2 OPS HQ 1 ATF (MAIN) .

THIRD . EXTRACT BY ROAD FROM AREA ON COMPLETION OF
 TASKS OR ON DEPLOYMENT OF 5 RAR CMM WHICHEVER
 IS EARLIER .

THREE . A SQN 3 CAV REGT CLN PROVIDE ONE SECT OP CON 5 RAR FROM 130630H
 APR UNTIL RELEASED .

FOUR . 1 FD SQN CLN PROVIDE LCT UNDER COMD 5 RAR FROM 130630H APR UNTIL
 RELEASED .

FIVE . COORD INSTRS CLN .

ALFA . AO CAMDEN . COORD REQUIRED WITH A SQN 3 CAV REGT AND
 GSO2 OPS HQ 1 ATF (MAIN) .

BRAVO . OP COMMENCES 13 APR 69 . ESTIMATED DURATION OF OP IS
 14 DAYS .

CHARLIE . ADJUSTMENT DURING PERIOD 16-21 APR AND POSSIBLY LATER TO
 BE CFM WITH GSO2 OPS .

SIX . ADMIN AND LOG CLN 5 RAR IS RESPONSIBLE .

SEVEN . COMD AND SIG CLN 1 ATF SOI APPLY

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OPS EBONY 34

M. G. Barwick CAPT

MESSAGE FORM

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PRIORITY ROUTINE 131400Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN) CONFIDENTIAL

TO: LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19 - 23 OPS 455

INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
1 ATF (REAR)
LIST Z SERIALS 19 - 23

1 ATF OP 0 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE)

ONE SIT CLN

ALFA EN FORCES ANX A ISSUED SEPARATELY

BRAVO FRIENDLY FORCES

FIRST RF/PF POSTS ANX B ISSUED SEPARATELY CMM

OPS AND APS DAILY THROUGH LOS BARIA AND XUYEN

MOC

SECOND XUYEN MOC DISTRICT IS A SQN 3 CAV REGT

RESPONSIBILITY FOR PHASE 2 OPS

CHARLIE ATTS AND DETS NIL

TWO MSN CLN 1 ATF IS TO CONDUCT RIF OPS IN AOS GLENELG CMM COOGEE CMM

BRIGHTON TO DESTROY VC FORCES IN PARTICULAR D445

THREE EXECUTION CLN

ALFA GEN OUTLINE CLN

FIRST BY PHASES CLN

PHASE 1 CMM 9 RAR RIF AO GLENELG 16 - 23

APR 69

PHASE 2 CMM 5 RAR RIF AO COOGEE 23 APR -

1 MAY 69

PHASE 3 CMM 9 RAR RIF AO BRIGHTON FROM 7 MAY 69

SECOND PHASE 1 CMM DETAILS THIS ORDER CMM PHASE 2

AND 3 BY FRAG 0 SEPARATELY

BRAVO 9 RAR CLN

FIRST GROUPING CLN

UNDER OP CON FROM 160700H APR ONE TP B SQN

1 ARMD REGT CMM ONE TP HQ THREE COMBAT ENGR

TEAMS ONE SPLINTER TEAM 1 FD SQN

UNDER OP CON FROM ARRIVAL AO GLENELG UNTIL

REL CMM ONE TD 15 ONE CASE DOZER ONE CASE

BACKHOE ONE PORTABLE PENTAPRIMER 1 FD SQN

IN DS 161 FD BTY CMM ONE H13 161 (INDEP)
RECCE FLT .

IN SP AT PRI CALL FROM 160600H APR UNTIL
REL 16 APR CMM SECT B/2/35 ARTY (US)

SECOND . TASKS CMM SEE ALSO SUB PARA DELTA BELOW CLN
DEPLOY 16 APR BY RD TO 1 ATF BASE CMM
THENCE BY AIR TO AO GLENELG .
DESTROY ELMS D445 AND OTHER VC LOC IN AO .
DESTROY ALL VC INSTL/ASSETS LOC .
PTL SONG RAI RIVER TO ELIMINATE VC USE .
ESTB RD BLOCKS ROUTE 23 TO ASSIST IN FOOD/
POPULATION CON .

DELTA . 1 FD REGT CLN

FIRST . SECT B/2/35 ARTY (US) TO BE DEPLOYED BY RD
TO HORSESHOE YS4962 PM HRS 15 APR TO CONDUCT
LZ PREP FOR 9 RAR AO GLENELG AM 16 APR
RETURNING 1 ATF BASE ON COMPLETION .

SECOND . PROTECTION FOR MOV SECT B/2/35 ARTY (US) 1
ATF BASE TO HORSESHOE 15 APR CMM RETURN TO
1 ATF BASE 16 APR BY ONE SECT A SQN 3 CAV
REGT WITH OPCON INF ELM PROVIDED BY 9 RAR .

ECHO . A SQN 3 CAV REGT CLN

FIRST . PROVIDE SECT ESCORT FOR SECT B/2/35 ARTY (US)
SUB PARA DELTA ABOVE WITH ELM 9 RAR .

SECOND . ASSIST DEPLOYMENT 9 RAR AO PICTON TO 1 ATF
BASE 16 APR AS COORD BY HQ 1 ATF .

THIRD . ESCORT RD MOV BETWEEN 1 ATF BASE AND 9 RAR
FSPB IN AO GLENELG .

FOURTH . PROVIDE CAV SP TO 9 RAR AS TASKED BY HQ 1
ATF .

FOXTROT . B SQN 1 ARMD REGT CLN

ONE TP OP CON 9 RAR FROM 160700H APR .

GOLF . 1 FD SQN CLN

FIRST . GROUPING SUB PARA BRAVO .

SECOND . TASKS INCL ASSIST CLOSURE 9 RAR FSPB

JUANITA CMM CONST FSPB IN AO GLENELG

HOTEL . 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT . PROVIDE ONE DS H13 TO
9 RAR .

INDIA . RAAF . PROVIDE AHC LIFT TO DEPLOY 9 RAR FROM
1 ATF BASE TO AO GLENELG 16 APR . OTHER TASKS
NORMAL .

JULIET . US ARMY AVN . PROVIDE MED HEL SP FOR DEPLOYMENT
9 RAR AND DS BTY 16 APR .

KILO . CO-ORD INSTR CLN

FIRST . AO GLENELG ANX P ISSUED SEPARATELY .
OTHER AO ISSUED WITH FRAG O AS NEC .

SECOND . FSPB NAME AND LOC TO BE ADVISED BY 9 RAR .

THIRD . MOV DETAILS SEPARATELY CMM AIR PLANNING
CONF 9 RAR 141400H APR .

FOURTH . CIVILIAN ACCESS AREAS SEE 1 ATF PTL AO
OVERPRINTS ON 1:25000 SERIES MAP

FIFTH . CURFEW 1900 - 0600 HRS .

SIXTH . RD BLOCKS ROUTES BY COORD THROUGH HQ 1 ATF
AND SECTOR .

SEVENTH . SECTOR CLEARANCES FOR OP OBTAINED FOR XUYEN
MOC AO SOUTH OF 68 NORTHING .

FOUR . ADMIN AND LOG . ISSUED SEPARATELY AS 1 ATF ADMIN O 3/69 DATED
13 APR 69 .

FIVE . COMD AND SIG CLN

ALFA . HQ 1 ATF LOC NUI DAT FROM AM 15 APR .

BRAVO . LIAISON CLN

FIRST . 1 ATF LO BARIA ON 1 ATF COMD NET .

SECOND . ENS OP SURFSIDE TO DEPLOY LO TO XUYEN MOC
SUB SECTOR ON INTERNAL NET ONLY .

CHARLIE . 1 ATF SOI APPLY

ACK INSTR . ACK TO ENSIGN OR EBONY CP

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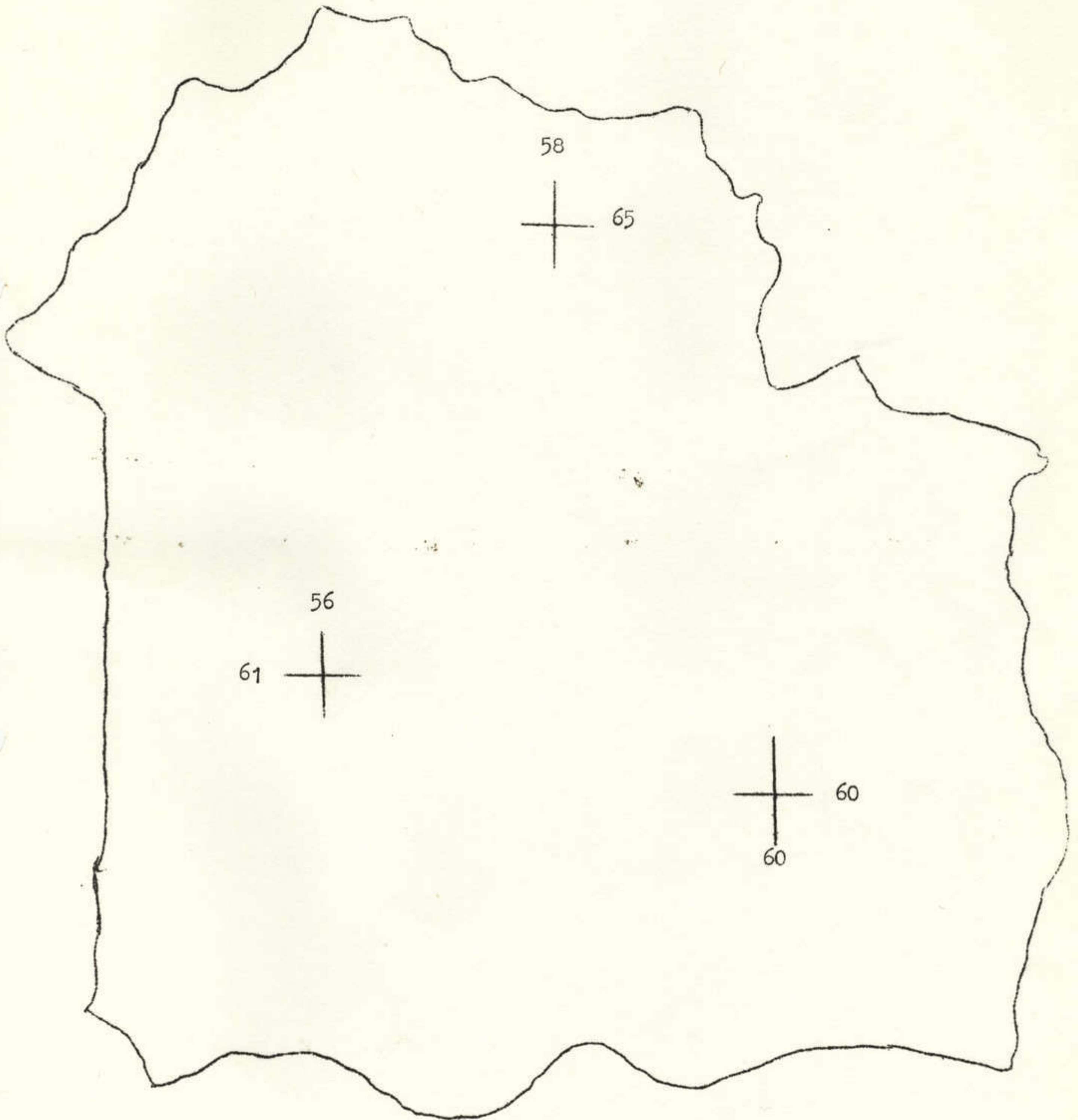
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ANNEX P TO
1 ATE OP O 31/69
OP SURSIDE
DATED 13 APR 69

AO GLENELG



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ANNEX A TO
1 ATF OPO 31/69
(OP SURFSIDE)
DATED 13 APR 69

ENEMY SITUATION - AOS GLENELG COOGEE BRIGHTON

1. D445 Bn traditionally operates in the area of the LONG HAI hills, the LONG GREEN and in the area to the South of XUYEN MOC.
2. Available intelligence indicates that elements of up to two companies are located in the eastern end of LONG GREEN, and that HQ D445 Bn with one company is probably located South of XUYEN MOC in the general area of YS6663. Other elements of the battalion are probably dispersed in the LONG HAI hills and on supply missions in other areas of PHUOC TUY Province.
3. C23, the XUYEN MOC Platoon, is reported to be located in the vicinity of YS6868.
4. Minefields laid in the western LONG GREEN by 1 ATF in previous years have been tampered with and have been spread into other areas of the LONG GREEN and constitute a hazard.
5. VC forces in this AO probably obtain rice, salt and fish supplies from the populated areas of DAT DO, LONG DIEN and BARIA. Vegetables are grown in an increasing number of garden areas in the CAPE TAMBO - BINH CHAU (YS8069) area included in AO BRIGHTON (to be defined). Some of the gardens probably support the personnel of D445 Bn while some is probably moved North and North West to the 84th Rear Services Group complexes in the PHUOC TUY - LONG KHANH border area.
6. The CAPE TAMBO area is also believed to be used from time to time as a ship to shore supply transfer point for stores en route to the 84th Rear Services Group complexes.
7. Elimination of D445 and C23 and destruction of installations, caches and food growing areas in AOs GLENELG, COOGEE and BRIGHTON would significantly reduce VC influence in PHUOC TUY Province.

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ANNEX B TO
1 ATF OPO 31/69
(OP SURFSIDE)
DATED 13 APR 69

PROVINCIAL DATA - OP SURFSIDE PHASE 1

1. RF/PF Posts.

a. DAT DO District.

(1) <u>RF Posts</u>	<u>Strength</u>	<u>Location</u>
586 Rifle Coy	127	YS584637
Op		599638
612 Rifle Coy	121	485583
Op		485590
Op		490588
Op		488592
153 Rifle Coy	99	498566
Op		502563
Int Sqd	12	477597

(2) <u>PF Posts</u>		
32 Pl	35	477597
33 Pl	35	489601
Op		499607
34 Pl	33	477597
Op		487612
35 Pl	35	495603
36 Pl	31	492608
45 Pl	32	

b. XUYEN MOC District.

(1) <u>RF Posts</u>		
611 Rifle Coy	105	655684
Op		655687
Op		657684
Op		654683
Op		652677
Int Sqd	12	655685

(2) <u>PF Posts</u>		
31 Pl	31	656685
46 Pl	33	655685
47 Pl	33	656685

c. Confirmation of above locations should be undertaken by unit LO immediately on deployment.

2. Civilian Access Areas - (Out of Curfew).

a. See 1 ATF Ptl AO overprint on maps: VIETNAM 1:50,000 and 1:25,000.

b. XUYEN MOC AO.

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IMMEDIATE

ROUTINE

131700Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN)

SECRET

TO: 3 SAS SQN

OPS 459

INFO: 1 ATF (REAR) GS02 (INT) GS02 (AIR)

OP INSTR 33/69 (OP ROUND OUT)

ONE . SIT CLN AS BRIEFED BY GS02 (INT) .

TWO . MSN CLN TO CONDUCT RECCE IN AO GOSPERS IN PERIOD 14 - 22 APR TO
PROVIDE INFO FOR OPS AGAINST SUSPECTED HQ D445 CMM ENEMY INSTL AND
ACTIVITY IN THAT AO .

THREE . 3 SAS SQN CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN IN SP FROM 140700H APR FOR OP - 9 SQN RAAF .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY BY AIR INTO AO GOSPERS .

SECOND . OPERATE IN TWO AREAS DESIGNATED ANNEX A .

THIRD . LOCATE HQ OF D445 AND ANY SUB UNITS CMM INSTL
ALSO TRACK PLANS .

FOURTH . LOCATE THE L OF C TO HQ D445 .

FIFTH . EXTRACT FROM AO BY AIR .

FOUR . 9 SQN RAAF CLN PROVIDE AIRLIFT AS TASKED BY GS02 (AIR) .

FIVE . CO-ORD INSTR CLN

ALFA . OP COMMENCES 14 APR . 3 SAS SQN PTL SERIALS 44/69
CMM 45/69 .

BRAVO . AO GOSPERS ANNEX A .

CHARLIE . CONTACTS CLN AVOID AT ALL COSTS CMM MAY BE INITIATED ON
LAST DAY OF PTLs FOR IDENT OR PW .DELTA . 1 ATF (REAR) IS TO CO-ORD ALL ACTIVITIES 3 SAS SQN WHILE
1 ATF (MAIN) IS DEPLOYED .

SIX . ADMIN AND LOG . 1 ATF SOP CMM 3 SAS SQN RESPONSIBLE .

SEVEN . COMD AND SIG . 1 ATF SOI

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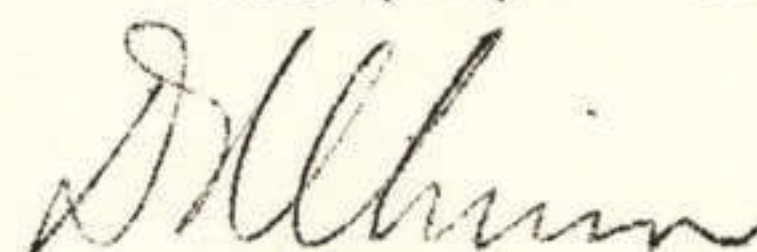
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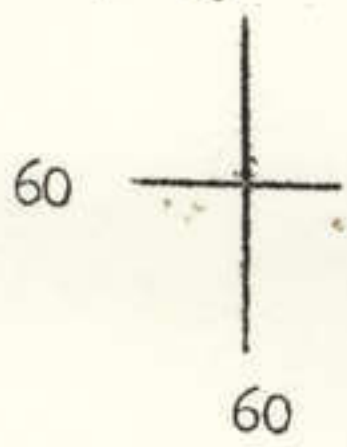
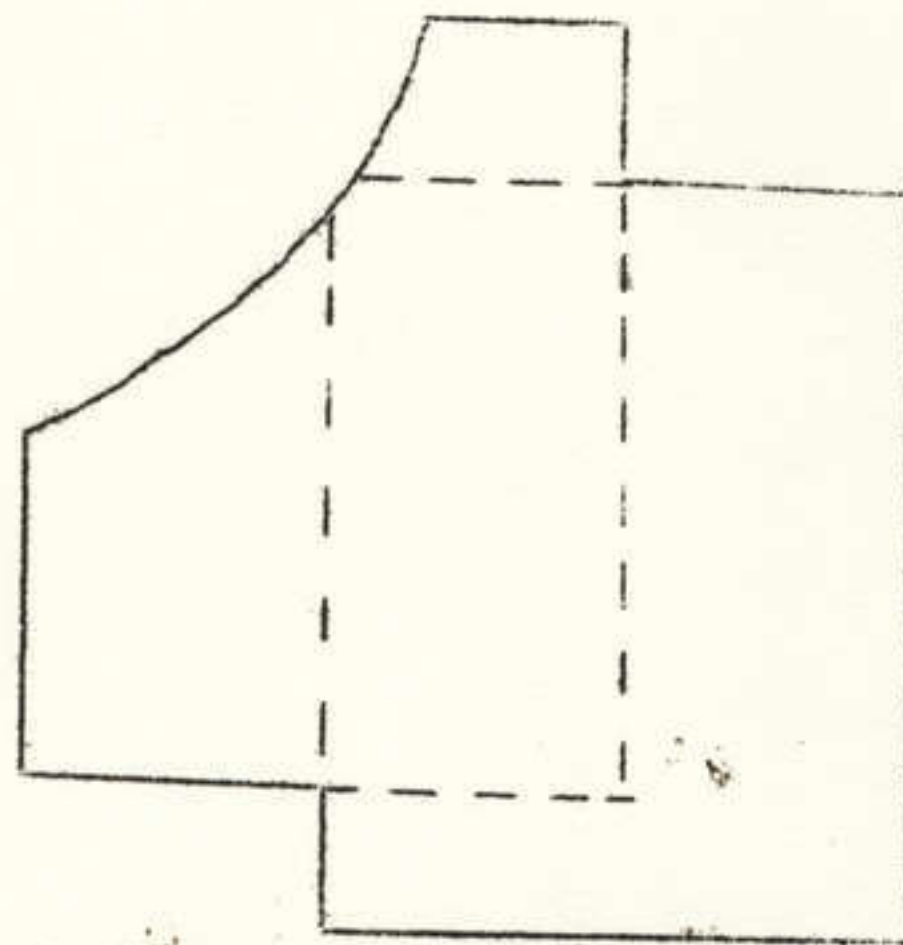
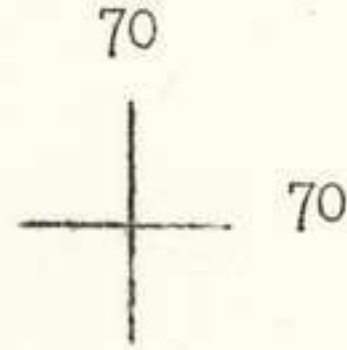
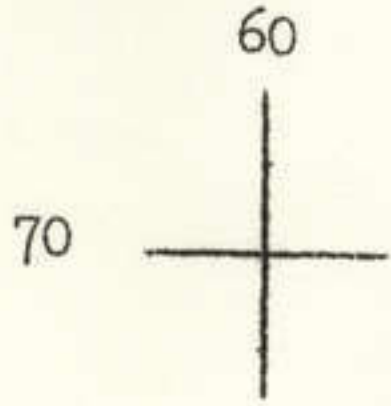
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DATED 13 APR 69

AO GOSPERS



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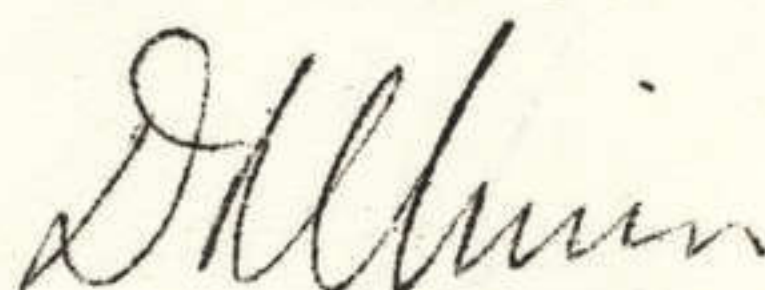
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TO: 3 SAS SQN OPS 460
INFO: 1 ATF (REAR)
 GSO2 (INT)
 GSO2 (AIR)

- OP INSTR 34/69 (OP OVERSHOOT) .
- ONE . SIT CLN AS BRIEFED BY GSO2 (INT) .
- TWO . MSN CLN TO CONDUCT RECCE IN AO PUTTY IN PERIOD 15 - 23 APR TO PROVIDE INFO FOR OPS AGAINST SUSPECTED ENEMY INSTL AND ACTIVITY IN THAT AO .
- THREE . 3 SAS SQN CLN
- ALFA . GROUPING CLN IN SP FROM 150700H APR FOR OP - A SQN 3 CAV REGT CMM 9 SQN RAAF .
- BRAVO . TASKS CLN
- FIRST . DEPLOY BY APC INTO AO PUTTY .
- SECOND . OPERATE IN TWO AREAS DESIGNATED ANNEX A .
- THIRD . LOCATE VC UNITS INSTL ALSO TRACK PLANS IN AO .
- FOURTH . EXTRACT FROM AO BY AIR OR APC .
- FOUR . A SQN 3 CAV REGT PROVIDE APC LIFT AS TASKED BY GSO3 (OPS) .
- FIVE . 9 SQN RAAF CLN PROVIDE AIR LIFT AS TASKED BY GSO2 (AIR) .
- SIX . CO-ORD INSTR CLN
- ALFA . OP COMMENCES 14 APR .
- BRAVO . AO PUTTY ANNEX A .
- CHARLIE . CONTACTS CLN AVOID AT ALL COSTS CMM MAY BE INITIATED ON LAST DAY OF PTLs FOR IDENT OR PW .
- DELTA . 1 ATF (REAR) IS TO CO-ORD ALL ACTIVITIES 3 SAS SQN WHILE 1 ATF (MAIN) IS DEPLOYED .
- SEVEN . ADMIN AND LOG . 1 ATF SOP CMM 3 SAS SQN RESPONSIBLE .
- EIGHT . COMD AND SIG . 1 ATF SOI

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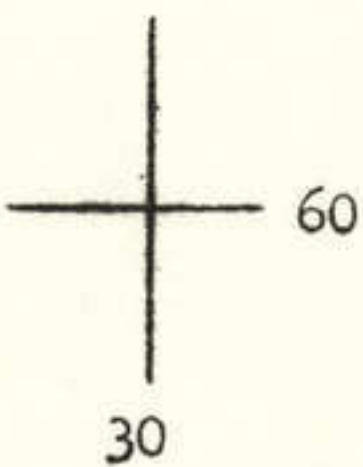
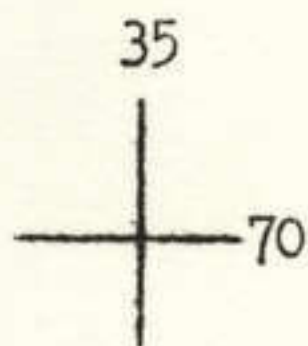
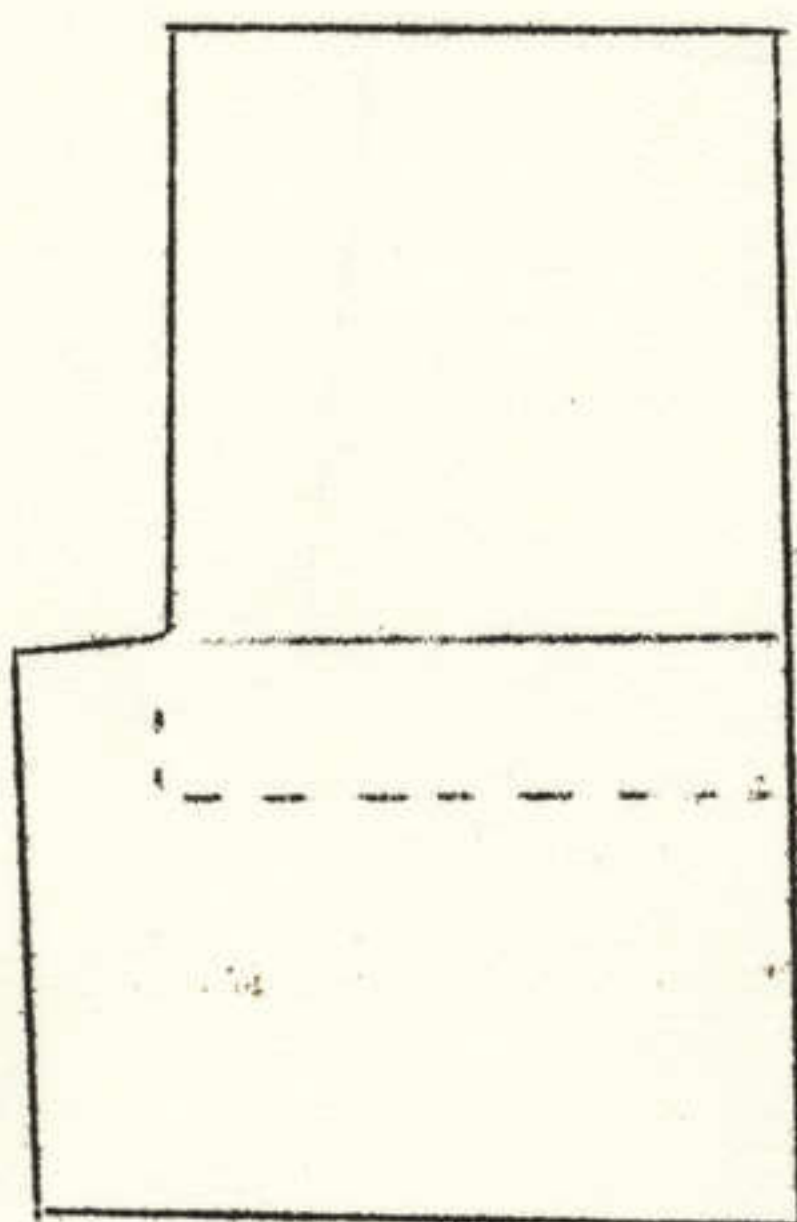
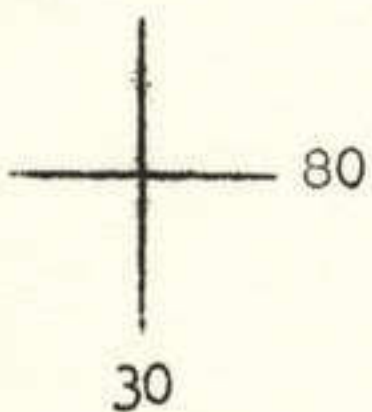
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DATED 13 APR 69

AO PUTTY

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IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 132300 Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (MAIN) CONFIDENTIAL

TO: LIST Z (LESS SERIALS 19-23) OPS 461

INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
1 ATF LO XUAN LOC
LIST Z SERIALS 19-23

1 ATF OP INSTR 32/69 (OP STAFFORD)

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . EN FORCES . ANX A ISSUED SEPARATELY .

BRAVO . FRIENDLY FORCES .

FIRST . RF/PF POSTS ANX B ISSUED SEPARATELY CMM OPS AND APS
DAILY THROUGH LOS BARIA AND DUC THANH .

SECOND . DUC THANH DISTRICT IS B SQN 1 ARMD REGT RESPONSIBILITY
FOR PHASE 2 OPS .

THIRD . 3 SAS SQN OPS EAST OF AO 15-20 APR . DETAILS
SEPARATELY .

CHARLIE . ATTS AND DETS . NIL

TWO . 4 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING .

FIRST . REMAINING UNDER OPCON ONE TP HQ THREE COMBAT ENGR TEAMS
ONE SPLINTER TEAM 1 FD SQN .

SECOND . UNDER OPCON FROM 160700H APR ONE TP B SQN 1 ARMD REGT CMM
ONE SECT A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

THIRD . UNDER OPCON FROM 160700H APR UNTIL REL 17 APR ONE TP MINUS
B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .

FOURTH . UNDER OPCON FROM 160700H APR UNTIL REL TWO TD15 ONE BACK-
HOE ONE 1000 GAL TAR TRUCK .

FIFTH . UNDER OPCON FROM 170700H APR ONE TP A SQN 3 CAV REGT LESS
TWO SECT .

SIXTH . UNDER OPCON FROM 170700H APR TO APPROX 23 APR TWO MOR
CARRIERS A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

SEVENTH . IN DS 104 FD BTY CMM ONE H13 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT .

EIGHT . IN SP ATPRI CALL FROM 170600 APR UNTIL REL 17 APR CMM
SECT 105 FD BTY .

- BRAVO . TASKS CMM SEE ALSO PARA THREE BRAVO CLN
- FIRST . DEPLOY BY AIR FROM AO MARULAN TO AO BAROSSA 17 APR .
- SECOND . LOC AND DESTROY VC IN AO IN PARTICULAR HQ 274 AND C45 .
DESTROY ALL VC INSTL AND ASSETS LOC .
CONTROL RICE MOV INTO BINH BA ESTATE .
CONDUCT PSY OPS IN POPULATED AREAS .
- THREE . 1 FD REGT CLN
- ALFA . SECT 105 FD BTY TO BE DEPLOYED BY RD TO VIC PROPOSED FSPB VIRGINIA YS4379 16 APR TO CONDUCT LZ PREP FOR 4 RAR AO BAROSSA AM 17 APR RETURNING TO 1 ATF BASE ON COMPLETION .
- BRAVO . PROTECTION FOR MOV SECT 105 FD BTY BY 4 RAR .
- FOUR . B SQN 1 ARMD REGT CLN
- ALFA . PROVIDE ONE TP OPCON 4 RAR FROM 160700H APR .
- BRAVO . PROVIDE ONE TP MINUS OPCON 4 RAR 160700H APR UNTIL REL 17 APR .
- FIVE . A SQN 3 CAV REGT CLN
- ALFA . PROVIDE ONE SECT OPCON 4 RAR FROM 160700H APR
- BRAVO . PROVIDE ONE TP LESS TWO SECT OPCON 4 RAR FROM 170700H APR .
- CHARLIE . PROVIDE TWO MOR CARRIERS OPCON 4 RAR FROM 170700H APR TO APPROX 23 APR .
- SIX . 1 FD SQN CLN
- ALFA . GROUPING PARA TWO ALFA .
- BRAVO . TASKS INCL ASSIST 4 RAR CONST FSPB VIRGINIA .
- SEVEN . 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT . PROVIDE ONE DS H13 TO 4 RAR .
- EIGHT . RAAF . PROVIDE AHC LIFT TO DEPLOY 4 RAR FROM AO MARULAN TO AO BAROSSA 17 APR . OTHER TASKS NORMAL .
- NINE . US ARMY AVN . PROVIDE MED HEL SP FOR DEPLOYMENT 4 RAR AND DS BTY 17 APR .
- TEN . CO ORD INSTR CLN
- ALFA . AO BAROSSA ANX C ISSUED SEPARATELY .
- BRAVO . FSPB VIRGINIA VIC YS4379 . RECCE CMM ENGR CMM PROTECTIVE ELMS DEPLOY 16 APR .
- CHARLIE . MOV DETAILS SEPARATELY CMM AIR PLANNING CONF 150900H APR .
- DELTA . CIVILIAN ACCESS AREAS SEE ANX B ISSUED SEPARATELY .
- ECHO . CURFEW FROM 1900H TO 0600H .
- FOXTROT . SECTOR CLEARANCES FOR OP OBTAINED FOR DUC THANH AO WEST OF 49 EASTING .

ELEVEN . ADMIN AND LOG . ISSUED SEPARATELY AS 1 ATF ADMIN O 3/69 DATED
13 APR 69 .

TWELVE . COMD AND SIG CLN

ALFA . HQ 1 ATF LOC NUI DAT FROM AM 15 APR .

BRAVO . LIAISON CLN

FIRST . 1 ATF LO BARIA ON 1 ATF COMD NET .

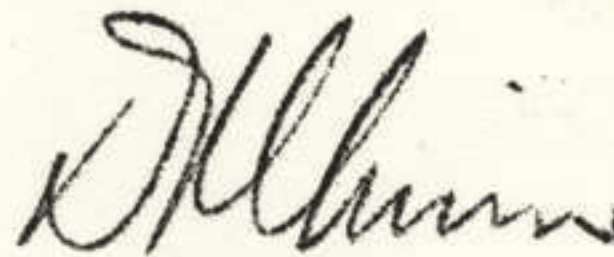
SECOND . 4 RAR TO DEPLOY LO TO DUC THANH SUB SECTOR ON
INTERNAL NET ONLY .

CHARLIE . 1 ATF SOI APPLY .

ACK INSTR . ACK TO ENSIGN OR EBONY CP

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ANNEX B TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 32/69
(OP STAFFORD)
DATED 14 APR 69

PROVINCIAL DATA - AO BAROSSA

1. RF/PF Posts.

a.	<u>RF Posts</u>	<u>Strength</u>	<u>Location</u>
	613 Rifle Coy	111	YS454838
	Op		463782
	Op		464793
	626 Rifle Coy	98	434716
	Op		430714
	Op		448730
	655 Rifle Coy	106	445746
	Op		450740
	Int Sqd	11	463782
b.	<u>PF Posts</u>		
	37 Pl	32	463782
	38 Pl	35	465774
	39 Pl	32	453748
	40 Pl	37	468778
	41 Pl	31	463782
	42 Pl	27	500775
	43 Pl	33	489778
	44 Pl	31	485775

c. Confirmation of above locations should be undertaken by unit IO immediately on deployment.

2. Civilian Access Areas.

a. DUC THANH AO.

b. Area bounded by:

YS478913 - follow road to
YS485895 - follow road to
YS503896 - follow road to
YS483879 - follow road to
YS477884 - join by straight line to
YS478888 - join to first grid

c. Area bounded by YS512794 along SOUI TAM BO to YS474844 and the DUC THANH AO Boundary.

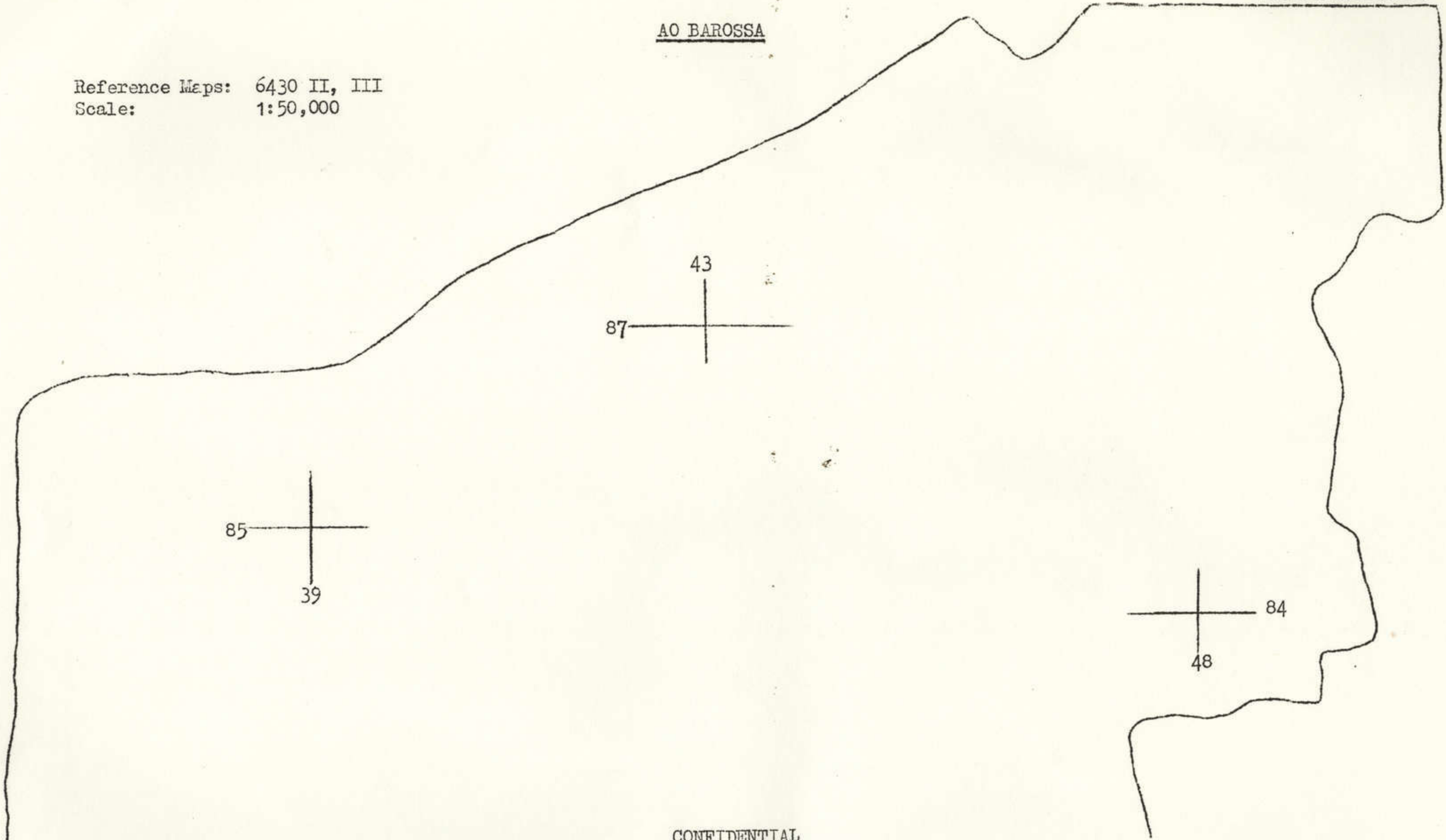
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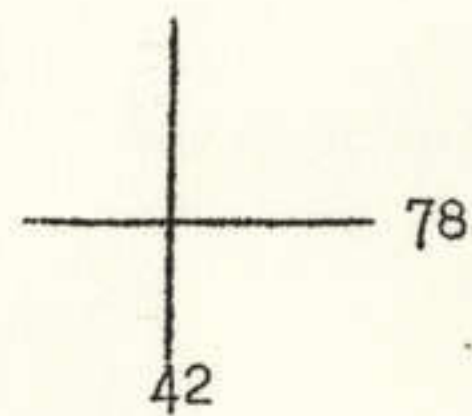
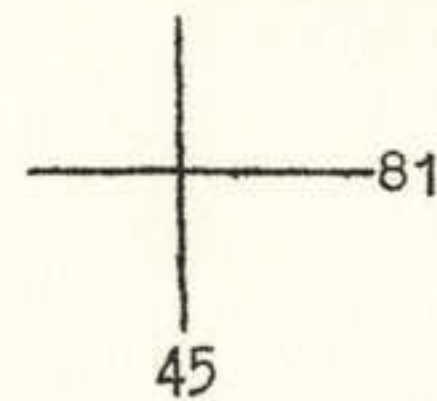
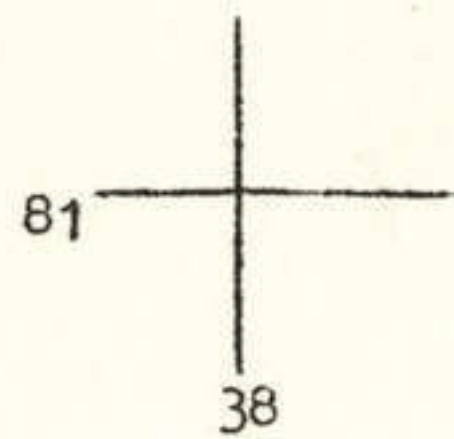
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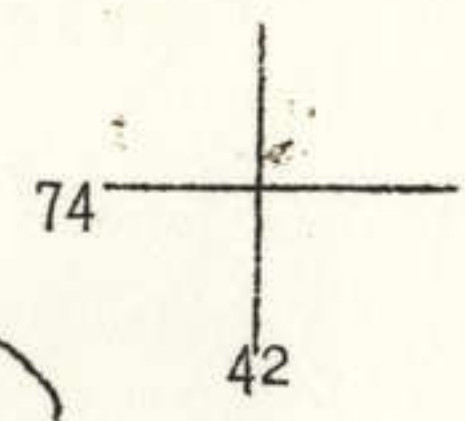
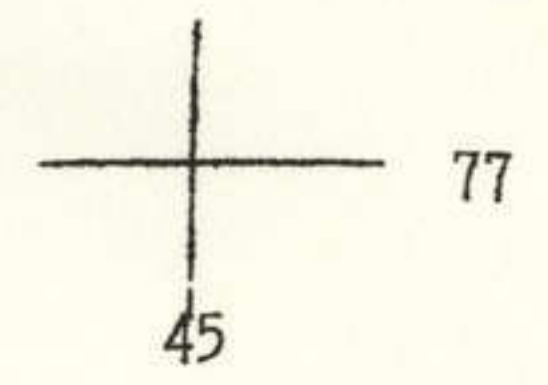
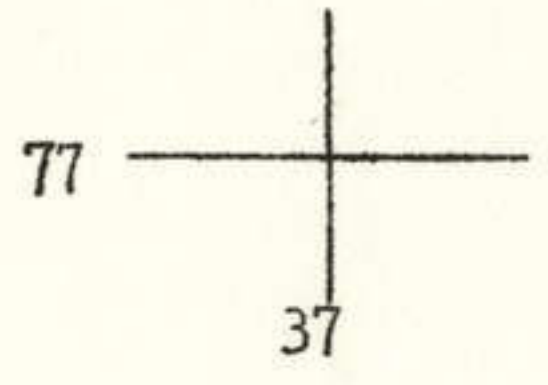
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ENEMY SITUATION - AO BAROSSA

1. Enemy forces at present in AO BAROSSA are believed to include:
 - a. Elements of HQ 274 Regiment and possibly one of its battalions.
 - b. C41, CHAU DUC Company.
 - c. Guerilla units and Party Committee members of districts and villages adjacent to the AO.
2. BINH BA Rubber Plantation has been reported to have become a major rice supply centre and transfer point for VC in the AO and for VC in areas further into the HAT DICH and CAM MY base areas.
3. Tracks through the AO are known to be used as communications, liaison and supply routes between populated areas on Routes QL15, LTL2 and the HAT DICH and CAM MY base areas.
4. Destruction of the enemy forces, caches and installations in AO BAROSSA and disruption of enemy L of C through the AO would seriously affect VC offensive capability throughout Military Region 7.

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ROUTINE

130430Z APR 69

R750/1/7

FROM: 1 ATF (REAR)

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TO: 5 RAR

OPS468

INFO: 1 AUST CA UNIT

- ONE . PLEASE PROVIDE PROTECTION PARTY FOR THE FOL CA ACTIVITIES CLN
- ALFA . 14 APR TO 19 APR (INCL) CMM 0745 TO 1700H CMM WELL DEVELOPMENT CMM 1 SECT .
- BRAVO . 16 APR TO 19 APR (INCL) CMM 1500 TO 1700H CMM ROAD BUILDING LONG TOAN CMM 2 SECTS .
- CHARLIE . 15 APR CMM 0800 TO 1700H CMM MED CAP CMM 5 MEN .
- DELTA . 18 APR CMM 0800 TO 1300H CMM MED CAP CMM 5 MEN .
- ECHO . 18 APR CMM 0800 TO 1600H CMM ESCORT NGAI GIAO CMM 6 MEN .

TWO . LIAISE DIRECTLY WITH 1 AUST CA UNIT . PROTECTION PARTY TO CARRY OWN RAT

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140100Z APR 69

TABULATE

FROM : HQ 1 ATF (REAR)

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TO : HQ 1 ATF (MAIN)

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LIST F1

INFO : 1 ALSG D COMD G OPS G AIR ST

ADMIN O 3/69 (.) ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS FROM 15 APR 69 (.)
 THESE INSTRS ARE A PLANNING GUIDE ONLY AND ARE SUBJECT TO
 CONFIRMATION (.)

FIRST (.) GEN OUTLINE (.)

ALFA (.) HQ 1 ATF (MAIN) AND UNITS BASED IN FSPB
 MARTINE MOVE BY RD ON 15 APR 69 TO NUI DAT (.)

BRAVO (.) 9 RAR BN GP VACATES AO PICTON ON 16 APR 69 AND
 MOVES BY RD TO NUI DAT (.) 9 RAR BN GP
 REDEPLOYS BY AIR TO AO GLENELG WITH CERTAIN
 REQUIREMENTS FOR THE FSPB BEING MOVED BY RD ON
 16 APR 69 (.)

CHARLIE (.) 4 RAR BN GP VACATES AO MARULAN ON 17 APR 69 AND
 MOVES BY COMBINATION OF AIR CMM APC AND FOOT
 MOV TO AO BARBAROSSA WITH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS
 FOR THE FSPB BEING MOV BY RD ON 16 APR 69 (.)

DELTA (.) ONE SECT 105 FD BTY DEPLOYS TO THE HORSESHOE
 ON 15 APR 69 TO SP INSERTION OF 9 RAR BN GP INTO
 AO GLENELG ON 16 APR 69 (.) AFTER COMPLETING
 THIS TASK CMM SECT MOVES BY RD ON 16 APR 69 TO
 THE FSPB IN AO BARBAROSSA RETURNING TO NUI DAT ON
 17 APR 69 AFTER SP INSERTION OF 4 RAR BN GP (.)

SECOND (.) DAMMO (.) INFO (.)

ALFA (.) GUN AMMO (.)
 ONE (.) 161 FD BTY RETURN ALL GUN AMMO BY RD TO
 NUI DAT (.) ONE FIRST LINE TO BE PROVIDED BY

TFMA/

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TFMA READY FOR MOVE ON 16 APR 69 BY CH47
IN ACCORDANCE AIR MOV TABLE (.) ONE ADDL
FIRST LINE TO BE MOVED BY RD TO BE IN POSN
BY 161200H (.) SUBSEQUENT RESUP BY AIR (.)
TWO (.) 104 FD BTY REDEPLOYS WITH FULL
HOLDINGS (.) SUBSEQUENT RESUP BY AIR AND RD
(.)
THREE (.) SECT 105 FD BTY USES GUN AMMO LOC
HORSESHOE WHEN IN SP 9 RAR BN GP (.) 640
RDS IN FOUR BY 5 TON VEHS WILL MOVE WITH
THE GUNS ON REDEPLOYMENT IN SP OF 4 RAR BN
GP (.)
BRAVO (.) MOR AMMO (.) BNS MOVE WITH FIRST LINE
HOLDINGS (.)
CHARLIE (.) SAA AND EXPLOSIVES (.)
ONE (.) ALL UNITS MOVE WITH ONE FIRST LINE
SAA (.)
TWO (.) UNITS DRAW EXPLOSIVES ON DEMAND FROM
TFMA (.)
THIRD (.) POL (.) AVGAS P IN PSPB MARTINE CLOSES 150700H (.)
FOURTH (.) RATS (.) UNITS TO CARRY AT LEAST THREE DAYS (.)
FIFTH (.) WATER (.) UNITS TO DEPLOY WITH MAX HOLDINGS IN
JERRYCANS AND WATER BOTTLES (.)
SIXTH (.) DEF STORES (.)
ONE (.) DAY ONE AND DAY TWO DEF STORES WILL BE
DEL BY RD TO PSPB IN AO GLENELG BY 161200H (.)
TWO (.) DAY ONE AND DAY TWO DEF STORES WILL BE
DEL BY RD TO PSPB IN AO BARBAROSSA BY 161500H (.)
THREE (.) UNITS RETURNING TO OR. PHASING THROUGH
NUI DAT ARE TO RETURN ALL UNUSED DEF STORES CMM
PICKETS AND CGI WHICH ARE SERVICEABLE AND ALL
ARMCO AND TIMBER (.)
SEVENTH (.) RD TPT (.)

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ALFA (.) VEH REQUIREMENTS (.)

ONE (.) FOR MOVE OF HQ 1 ATF AND ASSOCIATED
UNITS 1 ALSG REQUESTED TO PROVIDE 30 BY
5 TON VEHs AT FSPB MARTINE BY 150730H (.)
VEHs ALLOTTED AS FOLS FOR MOVE OF HQ
1 ATF MAIN AND UNITS TO NUI DAT DEPARTING
151030H CLN

(ALFA) (.) A SQN 3 CAV REGT TWO (.)
(BRAVO) (.) B SQN 1 ARMD REGT FOUR (.)
(CHARLIE)(.) R.DAR DET DET 131 DIV LOC
BTY THREE (.)

(DELTA) (.) ARTY TAC THREE (.)
(ECHO) (.) 104 SIG SQN THREE (.)
(FOXTROT)(.) HQ COY 1 ATF TEN (.)
(GOLF) (.) AVGAS LP ONE (.)
(HOTEL) (.) WP ONE (.)
(INDIA) (.) DET 2 AFCU ONE (.)
(JULIET) (.) UNUSED DEF STORES ONE (.)
(KILO) (.) SPARE TWO (.)

TWO (.) FOR MOVE OF 9 RAR BN GP TO NUI DAT
CMM 1 ALSG REQUESTED TO PROVIDE 30 BY 5
TON VEHs CMM 1 FD REGT TO PROVIDE 10 BY
5 TON VEHs AND TFMA TO PROVIDE FIVE BY
5 TON VEHs TO LOCS IN AO PICTON BY
151600H (.) TWO COY LIFTS WILL BE
PROVIDED BY A SQN 3 CAV REGT (.) VEHs
ALLOTTED AS FOLS FOR MOVE OF 9 RAR BN GP
TO NUI DAT ON 16 APR 69 CLN

(ALFA) (.) COY IN FSPB JUMIRA SIX BY
5 TON 1 ALSG TO DEPART 0730H (.)
(BRAVO) (.) COY IN APC'S TO DEPART
0730H (.)
(CHARLIE) (.) FIVE BY 5 TON 1 ALSG CMM/10
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BY 5 TON 1 FD REGT AND FIVE BY
5 TON TFMA TO LIFT 161 FD BTY
AND 105 MM AMMO

DEPARTING 0830H (.)

(DELTA) (.) 19 BY 5 TON 1 ALSG TO
LIFT BHQ PERS AND STORES
DEPARTING 0900H (.)

(ECHO) (.) SIX BY 5 TON 1 ALSG
EMPLOYED FOR SUB PARA (ALFA)
ABOVE TO RETURN FROM NUI DAT
TO AO PICTON TO PICK UP ONE
COY AND DEPART FOR NUI DAT AT
1030H (.)

(FOXTROT) COY IN APC'S TO DEPART 1030H (.)

THREE (.) RD MOV TO ASSIST 9 RAR BN GP IN MOV
FROM NUI DAT TO FSPB IN AO GLEN LIG DEPARTING
161030H CLN

(ALFA) (.) 1 ALSG REQUESTED TO
PROVIDE FROM PARA TWO (CHARLIE)
ABOVE FOUR BY 5 TON LOADED WITH
640 RDS 105MM AMMO (.)

(BRAVO) 1 ALSG REQUESTED TO PROVIDE
FROM VUNG TAU FIVE BY 5 TON
VEHS WITH DAY ONE AND DAY TWO
DEF STORES (.)

(CHARLIE) (.) 1 FD SQN PLANT TO JOIN
CONVOY (.)

(DELTA) (.) 9 RAR RESUP VEHs TO JOIN
CONVOY (.)

FOUR (.) FOR MOVE OF SECT 105 FD BTY TO
HORSESHOE ON 15 APR 69 CLN TFMA TO PROVIDE
FOUR BY 5 TON VEHs AS ARRANGED WITH 105 FD
BTY (.)

FIVE (.) RD MOV TO ASSIST 4 RAR BN GP IN MOV
INTO/

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INTO FSPB IN AO BARBAROSSA DEPARTING NUI
DAT APPROX 161200H CLN

(ALFA) (.) FIVE BY 5 TON VEHs LOADED
WITH DAY ONE AND DAY TWO DEF
STORES PROVIDED BY TFMA AFTER
COMPLETION OF PARA TWO

(CHARLIE) ABOVE TO DEPART APPROX
161200H (.)

(BRAVO) (.) FOUR BY 5 TON VEHs (TFMA) WITH
SECT 105 FD BTY FROM HORSESHOE
TO DEPART APPROX 161200H (.)

(CHARLIE) (.) FOUR BY 5 TON VEHs (1FD REGT
WITH 640 RDS 105MM ALMO FROM
PARA TWO (CHARLIE) ABOVE TO
DEPART APPROX 161200H (.)

(DELTA) (.) 1 FD SQN PLANT TO DEPART
WITH ONE TP B SQN 1 ARMD REGT
APPROX 160800H (.)

(ECHO) (.) 4 RAR RESUP VEHs TO JOIN
161200H CONVOY (.)

BRAVO (.) RD CONVOYS (.) DETAILED INSTRS WILL BE ISSUED
GIVING RV'S CMM COMPOSITION CMM ESCORT ARRANGEMENTS
CMM REC VEHs ALLOTTED AND TIMINGS FOR THE
FOL RD MOVES CLN

ONE (.) MOV OF 1 ALSG CONVOY AND 106 FD WKSP
REC VEH TO FSPB MARTINE FROM BARIA RV AT
150645H (.)

TWO (.) MOV OF HQ 1 ATF AND ASSOCIATED UNITS
FROM FSPB MARTINE 151030H (.)

THREE (.) MOV OF 1 ALSG CMM 1 FD REGT AND TFMA
CONVOY WITH 1 FD REGT REC VEH TO AO PICTON
1514304H (.)

FOUR (.) MOV OF 9 RAR BN GP FROM AO PICTON TO
NUI DAT/

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NUI DAT WITH 106 FD WKSPP REC VEH 16 APR
69 (.)

FIVE (.) MOV OF ENGR PLANT CMM DEF STORES
CMM ONE FIRST LINE 105MM GUN AMMO CMM
9 RAR RESUP VEHs WITH 106 FD WKSPP REC VEH
FROM NUI DAT TO AO GLENELG 161030H AND
RETURN OF THESE VEHs PM 16 APR 69 (.)

SIX (.) MOV OF ENGR PLANT CMM WITH ONE TP TKS
FROM NUI DAT TO AO BARBAROSSA APPROX
160800H (.)

SEVEN (.) MOV OF ONE TP TKS CMM SECT 105 FD BTY
CMM DEF STORES CMM ARE FIRST LINE 105 MM
GUN AMMO CMM 4 RAR RESUP VEHs NUI DAT TO AO
BARBAROSSA APPROX 161200H AND RETURN AM 17 APR

CHARLIE (.) CON OF RD TPT RESOURCES CLN

ONE (.) OC 85 TPT PL TO CON RD TPT 15 TO 17
APR 69 (.) TO REPORT TO DA QMG FOR BRIEFING
140900H (.) TO LIAISE AND BE ACCN WITH
A SQN 3 CAV REGT OVERNI 14/15 APR AND WITH
9 RAR OVERNI 15/16 APR (.)

TWO (.) TP TKT TO CON ALL AVAIL REC RESOURCES
INCL THOSE PROVIDED BY 1 ALSG DURING PERIOD
15 TO 17 APR 69 (.) RADIO NET TO BE
PROMULGATED LATER TO ALL CONCERNED (.)

EIGHTH (.) AIR MOV (.)

ALFA (.) 9 RAR BN GP CLN

ONE (.) 17 BY CH47 SORTIES ALLOTTED FOR MOVE OF
161 BTY INCL ONE FIRST LINE GUN AMMO NUI DAT
TO FSPB IN AO GLENELG (.)

TWO (.) FIVE BY CH47 SORTIES ALLOTTED FOR MOVE
OF 9 RAR TO NEW FSPB AS FOLS CLN
(ALFA) (.) FIG PEN CMM ONE (.)
(BRAVO) (.) MOR AMMO AND SAA CMM TWO (.)
(CHARLIE) (.) CP STORES CMM ONE (.)

(DELTA)/

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- (DELTA) UNIT STORES AND WATER TK CMM ONE (.) .
- THREE (.) ALB SORTIES AS REQUIRED FOR MOV OF
PERS (.)
- FOUR (.) AIR PLANNING CONFERENCE 141400H AT
FSPB JULIETA (.)
- BRAVO (.) 4 RAR BN GP CLN
- ONE (.) NO OF CH47 SORTIES ALLOTTED FOR
MOVE OF 104 BTY SUFFICIENT TO MOVE BTY
PLUS 105MM AMMO REMAINING FSPB DYKE TO
FSPB IN AO BARBAROSSA (.)
- TWO (.) FIVE BY CH47 SORTIES TO MOVE BHQ INCL
PIG PEN CMM CP STORES CMM UNIT STORES AND
WATER CMM MOR AND SA AMMO (.)
- THREE (.) ALB SORTIES AS REQUIRED (.)
- FOUR (.) AIR PLANNING CONFERENCE 150900H AT
FSPB DIKE (.)
- NINTH (.) METHOD OF RESUP (.)
- ALFA (.) 9 RAR BN GP CLN
- ONE (.) AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE OF REQUIREMENTS
FOR 16 - 19 APR 69 TO BE PROVIDED BY ECH IN
PARA SEVENTH ALFA THREE (DELTA) ABOVE (.)
- TWO (.) FURTHER RD CONVOY TO FSPB IN AO
GLENEBELG ON 19 APR 69 AND TO RETURN WITH ENGR
PLANT (.)
- THREE (.) EXTRACTION BY RD CONVOY OF 161 FD BTY
CMM STORES CMM OTHER PERS AND STORES TO BE
DECIDED TO TAKE PLACE 23 APR 69 (.)
- FOUR (.) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED FOR ABOVE CMM ALL
RESUP BY AIR (.)
- BRAVO (.) 4 RAR BN GP CLN
- ONE (.) AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE OF REQUIREMENTS
FOR 17 - 20 APR 69 TO BE PROVIDED BY ECH IN
PARA SEVENTH ALFA FIVE (ECHO) ABOVE (.)

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TWO (.) FURTHER RD CONVOYS TO FSPB IN 10
BARBAROSSA EVERY THREE TO FOUR DAYS (.)

THREE (.) EXTRACTON OF 104 FD BTY CMM STORES
CMM OTHER PERS AND STORES TO BE DECIDED TO
TAKE PLACE 1 MAY 69 (.)

FOUR (.) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED FOR ABOVE CMM ALL
RESUP BY AIR (.)

TENTH (.) REPAIR AND REC (.) TIME TO CON ALL AVAL REC
RESOURCES FROM NUI DAT DURING PERIOD 15 - 17 APR 69 (.)
REC NET TO BE PROMULGATED TO ALL CONCERNED (.)

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140900Z APR 69

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FROM : HQ 1 ATF (REAR)

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TO : HQ 1 ATF (MAIN)

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INFO : 1 ALSG D COMD G OPS G AIR ST

REF Q755 OF 140100Z APR 69 (.)

ADMIN O 3/69 (.) ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS FROM 15 APR 69 (.) INSTRS . .

CONFIRMED EXCEPT AS FOLS CLN

ONE (.) 4 RAR AO CMM DELETE BARBAROSSA AND INSERT BAROSSA (.)

TWO (.) ONE SECT 105 FD BTY WILL NOT NOW DEPLOY TO THE HORESHOE (.)

INSTEAD CMM THE TASK IN SP 9 RAR WILL BE CARRIED OUT BY ONE SECT B BTY
2/35 ARTY WHICH WILL MOVE FROM FSPB MARTINE DIRECT TO THE HORSESHOE ON
15 APR (.) REC VEH WILL BE PROVIDED TO ASSIST LOADING AND UNLOADING GUN
AMMO (.)

THREE (.) CONVOY CONSISTING OF TP TKS CMM TP APC'S CMM ONE SECT 105 FD BTY
CMM ENGR PLANT CMM 4 RAR RESUP VEHS CMM ONE FIRST LINE GUN AMMO CMM DEF
STORES CMM ONE BY 1000 GAL WATER TK FOR FSPB VIRGINIA IN AO BAROSSA
WILL ALL DEPART NUI DAT AT 160700H (.) THIS NECESSITATES FOL CHANGES IN
ALLOCATION OF VEHS TO TASKS CLN

ALFA (.) THREE BY 5 TON FROM 1 ALSG AND ONE BY 5 TON FROM 1 FD REGT
WILL LIFT THE FIRST LINE 105MM GUN AMMO (.)

BRAVO (.) FIVE BY 5 TON FOR DEF STORES AND ONE BY 5 TON FOR 1000 GAL
WATER TK WILL BE PROVIDED BY TFMA (.)

FOUR (.) DEF STORES FOR RD MOV FROM NUI DAT TO 9 RAR FSPB IN AO GLENELG WILL
BE TPT IN THREE BY 5 TON DUMPS FROM 1 ALSG AND THREE BY 5 TON DUMPS FROM TFMA
(.) ONE BY 5 TON FROM TFMA CARRYING 1000 GAL WATER TK WILL JOIN THIS CONVOY (.)

FIVE (.) TWO 4 RAR VEHS PRESENTLY IN FSPB DYKE WILL JOIN THE 9 RAR CONVOY
DEPARTING AO PICTON AT 161030H FOR MOV TO NUI DAT

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PRIORITY ROUTINE 141035 Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF (REAR) CONFIDENTIAL
TO: LIST Z (LESS SERIALS 7,27,32,33) OPS 462
INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA

FRAG 0 1 TO OP INSTR 30/69 (OP BEAVER DAM VI)

ONE . SIT . OP OVERLANDER CONCLUDES 17 ^{APR} MAR . LAND CLEARING OPS WILL BE OUT
OF GUN RANGE WITH CLOSURE FSPB MARTINE 150300H APR 69 .

TWO . 5 RAR . GROUPING IS VARIED CLN UNDER OPCON FROM 150630H APR TWO MOR APC
A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

THREE . AO CAMDEN REMAINS IN FORCE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND IS TO BE EXTENDED .
ADVICE SEPARATELY .

FOUR . COMMS .

ALFA . PL TO JOIN 5 RAR NET ON DEPARTURE A SQN 3 CAV REGT FROM AO
CAMDEN AM 15 APR .

BRAVO . ALIN COMMS CLN

FIRST . 1 ATF COMD NET VIA C/S 12 (LO BEARCAT) USING C/S 77 .

SECOND . SECTOR NET TO MULTY AFFAIR 20 (PHU MY SOUTH) ON
60.25 MCS

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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 140330Z

FROM: I ATF (MAIN)

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TO: LIST Z (LESS SERIALS 19 - 23)

OPS 467

INFO: I ATF LO BARIA
I ATF (REAR)
LIST Z SERIALS 19 - 23

AMDT ONE TO I ATF OPO 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE) DATED 13 APR 69 .

ONE . TO PARA THREE BRAVO FIRST UNDER OPCON FROM 160700H APR ADD ONE SECT
A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

TWO . IN PARA THREE BRAVO SECOND DELETE REF TO SUB PARA DELTA FOL HEADING
TASKS .

THREE . IN PARA THREE AMEND PARA DELTA TO READ CHARLIE WITH CONSEQUENTIAL
SUCCESSIVE AMDTS .

FOUR . IN PARA THREE RE-LETTERED SUB PARA CHARLIE SECOND DELETE 9 RAR INSERT
4 RAR .

FIVE . IN PARA THREE RE-LETTERED SUB PARA DELTA FOURTH DELETE EXISTING DETAIL
CMM INSERT PROVIDE OPCON ONE SECT TO 9 RAR FROM 160700H APR

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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 140345Z

FROM: I ATF (MAIN) CONFIDENTIAL

TO: LIST Z (LESS SERIALS 19 - 23) OPS 468

INFO: I ATF LO BARIA
I ATF LO XUAN LOC
LIST Z SERIALS 19 -23

AMDT ONE TO I ATF OP INSTR 32/69 (OP STAFFORD) DATED 13 APR 69 .

ONE . DELETE PARA TWO ALFA FIFTH .

TWO . AMEND EIGHT TO READ EIGHTH FOR LAST PARA NUMBER IN P.R. TWO ALFA .

THREE . DELETE PARA FIVE BRAVO .

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HQ 1 ATF
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17 Apr 69

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Distribution below:

1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME
FOR PERIOD 200800H APR 69 TO 270800H APR 69

1. Attached is 1 ATF Patrol Programme for period 200800H Apr 69 to 270800H Apr 69.

M.G. Barwick Capt
for (D.A. CHINN)
Maj
GS02 (Ops)

Distribution

- B Sqn 1 Armd Regt (3)
- A Sqn 3 Cav Regt (2)
- 1 Fd Regt (9)
- 1 Fd Sqn (3)
- 21 Sp Tp (2)
- Det 17 Const (2)
- 104 Sig Sqn (2)
- 547 Sig Tp (2)
- 4 RAR (26)
- 5 RAR (11)
- 9 RAR (11)
- 3 SAS Sqn
- 161 (Indep) Recce Flt
- 1 ARU (2)
- HORSESHOE Coy (5)
- TFMA (3)
- HQ Coy (2)
- 106 Fd Wksp
- 1 Aust CA Unit
- CP
- Arty Tac
- GS02 (Ops)
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- Diary (2)
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1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME FOR PERIOD 200800H APR 69 TO 270800H APR 69

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A. Patrol Serial No	4 RAR 4368/69	4369/69	4370/69	4371/69
B. Sub-unit to provide	TFMA	Sp Coy 4 RAR.	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR
C. Callsign and Frequency	11 on 4 RAR base def net	12 on 4 RAR base def net	11 on 4 RAR base def net	12 on 4 RAR base def net
D. Controlled by	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E. Task	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS473673.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS462682.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS477677.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS472690.
F. Strength	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G. Date/Time Out	211545H	211650H	221530H	221540H.
H. Date/Time In	220840H	220810H	230900H	230850H
J. Route (Shown on appropriate trace)	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via B Coy	Via V Coy
K. LZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
L. PZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
M. Remarks	-	-	-	-

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A.	4372/69	4373/69	4374/69	4375/69	4376/69
B.	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR	W Coy 4 RAR	D Coy 4 RAR	V Coy 4 RAR
C.	11 on 4 RAR base def net	12 on 4 RAR base def net	11 on 4 RAR base def net	12 on 4 RAR base def net	11 on 4 RAR base def net
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS477664.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS467676.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS466667.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS483679.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS408672.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	231540H	231610H	241630H	241530H	251550H
H.	240915H	240850H	250750H	250900H	260815H
J.	Via C Coy	Via B Coy	Via C Coy	Via B Coy	Via C Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
K.	-	-	-	-	-

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A.	4377/69	4378/69	4379/69	4380/69	4381/69
B.	B Coy 4 RAR	C Coy 4 RAR	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR	V Coy 4 RAR
C.	12 on 4 RAR base def net	11 on 4 RAR base def net	12 on 4 RAR base def net	11 on 4 RAR base def net	12 on 4 RAR base def net
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS476684.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALAN. Ni loc vic YS480664.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS472684.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS472666.	Ni obsn and early wng in NOEL. Ni loc vic YS474687.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	251530H	261530H	261640H	271545H	271540H
H.	260750H	270850H	270800H	280830H	280815H
J.	Via B Coy	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via C Coy	Via V Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	-	-	-	-

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A.	B Coy 4 RAR B13/69	B14/69	B15/69	B16/69	B17/69
B.	4 Pl	6 Pl	5 Pl	4 Pl	6 Pl
C.	21A and 21B	23A and 23B	22A and 22B	21	23A and 23B
D.	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ
E.	Obsn and Ambush	Obsn and Ambush	Obsn and Ambush	Ambush and Mobile Checkpoint	Obsn and Ambush
F.	Sect (both Ptls)	Sect (both Ptls)	Sect (both Ptls)	1 : 20	Sect (both Ptls)
G.	181600H	191530H	201630H	211500H	221630H
H.	190900H	200930H	210915H	221100H	230830H
J.	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct via VIC	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	21A - YS485632 21B - YS503632	23A - YS512633 23B - YS513617	22A - YS488633 22B - YS499642	Ambush vic YS516604	22A - YS513633 22B - YS514614

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A.	B18/69	B19/69	B20/69	B21/69
B.	5 Pl	4 Pl	6 Pl	5 Pl
C.	22A and 22B	21A and 21B	23A and 23B	22A and 22B
D.	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ
E.	Obsn and ambush.	Obsn and ambush.	Ambush	Obsn and ambush.
F.	Sect (both) (Ptls)	Sect (both) (Ptls)	1:20	Sect (both) (Ptls)
G.	231645H	241700H	251630H	261530H
H.	240900H	250830H	260930H	270900H
J.	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-
M.	23A - YS480631 23B - YS505643	21A - YS481617 21B - YS512630	Ambush in vic YS520612	22A - YS512617 22B - YS489633

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A.	5 RAR 155/69	156/69	157/69	158/69	159/69
B.	A Coy LOB/17 Const Sqn	D Coy LOB	Admin Coy	B Coy	C Coy
C.	14 55.55	44 55.55	95Z 55.55	24 55.55	34 55.55
D.	5 RAR	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear
E.	Ptl AO BRONX. Ambush ni 1 YS444697. Ambush ni 2 YS458701.	Ambush ni 1 YS413690 Ambush ni 2 YS414680	Ambush ni 1 YS446702 Ambush ni 2 YS454698	Ambush ni 1 YS400674 Ambush ni 2 YS406685	Ambush ni 1 YS452705 Ambush ni 2 YS452702
F.	1:7 (plus 2 men 17 Const Sqn)	1:9	1:9	1:9	1:9
G.	201500H	201500H	221430H	221330H	241430H
H.	221000H	220930H	240930H	240945H	260930H
J.	Out via B Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In TF Gate	Out via A Coy In via B Coy	Out via TF Gate In via A Coy	Out via B Coy In via A Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	Ptl AOs ILSA, ROSA, BETTY, MANDY, KARIN	Ptl AO BRONX	Ptl AOs BETTY, ROSA, ILSA, KARIN, MANDY. <u>Note.</u> ARU Ptl in AO ALICE from 241630H - 250800H.	Ptl AOs TONY, BRONX

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A.	160/69	161/69	162/69
B.	A Coy LOB/17 Const Sqn	3 SAS Sqn	D Coy LOB
C.	14 55.55	54 55.55	44 55.55
D.	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush ni 1 YS414667 Ambush ni 2 YS404670	Recce and obsn AO BRONX NL YS449702	Ambush ni 1 YS400695 Ambush ni 2 YS395690
F.	1:7 (Plus 2 men 17 Const Sqn)	1:4	1:9
G.	241400H	261500H	261200H
H.	261000H	270900H	280900H
J.	Out via A Coy In via TF Gate	Out via A Coy In via B Coy	Out via A Coy In via TF Gate
K.	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-
M.	1. Estb road check at YS421662 between 250600H- 250800H. 2. Div Int to supply interpreter, National Police. 3. 5 RAP to liaise direct.	Ptl comd briefing 251500H	Ptl AO KARIN

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A.	9 RAR 297/69	298/69	299/69	300/69	301/69
B.	Admin Coy	A Coy	1 Fd Sqn	B Coy	Admin Coy
C.	10C 65.15	20C 65.15	10C 65.15	20C 65.15	10C 65.15
D.	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vic YS404654.	Ambush vic YS491641.	Ambush vic YS408654.	Ambush vic YS484634.	Ambush vic YS402642.
F.	1:6	1:10 incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6	1:10 incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6
G.	201830H	201815H	211845H	211815H	221830H
H.	210730H	210745H	220715H	220730H	230715H
J.	Veh By Pass Rd and as briefed.	1. Veh and Escort to YS489645. 2. Pick up Point veh and escort YS488638.	As per 297/69.	1. Veh and escort to YS488640. 2. Pick up point veh and escort YS488638.	As per 297/69.
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. To be in ni loc by last light. 2. To carry 1 x GPMG 60 and 1 x M79.	1. To be in ni loc by last light. 2. To carry 2 x GPMG M60 and 1 x M79.	As per 297/69	As per 298/69	As per 297/69

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A.	302/69	303/69	304/69	305/69	306/69
B.	C Coy	1 Fd Sqn	Admin Coy	Sp Coy/BHQ	Admin Coy
C.	20C 65.15	10C 65.15	20C 65.15	10C 65.15	20C 65.15
D.	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vic YS479634.	Ambush vic YS402644.	Ambush vic YS481641.	Ambush vic YS410656.	Ambush vic YS487634.
F.	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn
G.	221830H	231830H	231825H	241830H	241815H
H.	230745H	240730H	240745H	250730H	250715H
J.	1. Veh and escort to YS489644. 2. Pick up point YS489645.	As for 297/69	1. Veh and escort to YS489650. 2. Pick up point veh and escort YS489645.	As for 297/69	1. Veh and escort to YS489650. 2. Pick up point veh and escort YS489640.
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	As for 298/69	As for 297/69	As for 298/69	As for 297/69	As for 298/69

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A.	307/69	308/69	309/69	310/69
B.	1 Fd Sqn	D Coy	1 Fd Sqn	Sp Coy/BHQ
C.	10C 65.15	20C 65.15	10C 65.15	20C 65.15
D.	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear	9 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush vic YS407649	Ambush vic YS488639	Ambush vic YS488639	Ambush vic YS479637
F.	1:6	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn	1:6	1:10 to incl 2 men B Sqn
G.	251830H	251845H	261845H	261815H
H.	260730H	260715H	270715H	270730H
J.	As for 297/69	1. Veh and escort to YS489650. 2. Pick up point veh and escort YS489645.	As for 297/69	1. Veh and escort to YS488634. 2. Pick up point veh and escort YS489641.
K.	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-
M.	As for 297/69	As for 298/69	As for 297/69	As for 298/69

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A.	1 ARU 130/69	131/69	132/69	133/69	134/69
B.	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon	1 Platoon
C.	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85	51 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS442651.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS437637.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS444650.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS440645.	Ambush in AO NORM/JIM
F.	1:5	1:5	1:5	1:5	1:35
G.	201830H	211700H	221830H	231745H	241600H
H.	210715H	220745H	230715H	240730H	250800H
J.	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. AO NORM.	1. AO NORM/JIM. 2. Ni locstat subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice	1. AO NORM.	1. AO NORM. 2. Ni locstat subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.	1. Ni locstat to be notified.

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A.	135/69	136/69	137/69
B.	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon
C.	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS420695.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS443650;	Obsn and early wng in vic YS446637.
F.	1:5	1:5	1:5
G.	241630H	251800H	261700H
H.	250745H	260715H	270745H
J.	Through MANDY	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-
M.	1. AO NORM.	1. AO NORM.	1. AO NORM. 2. Ni locstat subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.

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17 Apr 69

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GS INSTRUCTION NO 2/69
CIVIC ACTION - MEDCAPS AND DENTCAPS

General

1. The purpose of this instruction is to state the 1 ATF policy on the conduct of MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS in Phuoc Tuy Province, other than those conducted in support of specific operations.

Principles

2. MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS have proven to be one of the most effective forms of civic action. Properly conducted, they make a significant contribution towards achieving the goals of the Pacification Plan.

3. Units are to participate in the 1 ATF MEDCAP and DENTCAP programs as much as possible after fulfilling their own operational commitments. Wherever possible units should carry out MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS in their own affiliated district.

4. All 1 ATF MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS activity is to be co-ordinated at Task Force/Province level by 1 Aust CA Unit. Units are not to undertake MEDCAPS or DENTCAPS without prior clearance and advice from 1 Aust CA Unit. This co-ordination is necessary to ensure that:

a. The available effort is applied in the most profitable areas in accordance with the Pacification Plan, and in those areas where it will be most beneficial to the local population.

b. Duplication of effort is avoided.

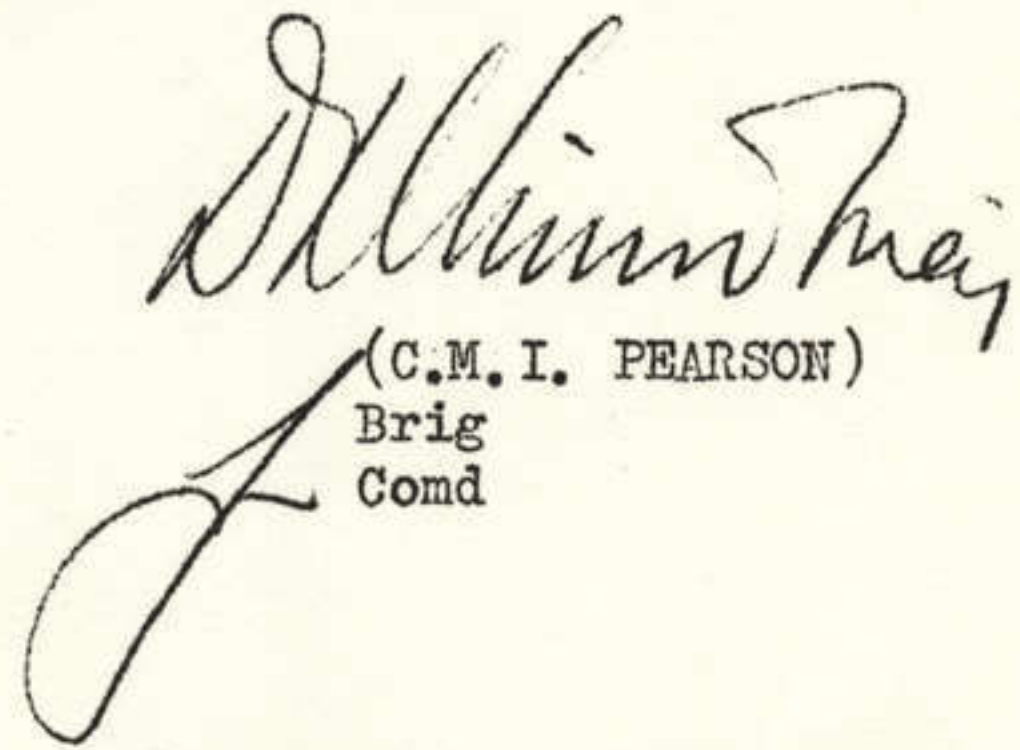
c. The necessary clearances are obtained from GVN officials and Province Advisory staff.

d. The necessary co-ordination is achieved with MEDCAP teams from other Free World forces.

5. Wherever possible, MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS are to be conducted in the name of the GVN Ministry of Health, and in their premises, eg. hamlet and village dispensaries.

6. Except in conjunction with specific operations, MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS should only be carried out in areas in which it is possible to provide a continuing regular service on at least a fortnightly basis.

7. Medical and dental stores for MEDCAPS and DENTCAPS will normally be provided by 1 Aust CA Unit.


(C.M.I. PEARSON)
Brig
Comd

MESSAGE FORM

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PRIORITY ROUTINE 172030Z APR 69 R569/2/160
 FROM: 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
 TO: 5 RAR 9 RAR 1 FD REGT OPS495
 A SQN 3 CAV REGT 1 FD SQN
 INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
 LIST Z

FRAGO 1 TO 1 ATF OP0 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE) .

ONE . SIT CLN ROUTE 23 REQUIRES REPAIRS TO BRIDGING AND CULVERTS BETWEEN YS594638 AND YS648658 .

TWO . 1 FD SQN IS TO EFFECT ABOVE REPAIRS TO ROUTE 23 IN PERIOD 19 TO 21 APR INCLUSIVE CMM WITH UNDER OPCON FROM 190600H APR UNTIL RELEASED ONE SECT A SQN 3 CAV REGT CMM ONE RIFLE SECT WITH MFC 5 RAR CMM IN SP 161 FD BTY .

THREE . COORD CLN

ALPHA . AO GLENELG IS EXTENDED TO THE LINE OF 67 NORTHING XUYEN MOC AO TO COVER DET 1 FD SQN TASK AREA WITH EFFECT 190600H APR .

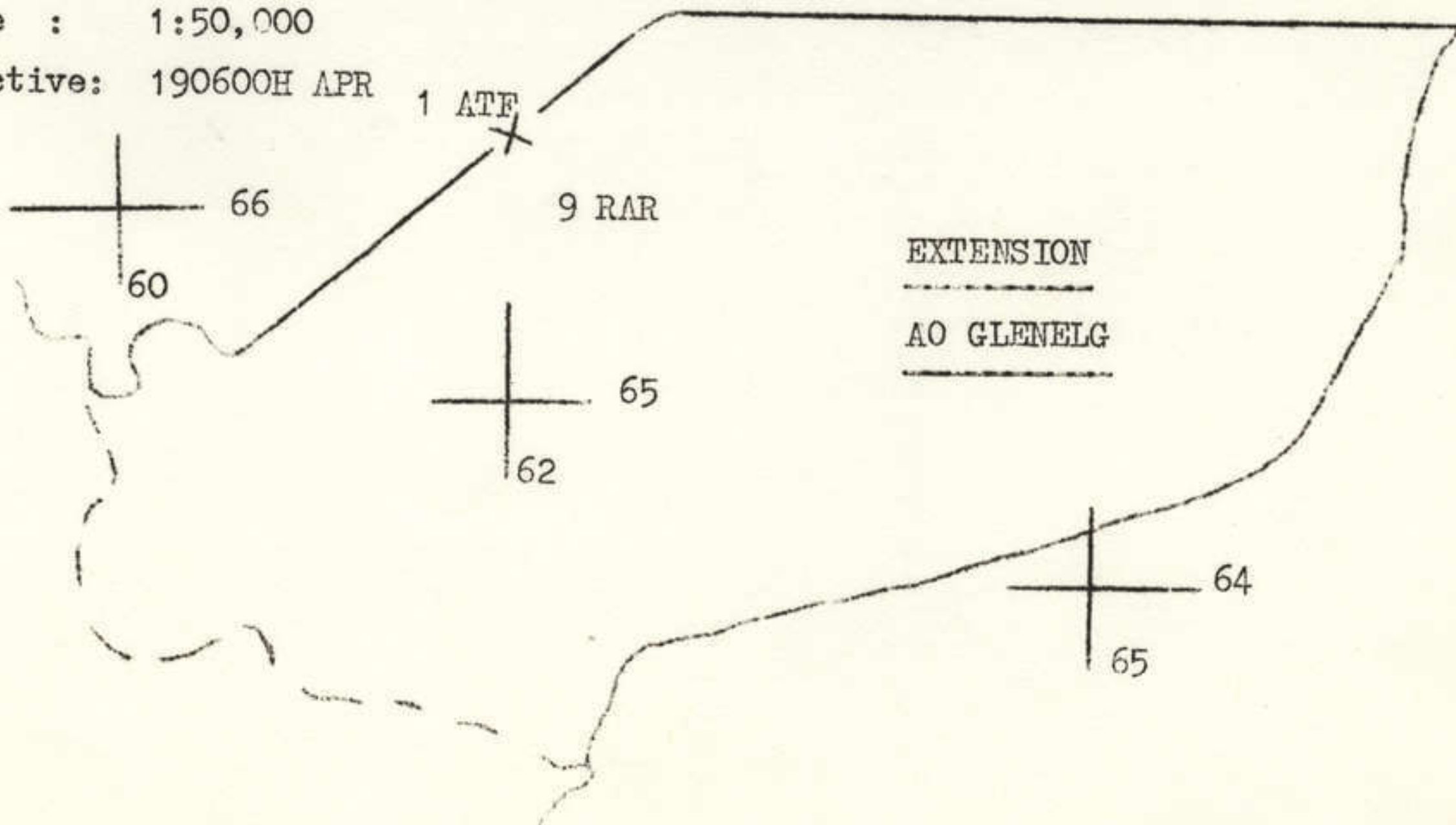
BRAVO . DET 1 FD SQN IS TO JOIN 9 RAR COMD NET BEFORE ENTERING AO GLENELG FOR COORD PURPOSES INCL PASSING OF LOCSTATS .

FOUR . COMMS CLN 1 ATF SOI

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EXTENSION AO GLENELG

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190100Z APR 69

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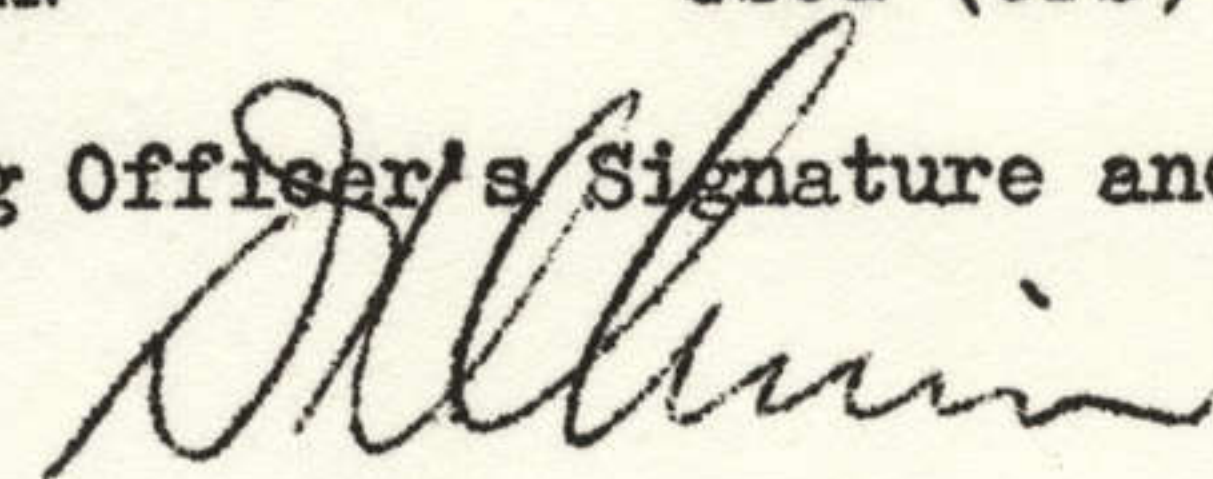
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INFO: AUSTFORCE VIETNAM

OP OVERLANDER CANCELLATION OF AOS . REQUEST AOS CAMDEN CMM PICTON CMM
MARULAN CMM MITTAGONG BE CANCELLED WITH EFFECT 181200H APR 69

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190100Z APR 69

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FROM: 1 ATF

SECRET

TO: 1 ALSG

OPS504

INFO: 5 RAR

CODENAME . 1 ALSG MOV 039 OF 180820Z APR 69 .

ONE . OP WOOLWICH ACKNOWLEDGED AS AMPH MOV 5 RAR NUI DAT TO BEACH HEAD .

TWO . NIL OTHER COOPERATING SERVICES

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ROUTINE

190700Z APR 69

R92/1/1

FROM: 1 ATF

RESTRICTED

TO: 9 RAR

OPS509

INFO: LIST A (LESS SERIALS 24 - 30)
RF PATROL SCHOOL HEAVYWEIGHT CP

REQUEST FOR PATROL ZONES . REFERENCE TELECON MAJ STEWART/GS03 (OPS)
OF 19 APR . 9 RAR ARE TO RELEASE PATROL ZONES TO RF PATROL SCHOOL AT
THE TIMES REQUESTED .

ONE . MARY CMM JENNY

210800H - 211130H APR

220800H - 221130H APR

241730H - 250800H APR

TWO . MARY CMM CINDY AND LOUISE

260800H - 261600H APR

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PRIORITY ROUTINE 191200Z APR 69 R569/2/160
 FROM : 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
 TO : LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19-23 OPS 514

INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
 LIST Z SERIALS 19-23

FRAG 0 2 TO 1 ATF OP 0 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE) DATED 131400Z APR 69 .

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . SEE OP 0 31/69 .

BRAVO . DET 1 FD SQN CONCLUDES ROUTE REPAIR OPS AO GLENELG
 EXTENDED 21 APR CMM 9 RAR CONCLUDES OPS AO GLENELG
 23 APR 69 .

CHARLIE . ATTS AND DETS. IN DS FOR PERIOD TRANSIT 5 RAR SEABORNE GP
 NUI DAT 22 APR TO BEACHHEAD 23 APR CMM DET 32 SMALL
 SHIPS SQN (LSM CLIVE STEELE) CMM DET 5 COY (RAASC) CMM
 DET 159 TN BN (US) CMM CDT 3 (RAN) .

TWO . 5 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . UNDER OP CON FROM 220630H APR ONE TP B SQN
 1 ARMD REGT CMM TP HQ AND FOUR COMBAT ENGR
 TEAMS 1 FD SQN .

SECOND . UNDER OP CON FROM 220630H APR TO SECURING AREA
 FSPB BRUISER (VIC YS6464) APPROX 220900H APR
 ONE TP A SQN 3 CAV REGT .

THIRD . UNDER OP CON FROM 220630H APR UNTIL 231700H
 APR . TWO MOR CARRIERS A SQN
 3 CAV REGT .

FOURTH . UNDER OP CON FROM ARRIVAL FSPB BRUISER 22 APR
 UNTIL REL ONE TD15 ONE CASE BACKHOE ONE D4
 1 FD SQN .

FIFTH . UNDER OP CON FROM ARRIVAL FSPB BRUISER APPROX
 221700H APR TO 231700H APR ONE TP A SQN 3 CAV
 REGT .

SIXTH . UNDER OP CON FROM 231700H APR ONE SECT A SQN
 3 CAV REGT .

SEVENTH . IN DS 105 FD BTY CMM ONE H13 161 (INDEP) RECCE
 FLT .

EIGHTH . IN GEN SP REINFORCING FROM 230830H APR ONE
 SECT B BTY 2/35 ARTY (US) .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY 22/23 APR BY RD SEA AND AIR TO AO
 COOGEE .

SECOND . LOC AND DESTROY VC ELMS WITHIN AO IN PARTICULAR
 HQ D445 .

THIRD . DESTROY ALL VC INSTL/ASSETS INCL GARDENS LOC .
 WITHIN XUYEN MOC AO USE EXPLOSIVES ONLY ON
 BUNKERS CMM OUTSIDE XUYEN MOC AO USE EXPLOSIVES
 AND CS CRYSTALS

THREE . 9 RAR CLN

ALFA . GROUPING

FIRST . REMAINING IN DS 161 FD BTY .

SECOND . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD B SQN 1 ARMD REGT
FROM ARRIVAL NUI DAT 23 APR ONE TP .

THIRD . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD A SQN 3 CAV REGT FROM
COMMENCEMENT DEPLOYMENT 9 RAR FROM AO GLENELG
23 APR ONE SECT .

FOURTH . REVERTING TO UNDER COMD 1 FD SQN FROM ARRIVAL
NUI DAT 23 APR ONE TP HQ THREE COMBAT ENGR
TEAMS ONE SPLINTER TEAM .

FIFTH . FROM IN DS ON COMPLETION TASKS AO GLENELG 23
APR ONE H13 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY TO 1 ATF BASE NUI DAT BY ROAD AND AIR
23 APR .

SECOND . ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR READY REACTION COY
FROM ARRIVAL FIRST COY .

THIRD . TASKS FOR PERIOD AT 1 ATF BASE SEPARATELY .

FOUR . SP ARMS CLN

ALFA . GROUPING PARAS TWO AND THREE

BRAVO . TASKS NORMAL CMM IN ADDITION CLN

FIRST . A SQN 3 CAV REGT CMM ESCORT RD MOV FOR
DEPLOYMENTS AND RESUPPLY .

SECOND . 1 FD SQN CMM ASSIST CLOSURE 9 RAR FSPB MARDI
CMM CONST 5 RAR FSPB BRUISER .

THIRD . RAAF . PROVIDE AHC LIFT TO DEPLOY ONE COY
5 RAR TO AO COOGEE CMM COY 9 RAR FROM AO GLENELG
TO NUI DAT .

FIVE . CO ORD INSTR CLN

ALFA . AO COOGEE ANX A .

BRAVO . FSPB BRUISER VIC YS6464 EXACT LOC TO BE CFM BY 5 RAR .

CHARLIE . MOV DETAILS SEPARATELY CMM AIR PLANNING CONF 9 RAR FSPB
MARDI YS6061 210900H APR .

DELTA . OTHER DETAILS SEE OP 0 31/69 PARA THREE KILO FOURTH TO
SEVENTH .

ECHO . EXTENSION AO GLENELG DETAILED FRAG 0 1 TO OP 0 31/69 TO
BE CANCELLED 211800H APR ON EXIT DET 1 FD SQN FROM THAT AO .

SIX . ADMIN AND LOG ISSUED SEPARATELY ANX B .

SEVEN . COMD AND SIG OP 0 31/69 .

ACK INSTR . ACK TO EBONY CP

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ANNEX A TO

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1 ATF OPO 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE)

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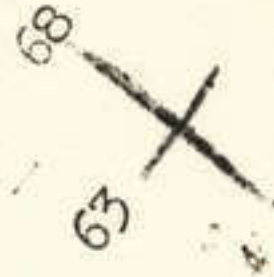
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1 ATF

5 RAR



1 ATF * 5 RAR



5 RAR

9 RAR

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MESSAGE FORM

PRIORITY 200200Z APR 69 R750/1/7
FROM: 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
TO: 5 RAR 9 RAR 3 SAS SQN OPS520
INFO: LIST A (LESS SERIALS 4, 24-30)

ALLOCATION OF TASK FORCE DUTIES .

ONE . READY REACTION COY CLN 5 RAR TO PROVIDE UNTIL 230700H APR .
3 SAS SQN TO PROVIDE FROM 230700H TO 231400H . 9 RAR TO PROVIDE
FROM 231400H UNTIL RELEASED .
TWO . ROUTE SECURITY QL15 CLN 5 RAR TO PROVIDE ONE SECT UNDER COMD A SQN
3 CAV REGT UNTIL 231730H APR . 9 RAR TO PROVIDE FROM 240630H APR
UNTIL RELEASED

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MESSAGE FORM

ROUTINE

ROUTINE

200600Z APR 69

R569/2/160

FROM: 1 ATF

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TO: LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19 - 23

OPS 521

INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
LIST Z SERIALS 19 - 23

AMDT ONE TO FRAG 0 2 TO 1 ATF OP 0 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE) OF 191200Z APR 69 .

PARA THREE BRAVO FIRST CMM DELETE QUOTE AND AIR UNQUOTE

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MESSAGE FORM

PRIORITY PRIORITY

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FROM : 1 ATF
TO : LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19-23
INFO : 1 ATF LO BARIA
LIST Z SERIALS 19-23

ANNEX B TO FRAG O 2 TO 1 ATF OP (.) 31/69 (OP SURFSIDE) DATED
131400Z APR 69 (.)

ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS (.)

FIRST (.) GEN OUTLINE (.)

ALFA (.) 9 RAR BN GP VACATES AO GLENELG ON 23 APR AND
MOVES BY RD TO NUI DAT (.)

BRAVO (.) ELMS 5 RAR BN GP OCCUPYING FSPB BRUISER IN
AO COOGEE MOVING BY RD FROM NUI DAT ON 22
APR (.) OTHER ELMS 5 RAR BN GP MOVE TO AO
COOGEE ON 23 AIR BY RD CMM AIR CMM SEA (.)

SECOND (.) AMMO (.)

ALFA (.) GUN AMMO (.)
ONE (.) 161 FD BTY MOVES WITH ALL STOCKS (.)
TWO (.) SECT 105 FD BTY DEPLOYING ON 22 APR
MOVES WITH THREE FIRST LINES (900
RDS) (.) SECT 105 FD BTY DEPLOYING
ON 23 APR MOVES WITH THREE FIRST
LINES (900 RDS) (.) SUBSEQUENT RE-
SUP BY RD EXCEPT 640 RDS HELD PACKED
FOR AIR MOV BY TFMA TO MEET ANY OPDEM
REQUIREMENT (.)

BRAVO (.) MOR AMMO AND SAA (.)
ONE (.) 9 RAR BN GP MOVES WITH ALL STOCKS (.)
TWO (.) 5 RAR BN GP MOVES WITH 800 RDS (.)

CHARLIE (.) EXPLOSIVES (.) 5 RAR BN GP TO MOVE WITH C4
QTY 500 LBS CMM DET CORD QTY 4000 FT CMM DETS
NON ELEC QTY 300 CMM SAFETY. FUZE QTY 500 FT
(.) FURTHER RESUP ON DEMAND FROM TFMA (.)

THIRD (.) POL (.) 5 RAR BN GP WILL SET UP AVGAS REFUELLING PT IN
FSPB BRUISER UNDER OWN ARRANGEMENTS (.)

FOURTH (.) RATS (.) 5 RAR BN GP TO CARRY THREE DAYS ON THE MAN CMM
FOUR DAYS RES STOCK TO BE POSN FSPB BRUISER ON 22 APR (.)

FIFTH (.) WATER (.)

- ALFA (.) 5 RAR BN GP TO DEPLOY WITH MAX HOLDINGS IN JERRYCANS AND WATER BOTTLES (.)
- BRAVO (.) TFMA TO POSN ONE 1000 GAL WATER TK AT FSPB BRUISER ON 22 APR AND REFILL ON 23 APR (.) SUBSEQUENT REFILLING EVERY THREE DAYS (.)
- CHARLIE(.) TFMA TO WITHDRAW ONE 1000 GAL WATER TK FROM FSPB MARDI ON 23 APR (.)

SIXTH (.) DEF STORES (.)

- ALFA (.) DAY ONE AND DAY TWO DEF STORES WILL BE PROVIDED BY 1 ALSG FOR MOV TO FSPB BRUISER ON 22 APR (.)
- BRAVO (.) 9 RAR BN GP IS TO RETURN ALL UNUSED DEF STORES CMM SERVICEABLE PICKETS AND CGI AND ALL ARMCO AND TIMBER (.)

SEVENTH(.)AIR TPT(.) ONLY AIR MOV WILL BE DEPLOYMENT A COY 5 RAR FROM NUI DAT TO AO COOGEE ASP AFTER FIRST LT 23 APR(.) AIR PLANNING CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD UNDER GSO 2 (AIR) (.)

EIGHT (.) RD TPT (.)

- ALFA (.) ONE (.) FOR MOV 5 RAR BN GP CMM CONVOY ONE FROM NUI DAT TO FSPB BRUISER DEPARTING 220630H (.)
 - (ALFA) (.) LD COY IN ONE TR APCS (.)
 - (BRAVO) (.) TWO BY COMBAT ENGR TEAMS CMM BHQ RECCE PARTIES CMM PNR PL CMM PL CMM TOTAL 96 PERSONNEL IN SIX BY 5 TON VEHS FROM TFMA (.)
 - (CHARLIE)(.)ONE SECT MOR PL IN MOR CARRIERS (.)
 - (DELTA) (.) ON SECT MOR PL IN ONE BY 5 TON VEH FROM ALSG (.)
 - (ECHO) (.) 1 FD SQN ENGR PLANT (.)
 - (FOXTROT)(.)DAY ONE AND DAY TWO DEF STORES IN THREE BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1 ALSG (.)
 - (GOLF) (.) 600 RDS HE AND 100 RDS ILLUM MOR AMMO IN TWO BY 5 TON VEHS FROM TFMA (.)
- TWO (.) FOR MOV 5 RAR BN GP CMM CONVOY TWO FROM NUI DAT TO FSPB BRUISER DEPARTING 221230H (.)

- (ALFA) (.) ONE SECT 105 FD BTY
INCL ONE FIRST LINE IN
SEVEN BY 5 TON VEHS 1
FD REGT (.)
- (BRAVO) (.) 900 RDS 105MM HE IN
FIVE BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)
- (CHARLIE)(.) ONE SECT B BTY 2/35 US
ARTY IN OWN TPT (.)
- (DELTA) (.) BHQ GP 70 PERSONNEL IN
FIVE BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)
- (ECHO) (.) FOUR DAYS RES RATS CMM
ONE FIRST LINE SAA CMM
CP STORES CMM EXPLOSIVES
CMM ONE BY 1000 GAL
WATER TK IN SIX BY 5
TON VEHS FROM TFMA (.)
- (FOXTROT)(.) B SQN 1 ARMD RESUP
VEHS (.)
- THREE (.) FOR MOV 5 RAR BN GP CMM CONVOY THREE
TWO COYS FROM NUI DAT TO VUNG TAU
221630H - 221730H CMM 16 BY 5 TON
VEHS FROM 1 ALSG (.)
- FOUR (.) FOR MOV 5 RAR BN GP CMM CONVOY FOUR
FROM NUI DAT TO FSPB BRUISER DEPART-
ING 230630H (.)
- (ALFA) (.) ONE SECT 105 FD BTY INCL
ONE FIRST LINE IN SEVEN
BY 5 TON VEHS 1 FD REGT (.)
- (BRAVO) (.) 900 RDS 105MM HE IN
FIVE BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)
- (CHARLIE)(.) 200 RDS HE MOR AMMO
AND 1000 GAL WATER TK
IN TWO BY 5 TON VEHS
FROM TFMA (.)
- FIVE (.) FOR MOV 9 RAR BN GP CMM CONVOY FIVE
FROM AO GLENELG TO NUI DAT DEPARTING
1 ALSG 230630H (.)

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(ALFA) (.) A COY FROM 585637 IN
SEVEN BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)

(BRAVO) (.) B COY FROM 542614 IN
SEVEN BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)

(CHARLIE)(.) C COY FROM 565621 IN
SEVEN BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)

SIX (.) FOR MOV 9 RAR BN GP CMM CONVOY SIX
FROM FSPB MARDI TO NUI DAT DEPARTING
231100H (.)

(ALFA) (.) D COY FROM 605616 IN
SEVEN BY 5 TON VEHS FROM
1 ALSG (.)

(BRAVO) (.) BHQ STORES IN 11 BY 5 TON
VEHS FROM 1 ALSG (.)

(CHARLIE)(.) BHQ STORES IN 8 BY 5 TON
VEHS FROM TFMA (.)

(DELTA) (.) 161 FD BTY (INCL ONE
FIRST LINE GUN AMMO) 5
BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1
ALSG AND 10 BY 5 TON
VEHS FROM 1 FD REGT (.)

(ECHO) (.) BALANCE OF 105MM GUN
AMMO TO BE DETERMINED
IN TFMA VEHS (.)

BRAVO (.) RD CONVOYS (.)

ONE (.) RD MOV TABLE WILL BE ISSUED SEPARATELY
AS APPENDIX 1 TO ANNEX B TO FRAG O 2
TO 1 ATF OP O 31/69 BY THIS HQ GIVING
RVS CMM COMPOSITION CMM ESCORT ARRANGE-
MENTS CMM REC VEHS ALLOTTED AND TIMINGS
FOR CONVOYS ONE TO SIX ABOVE AND ASSO-
CIATED MOVES OF EMPTY VEH (.)

TWO (.) TFMA IS TO CON RD TPT RESOURCES BY
DIRECT LIAISON WITH UNIT REAR ECHS (.)

THREE(.) A SQN 3 CAV REGT IS TO CON ACTUAL
CONVOY MOV (.)

NINTH (.) REPAIR AND REC (.)

ALFA (.) REC VEHS WILL BE ALLOTTED TO EACH CONVOY AND
WILL BE PROVIDED IN EACH LOC WHERE GUN AMMO
IS TO BE LOADED(.) DETAILS INCL IN RD MOV
TABLE (.)

BRAVO (.) TF EME WILL CON ALL REC RESOURCES (.) DETAILS
SEPARATELY TO THOSE CONCERNED

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PSY OPS PROPOSED PROGRAMME

21 - 27 APR 69

1. Attached Annex A lists Psy Ops programme for period 21-27 Apr 69.
2. Psy Ops staff will check current operational situation immediately before departure and will check the operational situation with sub sector posts before commencing Psy Ops.



(E.P. BRUZGA)

Capt

GSO 3 (Psy Ops)

Distribution:

4 RAR
5 RAR
9 RAR
CA Unit
Det Div Int Unit
APA/Psy Ops Phouc Tuy Province
67 GL Section

Internal:

GSO 2 (Ops)
GSO 2 (Int)
GSO 2 (Air)

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PSY OPS PROGRAMME FOR WEEK 21 - 27 APR 69

ANNEX A TO
PSY OPS OF
APR 69

DATE	LOCATION	CAMPAIGN	THEME	DELIVERY METHOD	ITEM	REMARKS
21 Apr 69	AP SUOI NGHE	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	MOVIES POSTERS BROADCASTS	HE TEAM, APT
	C of M YS6562	TACTICAL	CHIEU HOI	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS
22 APR 69	NGIA GIAO	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE VIP	FACE TO FACE	MOVIES BROADCASTS POSTERS	HE TEAM APT IN CONJUNCTION WITH MEDCAP 1 AUST CA UNIT
	C of M YS7570	TACTICAL	CHIEU HOI	AIRCRAFT	BROADCASTS LEAFLETS	US AIRCRAFT
	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS
23 APR 69	LAVAN	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	MOVIES POSTERS	HE TEAM, APT
	C of M YS5285	TACTICAL	CHIEU HOI	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS

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DATE	LOCATION	CAMPAIGN	THEME	DELIVERY METHOD	ITEM	REMARKS
24 APR 69	BINH BA	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	MOVIES	HE TEAM, APT
	C of M YS3580	TACTICAL	CHIEU HOI	AIRCRAFT	POSTERS LEAFLETS POSTERS	US AIRCRAFT
	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS
25 APR 69	AP ONG TRINH	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE VIP	FACE TO FACE	MOVIES BROADCASTS POSTERS	HE TEAM
	C of M YS3071	TACTICAL	CHIEU HOI	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS
26 APR 69	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS
27 APR 69	U / K	PACIFICATION	GVN IMAGE	FACE TO FACE	BROADCASTS	HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS

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MESSAGE FORM

PRIORITY PRIORITY 210400Z APR 69 TABULATE
 FROM : 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
 TO : LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19-23 Q800
 INFO : 1 ATF LO BARIA
 LIST Z SERIALS 19-23

REF ANNEX B TO FRAG O 2 TO 1 ATF OPO 31/69 DTG 200730Z APR 69 (.)
 APPX 1 (REVISED) WILL BE ISSUED SEPARATELY (.)

ANNEX B IS TO BE AMENDED AS FOLLS CLN

ONE (.) CONVOY ONE (.) IN ADDITION TFMA WILL PROVIDE ONE BY
 $\frac{5}{4}$ TON VEH AND TLR TO LIFT 50 RDS WP MOR AMMO (.)

TWO (.) CONVOY TWO (.) THE FIVE BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1 ALSG
 LOADED WITH 900 RDS 105MM HE WILL RV WITH THE VEHS FROM
 NUI DAT AT VAN KIEP GATE AT 221300H (.)

THREE (.) CONVOY FIVE (.) A COY 9 RAR WILL BE LIFTED FROM
 585637 IN 10 BY APCS (.) APCS WILL ESCORT TCVS LIFTING
 B COY AND C COY DURING MOV TO NUI DAT (.) THE 14 BY 5
 TON VEHS FROM 1 ALSG WILL RV WITH THE APCS AT VAN KIEP
 GATE AT 250715H (.)

FOUR (.) CONVOY SIX (.) D COY 9 RAR WILL BE LIFTED FROM
 FSPB MARDI IN 10 BY APCS (.) APCS WILL ESCORT REMAINDER
 OF CONVOY DURING MOV TO NUI DAT (.)

FIVE (.) CONVOY SIX (.) THE 111 BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1 ALSG WILL
 BE USED FOR 9 RAR BHQ PERSONNEL AND NOT FOR STORES AS
 SHOWN IN ANNEX B (.)

SIX (.) CONVOY SIX (.) 161 FD BTY (INCL ONE FIRST LINE GUN
 AMMO) WILL BE LIFTED BY 12 BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1 ALSG AND
 3 BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1 FD REGT AND NOT AS SHOWN IN ANNEX B
 (.) THE 12 BY 5 TON VEHS FROM 1 ALSG WILL RV WITH THE VEHS
 FROM NUI DAT AT VAN KIEP GATE AT 230715H (.)

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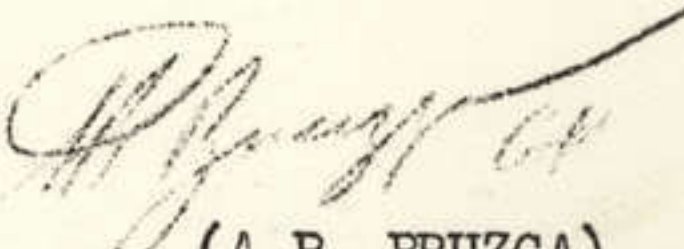
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PSY OPS PROPOSED PROGRAMME

28 APR - 2 MAY 69

1. Attached Annex A lists Psy Ops Programme for period 28 Apr - 2 May 69.
2. Psy Ops staff will check current operational situation immediately before departure and will check the operational situation with sub sector posts before commencing Psy Ops.


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GSO3 (Psy Ops)

Distribution:

4 RAR
5 RAR
9 RAR
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67 GL Section

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PSY OPS PROGRAMME FOR WEEK 28 APR - 2 MAY 69

ANNEX A TO HQ 1 ATF
R883/1/1 OF 22 APR 69

DATE	LOCATION	CAMPAIGN	THEME	DELIVERY METHOD	ITEM	REMARKS
28 APR 69	C of M YS5689 U / K HOA LONG	TACTICAL PACIFICATION PACIFICATION	CHIEU HOI GVN IMAGE VIP	AIRCRAFT FACE TO FACE FACE TO FACE	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS BROADCASTS MOVIES BROADCASTS POSTERS	US AIRCRAFT HB TEAM SUPPORTING 2/48 ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS HE TEAM, APT
29 APR 69	C of M YS5887 U / K LONG CAT	TACTICAL PACIFICATION PACIFICATION	CHIEU HOI GVN IMAGE VIP	AIRCRAFT FACE TO FACE FACE TO FACE	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS BROADCASTS MOVIES BROADCASTS POSTERS	US AIRCRAFT HB TEAM SUPPORTING ARVN CORDON AND SEARCH OPERATIONS HE TEAM, APT
30 APR 69	C of M YS3187 U / K	TACTICAL PACIFICATION	CHIEU HOI GVN IMAGE	AIRCRAFT FACE TO FACE	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT 1 ATF PSY OPS SECTION
1 MAY 69	C of M YS2985 U / K	TACTICAL PACIFICATION	CHIEU HOI GVN IMAGE	AIRCRAFT FACE TO FACE	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT 1 ATF PSY OPS SECTION
2 MAY 69	C of M YS3185	TACTICAL	CHIEU HOI	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT

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ROUTINE

231030Z APR 69

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FROM: 1 ATF

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TO: 161 (IN^EP) RECCE FLT
TFMA 8 PET PL 1 ATF LO BARIA
OPS INT AIR PSY OPS Q BR CP

OPS 541

INFO: 4 RAR 1 FD SQN 3 SAS SQN
1 ATF LO BEARCAT 1 ALSG
67 GL SECT 2/11 ACR BLACKHORSE
RTAVF AUSTFORCE VIETNAM

OP INSTR 35/69 (OP NERO) .

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . EN FORCES CONT USING HAT DICH AREA AS BASE FOR LOG
AND MAIN FORCE UNITS .

BRAVO . DEFOLIATION/DRY SEASON PRESENT OPPORTUNITY FOR
LAND CLEARING HAT DICH BY FIRE .

CHARLIE . ATTS AND DETS CLN TWO OFFRS AND TWO OR FROM 29 CHEM
DET II FFORCE V . 25 TO 26 APR .

TWO . MSN . 1 ATF IS TO APPLY FIRE TO THE HAT DICH TO LAND CLEAR
SELECTED AREAS COMMENCING 26 APR .

THREE . EXECUTION CLN

ALFA . GEN OUTLINE . FUEL MIXED AT 1 ATF BASE IS TO BE AIR
DELIVERED TO TARGET AREAS AND IGNITED BY AIR WEAPONS .

BRAVO . DET 29 CHEM DET (US) WITH IN DS DET 8 PET PL CMM IN
SP TFMA CMM IS TO CONDUCT OP .

CHARLIE . AIR . BY ARRANGEMENTS DET 29 CHEM DET (US) USING
CH47 INITIALLY .

DELTA . CO-ORD CLN

FIRST . AOS TORCH ONE TO FIVE IN PRIORITY OF
TREATMENT CMM ANX A .

SECOND . FUEL PREPARATION AREA 1 ATF BASE TO BE
DETERMINED AND ADVISED SEPARATELY .

THIRD . 1 ATF SPONSORING UNIT TFMA .

FOURTH . CO-ORD CONF 1 ATF BRIEFING HUT 240900H APR
CMM ATTENDANCE REPS 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT
CMM TFMA CMM 8 PET PL CMM GSO2 OPS CMM
GSO2 AIR CMM DAQMG .

FIFTH . CLEARANCES OBTAINED FROM PHUOC TUY AND
BINH HOA PROVINCE BY LO VISITS 23 APR .

SIXTH . SAFETY INSTR TO BE DRAFTED BY TFMA .

FOUR . ADMIN AND LOG CLN

ALFA . ATTS PARA ONE TO BE ACCOMMODATED BY TFMA .

BRAVO . FUEL REQUIRED INITIALLY 50 DRUMS GASOLINE .

CHARLIE . HAND TOOLS/PALLETISING MATERIALS BY TFMA ARRANGEMENTS .

DELTA . AIR COMPRESSOR REQUIRED FOR FUEL MIXING .

FIVE . COMD AND SIG .

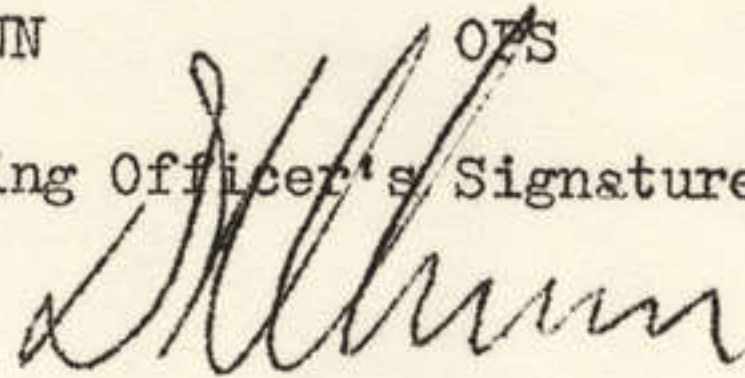
ALFA . OP DIRECTED BY HQ 1 ATF .

BRAVO . COMMS AS REQUIRED BY 1 ATF SOI

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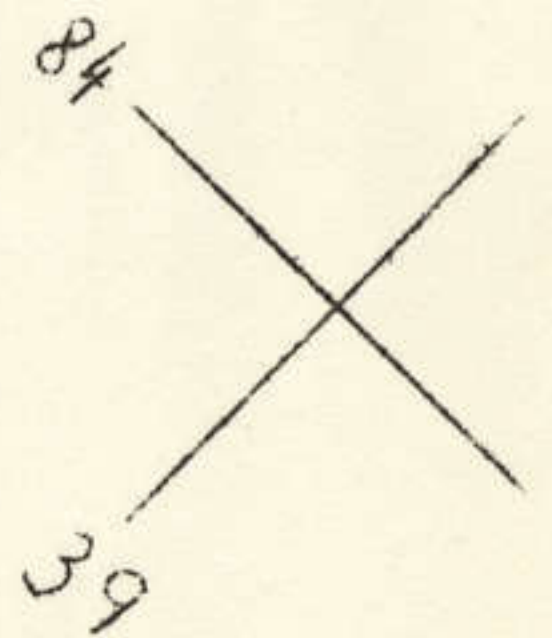
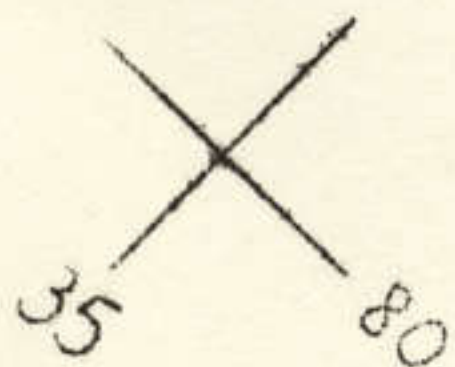
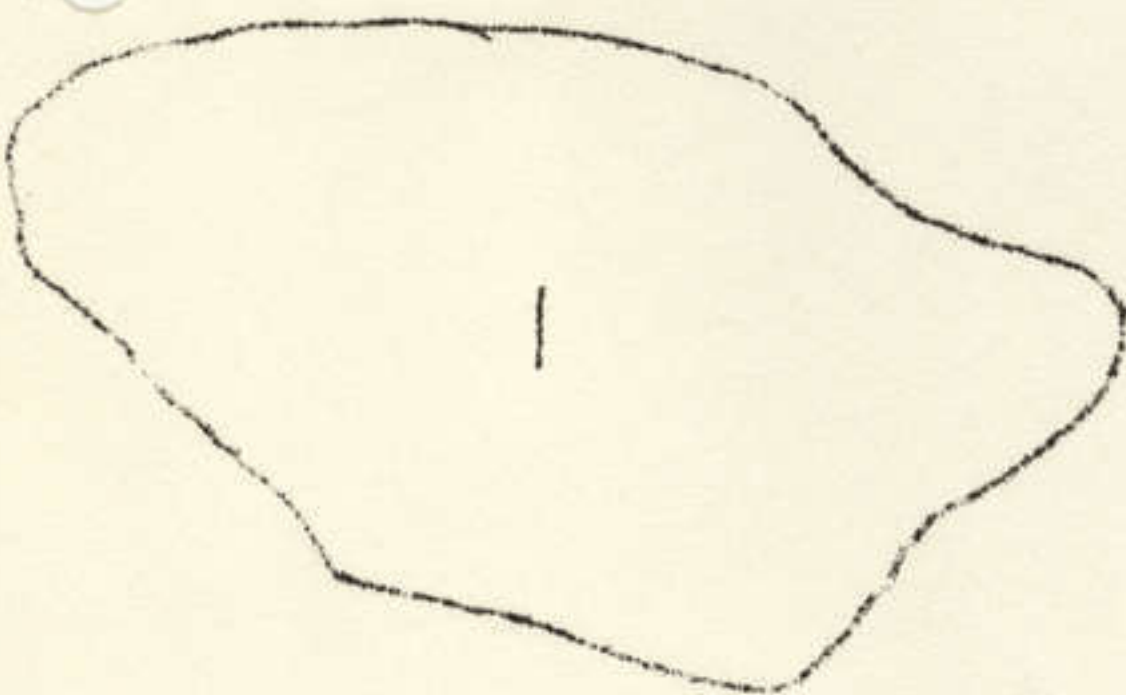
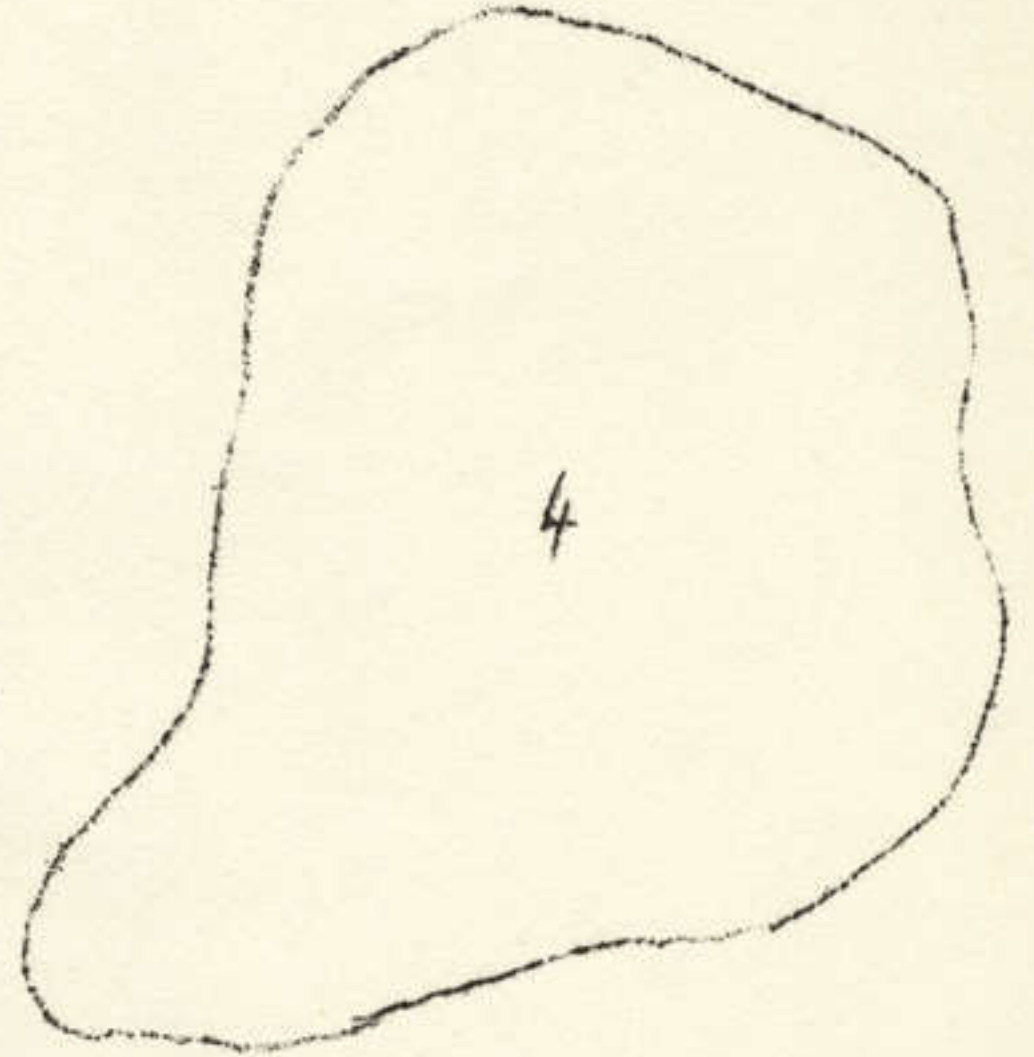
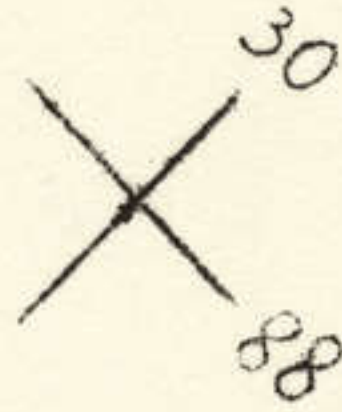
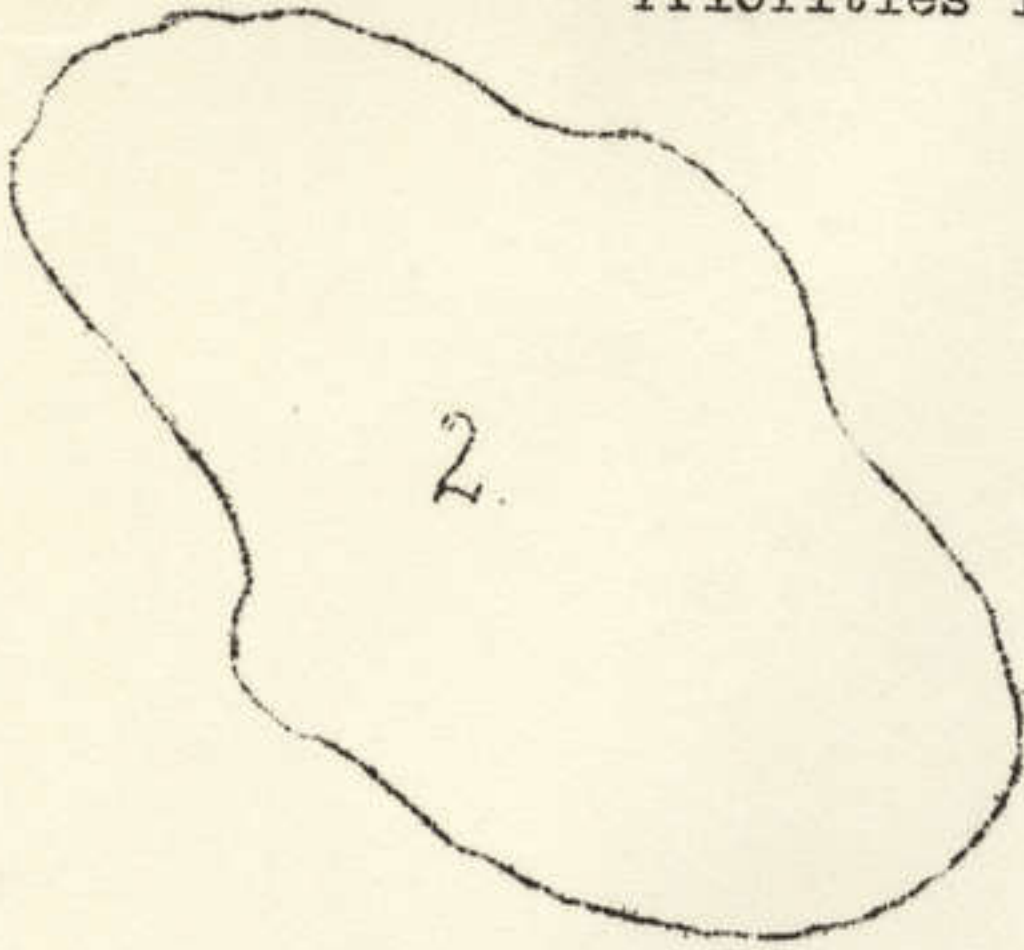
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Reference Maps: 6430 III and IV
Scale: 1:50,000
Effective: 260730H Apr to further notice.
Priorities in treatment: In numerical order.



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24 Apr 69

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Distribution below:

1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME
FOR PERIOD 280800H APR 69 TO 050800H MAY 69

1. Attached is 1 ATF Patrol Programme for period 280800H Apr 69 to 050800H May 69.
2. Patrol Programme for HORSESHOE HILL will be issued separately.

M.G. Barwick Capt
 (D.A. CHINN)
 for Maj
 GS02 (Ops)

Distribution

B Sqn 1 Armd Regt	(3)
A Sqn 3 Cav Regt	(2)
1 Fd Regt	(9)
1 Fd Sqn	(3)
21 Sp Tp	(2)
Det 17 Const	(2)
104 Sig Sqn	(2)
547 Sig Tp	
4 RAR	(26)
5 RAR	(11)
9 RAR	(11)
3 SAS Sqn	
161 (Indep) Recce Flt	
1 ARU	(2)
HORSESHOE Coy	(5)
TFMA	(3)
HQ Coy	(2)
106 Fd Wksps	
1 Aust CA Unit	
CP	
Arty Tac	
GS02 (Ops)	
FATOC	
Diary	(2)
Spares	(5)
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1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME FOR PERIOD 280800H APR 69 TO 050800H MAY 69

A. Patrol Serial No	4 RAR 4382/69	4383/69	4384/69	4385/69
B. Sub-unit to provide	TFMA	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR
C. Callsign and Frequency	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net
D. Controlled by	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E. Task	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS463661.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS462684.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS468665.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS463689.
F. Strength	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G. Date/Time Out	281615H	281600H	291600H	291605H
H. Date/Time In	290810H	290820H	300750H	300840H
J. Route (Shown on appropriate trace)	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via C Coy	Via V Coy
K. LZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
L. PZ (if required)	-	-	-	-
M. Remarks	-	-	-	-

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A.	4386/69	4387/69	4388/69	4389/69	4390/69
B.	Sp Coy 4 RAR	Admin Coy 4 RAR	W Coy 4 RAR	D Coy 4 RAR	V Coy 4 RAR
C.	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS470670.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS462680.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALLAN. Ni loc vic YS475662.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS476687.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALLAN. Ni loc vic YS478667.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	301640H	301620H	011545H	011530H	021600H
H.	010820H	010745H	020900H	020920H	030835H
J.	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via C Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	-	-	-	-

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A.	4391/69	4392/69	4393/69	4394/69	4395/69
B.	B Coy 4 RAR	C Coy 4 RAR	W Coy 4 RAR	D Coy 4 RAR	V Coy 4 RAR
C.	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	11 on 4 RAR Base Def Net	12 on 4 RAR Base Def Net
D.	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear	4 RAR Rear
E.	Ni obsn and early wng in NOEL. Ni loc vic YS475692.	Ni obsn and early wng in TED. Ni loc vic YS477673.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS472685.	Ni obsn and early wng in ALLAN. Ni loc vic YS482675.	Ni obsn and early wng in STAN. Ni loc vic YS467689.
F.	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6	1:6
G.	021545H	031615H	031610H	041530H	041600H
H.	030910H	040910H	040850H	050850H	050800H
J.	Via V Coy	Via C Coy	Via V Coy	Via B Coy	Via V Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	-	-	-	-	-

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A.	5 RAR 163/69	164/69	165/69	166/69	167/69
B.	B Coy	C Coy/17 Const Sqn	Admin Coy	A Coy	D Coy/17 Const Sqn
C.	24 55.55	34 55.55	92Z 55.55	14 55.55	44 55.55
D.	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear	5 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush ni 1 YS456706 Ambush ni 2 YS448702	Ambush ni 1 YS409668 Ambush ni 2 YS413680 Ptl AO's ROSA & ILSA	Ambush ni 1 YS448706 Ambush ni 2 YS455710	Ambush ni 1 YS459705 Ambush ni 2 YS458701	Ambush ni 1 YS430696 Ambush ni 2 YS412675
F.	1:9	1:7 (2 men from 17 Const Sqn)	1:9	1:9	1:7 (2 men from 17 Const Sqn)
G.	271400H	291430H	291400H	011330H	021400H
H.	291000H	011030H	011100H	031000H	040900H
J.	Out via B Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In via 1 TF gate	Out via B Coy In via A Coy	Out via A Coy In via B Coy	Out via A Coy In via TF gate
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	Ptl AO's BRONX & TONY	Ptls from ARU in AO's ILSA, ALICE, KARIN from 270830H to 290800H	Ptl AO's BRONX & TONY	Ptl AO's TONY & BRONX	Ptl from ARU in AO ALICE 011620H-020745H. Ptl AO's ALICE, MANDY ROSA.

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A.	168/69
B.	3 SAS Sqn
C.	54 55.55
D.	5 RAR Rear
E.	Ambush ni 1 YS455704.
F.	1:4
G.	031400H
H.	040830H
J.	Out via A Coy In via B Coy
K.	-
L.	-
M.	Ptl Comd & Sig briefing 021500H

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A.	9 RAR 311/69	312/69	313/69	314/69	315/69
B.	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy	B Coy	D Coy
C.	10C 58.25	20C 58.25	10C 58.25	20C 58.25	10C 58.25
D.	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP
E.	1. Ambush by ni vic YS388636. 2. Search creek line NE from that vic to YS392639 on return route.	1. Ambush vic YS491659. 2. Clear from ambush loc West YS482658. Remain North of rd.	1. Ambush vic YS384632. 2. Search creek line NE from that loc to YS388636 on return route.	1. Ambush vic YS504653. 2. Search creek South to YS504644 on return route.	1. Ambush vic YS39363. 2.
F.	1:14	1:14	1:14	1:14	1:14
G.	271800H	271730H	281745H	281700H	291810H
H.	281030H	280950H	291030H	291000H	300800H
J.	1. Veh to by pass rd. 2. Direct from by pass rd. 3. Route in as in task above then to by pass rd.	1. <u>Out</u> B Coy by foot. 2. <u>In</u> Veh from YS480658.	1. Veh to by pass rd. 2. Direct from by pass rd. 3. Route in as in task above then to by pass rd.	1. <u>Out</u> B Coy by foot. 2. <u>In</u> By veh from YS488644.	1. By veh to by pass rd. 2. Direct from by pass rd.
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. Carry 2 x MG - 1 x M79. 2. Adopt ambush posn on last light.	1. As for 311/69. 2. B Coy on range 7 from 280830H.	As for 311/69.	1. As for 311/69. 2. D Coy on range 7 from 290830H.	As for 311/69

A.	316/69	317/69	318/69	319/69	320/69
B.	D Coy	D Coy	D Coy	D Coy	D Coy
C.	20C 58.25	10C 58.25	20C 58.25	10C 58.25	20C 58.25
D.	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP
E.	1. Ambush vic YS491651.	1. Ambush vic YS379664. 2. Search SOUI HOA NUOC from SP East of ambush loc South to YS386656 on return route.	1. Ambush vic YS500648.	1. Ambush vic YS380643. 2. Search SOUI HOA NUOC from a SP East of ambush loc North to YS386656 on return route.	1. Ambush vic YS472655.
F.	1:14	1:14	1:14	1:14	1:14
G.	291730H	301715H	301630H	011700H	011815H
H.	300830H	011030H	010900H	021100H	020745H
J.	1. <u>Out</u> D Coy 2. <u>In</u> A Coy 3. Move by foot.	1. <u>Out</u> By veh to by pass rd then by foot. 2. <u>In</u> After search direct to by pass rd.	1. <u>Out</u> D Coy 2. <u>In</u> A Coy	1. Veh to by pass rd. 2. <u>Out</u> Direct from by pass rd. 3. <u>In</u> As given then direct to by pass rd.	1. <u>Out</u> D Coy 2. <u>In</u> B Coy
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. As for 311/69. 2. C Coy on range 7 from 300830H.	As for 311/69	1. As for 311/69. 2. D Coy on range 7 from 010830H.	1. As for 311/69.	1. As for 311/69.

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A.	321/69	322/69	323/69	324/69
B.	C Coy	C Coy	C Coy	C Coy
C.	10C 58.25	20C 58.25	10C 58.25	20C 58.25
D.	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP	9 RAR CP
E.	1. Ambush vic track/creek junc YS403659.	1. Ambush vic of track at YS487653.	1. Ambush vic YS397639.	1. Ambush vic YS504647.
F.	1:14	1:14	1:14	1:14
G.	021800H	021715H	031800H	031615H
H.	030800H	030900H	040750H	040900H
J.	1. By veh to by pass rd.	1. <u>Out</u> B Coy 2. <u>In</u> A Coy	1. By pass rd by veh. 2. Direct from drop off point.	1. <u>Out</u> A Coy 2. <u>In</u> By veh from YS489651.
K.	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-
M.	As for 311/69.	As for 311/69.	As for 311/69.	As for 311/69.

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A.	138/69	139/69	140/69	141/69	142/69
B.	Holding Platoon	1 Platoon	1 Platoon	1 Platoon	Holding Platoon
C.	56 67.85	51 67.85	57 67.85	51 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS447645.	Patrol and ambush in AO ILSA.	Patrol and ambush in AO ALICE and KAREN	Patrol and ambush in AO NORM and JIM	Obsn and early wng in vic YS443651.
F.	1:5	1:22	1:22	1:22	1:5
G.	271730H	270830H	270830H	280830H	291830H
H.	280730H	280800H	290800H	290800H	300700H
J.	Direct	Through ROSA	Through MANDY	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. AO NORM	1. Dropped of by veh. 2. Clearance required from 5 RAR.	1. Dropped off by veh. 2. Clearance required from 5 RAR.	Ni loc to be notified.	1. AO NORM

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A.	143/69	144/69	145/69	146/69	147/69
B.	Holding Platoon	2 Platoon	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon	Holding Platoon
C.	56 67.85	52 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85	56 67.85
D.	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP	1 ARU CP
E.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS450641.	Ambush in AO NORM and JIM.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS421696.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS439640.	Obsn and early wng in vic YS445638.
F.	1:5	1:39	1:5	1:5	1:5
G.	301700H	011600H	011630H	021715H	031715H
H.	010745H	020800H	020745H	030745H	040745H
J.	Direct	Direct	Through MANDY	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	1. AO JIM.	1. Ambush loc to be notified.	1. AO ALICE.	1. AO NORM. 2. Ni loc subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.	1. AO JIM. 2. Ni loc subject to 18 ARVN Div range practice.

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MESSAGE FORM

IMMEDIATE ROUTINE 240130Z APR 69 R569-2-166
FROM: 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
TO: 3 SAS SQN OPS 546

INFO: G/02 (INT) G/02 (AIR)
OP INSTR 36/69 (OP SUNDOWNER)

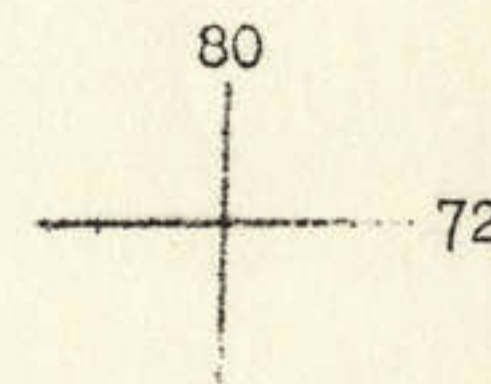
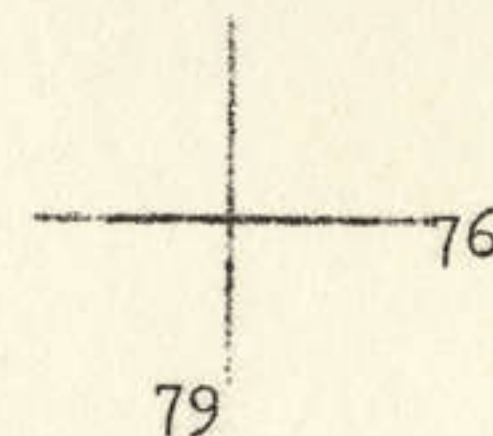
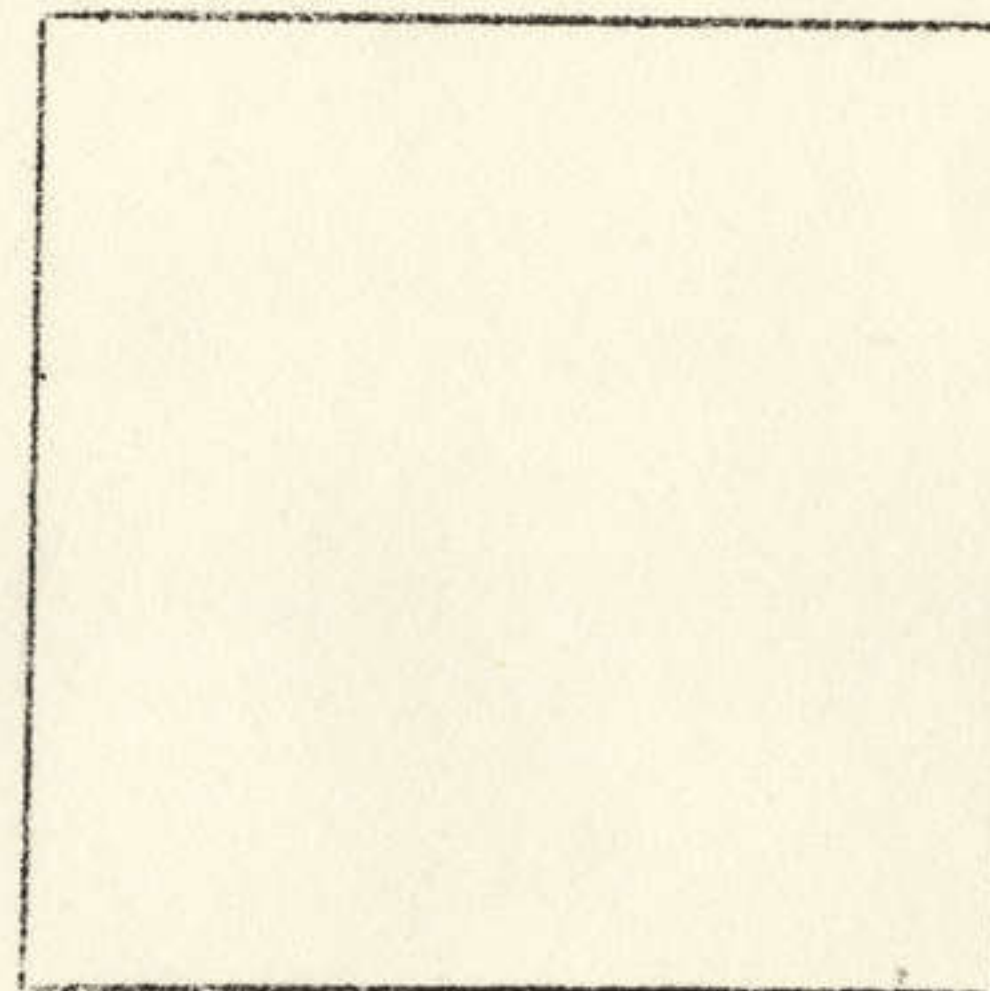
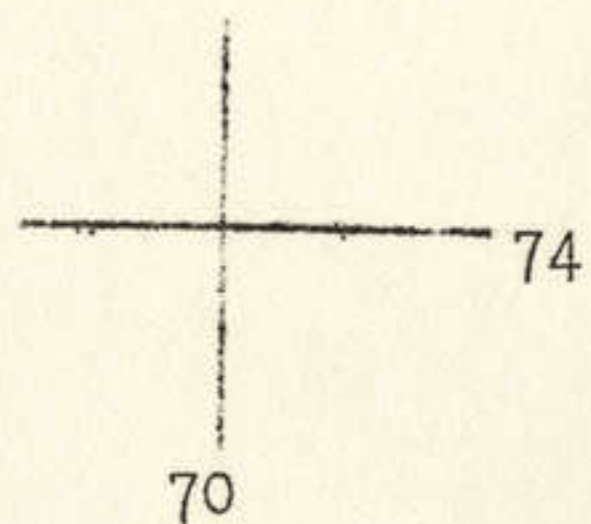
- ONE . SIT CLN AS BRIEFED BY GS02 (INT) .
- TWO . MSN CLN TO CONDUCT RECCE IN AO KOSCIUSKO IN PERIOD 20 APR TO 29 APR 69 PROVIDE INFO FOR POSSIBLE 1 ATF OPS .
- THREE . 3 SAS SQN CLN
 - ALFA . GROUPING CLN IN SP FROM 200700H APR 9 SQN RAAF .
 - BRAVO . TASKS CLN
 - FIRST . DEPLOY BY HEL INTO AO KOSCIUSKO .
 - SECOND . OPERATE IN FOUR AREAS DESIGNATED ANNEX A .
 - THIRD . REPORT ON PATTERN DENSITY TYPE AND IDENTITY OF EN ACTIVITY IN AO .
 - FOURTH . DETERMINE LOCATION AND DIRECTION OF EN MSR FROM BEACH/XUYEN MOC TO NORTH, NORTH WEST AND WEST .
 - FIFTH . REPORT ON CAMPS USED/DISUSED .
 - SIXTH . REPORT ON LOCS/USE GARDEN AREAS .
 - SEVENTH . EXTRACT FROM AO BY HEL .
- FOUR . 9 SQN RAAF CLN PROVIDE AIRLIFT AS TASKED BY GS02 (AIR) .
- FIVE . CO-ORD INSTR CLN
 - ALFA . OP COMMENCES 20 APR . 3 SAS SQN PTL SERIALS 48 TO 51 .
 - BRAVO . AO KOSCIUSKO ANNEX A .
 - CHARLIE . CONTACTS CLN AVOID AT ALL COSTS CMM MAY BE INITIATED ON LAST DAY OF PTLs FOR IDENT OR PW .
- SIX . ADMIN AND LOG . 1 ATF SOP CMM 3 SAS SQN RESPONSIBLE .
- SEVEN . COMD AND SIG . 1 ATF SOI

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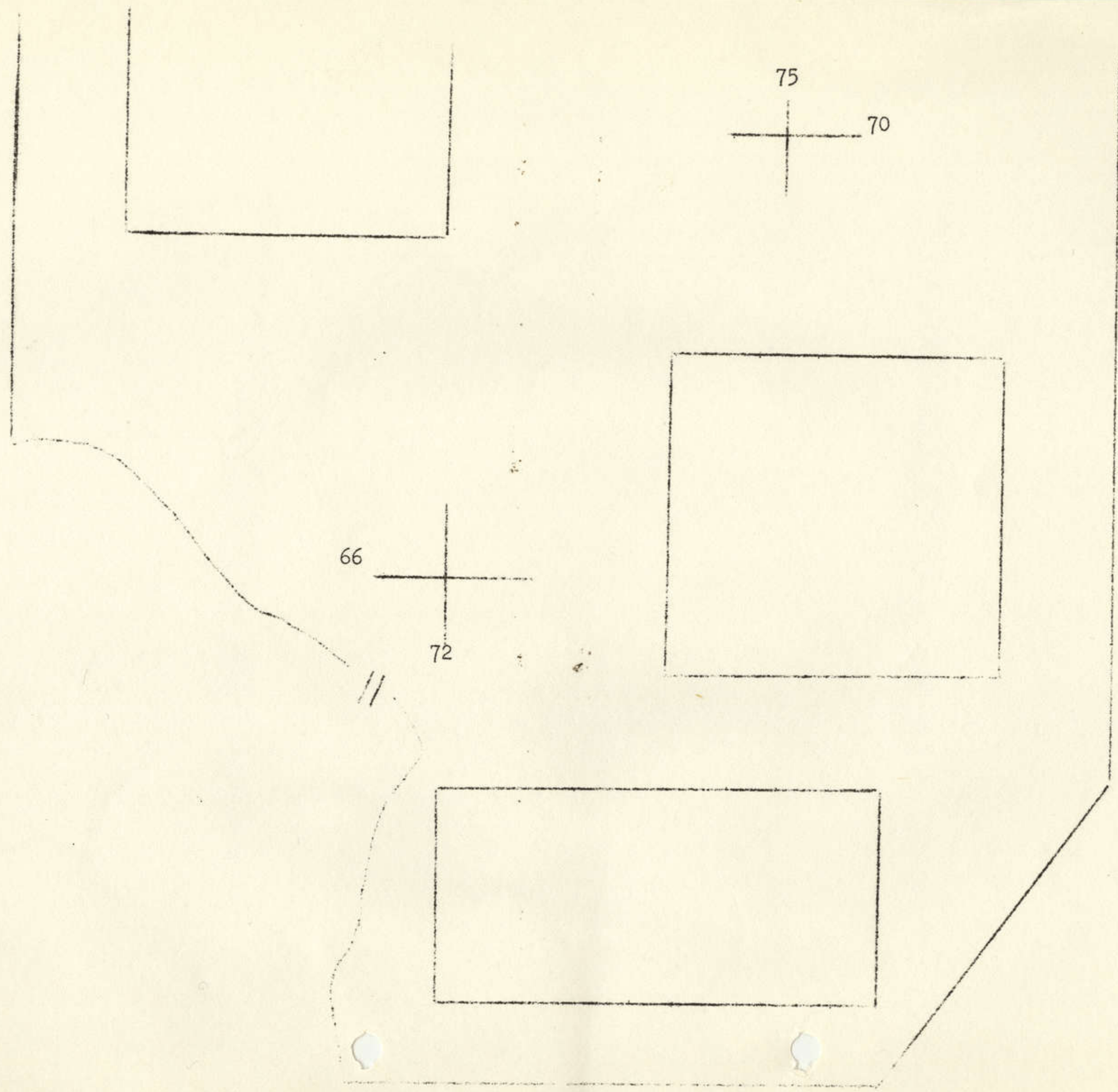
AO KOSCIUSKO

Reference Map: 6430 II, 6429 I, 6530 III.
Scale: 1:50,000.
Effective: 200730H - 291800H Apr 69.

ANNEX A TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 36/69
(OP SUNDOWNER)
DATED 24 APR 69



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PRIORITY ROUTINE 241000Z APR 69 R569-2-165
FROM: 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
TO: 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT TFMA OPS 550
8 PET PL 1 ATF LO BARIA
OPS INT AIR PSY OPS Q BR CP
INFO: 4 RAR 1 FD SQN 3 SAS SQN
1 ATF LO BEARCAT 1 ALSG
67 GL SECT 2/11 ACR BLACKHORSE
RTAVF AUSTFORCE VIETNA M II FFORCE V

OP NERO 1 ATF OP INSTR 35/69 OF 23 APR .
ONE . METHOD OF APPLICATION OF FIRE BY REF RESTRICTED DUE AIR SAFETY
PROBLEMS YET TO BE RESOLVED .
TWO . SIX BY F4 NAPALM SORTIES TO BE PROVIDED BY II FFORCE V SAT
26 APR IN LIEU CMM CO-ORD BY GS02 AIR WITH II FFORCE V

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ROUTINE

241200Z APR 69

R92-1-6

FROM: 1 ATF

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TO: LIST Z

OPS 553

RTAVF IS AT PRESENT OPERATING IN AN AO WEST OF THE 1 ATF TAOR . DETAILS ARE
CLN

ONE CLN NAME CLN AO PIMAI .

TWO CLN COORDINATES . BOUNDED BY YS167833 - YS177838 - YS183837 - YS205847 -
YS242780 ALONG PHUOC TUY PROVINCE BORDER/BIEN HOA BORDER TO YS206772 ALONG RIVER
TO YS167833 .

THREE CLN DURATION . RTAVF WILL CONDUCT OPS IN AO PIMAI UNTIL AT LEAST
30 APR 69 . TERMINATION OF OPS WILL BE ADVISED

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

HQ 1 ATF
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25 Apr 69

R195/5/2

Distribution below:

Q HOUR - MAY 69

1. Attached is Q Hour for May 69.

M. G. Barwick Capt
for (D.A. CHINN)
Maj
GS02 (Ops)

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List B less serials 1-3, 9-11, 13-14, 17-20, 24-26.
4 RAR (75)
5 RAR (100)
9 RAR (100)
B Sqn 1 Armd Regt (35)
A Sqn 3 Cav Regt (62)
1 Fd Regt (100)
161 (Indep) Recce Flt (19)
1 ARU (3)
TFMA (4)
1 ALSG (5)
HQ Coy 1 ATF (3)
67 GL Sect (30)
USAF (4)
FATOC
GS02 (Air)
Battle Int (2)
Arty Tac (2)
Q Branch
CP (2)
1 ATF LO 18 ARVN Div
Comd's Op
Spares
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Q HOUR

DATE	Q HOUR
1 May 69	1000H
2 May 69	1600H
3 May 69	0700H
4 May 69	1300H
5 May 69	0600H
6 May 69	1600H
7 May 69	0700H
8 May 69	0900H
9 May 69	1600H
10 May 69	1300H

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Q HOUR

DATE	Q HOUR
11 May 69	1700H
12 May 69	1100H
13 May 69	0800H
14 May 69	1400H
15 May 69	1100H
16 May 69	0800H
17 May 69	1700H
18 May 69	0700H
19 May 69	1000H
20 May 69	1400H

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Q HOUR

DATE	Q HOUR
21 May 69	0600H
22 May 69	0900H
23 May 69	1500H
24 May 69	1200H
25 May 69	0900H
26 May 69	1500H
27 May 69	0600H
28 May 69	1200H
29 May 69	0800H
30 May 69	1100H
31 May 69	1700H

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HQ 1 ATF
NUI DAT

26 Apr 69

R617/1/4

Distribution below:

1 ATF PATROL PROGRAMME
FOR PERIOD 280800H APR TO 050800H MAY 69

Reference: A. HQ 1 ATF R617/1/4 dated 24 Apr 69.

1. Attached is the Patrol Programme for HORSESHOE HILL for the period 280800H Apr 69 to 050800H May 69.

M. Barwick Capt
for (D.A. CHINN)
Maj
GS02 (Ops)

Distribution:

B Sqn 1 Armd Regt	(3)
A Sqn 3 Cav Regt	(2)
1 Fd Regt	(9)
1 Fd Sqn	(3)
21 Sp Tp	(2)
Det 17 Const Sqn	(2)
104 Sig Sqn	(2)
547 Sig Tp	
4 RAR	(26)
5 RAR	(11)
9 RAR	(11)
3 SAS Sqn	
161 (Indep) Recce Flt	
1 ARU	(2)
HORSESHOE Coy	(5)
TFMA	(3)
HQ Coy	(2)
106 Fd Wksps	
1 Aust CA Unit	
CP	
Arty Tac	
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FATOC	
Diary	(2)
Spares	(5)
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B COY 4 RAR PATROL TASK TABLE FOR PERIOD 270900H APR TO 070900H MAY 69

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A.	Serial No	B Coy B22/69	B23/69	B24/69	B25/69
B.	Sub-unit to provide	4 Pl	6 Pl	5 Pl	4 Pl
C.	Callsign and frequency	21A, 21B	23A, 23B	22	21A, 21B
D.	Controlled by	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ
E.	Task	Ambush and obsn	Ambush and obsn	Ambush and mobile Check Point	Ambush and obsn
F.	Strength	Sect (Both)	Sect (Both)	1:20	Sect (Both)
G.	Date/Time Out	271630H	281700H	291500H	011645H
H.	Date/Time In	280830H	290900H	301000H	020900H
J.	Route	Direct	Direct	Via VIC	Direct
K.	LZ (If required)	-	-	-	-
L.	PZ (If required)	-	-	-	-
M.	Remarks	21A - YS513642 21B - YS511623	23A - YS483631 23B - YS515617	22 - YS525603 Area LEN	21A - YS481617 21B - YS518617

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A.	B26/69	B27/69	B28/69	B29/69	B30/69
B.	6 Pl	5 Pl	4 Pl	6 Pl	5 Pl
C.	23A, 23B	22A, 22B	21	23A, 23B	22A, 22B
D.	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ	B Coy HQ
E.	Ambush and obsn	Ambush and obsn	Ambush and Mobile Check Point	Ambush and obsn	Ambush and obsn
F.	Sect (Both)	Sect (Both)	1:20	Sect (Both)	Sect (Both)
G.	021700H	031630H	041630H	051730H	061600H
H.	030830H	040900H	051100H	060830H	070900H
J.	Direct	Direct	Via VIC	Direct	Direct
K.	-	-	-	-	-
L.	-	-	-	-	-
M.	23A - YS508644 23B - YS512617	22A - YS488632 22B - YS520620	21 - YS521601	23A - YS503632 23B - YS517617	22A - YS483631 22B - YS518617

MESSAGE FORM

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IMMEDIATE ROUTINE 280100Z Apr 69 R569/2/169

FROM: 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL

TO: 3 SAS SQN
A SQN 3 CAV REGT OPS 577

INFO: 67 GL SECT
GS02 (INT)
GS02 (AIR)

OP INSTR 39/69 (OP BUSHWACKER)

- ONE . SIT CLN AS BRIEFED BY GS02 (INT) .
- TWO . MSN CLN TO CONDUCT RECCE AND AMBUSHES IN AO JINDABYNE IN PERIOD 28 APR
TO 1 MAY 69 .
- THREE . 3 SAS SQN CLN
- ALFA . GROUPING CLN IN SP FROM 280700H APR A SQN 3 CAV REGT .
- BRAVO . TASKS CLN
- FIRST . DEPLOY BY APC INTO AO JINDABYNE .
- SECOND . OPERATE IN THREE AREAS DESIGNATED ANNEX A .
- THIRD . CONDUCT RECCE TO DETERMINE EN BASE CAMP LOCS AND
PATTERNS OF MOV .
- FOURTH . AMBUSH EN MOV IN LAST 36 HOURS TO OBTAIN IDENT .
- FIFTH . EXTRACT BY APC FROM AO .
- FOUR . A SQN 3 CAV REGT CLN EFFECT DEPLOYMENT AS TASKED BY GS02 (OPS) .
- FIVE . CO-ORD INSTR CLN
- ALFA . OP COMMENCES 28 APR . 3 SAS SQN PTL SERIALS VK07/69 CMM VK
08/69 CMM VK 09/69 .
- BRAVO . AO JINDABYNE ANNEX A .
- CHARLIE . CONTACTS CLN AVIOD IN FIRST THREE DAYS TO BE INITIATED ON LAST
36 HOURS OF PTLs FOR IDENT OR PW .
- SIX . ADMIN AND LOG . 1 ATF SOP CMM 3 SAS SQN RESPONSIBLE .
- SEVEN . COMD AND SIG . 1 ATF SOI

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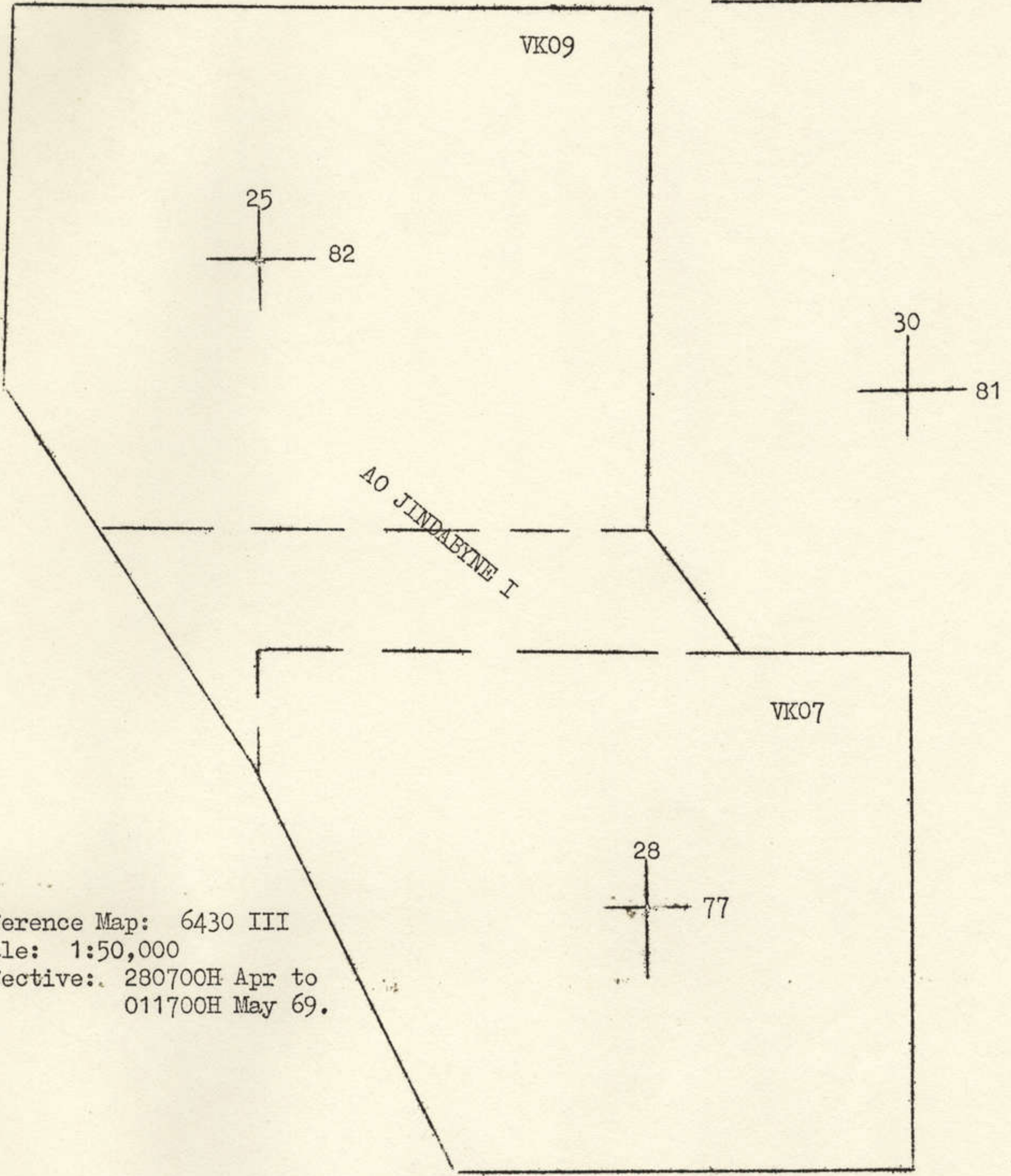
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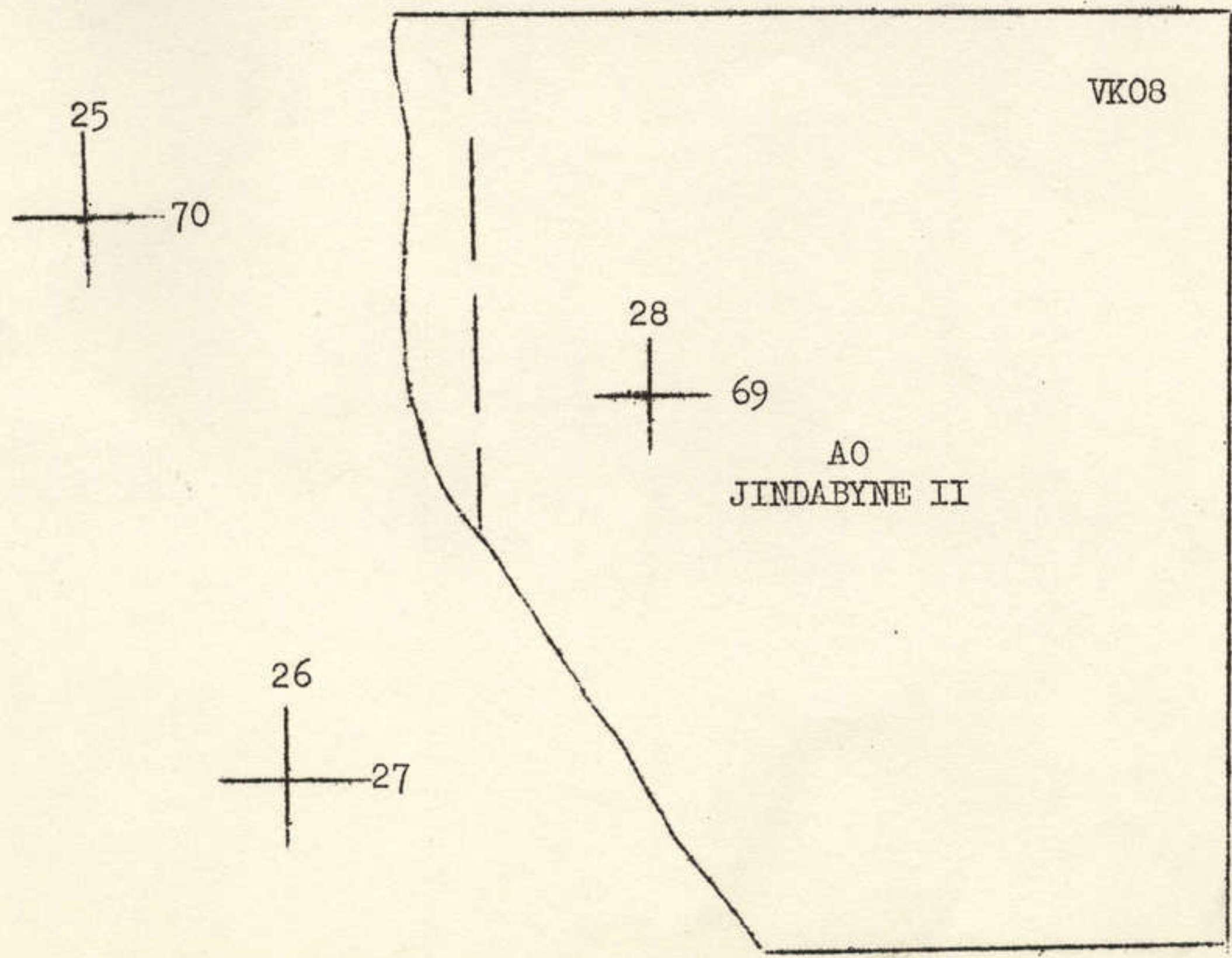
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AO JINDABYNE

ANNEX A TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 39/69
OP BUSHWACKER
DATED 27 APR 69



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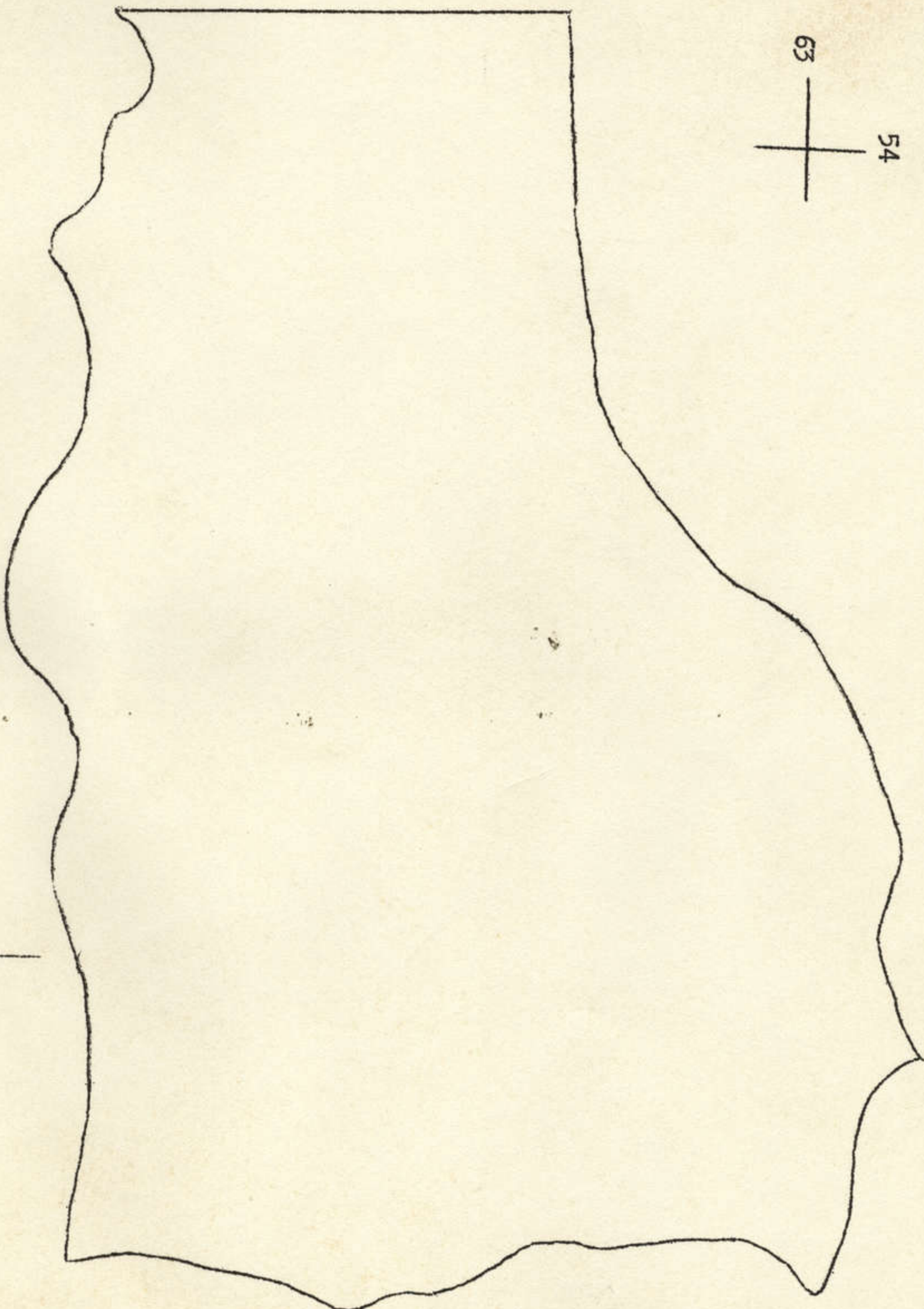
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AO GLENELG (MODIFIED) ALLOCATED TO 5 RAR

EFFECTIVE 290600H APR 69

Reference Map : 6430 II
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(D.A. CHINN)
Maj
GS02 (Ops)

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List Z

1 ATF LOs XUAN LOC
" BARIA
" XUYEN MOC
" BEARCAT

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HQ 1 ATF

NUI DAT

29 Apr 69

PSY OPS PROPOSED PROGRAMME

5 MAY - 11 MAY 69

1. Attached Annex A lists Psy Ops Proposed Programme for period 5 May - 11 May 69.
2. Psy Ops staff will check current operational situation immediately before departure and will check the operational situation with sub sector posts before commencing Psy Ops.



(A.P. BRUZGA)

Capt

GSO 3 (Psy Ops)

Distribution:

4 RAR

5 RAR

9 RAR

CA Unit

Det Div Int Unit

APA/Psy Ops Phuoc Tuy Province

67 GL Section

Internal:

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GSO 2 (Int)

GSO 2 (Air)

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PSY OPS PROGRAMME FOR WEEK 5 MAY - 11 MAY 69

ANNEX A TO HQ 1 ATF
R883/1/1 OF 29 APR 69

DATE	LOCATION	CAMPAIGN	THEME	DELIVERY METHOD	ITEM	REMARKS
5 May 69	C of M YS3385	TACTICAL	CH / DK	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
6 May 69	C of M YS3387	TACTICAL	CH / DK	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
7 May 69	C of M YS5591	TACTICAL	CH / DK	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
8 May 69	C of M YS5791	TACTICAL	CH / DK	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT
9 May 69	C of M YS5889	TACTICAL	CH / DK	AIRCRAFT	LEAFLETS BROADCASTS	US AIRCRAFT

NOTE: HE and HB teams are to conduct consolidated Psy Ops as directed by APA/Psy Ops PHUOC TUY.

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MESSAGE FORM

C58.

PRIORITY PRIORITY 292330Z APR 69 CONFIDENTIAL
 FROM : 1 ATF
 TO : LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19-23 OPS 602
 INFO : 1 ATF LO BARIA 1 ATF LO MTAN LOC
 1 ATF LO BEARCAT LIST Z SERIALS 19-23

1 ATF OP INSTR 38/69 (OP TWICKENHAM)

ONE (.) SIT CLN

ALFA (.) EN FORCES ISSUED SEPARATELY (.)

BRAVO (.) FRIENDLY FORCES CLN

FIRST (.) RF/PF POSTS ANX A ISSUED SEPARATELY

SECOND (.) 3 SAS SQN LRPPS VACATE AO 1 MAY

CHARLIE (.) ATTS AND DETS (.) RF COY LONG LE DIST BY CO-ORD SEPARATELY

TWO (.) 5 RAR CLN

ALFA (.) GROUPING CLN

FIRST (.) REVERTING TO UNDER COMD 1 FD SQN ON ARRIVAL 1 ATF
 BASE 2 MAY THREE COMBAT ENGR TEAMS

SECOND (.) REMAINING UNDER OP CON CMM ONE TP B SQN 1 ARM'D REGT
 ONE SECT A SQN 3 CAV REGT HQ ONE TP 1 FD SQN ONE COMBAT
 ENGR TEAM

THIRD (.) UNDER OPCON FROM 010700H MAY UNTIL REL SAME DAY CMM
 ONE SECT A SQN 3 CAV REGT

FOURTH (.) UNDER OPCON FROM 020630H MAY UNTIL REL SAME DAY CMM
 TWO SECTS A SQN 3 CAV REGT

FIFTH (.) UNDER OPCON FROM 020630H MAY UNTIL REL TWO MOR APC
 A SQN 3 CAV REGT ONE TD 15 ONE D 4 ONE BACKNOE ONE TAR TRUCK
 ALL 1 FD SQN

SIXTH (.) UNDER OPCON FROM 030630H MAY UNTIL REL APPROX
 031100H MAY ONE TP A SQN 3 CAV REGT

SEVENTH (.) REMAINING IN DS 105 FD BTY CMM ONE H-13 161 (INDEP)
 RECCE FLT

BRAVO (.) TASKS CLN

FIRST (.) DEPLOY FROM AOS COOGEE/GLENEILG AMENDED TO AO ILLAWARRA
 PERIOD 1-3 MAY

SECOND (.) CONDUCT RIF OPS TO KILL OR CAPTURE VC AND DESTROY

INSTL/

INSTL LOC AO ILLAWARRA

THREE (.) SP. ARMS CLN
ALFA (.) GROUPINGS PARA TWO
BRAVO (.) TASKS NORMAL

FOUR (.) CO-ORD INSTR CLN
ALFA (.) AO ILLAWARRA ANX **B** ISSUED SEPARATELY
BRAVO (.) FSPB SUSAN YS2864
CHARLIE (.) DEPLOYMENT INTO AO ILLAWARRA BY APC AND TCV
DELTA (.) PROVINCIAL DATA INCL CURFEW ANX **A** ISSUED SEPARATELY
ECHO (.) DETAIL THIS INSTR CFM CO-ORD **ALREADY** EFFECTED

FIVE (.) ADMIN AND LOG (.) ANX **C** ISSUED SEPARATELY **CMM** INCLUDES TCV ALLOCATION
5 RAR

SIX (.) COMD AND SIG
ALFA (.) HQ 1 ATF NUI DAT
BRAVO (.) COMD APC/TCV MOV CLN
FIRST (.) APC TP LIFT BY CAV COMD UNTIL INF DISMOUNT
SECOND (.) TCV LIFT ESCORTED BY APC SECT BY INF COMD TRAVELLING
WITH APC SECT COMD

CHARLIE (.) LIAISON CLN
FIRST (.) 1 ATF LO BARIA ON 1 ATF COMD NET
SECOND (.) 5 RAR TO DEPLOY LO TO PHU MY ON INTERNAL NET ONLY (.)
MAY ASSIST RELAY FOR OPCON ELMS TO 1 ATF BASE

DELTA 1 ATF SOI APPLY

ACK INSTR (.) ACK TO EBONY CP

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M. G. Barwick Capt MAJ
for

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ANNEX B TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 38/69
(OP TWICKENHAM)
DATED 29 APR 69

AO ILLAWARRA

Ref Map: 6430 III and IV
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EN SIT - AO ILLAWARRA

Enemy Activity

1. The area of the NUI THI VAI/NUI DINH mountain mass has been used for many years by local guerrilla units from villages on Route 15 and Route 2 as a safe haven from harassment by GVN forces.
2. Other administrative elements from SR-4, including medical and sapper/reconnaissance elements are known to use the area from time to time, as demanded by their operational commitments. Rice, fish and salt are moved into the area regularly by sympathisers in villages along Routes 15 and 2 and by elements of Gp 10, the SR-4 riverine force which operates in the RUNG SAT Secret Zone. Shipments of foodstuffs, batteries and medical supplies are reported to be being moved along Route 15 from SAIGON, BIEN HOA, LONG THANH and BARIA and trans-shipped to collection agencies in the THI VAIs for use by local force units and for movement to SR-4 and 274 VC Regt units in the HAT DICH and surrounding areas.
3. Elements of Rear Services Group 84 are probably located in the THI VAI area to co-ordinate the flow of supplies with SR-4.
4. Contacts in the past six days indicate that there is a significant movement of troops from EAST of Route 2 across that road to the WEST in the area SOUTH of NGAI GIAO and NORTH of NUI DAT. Several agent reports claim that D 445 LF Bn is moving at least one of its companies to the THI VAI from XUYEN MOC area. At least one company of D 445 LF Bn is reported to have moved from the LONG GREEN, through HOI MY - PHUOC HAI area to the LONG HAI Hills. Agent reports are substantiated by the increase in contacts between pl sized VC groups and 1/43 ARVN Bn in that area during the past week and by the recent increase in harassing attacks on GVN patrols (RF and ARVN) in and around DAT DO. It is an established D 445 LF Bn practice to move companies between the LONG GREEN/XUYEN MOC and the NUI THI VAI area. Such movement is usually made NORTH or SOUTH of NGAI GIAO and from the LONG HAI hills across the riverine flats SOUTH of BARIA. On the little evidence available and on past practice, it is possible that at least some elements of D 445 LF Bn have moved into the NUI THI VAI/NUI DINH area to avoid contact with 1 ATF Op SURFSIDE.
5. There have been reports that up to one platoon of D 67 Engr/Recce Bn, of MR-7, has been active in the area of NUI THI VAI/NUI TOC TIEN for some months. This cannot be verified and recently captured documents suggest that D 67 area of operations does not extend SOUTH of Route 320 but other documents captured at YS 309699 on 23 Apr 69 by a 3 SAS Sqn patrol confirm that engr/recce elements are operating in support of local guerrilla forces in the NUI THI VAI area.

Suspected Locations

6. There are regular agent reports that VC units responsible for security of the NUI THI VAI/NUI DINH area have established a permanent ambush site in the defile at YS 3167-3267. This position is said to be covered by mines and booby traps.
7. Agent reports confirmed in part by SAS reports indicate that an enemy hospital is located in the re-entrant in the vicinity of YS 303709. This camp was being developed at the time of SAS Ptl 15-23 Apr 69. Local inhabitants say that a large cave system is located in the walls, probably on the EASTERN side of this re-entrant, in the area to the EAST NORTH EAST of ruins YS 308718. The caves were a popular tourist attraction during FRENCH rule and, because of their size, may provide a large and secure accommodation and storage area. The heavy track patterns throughout the area and the numerous reports of VC activity indicate greater use of the area than Ph R or Vis Recce can support. The existence of one cave system suggests that others also exist in this mountain mass and if so, this would explain the lack of evidence of camps from Ph R or Vis Recce.
8. Camouflage Detection (CD) photography followed up by hand held photography of selected areas has failed to locate major base camps but has located numerous bunkers, caves and weapon pits.

Weather

9. MAY is the start of the rainy season in III CTZ. Rainfall at any given location can be expected on 15 to 22 days during a month. The average rainfall for MAY is 6-12 inches. Thunderstorms become a daily occurrence and can be expected on 12 to 17 days during a month. During MAY thunderstorms can be particularly violent. Temperatures in MAY average normal 88 to 93 degrees (F) during the day and 72 to 77 degrees at night. Humidity readings average just above 90% and sometimes reach 100%.

Light and Moon Times

10. Light times are based on SAIGON and are as follows:

	1st Lt	SR	SS	Last Lt	MR	MS
5 May	0545	0634	1906	1955	2230	0909
10 May	0543	0632	1907	1956	0208	1413
15 May	0541	0631	1908	1958	0526	1817
20 May	0541	0630	1909	1959	0926	2235
25 May	0539	0630	1910	2001	1332	0125
30 May	0538	0630	1911	2003	1758	0453

Moon phases for MAY are as follows:

- a. Last half - 7 May
- b. New Moon - 16 May
- c. 1st half - 24 May
- d. Full Moon - 31 May

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ANNEX A TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 38/69
(OP TWICKENHAM)
DATED 29 APR 69

PROVINCIAL DATA - AO ILLAWARRA

1. RF/PF Posts Route 15.

a. <u>RF Posts</u>	<u>Strength</u>	<u>Location</u>
771 RF Coy	100	YS252746
OP (RF)	-	252711
772 RF Coy	90	259679
576 RF Coy	102	281639
OP (RF)	-	297605
455 RF Coy	91	368618
b. <u>PF Posts</u>		
11 PF Pl	26	YS268687
48 PF Pl	26	283 630
10 PF Pl	29	294616
9 PF Pl	28	303610
7 PF Pl, 8 PF Pl	70	334612
5 PF Pl	29	355615

c. Confirmation of above locs should be undertaken by unit L0 immediately on deployment.

2. Civ Access Areas. Civs are allowed in fol areas between 0600 - 1900H daily:

- a. Area between Route 15 and line 1500 m East and North of Route 15.
- b. Area South of 1 ATF TAOR Bdry between YS357626 and YS378630.
- c. Area East of Line Alpha between YS378630 and YS380695.

3. Curfew. All persons in villages between 1900 - 0600H daily.

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MESSAGE FORM

261.

PRIORITY PRIORITY 300130Z APR 69

FROM: 1 ATF

CONFIDENTIAL

TO: LIST Z (LESS SERIALS 19-23)

OPS 603

INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
" XUAN LOC
" BEARCAT
LIST Z (SERIALS 19-23)

1 ATF OP INSTR 37/69 (OP BEAVER DAM VII) .

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . EN FORCES . BY GSO2 INT BRIEF TO OC LAND CLEARING TEAM
(LCT) 1 FD SQN .

BRAVO . FRIENDLY FORCES . ARVN RF/PF POSTS LOCS AND ACTIVITIES BY
DIRECT LIAISON OC LCT WITH SECTOR/LONG DIEN DISTRICT 30 APR .

CHARLIE. ATTS AND DETS NIL .

TWO . 1 FD SQN CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . UNDER COMD FROM 010630H MAY ONE TP B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .

SECOND . UNDER OPCON FROM 010630H MAY ONE SECT ONE ACV A SQN
3 CAV REGT CMM ONE PL 9 RAR WITH MFC .

THIRD . IN SP AT PRI CALL FROM 011200H APR B BTY 2/35
ARTY (US) .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . DEPLOY LCT GP FROM 1 ATF BASE 1 MAY TO VIC SQUARES
YS4356 YS4357 .

SECOND . CONDUCT LAND CLEARING OPS INITIALLY IN SECTOR ALFA
(ANX A) TO NE OF LONG HAI HILLS .

THIRD . CONTINUE LAND CLEARING IN OTHER SECTORS AS PROGRAMMED
BY OC 1 FD SQN IN COORD WITH HQ 1 ATF .

THREE . ARMS ALLOTTED .

ALFA . GROUPING PARA TWO ALFA .

BRAVO . TASKS . PROTECTION LCT AND WORKING AREA .

FOUR . 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT . H-13 BY BIDS TO GSO2 (AIR) DAILY .

FIVE . CO-ORD CLN

ALFA . NO AO ALLCTED . LCT GP OPERATES LONG DIEN DISTRICT CMM .
COORDINATES WITH SECTOR FOR LOCSTATS CLEARANCES BY RADIO .

BRAVO . MOV PLANT BY CO-ORD WITH DAQMG .

CHARLIE . PROVINCIAL DATA INCL CURFEW CMM CIV ACCESS AREA BY DIRECT LIAISON
SECTOR/LONG DIEN DISTRICT .

SIX . ADMIN AND LOG . 1 FD SQN FOR ELM UNDER COMD CMM OTHERWISE NORMAL .

SEVEN . COMD AND SIG CLN

ALFA . OC LCT COMDS LCT GP .

BRAVO . LIAISON . 1 ATF LO BARIA CN 1 ATF COMD NET .

CHARLIE . SIGS CLN

FIRST . REAR LINK TO BE MAINT ON 1 ATF COMD NET FOR
NORMAL TFC INCL LOCSTATS .

SECOND . LINK TO BE MAINT WITH PHUOC TUY SECTOR NET . SEE
PARA FIVE ALFA .

DELTA . SOI . 1 ATF AND SECTOR APPLY .

ACK INSTR . ACK TO EBONY CP

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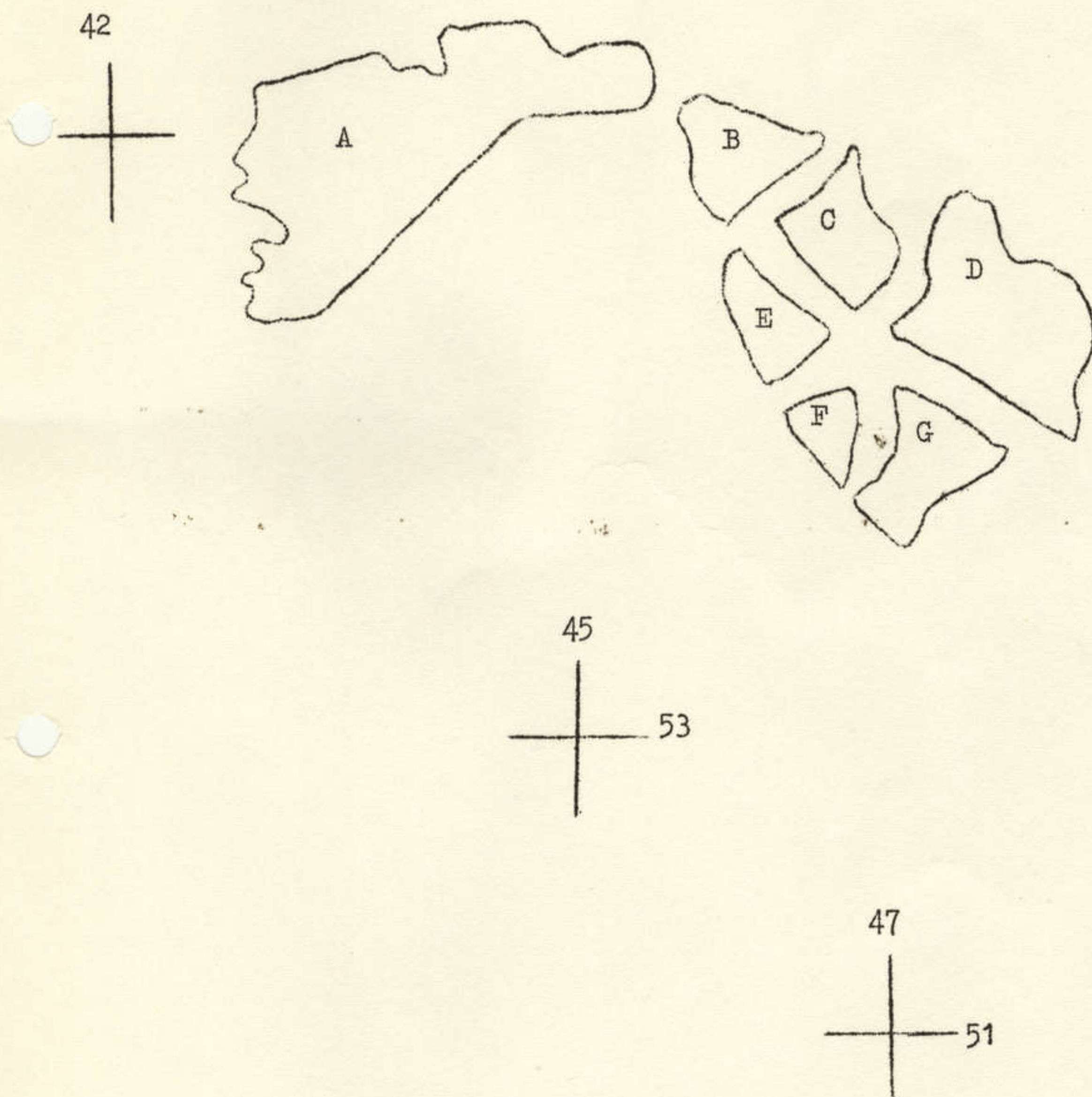
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ANNEX A TO
1 ATF OP INSTR 37/69
OP BEAVER DAM VII
DATED 29 APR 69

LAND CLEARING AREAS - INITIAL

Reference Map: 6429 I and IV.
Scale: 1 : 50,000



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MESSAGE FORM

c62

IMMEDIATE PRIORITY 300900Z APR 69 R569-2-170

FROM: 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL

TO: LIST Z (LESS SERIALS 19-23) OPS 610

INFO: 1 ATF LO BARIA
 " XUAN LOC
 " BEARCAT
 LIST Z (SERIALS 19-23)

1 ATF OP INSTR 40/69 (OP MAILED FIST) .

ONE . SIT CLN

ALFA . EN FORCES . GSO2 (INT) BRIEF .

BRAVO . FRIENDLY FORCES CLN

FIRST . 1 ATF PTL S BASE AO BY WEEKLY PROGRAMME .

SECOND . DUC THANH DIST RF/PF POSTS AND OPS BY DIRECT
LIAISON B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .

CHARLIE . ATTS AND DETS . NIL .

TWO . B SQN 1 ARMD REGT CLN

ALFA . GROUPING CLN

FIRST . UNDER COMD FROM 010630H MAY ONE MINI TEAM 1 FD SQN
CMM DEF PL HQ 1 ATF .

SECOND . UNDER COMD FROM 010630H MAY TO 030630H MAY CMM
070800H MAY UNTIL REL ONE MOR SECT/MFC 4 RAR .

THIRD . UNDER OPCON FROM 010630H MAY ONE SECT (FOUR APC) A
SQN 3 CAV REGT .

FOURTH . UNDER OPCON FROM 010630H MAY TO 030630H MAY CMM
070800H MAY UNTIL REL TWO MOR CARRIERS A SQN 3 CAV
REGT .

FIFTH . IN GEN SP REINFORCING TO 79 NORTHING (RADIUS) B BTY
2/35 ARTY (US) .

BRAVO . TASKS CLN

FIRST . ASSIST PACIFICATION OF DUC THANH DISTRICT THROUGH
CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS IN CO-OPERATION WITH DISTRICT
CHIEF DUC THANH FROM 1 MAY .

SECOND . AMBUSH ABANDONED FSPB VIRGINIA YS4379 NI 1/2 MAY .

THREE . ARMS ALLOTTED CLN

ALFA . GROUPING PARA TWO ALFA .

BRAVO . TASKS NORMAL .

FOUR . 161 (INDEP) RECCE FLT . H-13 BY BIDS TO GSO2 (AIR) DAILY .

FIVE . CO-ORD CLN

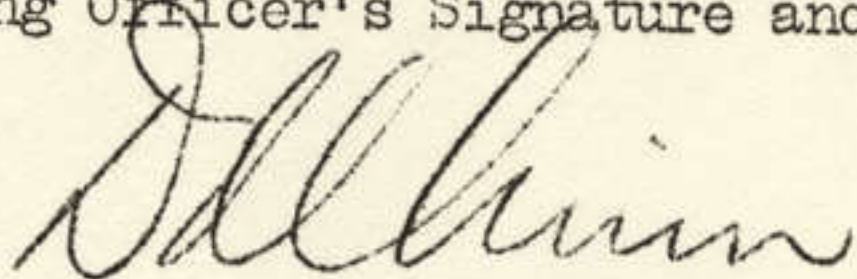
ALFA . AO TAHBILK ANX A . CO-ORD WITH 4 RAR DURING ITS VACATING OF
AO BAROSSA 1 MAY .

BRAVO . PROVINCIAL DATA INCL CURFEW CMM CIV ACCESS AREAS BY DIRECT LIAISON
DUC THANH DISTRICT .

CHARLIE . MAINTAIN DAILY CONSULTATION WITH DISTRICT CHIEF DUC THANH AND
KEEP HIM ADVISED OF PENDING OPS .

DELTA . CO-ORD AMBUSH OF FSPB VIRGINIA YS4379 WITH 4 RAR BEFORE
4 RAR DEPARTURE .
ECHO . CLEARANCES WITHIN DUC THANH AO THROUGH DUC THANH SUB SECTOR
CMM WITHIN AO **TAHBILK** THROUGH 1 ATF CP . IN BOTH CASES
1000 METRES RULE APPLIES .
SIX . ADMIN AND LOG . B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .
SEVEN . COMD AND SIG CLN
ALFA . GP COMD 2IC B SQN 1 ARMD REGT .
BRAVO . COMMS TO BE MAINT WITH DUC THANH SUB-SECTOR AS WELL AS 1 ATF .
CHARLIE . 1 ATF SOI APPLY

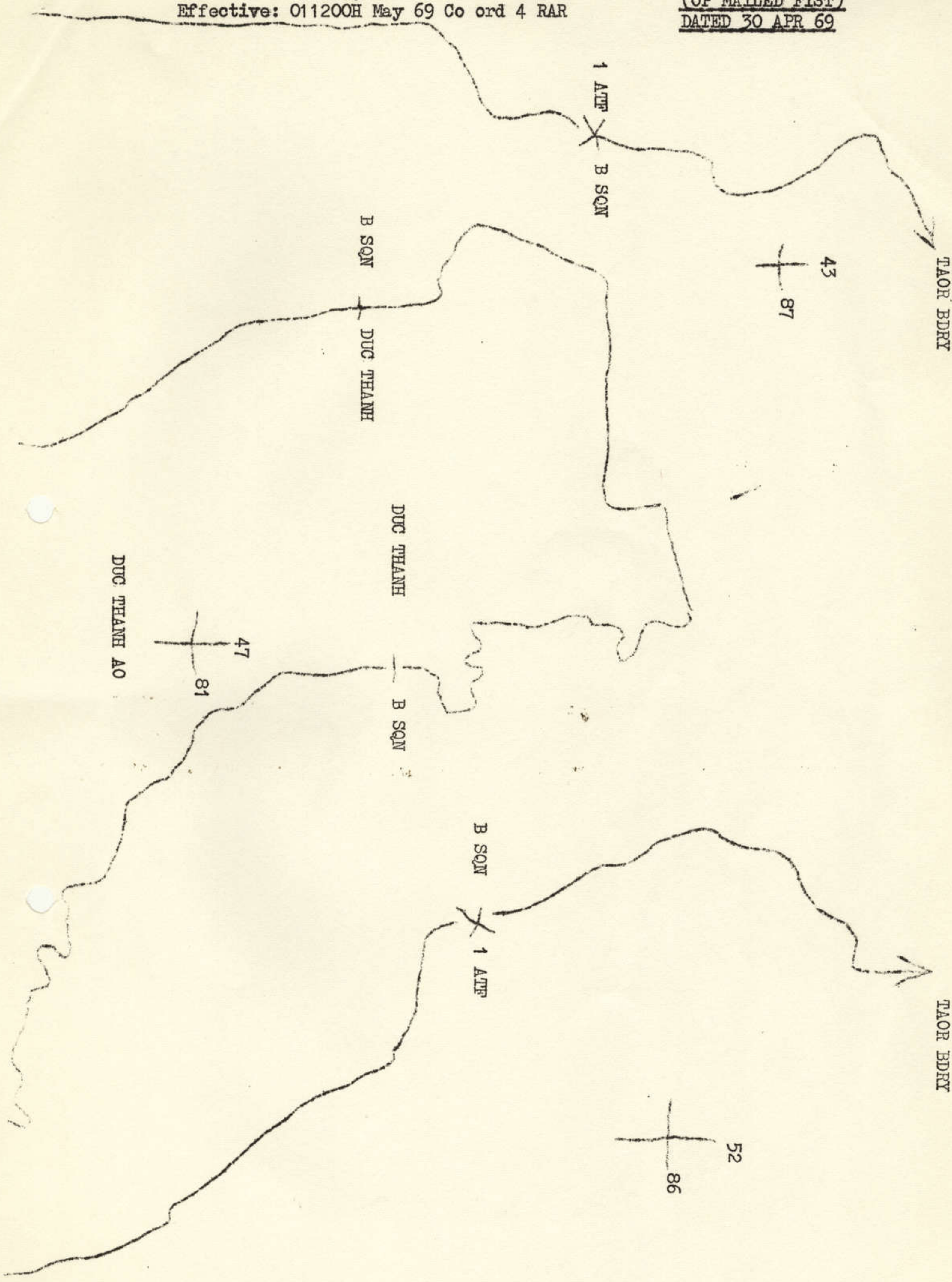
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1 ATF OP INSTR 40/69
(OP MAILED FIST)
DATED 30 APR 69



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ATF X B SQN

AO TAHBILK

48
+
77

DUC THANH B SQN

B SQN DUC THANH

DUC THANH AO

AO TAHBILK

45
+
74

B SQN X 1 ATF

DUC THANH X 1 ATF

+
72
50

MESSAGE FORM

C63.

PRIORITY PRIORITY 300600Z APR 69 TABULATE
 FROM : 1 ATF CONFIDENTIAL
 TO : LIST Z LESS SERIALS 19-23 Q851
 INFO : 1 ATF LO BARIA LIST Z SERIALS 19-23

1 ATF OP INSTR 38/69 ANNEX C (OP TWICKENHAM)
 ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS (.)
 FIRST (.) GEN OUTLINE (.)

ALFA (.) B COY MOVES BY RD FROM AO COOGEE TO NUI DAT
 ON 1 MAY (.)

BRAVO (.) B COY GP MOVES BY RD FROM AO COOGEE TO NUI DAT
 TO ESTB FSPB SUSAN AT YS286648 ON 2 MAY (.)

CHARLIE (.) REMAINDER 5 RAR BN GP MOVES BY RD AND AIR FROM
 AO COOGEE TO NUI DAT ON 2 MAY (.)

DELTA (.) REMAINDER 5 RAR BN GP MOVES BY RD FROM NUI DAT
 TO AO ILLAWARRA ON 3 MAY (.) B COY MOVES
 SEPARATELY BY APC (.)

SECOND (.) AMMO (.)

ALFA (.) 105 FD BTY MOVES WITH ALL STOCKS TO NUI DAT ON
 2 MAY (.)

BRAVO (.) 105 FD BTY MOVES WITH TWO FIRST LINES ON 3 MAY
 (.) SUBSEQUENT RESUP BY RD DIRECT FROM 1 ALSG
 EXCEPT 640 RDS HELD PACKED FOR AIR OR RD MOV BY
 TFMA TO MEET ANY OPDEM REQUIREMENT (.)

CHARLIE (.) B COY GP DEPLOYS 2 MAY WITH 548 RDS HE CMM
 100 RDS ILLUM AND 50 RDS WP 81MM MOR AMMO (.)

THIRD (.) RATS (.)

ALFA (.) NORMAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR COMBAT RATS AND HOT
 BOX MEALS (.)

BRAVO (.) 5 RAR WILL ESTB FD KITCHEN IN FSPB SUSAN (.)
 FRESH RATS DEL UNDER TFMA ARRANGEMENTS (.)
 FURTHER DETAILS SEPARATELY (.)

FOURTH (.) WATER (.)

ALFA (.) UNITS TO DEPLOY WITH MAX HOLDINGS IN
 JERRYCANS AND WATER BOTTLES (.)

BRAVO (.) ONE BY 1000 WATER TK WILL BE POSN IN
 FSPB

SUSAN/

SUSAN AND REPLENISHED BY TFMA (.)

FIFTH (.) DEF STORES (.)

ALFA (.) DAY ONE AND DAY TWO DEF STORES PLUS FURTHER
888 SMALL PICKETS WILL BE PROVIDED BY TFMA FOR
MOV TO FSPB SUSAN WITH B COY GP ON 2 MAY (.)

BRAVO (.) ALL UNUSED DEF STORES CMM SERVICEABLE PICKETS
AND CG1 AND ALL ARMCO AND TIMBER ARE TO BE RETURNED
FROM FSPB BRUISER (.)

SIXTH (.) AIR TPT (.)

ALFA (.) D COY TO MOVE FROM AO COOGEE TO NUI DAT BY
IROQUOIS 021500H (.)

BRAVO (.) BHQ RECCE PARTIES AND BN STORES TO MOVE
FROM FSPB BRUISER TO FSPB SUSAN 020900H IN THREE
BY CH 47 SORTIES (.)

CHARLIE (.) AIR PLANNING CONFERENCE ON 30 APR UNDER
ARRANGEMENTS GSO 2 (AIR) (.)

SEVENTH (.) RD TPT (.) RD MOV TABLE ISSUED SEPARATELY FOR FOL
CONVOY MOVES AND ASSOCIATED MOVES OF EMPTY VEHs CLN

ALFA (.) SEVEN BY 5 TON TCV FROM TFMA TO LIFT B COY
FROM YS650664 AT 011500H TO NUI DAT (.) REC VEH
FROM 106 FD WKSP (.)

BRAVO (.) FOR MOV FROM NUI DAT AT 020700H TO FSPB
SUSAN CLN

ONE (.) B COY IN SEVEN BY 5 TON TCV FROM TFMA (.)

TWO (.) ENGR PLANT (.)

THREE (.) DEF STORES IN FIVE BY 5 TON DUMP FROM
TFMA (.)

FOUR (.) ONE SECT MOR PL IN TWO MOR CARRIERS (.)

FIVE (.) MOR AMMO IN ONE BY 5 TON GS AND ONE
BY $\frac{3}{4}$ TON GS AND TLR FROM TFMA (.)

SIX (.) WP IN ONE BY 5 TON GS FROM TFMA (.)

SEVEN (.) ONE SECT APCS (.)

EIGHT (.) ONE TP TKS (.)

NINE (.) REC VEH FROM 106 FD WKSP (.)

CHARLIE/

CHARLIE (.) FOR MOV FROM FSPB BRUISER AT 021500H TO
NUI DAT CLN

ONE (.) BHQ CMM PNR PL AND ONE PL B COY IN
EIGHT BY 5 TON TCV FROM TFMA (.)

TWO (.) MOR AMMO IN TWO BY 5 TON GS FROM TFMA (.)

THREE (.) WF AND AVGAS P IN ONE BY 5 TON DUMP
FROM TFMA (.)

FOUR (.) ONE SECT MOR PL IN ONE BY 5 TON TCV
FROM TFMA (.)

FIVE (.) 105 FD BTY IN 13 BY 5 TON GS FROM
1 ALSG AND SIX BY 5 TON GS FROM 1 FD REGT (.)

THESE VEH REQUIREMENTS WILL BE ADJUSTED
ACCORDING TO AMMO STATE ON 2 MAY (.)

1 ALSG VEHs RV AT THE VAN KIEP GATE AT
021130H (.)

SIX REC VEH FROM 106 FD WKSP (.)

DELTA (.) FOR MOV FROM YS540614 AT 021400H TO NUI DAT
CLN

ONE (.) A COY AND C COY IN 14 BY 5 TON TCV
FROM 1 ALSG (.)

ECHO (.) FOR MOV FROM HUGHES RD NUI DAT AT 030800H TO
AO ILLAWARRA CLN

ONE (.) BHQ PERS IN NINE BY 5 TON TCV FROM
TFMA (.)

TWO (.) A COY IN SEVEN BY 5 TON TCV FROM 1 ALSG
(.) REL PT YS253714 (.)

THREE (.) C COY IN SEVEN BY 5 TON TCV FROM 1 ALSG
(.) REL PT YS253714 (.)

FOUR (.) 105 FD BTY IN 13 BY 5 TON GS FROM
1 ALSG AND SIX BY 5 TON GS FROM 1 FD REGT (.)

FIVE (.) REC VEHs FROM 1 FD REGT AND 1 ALSG (.)
1 FD REGT REC VEH REMAINS WITH 105 FD BTY
PACKE.