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COMMANDERS DIARY

1/6/10/ 66

HQ1 ALSG.

1-31 JULY 1966

PART 2

AF C 2119 (Adapted)
Revised Jun, 1965

COVERING LETTER

Reference No. R707-1-1

To: OIC, Military History Section, AHQ.

1. I enclose Commanders Diary (AF C 2118) (Adapted) as indicated at Part 2.

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OF

Unit or Formation HQ 1 Australian Logistic Support Group

1 Jul 66

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COMMANDERS DIARIES INSTRUCTIONS

AIM

1. The aim of a Commanders Diary is to provide data on which to base future improvements in Army training, equipment, organization and administration, and to furnish historians with a record of the activities of units and formations in operational and non-operational periods in peace and in war.

GENERAL

- 2. Entries are to be made daily on AF C 2118 (Adapted) each entry being initialled by the officer detailed to keep it.
- Commanders Diaries will conform with the rules for drafting orders given in "Staff Duties (Australia)", Chapter 2, Section 12.

RESPONSIBILITY

During Non-operational Periods

4. A Commanders Diary is to be compiled by commanders of all formations.

During Operational Periods (1)

- 5. A Commanders Diary is to be compiled in duplicate by:
 - a. Commanders of all formations.
 - b. Each branch of the staff at formation headquarters commanded by a brigadier or above.
 - c. Heads of services not below the rank of lieutenant colonel.
 - d. Personal staffs and officers holding special appointments.
 - e. Unit commanders.
 - f. Commanders of a detachment of a unit when so ordered.

COMPILATION

- 6. Both original and duplicate copies are to consist of:
 - a. Cover (AF C 2119) (Adapted).
 - b. Index as printed on cover.
 - c. Narrative (AF C 2118) (Adapted).
 - d. Annexes as shown in the Index.
- 7. All details of the unit or formation (if a detachment is concerned, the name of the parent unit), period covered and enclosure numbers of the annexes are to be shown on the cover. If there has been a change of command since the last report, the date of assumption by the new commanding officer is to be included.
- 8. The annexes are to be assembled in the groups shown on the cover. If there are no enclosures for an annex NIL will be entered on the cover. If additional annexes are convenient for a particular headquarters.

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- 13. Original Commander's Diary. This is to be forwarded monthly, unless otherwise ordered, by the seventh day of the succeeding month direct to AHQ.
- 14. Duplicate Commander's Diary. This must be clearly marked as a duplicate. It is to be sent separately from the original to AHQ one month after the original has been despatched but not before the former has been acknowledged.
- 15. When overseas, both copies of diaries are to be sent through the Army Records organization in the overseas theatre but at different times.
- 16. TOP SECRET Supplementary Diaries.
 - a. The documents referred to in Paragraph 9 together with a list of them made out on AF C 2118 (Adapted) must be placed in separate cover (AF C 2119) (Adapted). All details must be filled in and the cover clearly marked in red: "ANNEX Z OFFICER ONLY". It may be convenient to group the papers by appendices.
 - b. Supplementary diaries must be forwarded under the normal rules for TOP SECRET correspondence, to AHQ. The inner envelope must be plainly marked:

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c. The duplicate supplementary diaries must be despatched as shown in Paragraph 14 as soon as receipt of the original has been acknowledged.

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Month and Year .. JULY. 66....

Reference Map

Unit/Formation ... HQ.I.ALSG.... Commanding Officer ... Lt.Col.DL.ROUSE

Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annow lotton and
				Annex letter and enclosure number
VUNG TAU	1		Effective str I ALSG units 1110 all ranks	
		0800	Staff and unit rep conf.	
		0930	Maint convoy left for IATF carrying 9 tons rats, 12 ton ammo, 9 tons POL	SITREP 68
			1 ton ord stores, 54 tons engnr stores, 9 tons unit stores, 15 tons wire mesh,	
			a total of $98\frac{1}{2}$ tons. Returned 5 tons POL. 1315 lbs rats were airlifted to IATF.	
		0945	GSO2 left for DANANG on AFV courier run.	
VUNG TAU	2		Effective str I ALSG units 1109 all ranks.	
		0730	Maint comeou left for IATF carrying 6 tons rats, 3 tons ammo, 15 tons POL,	sitrep 70
			51 tons engnr stores, 21 tons unit stores, atotal of 96 tons. Returned 5 tons	
			POL.	
		0900	Comd's conf with unit CO/OC	
		1115	Lt READNOUR of S19 MI Bn visited IO on garrison visit.	
		1200	Info received that VC may mortar VUNG TAU airfield dring next few nights.	
		1205	Maj MITCHELL, Senior Advisor Team 79, visited IALSG.	
		1630	Info received that a VC, believed to be an OPO, is supposed to XXXXX have	
			arrived in VUNG TAU from BARIA. The whereabouts of the VC are unknown, but his	
			name is said to be CUU.	

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Unit/Formation .HQ.TALSG...... Commanding Officer Lt.Col.DL.ROUSE...

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Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annex letter and enclosure number
VUNG TAU	3		Effective str IALSG units 1110 all ranks.	
			The day was devoted to interior economy instr IALSG units.	
		0730	Maint convoy left for IATF carrying $12\frac{1}{2}$ tons rats, $\frac{1}{4}$ ton ammo, 15 ton	as POL, SITREP 70
			10 tons ord stores, 58 tons engnr stores, 6 tons PX stores, 9 tons u	mit stores,
			a total of $109\frac{3}{4}$ tons. Returned 4 tons POL	
		1400	47 banana trees were planted around the Offr's Mess site.	
		1630	GS02 returned from BANANG.	
	4		Effective str IALSG units 1109 all ranks.	
		0600	Staff and unit rep conf.	
		0930	Maint convoy left for I ATF carrying 10 tons rats, 9 tons POL, 6 to	ons ord stores SITREP 72
			12 tons engnr stores, 6 tons PX stores, 18 tons unit stores, a total	of 61 tons.
			returned 9 tons POL.	
		1235	Mr. SINCLADR' minister for Social Service, and parliamentary delegat	tion visited
			IAISG units.	

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Reference Map

Unit/Formation .HQ.1.ALSG... Commanding Officer LtCol.D.L.ROUSE...

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Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annex letter and enclosure number
VUNG TAU	5	0800	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1115 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 2 tons rats, 13 tons POL, 3 tons ord stores, 6 tons ammo, 42 tons engr stores, 6 tons PX stores, 3 tons mail, a total of 75 tons. Returned 11 tons POL. IO left for DANANG as AFV courier. JEPARIT berthed.	SITREP 73
VUNG TAU	6	0730 0800 1000	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1110 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 10 tons rats, 10 tons POL, 3 tons ord stores, 33 tons engr stores, 3 tons mail, 3 tons unit stores, a total of 62 tons. Returned 3 tons POL. 37 civilian laborers employed in 2 Comp Ord Depot. Brig ANDREWS, AG New Zealand Army, visited 1 ALSG. CA Offr left for DANANG as AFV courier.	SITREP 74
VUNG TAU	7	0915	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 4 tons rats, 10 tons POL, 27 tons engr stores, 6 tons unit stores, a total of 47 tons. Returned 6 tons POL.	
VUNG TAU	8	0830	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 8 tons rats, 10 tons POL, 21 tons ammo, 30 tons ord stores, 18 tons engr stores, a total of 87 tons. Returned 4 tons POL. Comd attended commissioning ceremony at ARVN Sig School, VUNG TAU.	
VUNG TAU	9	0730	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 5 tons rats, 10 tons POL, 39 tons ord stores, 30 tons engr stores, a total of 84 tons. Returned 4 tons POL.	
VUNG TAU	10	0930	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 6 tons rats, 10 tons POL, 30 tons ord stores, 33 tons engr stores, 3 tons mail, a total of82 tons. Returned 5 tons POL.	

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Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annex letter and enclosure number
VUNG TAU	11	The second secon	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 9 tons rats, 6 tons ammo, 10 tons POL, 33 tons ord stores, 21 tons engr stores, a total of 79 tons. Returned 5 tons POL. Miss J. DOBELL, Aust Red Cross, assumed duties at 36 Evac Hosp. Comd AFV and GSO2 Int HQ AFV visited 1 ALSG and JEPARIT. Unloading of JEPARIT completed.	
VUNG TAU	12	0800	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 6 tons rats, 12 tons POL, 57 tons ord stores, 9 tons engr stores, 3 tons mail, a total of 87 tons. Returned 5 tons POL. Comd attended opening of the Language Training Course. Opening address given by Comd 1 ATF The 12 weeks long course is attended by approx 40 members of 1 ATF who will learn Viet Namese, and approx 40 Viet Namese who will learn English. At the conclusion of the course graduates will work as interpreters in mixed pairs. JEPARIT sailed.	
VUNG TAU	13	0930	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 8 tons rats, 3 tons ammo, 3 tons mail, 48 tons ord stores, 12 tons engr stores, 39 tons unit stores, 10 tons POL, a total of 123 tons. Returned 10 tons POL.	
VUNG TAU	14	1115	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1105 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 10 tons POL, 15 tons ord stores, 24 tons engr stores, 3 tons mail, 6 tons unit stores, a total of 58 tons. Returned 3 tons POL. CA Offr distributed approx 400 lbs food to BETHANIE Orphanage at VUNG TAU. Chief of Staff HQ AFV visited 1 ALSG.	
VUNG TAU	15	0830	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1109 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 14 tons rats, 4037 lbs perishables, 1067 lbs bread, 3 tons ammo, 3 tons mail, 18 tons engr stores, 12 tons aggregate, 15 tons unit stores, 12 tons POL, a total of 80 tons. Returned 5 tons POL.	

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Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annex letter and
VUNG TAU	16	0630 1000 1030 1030	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. IO left on liaison visit to HAM TAN (ZSO282). Comd and Mayor of VUNG TAU officiated at stone laying ceremony to mark the building of a dispensary from civil aid. Mayor, Deputy Mayor and town representatives from VUNG TAU attended morning tea at 1 ALSG. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 9 tons rats, 33 tons ammo, 10 tons POL, 6 tons ord stores, 9 tons engr stores, 12 tons unit stores, a total of 79 tons. Returned 5 tons POL.	enclosure number
VUNG TAU	17	0730 1230 2000	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 5 tons rats, 1 ton ammo, 6 tons ord stores, 12 tons engr stores, 12 tons POL, 3 veh s with troops, a total of 48 tons. Returned 6 tons POL. Lt Gen J E ENGLER, Deputy Comd USARV, visited 1 ALSG. IO returned from HAM TAN.	
VUNG TAU	18	0900	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 11 tons rats, 28 tons ammo, 12 tons POL, 3 tons ord stores, 6 tons PX stores, 3 tons unit stores, a total of 63 tons. Returned 4 tons POL.	
VUNG TAU	19	0800 0900 1545	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 6 tons rats, 2 tons ammo, 32 tons POL, 3 tons ord stores, 30 tons engr stores, 9 tons unit stores, a total of 82 tons. Returned 4 tons POL. DADLS AFV arrived at 1 ALSG to discuss the building of an MCE. Comd AFV and C of S AFV arrived for discussions with Comd 1 ALSG and to visit 2 Fd Amb.	
VUNG TAU	20	0800 1000 1400	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1110 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 10 tons rats, 3 tons ammo, 17 tons POL, 3 tons ord stores, 18 tons engr stores, 3 tons PX stores, 1 ton mail, 15 tons misc stores, 6 tons unit stores, a total of 76 tons. Returned 7 tons POL. Lt Col JACKSON and Maj GROSE, ASCO, arrived at 1 ALSG. MEDCAP treated approx 40 patients at NAM BINH.	
VUNG TAU	21	0830	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 5 tons rats, 3 tons ammo, 13 tons POL, 3 tons ord stores, 12 tons engr stores, 24 tons unit stores, 24 tons misc stores, a total of 84 tons. Convoy was escorted by APCs.	

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Unit/Formation .HQ 1 ALSG Commanding OfficerLtCod D.L.ROUSE

Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annex letter and enclosure number
VUNG TAU	22	0830	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1110 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 7 tons rats, 21 tons ammo, 42 tons POL, 9 tons ord stores, 24 tons misc stores, 3 tons unit stores, a total of 106 tons. Brig C F FLINT, DQMG AHQ, and Col CHURCH, Comd USAVTSAC, visited 1 ALSG.	
VUNG TAU	23	0900	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1110 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 16 tons rats, 21 tons POL, 12 tons ord stores, 9 tons engr stores, 9 tons PX stores, 24 tons misc stores, 9 tons unit stores, a total of 100 tons. Col S P WEIR MC, DDMO AHQ, and Maj KELDIE, SORAC AHQ, visited 1 ALSG.	
VUNG TAU	24	0800	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Brig C F FLINT visited 1 ALSG units.	
VUNG TAU	25	0800	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 4 tons rats, 15 tons ammo, 3 tons ord stores, 27 tons unit stores, 35 tons POL, a total of 84 tons. Returned 7 tons POL. DENTCAP treated approx 35 people at NAM BINH.	
VUNG TAU	26	0830	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 5 tons rats, 4 tons POL, 9 tons ord stores, 6 tons engr stores, 3 tons PX stores, 3 tons mail, 63 tons unit stores, a total of 93 tons. CA Offr carried out civil action work at NAM BINH.	
VUNG TAU	27	100	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 10 tons rats, 15 tons ammo, 24 tons engr store, 14 tons POL, 12 tons ord stores, 3 tons misc stores, a total of 78 tons. Maj Gen VINCENT, Comd 1 Div, and Maj Gen MACKAY visited 1 ALSG.	
VUNG TAU	28	0800	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 15 tons PX stores, 21 tons engr stores, 9 tons ammo, 3 tons POL, 4 tons rats, 9 tons ord stores, 18 tons unit stores, 3 tons misc stores, a total of 82 tons.	
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Unit/Formation HQ 1 ALSG Commanding Officer LtCol D.L.ROUSE

Place and Grid Ref	Date	Time	Event or Information	Annex letter and
VUNG TAU	29	0815 0900 1330	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Brig R L HUGHES DSO, Comd 6 TF, visited 1 ALSG. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 6 tons PX stores, 36 tons engr stores, 15 ton 3 tons misc stores, 8 tons POL, 19 tons rats, 9 tons ord stores, 12 tons unit stor total of 108 tons. Lt Col MALONEY and Land/Air Warfare Team visited 1 ALSG.	
VUNG TAU	30	0830	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 6 tons rats, 143 tons ammo, 6 tons POL, 9 ton stores, 3 tons PX stores, a total of 167 tons.	s ord
VUNG TAU	31	0800	Effective str 1 ALSG units 1114 all ranks. Maint convoy left for 1 ATF carrying 3 tons rats, 4 tons POL, 9 tons ord stores, 1 engr stores, 24 tons sand, a total of 52 tons. MEDCAP and DENTCAP treated approx 80 people at NAM BINH.	2 tons

HQ 1 ALSG OPERATIONS LOG 1700 HRS 1 JUL - 0800 HRS 2 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From (Appt and HQ)	Details	Action Taken
1.	2000	Tele	DO HQ AFV	Request to find out present medical condition of Pte L.K. HYATT.	2 Fd Amb to find out
2.	2010	Tele	DO 2 Fd Amb	Condition of Pte HYATT is good	Passed to HQ AFV
3.	2020	Tele	DO 1 ALSG	Majs SLOSS, BEYNON, Capts HOLTON, ILLINGSWORTH Lt McGUIRE, Cpl DALLY-WATKINS to report to 8 Aerial Port Sqn 020630 H for mov to SAIGON. Maj BINNEY does not wish to travel on first flight, booking made for 1030 hrs, to be confirmed.	Sig Gl208 of Oll220Z to HQ AFV
4.	2115	Tele	Adjt 101 Fd Wksp	Reported four baskets left on side of the moad approx 100 yds back from ARVN area.	Reported to Capt WUST. Informed 101 Wksp to leave baskets and contents where they were
5.	2200	A7790	HQ AFV	R & R Leave	Relevant detail passed to 161 (Indep) Reco
6.	2230	97770	HQ AFV	Out of Country R & R - Movements	11 MC Gp informed.
7.	0005	Tele	DO 2 Fd Amb	USN jeep No.9422235 parked in 2 Fd Amb area. Search of area did not reveal owner.	MPs notified - they have been looking for it.
8.	0022			MPs arrived to pick up jeep	
9.	0719	Tele	Capt STEEL 1 ATF	Password for convoy	Passed to 1 Coy
10.	0725	Tele	Capt FERGUSON 1 Coy RAASC	3 vehs from 5 RAR not yet with convoy	2 vehs from 5 RAR returned, 1 only half loaded. To move at 1000 hrs
11.	0731	Conf	DO 1 ALSG	Time check	
12.	0733	Tele	DO 1 ALSG	5 RAR instructed to return truck with escort from 1 ATF (Lt COOK spoken to)	1 Coy advised

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No.	From (Appt and HQ)	Details	Action taken
1	1740	1	WO VINALL 17 Const Sqn	Request for Duty Officer HQ 1 ALSG to remind 11 MC Gp of the move of Spr ROEBER to AUSTRALIA 3 Jul 66	Capt SAYER informed
2.	1810	2	Mov Control HQ AFV	Details of RAAF Caribou loadings, and dates of movement of Australian passengers to VUNG TAU. Cpl ELLIS (Movements) to return to SAIGON, and not to RTA. Required for completion of an investigation	Passed to 11 MC
3.	1845	3	SMO 2 Fd Amb	Request for both Chaplains to move immediately to 36 US Evac Hosp. Two Australians admitted, no details of name, unit, religion. Details later.	Both Chaplains sent to 36 US Evac
4.	1950	4	Med LO 36 Evac Hosp (WO1 AVERY)	Details of 2 Aust cas: DOA - 42720 R.J. LUBKE (Meth) Wounded, still on op table - 214602 Cpl L.V. O'SULLIVAN. Both believed to be 5 RAR. Requires identification of LUBKE's remains.	Contacted Duty Offr 1 ATF to arrange for member to move to VUNG TAU to identify Pte LUBKE. Soldier to move to VUNG TAU AM 3 Jul 66. HQ 1 ATF sigs A48 and A49 commenced NOTICAS and FATALCAS procedures.
5.	2125	7	Lcpl APPLEBY (Courier)	Had instructions from Maj MUDD to pass mail to Sig Centre, ALSG, but Sig Centre would not accept his mail. Also stated he had to wait 3 hrs at airport before being picked up by Sigs.	Sig Centre were directed to accept Courier mail
6.	2130	8	Med LO 36 Evac Hosp	Identification of Pte LUBKE made by soldier from 2 Fd Amb	DO 1 ATF advised not to send soldier to VUNG TAU for identification of LUBKE's remains
6.	0710	10	1 ATF TOC	JAMES BOND	Passed to 1 Ops, 1 Coy RAASC
7.	0715	11	Capt FERGUSON	l veh from 6 RAR not arrived for the convoy and convoy to leave without it.	

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8.	8. 0720 12 Comd		Comd	Comd requested the following offrs meet him at 0830 hrs:	All offrs informed.
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9.	0730	13	- Comd - 1 ALSG	Request to contact HQ 1 ATF.	Contacted, G2 1 ATF to call back.
10.	0820	14	HQ 1 ATF	Comds helicopter to arrive at ALSG pad 0930 hrs	Comd informed
-11	0835	15	Capt HOLTON HQ 1 ATF	Request from 1 ATF for Col ROUSE to bring with the Charge Report for 21t SULLIVAN	Passed to SC "A" HQ 1 ALSG

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Detail	Action Taken
1	0900	16	17 Const Sqn	Three members reported AWOL 1200 hrs 2 Jul 66 have returned to unit.	Pro notified
2	1029	17	PX	Request 2 x Mk 3 afternoon 3 Jul 66 to be loaded with beer for 1 ATF	Capt NEWMAN informed
3	1030	18	Capt TURNER	SC"Q"(Maint) may destroy SOI's for month of June	SC"Q" informed
4	1200	19	Lt HARRIS 1 ATF	Requested info on: a. Timings applicable to charge b. Place, date, nature of offence c. Witnesses	Info obtained from DAA & QMG. Passed on ton1 ATF
5	1445	20	HQ 1 ATF	Reference 10 pers from 1 ATF required by 1 ALSG to errect tents on 4 Jul 66	1 TF informed sig G1213 of 030604 gives date as from 6 Jul 66
6	1541	21	Capt STEPHENSEN 1 ATF	Requirement for 1 ATF 200 gal nesting tanks: 3 for 1 APC 1 for 103 Sigs 2 for 5 RAR 2 for 3 SAS	Capt NEWMAN informed
7	1600	22	Maj COOPER 1 ATF	Couri r flt from 1 ATF due at 1615 hrs cancled Any pers to go fwd report RAAF Ops room airfiedl 1720 hrs	

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HQ 1 ALSG OPERATIONS LOG 1700 HRS 3 - - 0800 HRS 4 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Aptt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
11	1919	2	DO ALSG	Units Stand Down	
2	1920	3	MSTS MIL TPT SVC	Notified arrival of 24 US sig pers, 9 vehs, attached to 1 ATF	Informed to keep pers on LST and notifey HQ alsg 4 Jul when unloading completed
3	2020	4	Capt BOLTON 17 Const Sqn	5 shots fired from direction of US rock crusher. Unit standing to.	Advised to stand down if quiet and double piquets if necessary
4	0033	5	DO 1 Coy RAASC	Pte EGGNOLESE not present at bed check	
5	0100	6	DO 2 Fd Amb	37509 Cpl W.J.HUDNOTT AWOL	Member returned, notified 0600 hrs
6.	0770	7	Thoma	Road clearance received	Ops 1 Coy RAASC

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	. From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	2100	1	HQ AFV	Tpt arrangements for 3 ALSG members to SAIGON 5 Jul 66 as follows: Cpl WEBSTER Pte SHERRI GTON) O945 Hrs Pte NEWELL 1245 Hrs	2 Fd Amb informed
2	0100	A7885	HQ AFV	Signal requested condition of 214602 Cpl L.V.O. SULLIVAN WIA 2 Jul 66.	Contacted 36 Evac Hosp info require required not released owing to Doctor not beeing in attendance. Rang D.O. HQ AFV. Info to be obtained ASP AM 5 Jul 66.
3	0130	3	US Pro	38586 Pte H.MEE admitted to 5 Evac Hosp. 2200 hrs superficial cuts unit not known.	Provost will ring AM 5 July with details and unit of members
4	0710	4	ATF	VAN JOHNSON	Info 1 Coy RAASC Ops

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From	Details	Action taken
1	1935	1	Capt GOODWIN 1 ATF	Requests location of Maj MURPHY 3 SAS, and asks for Maj MURPHY to ring him.	Maj MURPHY located 1 ALSG, informed of request at 1940 hrs.
2	1945	Sig G7932	AFV	Visit of Brig Jackson ANDEASON	To be bought forward to GSO 2 prior to 0830 hrs 6 Jul 66
3	2345	2	Mr JANSEN Red Cross	Request to be notified of his time of departur for BARIA on 6 Jul 66	e Details obtained and relayed to Mr JANSEN
4	0628	3	Capt STALIS	For Maj MURPHY, unable to get aircraft for NA TRANG	Message to Maj MURPHY at 0640 hrs
5	0702	4	Duty Offr 1 ATF	ALAN LADD	Passed to 1 Coy Ops

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1	1705	Telecon	SC 'Q' 1 ATF	Request for waterprum spares for 1 OFP Bath Section	Request handed to Capt BLAND Who will attend NB Doubtful if spares req available in theatre. SC 'Q' 1 ATF info of this		
2	1915	Aust Force Sig G7963	(TD15B) sp 1 (US) Div on MINH				
3	2140	Sig ST 106 & 107	1 ATF	Maintdem for ammo and blasting caps	Capt NEWMAN info		
4	2300	Telecom	Bulk PX	Area flooded - req working party to move stores out of water	Req 1 Coy RAASC to provide		
5	0050	Telecom	DO 1 Comp Ord	Shots heard from direction vacated ARVN Trg Area - investigating	NIL		
6	01:0	Telecon	DO 1 Comp Ord	NTR from pt1 (serial 5)			
7	0720	Telecon	1 ATF	JAMES GRANT	Passed to 1 Coy		

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1	1715	1	SC"A" 1 ATF	Informed emerg "Dustoff" was on way to 36 Evac. Req he be informed of any info we might receive.	Info fwd to DO 2 Fd Amb
2	1730	2	WO1 AVERY Med LO	Casuality died on operating table Name 3786634 Tpr T.HOLLAND. Religion CE. 2 Fd Amb informed Parde. 2 Fd Amb arranging identification.	Rang DO 1 ATF and passed on info.
3	1735	3	Capt MITCHELL	P.S.Trg Centre is to conduct flare and explosive trg from 7 Jul to 15 Jul 66. Situation SOUTH of this area in references 289424 - 290425, 288429 - 287424 Timings daily: 0800 hrs to 1800 hrs and 1900 hrs to 2100 hrs. Should be finished by 2100 hrs.	To be passed to IO
4	1830	4	WO1 AVERY	Soldiers body indentified. Details required as follow Date of Birth Name of NOK Adrress of NOK Maritial Status. These details required for Death Cert. Also required varification of unit to which member belonged as member who identified body thinks he belongs to 1 APC	Med LO informed of Particulars
5	1850	5	RAAF OPS		DO informed
6	2200		Capt NEEHAN	Reported shots heard vicinity this area	DO informed.

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Serial	Time	Téle/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1930	1	Padre DUGGAN	Lcpl M.TOMAS & RAR KIA - Padre has completed his duties NFA	
2	2005	2	WO1 AVERY 36 Evac Ext 579	Body identified by Lt WAINWRIGHT- identified as 5713739 Lcpl M.THOMAS, also asked us to contact 1 ATF to include in FATALCAS Sig DOB and martial status	Contacted DO 1 ATF (Capt STEELE) requesting that info be supplied on FATALCAS Sig.
3	0120	Tele		Notified WO1 AVERY of info he required as in serial 2. Sig A149 FATALCAS received from 1 ATF.	
4	0700	Tele	DO 1 ATF	Convoy clearance "KIM NOVAK"	Notified Ops 1 Coy RAASC.

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Serial	Tiio	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1810	1	SC"A" 1 ATF	Requested info on 3 pers evac to 36 US Evac Hospital NOTICAS Sigs A 161, A 162, A 160 from HQ 1 ATF refer	Obtained info from WO1 AVERY and passed it to DO 1 ATF at
2	2140	2	DAA & QMG 1 ATF	Units are informed to supply own transport to collect stores from Transit Area - Capt NEWMAN to advise by units and number of vehicle loads available for collection.	
3	0705		Capt STEELE HQ 1 ATF	DINAH LEE	Passed to Ops 1 Coy RAASC

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1700	11	Capt NEENAN	Still 8 shotguns required for 11 Jul	Passed to Capt NEWMAN
2	1925	2	17 Const Sqn	Req arrangement for 6 Members for 1 Fd Sqn	Enquired from 1 Coy - 17 Const Sqn to contact 1 Coy.
3	2030	3	Maj CROW	Req stores for AHQ Serial No 1028 to be taken fwd ASP	Capt NEWMAN info
4	2040	4	DO 1 Coy	No light ac aval for convoy coverage 11 Jul	Capt NEWMAN info
5	2155	5	2 Fd Amb	Reported one of their patients missing since 1700 hrs - search of unit and Bach Beach area without result.	Instructed to contact Pro and give them full particulars of soldier.
6	2220	6	Maj CROW	500 emergency rations required for one of the major units	Capt NEWMAN info
7	2225	7	Lt RYAN 2 Comp Ord Dep		Capt NEWMAN info. Passed to 1 ATF
8	0708		DO 1 ATF	MARILYN MONROE	Passed to Ops 1 Coy

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	Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt and HQ	Details	Action Taken
-	1	1830	A8164	Aust Force Viet	NOTICAS Personnel	Referred to and answered by 2 Fd Amb
S. T. S.	2	1830	A8161	11 11 11	NOTICAS. Asking for info concerning condition of 3 pers	Referred to 2 Fd Amb answered by SC"A".
	3	1835	1	145 Sig n	Report on small arms fire	Informed to contact RAEME to see if they could enlighten him on the incident
	4	1850	2	DO 2 Comp Ord	Reported he had i estigated shooting on beach which had revealed ARVN tps practicing.	No action taken
	5	1900	3	DO 1 Coy RAASC	Reported driver had been involved in an accident with a VIETNAMESE and an interpreter was needed	Sgt BARNES was detailed to report as directed. Later info revealed that only minor damage had been caused and nobody was injured.
	6	1955	4	DO EBONY TOC	Requested info concerning a \frac{3}{4} ton Landrover which had not returned to Task Force after visiting 36 Evac Hosp and 2 Comp Ord. No 113-460 containing 3 pers belonging to 1 Fd Regt.	Rang 2 Comp Ord, 1 Coy RAASC and 2 Fd Amb to find if they had any know- ledge of the missing veh. None of these units had any knowledge concer- ning the vehicle nor had VUNG TAU Pro HQ.
	7	2140	5	DO EBONY TOC	Info me that three missing gunners from 1 Fd Regt were in 36 Evac Hosp after being involved in a rd accident.	Rang 2 Fd Amb to find out extent of injuries. CO and Maj GRAY info
	8	2210	6	1 ALSG	G2 HQ AFV requires Capt WELLS presence at HQ AFV tomorrow	Capt WELLS info
	9	2230	7	Maj FOX	Gave details of injuries sustained in Rd accident Bdr TAYLOR - bruised abdomen Lbdr ASHMAN - mud in the eyes Gnr WESTBURY - Lacerated thumb Being held in 36 Evac Hosp overnight and moved to 2 Fd tomorrow.	DO Task Force Info

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	10	2245	8	Cpl EDDY	Reported veh was forced off the Rd by VIETNAMESE veh and ended up three quarters buried in mud. Occupants	DO Task Force info
-					were thrown out	COLUMN TO THE REAL PROPERTY OF
	11	2330	9	DO HQ AFV	Asking for details of condition of 215582 Lcpl ANTHONY	Info obtained from 2 Fd Amb and phoned through to HQ AFV
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	12	002	Int 54	1 ATF	Int Summary	Capt Wobi Vised IIIs oning in
	13	0020	Ops 44	1 ATF	SITREP	the morning
	14	0720	10	1 ATF	Rd reported clear	S & T Ops info

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1	1935	1	Capt NEENAN 1 Coy	Said one of his drivers has just reported to him, a VIETNAMESE who was selling sunglasses on Back Beach Rd Sunday 10 Jul asked what time does the convoy arrive back	Info passed to Int Pers
2	1950	2	55 AESS	176 AD Coy fork lift had not returned and trucks of off-loaded stores were starting to build up. Requested fork lift and driver. Believed 176 AD Coy machine had gone US.	Fork lift taken from 101 Fd Wksp: to arrange drivers with 55 AESS
3	2100	3	1 ATF	1 ATF will send protection down for convoy tomorrow (13 Jul 66). Convoy NOT to move before arrival (ETA 0930 hrs)	Info passed to: DAQMG (Maint) 1 Coy OPs 161 Recce Flt Pro 101 Fd Wksp
4	2100	4	101 Wksp	Advised that fork lift sent to 55 AESS if required after midnight they can supply own operator.	
5	2115	5	DO 1 ATF	12 Vehs arriving with protection at 0930 hrs tomorrow (13 Jul 66) report to Capt NEWMAN (WO2 HARMES IC). Vehs for unit stores from 2 Comp Ord.	Info passed to Capt NEWMAN
6	2345	6	DO 1 ATF	Rang to confirm that 2 Comp Ord has only enough stores for five vehicles. Advised DO that was correct. He was still sending down his convey as the remainder could pickup some of the 100 Cu ft refrigerators.	check with Lt RYAN 2 Comp Ord Info passed to Capt NEWMAN
7	0015	7	Duty NCO 17 Const	315545 Spr TWIGG has not returned from leave	
8	0710	8	TOC 1 ATF	JOAN CRAWFORD	Passed to Ops 1 Coy RAASC

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1700 HRS 13 JUL - 0800 HRS 14 Jul 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1700	1	Fd Ops (WS)	Severe weather warning	Conference call
2	1715	2	Ops Airfield	Two Viet interpreters arrived	Capt WEIR to pick up
3	1745	3	2 Fd Amb	20 pers for convoy 14 Jul 66. None have weapons.	Capt NEWMAN info
4	1810	4	Sgt EDWARDS Mov BEN HOA	ac leaving BEN HOA 1810 hrs for VUNG TAU with 6 pallets of tentage for 6 RAR.	Capt's NEWMAN & SAWYER info (picked up by 1 Coy RAASC)
5	0645		DO EBONEY TOC	Password received for convoy.	Passed to DO 1 Coy RAASC

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	1	2022		Miss H ZINNER	Stated she heard that a grenade had been thrown in the vicinity of CYRNOS Bar. The town was in darkness. Did we know anything.	Told we would immediatly check with MPs and thanked her for her infomation				
	2	2023		TO MP SLATER	MP desk Sgt confirmed that a grenade had exploded in Front Beach area. He has not received any directions concerning the closing of the town but will let DO know as soon as the position is clear.	CO and G2 informed. Conference call to all units passing info. Directed that all guards and picquets be informed and to be extra vigilent. Units warned to have leave trucks on stand by				
	3	2050		Lt GERNHOEFER	This officer confirmed that two grenades had been thrown in VUNG TAU one at the PACIFIC and one at CYRNOS. At least six AMERICANS are wounded. He saw these at Evac Hospital after taking one wounded man there himself.					
	4	2121		MP Station VUNG TAU	As from 2121 the town of VUNG TAU is Off Limits to all military personnel by command of Col CHURCH.	Conference call to all units to send leave vehicles to vicinity of PACIFIC and pick up all AUSTRALIANS. A shotgun and a senior NCO with each vehicle. The 2 Fd Amb senior NCO to remain with his vehicle until all Aust lifted and to report on return to DO if extra vehs are required				
	5	2140		DO 1 ALSG	Pte SMIT surrendered to DO after being AWOL.	Placed in open arrest and ordered to his quarters.				
	6	2200		2 Fd Amb	RC Padre required at Evac Hospital	Chap DUGGAN info and departs				
	7	2230		2 Fd Amb	Senior NCO reports that all Aust personnel in vicinity of PACIFIC lifted from town. His truck circled town several times but no others sighted. Reports that 5 members of 2 Fd Amb still out of lines.	Telephoned MP station and directed that any stray Aust pers be gathered at MP Station. They were to inform DO of any collected and Tpt would be arranged for them				

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8	2230		MP Station	Informed that 1 dead and 13 wounded, ie 8 AMERICANS and 5 VIETNAMESE. This is not yet positive.	
9	2245		DO 1 ALSG	DO 1 Coy directed to send vehicle and senior NCO to MP Station and to remain there until 2345 hrs when he will lift any stray Aust pers back to camp.	
10	2245		DO 2 Fd Amb	All Fd Amb pers in lines	
11	0700	1	EBONY	Rd declared clear.	11/4/

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HQ 1 ALSG OPERATIONS LOG 1700 HRS 15 JUL - 0800 HRS 16 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action taken
1	1745	1	1 ATF	8 Pers booked for mov SAIGON 16 Jul 66 now not reaching ALSG until 16 Jul via convoy	Info SC"A" refacen, SC mov ref bookings
2	1845	1	1 Coy RAASC	Received Sig from 1 ATF stating no mov NORTH prior to 1100 hrs 16 Jul 66.	Info 101 Fd Wksp, 2 Fd Amb, 2 Comp Ord

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1700 HRS 16 JUL - 0800 HRS 17 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1700	Sig Q 30	RAAF HQ AFV	MEDDOGE TOT ME. INTEREST	Relayed by phone to Maj HARRIS
2	1725	1	Lt NIQUAT 145 Sig Sqn		message relayed to DAA & QMG by runner 1727 hrs
3	1735	2	Capt STARKE 67 GL Sec	For IO. Jamming of radio on frequency 35.0 line NORTHING 57.5 between EASTING 30 and 25. Jammer could be water borne	To be delivered to IO on his return
4	1840	A 8390	HQ AFV	MILION DE LA PROPERTIE DE LA COMPANIONE	1. MLO 2 Fd Amb info 2. Mov VUNG TAU info 3. Det 1 Div Cash Office info
5	1855	A 8383	HQ AFV	Investigation. 38599 Pte B.R.W.SMITH 87 Tpt Pl required at HQ AFV 18 Jul 66	Capt FERGUSON HQ 1 Coy RAASC info
6	2000	3	RAAF VUNG TAU	HERCULES delayed 24 hours	Capt SAWYER 11 MC Gp info
7	2105	4	Maj CROWE HQ 1 ATF	Requires aggragate (4 truck loads of $\frac{3}{4}$ " or $1\frac{1}{2}$ " if $\frac{3}{4}$ " not available)	Capt NEWMAN 17 Jul 66
8	2215	ST 220	1 ATF	MAINTDEM	Referred to Capt NEWMAN
9.	0700	5	1 ATF	Lou ABBOTT	Relay to Ops Room 1 Coy RAASC

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1700			Maj SALTER and Ssgt BUCKLE assummed duty	
2	1715	AFV A8	3407 of 170810Z Jul	Ref Crash One & Two - Ref veh accident involving Pte STITH	1 Coy info by Duty NCO (Capt FERGUSon from 1 Coy took the msg
3	1935	isa isa isa isa	Capt ANDERSON	Requesting telecon /T (WO2 PINI) re "duff" mor ammo	Re-directed call to 2 Comp Ord Dep
4	2050		SC"Q" 1 ATF	Req info aval 30 cu ft refrigerator as replacement UNSVC refrigerator 1 Fd Sqn. Two UNSVC ready for backloading and replacement 18 Jul 66	Advised SC"Q" to ring DQ(Maint at 0830 hrs 18 Jul
5	2105		Capt ANDERSON	E. Requirement for beach sand in 1 ATF area, as fols, ASP HQ 1 ATF = 3 x dump truck loads 3 SAS = 3 = dump truck loads b. for 1 Fd Sqn (Maj LENNON) Aggregate = 4 loads Rock = 4 loads Washed sand = 2 loads Arc mesh = 20 sheets	For action DQ (Maint) 18 Jul 66
6	2235	Light	s failed	Report from Lt TONKS - Resources Troop - both generators UNSVC and no further power possible until approx mid-day 18 Jul. All units warned re food etc in refrigerators.	
7	2330	Light	s On	No explanation - just came on	
8	0015		Cpl IC Powerhouse	Temporary lighting will have to be switched off, as machine being used in danger of permanent damage. Permission given to switch off & effect repairs ASP 18 Jul. This info given to all Unit DO repeating Serial 6 warning.	

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10	0732		To 1 Coy Ops	Bud COSTELLO	

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1715	1	Maj MILLER 5 RAR	400 Rds mor HE 81 mm not despatched to 5 RAR. Pls arrange 320 rds for despatch by helicopter 0700 hrs 19 Jul	Capt NEWMAN info, contacted 176 AD Coy to arrange for compliance
2	1750	2	Capt WOOLMER 176 AD	Cypher eqpt (presumably) has gone on SIOUX helicopter. in 176 AD veh, parked in 176 AD lines are the following:	Capt NEWMAN info
				a. 360 rds 81 mm mor HE b. one (1) box smoke grenades c. two (2) boxes containing wireless sets	
3	1930	3	Maj DAY 17 Const	Query on 4 x 5 ton tippers of aggragate.	Capt NEWMAN info, who phoned Maj DAY. despatched sig to AFV
4	2040	5	WO GRIFFITH	Capt SAWYER to call WO1 GRIFFITH to clarify posn on AIRMOV to SAIGON on 19 Jul	Capt SAWYER info, made call to WO GRIFFITH
5	0008	ORD 303	1 ATF	OPDEM 1 APC Sqn require 4 x 12v batteries	Capt NEWMAN info. Directed by Capt NEWMAN to contact DO 2 Comp Ord. 2 Comp Ord to despatch on 0700 hrs flt
6	0050	ORD 305	1 ATF	OPDEM 1 Fd Sqn require paint/brushes	Capt NEWMAN to be notified
7	0715	6	1 ATF	Jungle JIM	Passed to DO 1 Coy RAASC

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1740		21 Sup Pl	Pri 1 staff demand 80/66 incorrectly addressed to 21 Sup Pl instead of 2 Sup depot for rat poison	Referred to DO HQ AFV
2	1923	sig A8489	AFV	Crash two required for 1 coy veh No 170 032 - 1 Coy Ops 92 refers	Referred to 1 Coy for action
3	1932		176 AD Coy	Is a RAAF courier due in on 20 Jul	Contacted Capt SAWYER courier due in 201030H approx. 176 AD Coy info
4	1950	sig F8485	AFV	Wed 20 May is public holiday for VIETNAMESE staff. Employees entitled to double time	Contacted DO HQ AFV to verify if signal should read 20 Jul
5	2000		Capt JENSEN Red Cross	Inquired re timings of helicopter ex VIPER for 1 ATF. Officer claims he had a permanent booking.	Suggested he be at pad at 0745 hrs - No booking had been made.
6	2325		DO AFV	1. Viet holiday should read 20 July 2. Pri 1 staff demand for rat poison - DO stated that reason demand sent to 21 Sup Pl is that DAQMG understood that they held large quantities of above item	Lt PURVIS info. He was aware of holiday Checked back with 1 Coy re rat poison. Informed by Capt FERGURSON that nil stocks held and that they originated do d.
7	2335		1 Coy DO	Flares observed over Airfield.	Info DO that this was expected tonight
8	0045	sig	1 ATF	Maintdem Ammo Maintdem POL	Referred Capt NEWMAN
9	0740		1 ATF	Man Friday	1 Coy RAASC info

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1700 HRS 20 JUL - 0800 HRS 21 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
	1810	1	Duty Offr HQ AFV	(a) Present loc (b) Battle cas or not (c) Where injury occurred (d) Was NOK notified	2 Fd Amb contacted and fol info received: (a) 36 Cas Evac (b) Not battle casualty (c) Unit cook house (d) NOK not notified Info relayed to DO HQ AFV at 1820 hrs.
2	1945		Duty Offr HQ 1 ALSG	25 Set for following day, to enable comms to be established between LCM and FAC on following day	Lt GAUVEN, the officer operating the radio set, to pick it up from 17 Const Sqn at 0700 hrs 21 Jul 66.
3	0720	2	DO 1 ATF		Passed to Ops 1 Coy RAASC at 0721 hrs

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1		1	EBONY	For DAQ(Main'), Ref'A' Frames for towing vehs. Does msg mean a. We havent got any at all, or b. We wont lend them.	ATF. Msg means: a. We have 'A' Frames but no spares. b. 1 to be made aval for 1.
2	1845	2	Capt HEMING EM, 1 ATF	Britstand tlr with prime mover and an M113 to be backloaded on next run of LCM or LSM. Dvr will come down with it and drive to 2 Comp Ord Dep	
3	1800	3	Lt Col RODGERS 2 Fd Amb for Maj CHAMBER'- LAIN	Urgent MEDEVAC tomorrow - to be on plane about midday for RTA. Lt Col RODGERS will brief on his return between 0900 1000 hrs tomorrow.	Passed to 2 Fd Amb by phone
4	1930	4	Capt FERGUSON 1 Coy RAASC	R & C Centre Pers will leave to be picked up at	Comfirmed to 1 Coy RAASC At 1945 Hrs
5	1940	5	Bdr MACKAY	Bdr MACKAY and 1 RNZA returned from R & R and stranded on Airfd	Tpt arranged. 1 Coy RAASC to accn
6	2155	6		Msg to 17 Const Scn. Lights have failed in HQ Area Electric n to fix	Lights came on at 2300 hrs
7	2355	7	Power House	Proquested permission to switch off lights for \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to 1 hour to effect repairs to generator	Operator to notifiy 2 Fd Amb and carry out repairs
8	0615	8	GLÓ	First courier may be delayed as ac is required for Op task at first light	Passed to Maj CROW at 2 Comp Ord Dep
9	0725	9	Capt STEEL 1 ATF	No road clearing op due to other commitments	Passed to Capt NEWMAN and 1 Coy RAASC

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1750		HQ SCVT	There will be a conference at Sp Comd VUNG TAU at 0900 hrs this coming Sunday mcrming 24 Jul - Lt Col ROUSE is invited to attend. This is a conference of all Comds in the area	
2	1800		145 Sig Sqn	215668 Sig J.R.CARPENTER to move to 1 ATF on convoy of 23 Jul.	Capt NEWMAN Info
3	0015		17 Const Sqn	Reported that 21t TONK had not returned from leave in VUNG TAU	
4	0035		2 Fd Amb	Reported that Sig GODDARD had not returned from leave in VUNG TAU	
5	0040		87 Tpt Pl	Reported that Pte ALLEN (87 Tpt P1) Ptes TAYLOR and VANULYCK (D&E P1) had not reported from leave in VUNG TAU.	
6	0045		17 Const Sqn	Reported that 21t TONK had been asleep in his bed.	
7				On ringing the Provost in VUNG TAU I was told that Pte ALLEN was with them, he reported after missing his vehicle.	
8				It was reported to me at approx 0630 hrs that Sig GODDARD had slepted in 2 Fd Amb area and had not in fact stayed in VUNG TAU	
9	0730		DO 1 ATF	LOIS LANE	Passed to 1 Coy Ops

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Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No.	From (Appt and HQ)	Details	Action Taken
1.	1800	Tele 1	RAAF Ops.	Advise Heli arriving VTPER to collect passenger at 1820 hrs. Name of passenger unknown.	Unable to locate any passengers for this flight
2.	1802	Tele 2	145 Sig Sqn	Request advice as to when items on OPDEM for 103 Sig Sqn are being forwarded.	Contacted 2 Comp Ord Dep, advise aval item going morning 24 Jul. See serials 5 and 8.
3.	1920	Tele 3	Conference Call	All units cleared and stood down	
4.	1920	Tele 4	1 Coy RAASC	Advise breakfast Sun 24 Jul 0700 hrs for all ranks	HQ 1 ALSG OR informed
5.	2000	Tele 5	30 matte	Contacted Maj CROWE, 1 ATF, reference NO convoys, availability of some stores and OPDEM mentioned in serial 2.	Replies passed to Capt NEWMAN.
6.	2130	Tele 6	Maj GROSSE ASCO	Requested flights to and from 1 ATF Sun 24 Jul	Timings and locations provided. Booked on 0740 flight.
7.	2200	TRIA Ja of Despite	Lt GAUVIN D & E P1	Reported to say his vehicle had run off the road some 200 yards from the boom gate towards the "Five Ways". The veh, a $\frac{1}{4}$ ton Rover fitted for welding, was in the swamp and sinking slowly.	Rang 101 Fd Wksp for a Wrecker, and one arrived within fifteen minutes. Veh pulled out and motor still able to run. Veh taken to 101 Fd Wksp.
8.	2225	Tele 7	Duty Offr 2 Comp Ord	Provided info on Sigs OPDEN. Info already passed to MOLAR 1 ATF. See serial 5.	For its the age of the land to
9.	2240	Tele 8	Duty Offr 1 Coy RAASC	Reported a 2½ ton truck had left 1 Coy lines and gone to airfield to collect mail. Veh had left airfield at 2115 hrs and had NOT yet returned to	Info passed to VUNG TAU MPs at 2255 hrs with request to locate veh and occupants
	de Bêrecay	See ledges, form	Darent Til i	1 Coy. Lt EDWARDS, Postal Unit, had driven to and from the airfield at 2200 hrs and NOT sighted the veh. The veh was a Mk 3 truck, No.170280, carrying 3 NCOs.	THE PARTY OF THE P
10.	2320	Tele 9	Duty Offr 1 Coy RAASC	Veh mentioned in serial 8 had returned to lines	MPs in VUNG TAU informed.
11.	0105	Tele 10.	Duty Offr 145 Sig Sqn	Sig CARROLL AWOL as at OlOl hrs 24 Jul.	TO SEED IN COLUMN TO SEED THE SEED TO SEED THE S

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12.	0125	Tele 11	Duty Offr 2 Comp Ord	Pte T.R. HADDLETON AWOL as at OlOl hrs 24 Jul. He is attached to 2 Comp Ord Dep for duties from 2 Fd Amb	
13.	0130	Tele 12	MP HQ VUNG TAU	Five pers found at a bar after curfew. Claimed they were from 105 Fd Bty RAA. Gave address as "Transit Area" 1 ALSG. Led by a Sgt, but none knew where within 1 ALSG. MPs requested transport. MP report to follow	Rang 1 Coy RAASC. The 5 are in D & E Pl lines prior to RTA. 1 Coy will uplift the five from MP HQ.
14.	0700	Tele 13	Duty Offr 1 ATF	KIM NOVAC	1 ATF informed no convoy (see ser 5)
15.	0735		Conference Call	Time check to all units.	7 ata 2 0002 -A
16.	0815	Tele 14	To all units	Reminded of Area cleanliness, and Comds inspection of same.	
17.	0820	Tele 15	Duty Offr 145 Sig Sqn	Sig CARROLL still AWOL	E. 2230 Pole 6 Maj
18.	0825	Tele 16	Duty Offr 2 Comp Ord	Pte T.R. HADDLETON still AWOL	2200 E 2 E 2 E 2 E 2 E 2 E 2 E 2 E 2 E 2
19.	0835	Tele 17	MP 1 ATF	Lt GERNHOEFFER to contact 1 ATF MP ref a priority sig concerning Emergency Leave.	Info passed to Lt GERNHOEFFER at 0840 hrs.
20.	0850	Tele 18	21 Sup Pl	900 lb of bread aval for issue to 1 ATF (1 Heli load)	Rang 1 ATF and advised MOLAR. Arranged for 1 ATF to procure heli for afternoon
21.	0900	sor adminol of Sas	To: 176 AD Coy	Advised to be prepared to load bread	
22.	0930	Tele 19	Offra Mess 1 ALSG	Lt GERNHOEFFER requested several personnel be procured to assist in Mess	Personnel located and provided.
23.	0950	Section 19 and 1	Capt NEWMAN	Advised two US Ammo technicians require tpt to 1 ATF	Arranged to be placed on 1140 hrs heli. Advised MOLAR 1 ATF they are on heli, and Ssgt RADINSKY to meet.
24.	1000 to 1100	Tele 20	Major units 1 ALSG	Units advised Duty Offr 1 ALSG that areas had been cleaned and were ready for Comds inspection	Lt Col ROUSE advised of all returns at 1100 hrs.

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25.	11.05	Tele 21	Duty NCO 17 Const Sqn	Advised the 125 KVA generator in the Power House had blown gasket. Would use the 62.5 KVA until 1 Coy Wksp could repair the 125 KVA.	1 Coy Wksp advised.
26.	1110	Tele 22	SC "Q" 1 ATF	Ref 900 1b of bread - recommended it be brought fwd with a 1 ATF convoy leaving BACK BEACH at 1430 hrs.	21 Sup Pl advised. 176 AD Coy not required. Located 1 ATF Convoy Comd at 1120 and advised him to collect bread from 21 Sup Pl
27.	1300	Tele 23	Sgt BARNES	Requires transport for interregation team from Korean MASH to 1 ALSG for lunch	Lt GAUVIN provided tpt when chinging guard at MASH.
28.	1320	Tele 24	Duty Offr 17 Const Sqn	Advised all generators in power house were in need of repair and that power would have to be shut down at 1600 hrs unless repairs were effected.	OC 1 Coy Wksp advised, and stated he would take action.
29.	1345		Sgt BARNES	Required tpt for interregation team to Korean MASH, and to return in 2 hrs.	Maj SALTER provided veh and dvr to deliver party. Veh located later to return party.
30.	1420	Tele 25	161 Recce Flt	Advised had rescued six bags of mail from the LZ (VIPER) at start of rain. Mail bags previously dropped by heli from 1 ATF.	1 Div Post Unit advised. Collected mail from 161 Recce Flt and advised it was in good order at 1515 hrs.
31.	1435		Convoy Comd 1 ATF Convoy	Advised had insufficient room on convoy for 900 lb of bread.	Rang 1 ATF and contacted PLAYTIME. Requested heli be provided. 1 ATF rang back advised heli aval at VIPER at 1630 hrs. Informed 21 Sup Pl and 176 AD Coy to arrange loadings.
32.	1600	Tele 26	Lt HAZELWOOD 1 Fd Regt	Requested knowledge of location of Gnr PARKER who arrived on Courier from AUSTRALIA.	11 MC not aval. Contacted 1 Coy RAASC who advised they had this Gnr in the D & E Pl area overnight. 1 Fd Regt advised.
32.	1600		Capt MUSGROVE	Requested tpt to VIPER LZ	Provided veh and dvr from OR lines after some difficulty.

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Recommendation It is recommended that a Duty Veh and Dvr, seperate from the Duty NCO, be made available on an "on call" basis to the Duty Offr.

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1	1740	1	Capt FERGURSON 1 Coy RAASC	Enquiry concerning the loading of tipper front end loader required.	Lt REID info and actioned
2	2005	ST 426	1 ATF	Domicating areail-1:1:1 a	Capt NEWMAN informed
3	2050	2	Maj FOX 2 Fd Amb	Asked for Maj GRAY to inform him of illness of Cpl BROWN Provost Det 1 ATF.	THE THE THE COLUMN TO THE COLU
4	2305	3	Duty NCO 1 Coy RAASC	2 personnel of 87 Tpt Pl reported AWOL one seen driving a vehicle without authority.	MP HQ informed
5	0015	4	Duty NCO 1 Coy RIASC	Dotto	MP HQ informed
6	0650	5	DO 1 ATF	JANE FONDA	1 Coy RAASC Ops Room informed

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<u>HQ 1 ALSG OPERATIONS LOG</u> 1700 HRS 25 JUL - 0800 HRS 26 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1830	1	AFV	SUNRAY AFV arrives 35 Sqn 0900 hrs 26 Jul. Bringing two guest of equal rank	G2 notified
2	1835	2	MLO	RC Padre required at 36 Evac Hosp ASP	Padre notified
3	1930	3	RC Padre	Cpl NORRIS & Pte PURCELL 6 RAR died in 36 Ecac Hosp	
4	1940	4	2 Fd Amb	Four pers for convoy	1 Coy RAASC notified
5	0115	5	Provost	Arrested Gnr C.M.WILSON. Was too drunk to rember his unit. Request info where to take him to	Verified Gnr from 105 Fd Bty on security guard 1 ALSG. Contacted ALSG units, none knew of him. Placed Gnr into care of D & E Pl.
6	0652	6	CO 1 Fd Regt	Ref Gnr WILSON. If in fit state to arrange his return to 105 Fd Bty	Arranged with Capt FERGUSON
	0700	1 7	ATF	George SCOTT	1 Coy RAASC notified

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1	1700		HQ 1 ALSG	Capt HAWTHORNE and Ssgt GORDON Sunted duty	
2	1735	G004	67 GL Sec	PD mission Report	Capt WJST .notified
3	0010	1	DO 17 Const Sqn	Reported of AWOL 214770 Spr J.C.MASON/staying overnight at 17 Const Sqn - from 1 Fd Sqn	
4		2	1 ATF	Tony MARTIN	Ops Room 1 Coy RAASC no fied

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1700 HRS 28 JUL - 0800 HRS 29 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1945	Ord 495	1 ATF	MAINTDEM: Dry cell bty for ANPRC 64	Passed to DQ (Maint)
2	1946	Med 8992	Aust Force	Move DADMS to KOREA. Req replacement RMO	Passed to DO 2 Fd Amb 2000 hrs
3	2000		Capt STEVENSON	Book 4 people to BIEN HOA:	Capt SAWYER for action please
				a. Sat 30th, AM, with approx 80 lbs baggage per man	
				b. 4 x NZ enroute to NZ require overnight accn 29 Jul 66	
4	2035		Lt HARRIS (LO 1 ATF)	Brig JACKSON visiting VUNG TAU Fri 29th. Wants Car to meet him at VIP VUNG TAU	G2 to arrange car for 1400 hrs
5	0015		DO 1 Coy	Ptes ATKINSON and BLACK D & E Pl not returned from leave	Nil at this stage
6	0020		DO 2 Fd Amb	61570 Pte D.L.GEORGE Outpatient 5 RAR	Instructed DO to charge soldier and make report to 5RAR
7	0025		DO 1 Coy	Serial 5 returned	Instructed DO to charge soldier - to appear before GSO 2 ASP
8	0125		DO 145 Sig Sqn	Sgt HUBBLE & Sgt HOGAN, 103 Sig Sqn (overnighters with 145) not returned from leave.	
9	0635		DO 145 Sig Sqn	Serial 8 still adrift	
10	0645		DO 145 Sig Sqn	Serial 8 returned	OC 145 Sig Sqn to report this to OC 103
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1700 HRS 29 JUL - 0800 HRS 30 JUL 66

Serial	Time	Tele/Sig No	From Appt & HQ	Details	Action Taken
1	1800	1	DAA & QMG 1 ATF	1. He will NOT be coming down to 1 ALSG to-night. 2. One of the two expandable vans despatched to the Task Force had turned over South of BARIA. Driver not hurt.	1 ATF sending recovery vehicle

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1	2100	1	DAA & QMG	Ammunition management generally authy for division of responsibility between "G" & "Q".	
2	0100		Lt RYAN 2 Comp Ord	2 motor scooters in vicinity of 2 Comp Ord, went back down beach rd and returned with a member from the linguist course.	
3	0115		Cpl HOLMAN 17 Const	4717441 Pte BUICK, 216277 Lcpl WOOMER, 54803 Spr VA VARLOW, 14709 Cpl ABBOTT, have not returned from leave.	
4	0500		Cpl GIBSON (PX)	Said that children were trying to take stuff from that area, he gave chase without any luck.	
5	0630		Cpl GIBSON (PX)	Said he has a VIETNAMESE child down their who states he knows something about serial 4.	Contacted MPs
6	0710		Duty Offr	Two Sgts from 2 Fd Amb apprehended returning to Area	Charged by Pro
7	0720		ATF	Julie ROGERS	Passed to 1 Coy
8	0750		1 Coy RAASC	Two pers from 6 RAR due out 0530 on R & R missed 0530 ac.	Movements NCO detailed to take pers to airfield and atempt to arrange flt to SAIGON
9	0822		Capt STEVENSON 1 ATF	3 NZ to SAIGON, Maj SMITH, Capt STANEY Gnr PAI tomorrow. Arrive ALSG approx 1900 hrs tonight.	Passed to Lt REID and mov control.

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- 2. From 040001H to 102400H
- 3. EVENY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF
- (a) 041530H, 6 RAR contacted 1 VC at YS429612. VC was seen to fall and limp, 6 RAR followed blood trail without result. Recovered some ammo, a pack containing clothing and 1 grenade.
- (b) 050800H, locating troop listening poat received one round SA fire from south at YS431660. No casualties.
- (c) 050810H, MP Section had shots fired over their check point at YS429664. Shots from SE.
- (d) 051515H, 1 Fd Sqn sighted 1 VCS with 2 dogs moving east to west near water point at YS438663.
 - (e) 061825H, OP observed 2 men at YS387656.
- (f) 061845H, OP reported 2 persons observing his position from YS383651. Arty engaged, 2 bodies seen lying during and after fire mission. 2 VC KIA (possible).
 - (g) 071400H, OP sighted large explosions near YS431682.
- (h) 081015H, D/5 RAR located fresh blood trail on track at YS410727. Trail lost at YS410726.
- (j) 081710H, A/5 RAR contacted 1 VC at YS375710. No casualties. 1600 lbs rice found and destroyed.
- (k) 081715H, A/5 RAR contacted 4 VC bathing in stream at YS379710. Result 1 VC WIA escaped, 1 VC KIA (possible).
- (1) 090445H, 6 RAR contacted unknown number of VC at YS453634. Result 1 VC KIA (BC), 2 VC KIA (possible), 1 Aust KIA, 2 Aust WIA, 1 US .30 cal WINCHESTER automatic recovered.
- (m) 090825H, A/5 RAR contacted 1 VC carrying M-1 carbine at YS3771. No result.
- (n) 091045H, D/5 RAR contacted 5 VC, dressed in black, moving east to west at YS411735. No result.
- (o) 091155H, 5 RAR contacted 2 VC at YS420737. Result 1 VC KIA (BC), 1 VCC.
- (p) 091615H, A/5 RAR contacted 7 VC dressed in black and carrying black packs and AW. Result 1 VC KIA (possible), 3 Aust WIA.
- (q) 100920H, C/6 RAR contacted 1 VC on bicycle at YS442642. Result 1 VC KIA (BC). Search of body revealed 2 sling shots.
- (r) 100930H, C/6 RAR contacted 3 VC at YS444644. Blood trail followed and lost; 2 persons seen putting a casualty on a bicycle. 1 VC WIA.
 - (s) 100945H, A/1 APC Sqn received 1 round SA fire from west at YS430670.
- (t) 101200H, patrol of 6 RAR was fired on by AW and single shots at YS437634. No casualties.
 - (u) 101735H, C/6 RAR contacted 1 VC at YS 443641. No result.
 - (v) 101850H, 6 RAR ambushed 2 VC at YS443630. Result 1 VC KIA (BC).
 - (2) 1 ALSG

9 July, radio frequency 35.10 of maintenance convoy jammed between YS307494 to YS338510, YS370540 to YS382590, and YS390620 to YS4366.

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- (3) 173 ABN BDE
 - (a) 040010H, 2/503 received 1 grenade vicinity YS509999. No casualties.
- (b) 041515H, C/2/503 contacted an estimated VC squad at YS542964. Result 1 US KIA, 2 US WIA, VC losses unknown.
- (c) 041715H, C/2/503 received approx 50 rounds SA fire at YS543962. No casualties.
- (£) 042045H, C/2/503 received approx 100 rounds SA and AW fire at YS539967. Fire returned. Result 1 VC KTA (BC), 1 unidentified carbine captured.
- (e) 050855H, E/17 Cav APC hit a mine at YS454853 and a \frac{1}{4} ton truck hit another mine resulting in 1 US KIA and both vehicles damaged. Another APC escorting recovery vehicle also hit a mine at the same location resulting in damage to vehicle.
- (f) 051035H, 2/503 fired on 4 VC at YS502953. Result 2 packs with documents and pictures captured.
- (g) 051130H, C/2/503 contacted 3-4 VC at YS525959. Result 1 US WIA, VC losses unknown.
- (h) 051400H, 2/503 contacted 2 VC at YS513947. Result 2 VCC. 1 VCS also captured same location.
- (j) 062025H, A/4/503 received 5 = 0 grenades at YT087176. No US casualties.
- (k) 062110H, A/2/503 received 2 rounds SA fire from NW at YS506996. Fire returned. Result unknown.

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- (a) 050005H, Commando Co fired on 2 groups of VC at YS4464. No result.
- (b) 051025H, Commando Co fired 3 shots at figure moving outside wire at YS4464. No result.
- (c) 051537H, 52 Ranger En outpost at YS495562 attacked by 25 VC. 2 air strikes flown in support, search of area by 52 En negative. No friendly casualties.
- (d) 102040H, 2 VC sprung trip flare at YS442642, Commando Co fired on VC. No result.

b. AIR ACTIVITY:

- (1) 1 ATF
- (a) 041131H, air strike on VC village at YS488658, 1 hut damaged; one 1000 lb bomb did not explode.
 - (b) 051645H, air strike on YS395720 resulted in 1 VC KBA (BC).
- (c) 080755H, air strike on party of 2 or more enemy sighted at YS395746. No BDA.
 - . (d) 081615H, light aircraft received ground fire at YS396724.
- (e) 090900H, air strike on suspected enemy concentration at YS513688. No BDA.
 - (2) 1 ALSG
- 8 July, jamming of RAAF aircraft radio frequency 35.6 between VUNG TAU and 1 ATF. Jamming by Vietnamese voices saying "Americans and Australians go home".
 - (3) VR SIGHTINGS

Time	Location	Activity
040840Н	YS640903	8-10 foxholes.
041015Н	YS433855	1 trench approx 12 ft long.
041110Н	YS947764	Heavy tracks leading from beach into jungle.
041715Н	YS930775	Road leading north of Highway 23 used for wheeled vehicle traffic.
4 July	YS4385	Vehicle tracks.

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4 July	YS4486	Vehicle tracks
4 July	YS4387	Vehicle tracks
051615H	YS462685	Bridge to LONG THANH demolished, foot planking has been erected, people both sides of bridge.
051615H	YS375687	2 heavily camouflaged huts.
051915H	YS395740	Smoke.
061435H	YS280810	Aircraft wreckage, tail No 72828
061600H	YS453648	20-30 people, 12 headed SE.
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08 1 335H	YS390565	2 power boats moving SE down river.
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- (a) 041300H, 6 RAR located VC camp at YS447620. Water still hot in cooking utensils.
- (b) 041300H, C/6 RAR located VC camps at YS441625 (for 4) and YS440626.
- (c) 061050H, C/5 RAR found a bicycle hanging in a tree at YS426705.
- (d) 062003H, Pioneer Platoon 5 RAR found tunnel entrance at YS438703. Some spears and concertina wire found.
 - (e) 072005H, C/6 RAR detained 2 VCS at YS452652.
- (f) 072115H, A/6 RAR located 2-3 Co position with weapon pits and OP approx 3 months old at YS460695. Also claymore mine set up for command detonation with 150 ft of cable.
- (g) 071020H, D/5 RAR found 2 graves approx 6 months old at YS418710.
- (h) 071730H, D/5 RAR found 6 months old camp with 6 weapon pits in good condition at YS415724, also 3 graves approx 12 months old.
- (j) 080640H, A/5 RAR located Co size position of 8 bunkers and 1 trench at YS389710. Trench 3 ft wide, 4 ft deep and 400 yds long. Approx 6 months old.
- (k) 081028H, D/5 RAR located small VC camp approx 2 days old at YS410726.
- (1) 081033H, B/5 RAR located 7 graves approx 9 months old at YS409720.
 - (m) 081100H, D/5 RAR located old VC camp at YS410720.
- (n) 081100H, B/5 RAR located VC position of 2 pits at YS423708, also 2 ox carts, 1 water well.
- (o) 081540H, A/5 RAR located Co size camp approx 12 months old at YS376708.
- (p) 090920H, D/5 RAR located 12 months old VC camp for 29 at YS418732.
- (q) 091145H, C/5 RAR located recently used cave at YS3972. One compass found.
- (r) 091201H, A/5 RAR located VC camp consisting of 2 class rooms and medical installations at YS381714. 1 ton rice found and destroyed at YS383715.

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- (s) 091148H, B/5 RAR found and destroyed a grenade at YS127699.
- (t) 101250H, 5 RAR located VC installation and bunker system approx 4 weeks old at YS403733.
- (u) 10 July, D/5 RAR reported VC village and fortified Co position approx 6 months old at YS405732.
 - (2) 173 ABN BDE
- (a) 050555H, C/1/503 found 50 tons rice at YS503961. Destroyed.
- (b) 061530H, MP at check point vicinity YT438025 detained 3 female VCS who had improper identification.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES

a.	KIA by:	Confirmed	Possible
	Ground	5	6
	Air	1	0
	Total	6	6

- b. WIA (possible) Total 3
- c. Captives, Suspects, and Returnees:

	Captives	Suspects	Returnees
VC	3	5	0

- d. Equipment Captured or Destroyed:
- 1 US .30 cal WINCHESTER automatic, 1 unidentified carbine, 1 claymore mine, several spears, grenades, ammo, 1 compass, 1 bicycle, 150 ft cable, several packs, clothing, documents, concertina wire, 52 tons rice.
- 5. ENEMY MOVEMENTS AND LOCATIONS:
- a. 031520H, a squad of the weapons company, 860 Local Force Bn (D445 Bn) was in contact with elements 173 Abn Bde vicinity WS 433853.
- b. 041100H, ARVN officer DAT DO District reported that 5 different sources had informed him that a Bn of 274 (94) Regt was in the area YS5879 YS6768. Also a platoon was operating in the LONG TAN (YS4865) LONG PHUOC (YS4464) area (Evaluation F/3).

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- 1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 17/66
- 2. From 110001H to 112400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF
 - (a) 111420H, 6 RAR contacted 1 VC at YS463646. No result.
 - (b) 111735H, 6 RAR contacted 1 VC at YS443641. No result.
 - (2) ARVN
 - (a) PHUOC TUY

102040H, 2 VC sprung trip flare at HOA LONG village YS4263. Commando Co fired, no result.

(b) CMD

092245H, 3 boats mined vicinity YS032984. Result 1 RF KIA, 2 RF WIA, 2 river boats sunk.

b. AIR ACTIVITY:

(1) 1 ATF

(a) 111317H, airstrike on suspected VC base camp at YS512688. No BDA.

(b) 111700H, airstrike on suspected VC base camp at YS539694. No BDA.

(2) VR SIGHTING:

Time	L	ocation	Activity
110800H	YS	436637	3 persons moving east along road.
110800H	YS	437633	Ox cart and 1 person on bicycle moving north along road.
111030H	YS	472688	2 persons herding animals dispersed

c. OTHER:

(1) 1 ATF

(a) 111112H, A/5 RAR located 7-9 months old VC camp at YS380725. Camp extends 400x200 m along creek. Recently used cart track adjacent to camp.

(b) 111129H, D/5 RAR located 6 months old VC camp with

bunkers at YS 400746.

(c) 111704H, 5 RAR located weapon pits on both sides of stream from YS393751 to YS397750.

(2) 173 ABN BDE

090700H, terminated Operation YORKTOWN. Cumulative results are: US losses 19 KIA, 54 WIA; equipment damaged: 2 APC, 1x4 ton truck; enemy losses: 23 KIA (BC), 25 KIA (possible), 3 VCC, 89 VCS; equipment captured: 6 SA, 5½ tons rice, 2590 rounds SA, 245 documents, 1 MG, 10 grenades, 46 rounds 60mm, 24 rounds 81mm, 3 rounds 105mm, 3000 ft comms wire, 20 fuses for 60mm; equipment destroyed: 5 tons rice.

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- 1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 18/66
- 2. From 120001H to 122400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF

121920H, C/6 RAR was fired on at close range by 6-8 VC armed with 2 AW at YS450635. No result.

- b. ENEMY AMMUNITION EXPENDITURES:
 - (1) Enemy Initiated Incidents:

Time Location Type of Fire No of Rounds
121920H YS450635 SA & AW 20-40

c. OTHER:

(1) 1 ATF

(a) 121310H, C/5 RAR found a booby trapped AT mine at YS427713. Destroyed.

(b) 121320H, B/5 RAR found a small improvised wharf at YS370732. No sign of recent use.

(c) 121521H, A/6 RAR found a hut, also in area one 105mm shell, 70 lbs rice and a miner's helmet.

4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:

- (1) EQUIPMENT CAPTURED OR DESTROYED:
 - (a) Captured: one 105mm shell, 70 lbs rice, 1 miner's helmet.
 - (b) Destroyed: 1 AT mine.

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- 1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 19/66
- 2. From 130001H to 172400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF:
 - (a) 130727H, C/6 RAR sighted 1 VC at YS439623. No contact.
- (b) 141008H, A/6 RAR contacted 1 VC who detonated friendly claymore mine at YS460696. No result.
- (c) 150952H, 6 RAR contacted 8 VC, 6 dressed in greens 2 in black, at YS475673. 1 VC withdrew north, the remainder SW. No result.
 - (2) 173 ABN BDE:
- (a) 140720H, E/17 Cav fired on 6 VC dressed in black and moving west at YT445225. Results unknown.
- (b) 142330H, 1/503 Inf fired on movement around their perimeter at YT428323. Results unknown, no return fire received.
- (c) 150103H, Recon Plat/4/503 Inf had 3 explosions set off at their location at YT387263. No casualties. Clearing patrol found 3 dud CHICOM fragmentation grenades.
- (d) 151750H, MP elements surprised VC elements at a tax collection point at YT380265. 2 VC were fired on resulting in 2 VC KIA (possible).
- (e) 152215H, 4/503 Inf ambush patrol heard talking and had a claymore mine set off at YT429318. Patrol threw several grenades with unknown results.
 - (3) III Corps ARVN:
- (a) 132142 to 2205H, 10 Div (ARVN) HQ at YT460092 and 5 Armoured Cav (ARVN) at YT473096 was hit by claymore mines and TNT which had been planted by VC. Results 2 ARVN KIA, 9 ARVN WIA, 5 houses destroyed.
- (b) 142015H, the "Vivian" Bar in VUNG TAU (YS275440) had an explosive device detonated resulting in 1 US killed, 6 US wounded and 7 VN wounded.
- (c) 161500H, a PF Platoon from BARIA sighted a two squad sized group wearing fatigues and various head gear at YS312622.
 - b. AIR ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF:
 - (a) 151400H, air strike on YS315649. 1 building damaged.
 - (b) 161005H, air strike on YS354677. No BDA.
 - (c) 161200H, air strike on YS355685. No BDA.
- (d) 161510H, light aircraft received 1 round SA fire from approx YS427668. No damage.
 - (e) 171400H, air strike on area YS3070. No BDA.
- (2) 173 ABN BDE: 130955H, fire team received 5 rounds SA fire from YT445150. Fire returned; results: aircraft received 2 hits, 1 US WIA, 1 VC KIA (possible).
 - (3) VR SIGHTINGS:

Time	Location	Activity
130915H	YS397747	6 VC; arty engaged with unknown results.
141620H	ZS241937	New heavily constructed bunker in field.
150815班	YS478540	2 possible supply bunkers covered with green bark.
151600H	YS310655	1 charcoal kiln camouflaged with palm leaves.

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Time	Location	Activity
15 July	YS305635	10 people dressed in black, people dispersed on approach of aircraft; trench system either side of track in same area.
15 July	YS430656	4 persons and 2 ox carts.
15 July	YS351536	1 sampan (in area where radio jamming originated).
171245H	YS303680	4 charcoal pits approx 200 yds apart, camouflaged with palm leaves.

c. OTHERS:

(1) 1 ATF:

- (a) 130949H, C/6 RAR found a body at YS450640. Probably result of C/6 RAR contact night 8/9 July.
- (b) 140900H, B/5 RAR found aircraft parts in VC camp at YS400733. Serial numbers: a gun or rocket panel No SB/327-ARC44, No HT101-0600226; 2 wheels 10 inches in diameter 150 lbs air pressure, one wheel No 75679511.
- (c) 141130H, A/6 RAR found platoon sized camp at YS465672. Last used 2-3 weeks ago.
 - (2) 173 ABN BDE:
- (a) 131100H, E/17 Cav captured 2 entrenching tools, 689 documents, 8 empty K-50 magazines, 10 M1 clips, 3 large sacks, 1 propaganda sign, and 76 medical items at YT438236.
 - (b) 131130H, E/17 Cav found 600 lbs polished rice at YT447233. Destroyed.
- (c) 131240H, B/2/503 Inf found 7 foxholes, 1 bunker, 2 entrenching tools, and 2 steel helmets at YT507162.
 - (d) 131332H, E/17 Cav detained 1 VCS at YT438252.
 - (e) 131900H, B/4/503 Inf found 300 lbs rice at YT330273. Destroyed.
- (f) 141130H, Recon Plat/4/503 Inf found platoon sized VC camp at YT401253. Destroyed.
 - (g) 141150H, 4/503 Inf Found 200 lbs rice at YT337276. Destroyed.
 - (h) 141247H, A/4/503 Inf found 1 M16 AP mine at YT435323. Destroyed.
- (j) 141850H, Recon Plat/2/503 Inf found 10 foxholes and 1 AW pit at YT428327.
- (k) 141915H, A/4/503 Inf found a fragmentation grenade of unknown type at YT428318.
- (1) 150900H, A/1/503 Inf found a base camp for approx 10 persons at YT493298.
- (3) 25 INF DIV (US): 141200H, B/4/9 Inf destroyed 9 grenades and misc 7.62mm brass at YT629085.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:

a. KIA by:	Confirmed	Possible
Ground	1	2
Air	0	1
Total	1	3

b. Captives, Suspects and Returnees:

	Captives	Suspects	Returnees
VC	0	1	0

c. Equipment Captured or Destroyed:

4 entrenching tools, 689 documents, 8 K-50 magazines, 10 M1 clips, 76 medical items, 1100 lbs rice, 2 steel helmets, 1 M16 AP mine, 10 grenades, quantity 7.62mm brass.

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3. ENEMY ACTIVITY.

a. GROUND ACTIVITY:

(1) 1ATF. None reported.

(2) 173 ABN BDE: None reported

(3) III CORPS ARVN: 182200H, 1 ARVN Com ando Co contacted 10 VC + YS414646. Results: 1VC KIA (possible), 2 female VC carrying 4 bags of rice captured.

b. AIR ACTIVITY:

(1) 1ATF. None reported.

(2) 173 ABN BDE. None reported.

(3) VR SIGHTINGS

Time 180950H

Location YS442704

Activity 6-8 possibly VC sighted.

4. ENEMY MOVEMENTS AND LOCATIONS:

a. 180510H, 1VC regt located at approx YS2775 b. 181225H, 800 VC located at approx YS3077 c. 181.225H, 3,000 VC located at approx YS2772

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- 1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 21/66.
- 2. From 190001H to 192400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
- (1) 1 ATF: 191050H, D/6 RAR contacted 3 VC at YS470660. Result 1 VC KIA (BC), one 7.62mm AW captured.
- (2) III CORPS ARVN: 191112H, an ARVN Bn was ambushed while on road clearing operation at YS259747 and YS272688. Results unknown.
 - b. AIR ACTIVITY:
- (1) 1 ATF: 191140H, air strike on suspected VC force in camp at YS327666. No BDA.
 - (2) VR SIGHTING:

Time	Location	Activity
18 July	YS 2179	15 sampans concealed in mangroves, apparently being unloaded, also what appears to be stores and a defensive position.
191140H	YS 4464	100 people and a few ox carts.

c. OTHERS:

(1) 1 ATF:

- (a) 191007H, D/6 RAR foundan air vent and a camouflaged well at YS446664.
- (b) 191230H, D/6 RAR found 1 M26 grenade without fuze at YS443655.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:
 - a. KIA by: Ground 1 confirmed.
 - b. Equipment Captured or Destroyed: One 7.62 AW, 1 M26 grenade.

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1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 22/66

2. From 20 0001H to 20 2100H

3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:

a. GROUND ACTIVITY:

- (1) SUMMARY During the night 19/20 July 5 RAR cordoned the southernmost hamlet, population approx 250, at BINH BA YS 4574, and at first light commenced search operation. The hamlet VC infrastructure were completely surprised by the operation. Interrogation of VCC and VCS indicate that a guerilla force of 3 squads of 12 men each had dominated the village. There were some 20 weapons shared by the 36 VC. One squad (minus) was occupying the southernmost hamlet when the operation commenced, and 7 members of this group were eliminated as follows: 3KIA, 3 VCC WIA, 1 rallier, 15 VCS, 4 weapons captured. Interogation of the VCC and VCS continues.
- (2) 1 ATF
 (a) 200625H, B/5RAR had 2 contacts in area of
 YS 447728 Results 1 VC KIA (BC), 2VCC.
 (b) 200755H, B/5RAR flushed 1 VC out of tunnel in area
 YS 4473 Result 1 VCC.

(c) 200825H, A/5RAR recieved 1 rallier.
(d) 201120H, A/5RAR contacted 1VC in area YS 4473.

Result 1 VC KIA (BC).

(e.) 201600H, C/RAR contacted 6 VC dressed in khakiand carrying pa cks at YS 444736. VC withdrew NW, No results.

(f) 201737H, 5RAR contacted 2VC at YS 464715 Results 1VC KIA (BC).

b. AIR ACTIVITY:

(a) 201045H, air strike on suspected VC camp at YS 32865. No BDA due to foliage.
(b) 201500H, FAC reported 7 cattle trazing in area of suspected VC camp at YS 353687.

4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:

a. KIA by Confirmed Possible
Ground 3
b. Captured, Suspects and Returnees:

Captured Suspects Returnees

VC 3 15
Equipment Captured or Destroyed:

Two 7:62 mm carbines, 2 US carbines.

5. NEW OBSTACLES AND BARRIERS:

a. Inter provincial Highway 2: Road block at YS 445875 consisting of keyhole pattern diggings. 10 persons dressed in green observed in vicinity at 200950H.

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- 1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 23/66
- 2. From 210001H to 212400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF:
- (a) 211139H, C/5 RAR contacted 4 VC at YS471723. 2 VC fled north, 2 fled east. Followed up without result.
- (b) 211230H, B/5 RAR contacted 3 VC at YS474722. Result 1 VC KIA (BC), 1 M26 grenade captured.
- (c) 211640H, 5 RAR contacted 2 VC at YS478727. VC fled SW. Result one claymore mine type DH8 captured.
 - b. AIR ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF:
- (a) 211500H, FAC reported 2 men digging trench at YS430638. Men abandoned their tools and took cover in another trench 40 ft long, 4 ft deep, when aircraft made a low level pass. Approx another 200 persons were harvesting crops in same area.
- (b) 211525H, FAC reported 10 water buffalo in field at YS360720. Animals were not tended.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:
 - a. KIA: 1 confirmed.
 - b. Equipment Captured: 1 M26 grenade, 1 claymore mine type DH8.
- 5. ENEMY MOVEMENT AND LOCATIONS:
- a. 181300H, 300 VC seen moving from YS470660 to YS470670, YS475670, YS480680. Believed to be part of DONG NAI Regt. (10 Div (ARVN) B/3).
- b. 17 July, 300-500 VC seen at YS460729 carrying a large number of AA guns (10 Div (ARVN), evaluation not available).

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- I ALSG INTSUM24/66
- From 230001H to 262400H
- ENEMY ACTIVITY GROUND ACTIVITY:

I ATF (1) 232030H, 6RAR contacted 2 VC dressed in black at YS 446667. (a)

No result

- 250910H, 6RAR discovered fresh ox cart tracks leading SE from (Ta)
- Follow up revealed signs of company size force heading SE from YS 495695.

251135H, 1 VC sighted by 6RAR in vicinity YS 498692. YS 497694 251230H, 3 VC sighted moving south at YS 514688.

251230H, D/6RAR recovered 5 rounds GARRAND ammunition at

YS 520680. 251308H, C/6RAR contacted estimated VC company at YS 514678. Bugles were heard, VC split into two groups 15 remaining behind to cover the withdrawl of the remainder to SE and east Results: friendly casualties 2WIA,

enemy casualties 1 KIA (possible) 4 WIA (possible). (g) 251355H, B/6RAR contacted 2 VC groups of unknown size at On redeployment B/6RAR came under mortar bombardment (possibly 81/82mm). Results: friendly casualties 2 KIA. 11 WIA. enemy casualties 15 WIA (possible).

251525H, D/6RAR contacted 1 VC at YS 525674. No result 251600H, 6RAR sighted 20 VC at YS 517683. No contact VC split

into two groups at YS 509678. Part of carbine found at this location.

(k) 251640H, D/6RAR contacted 1 VC at YS 524672. No result (1) 251700H; C/6RAR sighted 1 VC at YS 515678. (m) 251855H, D/6RAR contacted 4-5 VC at YS 528670. No result (n) 251935H, A/6RAR received 1 round 81/82mm mortar at YS 52 (o) 261029H, D/6RAR contacted 5 VC dressed in black at YS 52 251855H, B/6RAR contacted 4-5 VC at YS 528670. No result 251935H, A/6RAR received 1 round 81/82mm mortar at YS 522677.

261029H, D/6RAR contacted 5 VC dressed in black at YS 532669

Results: 1 VC KIA (BC), one 7:62 carbine and 1 grenade launcher recovered 261330H, D/6RAR contacted 1VC at YS 536665. No results.

261350H, D/6RAR contacted 2 VC at YS 530680. No results. Camp

for 10 used night 25/26 July found same location

(r) 261/75H, B/6RAR sighted unknown number of VC at YS 510665. Engaged by arty Results unknown

(2) III CORPS ARVN- Commando Coy sighted 1 VC in HOA LONG village (YS4265). At 240128H.

AIR ACTIVITY:

(1) -IATF

(a) 251100H, air strike on suspected VC area at YS 5274. No BDA. (b) 251720H, air strike in VC concentration at YS 512662. No BDA.

25 July IROQUOIS received SA ground fire from YS 518662.

260900H, radio jamming on frequency 35:0. Jamming pin pointed to a top hut at YS 330540. Observed also frame work for new building at YS 437637 (e) 260820H, air strike on suspected enemy location at YS 507658

and YS 5146,1 hut destroyed, no further BDA. (f) 261719H, large concentration of troops engaged by SA fire at

YS 5063. Result unknown. (2) BIEN HOA: 241030H, helicopter received SA fire soon after take off from south of BIEN HOA air base

(3) VR SIGHTINGS

ACTIVITY LOCATION FAC called an immediate air strike against TIME YT 729429 sampans on river 10 sampans destroyed 23 July

5 ton VC truck heading east when flare YT 043356 was dropped, AW encountered in rear of 230230H truck opened fire. Fire was returned, and truck believed hit.

TIME 231355H	LOCATION YS 414736	ACTIVITY Trenches or graves.
231440H	YS 3849	68 motorized sampans; additional 35 sampans stationary further up river, and sampans in tributaries. Appear to have barrels and boxes on board
240800H	YS 287632	3 carts
	YS 292638	6 carts.
241420H	YS 209792	21 sampans unloading on north bank of river.
241605Н	YS 288733	large tunnel entrance 4-5 ft across
241605H	YS 287718	clothes for 3-4 people in vacated village.
241642Н	ZS 132953	5 VC hidden in trees. Immediate air strike called in. Results unknown.
250845H	YS 209792 to YS 208796	approx 30 sampans unloading stores on north bank 2 small craft with outboard motors same area.
261605	YS 378698	FAC reported new unoccupied gun emplacement.

SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. 250302H, secondary explosions at YS 444709 after C fire missions.

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(1) IATF

251110H, D/6RAR found 2 tons of bagged rice at YS 504687

251725H, unoccupied VC camp containing 20 trenches with overhead protection found at YS 513678.

(c) 251900H, squad size unocupied VC camp found at YS 517679.

(4) ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES.

(a) KIA. 7 confirmed (6killed by arty 25 July).
(b) Equipment captured or destroyed Equipment captured or destroyed. 1 7:62mm carbine, 1 H26 grenade, 5 rounds ammunition, 20 tons rice

(5) ENEMY UNIT IDENTIFICATION.

(a) Documents found on dead VC at YS 516670 indicated that he was a company commander in D445Bn, probably C1 Company.

(6) ENEMY MOVEMENT AND LOCATION (a) 251125H, 1 VC company with AA weapons reported at YS 480678 (Source; Baria Sector; evaluation ARVN B/2, US F/3)

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- 1 I ALSG INTSUM 25 66
- 2 From 270001H to 272400H
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY.
 - a GROUND ACTIVITY: None reported
- b AIR ACTIVITY:
 (a) 270900H, air strike on suspected VC camp at YS 500630 Results 6 huts

destroyed, 5 huts damaged
(b) 271620H, armed CHINOOK mission in area YS 5169 - YS 5173 - YS 5373 -

YS 5368. No BDA

((c) 271530H, aircraft received ground fire from YS 365678.

(d) 271540H, number of slit trenches sighted at YS 347652.

- (d) 271540H, number of sitt trefiches bighted accompanied from YS 330541.
- c OTHER
 (a) 270709H, D/6RAR found camp for approx 50 persons, 250m long at YS 524662.

 Camp evacuated within last 72 hours believed to have been occupied by C2 company
 of D445 Bn

(b) 270930H, C/6RAR found 7001bs rice and 40gals cooking oil at YS 519669.

All destroyed

(c) 271023H, C/SRAR found VC base carp containing administrative and command elements and accommand for approx 150 persons at YS 513655-YS513648. Believed to have been occur ed by elements of D445 Bn

(d) 271410E, 6 RAR found. company size camp last occupied approx 2mths ago

at YS 515658,

a Equipment Captured or destroyed.

7001bs rice, 40gals cooking oil

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- 2. From 280001H to 282400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY.
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY: None reported.
 - b. AIR ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF:
 - (a) 280850H, trail with signs of activity within last 48 hours from YS 355712 to YS 363717.
 - (b) 281110H, activity in suspected mortar position at YS 493623.
 - (c) 281320H, movement near building straddling creek at YS 333538, vicinity radio jamming location previously reported.
 - (d) 281400H, tarpaulin 3ft. by 3ft. partially covered with freshly cut branches at YS 367737.
 - (e) 281415H, numerous recently used tracks in open areas at YS 4172 and YS 4272.
 - (f) 281530H, gun emplacement filled with water at YS 378694.
 - (g) 281730H, CHINOOK received SA fire from YS 550648, CHINOOK and arty engaged with unknown results.

c. OTHER:

- (1) 1 ATF:
 - (a) 281100H, 6 RAR found disused VC camp with 20 to 30 weapon pits at YS 449669.
 - (b) 281610H, 6RAR found platoon size camp at YS 500676.
 - (c) 281700H, 6RAR found VC body in shallow grave approx 3 weeks old at YS 470665.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:

a. KIA: 1 confirm.

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- 1 I ALSG INTSUM 27/66
- 2. From 290001H to 292400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY
 - a GROUND ACTIVITY.
 - (1) 1ATF
- (a) 282237H, 1 APC Sqn fired on 3 VC at YS 428672. VC returned fire and withdrew west. No results
- (b) 291200H, 6 RAR sighted 6 VC at YS 501686. Arty and mortars engaged results 1 VC KIA(possible), 2 VC WIA (possible).
 - (2) DET C3, 5 SFG (US)
- (a) 260630H, observed 5 6 VC apparently sentries, all night at YS 789893 VC moved north at 261900H.
- (b) 260630H, observed 3 VC armed with M1 rifles and carrying green rucksacks, moving SW on trail at YS 704912.
- at YS 789893. (c) 270600H, observed unknown number of VC moving north on a trail
 - b AIR ACTIVITY.
 - (1) 1ATF.
 - (a) 291500H 291530H, armed CHINOOKS received concentrated SA and AW fire from YS 385695, YS 388682, YS 401669, YS 400687 and YS 402683. Immediate air strikes and arty bombardment No BDA.
- (b) 291730H 291800H, armed CHINOOKS received concentrated SA and AW fire from YS 403727, YS 405723, YS 397721 and YS 405731. Arty engaged with unknown results
 - (c) 291200H, airborne arty OP received ground fire at YS 5068.
 - c OTHER:
 - (1) 1ATF: 291115H, B/6RAR located extensive tunnel system at YS 487656.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES
 - a, KIA: 1 possible
- 5 ENEMY MOVEMENTS AND LOCATIONS:
- a 261800H, well armed and dug in VC battalion at YS 394673 (BARIA Sector, not evaluated).
- b 271200 H 282300H, 1000 VC moved through YS 265584 into PHUOC TUY
 Province (National police not evaluated, US F/3)

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- 1. 1 ALSG INTSUM 28/66
- 2. From 300001H to 302400H.
- 3. ENEMY ACTIVITY:
 - a. GROUND ACTIVITY:
 - (1) 1 ATF:
- (a) 300125H, unknown number of persons challenged at YS436663. No answer; fired on with unknown results.
- (b) 301450H, OP observed 4 suspected VC entering hut at YS384655. Arty and mortars engaged with unknown results.
- (c) 301905H, C/6 RAR contacted 7 VC dressed in black at YS447671. VC withdrew south; arty and mortars fired on withdrawal route. Results 1 VC KIA (possible), 2 VC WIA (possible).
 - b. AIR ACTIVITY:
 - (1) VR SIGHTINGS:

Time	Location	Activity
271340Н	ZS245842	Evidence of approx 50 persons within last 48 hrs travelling both east and west.
280710H	YS550570	Recent ox cart tracks along stream appear to terminate at stream. Possible landing area.
301400H	YS400655	Trench running east - west.

- c. OTHER: 301340H, B/5 RAR found a booby trap at YS426688. No further details.
- 4. ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES:
 - a. KIA: 1 possible.
 - b. Equipment Captured or Destroyed:
 - 1 booby trap.
- 5. ENEMY UNIT IDENTIFICATION:
 - a. PHUOC TUY Province:

YS450550
YS250580
YS670610
YS350730
YS525735

b. BINH TUY Province:

493/490 Company	ZT030370
460 Ham Tan Company	AN735965
420 Hoai Duc Platoon	ZT100370
432 Tanh Linh Platoon	ZT050260

6. ENEMY MOVEMENT AND LOCATION:

- a. 26 July, an agent reported that a VC cadre of Duc Thanh District Committee stated to a relative on a visit to LONG PHUOC, that the VC will fight a big battle in the Duc Thanh area. Main targets 1 ATF and 1 Commando Co (ARVN), secondary targets in area SE of DAT DO (YS4659)(BARIA Sector, US F/3).
- b. 30 July, an agent reported that an underground hospital base containing medical supplies is located in area along the DONG NGHE River (YS395690). (This is the second report on the base received by BARIA Sector in the last two weeks) (Evaluation US F/3).
- c. 29 July, an agent reported that a VC battalion ix was camped in area YS460680, YS480680, YS460660 and YS480660 on 27 July (Evaluation Aust F/3).

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HQ 1 ALSG VUNG TAU

Jul 66

HQ 1 ALSG Administrative Instruction 4/66

HYGIENE OF 1 ALSG AREA

General

1. Units of 1 ALSG are to maintain a high standard of hygiene in their areas. In achieving and maintaining this standard, the recommendations of the 1 ALSG Hygiene Warrant Officer are to be implemented without question or hesitation. In this regard all matters of hygiene policy are to be referred by the Hygiene Warrant Officer to the DAA & QMG HQ 1 ALSG.

Dumping of Rubbish

All units, with the exception of 17 Const Sqn, will dump rubbish during specified hours in one central rubbish dump or tip established and located as directed by HQ 1 ALSG. Any changes in location of this tip will be notified to units separately. 17 Const Sqn may establish and maintain its own tip, because of its particular location, as long as its standard of hygiene is to the satisfaction of HQ 1 ALSG.

Hours of Operation of Rubbish Tip

3. Units may dump rubbish in the 1 ALSG tip between 0730 hrs and 1530 hrs each day. The dumping of rubbish outside these hours is strictly prohibited.

Operation of Rubbish Tip

- 4. The supervision of the operation of the tips is the responsibility of the 1 ALSG Hygiene Warrant Officer assisted by any qualified Hygiene NCO of 2 Fd Amb who may be made available by that unit from time to time.
- of any 1 ALSG Rubbish Tip which is established. In this regard, in particular, this unit is to provide a bulldozer for a short period on a daily basis to smash or grind flat the contents of the tip. This "daily grind" by this piece of equipment is to be performed prior to the opening of the rubbish tip each morning before 0730 hrs. This operation is essential as it not only ensures a far longer useage period of the tip by reducing the space occupied by rubbish, but offers less enticement to local "tipsters" as they find it far more difficult to extract charred but dainty morsals from flattene" tins than unblemished cylindrical ones.

Duties of 1 ALSG Hygiene Warrant Officer

6. The duties of this Warrant Officer are attached as Annex "A" to this instruction:

Unit Hygiene Diaries

7. Each unit is to maintain a Unit Hygiene Diary. The area Hygiene Warrant Officer is to carry out a hygiene inspection of each unit of 1 ALSG at least once weekly. He is to record this inspection in the unit diary together with comments resulting from his inspection. The results of these inspections are also to be recorded by the Hygiene Warrant Officer and passed to the DAA & QMG HQ 1 ALSG, together with comments regarding the maintenance of Hygiene Diaries by units.

Area Hygiene Duties

8. Units of 1 ALSG are to provide personnel for area hygiene duties on a roster basis to report to the Hygiene Warrant Officer at the 1 ALSG Rubbish Tip daily at 0730 hrs. These personnel are to remain on duty each day until 1630 hrs or until released by the Hygiene Warrant Officer. The Hygiene Warrant Officer is to ensure that these duty personnel "stagger"

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their meal times during the lunch period so that the Rubbish Tip is not left unattended between 0730 hrs and 1630 hrs.

Roster of units

9. Units are rostered and grouped in the following manner to provide personnel for area hygiene duties:

Week 1		Week 2		Week 3	
2 Comp Ord Dep	- 1 OR	101 Fd Wksp	- 1 OR	17 Const Sqn	- 1 OR
17 Const Sqn	- 1 OR	1 ALSG D &E PL	- 1 OR	1 COY RAASC	- 1 OR
Det 176 AD Coy	- 1 OR	145 Sig Sqn	- 1 OR	161 Recce Flt	- 1 OR

each Monday until 1630 hrs approximately on the following Sunday. Units are to make every endeavour to provide the same personnel on each occasion that they are rostered to provide these duties. A roster of units on the above basis is to be published regularly in 1 ALSG RO's Part 1.

Security of Rubbish Tip

11. Local Vietnamese inhabitants are not permitted to enter the 1 ALSG area at or adjacent to the tip. One of the duties of the rostered unit hygiene pers mail is to ensure that local inhabitants do not outer this area and gain access to the tip. The Hygiene Warrant Officer is to ensure that all rostered hygiene personnel at the rubbish tip are aware of this fact and any laxity in this regards will be considered an offence.

Provision of Fuel

12. 1 Coy RAASC is responsible to ensure that sufficient DIESO is available at the rubbish tip as requested by the Hygiene Warn of Officer and that empty drums are removed from the immediate vicinity.

Safety

13. The Hygiene Warrant Officer is to ensure that all unit hygiene personnel under his supervision are warned of the dangers of injury when handling POL products in the discharge of their duties and will instruct them in the use of these products.

Conclusion

14. All unit and detachment commanders are reminded that it is there responsibility and the responsibility of all officers and NCO's to maintain the highest possible standards of hygiene both personal and communal.

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ANNEX "A" TO HQ 1 ALSG ADMIN INSTRUCTION 4/66 7 Jul 66

DUTIES OF THE HYGIENE WARRANT OFFICER

The duties of the 1 ALSG Hygiene Warrant Officer are listed as follows: He is

- a. Responsible to the DAA & QMG and SMO for all matters relating to unit hygiene in ALSG units.
- b. To carry out periodic inspections of all units in the area and to record such inspections in Unit Hygiene Diaries.
- c. To supervise water purification arrangements.
- d. To advise on and supervise the construction of improvised field sanitary appliances.
- e. To inspect the area for actual or potential fly and mosquito breeding sites and arrange for these to be appropriately dealt with.
- f. To supervise the area garbage disposal tip.
- g. To supervise insecticidal spraying and ensure that all necessary safety precautions are observed.
- h. To inspect foodstuffs to ensure that they are suitable for consumption and do not present a danger to health, and that the arrangements for food preparation, cooking and serving comply with Army Health requirements.
- i. To carry out such other duties relating to Army Health matters as may be delegated to him by the DAA & QMG or SMO.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - VIETNAM

HQ 1 ALSG VUNG TAU

4 Jul 66

HQ 1 ALSG Administrative Instruction 5/66

REST AND RECREATIONAL LEAVE (R AND R)

General

- 1. All members of the Australian Military Forces serving in SOUTH VIETNAM are entitled to one five day Rest and Recreational period out of country. Units are informed that no circumstances will interfere with this entitlement.
- Destinations are at present HONG KONG, BANGKOK, and, after 1 Sep 66, SINGAPORE. It is expected that other destinations will be added to the list later. These, as they come to hand, will be notified in 1 ALSG ROs.

Allocation of Vacancies

3. The allocation of vacancies is handled by HQ AFV, and will be notified to units by this HQ as they come to hand.

Unit Action on Receipt of Allocation

- 4. On receipt of an allocation for R and R, units are to offer vacancies to unit members in order of priority as decided by the unit CO/OC.
- 5. Units will then complete the pro forms shown at Annex A in quadrupliate, and submit three copies to HQ 1 ALSG. The fourth copy is to be retained for unit records. The pro forms is to be submitted to HQ 1 ALSG as soon as possible after receipt of the R and R allocation.
- 6. A separate pro forma is to be submitted for:
 - a. Each month.
 - b. Each R and R Centre.
- 7. Units are to ensure that allotted vacancies are filled.
- 8. If for any reason units are unable to fulfil their allocation, details of same should be advised as soon as possible so that alternative arrangements can be made to ensure allotted seats are filled.

Documentation

- 9. Members proceeding on R and R are to be in possession of:
 - a. Identity Card.
 - b. Current International Health Certificate.
- 10. The Identity Card is to be carried at all times whilst the member is on R and R leave, but is not to be carried in the member's wallet, or in the same pocket as the wallet.
- 11. The International Health Certificate must be correctly maintained, and is to be checked by a Medical Officer at least one week before departure. The member is to ensure that he carries his International Health Certificate with him whilst proceeding on R and R.
- 12. Personnel who report to SAIGON Airport without their Identity Card and/or International Health Certific te will be returned to their units.

Currency

13. Personnel for R and R from 1 ATF and 1 ALSG are to change their MPC

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to US dollars (US "GREEN") at 1 Div Cash Office, 1 ALSG area.

- 14. Units are to note on each members WF 226 (Application to Draw Pay) that:
 - a. The member is proceeding on R and R leave.
 - b. Date of departure from SAIGON.
 - c. R and R destination/
 - d. the following "PAYMENT TO BE MADE IN US DOLLARS".
- 15. The WF 226 is to be signed by the members OC or unit Adjt only.
- 16. On return from R and R leave, personnel will change their US dollars to MPC at 1 Div Cash Office.
- 17. It is noted that members will not be permitted to board the R and R aircraft at SAIGON with less than one hundred dollars US (\$100 US).

Dress

- 18. All members are to travel on R and R flights in uniform. Hat: utility green is not acceptable headgear.
- 19. At their destinations, members are to wear civilian clothes on R and R, carrying Identity Cards at all times in accordance with para 10.

Movement

- 20. Movement from VUNG TAU to SAIGON will be on the morning of the date of departure from SAIGON.
- 21. Movement instructions will be notified, as required, from this HQ.

Procedure on Arrival SAIGON

- Personnel on R and R are to report to the Australian R and R Warrant Officer (at present WO2 J. COTTER, of HQ AFV) at the Civilian Terminal, Tan Son Nhut for travel orders, a check of International Health Certificates, Identity Cards and briefing.
- 23. The R and R WO will feed personnel into the US R and R system for movement to their leave destinations.
- 24. On return from R and R, members are to report to the Aust R and R WO for details of their movement to 1 ALSG area.

Procedure on Arrival R and R Destination

- 25. On arrival at R and R destinations, United States R and R authorities will:
 - a. Change US dollars to local currency.
 - b. Give full local briefings, including a medical and hygiene brief.
 - c. Distribute detailed local brochures.
 - d. Arrange accommodation in the US R and R Centre, and/or recommended hotels.
- 26. Members may stay in accommodation other than that recommended, provided they report to the US R and R authorities at the correct time for return movement to VIETNAM

Conclusion

27. Any questions or queries on R and R are to be directed to this HQ by sig.

DAA & QMG, HQ 1 ALSG

R & R Ling HQ AFV (A HQ 1 ALS)	Army Componen	R AND R		(Unit)	/65, DATED
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Routine Orders Part 1

by

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First Australian Logistic Support Group

11 Jul 66

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118. FORECAST REINFORCEMENT DEMANDS

- a. Forecast Reinforcement Demands for OR due for RTA during the month of October 66 are due HQ 1 ALSG by 15 Jul 66.
- b. Forecast Reinforcement Demands for officers due for RTA during the month of December 66 are due HQ 1 ALSG by 15 Jul 66.

119. GENERATORS AND ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS

- a. The installation of generators and electrical distribution systems is the responsibility of RAE.
- b. The manning of power houses and generator sheds is not an engineer task and engineer tradesman will not be used for these tasks.
- c. The repair of generators is a unit or area matter to be undertaken by the appropriate EME workshop. RAE will make any necessary repairs to the lines.

120. REFRIGERATION

- a. RAE are responsible for the repair of refrigerators but NOT the fuel motors that drive them.
- b. The repair of engines driving 1000, 300 and 100 cubic foot refrigerators is an EME responsibility and the normal process of EME repair should be followed.

121. DRAWING OF WATER FROM 1 ALSG WATER POINT

Water may be drawn daily from the 1 ALSG Water Point at the following times:

0700 - 1000 hrs 1400 - 1700 hrs

122. POSTAL TIMINGS

- a. Closing times for outgoing mail from AFPO 3 are:
 - (1) Class 1 mail (letters etc)
 0800 hrs Mon to Sat (there is no clearance on Sundays).
 - (2) Class 2 mail (parcels) 1000 hrs each Sat.
- b. All members are reminded of the importance of correct packaging of parcels. It is better to sacrifice weight for security. Advice maybe obtained from AFPO 3 on this matter.

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123. POSTAL FACILITIES - EXPLOSIVES

- a. It is both a civil and military offence to dispatch explosives through the mail.
- b. The PMG have been requested to advise AFPO 3 of the names and units of all offenders.
- c. All ranks are to be made aware of the repercussions if this practice continues. The postal and customs authorities will be forced to open all packages from Australian service men overseas, with a resultant heavy delay on the delivery of such packets and parcels. This delay could be up to 1 or 2 months.
- d. There is also the associated danger of such explosives detonating in transit of at the recipients home.

124. R AND C LEAVE

- a. R & C leave (in country) has been reduced from 7 to 5 days with effect from 17 Jul 66.
- b. The ALSG allocation of vacancies has also been reduced to 5 per week.
- c. It is anticipated that the capacity of the R & C Centre will be increased to 90 beds. When this eventuates, the ALSG weekly allocation is to be 13.

125. MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL VUNG TAU - TAN SON NHUT

- a. Commencing 11 Jul, units are required to submit bids for movement VUNG TAU TAN SON NHUT to det 11 MC Gp 48 hours prior to the time the flight is required on the proforma shown at Annex A.
- b. Det 11 MC Gp, will inform units as soon as flight details have been confirmed.
- c. Members will report to 8 Aprial Port Det USAF, in accordance with reporting instructions.

126. HYGIENE DUTY PERSONNEL (1 ALSG ADMIN INSTRUCTION 4/66, PARA 9)

The following units are rostered for duty, in accordance with the above Admin Instruction:

2 Comp Ord Dep - 17 Const Sqn -	1 OR 1 OR	101 Fd Wksp - 1 OR 1 ALSG D&E Pl - 1 OR	-
Week 25 - 30 Jul		Week 31 Jul - 6 Aug	Week 7 - 13 Aug
2 Comp Ord Dep -	1 OR	101mFd Wksp - 1 OR	17 Const Sqn - 1 OR
17 Const Sqn -	1 OR	1 ALSG D&E Pl - 1 OR	
176 AD Coy -	1 OR		161 Recce Flt - 1 OR

127. REMITTANCE OF MONEY TO AUSTRALIA

a. Cash remittance

- (1) Members may remit monies, not exceeding \$100 (Aust) per month, to civilians or serving members in AUSTRALIA.
- (2) Monies in excess of this amount require the permission of the CO/OC of the member's unit.
- (3) Method the member is to submit an "Application for Remittance of Cash" (WF 131A) in duplicate with the cash to his unit pay representative or serving paymaster.

(4) Average time for the monies to be paid out in AUSTRALIA is 6 to 14 days.

b. Remittance of undrawn pay

- (1) Any portion up to four fifths of the balance of undrawn pay showing in a member's paybook may be remitted by the member to a civilian, or another serving member or to a bank account in AUSTRALIA.
- (2) Method the member is to submit an 'Application for Remittance of Undrawn Pay' (WF 131) in duplicate to his CO/OC for signature through the unit pay representative.
- (3) Average time for the monies to be paid in AUSTRALIA is 21 days.

c. For unit pay representatives

- (1) FIs for the PMF, Part 5, Para 233 235 refers.
- (2) All applications may be forwarded daily, repeat daily, to the Cash Office

128. MAGNIFYING GLASSES AND MIRRORS

The use of privately owned magnifying glasses (not spectacles) and magnifying mirrors (eg concave shaving mirrors) is prohibited due to the associated fire risk and are to be disposed of immediately.

129. REGLIGION

All units are to submit to the Chaplains C/- Chapel a list of all HEBREW members in their units by 1600 hrs on the 13 Jul 66. Nil returns are required.

130. LOCAL LEAVE

- a. Local leave may be granted by COs/OCs units/dets from 1800 hrs to 2359 hrs Mon Fri and Sun, and 1800 hrs to 0100 hrs Sat.
- b. Local leave may also be granted in particular cases by COs/OCs units/dets during daylight hours to soldiers on night shift work. Leave is to cease at least 2 hours prior to resumption of duty.
- c. A Leave Pass proforma will be issued by HQ 1 ALSG to all personnel proceeding on normal leave. This pass will be handed in to the unit Orderly Room on return from leave. Any person found on leave without a pass in his possession may anticipate disciplinary action.
- d. It is the responsibility of COs/OCs of units/dets granting daylight leave to ensure that members are issued with a leave pass stating times and date leave is granted from and to.

131. CURFEW

- a. The curfew in VUNG TAU is from 2400 hrs to 0600 hrs daily, except Sunday when it is from 0100 hrs to 0600 hrs.
- b. All personnel of 1 ALSG units and members in transit are to be in their unit lines or in the lines of their fostering unit in the case of transients, during the hours of curfew.

132. CANCELLATION OF ALSG ROS

ALSG ROs 8/66,60/66 are cancelled.

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DAA & QMG, 1 ALSG

NOTICES

PEN FRIENDS

Attached as Annex "B" is a list of civilian personnel who wish to correspond with members serving in VIETNAM. Any ALSG members may correspond with the people listed.

ANNEX"A" TO 1 ALSG RO 125/66

APPLICATION FOR AIR PASSAGE (To be submitted 48 hrs in advance)

Number	Rank	Name
Unit		
Flight Required:	From	To
Required On:	Date	Time
Reason for trave	1:	
		(OC Unit)
		(Date)
	REPORTING	INSTRUCTIONS
You are for movement as		erial Port Det USAF, VUNG TAU Airport
Date		
Time		Priority
Flight N	To	
		(OC Det 11 MC Gp)
		(Deta)
		(Date) (Date)
	RETURN	N FLIGHT
(To 1	be presented to Det 8 Aeri	ial Port, TAN SON NHUT Airport)
Return Flight To	0	is requested for:
No	Rank	Name
	Estimated Time o	of Return
	Flight No	
	Reporting Time	

ANNEX "B" TO NOTICES TO HQ 1 ALSG ROS SERIAL 14

Miss Valerie GILLESPIE, 36 Lindsay St HAWTHORNE. QLD

Miss Lola BONIFACE, 55 Gowrie Ave PUNCHBOWEL. NSW

Mrs M. AITCHISON, Box 257 P.O., DUBBO. NSW

Miss Robyn MACQUEEN, S.R.D., Rushworth Rd KYABRAM. Vic

Mrs June JONES, 41 Punt Rd, WINDSOR. NSW

Miss Christina ALDRIDGE 214 Ocean Beach Rd, WOY WOY. NSW

Miss Marjorie Findley, Devon House, DUNDEE. NSW

Miss Pauline HENDY,9 Gilleston, Vin TATURA Vic

Miss Robin JACKSON, Ashgarth, LEOPOLD, Vic

Miss Rose COX, 1 Woodburn Rd HAWTHORN. Vic

Miss Carolyn OLLEY, 6 Audley Ave, SALISBURY NOTEL SA

Miss Diane STOCKLEY, 119 Rosebud Parade, ROSEBUD. Vic

Miss R.CHAMBERLAIN, 18 The Ridge, KNOXFIELD. Vic

Miss Maureen JOHNSON, 13 Wilkinson St, WEST WYNYARD. Tas

Miss Raleane FREE, 75 Broughton St, TUMUT. NSW

Miss C. LAWRENCE, 93 Vary St, MORWELL. Vic

Miss Catherine SMITH, 9 Canberra St, CARRUM. Vic

Miss T. MELNIKAS, 90 Bell St, EAST PRESTON. Vic

Miss Laima MOTIEJUNAS, 78 Tancred St, Sault Saint Marie, ONTARIO. CANADA

Miss Robyn TIMDAL, Devon House, DUNDEE. NSW

Miss Glenda WILLIS, 7 Toolangi Rd, ALPHINGTON N.20. Vic

Miss Winifred HILL, 16 Stewart St, BRAYBROOK W. 19. Vic

Miss Valerie LYNCH, 13 Nyamyn St, BRAYBROOK. Vic

Miss Faye COX, 1 Woodburn Rd, HAWTHORN. Vic

Miss Kristina MELNIKAS, Miss Heather FRASER, 83 Murray Rd, EAST PRESTO. Vic

Miss Jennifer HOLDSWORTH, Miss Helen MANNIX

Miss Judy BURBURY Birralee, YORK PLAINS. Tas

GEELONG. Vic

Miss Lorraine LEA, 67 Herries St, TOOWOOBA. Qld

Miss Brenda PARKER, 133 Mt Kevia Rd, WEST WOOLLONGONG. NSW

Miss J.A. COLEMAN, 71 Atherton St. DARWIN. N.T.

Miss D.R.BLATNIK, 15 Jeanette St, WOODVILLE PARK. SA

Mr.J.FALCONER. 51 Act. A.St,. CANTERBURY . NSW

Mrs Ada TATTERSALL, Box 87 P.O., WARREN. DUBBO. NSW

Miss Elizabeth CHAPPELL Devon House, DUNDEE. NSW

Miss Patricia BRITTEN, 98 Oxide St, BROKEN HILL. NSW

Miss Sue PHIPPS, 76 Swan St, WANGARATTA. Vic

Miss Evelyn MORGAN, P.O. Box 6, BODARRA. Vic

Miss Gillian DE BOO. 48 Langford Tce, SALISBURN NORTH. SA

356 High St, ECHUCA. Vic

44 Swanston St, Red Hill, HEATHCOTE. Vic

> Miss Eileen PARKIN, 9 Kestril Court, Norlande, GEELONG. Vic

Miss Margaret MAHER, 36 Marlborough St, LONGFORD. Tas

Miss Donna STYLES, 62 George Town Rd, Newham, LAUNCESTON. Tas

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by

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First Australian Logistic Support Group

19 Jul 66

Serial No. VT 15 Nos. 133 - 140

133. DISCIPLINE

11502 Capt W.WEIR, Chief Instructor of the Linguist Course currently being conducted in the 1 ALSG area is granted the powers of a Company Commander for purposes of discipline.

134. CLEANLINESS OF DRINKING CONTAINERS

- a. Drinking containers that are cooled on unpotable ice are to be washed in potable water before the contents are consumed.
- b. Units with Messes/Canteens are to ensure this practice is commenced immediately.

135. ACCOUNTING FOR LOST AND REPLACEMENT IDENITY CARDS (AAF A129) (MBI 212-5)

- a. All Losses of Identity Cards are to be investigated at unit level in accordance with MBI 212-5, para 12 (a), and reports submitted to HQ 1 ALSG. Where necessary, disciplinary action is to be taken by unit COs/OCs.
- b. When losses are reported by units, replacements cards are to be issued by HQ 1 ALSG. The issue of these cards will be controlled by the SC"A", HQ 1 ALSG.
- c. When lost Identity Cards are found, they are to be delivered to the SC"A", HQ 1 ALSG. If replacement cards have already been issued, the old cards are to be destroyed in accordance with para 11 of the MBI.

136. LAYING OF RAT POISION

- a. It is intended to lay rat bait in unit areas with rodent infestation. The bait is to be laid in containers to be manufactured by 2 Fd Amb. The Area Hygiene representative will supervise the use of the bait.
- b. The laying of rat bait is a second line of defence only in rodent control, and units should be aware that proper garbage disposal and kitchen sanitation will minimize rodent immigration and breeding.

137. HYGIENE

a. The 1 ALSG Hygiene Inspector (WO2 MORRIS) is to visit the following units on the dates shown:

Unit	Dates								
17 Const Sqn	-25	Jul	66.	1	Aug	66;	8	Aug	66.
145 Sig Sqn					Aug				
1 Coy RAASC			The state of the s		Aug	The second second			
161 (Indep) Recce Flt					Aug				
2 Fd Amb			The Control of the Co		Aug			100	
2 Comp Ord Dep					Aug	The second secon			
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/101 Fd Wksp

101 Fd Wksp HQ 1 ALSG All other units

29 Jul 66, 5 Aug 66, 12 Aug 66. 30 Jul 66, 6 Aug 66, 13 Aug 66. 30 Jul 66, 6 Aug 66, 13 Aug 66.

- Observations and recommendations are to be listed in Unit b. Hygiene Diaries, and reports submitted by the Hygiene Inspector to DAA & QMG, HQ 1 ALSG.
- Individual units will be advised by WO2 MORRIS of any changes to the above itinerary.

138. APPOINTMENTS - 1 ALSG ENTERTAINMENT OFFICER

- 242593 Capt J.M.NEENAN, OC 87 Tpt Pl, is appointed Entertainments Officer for 1 ALSG area.
- Capt NEENAN may be contacted on EMU 11. b.

139. APPOINTMENTS - 1 ALSG WELFARE OFFICER

- 216144 Lt K.A. JORGENSEN, RAAEC, is appointed Welfare Officer for 1 ALSG area.
- Lt JORGENSEN may be contacted at the Education Centre EMU 6. b.

140. POSTAL

- Mail addressed to VIETNAMESE civilians should not be lodged with AFPO 3 unless there is sufficient postage paid to cover the letter from AUSTRALIA as AFPO 3 can not deliver to civilians. This postage is 15c Aust.
- VIETNAMESE postage stamps can not be used on postal articles lodged with AFPO 3. If it is desired to have VIETNAMESE postage stamps cancelled by AFPO 3, this may be done provided the correct postage in Aust stamps is also affixed.
- There is still a quantity of incorrectly addressed mail being received at AFPO 3 for members of the AUSTRALIAN Force. The result is a delay in delivery to the addressee, and in some cases this mail has to be returned to the dead letter office in AUSTRALIA. Units should ensure that all members know their correct address, including the correct name of the unit. This particularly applies to reinforcements.

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NOTICES

POSTAL

- 1. The following articles have been left in the Post Office:
 - 1 wrist watch.
 - 1 pair sunglasses.

These articles may be claimed from the OC 1 Div Postal Unit.

LOST

2. A light brown overnight bag containing clothing and a photo frame was left in a leave vehcile (unit unknown) returning from VUNG TAU on 18 Jul 66.

Any person finding this article is asked to contact LAC H.G. WOODS, of 161 (Indep) Recce Flt.

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Routine Orders Part 1

by

Lieutenant Colonel D.L. ROUSE

Commanding

First Australian Logistic Support Group

22 Jul 66

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141. TRADE TESTING AND SUPERVISING OFFICERS

As a result of AFV approval contained in AUSTFORCE SD 8192 of 120025 Z Jul 66, the testing officers and supervising officers (as listed in Annex A; are appointed within 1 ALSG from 14 Jul 66.

142. CENSUS OF VEHICLES AND CONTROLLED STORES

- a. A return of vehicles and controlled stores held by units of 1 ALSG is to be submitted to DADOS, AFV (located at HQ 1 ALSG) by 4 Aug 66.
- b. The return is to show vehicles and controlled stores held at 2400 hrs 31 Jul 66.

143. ANTI MALARIAL PRECAUTIONS

- a. Units are to cover stagmant water in and adjacent to their lines with distilate. This to be done twice weekly, and immediately after rain.
- b. Average coverage of destilate is 2 fl oz to 1 sq yd or $\frac{1}{2}$ pint to 100 sq ft.

144. AUSTRALIAN SWIMMING BEACH

- a. Units of 1 ALSG are to be rostered on a weekly basis to provide two qualified and competent lifesavers for duties at the Australian Swimming Beach between 1400 and 1700 hrs daily.
- b. 2 Fd Amb is to provide one Medical Orderly or Medical Assistant on the beach daily during swimming hours.
- c. The rostered unit is also to position a Landrover at the beach continuously between 1400 and 1700 hrs daily for use in an emergency.
- d. The duty roster from the 8 Aug till 25 Sep is as follows:

Week	Unit/Units
8 - 14 Aug	161 (Indep) Recce Flt
15 - 21 Aug	17 Const Sqn
22 - 28 Aug .	145 Sig Sqn
29 Aug - 4 Sep	1 Coy RAASC
.:5 - 11 Sep	2 Comp Ord Dep
12 - 18 Sep	101 Fd Wksps
19 - 25 Sep	176 AD Coy/D & E Pl

e. Units are to instruct their duty personnel to report to 161 (Indep) Recce Flt Orderly Room 15 minutes prior to mounting duty.

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145. APPOINTMENTS - 1 ALSG LABOUR OFFICER

213816 Lt J.A.F.PURVIS, of 161 (Indep) Recce Flt, is appointed Labour Officer for 1 ALSG.

146. MOVEMENTS OF OFFICERS

When Commanding Officers and Officers Commanding units/detachments of 1 ALSG intend to rpoceed away from the VUNG TAU Peninsula they will advise Comd 1 ALSG before their departure.

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NOTICES

BASIC COURSE IN CONVERSATIONAL VIETNAMESE

- To promote better understanding and co-operation between members of the Allied Forces stationed in VUNG TAU and the local population, the Vietnamese-American Cultural Center VUNG TAU is offering a basic Course in Conversational Vietnamese.
- 2. The course is a ten-week course, starting on August 9th, 1966 and ending on October 18th, 1966.
- The course is designed to give the students a rapid working knowledge of VIETNAMESE language with particular emphasis on the vocabulary and phrases of practical value to everyday's life.
- 4. Classes will meet twice a week, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 7:45 to 9:15 PM, at the VACC which is located at St Joseph High School on the side of the Catholic Church, 8 Gia Long Street.
- 5. The tuition is 1,300 VN pinstres for the whole course.
- 6. Those who wish to attend the course are requested to register immediately with the VACC's office, 8 Gia Long Street, VUNG TAU.

TRADE TESTING AND SUPERVISING OFFICERS - 1 ALSG

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		TESTING OFF	ICER	SUPERVISING OFF			ICER		
ECN	TRADE	Name	Unit .			Name	Unit		
180	Blacksmith	25247 Sgt L.K.O'BRIEN	101 Fd Wksp	57554	Maj	E.F.MCCART	101 Fd Wksp		
180	11 11	4397 WO2 L.W.HENESS	17 Const Sqn	47018	Maj	P.J.DAY	17 Const Sqn		
189	Bricklayer	11765 WO2 M.J.DAWSON	17 Const Sqn	.,	11		11 11 11		
222	Carpenter and Joiner	11 11 11	11 11 11	11	11	11	n n n		
237	Clerk (Ord)	4604 WO1 W.W.CLARKE	2 Comp Ord Dep	17605	Capt	F.J.ALIZZI	2 Comp Ord Dep		
243	Clerk Tech cl 3 2&1	22812 WO2 R.E.GRIFFITHS	101 Fd Wksp	57554	Maj	E.F.MCCART	101 Fd Wksp		
243	n n n n	5403 Lt A.J.FERNIHOUGH	17 Const Sqn	47018	Maj	P.J.DAY	17 Const Sqn		
249	Coach Painter cl 3&2	14427 Lepl V.T. TOURNOFF	101 Fd Wksp	57554	Maj	E.F.MCCART	101 Fd Wksp	A-45	
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	A B1 C K1 L1	213816	Lt	J.A.PURVIS	161 (Indep) Recce Flt	"	11	u	11 11		11 11	
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	A B1 B2 C E F3 IM, G1 G2 G5 L1 K1	22103	WO2	T.V.MILLS	17 Const Sqn	11.	n	11	11 11		" "	
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306	Dvr/Op	22103	WO2	T.V.MILLS	17 Const Sqn	47018	n	P.J.DA	Y		17 Const Sqn	
321	Elec Mechanic	28232	W02	F.A.REMFRY	11 11 11	11	in.	11	11		11 11	
324	Electrician (Wireman)	161	11	11 11		n	11	n .	11		11 11	
335	Elec Fitter cl 3&2	29252	Cpl	K.J.BURNS	101 Fd Wksp	57554	11	E.F.MC	CART		101 Fd Wksp	
336	Elec Fitter (CE) cl 3&2	•	11	11 11	11 11 11	11	-11	H	11		11 11	
360	Fitter & Turner cl 3&2	25247	Sgt	L.K.O'BRIEN	11 11 11	11	11	n	11		11 11	
373	Fitter & Instrument c13	11	11	11 74	" " "	11	ın		11		11 11	
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512	Laundry Operator	24509	Sgt	F.T.FISHER	2 Comp Ord Dep	17605	Capt	F.J.AL	IZZI		2 Comp Ord Dep	
662	Painter & Decorator	11765	W02	M.J.DAWSON	17 Const Sqn	47018	Maj	P.J.DA	Y		17 Const Sqn	
675	Plumber & Pipefitter	11	11	n	11 11 11	11	. 11		11		11 11	
739	Radar Mech (Fd) cl 3&2	64258	WO1	W.D.PRENTER	101 Fd Wksp	57554	Maj	E.F.MC	CART		101 Fd Wksp	
755	Refrig Mech	4397	W02	L.V.HENESS	17 Const Sqn	47018	Maj	P.J.DA	Y		17 Const Sqn	
794	Sheetmetal Worker cl : 2	23481	WO1	L.G. IRVINE	101 Fd Wksp	57554	Maj	E.F.MC	CART		101 Fd Wksp	
833	Storeman Tech (Engr)	5403	Lt	A.J. FERNIHOUCH	17 Const Sqn	47018	Maj	P.J.DA	Y		17 Const Sqn	
8 39	Storeman Tech (Ord)	24702	W02	A.J.PRYOR	2 Comp Ord Dep	17605	Capt	F.J.AL	IZZI		2 Comp Ord Dep	
840	Storeman Tech (EME)	26959	W02	H.J.HOLMES	101 Fd Lisp	57554	Maj	E.F.MC	CART		101 Fd Wksp	

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ECN TRADE	TESTING OFFICER					SUPERVISING OFFICER				
	Name			Unit	Name			Unit		
849 Surveyor (Engring) 852 Storeman (Veh) 938 Veh Mech cl 3 2&1 957 Welder cl 3&2 957 " " " 984 Wireless Mech (Fd) cl 3 2&1	17066 12906 23481 54483 4397 . 35303	Capt W02 W01 Cpl W02 W02	J.C.BOLTON E.G.SELLENS L.G.IRVINE C.M.HUXTABLE L.V.HENESS D.A ROBINSON	17 Const Sqn 2 Comp Ord Dep 101 Fd Wksp 101 Fd Wksp 17 Const Sqn 101 Fd Wksp	47018 17605 57554 " 47018 57554	Maj Capt Maj " Maj Maj	P.J.DAY F.J.ALIZZI E.F.MCCART "" P.J.DAY E.F.MCCART	17 Const Sqn 2 Comp Ord Dep 101 Fd Wksp " " 17 Const Sqn 101 Fd Wksp		

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