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Unit

110 LAA Bty RAA

Date and Time.— From

1 Aug 66

To

31 Aug 66

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUTTERWORTH	1 Aug 66	1330	Gun exercise "GUN METAL" commenced. All unit guns deployed.	} Ex "GUN METAL"
			Alert state 4.	
	2 Aug 66	0545	Gun exercise Alert State 1 - 6 sorties between 0605-0650 hrs	
		0700	Unit to revert to normal alert state.	
		1100	Unit ordered "cease firing" - return to Base.	
	1 Aug 66	0800	Draft 1 2 SAS departed RTA Ex BORNEO	}
	1 Aug 66 to	1300	Visit by QMI HQ AAF FARELF - WO1 A. Malone RA Inf	
	3 Aug 66	1100		
TERENDAH	1-5 Aug 66	-	Four members RAEME attendance at Subject B (RAEME) Course and exam Terendah.	
"	1 Aug 66 to 3 Sep 66	-	Eight unit members attending Class 2 Edn Course (Terendah)	
BUTTERWORTH	2 Aug 66	0930	Visit by WO2 J. Huntbach R Int Corps - Det Comd Int Sec MINDEN BARRACKS - liaison Visit.	

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Unit 110 LAA Bty RAA

Date and Time.— From 1 Aug 66

To 31 Aug 66

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUTTERWORTH	2 Aug 66	1330	Promotion of 6 Bdrs/Cpls and 5 L/Bdrs in unit - Bdrs BISHOP, CRISP, HOWATT, WOODARD, BENEKE and GLEESON; L/Bdrs LOMMAN, RITCHIE, PIPER, HEASLIP and WOODROW	
	2 Aug 66	1340	Visit by Maj M. Newall and Capt N. Wise, HQ 3 CDO Bde - exercise discussions.	
	4 Aug 66	0830	Promotion course Sub A for WO commenced.	
	9 Aug 66	0800	Draft 2 - 2SAS - RTA ex BORNEO	
SEREMBAN	10 Aug 66	0800	Athletes departed for 17 Div championship.	
BUTTERWORTH	10 Aug 66	1530	Visit by Chief of Air Staff Air Marshall Sir Alistaire MURDOCK KBE CB	
MINDEN	10,13,17, 21 Aug 66	-	NCO assistance to 2 Royal Green Jackets for Annual Firing Practice	
SUNGEI BUTANI	11/12 Aug	0700 1700	Exercise "CASCOMEX" - enemy force for aircraft ex HMS "VICTORIOUS"	
BUTTERWORTH	11 Aug 66	1452	Complete Stand down of all Air Defence units in theatre.	Ref:- HQ FEAF KCB 2094/ AIR of 110722Z
	16 Aug 66	0700 1600	Battery deployment exercise (BHQ B Sec CP Sec only)	
	17 Aug 66	0900-1000	Visit of Lt Col P.E. Dey MBE AA & QMG 17 Div	

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Unit 110 LAA Bty RAA Date and Time.— From 1 Aug 66 To 31 Aug 66

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUTTERWORTH	17 Aug	1000	1 LAA Sqn (RAF) informed of their return to UK, as part of reduction of UK forces in theatre.	
	18-19 Aug	1500-1400	Visit of Lt Col T.R. Gibson, Deputy Comd AAF FARELF	
SINGAPORE	18-31 Aug	-	Sgt Tomkinson attending Air Portability Course	
	18-31 Aug	-	Capt Mason-Jones attending Junior Officer Land Air Welfare Course.	
BUTTERWORTH	19 Aug 66	1145	Visit of Air Marshall S.W.R. Hughes CB, CBE, FRACS, Comd FEAR	
	19 Aug 66	2000	Arrival of two members of 110 Bty in theatre - Unit now complete (182 members) except for LAD Cpl to arrive.	
	19 Aug 66	0700-1600	Battery deployment exercise (BHQ, A Sec and CP Sec only)	
	22 Aug 66	1330-1600	Assessment of WO Subject A commenced.	
BUKIT JENIANG	22-23 Aug	0800-1700	Signals exercise conducted.	
SINGAPORE	22-27 Aug	0830-1800	Unit members at FEAR Cricket Championships.	
BUTTERWORTH	25 Aug 66		Cfn R.M. McDonald promoted to Cpl	
	26 Aug 66	1300	2Lt R.J. McEvoy arrived in unit	
SINGAPORE	27-28 Aug	-	Unit Members at Rugby Competition (RAAF Base Team)	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUTTERWORTH	28 Aug 66	1500	Capt M.H. Park departed for Australia.	
SEREMBAN	29-30 Aug	-	Unit members attend 17 Div Golf Championships	
SINGAPORE	29 Aug - 2 Sep 66	-	Members attending Combat Int Course.	
SUNGEI BUTANI	29-30 Aug	0800-1700	Cross country Exercise (involving Ex enemy) for A,B, and CP Secs.	
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