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[1-30 Jun 1971]

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COMMANDERS DIARY

OF

Unit or Formation.

1 Aust CA Unit

From

1 Jun 71

To

30 Jun 71

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PART 3

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.

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

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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.

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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.
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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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1 AUST CA UNIT MONTHLY REPORT

JUN 71

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17 Const Sqn RAE

8 Fd Amb

33 Dental Unit

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Commander's Diary (3)

LO Vung Tau

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PART 1 - GENERAL

1. This report covers the activities of 1 Aust CA Unit in Phuoc Tuy Province and Vung Tau Special Zone for the period 1 - 30 Jun 71.
2. A detailed report for Vung Tau is attached as Annex A. Where applicable, comments on the Annex have been included under the appropriate headings in the main body of the report.

Vietnamese Participation

3. No reply has yet been received to our request for Vietnamese financial participation in some proposed projects. The matter will be discussed at the next meeting of the Province Civic Action Committee on 6 Jul 71. The principle has been applied however, with gratifying results, to two requests for assistance with school repairs. See Part 4.
4. Discussions were held with the Mayor of Vung Tau and the Municipal Health Chief regarding the proposed projects for FY 71/72 on 29 Jun 71. As a result, a letter will be sent to Ministry of Health, Saigon, requesting an allocation of \$VN 1,000,000 against a proposed programme of assistance to Le Loi Hospital, estimated to cost \$VN 4,000,000. No other VN participation can be expected, except unskilled labour, in the few cases where this is applicable.

Military Dependant Housing Project 399

5. A full report on this project is included as Annex 'C'.
6. The loss and damage of materials and tools at housing sites has persisted despite representations to Sector HQ and to RF Company Commanders responsible for providing guards during non-working hours. The matter was finally raised personally by CO 1 Aust CA Unit with the Province Chief on 29 Jun, and a guarantee of action received.
7. 1 Psyops Units have produced a poster, being distributed through VIS and 1 Aust CA Unit, urging the people to desist from theft and damage to Australian projects.

Agricultural Section

8. Both Mr Chu, the CATG advisor, based at 1 Aust CA Unit, and Mr Yang, the CATG Animal Husbandry expert who visited weekly, will be withdrawn from Phuoc Tuy Province by 6 Jul 71. Two CATG horticulturalists will operate from Bien Hoa and be concerned only with the large scale growing of asparagus at Phu My.
9. The skills of Mr Chu are well recognised at this unit and the expansion of the CATG effort under the auspices of the Australian Embassy was recommended in the Fox Report.
10. The unit Agricultural Section will be seriously affected by the loss of the skills of the CATG advisors and its influence on the agricultural scene, particularly in the horticultural field, weakened considerably.
11. The skills necessary to replace Mr Chu's experience and knowledge are not likely to be found in any Australian, but it may be possible to provide veterinarian skills to supervise the pig projects and any further animal husbandry projects from the Force manpower pool.
12. As the future role of the Agricultural Section will be determined by the decisions regarding the recommendations of the Fox Report, it would be appreciated if this unit could be advised of the present situation regarding that report.

Part 1 cont

Proposed Projects FY 71/72

13. An overlay has been produced showing proposed projects for 1971/72. The projects are those suggested by the Local Government authorities and are subject to change due to change of priorities or during validation.

Projects Apr 1967 - Jun 71

14. A complete schedule of all projects completed by 1 Aust CA Unit using Foreign Affairs funds has been compiled and will be distributed on 1 Jul 71.

PART 2 - PROJECTS

15. Current Projects. Current projects are listed at Annex B, Part I. New projects raised and approved this month were:

- a. Project 440. Supply pump for Horseshoe feature \$VN 37,850.
- b. Project 500. Maintain windmills and water reticulation systems - \$VN 400,000.
- c. Project 501. Support province Youth and Sports activities - \$VN 200,000
- d. Project 502. Support RD Cadre Housing for the Poor programme - \$VN 500,000.
- e. Project 503. Construct fence and gateway at Baria Hospital - \$VN 65,000.
- f. Project 504. Construct fence at Baria Old People's Home - \$VN 145,000
- g. Project 505. Repair province elementary and secondary schools - \$VN 500,000.
- h. Project 507. Provision of seed for province agricultural service programme - \$VN 200,000.
- i. Project 508. Repairs to Phuoc Loc School - \$VN 70,000
- j. Project 509. Support extension to pig raising programme - \$VN 500,000

16. Completed Projects. Projects completed this month are listed in Annex B, Part 2.

17. Military Dependant Housing (Project 399). A separate report is attached as Annex C.

18. Windmills and Water Supply.

- a. Acting upon recommendations made by Mr L. Le Cornu, a representative of Southern Cross Machinery Pty Ltd who visited Phuoc Tuy Province from 19 - 24 May 71, 1 Aust CA Unit;
 - (1) will continue with the windmill maintenance programme to restore all windmills to best possible working condition,
 - (2) has submitted a request to HQ AFV, asking;
 - (a) that approval be given to this unit to enter into agreement with PWD to train PWD persons on maintenance of windmills.
 - (b) that Australian Embassy be asked to provide a maintenance scaling for the PWD as a Foreign Affairs project.
- b. The unit windmill repair team has completed repairs to the Le Van (replaced bucket and pump rod) and Long Toan (replaced bucket and pump rod coupling) windmills. At Long Toan repairs were also effected to split PVC piping. The windmill at Phuoc Loi is currently undergoing repairs (replacement of U - bolts and timber bracing).
- c. The 17 Const Sqn well boring team sunk bore casing in the open well at An Nhut to a depth of 40 feet. Because of the "soupy" nature of the soil, it was decided not to sink the casing any deeper. Instead the casing was slotted and the whole length firmly suspended from the rim of the well, to prevent further sinking. This well is now ready for re-erection of the windmill once repairs have been effected

19. Outstanding Stores Costings. Formal closure procedures cannot be taken on the following projects until the cost of stores of Aust origin have been received;

- a. Project 251 Village Water Supply Systems.
- b. Project 257 Water Supply Long Son Island,
- c. Project 306 Drains and Soil Stabilisation Bau Tram School,
- d. Project 197 Improvements to Baria Hospital,
- e. Project 407 Provision of Playground Equipment,

- f. Project 401A Water Reticulation Dat Do,
- g. Project 421 Electrical Reticulation Tam Phuoc,
- h. Project 428 Maintain Windmills and Water Systems, and
- i. Project 436 Ap Suoi Nghe Pilot Irrigation Scheme.

20. AIK Funded Projects. The following projects were completed using AIK funds:

- a. Supply of reinforcing rod and tie wire to Tam Phuoc, for const of power poles - \$VN 4,950.
- b. Supply of cement, aggregate and sand to Tam Phuoc for construction of power poles - \$VN 15,260.
- c. Supply of bricks, cement and sand for repairs to a grave at Binh Ba - \$VN 4,220.

21. Uncosted Projects.

- a. An Nhut Market. Supply of two loads of blast rock and two loads of sand to assist in drainage.
- b. Baria Hospital. Supply of two loads of sand to fill low area outside hospital warehouse.
- c. Baria Pagoda. Supply of four loads of blast rock to fill low area.
- d. Baria Civilian Compound. Supply of three loads of sand to fill low area.
- e. Baria Orphanage. Supply of three lengths of 1" waterpipe to 1 ATF LAD for extension of orphanage water reticulation.

22. Commodity Distribution. The following goods were distributed to the Province Refugee Service:

- a. 1 Tea Chest Infants clothing.
- b. 2 Tea Chests Girls clothing.
- c. 2 Tea Chests Womens clothing.
- d. 4 Tea Chests Boys and Mens clothing.
- e. 1 Tea Chest assorted sizes shoes.
- f. 1 Tea Chest cooking utensils.

PART 3 - HEALTH

Medical

23. The SMO 1 ATF conducts two clinics weekly at Baria Hospital;
- a. ante-natal - Monday am, and
 - b. Medical Outpatients - Thursday am.
24. The post-natal clinic formerly conducted by MO 1 Aust CA Unit is now conducted by Vietnamese staff and any difficult cases referred to the SMO 1 ATF at the Thursday clinic.

Hygiene

25. The model sanitary hamlet established at An Loc is completed and will be dedicated on 7 Jul.
26. 1 Aust CA Unit provided drums, ammunition boxes and fill material to assist in construction of toilets, well covers, and levelling of market surrounds.
27. Although the project has been completed successfully it was noticeable that the burden of work fell on staff of the Long Dien Dispensary while the local people watched or pursued their own interests.

Dental

28. The new building for the Dental Clinic has been completed in Baria Hospital using VN funds only. There has been an, as yet, unexplained delay in the supply and fitting of dental equipment to make the clinic operative.
29. 33 Dental Unit continue to support the VN dentist with equipment and to perform dentistry at the hospital. Figures for June were;
- a. Patients treated 473
 - b. Extractions 546

General Interest

30. The erstwhile Province Health Chief and present Hospital Director (Dr Vong) has encountered further difficulties with his political aspirations. Under VN law he is forbidden to stand for election in any Province wherein he has held Government Office in the previous twelve months. This, of course, precludes him from standing in Phuoc Tuy.
31. Dr Vong has applied for two months leave of absence and has gone to Hue to stand for Parliament. Dr Khai is acting as Hospital Director and popular opinion has it that Dr Vong will not return to Phuoc Tuy.

PART 4 - EDUCATION

32. School holidays commenced at the beginning of the month for Primary, Secondary and Technical Schools. The new school year will commence in early September.

Completed Projects

33. The toilet block at the Long Dien Primary School was completed on 7 Jun 71 and the keys were handed to the Education Service. Letters of thanks were received from the Education Service for the Long Dien Project and for the classrooms constructed at Phuoc Hiep School.

Primary Education

34. An agreement was signed with the Parents and Citizens Association of the Nui Dinh Primary School for the demolition of two existing classrooms to enable three new classrooms to be built on the site. An interesting feature of this is that the P & C Association called tenders for the demolition and will pay the contractor from their funds.

35. Requests for assistance with repairs were received from two primary schools - Phuoc Loc and Phuoc Le. In each case the Parents and Citizens Association is willing to provide 20% of the cost of the materials and to provide the necessary labour.

Secondary Education

36. The work on Dat Do High School has been progressing well and the 1 ACAU contribution on Stage 1 has almost been completed. A meeting was held with the headmaster to arrange for finance for the completion of this stage.

37. Twelve cartons of books were received from Australia for distribution to the high schools. The books have yet to be sorted and assessed.

PART 5 - YOUTH AND SPORTS

38. The weekly volleyball competition between 1 ATF units and Vietnamese teams have continued but were hampered by 1 ATF operational commitments and Armed Forces Day.
39. An agreement was signed with the Duc Thanh District Chief and Youth and Sports representative for the construction of a Youth and Sports Centre in the district. The project has not yet been submitted for approval by HQ AFV.
40. Repairs to the Baria Stadium were carried out by the Reconstruction Office during the month and it is understood that repairs to the running track are also to be made. Requests for these repairs were originally made to 1 ACAU.
41. The following activities were sponsored by the Youth Office during June:
- a. A karate competition for children up to 16 years of age - held on 24 Jun 71.
 - b. Movement of 800 school children from Cat Lo Naval Base to Vung Tau on 26 Jun 71. 1 ALSG provided transport and water at the camp. The camp was for three days.
 - c. A picnic for RD Cadre children (approx 70) and 50 orphans - held on 27 Jun 71. The picnic was hosted by 106 Fd Wksp in an excellent fashion.
42. The Province Sports Carnival for 1971 which was to have been held on 11, 12, 13 Jun 71 has been postponed until 1, 2, 3 Jul 71. The purpose of this carnival is to select teams and individuals to represent Phuoc Tuy in an inter-province carnival in Saigon later in the year. Some assistance will be given with the purchasing of prizes.
43. A tour of the Long Dien District was conducted during the month to inspect the various sporting facilities. Apart from the Long Dien Youth and Sports Centre, little effort has been made by the hamlets to maintain their volleyball courts. The District Youth and Sports representative showed little concern over this. No move has yet been made to plant grass on the Long Dien soccer field.

PART 6 - AGRICULTURE

1 ANOMY/HORTICULTURE

Mushroom

44. The straw mushroom project, as mentioned in the last report, was very successful (sown on 5 Jun and harvested 24 Jun onwards). A total of 406 Kg has been the yield to date from the 5 sq metre plot and more is expected. Market price is at \$VN500/Kilo.

45. The other plots had variable success. The plots at Long Dien and Nui Dinh (1) did reasonably well. However Nui Dinh (2) was removed after 14 days when the farmer decided it was a failure; and at An Ngai, poor water control led to another disappointing result.

Sorghum

46. There are several plots at Kim Hai (2 Hegari, 2 Kinmen 1 Medland varietal plots).

47. In addition, 2000 m² of Kinmen sorghum and Mung bean intercropping demonstration plot has been introduced to endeavour to demonstrate intensive use of farm land.

48. The Tam Phuoc Kinmen plot has begun to head well and should be harvested in late Jul.

49. Of the seed mentioned above, the Hegari was provided by the US, the Meloland/Kinsmen from a harvest at Binh Gia.

50. The Agricultural Service looked for several sorghum plots late in Jun as demonstration sites for the Meloland variety to be purchased by this unit. These plots should be set up early next month.

Vegetables

51. A new plot sown at Chu Hoi (Asparagus bean) on 23 Jun has germinated well.

52. A brief on the results of last months reported vegetable plots will soon be forthcoming from the CATG representative.

General

53. A project has been approved for the purchase of seed on behalf of the Agricultural Service.

CHICKEN PROJECT

54. This project has now been completed with the two houses at Tam Phuoc having sold their chickens. Both of these houses were very successful biologically but even so only a profit of approx \$VN8000 was made in both cases. (N.B. this unit purchased the chickens at \$VN8,250 per batch at that time and provided them free of cost to the farmers.)

55. Both farmers however, intend to carry on with a fowl enterprise. One is raising local chickens for meat and the other intends to raise layers. Hence we have perhaps achieved something as the farmers are interested in continuing in the poultry business.

56. A final project survey is now under way and should be completed next month.

IRRIGATION SCHEME AT AP SOUI NGHE

57. The small dam in the creek line has been completed by hamlet labour, using an impermeable membrane packed between rock.

58. All 1 ACAU engineering work was completed and a pump and two pair stillsons were handed over to the hamlet on the signature of the Hamlet Chief.

59. A tutorial on pump operation/security/maintenance was held for all the farmers concerned in the project, but the hamlet chief and women were the only pupils.

60. The site has already been affected by vandalism. Taps have been damaged and several stolen. This unit has refused to supply anymore stores other than those required over a 3 month maintenance period as per the agreement drawn up earlier.

61. Agricultural Service has agreed to supervise crop production on the site.

62. The hamlet chief argues that the soil will be too wet to farm for at least 30 days, which appears to be unreasonable, and so Agricultural Service will investigate. It is envisaged that either corn or bean will be grown on the site.

I.R. RICE

63. This unit donated approx 1-2 metric tons of IR 20/22 rice to the Agricultural Service. The service are showing pleasing enthusiasm in distributing the seed.

64. The unit Agricultural Team provided transport, each Tue and Thu a.m. for the Agricultural Service personnel to select demonstration sites and later to supervise them.

65. A total of 8 demonstration sites have been chosen to date mainly adjacent to Routes 23 and 44.

66. In addition to this, 200 Kilos of rice have been allocated to each village in the rice growing areas, as a donation to the poor farmers. The response has been pleasing.

67. The IR crop at Long Dien (dry season attempt) has been abandoned as a demonstration due to wind and cattle damage and effect of the water scarcity reported in Apr. Its failure has had an influence on the farmers at Long Dien who have lost confidence in it and have not requested their allocation of 200 Kilos of rice. Some farmers were under the impression that IR rice was designed only for dry season cropping. The Agricultural Service is now aware of the misunderstandings and hopes that the present demonstration plots will aid in solving these problems.

PIG PROJECT

68. Funds have been approved for FY 1971/72 to extend the project by approx 100 sties. A close watch on economies of each enterprise and the supervisory capability of the Animal Husbandry Service (AHS) is planned so that the expansion can be restricted to a level capable of being controlled by AHS.

69. All pig sties built under this programme so far have been successful with a very low incidence of health/disease problems. Expansion will be at Binh Ba, Baria, Dat Do, Long Dien and other villages as selected by AHS.

70. The two boars housed at AHS in Baria appear to be suffering from a skin disease problem. It is suspected that it stems from a nutritional imbalance and steps will be taken to try to rectify the problem.

71. The Yorkshire boar has been used to inseminate 30 sows from Vung Tau and Phuoc Tuy at the time of this report. The Curcoids are still in training and could become productive in Jul or Aug.

tificial Insemination Assessment

72. The primary objective of artificial insemination in swine is a more widespread use of boars with proven greater worth. This is of significance to AHS in as much as they can carry out such a programme in spite of severe transport problems which would greatly restrict movement of either sow or boar to be mated in the normal way.

73. Another advantage is disease control. The spread of diseases which are transferred from the boar to the sow on contact can be greatly reduced. Also with AI, matings which would otherwise be difficult (size difference etc) can be made.

74. The greatest disadvantage to this technique is that if it is to be successful, good management is essential. The AHS sty is not as clean as it could be but their method of collection is adequate although improvements could be made. However the quality of management can be assessed to some extent on the success of the AI programme. This appears to be reasonable and although the AHS quoted figure of 95% conception rate is probably not accurate, it is one that compares favourably with Australian expectations (70%)

75. The semen collected by AHS is not stored and is always used within 4 hours of collection and then only after the sow has been checked on that day by the AHS that she is in oestrus. This appears to be a good arrangement and emphasises the need to restrict the programme to the capability of the AHS.

PART 7 - UNIT MATTERS

77. Unit strength as at 30 Jun 71:

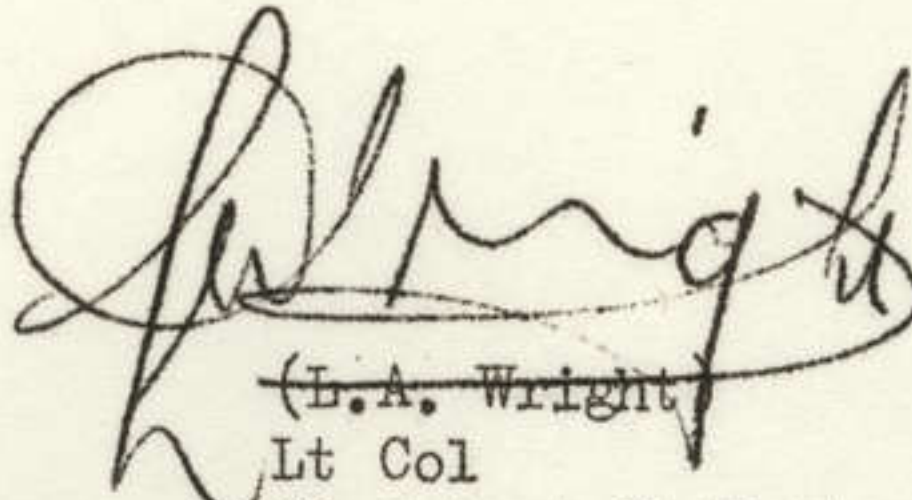
	Offrs	WO/Sgt	OR	Total
Establishment	14	10	34	58
Posted	12	8	30	50
* Attached for Project 399		3	18	21
Other attachments, CATG, Interpreter	1(civ)	8(4 civ)		9
* plus VN		5	2	7
Total	13	24	50	87

78. Postings

- a. Lt Col P.T. JOHNSTON R Aust Inf has been posted as the next Commanding Officer. ETA 23 Feb 72.
- b. Maj F.M. SOJAN RAA has been posted as the next 2 ic vice Maj G.J. FITZGERALD. ETA 15 Sep 71.
- c. Maj D. KEITH RAE has been posted as Engineer Officer (Project Officer Project 399) vice Maj J.S. BAKER. ETA 25 Aug 71.
- d. Capt P.R. ROSE RAE assumed duties as Engineer Officer on 2 Jun 71.

79. Visits. Tours of CA projects were provided for:

- a. Maj Trebilcock ACMF
- b. Lt Col Hoa, ARVN FWMAF Liaison Officer
- c. Minister for Army and Party
- d. 4 RAR. Coy and HQ group.


(L.A. Wright)
Lt Col
CO 1 Aust CA Unit

VUNG TAU SPECIAL ZONE
JUNE 1971

General

1. MACV CORDS Vung Tau closed on 14 Jun 71. The full impact of the closure of that office has not yet been felt by local authorities. Some inconvenience has already been experienced by both local authorities and FWMAF. The Mayor has offered an office to the LO 1 Aust CA Unit at the City Headquarters to facilitate contact between Australian Forces and Vietnamese authorities.
2. An Phong Orphanage was visited by 110 Sig Sqn who presented food, clothing and toys to the orphanage. The items presented were collected from 110 Sig Sqn, 1 Aust Fd Hosp, 2 AOD, Red Cross and Australian institutions. 110 Sig Sqn also provided assistance to RVNAF Sigs School Scout Troop.
3. On 7 Jun 71 a RAAF vehicle collided with a motor cycle, killing the driver and passenger. On the 9 Jun 71 at the funeral for the two deceased banners were displayed requesting Australians to drive carefully and not to endanger Vietnamese lives.

Construction

4. Project V207 - Construction of a Maternity Ward at Le Loi Hospital. This project is progressing well. The contractor expects to complete construction in about six weeks. There are no toilet or latrine facilities for patients included in the ward. A written request has been provided by the Director of Le Loi Hospital and recommended by the Mayor, for the construction of a latrine and ablution block in the coming financial year.

Health

5. The Hygiene Inspector posted to 1 ALSG has been accompanying the Vietnamese hygiene inspector on visits to bars, hotels and restaurants. The purpose of these visits is to ensure a reasonable standard of hygiene is maintained at those premises frequented by Australian troops on leave in Vung Tau. It is considered that the Vietnamese authorities are competent to maintain the required standards. The visits by the ALSG hygiene inspector provide for ALSG an intimate knowledge of the standards and where necessary provides information upon which a recommendation upon whether or not an establishment should be placed out of bounds can be made by the staff of HQ 1 ALSG.
6. The loss of technicians provided by MACCORDS from Le Loi Hospital VD clinic has not yet produced any adverse effects. The technicians have been replaced by staff from the hospital. The "new" VD clinic being prepared by the hospital should be ready for occupation in the near future. At present there is no electricity or water supplied to this building. These facilities should be provided in July.
7. Treatment to Vietnamese nationals at 1 Aust Fd Hosp was:
 - a. Treatment arising from hostile action
 - 3 VC - hospitalised
 - (1 Cambodian soldier also hospitalised)
 - b. Treatment arising from other causes
 - 3 civilians
 - c. RAP
 - 65 civilians
 - d. X-Ray
 - 107 civilian
 - 22 VC

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Dental

8. Treatment for month was handled by Vietnamese dentist. Final denture work by Australian dentist was completed 12 Jun 71.

Education

9. The provision of furniture and equipment for the Natural Science and Physics Block at Back Beach High School has been discussed with the Mayor. At present it is intended to raise funds from the people to provide the necessary equipment.

10. A carton of "Education Kits" was given to the Veterans Department for distribution to the children of veterans. The toys referred to in para 19 of the May report were disbursed to the best students amongst the Veterans children.

Youth and Sports

11. A new Chief of the youth and sports Department has been appointed and has assumed his duties.

12. The following assistance has been provided by HQ 1 ALSG for the Youth and Sports Department (Saigon) childrens summer camp 1971:

- a. Transport from Cat Lo Naval Base to Back Beach on 26 Jun 71.
- b. Transport around Vung Tau special zone on 18 and 21 Jun 71.
- c. Transport to Cat Lo on 30 Jun 71.
- d. Provision of water for the period 26 - 30 Jun 71.
- e. Loan of poles and an awning for the opening ceremony on 27 Jun 71.

13. Games of soccer have been played against the Junior Military Academy and National Police Academy.

Agriculture

14. After discussion with the Chief of the Agriculture Service it appears that his requirement is for advice on the establishment of a fish marketing system. It has been explained to the Chief of the Agriculture Service that we are in no position to offer advice, particularly as the Chief spent nine of the last 12 months studying fish marketing procedures in Singapore and Bangkok.

Veterans Department

15. As yet no suitable blades for the wood working machinery have been discovered on the local market. An attempt will be made to obtain these items in Saigon.

16. A quantity of US mattresses was given to the veterans on 28 Jun 71.

PART ONE - CURRENT PROJECTS
AS AT 30 JUN 71

Project No:	Project Description	Stage of Completion of Construction	Labour	Remarks
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
401B	Water Reticulation Long Huong	98%	PWD 1 Aust CA Unit	Awaiting del of 6" gate valve through VN channels
412	First Stage Construction - Dat Do High School	95%	Contract	Formwork to remain in place until 10 Jul 71. Otherwise completed.
500	Maintain Windmills and Water Reticulation Systems	Continuous	1 Aust CA Unit	Work completed during Jun on Le Van, Long Toan, Phuoc Loi.
501	Support Province Youth and Sports Activities	Continuous		
502	Support RD Cadre Housing for the Poor Programme	Continuous	Self Help RD Cadre	Material ordered for first house
503	Construct Fence and Gateway at Baria Hospital	100%	Contract	Project to be completed immediately payment made to contractor.
504	Construct Fence Baria Old Peoples Home	40%	Contract	Project commenced 25 Jun 71 - work satisfactory to date
505	Repair Province Elementry and Secondary Schools	Continuous		
507	Provision of Seed for Province Agricultural Service Programme	Continuous		
508	Repairs to Phuoc Loc School	10%	Self Help	Materials purchased by 1 Aust CA Unit and delivered to Site
509	Support Extension to Pig-raising Programme	Continuous		

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PART TWO - PROJECTS COMPLETED
DURING JUN 71

Project No:	Project Description	Completion Date	Remarks
435	Toilet System - Long Dien Primary School	4 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 320,000
438	Provision of Materials to Construct 10 Electric Light Poles in Tam Phuoc Village	4 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 141,600
439	Provision of Musical Instruments for RD Cadre Entertainment Group	4 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 30,000
415	Support of EA Province Agricultural Advisory Service	7 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 1,176,665
432	Latrine Block and Well - Long Dien Youth and Sports Centre	9 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 423,600
434	Construct Two Classrooms - Phuoc Hiep	9 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 989,200
428	Maintenance Various Windmills, Water Reticulation Systems		Awaiting confirmation of cost of Army Stores
440	Supply Pump for Horseshoe Feature	22 Jun 71	Completed at cost \$VN 37,850
436	Ap Suoi Nghe Irrigation System		Awaiting confirmation cost of Army Stores
401A	Water Supply - Dat Do		Awaiting confirmation of costs of Army Stores
197	Renovations to Phuoc Tuy Hospital (Phase 1)		Awaiting confirmation of costs and delivery of some Army Stores
421	Electrical Reticulation - Tam Phuoc		Awaiting confirmation of cost of Army Stores.

MILITARY DEPENDANT HOUSING

General

1. At 30 Jun 71, Project 399 was 67 percent completed. This is approximately ten percent behind schedule.

Contract Work

2. To assist reduce the lag behind schedule additional construction contracts have been let for the brickwork and roofing of eleven blocks spread over five sites. Work has now commenced on each of the sites.

3. The contract effort will allow a greater concentration of 17 Const Sqn resources committed to the project and this should also give an increase in output as a result of greater efficiency in working.

Roof Repair and Modification

4. On 7 Jun, the roof of one unoccupied block at Site 7 was partly removed in a severe storm in a similar fashion to the failure at Site 1. Repairs have been completed but the roof tie down system is urgently required to prevent further failures.

5. Manufacture of components for the tie down system has commenced but fitting cannot proceed until the necessary tools are delivered from Australia. Priority for fitting of the tie down system will be given to houses already occupied.

Estimates and Expenditure

6. In country expenditure during financial year 1970/71 was:
- | | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------|
| a. Brick Production | - | \$ 62,888 |
| b. Local Purchase | - | \$ 18,650 |
| c. Interpreters wages | - | \$ 2,609 |
| d. Labour wages | - | \$ 20,932 |
| e. Construction Contracts | - | \$ 29,657 |
| f. Miscellaneous | - | \$ 364 |
| g. Total | - | \$135,100 |
7. Planned expenditure in Vietnam for financial year 1971/72 is:
- | | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------|
| a. Local Purchase | - | \$ 4,000 |
| b. Interpreters wages | - | \$ 1,200 |
| c. Labour wages | - | \$ 23,000 |
| d. Construction Contracts | - | \$ 34,000 |
| e. Miscellaneous | - | \$ 4,600 |
| f. Total | - | \$ 66,800 |

Handover of Sites 1

8. On 5 Jun 30 houses at Site 2 at Baria were handed over in a formal ceremony.
9. On 30 Jun, 40 houses at Site 7 at Ong Trinh were handed over to the Vietnamese without ceremony. It will be necessary to return to this site to fit the tie down system when all materials and tools are available.
10. The next sites for handover will be Site 12 and 13, total 60 houses at JWTC.

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MINUTES OF MEETING OF DETACHMENT
COMMANDERS HELD ON 27 JUN 71
TO DISCUSS CURRENT AND PROPOSED
PROJECTS

<u>Present:</u>	2IC	Maj Fitzgerald
	Engr Offr	Capt Rose
	Edn Offr	Capt Leeman
	LO 1	Capt White
	LO 2	Capt Seymour
	Ag Offr	2lt Hannam
	G3	Lt Smith

Projects completed since last meeting

1. Project 440, Supply Pump for Horseshoe, was completed at a cost of \$VN 37,850.

Projects approved since last meeting

2. The following projects were approved;
 - a. Project 508, repairs to Phuoc Loc School, and
 - b. Project 509, support extensions to pig raising project.

Projects awaiting approval

3. The following projects are awaiting approval;
 - a. proposed Project 506, classrooms for Nui Dinh School, and
 - b. proposed Project 510, construct four classrooms for Chau Van Tiep High School.

Projects carried forward from FY 1970/71

4. Project 401A, Dat Do Water Reticulation. The fence barring progress on the digging has still not been removed. LO 1 is to discuss the problem with Dat Do District Chief as soon as possible. All action required by 1 Aust CA Unit has been completed and project is now in the category of "Work completed but awaiting costs of Army Stores".
5. Project 401B, Long Huong Water Reticulation. It has still not been possible to purchase a 6" gate valve. This item will now have to be purchased from Project 500, Maintenance of Windmills and Water Reticulation Systems, to avoid the carry over of expenditure into FY 71/72. The sum of \$VN 645,974 for the purchase of pipe from Long Binh has still not been paid.
6. Project 412, First Stage Dat Do High School. Work on the Aust contribution to this project has been completed and the project will be closed after payment of contract retention fee on 8 Jul 71. Engr Offr is to discuss completion of the VN contribution with the headmaster on 28 Jun 71.
7. Project 436, Ap Suoi Nghe Irrigation. All work has been completed in accordance with para 7 of the conference minutes for 21 Jun 71 and the project is now in the category "Work completed, awaiting cost of Army Stores". The unit, as part of the initial agreement, is to service and maintain the pump for a period of three months. Any funds required will be provided from Project 500, Maintenance of Windmills and Water Systems.

Projects current for FY 71/72

8. Major Projects.

- a. Project 506, Classrooms for Nui Dinh School. Project is still awaiting approval from Aust Embassy, after submission on 11 Jun 71.
- b. Project 510, Construct Four Classrooms at Chau Van Tiep. Project has been raised and forwarded to Aust Embassy for approval on 24 Jun 71.
- c. Youth Centre Duc Thanh. Tenders have been received and the total cost of the project will be \$VN 1,150,000. GVN will contribute \$VN 450,000 leaving an Aust contribution of \$VN 700,000. The project will not be raised until CO has discussed finance implications with Province HQ. It may be necessary to arrange two contracts, one for Aust and one for GVN contribution.
- d. Province Agricultural Warehouse. Tenders have been received and the project will cost \$VN 944,000. Project will almost certainly have no VN input.

9. Minor Projects.

- a. Project 503, Fence and Gateway for Baria Hospital. Work on this project has been completed well ahead of schedule. Payments will be made on 30 Jun and 14 Jul 71. The project can then be closed.
- b. Project 504, Fence for Old People's Home. Work has begun and an early completion is expected.
- c. Project 508, Repairs to Phuoc Loc School. Edn Offr is to collect the \$VN 20,000 VN input during week 28 Jun - 3 Jul 71. Stores have been ordered and will be distributed the following week. Project can then be closed.
- d. Electrification of Dat Do Dispensary. The bill of materials has been compiled and Engr Section is to arrange as many quotes as possible by Sat 3 Jul 71. Project can then be raised.

10. Stores Provis ions Projects.

- a. Project 502, Support RD Cadre Housing for Poor. Stores for the construction of the first house have been ordered and will be collected during the week 4 - 11 Jul 71.
- b. Project 501, Support for Province Youth and Sports Activities. A request for \$VN 30,000 to purchase prizes for a Province Sports Carnival has been made by the Youth and Sports Chief.
- c. There have been no requests for assistance from the following projects;
 - (1) 500, Maintainance of Windmills and Water Systems,
 - (2) 505, Repairs to Schools,
 - (3) 507, Provision of seed for Province Ag Service, and
 - (4) 509, Support Extensions to Pig Raising Programme.

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MINUTES OF MEETING OF DETACHMENT
COMMANDERS HELD ON 13 JUN 71
TO DISCUSS CURRENT AND PROPOSED
PROJECTS

Present:

2IC	Maj Fitzgerald
Engr Offr	Capt Rose
Clerk of Works	WO2 Tanzer
Edn Offr	Capt Leeman
G3	Lt Smith
L01	Capt White
L02	Capt Seymour

Projects Completed Since Last Meeting.

1. The following projects have been completed:
 - a. Project 415, Support for Province Agricultural Service.
 - b. Project 432, Toilet Block and Well for Long Dien Y & S Centre.
 - c. Project 434, Construct 2 Classrooms for Phuoc Hiep School.

Projects Approved since Last Meeting.

2. The following projects were approved for FY 1971/72:
 - a. Project 503, Fence and Gateway at Baria Hospital.
 - b. Project 504, Fence at Baria Old People's Home.
 - c. Project 505, Repairs to Province Elementary and Secondary Schools.

Projects Awaiting Approval.

3. Project 506, Construct 3 Classrooms for Nui Dinh School is awaiting approval from Aust Embassy.

Projects Current for FY 1970/71.

4. Project 401A, Dat Do Water Reticulation. It was not possible to deliver the remaining stores. Efforts will be made to have the PWD Chief accept the stores during the week 14 - 21 Jun 71. Digging of the remaining 1200 metres has not begun. Engr Offr is to arrange the removal of the fence, now barring progress on the digging, with Dat Do District.
5. Project 401B, Tong Huong Water Reticulation. It has not been possible to purchase locally a 6" gate valve. Engr Section is to liase with PA and E in the coming week to purchase a suitable gate valve.
6. Project 412, Construction of First Stage Dat Do High School. Pouring of cement has begun. Project should be completed by 21 Jun 71.
7. Project 436, Ap Suoi Nghe Irrigation. 30m of pipe is yet to be laid by unit. An impermeable membrane is to be placed in the dam wall during the week 14-21 Jun 71 using village labour. Remaining funds will be expended during the coming week, primarily on the purchase of seed, fertiliser and three taps damaged by vandals.

Projects for Period Jul - Sep 71.

8. Major Projects.

- a. Project 506 Three Classrooms for Nui Dinh School. Project is waiting approval from Aust Embassy.
- b. Four Classrooms for Chau Van Tiep High School. This project has been submitted for tenders, which are expected by 19 Jun 71. Project will then be raised.
- c. Youth Centre at Duc Thanh. An agreement has been signed with Y&S Office that VN will provide \$VN 450,000, in cash, before construction begins. Project is now ready for tenders and contractors will be asked to tender for two sizes of building. The larger building will be constructed provided the cost is within preliminary allocation of \$VN 1.75 million.

d. Province Agricultural Warehouse. Site plan has been completed. Agriculture Service has requested \$VN 350,000 from the Central Ministry to contribute to the project. Ag Offr is to arrange a letter of request from Agriculture Service.

9. Minor Projects.

a. Project 503, Fence for Baria Hospital. Work will begin on 19 Jun 71. Cost is \$VN 65,000.

b. Project 504, Fence for Old People's Home. Work will begin on 19 Jun 71. Cost is \$VN 145,000.

c. Repairs to Baria Stadium. VN are carrying out repairs. This proposed project is now cancelled.

d. Electrification of Dat Do Dispensary. Site plan and bill of materials are to be produced by 28 Jun 71.

10. Stores Provision Projects. Annex B to R176-3-25 of 25 May 71 refers. Validity checks have been completed and projects will now be submitted to HQ AFV for approval.

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MINUTES OF MEETING OF DETACHMENT
COMMANDERS HELD ON 13 JUN 71
TO DISCUSS CURRENT AND PROPOSED
PROJECTS

Present:

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Engr Offr	Capt Rose
Clerk of Works	WO2 Tanzer
Edn Offr	Capt Leeman
LO 2	Capt Seymour
Ag Offr	2lt Hannam

Projects Completed Since Last Meeting.

1. No projects have been completed since the last meeting.

Projects Approved Since Last Meeting.

2. The following projects were approved:
 - a. Project 440 - Water pump for Horseshoe.
 - b. Project 507 - Provision of seed for Province Ag Service.

Projects Awaiting Approval.

3. The following projects are awaiting approval:
 - a. Proposed Project 506 - Classrooms for Nui Dinh School.
 - b. Proposed Project 508 - Repairs to Phuoc Loc School.
 - c. Proposed Project 509 - Support Extensions to Pig Raising Project.

Projects Current for FY 1970/71.

4. Project 401A, Dat Do Water Reticulation. All reticulation stores have been handed over to PWD Chief. Reticulation stores for the connection of water to Project 399 Site 5 have been purchased and handed over to the Project Officer. Engr Sect is to check on the removal of the fence, now barring progress on the digging.
5. Project 401B, Long Huong Water Reticulation. Engr Sect is still endeavouring to purchase a 6" gate valve. The sum of \$VN 675,974 for the purchase of 6" pipe from Long Binh could not be paid and will now be a charge against FY 1971/72 funds.
6. Project 412, First Stage Dat Do High School. Only the stairs and stairwell remain to be completed. Engr Sect is to check progress Tue 22 Jun 71. Expect project to be closed on 13 Jul 71.
7. Project 436 Ap Suoi Nghe Irrigation. Work began on placing an impermeable membrane in the dam wall on 21 Jun 71. Ag Offr is to deliver the pump (complete) and Stillson spanners to Ap Suoi Nghe on 22 Jun 71 and obtain a receipt from the Hamlet Chief. Ag Offr is also to arrange tuition for selected villagers on the operation of the pump. When these tasks have been completed the project can be classified "Work completed, awaiting confirmation of costs of Army Stores".
8. Project 428, Maintenance of Windmills and Water Supply Systems. This project is now in the category "Work completed but awaiting costs of Army Stores".
9. Project 440, Pump for Sector Forces on Horseshoe. The pump has been purchased and handed over to 21 EST. Project will be closed after payment for pump is made on 21 Jun 71.

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Projects for Period Jul - Sep 71.

10. Major Projects.

- a. Project 506, Classrooms for Nui Dinh School. This project is awaiting approval from Aust Embassy.
- b. Four Classrooms for Chau Van Tiep High School. Tenders have been received and project will cost \$VN 1,960,000. Project will now be raised.
- c. Youth Centre Duc Thanh. Tenders have been called and are due in on Wed 23 Jun 71. Contracts Board will be held on Thu 24 Jun 71.
- d. Province Agricultural Warehouse. Tenders have been called and are due on Fri 25 Jun. Contracts Board will be held on Sat 26 Jun 71. It is highly unlikely that any funds will be made available by the Central Ministry in Saigon as VN contribution to this project.

11. Minor Projects.

- a. Project 503, Fence for Baria Hospital. Enge Sect is to check that work has begun as required by contract.
- b. Project 504, Fence for Old People's Home. As for Project 503.
- c. Electrification of Dat Do Dispensary. No change from last meeting.

12. Stores Provisions Projects.

- a. Project 507, Provision of Seed for Province Ag Service. Ag Offr is to advise Province Ag Service that funds are now available and to ascertain requirements.
- b. Project 502. Enge Sect is to check with W02 Osbourne, RD Cadre, when Cadre requires stores for first house.

13. Unit Initiated Projects. There have been no requests for assistance from Project 500 Maintain Windmills and Water Reticulation Systems, Project 501 Support for Province Youth and Sports Activities or Project 505, Repairs to Schools.

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MINUTES OF MEETING OF DETACHMENT
COMMANDERS HELD ON 5 JUN 71
TO DISCUSS CURRENT AND PROPOSED PROJECTS

Present:

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Engr Offr	Capt Rose
Clerk of Works	WO2 Tanzer
Edn Offr	Capt Leeman
G3	Lt Smith
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Project Completed Since Last Meeting

1. The following projects have been completed:
 - a. Project 435, Septic Toilet System for Long Dien School.
 - b. Project 438, Materials for Light Poles for Tam Phuoc.
 - c. Project 439 Musical Instruments for RD Cadre.

Projects Approved Since Last Meeting

2. The following projects were approved for FY 1971/72:
 - a. Project 500, Maintain Windmills and Water Reticulation Systems.
 - b. Project 501, Support for Province Youth and Sports Activities.
 - c. Project 502, Support RD Cadre Housing for Poor Programme.

Projects Awaiting Approval

3. The following projects have been submitted to HQ AFV for approval:
 - a. Project 503, Construct Fence and Gateway at Baria Hospital.
 - b. Project 504, Reconstruct Fence at Baria Old People's Home.
 - c. Project 505, Repairs to Province Elementary and Secondary Schools.

Current Projects

4. Project 401A. Dat Do Water Reticulation. Final delivery of stores will be made during the week 7-14 Jun 71. 1200 metres of trench remains to be dug and 17 Const Sqn have been requested to complete this task as soon as possible. Project cannot be closed as costs of some army stores have yet to be confirmed.

5. Project 401B. Long Huong Water Reticulation. One 6" gate valve is to be purchased on Mon 7 Jun. This will complete the project. AFV have been requested to confirm that \$VN675,974 has been paid to US for purchase of 6" black pipe. Difficulties are being met in paying this amount.

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6. Project 412. Construction of First Stage Dat Do High School. All mwork for the ceiling of the ground floor and most reinforcing bar is in position. Contractor expects to begin pouring cement on Mon 7 Jun and to complete the building by 21 Jun 71.
7. Project 415. Support for Province Agricultural Service. IR rice seed was purchased in Long An Province on Fri 4 Jun. This project will now be closed.
8. Project 428. An Nhut Well. This contract has been terminated as the contractor is unable to clear the water from the well. 17 Const Sqn have been requested to sink two bore casings to increase the flow. This work should begin towards the 11 Jun 71.
9. Project 432. Toilet Block and Well, Long Dien Youth and Sports Centre. The well has been sunk to a depth of two rings and the tank and tank stand erected. This project will be completed by Wed 9 Jun 71. Water is now being tested for potability.
10. Project 434. Classrooms at Phuoc Hiep School. No change from last meeting.
11. Project 436. Ap Soui Nghe Irrigation. Remaining tasks are to lay 65 m of surface pipe, install pump and test pump and tank. Recce will be conducted on Mon 7 Jun, by CO and Engr Offr, of the dam site. Estimated that Aust participation will be completed by 12 Jun 71.

Projects for Period Jul - Sep 71

12. Major Projects.

- a. Four Classrooms at Chau Van Tiep School. The site plan has been agreed. Site and construction plans are to be completed by Fri 11 Jun and project submitted for tenders on Sat 12 Jun. Tenders are required back by Sat 19 Jun.
- b. Classrooms for Nui Dinh School. Tenders will be collected on Tue 8 Jun. Edn Offr is to arrange signing of the agreement on demolition of the existing classrooms as soon as possible.
- c. Youth Centre at Duc Thanh. Site plan is to be produced by Mon 14 Jun. Edn/Y&S Offr is to discuss suitability of plans and GVN contribution with Y & S Office on Mon 7 Jun.
- d. Province Agricultural Warehouse. Ag Offr is to arrange with Ag Service to clear secondary growth from project site to enable site plans to be produced. Site plans are required by 20 Jun 71.

13. Minor Projects.

- a. Fence for Baria Old People's Home. Project submitted to AFV.
- b. Fence and Gateway for Baria Hospital. Project submitted to AFV.
- c. Repairs to Baria Stadium. Y & S Offr is to check on a report that VN are carrying out repairs. Tenders are to be collected on Tue 8 Jun 71.
- d. Electrification of Dat Do Dispensary. First recce of site, to produce Bill of Materials and estimate of duration of project, will be carried out on Tue 8 Jun 71.

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Stores Provision Projects. Annex B to R176-3-25 of 25 May 71 refers.
Offr is to complete validity checks by Sat 12 Jun 71.

15. Projects Initiated by Unit. See paras 2 and 3 above.

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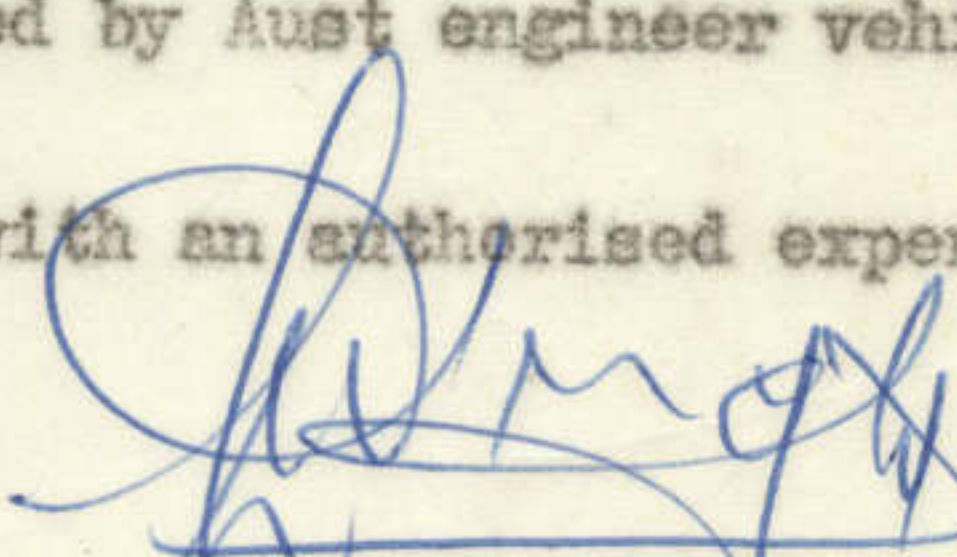
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PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
PROJECT 504 - CONSTRUCT FENCE AND
GATEWAY FOR BARIA OLD PEOPLE'S HOME

Reference: A. AFV Standing Operating Procedures Chapter 6.

1. Attached is a project application for the construction of a fence and gateway for the Baria Old People's Home. The application is supported by:
 - a. Validity check.
 - b. Letter of request from Refugee and Social Welfare Service.
 - c. Project plan.
2. If approved, the project will be let to local contract at a cost of \$VN145,000. Australian participation will be limited to technical inspections prior to periodic contract payments.
3. As well as providing a measure of security for the Home, we have an obligation to reconstruct the fence which was badly damaged by Aust engineer vehicles engaged in road repair on Route 23.
4. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorised expenditure of \$VN145,000.


(L.A. WRIGHT)

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CO 1 Aust CA Unit

Enclosures: 1. Project Application (4)
2. Validity Check
3. Letter of Request
4. Project Plan

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SPEECH BY LT COL L.A. WRIGHT, CO 1 AUST CA UNIT
ON OCCASSION OF HANDOVER OF SITE 2 PROJECT 399

5 JUN 71

Mr TRAI, Deputy Province Chief, Phouc Thy Council Chief and Councillors,
Distinguished Guests, Ladies and Gentlemen.

May I first express the regrets of the Commander 1st Australian Task Force
Brigadier MacDonald, at his inability to be present here to-day. His other
duties require his presence elsewhere but he wishes me to express his
sincere pleasure at the continued progress marked by this ceremony.

The handing over of these further Thirty homes brings to Ninety the number
of houses completed, and handed over, of the intended total of Five hundred
and Forty.

Steady progress is being made on all other sites and I hope that, in the near
future, more Regional Forces members, and their families, will benefit from
the scheme.

Site Two has been distinguished by the spirit of co-operation and comradeship
which has developed between the soldiers of 17th Construction and the Regional
Forces soldiers working together.

It seems particularly fitting that the desire of the Australian people to
help the people of Vietnam should find its expression, in this case, by
Australian and Vietnamese soldiers working side by side in a common cause.

It is my hope, and the hope of my Government, that the continued co-operation
of all of our soldiers, as demonstrated here, will enable us quickly to
achieve our mutual objectives of peace, prosperity and democratic freedom
for the people of Vietnam.

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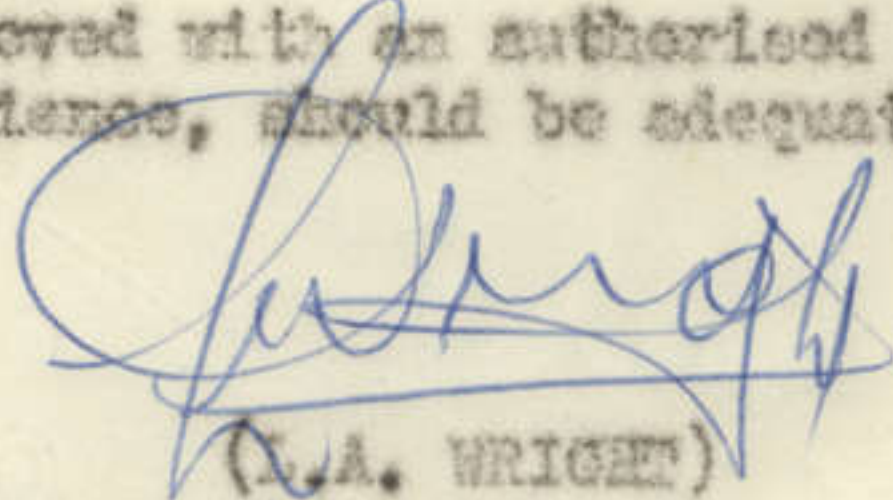
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PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
REPAIRS TO PROVINCE ELEMENTARY AND
SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Reference: A. AFV (Army Component) Standing Operating Procedures Chapter 6.

1. Attached is a project application for the repair of Province elementary and secondary schools.
2. As the majority of Ministry of Education funds are allocated for the construction of new schoolrooms, the budget for the repair and maintenance of existing school rooms is very limited. Additionally, Province and Village development funds must be committed early in the Vietnamese financial year to specific projects, leaving no funds in reserve. This unit is, therefore, the only source of funds for emergency repairs and maintenance and this, in previous years, has resulted in numerous requests for assistance. If approved, funds can be provided from this project thereby obviating the need to raise numerous minor projects. Naturally, each request will still be investigated before any funds are committed.
3. As the services of 106 Fd Wksp will no longer be available, it is not proposed to raise a separate project for the installation and repair of school playground equipment. This project will also be used to fund these activities.
4. The VN contribution cannot be forecast but the unit will strive to ensure maximum participation by both the Province Education Service and school Parents and Citizens Associations.
5. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorized expenditure of \$V1500,000, which, based on previous experience, should be adequate for FY 1971/72


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Enclosure: 1. Project application.

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11 Jun 71

HQ AFV

PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
PROJECT 506 - CONSTRUCT THREE FURNISHED
CLASSROOMS AT NUI DINH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Reference: A. AFV (Army Component) Standing Operating Procedures Chapter 6.

1. Attached is a project application to construct three classrooms at the Nui Dinh Hamlet Elementary School. The application is supported by:

- a. Validity check
- b. Letter of request
- c. Letter of Agreement
- d. Project plans

2. If approved the project will be let to contract at a cost of \$VN1,470,000 which provides for all labour and stores. Australian participation will be restricted to technical inspections prior to periodic and final contract payments.

3. The VN contribution to the project will be to demolish the existing two classrooms on the proposed building site. Long Huong village has let a contract for the demolition and, although the exact cost is not known, would probably be about \$75,000.

4. The application is recommended for the following reasons:

- a. The school now has five classrooms to cater for about 400 pupils divided into ten classes. The area surrounding Long Huong village is being settled by large numbers of squatters and refugees and the school population can be expected to increase accordingly.
- b. Two of the existing five classrooms are extremely dilapidated and could not be renovated. One other classroom is in a poor state of repair.
- c. Whilst the VN contribution is comparatively small, no VED or Province Development Funds have been allocated to this project and the money was, therefore, probably collected by public subscription. This further emphasises Vietnamese interest in the project.

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- d. All GVN funds allocated to the Education Office for 1971 have been allocated to secondary schools. The Province Education Service must rely completely on FWMAF assistance for elementary school projects.
5. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorized expenditure of \$VN1,470,000.



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- Enclosure:
1. Validity check.
 2. Letter of Request.
 3. Site Plan.
 4. Building Plan.
 5. Agreement.

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15 Jun 71

HQ AFV

PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
PROVISION OF SEED TO SUPPORT PROVINCE
AGRICULTURAL SERVICE PROGRAMME


Reference: A. AFV (Army Component) Standing Operating Procedures, Chapter 6.

1. Attached is a project application to provide seed to support Province Agricultural Service crop extension programme. The application is supported by:
 - a. Validity check.
 - b. Letter of request, including costing details.
2. The project is strongly recommended because:
 - a. Phuoc Tuy Province has not fully developed its agricultural potential. Farmers depend mainly on the cultivation of rice in the wet season and are generally ignorant of other productive and profitable year round alternatives. Using selected farmers, the Province Agricultural Service intends to foster demonstration plots of alternative crops throughout the Province. These plots if successful, will visibly demonstrate the advantages of crops other than rice and encourage other farmers to follow suit.
 - b. The success of the demonstration plots will depend on using good quality seed, fertiliser and chemicals. If approved, funds from this project will be used to purchase the seed. Individual farmers will be required to provide fertilizer and chemicals.
 - c. This type of crop husbandry is the speciality of the CATC officer attached to 1 Aust CA Unit. Best use will, therefore, be made of his expertise in this field.
3. The Australian participation in this project will be to provide the seed and assist in supervising the demonstration plots.

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4. All labour, fertilizer and other soil additives will be provided by individual farmers. Although the Province Agricultural Service is not providing finance for this project, they do have \$VN 700,000 which will be used to introduce a central agricultural/animal husbandry demonstration area for the Province.

5. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorised expenditure of \$VN 200,000.


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Enclosure: 1. Project Application.
2. Validity check.
3. Letter of request.

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16 Jun 71

HQ AFV

PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
PROJECT 509 - ASSISTANCE IN THE
EXTENSION OF PIG RAISING PROJECT

Reference: A. AFV (Army Component) Standing Operating Procedures, Chapter 6.

1. Attached is a project application for 1 Aust CA Unit to assist in the extension of the current pig raising project. The application is supported by:
 - a. Validity check.
 - b. Letter of request, including costing details.
2. The Province Agricultural Service estimates that, based on the present rate of expansion of the project, a total of 100 sties will need to be built during the next twelve months. The attached letter of request gives accurate costing details and asks for an Australian contribution of \$VN 500,000 for the purchase of cement.
3. The Vietnamese contribution to the project will be for individual farmers to:
 - a. Build the sties.
 - b. Provide construction materials, other than cement, for the sties.
 - c. Feed and care for the pigs.
4. The programme will be supervised jointly by:
 - a. Province Animal Husbandry Service.
 - b. Agricultural Section, 1 Aust CA Unit.
 - c. CATC animal husbandry expert who visits Phuoc Tuy Province weekly.
5. Whilst the current programme has been very successful, it has been limited to one area of Duc Thanh District. The ability of the Animal Husbandry Service to cope with an extension of the project to three more Districts has yet to be proven and the requirement for one hundred sties could well be overly optimistic. However, by controlling the supply of cement, 1 Aust CA Unit will be able to check any tendency to over extend the capabilities of the Service.

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6. The Animal Husbandry Service and individual farmers have shown an encouraging interest in this project and it has every chance of success. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorized expenditure of £750,000.



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CO 1 Aust CA Unit

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2. Validity check.
3. Letter of request.

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21 Jun 71

HQ AFV

PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION
PROJECT 440 - PROVIDE PUMP
AND MOTOR FOR HORSESHOE FEATURE

Reference: A. 1 Aust CA Unit Ops 350 of 16 Jun 71.
B. HQ AFV Ops 9041 of 13 Jun 71.

1. Attached are four (4) copies of the project application previously approved by Reference B.

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Distribution below.

VISIT BY MINISTER FOR ARMY - 25 JUN 71

1. The Minister for the Army, Hon Andrew Peacock MP, will tour CA projects in PHUOC TUY on 25 Jun 71. Detailed itinerary is attached as Annex A.

The party will comprise:

The Minister for the Army.	(Veh No 3)
The Secretary for Army, Mr B. White.	(Veh No 4)
Private Secretary to the Minister, Mr. J. Barry	(Veh No 3)
Assistant Secretary, Mr G. Adamson	(Veh No 4)
COMAFV	(Veh No 3)
ADC to COMAFV	(Veh No 4)
D Comd 1 ATF	(Veh No 5)
CO 1 ACAU	(Veh No 3)
LO 1 ACAU	(Veh No 4)
Guide 1 ACAU	(Veh No 1)

2. Transport will be provided as under:-

a. HQ Coy 1 ATF	2 x Gun Jeeps (Vehs No 2 & 7)
	1 x VIP Landrover (Veh No 3)
	D Comd Veh (Veh No 5)
b. Det Pro Coy	1 x Landrover (Veh No 1)
c. 1 ACAU	1 x VIP Landrover (CO's Veh) (Veh No 4)
d. PR 1 ATF	1 x Landrover (Veh No 6)

3. The official party will travel as shown above.

Duties.

4. Officers nominated to meet the party are to have a detailed knowledge of CA projects at the site and to arrange the attendance of local officials where stated.

5. The guide will be Capt G. Seymour who will:

- Be OC Transport.
- Travel in the Pro vehicle at head of column.
- Marshal transport at each site as directed by CO 1 ACAU.

6. LO 1 ACAU (Lt B. Smith) will travel in second vehicle and point out CA projects en route not visited.

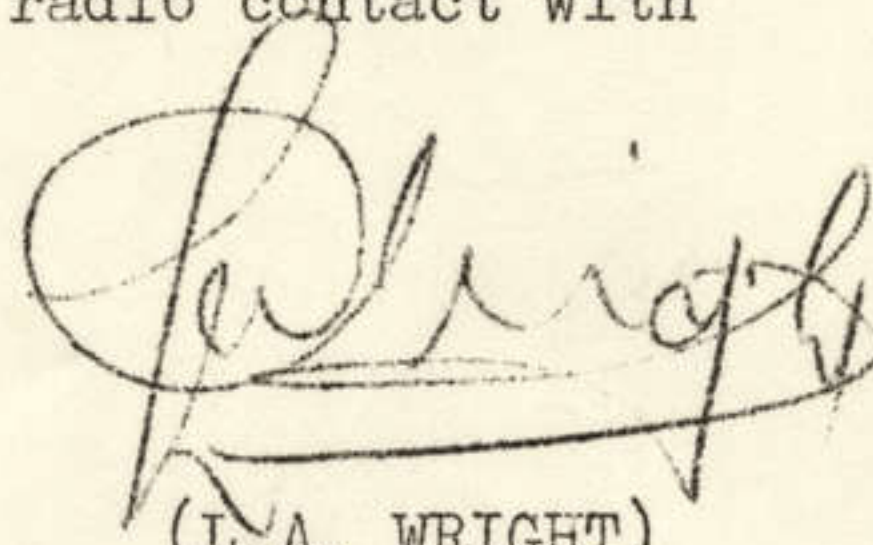
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7. At least two long barrelled weapons will be carried in each vehicle.

8. Details of route and timings will be restricted as far as possible to members of this unit.

Helicopter Departure.

9. GS02 (Air) 1 ATF is to be given GR of departure VIP together with details of unit radio frequency and smoke signals on 23 Jun 71.
10. G3 1 ACAU is responsible for marking pad, smoke and radio contact with helicopters.



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AND PARTY
FRI 25 JUN 71
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Ser	<u>Timings</u>		Total	Event	Remarks
	From	To			
1.		0930	3	Minister and Party arrive at VIP Helipad BARIA	Met by: D Comd 1 ATF CO 1 ACAU
2.	0933	0935	2	Move to CHAU VAN TIEP High School	Met by Edn Offr 1 ACAU/Deputy Headmaster
3.	0935	0940	5	Inspect classrooms, science block and library	
4.	0940	0942	2	Move to Site 1, Project 399	Met by Project Offr 399/Sector HQ Rep
5.	0942	0947	5	Inspect occupied houses	
6.	0947	0948	1	Move to BARIA Hospital	Met by SMO 1 ATF/Dr Khai Hospital Deputy
7.	0948	0958	10	Inspect BARIA Hospital projects	
8.	0958	1003	5	Move to Animal Husbandry Service	Met by Ag Offr 1 ACAU/Mr Tu
9.	1003	1008	5	Inspect Boars	
10.	1008	1018	10	Move to Long Dien	Met by Edn Offr 1 ACAU
11.	1018	1023	5	Inspect Long Dien Y & S Centre	
12.	1023	1038	15	Move to Dat Do High School	Met by Engr Offr 1 ACAU
13.	1038	1043	5	Inspect Dat Do High School	
14.	1043	1053	10	Move to Site 5, Project 399	Met by Project Offr 399
15.	1053	1058	5	Inspect Site 5	
16.		1100		Depart Dat Do Heli Pad	MACV Helicopters



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24 Jun 71

HQ AFV

PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
PROJECT 510 - CONSTRUCT FOUR
FURNISHED CLASSROOMS FOR CHAU
VAN TIEP HIGH SCHOOL

Reference: A. AFV (Army Component) Standing Operating Procedures, Chapter 6.
B. Appendix G to Phuoc Tuy Province Community Defence and Local Development Plan 1971.

1. Attached is a project application to construct four (4) furnished classrooms at Chau Van Tiep High School, Phuoc Le Village. The application is supported by:

- a. Validity check.
- b. Letter of request.
- c. Plan of the proposed building.
- d. Site plan.

2. The cost from Australian funds will be \$VN 1,960,000. The VN contribution will be to construct a fifth classroom at an estimated cost of \$VN 526,000. Whilst still contributing to the development of Chau Van Tiep High School, this fifth classroom will be funded and constructed under separate GVN arrangements. On past experience, this is a more satisfactory arrangement than combining both Aust and GVN funds.

3. If approved, the project will be let to contract at a cost of \$VN 1,960,000. Aust participation, once the contract has ^{been} let, will be restricted to technical inspections prior to periodic contract payments.

4. The application is recommended for the following reasons:

- a. The project is in accord with the Ministry of Education policy for 1971 to concentrate on secondary schooling. The Phuoc Tuy Province aim is to increase the opportunities for students to attend Government secondary schools from the present 40% of those who apply, to 65%. Reference B refers.
- b. The school has about 1,600 students and present classroom facilities are inadequate. The problem will increase with the enrolment of additional students at the commencement of the school year in September.
- c. The GVN contribution of about 20% is considered worthwhile.

5. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorised expenditure of \$ 1,960,000.

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CO 1 Aust CA Unit

Enclosure: 1. Project Application. (4)

2. Validity Check.

3. Letter of Request.

4. Construction Plan.

5. Building Plan.

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HQ AFV

PROPOSED MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECT
PROJECT 511 - REPAIRS TO PHUOC LE
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Reference: A. AFV (Army Component) Standing Operating Procedures, Chapter 6.

1. Attached is a project application to assist in the repair of the play ground and roof at Phuoc Le school. The application is supported by:

- a. letter of request,
- b. bill of materials and costing details, and
- c. validity check.

2. The estimated total cost of the project is \$VN67,250. The Vietnamese contribution is \$VN30,000, raised by the Parents and Citizens Association, for the hire of labour and to assist in the purchase of stores.

3. Australian participation will be limited to providing the necessary materials and ensuring they are used as stated in the letter of request.

4. The application is recommended for the following reasons:

- a. Sections of the school playground are in extremely poor condition and could not be used during the wet season.
- b. Classes are suspended during heavy rain. Unless the roof is repaired, further deterioration of the school interior can be expected with the prevailing weather conditions.

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- c. No Ministry of Education funds are available for the repairs.
 - d. The Parents and Citizens Association will make a worthwhile contribution to the project.
5. It is recommended that the project be approved with an authorised expenditure of \$VN37,250.



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Enclosure:

- 1. Project Application (4)
- 2. Validity Check
- 3. Letter of Request
- 4. Bill of Materials

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HQ AFV (3)

EXPENDITURE ON MILITARY CIVIC ACTION
PROJECTS AS AT 21 JUN 71 - PHUOC TUY PROVINCE

- Reference A: A. HQ AFV Civic Action Plan 1970/71. Revised 24 Jul 70 Part 1.
 B. AHQ unreferenced letter of 27 May 71. Expenditure on civic action projects for FY 1970/71.
 C. AHQ R363-R27-18 of 17 Jun 71.
 D. 1 Aust CA Unit Ops 338 of 9 Jun 71.
 E. 1 Aust CA Unit Ops 357 of 19 Jun 71.

1. Attached at Annex A is the record of expenditure on military civic action projects as at the closure of the financial year 1970/71. A summary of the financial situation is:

	<u>\$VN</u>
a. Expenditure on Army Stores, local purchase and local contract	21,086,916
b. Committed for local purchase/contract	945,974
c. Committed for purchase of Army Stores	1,557,395
d. Total funds expended/committed	23,590,285
e. Funds allotted per Reference A	24,532,223
f. Remaining funds	941,938

2. It should be noted that:

- a. Amounts shown as committed to the purchase of Army Stores are best unit estimates. Confirmation of costs at AHQ will certainly result in considerable changes.
- b. It has not been possible to reconcile unit and AHQ records of expenditure for Project 197, Improvements to Baria Hospital and Project 257, Water Reticulation Long Son Island. AHQ figures for these two projects have been accepted. Reference D refers.
- c. Unit and AHQ records of expenditure disagree for Project 421, Electrification of Tam Phuoc Village. Reference E refers, and unit records have been accepted as correct.
- d. Paras 1d and 1e of Reference B are not understood and have not been actioned. Reference D and discussions with Paymaster AFV refer. It is requested that the information contained in these paras be queried at AHQ.

3. It is estimated that about \$VN2,042,912 (8.5% of the total funds allotted) will not be expended this financial year. This figure is an estimate and will change when costs of Army Stores are confirmed. The underspend is made up from:

a. Funds remaining per para 1f	941,938
b. Contract retention fee for Project 412	300,000
c. Purchase of US stores for Project 401B	645,974
d. Outstanding Army Stores Project 197	13,000
e. Outstanding Army Stores Project 251	70,000
f. Outstanding Army Stores Project 407	2,000
g. Outstanding Army Stores Project 428	<u>70,000</u>
h. Total	2,042,912.

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4 It is anticipated that the amounta per para 3b - g, a total of \$VN 1,100,974, will be a charge against FY 1971/72 funds. Three main factors have caused the underspend this financial year:

a. Non payment for stores per para 3c	645,974
b. Rejection by Aust Embassy of proposed Project 437	850,000(est)
c. Outstanding Army Stores	<u>155,000(est)</u>
d. Total	1,650,974

5. As no further funds will be expended from the FY 70/71 allocation it is proposed to issue the final statement for this financial year in Sep 71. By this time it is anticipated that:

- a. The costs of outstanding Army Stores will be confirmed
- b. All projects will have been reconciled with AHQ records of expenditure.

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Annexes: A. Record of Expenditure for Phuoc Tuy Province

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RECORD OF EXPENDITURE FOR FY 1970/71 AS AT 21 JUN 71
PHUOC TUY PROVINCE

Ser No:	Project No:	Description	Expenditure FY 1970/71			Remarks
			Expended	Committed	Local Purchase/Contract	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1		To complete projects carried forward from FY 1969/70. Details of projects are:				
2	197	Renovation and development Baria Hospital	960,305		407,049	Outstanding costings of Army Stores
3	231	Construct Classrooms Bau Tram School	810,000			
4	237	School Equipment for Phuoc Tuy Province	102,835			
5	251	Maintain Village Water Supply Systems	321,989		75,954	Outstanding costings of Army Stores
6	257	Water Reticulation Long Son Island	944,401		25,098	Outstanding costings of Army Stores
7	262	Construct Market Long Huong	319,006			
8	263	Reconstruct Market Xuyen Moc	134			
9	271	Extensions to Long Dien Market	40,200			
10	275	Extension to Chicken Raising Project	469,500			
11	275B) 275C)	Purchase of Sorghum/Grass Seed	14,870			
12	275D	Provision of Gum Trees Phan Rang	15,117			
13	280	Electrical Reticulation Phuoc Hoa	8,000			
14	285B	Construct Youth & Sports Centre Long Dien	889			
15	285C	Playground Equipment for Elementry Schools	80,203			
16	285D	Repairs to Elementry Schools	249,917			
17	285E	Fence for Youth & Sports Centre Long Dien	68,700			
18	290	Construct Scout Hall Hoa Long	172,153			
19	292	Construct Dispensary Tam Phuoc	108,491			

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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
20	293	Construct Dispensary Ngai Giao	103,265			
21	294	Building Materials for RD Cadre	67,717			
22	298	Construct Classrooms Nam Tinh Ly School	104,500			
23	299	Construct Classrooms Ap Suoi Nghe	3,000			
24	300	Furniture for Community Centre Hoi My	65,960			
25	301)	Paint Houses Ap Suoi Nghe & Ngai Giao	132,400			
26	302)					
27	184	Water Reticulation Phuoc Loi	8,968			
28	186	Water Reticulation Long Hai	343,242			
		Total	5,515,762	Nil	508,101	
29		<u>To fund projects commenced and completed during FY 1970/71</u>				
30	179A	Construct Storehouse Baria Hospital	844,800			
31	303	Water Reticulation Xuyen Moc	19,014			
32	304	Establish Refugee Camp	164,470			
33	305	Construct Dinh Hoi My	112,804			
34	306	Drains and Soil for Bau Tran School	270,600		116,200	Awaiting Costings
35	307	Classroom Furniture Nam Tinh Ly School	52,000			
36	400	Water Supply Old Peoples Home Baria	158,500			
37	401A	Extensions to Dat Do Water Supply	477,000		650,000	Awaiting Costings
38	407	Province School Playground Equipment	89,292		1,958	Awaiting Costings
39	411A	Construct Classrooms Phuoc Hoa Long	1,322,000			
40	413	Teachers Training Hall Nam Tinh Ly	296,861			
41	415	Support FA Province Ag Advisory Service	1,176,665			
42	420A	Paint Dinh Dat Do	99,533			
43	420B	Support RD Cadre Housing for Poor	499,980			

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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
44	420C	Maintenance of Dinh Tam Phuoc	271,825			
45	420D	Paint Dinh Hoi My	48,000			
46	420E	Paint Chau Van Tiep High School	67,000			
47	420F	Province Council Buildings	119,524			
48	420G	Construct Market Binh Gia	266,085			
49	420H	Support RD Cadre Housing for Poor	493,346			
50	420I	Ethnic Minority Housing	64,990			
51	421	Electrical Reticulation Tam Phuoc	1,894,554		25,090	Outstanding Costing of Army Stores
52	426	Extensions to Chicken Raising Project	204,033			
53	427	Provision of Milk Powder for Medcap	9,966			
54	428	Maintain Windmills and Water Systems	193,667		66,046	Outstanding Costings of Army Stores
55	429	Construct Classrooms Thanh Tan	1,070,000			
56	430	Province Youth & Sports Activities	99,275			
57	431	Refurbish Generator Tam Phuoc	98,000			
58	432	Toilet Block and Well Long Dien Youth & Sports Centre	423,600			
59	433	Fence for Long Dien Youth & Sports Centre	324,400			
60	434	Construct Classrooms Phuoc Hiep School	989,200			
61	435	Toilet Block for Long Dien School	320,000			
62	436	Ap Suoi Nghe Irrigation Scheme	90,720		150,000	Outstanding Costings of Army Stores
63	438	Materials for Light Poles Tam Phuoc	141,600			
64	439	Musical Instruments for RD Cadre	30,000			
65	440	Water Pump for Horseshoe Feature	37,850			
		Total	12,841,154	Nil	1,009,294	

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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
66		<u>To fund projects commenced during FY 1970/71 but not yet completed</u>				
67	401B	Water Reticulation Long Huong	30,000	645,974	40,000	
68	412	Construct Classroom Block Dat Do High School	2,700,000	300,000		
		Total	<u>2,730,000</u>	<u>945,974</u>	<u>40,000</u>	
		Grand Total	<u>21,086,916</u>	<u>945,974</u>	<u>1,557,395</u>	

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10 Jun 71

HQ AFV (3)

EXPENDITURE ON MILITARY CIVIC ACTION PROJECTS
AS AT 9 JUN 71 - PHUOC TUY PROVINCE

- Reference: A. HQ AFV Civic Action Plan 1970/71. Revised 24 Jul 70.
Part 1.
- B. AHQ unreferenced letter of 27 May 71. Expenditure on
Civic Action projects for FY 1970/71.
- C. AHQ R363-R27-18 of 18 May 71.
- D. 1 Aust CA Unit Ops 338 of 9 Jun 71.

1. Attached at Annex A is the record of expenditure on military civic action projects for FY 1970/71, as at 9 Jun 71. It has not been possible to reconcile expenditure on Army stores for Projects 197, 257 and 421 and the AHQ figure for these projects has been accepted. Reference D refers.

2. The financial situation is summarised below:

	<u>\$VN</u>
a. Expenditure on Army stores, local purchase and local contract	20,567,413
b. Committed for local purchase/contract	1,318,694
c. Committed for purchase of Army stores	1,536,683
d. Total funds expended/committed	23,422,790
e. Funds allotted in Reference A	24,532,223
f. Remaining funds	1,109,433

3. The estimate of funds which will not be expended this financial year is \$VN2,256,406 made up as follows:

a. Funds remaining per para 2f	1,109,432
b. Contract retention fee for project 412	300,000
c. Purchase of US stores for Project 401B (Assumes efforts by HQ AFV to pay this account will be unsuccessful)	675,974
d. Outstanding Army stores Project 197	13,000(est)
e. Outstanding Army stores Project 251	76,000(est)
f. Outstanding Army stores Project 407	1,900(est)
g. Outstanding Army stores Project 428	80,000(est)

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Annexes: A. Record of expenditure for Phuoc Tuy Province.

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RECORD OF EXPENDITURE FOR FY 1970/71 AS AT 9 JUN 71

PHUOC TUY PROVINCE

Serial	Project No:	Description	Expended	Expenditure FY 1970/71		Remarks
				Local Purchase/ Contract	Army Stores	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1		<u>To complete projects carried forward from FY 1969/70. Details of projects are:</u>				
2	197	Renovation and development Baria Hospital	839,541		407,049	Outstanding costings of Army stores
3	231	Construct Classrooms Dau Tran School	810,000			
4	237	School Equipment for Phuoc Tuy Province	102,835			
5	251	Maintain Village Water Supply Systems	303,255		75,958	Outstanding costings of Army Stores
6	257	Water Reticulation Long Son Island	1,071,082		25,098	Outstanding costings of Army Stores
7	262	Construct Market Long Huong	319,006		15	
8	263	Reconstruct Market Xuyen Moc	753			
9	271	Extensions to Long Dien Market	40,200			
10	275	Extension to Chicken Raising Project	469,500			
11	275B) 275C)	Purchase of sorghum/grass seed	14,870			
12	275D	Provision of Gum Trees Phan Rang	15,117			
13	280	Electrical Reticulation Phuoc Hoa	8,000			
14	285B	Construct Youth and Sports Centre Long Dien	889			
15	285C	Playground Equipment for Elementary Schools	80,203			

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
16	285D	Repairs to Elementary Schools	249,917			
17	205E	Centre for Youth & Sports Centre Long Dien	68,700			
18	290	Construct Scout Hall Hoa Long	172,153			
19	292	Construct Dispensary Tan Phuoc	108,491			
20	293	Construct Dispensary Ngai Giao	103,265			
21	294	Building Materials for RD Cadre	61,717			
22	298	Construct Classrooms Nam Tinh Ly School	104,500			
23	299	Construct Classrooms Ap Suoi Nghe	3,000			
24	300	Furniture for Community Centre Hoi My	65,960			
25	301)	Paint Houses Ap Suoi Nghe & Ngai Giao	132,400			
26	302)					
27	184	Water Reticulation Phuoc Loi	8,968			
28	186	Water Reticulation Long Hai	343,242			
		<u>Total</u>	<u>5,497,564</u>	<u>Nil</u>	<u>508,105</u>	
29		<u>To fund projects commenced and completed during FY 1970/71</u>				
30	179A	Construct storehouses Baria Hospital	844,800			
31	303	Water Reticulation Xuyen Moc	19,014			
32	304	Establish Refugee Camp	164,470			
33	305	Construct Dinh Hoi My	112,804			
34	306	Drains and Soil for Bau Tram School	270,600		116,200	Awaiting costing
35	307	Classroom Furniture Nam Tinh Ly School	52,000			
36	400	Water Supply Old Peoples Home Baria	158,500			
37	401	Province School Playground Equipment	89,292		1,958	Awaiting costing

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
38	411A	Construct Classrooms PHUOC HOA LONG	1,322,000			
39	413	Teachers Training Hall Nam Tinh Ly	296,861			
40	415	Support FA Province Ag Advisory Service	1,176,665			
41	420A	Paint Dinh Dat Do	99,533			
42	420B	Support RD Cadre Housing for Poor	499,980			
43	420C	Maintenance of Dinh Tam Phuoc	271,825			
44	420D	Paint Dinh Hoi My	48,000			
45	420E	Paint Chau Van Tiep High School	67,000			
46	420F	Province Council Buildings	119,524			
47	420G	Construct Market Binh Gia	266,085			
48	420H	Support RD Cadre Housing for Poor	493,346			
49	420I	Ethnic Minority Housing	64,990			
50	421	Electrical Reticulation Tam Phuoc	1,992,986		25,090	Outstanding costing of Army Stores
51	426	Extensions to Chicken Raising Project	204,033			
52	427	Provision of Milk Powder for Medcap	9,966			
53	429	Construct Classrooms Thanh Tan	1,070,000			
54	430	Province Youth & Sports Activities	99,275			
55	431	Refurbish Generator Tam Phuoc	98,000			
56	432	Toilet Block and Well Long Dien Youth & Sports Centre	423,600			
57	433	Fence for Long Dien Youth & Sports Centre	324,400			
58	434	Construct Classrooms Phuoc Hiep School	989,200			
59	435	Toilet Block for Long Dien School	320,000			
60	438	Materials for Light Poles Tam Phuoc	141,600			

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
61	439	Musical Instruments for RD Cadre	<u>30,000</u>			
		Total	<u>12,140,349</u>	Nil	<u>143,248</u>	
62		<u>To fund projects commenced during FY 1970/71 but not yet completed</u>				
63	401A	Extensions to Dat Do Water Supply	246,000	121,000	650,000	
64	401B	Water Reticulation Long Huong		675,974		
65	412	Construct Classroom Block Dat Do High School	2,500,000	500,000		
66	428	Maintain Windmills and Water Systems	118,860	18,000	85,330	
67	436	Ap Suoi Nghe Irrigation Scheme	64,640	3,720	150,000	
		Total	<u>2,929,500</u>	<u>1,318,694</u>	<u>885,330</u>	
		Grand Total	<u>20,567,413</u>	<u>1,318,694</u>	<u>1,536,683</u>	