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Narrative

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Duty Officer's log

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[1-30 Jun 1966]

PART I

COVERING LETTER

Reference No. 117/3/1

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To: Ministry of Defence (ARC) MIL Hist Sec
Ministry of Defence (AMVD) AHQ
CANBERRA
OIC Records.

1. I enclose Commanders Report (AF C2118) as indicated at Part II.

2. Please return receipt below.

(Signature) J. S. Weaver Capt

Appointment IO
(OC Unit or Senior Staff Officer)

PART II

Army Form C2119

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COMMANDERS DIARY

OF

Unit or Formation 4 RAR

From 1 Jun 66 To 30 Jun 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, organisation 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 will be made daily* on AF C2118, 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 in the Field", Chapter 2, Section 7.

RESPONSIBILITY

During Non-operational Periods

4. A Commanders Diary will be made by commanders of all formations.

During Operational Periods (see note 1)

5. A Commanders Diary will be made 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 will consist of:—
 - (a) Cover (AF C2119).
 - (b) Index as printed on cover.
 - (c) Narrative (AF C2118).
 - (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 will 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 will be included.
8. The annexes will 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, the relevant papers should be grouped as annexes starting at B.
9. Documents concerned with future planning for operations will form Annex "Z", "TOP SECRET Supplementary Diary" of the formation. It will be prepared and disposed of as
19. The duplicate supplementary diaries with originals has been acknowledged.

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(giving place names as well as map references), establishment, made and orders given. ary of the day's fighting, including company movements. of the commander with regard to equipment, tactics, organisa- if of potential importance. ualties to officers, men and equipment. y equipment captured. nit was employed in the time not accounted for. The type of eness and to save work as much information as possible will uments issued and received, routine returns, etc. All annexes time of receipt or despatch will be given.

NOTES

1. *Definition of Operational Period.*—The term "operational period" shall mean:
 - (a) the period between a declaration of war
 - (b) any period spent in a theatre of operations
 - (c) any period when engaged in any form of operations
2. The Ministry of Defence or headquarters concerned shall state where the conditions of the unit's employment may be clearly stated. Notwithstanding the above, the time submitting these reports will start commencing from the time of receipt of the report in accordance with paragraphs 15 and 16.

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12. The narrative will supplement and connect the annexes but need not give a precis of them.

DISPOSAL

During Non-Operational Periods

13. *Formation Headquarters* will forward the original Commanders Diary annually as at 31st December to reach the Army Records Centre (through Headquarters Field Records where applicable) as soon as possible after 1st January of the following year. The duplicate will be retained in formation headquarters.

14. *Units* will NOT render a Commanders Diary.

During Operational Periods

15. ORIGINAL COMMANDERS DIARIES

- (a) *Formations and units in the UK* will forward diaries monthly by the seventh day of the succeeding month direct to the Ministry of Defence (ARC for reports other than medical, AMD 1 for medical reports).
- (b) *Formations and units overseas* will forward diaries monthly by the seventh day of the succeeding month to the OIC Field Records for onward transmission to the Ministry of Defence.

16. **DUPLICATE COMMANDERS DIARIES.** These will be clearly marked as duplicates and will NOT be sent with the originals. They will be forwarded within two months as follows:—

- (a) *Units in the UK*
To the OIC parent record office.
- (b) *Formation Headquarters in the UK*
To OIC Central Clearing Wing, Infantry Records, Exeter.
- (c) *Units Overseas*
To the OIC Field Records for onward transmission to parent record office.
- (d) *Formation Headquarters Overseas*
To the OIC Field Records for onward transmission to the OIC Central Clearing Wing, Infantry Records, Exeter.

SECURITY

17. Documents concerned with future operational planning will be listed on AF C2118 and placed in a separate AF C2119. All details will be filled in and the cover will be clearly marked in red:—ANNEX Z—OFFICERS ONLY. It may be convenient to group the papers by annexes.

18. Supplementary diaries will be forwarded in accordance with the normal rules for TOP SECRET correspondence to the Ministry of Defence (ARC). The inner envelope will be clearly marked:—

TOP SECRET
ANNEX Z to

Commanders Diary of.....(formation or unit)

From..... to.....(Dates)

19. The duplicate supplementary diaries will be despatched as in paragraph 16 as soon as receipt of the originals has been acknowledged.

NOTES

1. *Definition of Operational Period.*—The term “operational period” for the purpose of this instruction, means:—
 - (a) the period between a declaration of war and the official end of hostilities;
 - (b) any period spent in a theatre of operations;
 - (c) any period when engaged in any form of military operation.

2. The Ministry of Defence or headquarters concerned will be responsible for instructing units to submit Commanders' Diaries where the conditions of the unit's employment make this necessary. Wherever possible the beginning and end of the period will be clearly stated. Notwithstanding the above, on the outbreak of global war all units and formations which are not at the time submitting these reports will start compiling them with effect from M day and will thereafter render them in accordance with paragraphs 15 and 16.

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CONTACT at Grid Ref 934578

151740H Jun 66

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Engagement Report No 2
of Jun 66

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Annex 'A' to
Engagement Report No2.
of 29 Jun 66.

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EQUIPMENT CAPTURED ON 15 JUN 66.

ARMS	AMMUNITION	UNIFORMS & EQUIPMENT	CIVILIAN CLOTHING	CASH	MISCELLANEOUS
One Armalite Rifle. Three Kalashnikov Rifles. One CAL. .45 M1911A1 . Automatic (USA)	80rds of .223 (Armalite) 914rds of 7.62 (Kalashnikov) 62rds of .45 (Browning) 12 Distress Signals. 24rds Empty Cartridges. 4 Armalite Magazines. 2 Browning Magazines. 12 Kalashnikov Mags.	1 J.G. Strap. 2 J.G. Belts. 4 J.G. Shirts. 3 J.G. Trousers. 1 Khaki Trousers. 3 J.G. Hats. 1 J.G. Cap. 4 Rain-Capes. 3 J.G. Haversack. 4 W/Bottle Pouches. 5 W/Bottles. 4 Mags Pouches. 3 Small J.G. Pouches. 2 Medical Kit Pouches. 1 Compass Pouch. 2 Ropes (Coiled) One Map case w/o Map. Two Aluminium Bottle Oil.	One pair of gloves. 2 Handkerchiefs. One Sarang. One Underpants. 4 Shirts. One Shorts. One Trousers. One pr Stockings.	1,080/- 1 Rupiah & 25 Cents (Indon)	Two wrist watches. Two Tooth brushes. One bunch of keys. Two pencils. One pen. One Dagger like knife in a sheath. One box containing 6 tubes of liquid Medicine. Two Plastic Bags. One Plastic Parcel- Civilian Clothing. Two spoons. One Lighter. One National Transistor Radio. One Nail Clipper. One piece of Soap. One Bottle Hair Cream. Three First aid Kits.

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4. 4 RAR is very grateful to the magnificent night flying by the RAF. Two pilots, Flt Lt COUSINS and Master Pilot PONSFORD picked up the casualties from a small jungle pad.
5. To illuminate the pad, C Coy used a circle of hexamine fires in mugs, and mess tins. The pilots reported that this was very effective. It may be worth while to publisize this method.
6. I feel we should pay tribute to a very brave enemy. The last two enemy could have escaped after the first contact. They chose to stay and fight to the last. One of these men is now thought to be an officer.

A. Houston
Lt Col
CO 4 RAR

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- d. The two men at 'J' were ordered to move EAST along the SOUTHERN spur, to locate the position of the en who fired. They reported one man still in position behind the buttress tree. The LMG group 'G', plus another two rifle men 'F', were then deployed on the SOUTHERN side of the track, SOUTH and SW of the en. The two men at 'H' joined the pl cond and his signaller, at 'E'. The deployment at this stage, were 6 men on the SOUTHERN side, and 4 on NORTH side of track, WEST of the en, giving fire support.
- e. Once deployed on the SOUTHERN side, the sect was to "pepper pot" forward, with covering fire being given from the pl conds group of four. The man at 'K' threw a grenade which hit a tree and bounced back, it exploded approx 6 yds from two men near 'K'. There was NO effect to either en or our forces, due to the slope of the ground. As the SOUTHERN group "pepper potted" forward, the man at 'K', Pte RICHARDS, the first to reach the crest, was shot, and fell back down the slope. Pte G.A. JOHNSON, a stretcher bearer, immediately administered first aid. At this stage, because of the risk of further casualties, if the attack was pressed from this flank, the pl cond ordered the group at 'K', to give covering fire, whilst the pl cond's group moved forward. After approx 3-5 yards crawling forawrd against effective fire, from an enemy, previously indicated at 'C', the pl cond's group were forced to stop. This man was later seen to have an AR 15.
- f. Two courses were now possible, a deep right or left hook, in dead ground past the en, or call on 2Lt CHAMBERS group, who were at GR 939582, to hit the en from the rear. This group consisted of, 2 Lt CHAMBERS, signaller, stretcher bearer (Pte T. YOUNG) plus two sects. One sect was already moving about 2 mins ahead of 2Lt CHAMBERS. 2Lt CHAMBERS was called forward to assist.
- g. During 2Lt CHAMBERS movement WEST along the ridge, Lt CURTIS & 4 men moved to join the group between 'J' and 'K' to allow a sect to move through on the NORTH side of the track. During this movement, the headset of the radio, was ripped off the set, rendering the set useless. Cpl LANE (7 sect 9pl) with his sect, moved WEST along the NORTH slope of the ridge, approx 20 yards NORTH of the en. Approx 20 yards NW of the buttress tree, Lt CURTIS saw Cpl LANG had gone past the two en, and was in view of the en at 'C'. The pl cond and Pte ANDERSON shouted to Cpl LANG to get down behind cover, as there were en behind the buttress tree, but at this stage Cpl LANG was shot. Pte T. YOUNG, the stretcher bearer, raced forward, pulled Cpl LANG from danger, and dressed his wounds. Lt CURTIS called to 2Lt CHAMBERS, indicating where the en were. 2Lt CHAMBERS plus a sect (3 sect 7pl) then closed onto the two en. The en at 'B' turned round and fired into 3 sect. The en on the NORTH, attempted to turn round, but was shot during this attempted movement. This movement was slow, forced, but determined, probably because this man had been previously wounded from rounds fired through the buttress tree. The fourth man could not be seen by this group on the NORTH of the track. Pte LAVERTY, moving on the SOUTH side of the track, saw the fourth man at about the same time as he was seen. The en then pointed his weapon towards Pte LAVERTY, however, LAVERTY fired first, killing the fourth en. There was only a matter of seconds between the 3rd and 4th en being shot.

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- h. 2Lt CHAMBERS plus 3 Sect, cleared through to the WEST and then re-organization was completed. Lt CURTIS performed the pl cond's duties, and 2Lt CHAMBERS carried out the duties of "Pl Sgt".
- j. First aid was administered to the two wounded, morphine being given to both, and stretcher poles cut. Simultaneously, Lt CURTIS passed back the details to OC C Coy on 2Lt CHAMBERS radio set, plus requests for casualty evacuation. The casualty evacuation then took place, with two sects carrying the wounded. 2Lt CHAMBERS remained behind with one sect to check the dead, and prepare the en bodies for movement. The contact site was then ambushed.
- k. The casualties left the scene of the contact at 1820 hrs. The pl cond dismissed the possibility of winching out the casualties, because of the country and vegetation. On route, Pte A. WISELY (RAMC) with a carrying party from 8pl, met the casualties, checked and redressed the casualties' wounds. Due to ruggedness of country, nature and conditions of casualties, and lack of man-power, casualties did not reach the heli-pad until 0058 hrs 16 Jun. Distance from contact to heli-pad was approx 1000 metres. Casualties were successfully evacuated by WHIRLWIND at 0225 hrs.
14. Details of immediate follow up: NIL.
15. Lessons Learned or Relearned:
- a. The enemy is not to be underestimated. No noise was heard from the two enemy who quietly occupied a position, behind the buttress tree. The first indication of their presence, was when they fired at Lt CURTIS. These two enemy also inflicted our two casualties. It is the unseen enemy that causes the damage.
- b. The Stretcher Bearers (RA Inf) who administered first aid, are to be complimented. Pte T. YOUNG who tended to Cpl LANG did a first class job. Without their expert handling, the casualties would have arrived at hospital without much hope of recovery. Unfortunately Pte RICHARDS has since died, but Cpl LANG's recovery, must be attributed to the first aid received at the scene of the contact.
16. CO's Comments:
1. Lt CURTIS and his nine men did well against a determined and brave enemy, approaching from an unexpected direction. The operation was complicated by a mixture of section and platoons.
2. The fifth enemy was not seen by anyone. He apparently left in haste during the initial contact. Signs of a hasty retreat down the steep slope were seen. A follow up was attempted next day, without result.
3. Pte R.R. ANDERSON is to be commended for his part in this operation.
4. The evacuation of casualties, was done at night, in very difficult country. The two stretcher bearers, Pte YOUNG and Pte JOHNSON, and a medical orderley Pte A WISELY (RAMC) did very well, and should be congratulated. Without their care, both casualties may have died.

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29 Jun 66

ENGAGEMENT REPORT No 2

Ref Map SARAWAK 1:50,000 Sheet 1/109/12

1. Unit and Sub-unit involved in the contact:
One section of 7pl and two sections of 9pl C Coy 4 RAR.
2. a. Date and time of contact: 1740 hours 15 Jun 66. (approx time only)
- b. Weather and light conditions: Overcast, light rain had just stopped falling.
Light conditions, Good.
3. Grid reference: 934578.
4. Nature of contact: Ambush plus fire fight.
5. a. Str of own tps immediately involved in the contact: Initially 10, (from 9pl)
then another 18 (HQ and one Sect from 7pl, one Sect from 9pl)
- b. Comds Name: 57068 Lt R.G. CURTIS.
6. a. Str of en: Five.
- b. Race of en: INDONESIAN.
- c. Dress of en: (incl badges):
 - (1) OGs, 4x bush caps, one bush hat.
 - (2) Blue and white sandshoes,
 - (3) Grey/Green gymnasium boots.
- d. Eqpt of en: US type pack, belt, water bottle, Kalashnikov ammo pouch,
AR 15 pouch, field dressing pouch. Apparent leader carried map case, and
compass. Compass carried by one other man.
7. a. Who fired first: Own forces.
- b. Range: 18 yards.
- c. Type of weapon: AR 15.
8. a. No of rounds fired by own tps during contact: AR 15 - 680 rounds
7.62 - 295 rounds
- b. Weapons used: AR 15
7.62 SLR
7.62 LMG
9. a. Est No of rounds fired by en during contact: 250.
- b. Type of weapon used: Kalashnikov, AR 15.

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- 10. Own cas:
 - a. Killed: NIL.
 - b. Missing: NIL.
 - c. Wounded: TWO.
- 11. En cas:
 - a. Killed: 4.
 - b. Wounded:
 - (1) Definate: NIL.
 - (2) Est: NIL.
 - c. Captured: NIL.
- 12. Arms, ammo, eqpt and stores:
 - a. Captured by own troops from en: See Annex 'A'
 - b. Lost by own troops: NIL.
- 13. Description of contact: Ref Annex 'P'
 - a. The track 'X', at 934575, was checked at approx 1600 hours. Recent signs were sighted heading NORTH across the main ridge. An ambush was sited to cover this track running NORTH from the RAYA ridge, as it was anticipated the en, currently being followed by 8pl, would move onto the RAYA ridge, using this track.
 - b. The en in fact, moved onto the RAYA ridge, 30 yds EAST of the ambush posn - the rear of the ambush. The en moved WEST along the main ridge track for approx 5 yds, checking the track. It is obvious the en had seen footprints of the ambush force. 4 en were initially seen. The pl cond at 'E' now could see 2 en, After approx a further 5 yds, the leading scout crouched onto his knees checking the ground and turning over leaves. No 2 was leaning over the leading scout's shoulder. The first two men looked around again, checking the area. The en advanced a further two or three paces, when the pl cond decided if fire was held any longer, the en may have spotted his ambush - NOT sighted for this direction - and break SOUTH into the jungle.
 - c. The action was triggered by a burst of approx ten rds AR 15, at a range of approx 18 yards. The first two men at 'A', were seen to fall, and remain motionless. It was assumed that the two men at 'J' facing EAST could still see the 3rd and 4th men. This assumption was later proved wrong, as the 3rd and 4th men were hidden from view by a large buttress tree ('T'). At this stage, only 4 en had been reported. It was only later on during the contact, that a 5th man was reported. After the initial bursts, the pl cond called to the two men at 'J' and asked what they could see. They replied that they could see NO movement to the front. Assuming that all the en had been killed in the initial burst of fire, the pl cond stood up, and was immediately fired on. The pl cond rapidly returned to the "prone lying" position. Fire was returned, and the en ordered to place down their weapons and surrender. The en replied with a burst of fire.

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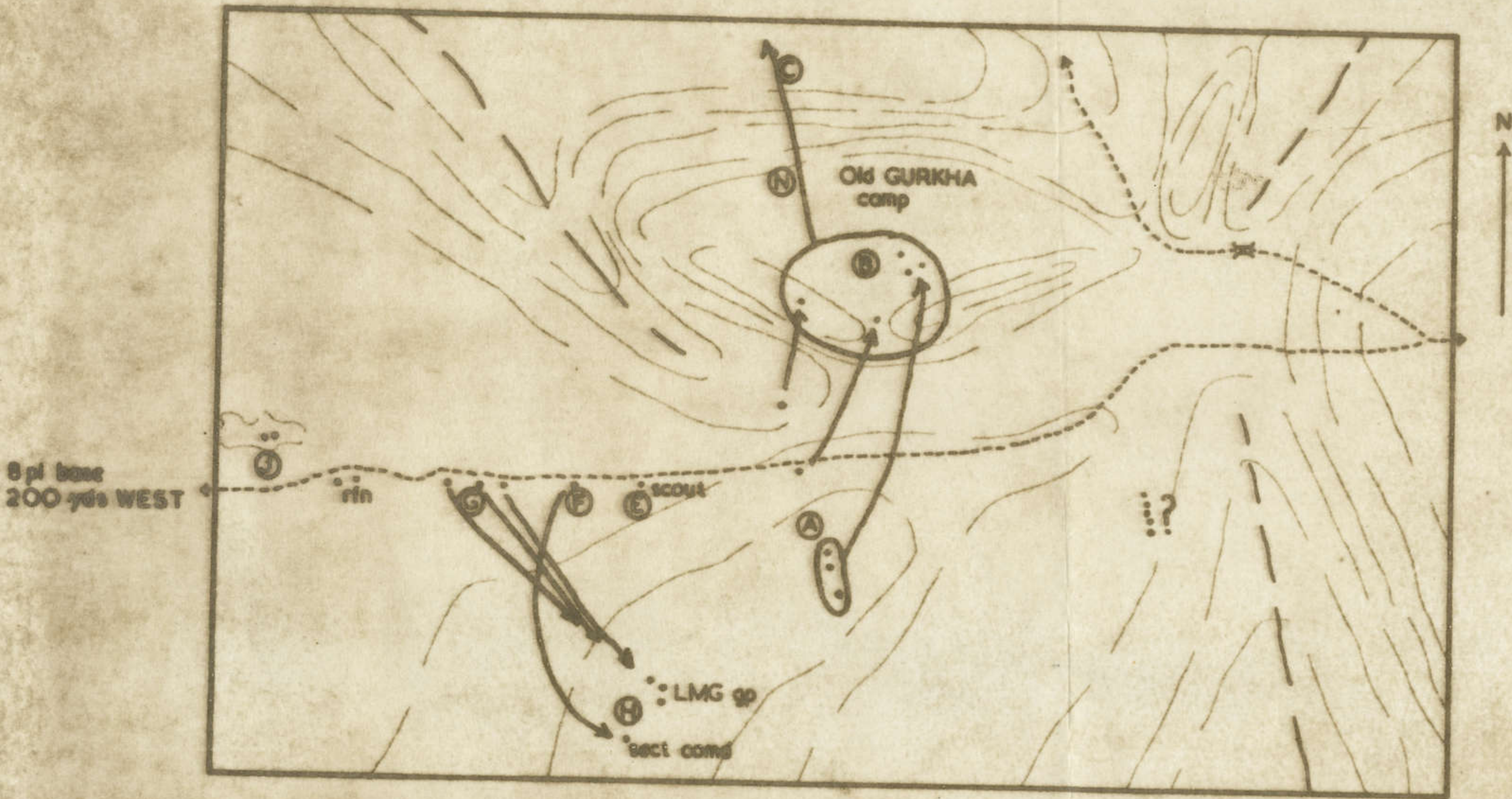
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- e. Lt BYERS with a section then arrived at 'J', was informed of the situation by Cpl FIELD, and took command. Due to previous knowledge gained during a recce on 14 Jun; Lt BYERS realised that the enemy had withdrawn to an old SF camp situated at 'B'. This camp completely dominated the area of the contact. The CENTRE, LEFT and RIGHT approaches were not feasible unless heavy casualties were to be accepted. The CENTRE and LEFT approaches were not feasible because of the enemy fire being brought down. The RIGHT approach required a single file approach up a 40 foot escarpment. The vegetation was thick secondary jungle, making concealed movement very difficult. The REAR approach was discounted at this stage as it would have taken too long. Therefore artillery fire was called down.
- f. The artillery fire proved ineffective as the target area was a virtual pin point. The ground fell away steeply on the NORTH, WEST and EAST. To enable correct ranging it would have been necessary to pull back our own troops because of safety. This was not done as contact would have been broken, allowing the enemy to withdraw.
- g. Lt BYERS then suspended the artillery fire and moved with the reserve section from 'J' to do a deep RIGHT hook to the rear of the enemy. They swept through the enemy position from EAST to WEST, but the enemy had previously withdrawn. The time now was approximately 1020 hours.
- h. The IBAN tracker was called forward and found tracks for 5 men moving NORTH.
- j. The platoon was concentrated which took a considerable time as one section was at helipad RED 552 waiting for new recruits.

14. Details of immediate follow up:

- a. At 1150 hours, the platoon moved off. The tracks were followed NORTH, NW, WEST and SW. At one stage, the enemy tracks passed between the top of the ridge at 940581 and helipad at 938584. At 1740 hours, a large volume of fire was heard from the direction of 9 platoons section ambush at 934578. At this stage, 8 platoon was approximately 800 yards behind the enemy. Connect with Engagement Report No 2.
- b. 8 Platoon was not actively engaged in this second contact, but assisted in evacuation of our own two casualties.

15. Lessons Learned or Relearned:

- a. This was a well trained, well lead, well disciplined and very well equipped enemy. They should not be underestimated.
- b. The old lesson that good information is vital to operations of this nature was again demonstrated.
- c. A Border Scout first reported the tracks of this party at 1600 hrs 14 Jun 66. This and other incidents have demonstrated the value of an alert and loyal body of Border Scouts.

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16. CO's Comments:

- a. Cpl FIELD and his six men did well. All their actions were consistent with their training. After the engagement they were upset that they had not been able to deal with a party of five enemy. It is now apparent that the enemy strength was ten or eleven. The enemy had the best tactical ground and fought very well. The enemy were well concealed and any movement by Cpl FIELD's section drew heavy fire.
- b. It appears that the enemy may have withdrawn either during the artillery fire or during the RIGHT hook by Lt BYERS. Because of the ground their withdrawal was not seen by our troops.
- c. This and the subsequent engagement confirm that the enemy was well trained, well led and well equipped. They should not be underestimated.
- d. The IBAN tracker CHENDAN attached to this platoon deserves special commendation. He found the tracks on which the enemy party had withdrawn NORTH very quickly. The subsequent follow up produced information which allowed troops to be positioned to cut off the enemy. Of this party, four were eventually killed.
- e. No follow up was made of the other half of the enemy party of ten or eleven, as it was not realised until the debrief on the following day that there were in fact ten or eleven enemy. This party has not been located and it is thought they have recrossed the border into INDONESIA.
- f. On 15 Jun 65, Lt BYERS took part in an engagement in the BAU District, for which he was awarded the MC. His next engagement was exactly a year later to the day.

D. Thomson
Lt Col
CO 4 RAR

ADDENDUM

Since writing above comments, information has been received that there were ten or eleven enemy involved in this contact. Two were wounded, one thought to be in the hip and one in the wrist. A party of six including the wounded escaped from the contact. It is believed that this party has now returned to INDONESIA. This information makes the performance of Cpl FIELD's section even more commendable. His section of seven engaged eleven enemy and wounded two without casualties to themselves.

D. Thomson
Lt Col
CO 4 RAR

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Annex N Enclosure 1

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ENGAGEMENT REPORT NO 1

Ref map SARAWAK 1:50,000 Sheet 1/109/12

1. Unit and sub unit involved in the contact:
3 Pl C Coy 4 RAR.
2. a. Date and time of contact: 15 Jun 66. 0817 hrs.
b. Weather and light conditions: Good.
3. Grid reference: 958578
4. Nature of contact eg ambush by us, ambush by en, chance encounter, attack on en camp etc:
Chance encounter. The enemy party was being followed by the tracker platoon at the time.
5. a. Str of own tps immediately involved in the contact: Seven
b. Comds name: Cpl W. FIELD; -then
c. total sixteen
d. Lt D.R. BYERS, MC.
6. a. Str of en: Initially thought five. During contact thought to be more than five. Later confirmed as ten or eleven.
b. Race of en: Suspected INDONESIAN.
c. Dress of en (incl badges): OG's, large bush hat, sandshoes.
d. Eqpt of en: US type packs, web belt, and US type water bottle seen.
7. a. Who fired first: Own forces.
b. Range: 30 yards.
c. Type of weapon: AR 15.
8. a. No of rounds fired by own tps during contact:
AR 15 - 100 rds
7.62 mm - 224 rds
105 mm - 19 rds
b. Wpns used: AR 15
SIR 7.62mm
7.62 mm BREN.
9. a. Est no of rounds fired by en during contact:
7.62mm - 300-400
(150 shells recovered)
AR 15 - 40-60 rds
Grenade of unknown type
- 1.
b. Type of weapons used: AR 15 - 1
Automatic rifles- 4 plus
Possible LMG - 1

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10. a. Own cas:
- a. Killed: NIL
 - b. Missing: NIL
 - c. Wounded: NIL
11. En cas:
- a. Killed:
 - (1) Bodies counted: NIL
 - b. Wounded:
 - (1) Definate: NIL
 - (2) Est: Suspected - 1
 - c. Captured: NIL
12. Arms ammo, eqpt and stores:
- a. Captured by own tps from en: NIL
 - b. Lost by own tps: NIL
13. Description of contact:
- a. Tracks had been located by the tracker team at 066605 at 0730 hrs on 14 Jun 66. The tracks being followed were approximately 24 hours old. The estimated strength of the enemy party was initially five. Some members of the tracker team claimed that there may have been more than five, but because agreement could not be reached, "tracks for five" were continued to be reported. The tracks were followed WEST along the RAYA ridge to G. UNDA 990597, where the tracks were washed out. At this stage the tracks were still heading WEST, and 24 hours old. Subsequent investigation reveals there was almost certainly ten men, moving in two groups of five.
 - b. At 0810 hrs, 15 Jun 66, Lt D.R. BYERS dispatched a section to patrol EAST for 200 yards from 956587. Their task was to investigate suspected noise from the site of the previous night's ambush, which was withdrawn at 0700 hours. At 0817 hrs, a large volume of fire was heard from the area of 958587.
 - c. Ref Annex 'P'. Cpl FIELDS section were at 'J', with the forward scout just short of 'E'. At this stage, noise was heard from 'A', and the LMG group were ordered to move onto the high ground at 'H'. During this movement, the forward scout (now at 'E') and the first enemy, simultaneously saw each other. The forward scout opened fire and thought he saw the enemy slide to the ground. Fire was then brought to bear onto the LMG group approaching 'H', pinning the LMG group a few yards short of 'H'. Whenever the LMG number one changed a magazine, he drew a burst of fire.
 - d. The first two enemy were now returning the fire, pinning the forward scout ('E') and sect cond ('F'). The rifle group at the rear of the sect cond moved back into a good fire position in a rocky outcrop at 'J'. The enemy then used fire and movement to reach area 'B'. However, whilst the enemy were moving to 'B' fire was also received from 'D'. The exact location of 'D' is not known, but it appeared that now there were more than five enemy as originally thought. The fire was certainly coming from the high ground to the EAST. From the weight and sound of this fire, it is thought there was an LMG in this group.

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197. BATTALION ORDERLY SERGEANT/DUTY CLERK/STANDBY DUTIES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Orderly Sergeant</u>	<u>Duty Clerk</u>	<u>Standby Pl</u>
24 Jun 66	Sgt RH ROLFE	Cpl T J CONNOLLY	Tpt Pl
25 Jun 66	Sgt AR GREAVES	Pte I H DUHIGG	QM Pl
26 Jun 66	Sgt TPB MUIR	Cpl A E KELLY	Sig Pl
27 Jun 66	Sgt S BOOTH	Pte J A WICKS	Bn HQ/Med Pl
28 Jun 66	Sgt RS HANNAH	Pte G R GRIFFITHS	Tpt Pl
29 Jun 66	Sgt DF HEENAN	Pte A D ROBINSON	QM Pl
30 Jun 66	Sgt EA JONES	Pte R W BEASLEY	Sig Pl
1 Jul 66	Sgt WE O'BRIEN	Cpl D M ALLAN	Bn HQ/Med Pl
2 Jul 66	Sgt J SMYTHE	Cpl D W GIBBINS	Tpt Pl
3 Jul 66	Sgt B EVANS	Cpl G A ORFORD	QM Pl

198. LEAVE RECORDS - ENTERING DURING PERIOD 1 - 31 JUL 66

1. The attention of all Coys is directed to MBI 128-1(Prov) Part 2 Paragraphs 11, 16, 17, 18, 39, 43 and 47.

199. DISCIPLINE - COMMAND BAU CAMP

1. For the purpose of discipline the senior officer at Bau Camp is appointed Detachment Commander with limited powers of OC vide AMR 240(1).

[Signature]
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NOTICES

1. LETTER FROM CO 1 RNZIR TO CO 4 RAR

1. The following is an extract from a letter from the CO 1 RNZIR, Lt Col B.M. POANANGA, MBE to Lt Col D.S. THOMSON, MC:-

"I have just learned of your very successful contact yesterday. Please accept our sincere congratulations. I do hope your casualties come through alright."

2. MESSAGE FROM DIRECTOR OF BORNEO OPERATIONS TO CO 4 RAR

1. The following is an extract from a message from the Director of Borneo Operations, Maj Gen GH LEA, CB, DSO, MBE, to Lt Col D.S. THOMSON, MC:-

"My congratulations on your operational successes."

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART I

by

Lieutenant Colonel D S Thomson, MC

Commanding

4th Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment

21 Jun 66

Serial 23

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191. BATTALION ORDERLY SERGEANT/DUTY CLERK/STANDBY DUTIES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Orderly Sergeant</u>	<u>Duty Clerk</u>	<u>Standby Pl</u>
16 Jun 66	Sgt A E JONES	Cpl A E KEILY	Tpt Pl
17 Jun 66	Sgt W E O'BRIEN	Pte J A WICKS	QM Pl
18 Jun 66	Sgt K D LEWIS	Pte G N GRIFFITHS	Sig Pl
19 Jun 66	Sgt J SMYTHE	Pte A D ROBINSON	BnHQ/Med Pl
20 Jun 66	Sgt R A WOODBURY	Cpl P J WOODS	Tpt Pl
21 Jun 66	Sgt B EVANS	Pte R W BEASLEY	QM Pl
22 Jun 66	Sgt J WARD	Cpl D M ALLAN	Sig Pl
23 Jun 66	Sgt B G BURNETT	Cpl D W CIBBINS	Bn HQ/Med Pl

192. SECURITY

1. Personal Mail

Cases have occurred where personal mail has been redirected through INDONESIA. All ranks are to be warned of the danger of this happening and that personal letters are not to contain any information classified RESTRICTED or above.

2. Intelligence Collectors

Civilians have written to units and individuals asking for the names of unit personalities, BFPO stamps, unit locations and forthcoming moves. Such letters are not to be answered and are to be forwarded to HQ WEST Bde by the unit concerned.

3. Laundry Bundles

Care is to be taken to ensure that the pockets of articles sent to the laundry are empty. Cases have occurred where identity cards and discs, pay books and even rounds of ammunition have been found in personal laundry bundles. Disciplinary action should be taken against the personnel leaving such items in clothing sent to the laundry.

4. Photography

Cases have occurred where photographs have been taken by soldiers of military installations and equipment. Negatives of these films have disappeared and extra prints have been made which have not been returned to the film's owner. All ranks are to be warned that it is an offence against the Official Secrets Acts to take photographs which may be of use to the enemy, and also that no studio or photographer in the area can be considered secure.

5. Approaches to Military Personnel

Approaches have been made to personnel with the intention of obtaining military information. All ranks are to be warned of the dangers of this and of talking about classified matters to persons who do not have the need to know such information. Any incidents of this nature are to be reported by the unit to HQ WEST Bde.

6. Classified Documents

Due to the difficulties of housing and accounting for classified documents in this theatre, classified document holdings are to be kept to a minimum. Documents are to be regularly checked and those no longer required destroyed.

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193. QUALIFICATION MILITARY SKILLS

1. The undermentioned personnel qualified in all aspects vide MBI 79-1 and ARO 21/66 for retention of Group 3 Military Skills during 1966/67.

54404 Pte J C BUTCHART
54757 Pte M MELLET

194. APPROVAL TO CARRY FORWARD ARL

The following personnel are approved to carry forward ARL to the dates shown:

335129 Capt I J C HEARN 8 days 31 Dec 66
43414 Pte B K HARRIS 11 days 31 Dec 66

195. DUTY FREE CONCESSION

1. Duty free concessions apply to the State of SARAWAK.
2. Duty free goods may only be purchased from NAAFI and are not to be resold or given to any civilian or persons not authorised to receive duty free facilities.
3. Stringent precautions are to be taken to ensure that svc pers are NOT able to buy large quantities (i.e. unopened bottles of spirits or cartons of cigarettes, cigars and tobacco) for any resale on the civ market.
4. Unit comds may auth OR to buy duty free, one bottle of wine, one of spirits and 200 cigarettes to take back to SINGAPORE on R and R or RTA.

(WEST Bde AASOs
paragraph 2108)

196. SUBMISSION OF CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS - OTHER RANKS (AAF A26A)

1. Attention is drawn to 4 RAR 163/4/4 dated 6 Jun 66.
2. Sub-units are to ensure the procedures laid down in the reference quoted in para 1 of this order are strictly adhered to.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

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by

Lieutenant Colonel D S THOMSON, MC

Commanding

4th Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment

14 Jun 66

Serial 23

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NOTICES

1. LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER OF AUSTRALIA TO BDE COMD 28 COMWEL BDE

1. The following is an extract from a letter from the Prime Minister of AUSTRALIA, the Rt. Hon. Harold HOLT to Brig TDH McMEEKIN, OBE, Commander 28 COMWEL Inf Bde:-

"I was most impressed as I moved around by the spirit of collaboration which pervades Terendak Camp. It is a very tangible illustration of our Commonwealth ties. The complete integration of units and officers and men of the three countries within the units is a most impressive achievement.

It was a pleasure also to meet so many of the wives and children. The spectacle they presented that morning was a pleasant contrast to some of the more sombre aspects of service in the region."

2. LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER OF AUSTRALIA TO COMD AAF FARELF

1. The following is an extract from a letter from the Prime Minister of AUSTRALIA, the Rt. Hon. Harold HOLT to Brig FR EVANS, OBE, Commander AAF FARELF:-

"I appreciated enormously the opportunity afforded by my visit to see at first hand the officers and men, particularly in their forward positions in Sarawak.

I would therefore be grateful if you could pass to Lieutenant Colonel Thomson and Major Hughes how impressed I was with the standard of the officers and men under their command, their high morale and evident keenness. I realise that the tasks they are called on to do are both hazardous and arduous. The manner in which they carry out these tasks is a matter of great pride to their fellow Australians."

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182. BATTALION ORDERLY SERGEANT/DUTY CLERK/STANDBY DUTIES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Orderly Sergeant</u>	<u>Duty Clerk</u>	<u>Standby Pl</u>
7 Jun 66	Sgt B EVANS	Pte HI DUHIGG	Bn HQ/Med Pl
8 Jun 66	Sgt J WARD	Cpl AE KELLY	Tpt Pl
9 Jun 66	Sgt BG BURNETT	Pte JA WICKS	QM Pl
10 Jun 66	Sgt RF ROLFE	Pte AD ROBINSON	Sig Pl
11 Jun 66	Sgt CL CONSTABLE	Cpl PJ WOODS	Bn HQ/Med Pl
12 Jun 66	Sgt S BOOTH	Pte RW BEASLEY	Tpt Pl
13 Jun 66	Sgt TPB MUIR	Cpl DM ALLAN	QM Pl
14 Jun 66	Sgt RS HANNAH	Cpl DW GIBBINS	Sig Pl
15 Jun 66	Sgt DF HEENAN	Pte HI DUHIGG	Bn HQ/Med Pl

183. SAFETY - DANGEROUS GOODS IN AIRCRAFT

1. The carriage of the following goods is prohibited in all RAF Transport and civil aircraft:

Compressed gas containers (Butane, Propane etc); Aerosol containers; All Firearms (except for certain weapons subject to special conditions); Explosives and Inflammables; Mercury; Potassium Chlorate (Chlorate of Potash).

2. When any doubt exists as to the safety of any other article for carriage by air it must be declared to the movements or airline authority. Batteries must be removed from Electronic equipment (including transistor radios) and hearing aids are to be declared to the aircraft crew before take off.

3. Further details are contained in DCI 13/66, and individuals are to be fully conversant with the regulations before proceeding on a journey by air.

(LANDBOR Adm RO 109/66)

184. SECURITY ON THE TELEPHONE

1. Attention has been drawn to the lack of security in the use of the Post and Telegraph telephone and radio relay system.

2. An enormous amount of valuable intelligence was gathered recently by a monitoring team in a very short period.

3. People using the P & T telephone system must realise that:

a. Telephones are NOT secure. All long distance calls are radio relay and can be intercepted with ease and conversations can be picked up by commercial radio sets. Calls on landline can be tapped.

b. Even the Secrophone is NOT secure.

c. Many breaches would be avoided if greater use was made of address groups, appointments codes and codewords for places and features.

4. There will be further monitoring of communications in the future and a considerable improvement is expected.

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185. DISCIPLINE - DUTY/VISITS KUCHING

1. Members of 4 RAR proceeding to KUCHING on duty or liaison visits, who anticipate being absent during meal hours will arrange with the WO Caterer to be provided with cut lunches.
2. The SAS will provide lunch for the SDS driver and escort. These are the only members of 4 RAR for whom rations will be provided by SAS.
3. Members of 4 RAR who, through the nature of their duties are in KUCHING during working hours will NOT partake of alcoholic stimulants.

186. DISCIPLINE - DRESS - HATS JUNGLE GREEN

1. The practice of placing wire through the band of hats jungle green, or defacing same with drawings, etc, will cease forthwith.
2. Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

187. MAIL TO TERENDAK

1. A recent check of mail has revealed that many items intended for delivery through FPO TERENDAK are not including Terendak Garrison in the address. Consequently, mail is circulated through the Civil Post Office MALACCA. The FPO KUCHING has a direct daily dispatch to FPO TERENDAK and delivery is at least 24 hours better than through civilian channels.
2. The same civilian delay will result from using LOCAL and NOT BRITISH stamps. British stamps may be used for all destinations.

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188. APPROVAL TO CARRY FORWARD ARL

1. The following personnel are approved to carry forward ARL to the dates shown:-

1200423	Chap	NRJ	MILLS	9 days	31 Dec 66
43080	Pte	JW	BUSCUMB	11 days	31 Dec 66

189. QUALIFICATION MILITARY SKILLS

1. The undermentioned soldier qualified in all aspects vide MBI 79-1 and ARO 21/66 for retention of Group 3 Military Skills:

54655 Pte SJ KELLY

190. ANNUAL QUALIFYING TESTS FOR GROUP 6 MILITARY SKILLS

1. The following personnel have qualified in Map Reading, Air Photo Reading and Voice Procedure as required by MBI 79-1 Annexure 'B', Appendices 1 and 2:-

36255	Sgt	RS	HANNAH
41970	Cpl	AE	KEILY
14540	Cpl	RJ	VOSS
53297	Lcpl	WA	ROBERTSON
54743	Pte	ME	ROOKE

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART I

BY

Lieutenant Colonel D S THOMSON, MC

Commanding

4th Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment

6 Jun 66

Serial 22

Numbers: 182 - 190

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- 182. BATTALION ORDERLY SERGEANT/DUTY CLERK/STANDBY DUTIES
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 - 185. DISCIPLINE - DUTY/VISITS KUCHING
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NOTICES

LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER OF AUSTRALIA TO BDE COMD 28 COMWEL BDE

LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER OF AUSTRALIA TO COMD AAF FARELF

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SRIWIJAYA

30 C3 26 May (date not certain). 162 troops left BOMBOENG for SONGKONG, taking with them one OPR. They carried 16 2inch Mors, and 20 bombs. The troops stated they were going to SONGKONG to prepare their location and try to construct a heli-pad. The highest ranking officer seen in this group was a 2Lt.

31 C3 24 May. (different source to para 30) 100 troops left BOMBOENG for SONGKONG. Source claims that they were Sriwijaya. The task of the troops was to prepare hel-pad at SONGKONG. There were 40 Sriwijaya left at BOMBOENG. The highest ranking officer seen was a Major.

32 Comment

Connect INTREP of 29 May (not to all addressees). The wings similar to para wings outlined in green maybe Sriwijaya and NOT Brawidjaja. Source had just completed one month living with an IBT at SONGKONG, who talked freely. Also a recent F3 report was received which stated that a 'large number' of infantry troops wearing Swiwijaya flashes were seen in PONTIANAK in Feb. SONGKONG is a known PRGS base. There have been no TNI in this area since early 1965. The reported re-occupation of this position is significant. There are two possibilities; either the TNI intended to join up with the PRGS or they were sent there to establish control over the PRGS.

PGRS-SELUAS

33 B3 22 May. 100 (approx) PGRS arrived. Sub-source claims that PGRS have already been sent to the border areas of LUNDU and GUMBANG.

34 Comment

No recent reports have been received to indicate PGRS movement immediately opposite GUMBANG. The only other PGRS that have been reported, are three that live at BOMBOENG.

35 F3 28 May. Sub-source claims that if the peace talks fail, PGRS are ready for an attack over the border, supported by arty.

36 Comment

It is not thought the PGRS would make an incursion without some of the party being TNI. The PGRS would have a better chance of success if they waited until SF left the area (if this happens). The claim that an attack would be backed by arty appears reasonable.

KAPOET

37 F3 7 Jun. There are no troops at KAPOET.

38 C3 2 Jun. A Malay, wearing OG's TNKU flashes, armed with a Thompson, arrived in BOMBOENG. He was accompanied by three persons dressed in civilians clothes. The party had come from BENGKAJANG (I:250,000 - 4090). The Malay was described as about 50 years old white hair with a receding hair line. The Malay is known by the name 'DAUD'.

39 Comment

Connect with Interrogation Report (Bde only) Int/G/3037. This description agrees with the description of DAUD bin Ismail, a senior official of the TNKU.

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- 23 B3 25 May. Three large guns were already in position at the junction of the RISAU-SELUAS track with the track to SEDJARAU (approx Grid square 8846). Sub-source claims it took eight men to carry one barrel. The guns did not have muzzle breaks. Gun positions were not completed as at 25 May.
- 24 C3 6 Jun. Source has heard there are now two AA guns with long barrels, at SELUAS. The diameter of the barrels was approx 3 inches.
- 25 Comment.
The report of a barrel 15 foot long appears to be exaggeration. These may be some type of AA gun. ... possibly at RISAU. Further info if required.
- 26 B2 On night 4/5 Jun, approx 20 rounds were fired from the area of RISAU between 041805 hrs and 050345 hrs. The gun fired on seven separate occasions. Bearings from three locations placed the gun in the general area of 930450, with the impact area approx 1500 yards WEST of the border between the 42 and 47 NORTHINGS. All rounds landed inside INDONESIA.
- 27 Comment
These reports are confusing. It appears:
a. There is at least one gun at RISAU. There may be two.
b. These are probably 76mm, but there is a possibility they may be 105mm how.

Troop movement South East from SELUAS

- 28 C3 a. 14 May. 143 troops moved by boat from SELUAS to BOMBOENG.
b. 15 May. 146 troops went by launch to TADAN, then by foot to BOMBOENG. Supplies, including Mor and SA ammo were also transported by small boats to TADAN and then carried forward. The troops were quartered in the houses of AH KUAN AHAK, DAGANG, PAW MOO, NYULIN, PALAM and the school BA 11, BAKI. The Supplies were also stored in the same locations.
c. 25 May. Source counted 163 men leaving BOMBOENG in the direction of SEBOEDJIT. Three OPR (NYULIN, APIN & MUKIT) moved with the troops. These troops carried two No 8 Mors (60mm), 16 boxes of No 8 bombs, and 16 No 2 Mors with 20 boxes of bombs.
d. 26 May. 100 troops from SEBOEDJIT patrolled to SIDING, and were supposed to return to SIDING on 31 May.
e. 28 May. Source assesses there are still 230 troops at BOMBOENG.

- 29 Comment
Connect INTREP of 29 May (not to all addressees). It is thought the enemy have re-occupied SEBOEDJIT in coy strength. The report of 100 troops patrolling to SIDING is confusing. This is much larger than the normal patrol. It is possible that SIDING may have been re-occupied.

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Brawidjaja Liaison and Ranger Patrolling to G. JAGOI and SERIKIN track.

- I2 F6. 27 May. A small patrol had moved along the track BABANG-SERIKIN and at the border placed a symbol in the centre of the track. Source had heard a similar symbol had been placed on POKO PAYONG (comment: G.JAGOI)
- I3 C3 About the 28 May, Rangers had patrolled to the border and put a 5ft pole, in the centre of the BABANG-SERIKIN track.
- I4 Comment A pole was reported to have been seen by traders on 27 Jun. Why it was placed there is unknown. It may have been a guide to navigation, particularly at night. So far, it has served no apparent useful purpose. The border was checked, so if is a symbol, it is WEST of the border.
- I5 F3 The military visitors that were expected at BABANG arrived on 21 May and stayed overnight. A Brawidjaja officer, referred to as 'Colonel', and ten Brawidjaja soldiers were reported to have been in the party. The Colonel was accompanied by Capt SUTOYO from SELUAS.
- I6 Comment This may have been a routine visit. However there may be some connection between the visit and the placing of poles on likely incursion routes, one of which has been used in the past.

Movement restriction of civilians between SERIKIN and BABANG.

- I7 B3 In reply to a request by source to attend the DYAK festivities in BABANG, Sgt SUKATMO (SEKSI) wrote a letter which stated (extracts only) "I beg you (sources name) not to come to BABANG because of military affairs. Trading is next allowed on 10 Jun 'for the same reason'
- I8 Comment Last year, source had been permitted to attend the festivities and freely mix with the TNI. No trading was done from the 28 May until 6 Jun, when a party from the KENDAU-BELIDA area arrived. From the time that they arrived (early morning), it is suspected that they did not report into BABANG. The normal procedure appears to be that, trading parties assemble at BABANG, and under supervision, leave the BABANG area.

ARTY

- I9 B3 17 May. Civilians travelling to SELUAS passed approx 30 ARMED troops carrying guns towards RISAU. They were seen approx one mile from RISAU. Sub-source claims to have seen eight wheels and two barrels. The wheels were approx the same size as a car, and had rubber tyres. The barrels were 15 feet long.
- 20 F6 Previously there were four guns at SELUAS. On 25 May, civilians from BABANG helped troops to carry one of these guns to RISAU. Sub-source claims two pers carried the barrel, and four pers carried two wheels. RISAU camp had been occupied by 30-40 armed troops.
- 21 F6 On 28 May, 8 launches from SAMBAS arrived at SELUAS with rations and ammo.
- 22 F3 28 May. Previously there were four guns at SELUAS, then four more arrived. On approx 14 May, two of these guns were moved to RISAU by the TNI. Sub-source claims he had heard the two guns were to be positioned near the end of the G. BRUNEI.

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4th Battalion
The Royal Australian Regiment
BFPO 628

Quote in Reply

June 66

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INTREP NO 2

General

1. Confirmation has been received that the enemy have evacuated KINDAU
2. There are reports of 5I4 Brawijaja bn moving forward SE from SELUAS.
3. Reports have been received to indicate Sriwijaya troops are moving towards SONGKONG, previously unoccupied by TNI. since early 1965.
4. Arty has been located in the RISAU area.
5. HADJI-POERI
B2. Siliwangi troops are occupying a position at HADJI (763546) in approx pl strength. These troops do patrol from HADJI.
6. B3. 20 May. Med and light mors were fired from a baseplate posn in the POERI area (7852). Impact area thought to be 2-3000 yards SOUTH of POERI.
7. Comment Although the enemy appears to have given up the line of the Sg Separan, it appears there is still a company in the area HADJI-POERI, presumably to protect this L of C.
8. KINDAU
B3 Civilians are now rebuilding their houses which were evacuated when the TNI arrived many months ago. All the troops have now left KINDAU and moved to SEDJARAU.

SELUAS-RISAU-BABANG-KINDAU

9. B3 Regular patrolling now takes place. The troops mainly come from SELUAS but occasionally from RISAU. Troops who patrol are Rangers, ARMED PGRS, and PKR(?) Patrols are usually 30 strong. Routes are unknown. In some cases, returning patrols hand over to fresh patrols at the 'new camp' between KINDAU and BELIDA. The patrols normally last three to four days.
10. B2. 24 May. Enemy of approx sec (plus) strength were reported to be at MASKERTAS (855530). No other details were available.
- II Comment It appears that although the enemy have given up the line of the Sg Separan, EAST of POERI (7852) to KAIK (904524), isolated patrolling to the MASKERTAS area still continues. As yet, there is no evidence to indicate any of these positions have been re-occupied.

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The Royal Australian Regiment
BFPO 628

June 66

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1. Attached is 4 RAR INTREP No 2.
2. Kindly acknowledge on receipt below.

[Handwritten Signature]
 Lt Col
 CO 4 RAR

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MIO SARAWAK	4	
I RENJER	5	
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I DLI	8	
2 SAS SQN	9	
V Bty	IO	
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2 Tp 5 RTR-BAU	I3	
Loc Bty RA	I2	
OC BAU Div	I5	
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DOCUMENT RECEIPT FORM

TO: IO 4 RAR

Receipt is acknowledged of 4 RAR INTREP NO 2.....Copic(s) No.....

Date.....

Signature.....

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MESSAGE FORM

PRECEDENCE - ACTION ROUTINE	DATE - TIME - GROUP 30 1845 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS BY POST
FROM 4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
TO WEST Bde 2/7 GR COMFOL 1 RENJER		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER K30
INFO AUST ARM 2 SAS SQN MIO GIO 132 Bty	Bde Flt 3 PTF 129 Bty (3) INTERNAL (4)	

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SITREP No 65 from 291800H - 301800H (.)

ALPHA (.) NTR (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCATIONS (.)

ONE (.) A COY (.) COMPLETE OLD BAU (.)

TWO (.) B COY (.) HQ, 4 PL and 6 PL STASS (.) 5 PL 89170573 (.)

THREE (.) C COY (.) HQ, 7 PL and 8 PL BOKAH (.) 9 PL IN AMBUSH
89320599 (.)

FOUR (.) D COY (.) HQ and 12 PL STASS (.) 10 PL 89520586 (.)
11 PL 89250569 (.)

FIVE (.) PNR PL (.) 90370602 (.) TRACKER PL OLD BAU

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Capt
RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE

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PRECEDENCE ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE INFO	DATE TIME GROUP 291845H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS BY POST
FROM	4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
TO	HQ WEST BDE 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER K 30
INFO	2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING BDE FLT 132 BTY	129 BTY (3) E COY 3 PFF COMD'S DIARY (3) ✓ INTERNAL (4)	

SITREP No 65 from 281800H to 291800H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) AS REPORTED (.) Tracks found led SOUTH over border (.)
No fol up (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

E (.) A Coy (.) Complete OLD BAU (.)

TWO (.) B Coy (.) Complete STASS (.)

THREE (.) C Coy HQ and 8 P1 BOKAH (.) 7 P1 89240634 (.) 9 P1 89340600 (.)

FOUR (.) D Coy (.) HQ STASS (.) 10 P1 area RED 552 (.) 11 and 12 P1 NO CHANGE (.)

FIVE (.) Tracker P1 and Pnr P1 NO CHANGE (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION	DATE - TIME - GROUP	MESSAGE INSTRUCTION
ROUTINE	28 1930 H	(BY POST)

FROM : 4 RAR

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ORIGINATORS NUMBER

K30

INFO : 2 SAS SQN 129 BTY (3)
MIO KUCHING COMD'S DIARY (5)
GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PTF
WEST BDE FILE INTERNAL (4)
132 BTY

SITREP No 64 FROM 271800H TO 281800H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A COY (.) HQ and 2 P1 RED 531 (.) 1 and 3 P1 NO CHANGE (.)

TWO (.) B COY (.) HQ and 4 P1 NO CHANGE (.) 5 P1 89220595 (.) 6 P1 89140595 (.)

THREE (.) C COY (.) HQ and 8 P1 BOKAH (.) 7 P1 89140615 (.) 9 P1 NO CHANGE (.)

FOUR (.) D COY (.) HQ and 10 P1 STASS (.) 11 and 12 P1 NO CHANGE (.)

FIVE (.) Tracker P1 OLD BAU (.) Pnr P1 NO CHANGE (.)

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ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE INFO
ROUTINE

DATE TIME GROUP

271845 H

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SECRET

FROM. 4 RAR

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

TO. WEST BDE
2/7 GR
1 RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

INFO. 2 SAS SQN BDE FLT
MIO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
GLO KUCHING COMDS DIARY (3)
132 BTY RA INTERNAL (4)
129 BTY (3)

SITREP NO 63 from 261800 H to 271800 H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) AS REPORTED (.) INVESTIGATIONS CONTINUE (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A COY (.) HQ and 1 P1 88670614 (.) 2 P1 89070624 (.) 3 P1 88880610 (.)

TWO (.) B COY (.) HQ 89430620 (.) 4 P1 89450610 and 89440607 (.)
5 P1 89220601 (.) 89140603 (.)

THREE (.) C COY (.) HQ BOKAH (.) 7 P1 89240615 (.) 8 P1 89120636 (.) 9 P1 89070595

FOUR (.) D COY (.) HQ AND 10 P1 STASS (.) 11 P1 AMBUSH BORDER AREA 89290567 (.)
12 P1 89190572 (.)

FIVE (.) TRACKER PL BOKAH (.) PNR PL 90160598 (.)

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ROUTINE

DATE-TIME-GROUP
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SECRET

TO : W Bdc (12)
2/7 GJ
1 RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
K30

INFO: 2 SAS SQN WEST BDE FLT
MIO KUCHING COMD'S DIARY (3)
GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
132 BTY RA INTERNAL (4)
129 BTY RA (3)

SITREP No 62 from 251800H to 261800H .

ALPHA . EN . F60 local reported sighting of 2 men dress OGs,
bush hat similar to SF, one man carrying pistol at
89080639 at 251700 hrs . comment . tracker
pl search of area NTR . investigations continue .

BRAVO . OWN FORCES . LOCS .


ONE . A Coy . HQ and 1 pl 88670625 . 2 pl 88930636 .
3 pl RED 531 .

TWO . B Coy . HQ RED 55 . 4 pl 89440607 .
5 pl 89260604 . 6 pl 89150604 .

THREE . C Coy . HQ BOKAH . 7 pl 89340610 .
8 pl mov NORTH from 89060637 . 9 pl BOKAH .

FOUR . HQ and 10 pl STASS . 11 pl 89380554, 89300562
and 89390555 . 12 pl RED 552 .

FIVE . Tracker Pl BOKAH . Pnr Pl 90160598 //

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PRECEDENCE - ACTION	DATE - TIME - GROUP	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
ROUTINE	25 1930 H	BY POST
FROM: 4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
		SECRET
TO: WEST BDE 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		ORIGINATORS NUMBER
		K 30
INFO: 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING 132 BTY RA 129 BTY (3)	WEST BDE FLT E COY 3 PFF COMDS DIARY (3) INTERNAL (4)	

Sitrep No 61 from 241000H to 251000H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

BRAVO (.) LOCS (.) No change except 8 Pl (.) 8 Pl mov to 890059 (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION	DATE - TIME - GROUP	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
ROUTINE	24 H	(BY POST)

FROM: 4 RAR	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
	<u>SECRET</u>
TO : WEST BDE (12) 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMPO. KUCHING	ORIGINATORS NUMBER
	<u>K 30</u>

INFO: 2 SAS SQN WEST BDE FLT
MIO KUCHING COMD'S DIARY (3)
GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
132 Bty RA INTERNAL (4)
V Bty (3)

SITREP NO 60 FROM 24000H TO 241800H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) NIR (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A COY (.) HQ OLD BAU (.) 1 PL 90210631 (.) 2 PL 91330602 (.)
3 PL 90590605 (.)

TWO (.) B COY (.) HQ 89430564 (.) 4 PL 89360564 CMM 89300562 and
89480569 (.) 6 PL 89550574 CMM 89520575 and 89540578 (.)
5 PL 89450564 cmm 89450564 and 89480569 (.)

THREE (.) C COY (.) HQ AND 9 PL BOKAH (.) 7 PL 89340612 AND 89450610 (.)
8 PL 89240574 (.)

FOURTH (.) HQ 89510585 (.) 10 PL 89530587 and 89520584 (.) 11 PL 89490587
89480591 (.) 12 PL 89540584 cmm 89530583 and 89539583 (.)

FIVE (.) Tracker Pl OLD BAU

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PRECEDENCE ACTION
ROUTINE

DATE TIME GROUP
23 1940 H

FROM 4 BAR
TO WEST BDE
2/7 GR
RENJER
COMPOL

SECURITY CLASIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO :
2 SAS E COY 3 PFF
MIO KUCHING V BTY (3)
GLO KUCHING COMD DIARY (3)
132 BTY INTERNAL (4)
BDE FLT

SITREP NO 59 FROM 221000 H TO 231800 H (.)
ALPHA (.) EN (.) AS PASSED TO WEST BDE DURING DAY (.)
BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)
ONE (.) A COY (.) HQ NO CHANGE (.) 1 PL RED 415 (.) 2 PL 91330602 (.)
3 PL NO CHANGE (.)
TWO (.) B COY (.) HQ + 5 PL STASS (.) 4 PL NO CHANGE (.) 6 PL NO CHANGE (.)
THREE (.) C COY (.) HQ AND 8 PL BOKAH (.) 7 PL 89430612 AND 89450610 (.)
9 PL 98150597 (.)
FOUR (.) D COY (.) HQ AND 12 PL STASS (.) 10 PL NO CHANGE (.) 11 PL
89360579 , 89300578 AND 89350579 (.)
FIVE (.) TRACKER PL OLD BAU (.) PNR PL 89890598 (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION PRECEDENCE INFO DATE TIME GROUP MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
ROUTINE 22 1915 H BY POST

FROM: 4 RAR

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
RENJER
COMPOL

SECRET

INFO:

2 SAS
MIO KUCHING
GLO KUCHING
132 BTY
BDE FLP

E COY 3 PFF
V BTY (3)
COMDS DIARY (3)
INTERNAL (4)

ORIGINATORS NUMBER

K 30

Sitrep No 58 from 211800H to 221800 (.)

PHA (.) EN (.)

ONE (.) Two different reports received indicate 6 INDONS returned from SARAWAK to KINDAU on 18 Jun incl two wounded (.) one hip and one left hand (.) comment (.) report is consistent with report of one man seen to fall in first contact at 150315 hrs (.) distance consistent with time taken to move wounded from scene of first contact to KINDAU (.) score now 4 killed 2 wounded (.)

TWO (.) Further confirmation received of en party thought to camp near border on night 15/16 Jun moving EAST past scene of second contact on night 17/18 Jun and later returned to INDONESIA on 18 Jun (.) comment (.) this was possibly the reserve sent to assist the men in the contact.

THREE (.) Both groups of enemy mentioned in ONE and TWO above believed to have now returned to SEIJAS (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A Coy (.) HQ and 2 Pl OLD BAU (.) 1 Pl 90100580 (.)
3 Pl 90590605 (.)

TWO (.) B Coy (.) HQ and 5 Pl STASS (.) 4 Pl ambush 89390555 and
89540549 (.) 6 Pl ambush 89590503, 89600520 and
89650495 (.)

THREE (.) C Coy (.) HQ and 7 Pl BOKAH (.) 8 Pl 89230606 (.) 9 Pl
88510564 (.)

FOUR (.) D Coy (.) HQ and 11 Pl STASS (.) 10 Pl ambush 89360564,
89350557 and 89310565 (.) 12 Pl ambush 89340578 (.)

FIVE (.) Tracker Pl OLD BAU (.) Pmr Pl 90670609 (.)

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FROM : 4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
TO : WEST BDE 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		ORIGINATORS NUMBER K30
INFO : 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING V BTY (3) 132 BTY	E COY 3 PFF COMDS DIARY (3) BDE FLT INTERNAL (5)	

SITREP No 57 from 201800H to 211800H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.)

ONE (.) En mov reported at 99340575 at 211930 hrs (.) report from same ambush party who reported mov on ni 17/18 Jun which later shown to be party of 12 - 16 who returned across border (.) no enemy tracks or signs found this morning (.) comment (.) report doubtful but could connect with C.3 report received today (.)

TWO (.) connect SITREP No 56 sub-para ALPHA TWO (.) fol up continues on slender lead (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A Coy (.) HQ and 2 P1 90310587 (.) 1 P1 OLD BAU (.)
3 P1 90590605 (.)

TWO (.) B Coy (.) HQ and 4 P1 STASS (.) 5 P1 89360554 cmm 89540549
and 89360554 (.) 6 P1 89590503 cmm 89600520 cmm 89650495 and
89590503 (.)

THREE (.) C Coy (.) HQ and 7 P1 BOKAH (.) 8 P1 891061 (.) 9 P1 89130573
(.)

FOUR (.) D Coy (.) HQ and 11 P1 STASS (.) 10 P1 mov to 89330567 and
89300562 (.) 12 P1 mov to 89340578 (.)

FIVE (.) Tracker teams OLD BAU (.) Pnr P1 90650610 (.)

CHARLIE (.) NIL (.)

DELTA (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) continue search within new bdry

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PRECEDENCE ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE INFO ROUTINE	DATE TIME GROUP 201930H
FROM 4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
TO WEST BDE 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		ORIGINATORS NUMBER K 30
INFO 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING V BTY (3) 132 BTY	E COY 3 PFF COMDS DIARY (3) ✓ BDE FLT INTERNAL (5)	

SITREP No 56 from 191800H to 201800H (.)

ALPHA (.) En (.)

ONE (.) Local from Kpg SIBURUH reports two suspects approached him at washing point 91450606 at 0900 hrs (.) asked for directions to TUNDONG (.) dress (.) as reported subpara ALPHA TWO of SITREP No 55 plus small packs similar to child's school bag (.) trousers and packs reported to be wet (.) comment (.) fol up yesterday did not locate two suspects (.) fol up mounted again today (.) no info avail (.)

TWO (.) BS from BOKAH reported 3 men moved from Kpg STUNGKOR 894061 to 89140621 and return to Kpg STUNGKOR at approx 192400 hrs (.) report states jungle boots worn, torches used (.) comment (.) report received at 1705 hrs (.) Tracker team plus BS deployed to Kpg STUNGKOR (.) 8 Pl moving to STUNGKOR as fol up force (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A Coy (.) HQ and 2 Pl 90310587 (.) 3 Pl 90270598 (.) 1 Pl OLD BAU (.)

TWO (.) B Coy (.) 4 Pl STASS (.) 5 Pl 89380557, 89340557 and 89320563 (.)
6 Pl NO change (.)

THREE (.) C Coy (.) 7 Pl mov to ni ambush 940580 (.) 8 Pl mov to Kpg STUNGKOR (.)
9 Pl ni ambush 89340578 (.)

FOUR (.) D Coy (.) 10 Pl 89560545 (.) 11 Pl OLD BAU (.) 12 Pl 89110572 (.)

FIVE (.) Number One tracker team at RED 55 (.) Number two tracker team
OLD BAU (.)

SIX (.) C Coy 2/7 GR (.) 7 Pl 89130522 89630532 and 89600524 (.) 8 Pl and
9 Pl NO change (.)

SEVEN (.) A Coy 2/7 GR and SAS revert to own comd (.)

CHARLIE (.) NIL (.)

DELTA (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) Fol up suspected on mov (.) C Coy 2/7 GR revert
to unit comd (.) ptl mov to new coy areas

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PRECEDENCE ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE INFO ROUTINE	DATE TIME GROUP 191915 H
FROM 4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
TO WEST BDE 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMFCL KUCHING		ORIGINATORS NUMBER K 30
INFO 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING V BTY (3) 132 BTY	E COY 3 PFF COMDS DIARY (3) ✓ BDE FLT INTERNAL (5)	

SITREP No 55 from 181800 H to 191800 H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) ONE (.) Connect SITREP No 54 (.) Camp found 89250564 occupied by 12 to 16 men on approx 15/16 Jun (.) tracks fol to 89280567 where tracking team ordered to stop as previous report had put them very close to border (.) now believed track may not have crossed border but turned NORTH and EAST (.) camp contained empty iodine bottle, empty cigarette packets and misc papers (.) camp also used approx 30 days ago (.)

Comment (.) from numbers time and distance, it appears possible that the en camp at 89250564, and en tracks followed from 89320576 to EAST approx 2000 yards, SOUTH 1200 yards then SW and WEST to 89350563 were the same group (.) fol up stopped last light 18 Jun (.) dawn fol up not possible due to heavy overnight rain (.) it is possible en passed 300 yards SOUTH of own sect ambush and returned to INDONESIA (.)

TWO (.) local woman reported two strangers at 91410609 at 1200 hours (.) one spoke in Malay asking directions to TUNDONG (.) Description (.) No ONE (.) long hair, dirty "off white" colour shirt, long black trousers, no shoes (.) No TWO (.) as for No ONE less shirt (.) no weapons seen (.) two PFF sects with 4 RAR tracker dog fol up mounted 1400 hrs (.) tracks last reported at river 91460614 heading NORTH EAST (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN TROOPS (.) LOCS (.)

ONE (.) A Coy minus 1 Pl at 90270597 (.) 1 Pl at 89190574 and 89220568 (.)

TWO (.) B Coy (.) HQ STASS (.) 4 Pl 89390554, 89360554 and 89430552 (.)

5 Pl 89340558 and 89340556 (.) 6 Pl at 89500549 89450551 and 89540549 (.)

THREE (.) C Coy (.) HQ and 7 Pl 89500581 (.) 8 Pl 89570588 (.) 9 Pl 89340578 (.)

FOUR (.) D Coy (.) HQ STASS (.) 10 Pl 89570540 and 89630531 (.) 11 Pl

89570545 (.) 12 Pl 89110572 and 89080572 (.)

FIVE (.) Tracker Teams (.) both OLD BAU (.)

SIX (.) A Coy 2/7 GR (.) HQ and 3 Pl GUMBANG (.) 1 Pl 90650342 (.)

2 Pl 90410407 (.)

SEVEN (.) C Coy 2/7 GR (.) HQ STASS (.) 7 Pl 89620523 and 89600524 (.)

8 Pl 89580510 and 89550514 (.) 9 Pl 89540502 and 89050495 (.)

EIGHT (.) SAS (.) complete OLD BAU (.)

CHARLIE (.) N/A

DELTA (.) NO HF TONIGHT (.) CONTINUE SEARCH OP DOUBLE CROSS AREA (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION	PRECEDENCE INFO	DATE	TIME	GROUP
ROUTINE	ROUTINE	18	1900	H

FROM 4 RAR
 TO WEST BDE
 2/7 GR
 1 RENJER
 COMPOL KUCHING

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO 2 SAS SQN E COY 3 PFF
 MIO KUCHING COMDS DIARY (3) ✓
 GLO KUCHING BDE FLT
 V BTY (3) INTERNAL (4)
 132 BTY

SITREP No 54 from 171800H to 181900H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) ONE (.) Empty en camp reported 89250564 (.) Rat packs en type (.)
tracks lead NW (.) age estimate up to 3 days (.) TWO (.) En str unknown reported
 89320576 at 2200 hrs (.) suspected torches seen (.) fol up found large plastic bag
 approx 12 hrs old at 89320576 (.) track found, est 12 hours old, approx 10 men (.)
 mov SOUTH, EAST, SOUTH to 89550574 SW and WEST to 89350563 (.) track fol until
 dusk (.) tracker team reported en running towards border for periods during last
 1500 yards (.) fol will continue first light tomorrow (.) THREE (.) Comment (.)
 It is possible the camp found at 89250564 was used on way in by en party being
 tracked (.)

BRAVO (.) OWN FORCES (.)
 ONE (.) LOCS (.) A Coy (.) HQ and 3 Pl 90340595 (.) 1 Pl at 89190574 (.) 2 Pl
 90360631 (.)
 B Coy (.) 4 Pl no change (.) 5 Pl at 893405581 89340556 (.) 6 Pl at 89500594
 89450551 and 89540549 (.) Pnr Pl at 89270563 cmm 89320565 cmm and 89300560 (.)
 C Coy (.) HQ and 9 Pl at R552 (.) 7 Pl at 89530575 (.) 8 Pl 89400578 (.)
 D Coy (.) HQ STASS (.) 10 Pl at 89570540 and 89630531 (.) 11 Pl no change (.)
 12 Pl at 89110572 and 89080572 (.)
 Tracker teams (.) No one at 89350563 (.) No two at R42 (.)
 A Coy 2/7 GR (.) HQ and 3 Pl GUMBANG (.) 1 Pl at 90650342 (.) 2 Pl 90410407 (.)
 C Coy 2/7 GR (.) HQ STASS (.) 7 Pl 89620522 (.) 8 Pl 89580510 (.) 9 Pl 89580502 (.)
 SAS (.) mov from G API 90680610 mov to Kpg OPAR 907 058 (.)

TWO (.) NO HF tonight (.)

THREE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) continue search

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PRECEDENCE ACTION	PRECEDENCE INFO	DATE TIME GROUP
ROUTINE	ROUTINE	171930 H
		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
		SECRET
		ORIGINATORS NUMBER
		K 30
FROM	4 RAR	
TO	WEST BDE 2 /7 GR I RENJER COMPOL KUCHING	
INFO	2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING V BTY (3) I32 BTY	E COY 3 PFF COMD DIARY (3) BDE FLT INTERNAL (4)

SITEREP NO 53 FROM 161800 H TO 171800 H (.)

ALPHA (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

FO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.)

A COY (.) HQ R 56 (.) 1 PL 89190574 (.) 2 PL 88820578 (.) 3 PL 89430599 (.)
12 PL NO CHANGE (.)

B COY (.) 4 PL 89390554, 89360555 AND 89440552 (.) 5 PL 89340558 (.)
6 PL AT 89500549 , 89500549 , 89450551 and 89540549 (.)

PNR PL AT 89270563 , 89250565 and 89390555 (.)

C COY (.) 7 PL 89320578 (.) 8 PL 89400578 (.) 9 PL 89530587 (.)

D COY (.) HQ STASS (.) 10 PL AT 89570540 , 89630531 AND 89560539 (.)
11 PL 89570545 (.)

TRACKER PL (.) OLD BAU (.)

A COY 2/7 GR (.) 1 PL 90650342 (.) 2 PL 90410407 (.) 3 PL GUMBANG (.)

C COY 2/7 GR (.) 7 PL 89620522 (.) 8 PL 89550510 (.) 9 PL 89580502 (.)

SAS (.) 3 PTL 91140464 (.) 9 PTL 90660464 (.) 11 PTL 91250507 (.)

12 PTL 91090539 (.)

BRAVO (.) NO HF TONIGHT (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) CONT SEARCH OP DOUBLE CROSS AREA (.) A COY 2/7 GR (.)

CONT AMBUSH BORDER TRACKS (.) 2 PL CONT BORDER PTL (.) SECT OF 3 PL

PTL 906039 (.)

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FROM: 4 RAR		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
TO: WEST BDE 2/7 GR 1 RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER K30
INFO: 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING BDE FLT	V BTY (3) 132 BTY E COY 3 PFF COMDS DIARY (3) INTERNAL (4)	

SITREP No 52 from 151800H to 161800H .

ALPHA . EN . connect SITREP No 51 para ALPHA THREE . dead, eqpt, and docus fwd to bde . connect SITREP No 37 para ONE ALPHA . camp for approx 20 estimate 16 days old at 90490400 . due to tree markings and nature suspected en .

TWO . OWN FORCES .

ALPHA . LOCS . A Coy . HQ, 2 pl minus one sect 89030586 . sect at 88950587 . 1 pl at 89140574 and 89400566 . 3 pl at 89450610 and 89400610 .

B Coy . 4 pl at 89520572 and 89560575 . 5 pl at 89670564 and 89860561 . 6 pl ambush at R424 .

C Coy . HQ at R551 . 7 pl 89320578 . 8 pl at 89390580 . 9 pl at 89530587 .

D Coy . HQ and 11 pl at 89670478 and 89740432 . 10 pl at 89750436 and 89630479 . 12 pl at 88980573 .

Tracker pl at 80500585 . Pnr pl at 89240566, 89300562 and 89390555 .

A Coy 2/7 GR . 1 pl at R462 . 2 pl NO change . 3 pl GUMBANG .

SAS . 3 ptl 91260462 . 9 ptl 90560475 . 11 ptl 91120508 . 12 ptl 90810517 .

BRAVO . continue search OP DOUBLE CROSS area . Tracker pl return to OLD BAU . A Coy 2/7 GR . 1 pl mov to 90640345 . ambush border area . 2 pl mov SOUTH EAST //

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PRECEDENCE - ACTION ROUTINE	DATE - TIME - GROUP 15 2115 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS BY POST
		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

FROM: 4 RAR

SECRET
ORIGINATORS NUMBER

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
1 RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

K 30

INFO: 2 SAS SQN V BTY (3)
MIO KUCHING 132 BTY
GIO KUCHING E COY 3 PPF
BDE FLT COMDS DIARY (3) ✓
INTERNAL (4)

Sitrep No 51 from 141800H to 151800H

ALPHA (.) EN (.)

ONE (.) Connect Sitrep para ONE ALPHA (.) Tracks for five men picked up at 90910615 (.) 24 hrs old (.) Moved onto high ground from SOUTH (.) Comment (.) Tracks fol to 90260598 when tracks washed out (.) Tracks were generally on top of ridge (.)

TWO (.) Contact at 89520586 at approx 0826 hrs (.) 4 uniformed soldiers, and 1 civ reported (.) Possible civ wounded but not confirmed (.) EN wdr NORTH then WEST (.)

THREE (.) Contact at 89360578 at 1713 hrs (.) 5 en involved (.) 4 killed one wdr SOUTH (.) Dress of dead (.) OG's and green bush hat (.) Wpns (.) One AR 15, 3 Russian Aslt rifles (.) Webbing (.) US type (.) Packs (.) Large type similar to own (.) One carried map case with shoulder strap (.) Comment (.) P1 involved in this contact damaged radio in contact and is out of comms (.) Complete details will be reported when available (.) Bodies and eqpt to be recovered tomorrow (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A Coy (.) HQ 89030586 (.) 2 P1 at 89030586 and 88950587 (.) 3 P1 at 89450610 and 89400610 (.) Two sects of 7 P1 under comd at 89550603 (.) 12 P1 under comd at 89120572 (.) Pnr P1 at 89120572 (.) B Coy (.) HQ at STASS (.) 4 P1 at 89420564 and 89520572 (.) 5 P1 at 89610577 and 09710572 (.) 6 P1 at 89900585, 89930584 and 89910582 (.) 1 P1 under comd at 89300562 and 89390555 (.) Ptl at 09600544 (.) C Coy (.) HQ 7 P1 and one sect 7 P1 ambush 89370573 (.) 8 P1 and 9 P1 minus one sect mov to red 551 (.) HQ and sect 9 P1 ambush red 552 (.) D Coy (.) HQ and 11 P1 at 89670478 (.) 10 P1 at 89750436 (.) Tracker P1 (.) 90160598 (.) A Coy 2/7 GR under comd (.) 1 P1 90370365 (.) 2 P1 90300415 (.) Loc def WHIRLWIND MSN 174 (.) HQ and 3 P1 GUMBANG (.) SAS (.) 3 Ptl 91220438 (.) 9 ptl 90710465 (.) 11 ptl 91240521 (.) 12 ptl 90820505 (.)

BRAVO (.) HF tonight from STASS and PEJIRU (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) Continue search for enemy (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION PRECEDENCE INFO DATE TIME GROUP
ROUTINE ROUTINE 14.1900 H

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

FROM 4 RAR
TO WEST BDE
 2/7 GR
 I RENJER
 COMPOL KUCHING

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO 2 SAS SQN V BTY (3)
 MIO KUCHING I32 BTY
 GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
 COMD DIARY (3)
 BDE FLT INTERNAL (4)

SITREP No 50 from 131800H to 141800H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.)

ALPHA (.) report (.) At approx: 1400 hrs, tracks for five men seen on side of G. API on RAYA ridge area 90640604 (.) men moving WEST towards border (.) sole imprint was ridged (.) DS est track used this morning (.) Broken sapplings and twigs seen but "days" old (.) two tracks found one on ridge line and one half way down ridge (.) Comment (.) possible this track used by party on way in (.) Tracker pl deployed to fol up (.) two pls deployed as stops (.)

BRAVO (.) connect SITREP 48 para one charlie (.) further investigation showed report false (.)

CHARLIE (.) Connect SITREP 48 para one DELTA (.) further investigation showed report false (.)

DELTA (.) CARAND clip containing eight rounds found 89660592 (.) Age estimate indeterminate but old (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) A Coy 1 Pl at RED 4611 (.) 2Pl RED 444 (.) 3 Pl GUMBANG (.) B Coy (.) 4 PL moving to 89300562 and 89390555 (.) Task night ambush (.) patrol moving to 89600544 (.) night ambush (.) 5 Pl STASS (.) 6 Pl ambush tracks at 89680496, 89770496 and 89620525 (.) C Coy (.) 7 PL 89070583 (.) 8 Pl ambush at 89570587 (.) 9 PL BOKAH (.) D Coy (.) NO change (.) ECHO (.) Tracker Pl at 90920615 (.)

BRAVO (.) LF tonight from GUMBANG, STASS, BOKAH and PEJIRU (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) continue fol up (.) patrol grid squares 909037, 909036 and 909035

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PRECEDENCE ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE INFO
ROUTINE

DATE TIME GROUP
131900 H

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

FROM 4 RAR
TO WEST BDE
2/7GR
I RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO 2 SAS SQN V BTY (3)
MIO KUCHING I32 BTY
GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
BDE FLT → COMD DIARY (3)
INTERNAL (4)

SITREP NO 49 FROM 121800 HRS TO 131800 HRS (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) 8 ROUNDS GUNFIRE REPORTED BETWEEN 0759 HRS AND 0811
HRS (.) GUN REPORTED TO BE AT 89090459 (.) IMPACT AREA
898051 (.) CONNECT SITREP NO 48 PARA ONE (.) NTR (.)
INVESTIGATION STILL CONTINUES (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A COY (.) 1 PL 90910376 (.) 2 PL (.)
90390414 (.) HQ AND 3 PL GUMBANG (.) B COY (.)
4 PL 89320557 (.) 5 PL 90760586 (.) HQ AND 6 PL
STASS (.) C COY (.) 7 PL 89080584 (.) 8 PL
89560587 (.) HQ AND 9 PL BOKAH (.) D COY (.)
10 PL 89750436 (.) HQ AND 11 PL 89680478 (.)
12 PL 89850462 (.) TRACKER PL CMM PNR PL AND
RPT PL AT OLD BAU (.) SAS PTL AT OLD BAU (.)

BRAVO (.) HF TONIGHT FROM GUMBANG AND STASS (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) SAS PTL RETURN TO KUCHING (.)

THREE (.) GENERAL (.) TAC HQ 2/7 GR NOW BAU (.) TWO COYS 2/7 GR
RELIEVED C AND D COYS IN AREA KPG SEMAYA - TUNDONG

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PRECEDENCE ACTION	PRECEDENCE INFO	DATE TIME GROUP
ROUTINE	ROUTINE	12 1800 H
		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
FROM 4 RAR		ORIGINATORS NUMBER K 31
TO WEST BDE 2/7 GR I RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		
INFO 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING BDE FLT	V BTY (3) I32 BTY E COY 3 PFF COMD DIARY (3) INTERNAL (4)	

SITREP NO 48 FROM 111800 hrs TO 121800 hrs H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) ALPHA (.) F.3 (.) LOCAL REPORTS 10 OR 11 ARMED INDONS, DRESSED PROBABLY OG'S, NO BOOTS, ARRIVED KPG PLAMAN SEMAYA 1160 AT 112200 HRS (.) WPNS PROBABLY KALASHNIKOV WITH MAG (.) EQPT (.) WAIST BELT, MAG POUCH WITH 4 MAGS, 2 GRENADES (.) MED PACK WORN (.) PARTY LEFT AT 112230 HRS MOV IN DIR KPG GROGO 1459 AFTER RECEIVING DIRECTIONS TO REACH TUNDONG (.) COMMENTS SOURCE ASSESSED AS TELLING THE TRUTH (.)

BRAVO (.) BS REPORTED AT APPROX 120800 hrs TWO SUSPECTS, NOT CHINESE WERE ASSISTED OVER RIVER BY CHINESE LOCAL (.) BS CLAIMS 2 SUSPECTS DRESSED IN LONG TROUSERS AND SHIRTS (.) WPNS WERE CARRIED (.) SB INTERROGATED CHINESE WHO CLAIMS SUSPECTS NOT ARMED, DRESS LONG TROUSERS AND CLEAN WHITE SHIRTS (.) SB REPORT APPEARS MORE CORRECT (.) FURTHER CLARIFICATION BEING SOURT (.)

CHARLIE (.) F3 (.) KPG SIBURUH 1460 LOCALS CLAIM THREE INDONS, MOVED EAST AT APPROX 12100 hrs (.) DRESS CIV CLS (.) NOT ARMED BUT CARRYING MACHETES (.)

DELTA (.) F6 (LOCAL FROM KPG GROGO) (.) STATES HE WAS AT KPG SEMAYA BETWEEN 110800 AND 111000 HRS (.) STATES HE SAW 10 INDONS DRESSED IN OG'S, BUSH HAT, NOT WEARING SHOES BUT CARRIED SHOES DRAPED AROUND THE NECK (.) SOLDIERS REQUESTED FOOD (.) WPNS SIGHTED WERE 3 OR 4 ARMALITES, .303 RIFLES AND UNIDENTIFIED WPNS (.) COMMENT (.) THIS REPORT IS SUSPECT AND MAY BE A TWISTED REPORT OF THE FACTS (.) HOWEVER THE REPORT OF SHOES IS INTERESTING (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.) A COY MINUS 1 PL IN BASE (.) 1 PL AT RED 4611 (.) B COY (.) 4 PL (.) ONE HALF OF PL MOV TO G RAYA (.) OTHER HALF AT 89390555 (.) 5 PL AREA 90500534 AND MOV EAST (.) 6 PL STASS (.) C COY (.) 7 PL 91300615 (.) 8 PL 91440605 (.) 9 PL 91240604 (.) PL AT 91300615 AND 91500593 (.) D COY (.) 10 PL 91620598 (.) 11 PL 91570618 (.) 12 PL 91460607 (.) TRACKER TEAM AT 91480627 AND 91480637 (.) PNR PL RES OLD BAU (.) C COY 2/7 GR (.) PLS AT 91730618 91700635 AND 91560643 (.) SAS PTL AT 90400631 (.)

THREE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) CONTINUE SEARCH AREA CURRENT OP (.) AMBUSH G RAYA (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE INFO
ROUTINE

DATE TIME GROUP
111920H

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

FROM 4 RAR

TO WEST BDE
2 /7 GR
I RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO 2 SAS SQN V BTY (3)
MIO KUCHING I32 BTY
GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
BDE FLT COMD DIARY (3) ✓
INTERNAL (4)

SITREP No 47 from 101800H to 111800H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A Coy minus 2 Pl at GUMBANG (.) 2 Pl at 90860365 (.)
B Coy minus 5 Pl at STASS (.) 5 Pl at 84990557 and 89540550 (.)
C Coy at BOKAH (.) D Coy minus 11 Pl at OLD BAU (.) 11 Pl at 89670479
and 89650479 (.)

BRAVO (.) HF tonight from GUMBANG and PEJIRU (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) 10 Pl move to G JAGOI area by foot (.)
11 Pl RTB by heli

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PRECEDENCE ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE INFO

DATE TIME GROUP
101900H

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

FROM 4 RAR
TO WEST BDE
2/7 GR
I RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO 2 SAS SQN V BTY (3)
MIO KUCHING I32 BTY
GLO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
BDE FLT COMD DIARY (3)
INTERNAL (4)

SITREP No 46 FROM 091800H TO 101800H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A COY NO CHANGE (.) B COY MINUS 6 PL IN BASE (.)

6 PL AT 89630495 AND 89590503 (.) C COY IN BASE (.) D COY MINUS

11 PL IN BASE (.) 11 PL AT 89650479 (.)

BRAVO (.) HF TONIGHT FROM STASS AND PEJIRU (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) 6 PL RTB (.) 5 PL AMBUSH BORDER CROSSING
POINTS NORTH OF STASS (.)

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PRECEDENCE ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE INFO

DATE TIME GROUP
091800 H

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

FROM: 4 RAR

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
I RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

INFO: 2 SAS SQN
MIO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
GLO KUCHING COMD DIARY (3)
V BTY (3) INTERNAL (4)
I32 BTY BDE FLT

SITREP NO 45 FROM 081800 H TO 091800 H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A COY NO CHANGE (.) B COY NO CHANGE (.) C COY NO CHANGE (.)
D COY NO CHANGE (.)

BRAVO (.) HF TONIGHT FROM GUMBANG, STASS AND PEJIRU (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.)

D COY MINUS II PL R T B (.)

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ROUTINE 081830 H BY POST

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

FROM : 4 RAR
TO : WEST BDE
COMPOL KUCHING
2/7 GR
1 RENJER

INFO : 2 SAS E COY 3 PFF
MIO KUCHING COMD DIARY (3)
GLO KUCHING INTERNAL (4)
V BTY (3) BDE FLT
132 BTY

SITREP No 44 from 071800 H to 081800 H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A COY MINUS 1 PL GUMBANG (.) 1 PL TRINGGUS (.)
B COY MINUS 6 PL STASS (.) 6 PL AT 90280523 AND
90250513 (.) C COY COMPLETE AT BOKAH (.) D COY
NO CHANGE (.)

BRAVO (.) HF TONIGHT FROM GUMBANG cmm STASS AND PEJURU

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ROUTINE	07 1815 H	BY POST
		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
FROM: 4 RAR		SECRET
		ORIGINATORS NUMBER
TO: WEST BDE COMPOL KUCHING 2/7 GR 1 RENJER		K 30
INFO: 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING V BTY (3) 132 BTY	E COY 3 PFF COMD DIARY (3) INTERNAL (4) BDE FLT	

Sitrep No 43 from 061800H to 071800H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A Coy no change (.) B Coy no change (.) C Coy
BOKAH (.) D Coy no change (.) Tracker Pl OLD BAU (.)

BRAVO (.) HF tonight from GUMBANG, BEJIRU and STASS (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) 1 PL relieve 2 Pl at TRINGGUS (.)
4 Pl RTB (.)

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PRECEDENCE INFO

DATE TIME GROUP
06 1845 H

FROM: 4 RAR

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
1 RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO: 2 SAS SQN E COY 3 PFF
MIO KUCHING COMD DIARY (3) ✓
GLO KUCHING INTERNAL (4)
V BTY (3) BDE FLT
132 BTY

SITREP No 42 from 051800H to 061800H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A Coy no change (.) B Coy minus 4 Pl in base (.)
4 Pl ambush 89730528 (.) C Coy conc BOKAH (.) D Coy (.)
HQ 89930461 (.) 10 Pl 89930461 (.) 11 Pl 89670479 (.)
12 Pl 89770435 (.) Tracker Pl OLD BAU (.)

BRAVO (.) HF tonight from GUMBANG STASS and PEJIRU

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ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE INFO

DATE TIME GROUP
05 1845 H

FROM: 4 RAR

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
1 RENJER
COM-OL KUCHING

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

INFO: 2 SAS SQN LOC BTY
MIO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
GLO KUCHING COMD DIARY (3)
V BTY (3) INTERNAL (4)
132 BTY BDE FLT

SITREP No 41 from 041800 to 051800 H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) reports of en arty fire as submitted during night (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) Locs (.) A Coy minus 2 Pl in base (.) 2 Pl 90890364 (.) RRB at
G. API (.) B Coy minus 4 Pl in base (.) 4 Pl at 89670522 and
89670532 (.) C Coy (.) HQ 89950464 (.) 7 Pl
89930460 (.) 8 Pl (.) 89620479 (.) 9 Pl
89720431 (.) D Coy (.) complete O/D BAU

BRAVO (.) NO HF tonight

CHARLIE (.) D Coy relieve C Coy at SERIKIN (.) C Coy return to BOKAH

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PRECEDENCE ACTION PRIORITY	PRECEDENCE INFO ROUTINE	DATE TIME GROUP 031800H
		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET

FROM: 4 RAR

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
K 30

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
I RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

INFO: 2 SAS SQN LOC BTY
MIO KUCHING E COY 3 PFF
GLO KUCHING BDE FLT
V BTY (3) COMD DIARY (3) ←
132 Bty RA INTERNAL (4)

SITREP NO 39 FROM 021800 TO 031800 H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) NTR (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) ACOY NO CHANGE (.) B COY NO CHANGE (.)

C COY NO CHANGE (.) D COY NOW COMPLETE OLD BAU (.)

TRACKER PL AND ASLT PNR PL AT GUMBANG (.)

BRAVO (.) HF FROM GUMBANG (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) RETURN TRACKER PL TO

OLD BAU AND ASLT PNR SECS TO ORIGINAL LOCS AT GUMBANG CMM

STASS AND BOKAH //

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PRECEDENCE ACTION PRIORITY	PRECEDENCE INFO ROUTINE	DATE TIME GROUP 021845H
		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
FROM: 4 RAR		ORIGINATORS NUMBER K 30
TO: WEST BDE 2/7 GR I RENJER COMPOL KUCHING		
INFO: 2 SAS SQN MIO KUCHING GLO KUCHING V BTY (3) I32 BTY	LOC BTY E COY 3 PFF COMD DIARY (3) BDE FLT INTERNAL (4)	Bde Flt

SITREP No 38 from 011800 to 021800H (.)

ONE (.) EN (.) ref SITREP No 37 para ONE BRAVO (.) tracks still
unidentified (.) tracks lost area 90370418 (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A Coy minus 2 Pl GUMBANG (.) 2 Pl TRINGGUS (.)
B Coy minus 5 Pl STASS (.) 5 Pl 89700498 (.) C Coy NO change (.)
D Coy NO change (.) Tracker team (61) move to RED 444 (.)
Tracker team (61A) area 90460420 and mov (.)

BRAVO (.) NO HF tonight (.)

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) cont search area RED 444

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Annex E Enclosure 1-30 *45*

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PRECEDENCE ACTION
PRIORITY

PRECEDENCE INFO
ROUTINE

DATE TIME GROUP
011930 H

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
K 30

FROM 4 RAR

TO: WEST BDE
2/7 GR
I RENJER
COMPOL KUCHING

INFO: 2 SAS SQN
MIO KUCHING
GLO KUCHING
V BTY (3)
I32 BTY
LOC BTY
E COY 3 PFF
BDE FLT
COMD DIARY (3) ✓
INTERNAL (4)

SITREP No 37 from 311800H (May) to 011800H (Jun) (.)

ONE (.) EN (.)

ALPHA (.) AS REPORTED DURING NIGHT (.)

BRAVO (.) TRACKS FOR SMALL PARTY, EST LESS THAN 48 HRS OLD (.) LOC FROM
90340415 TO 90370418 (.) NO SIGNS TO INDICATE MIL PERS (.)
FOL UP CONTINUES TOMMORROW (.)

TWO (.) OWN FORCES (.)

ALPHA (.) LOCS (.) A COY MINUS 3 PL GUMBANG (.) 3 PL 90830368 (TRINGGUS)
(.) B COY MINUS 6 PL STASS (.) 6 PL 89770436 (.) C COY HQ AND
7 PL 89920462 (.) 8 PL 89600479 (.) 9 PL 89770435 (.)
COMPOSITE PL LEFT AT BOKAH (.) D COY MINUS TWO SECS OF 11 PL
OLD BAU (.) ONE SEC 90850464 AND ONE SEC AT 91230504 (.)
TRACKER TEAM (61) 90360416 (.) TRACKER TEAM (61A) 90520410 (.)
SEC PFF Kpg OPAR (.) SEC PFF DAHAN ESTATE 919049 (.)

BRAVO (.) NO HF TONIGHT

CHARLIE (.) FUTURE INTENTIONS (.) CHANGE OVER PL AT TRINGGUS (.)
CHANGE OVER 5 PL AND 6 PL (.) CONT FOLLOW UP AND SEARCH
FOR TRACKS

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LOCSTAT - 4 RARAs at 011800H Jun 66

Reference Map: Sarawak 1:50,000

1.

4 RAR

	<u>Base</u>	<u>Present Loc</u>	<u>Grid Ref</u>
a. Bn HQ	CAMBRAI Camp	Base	158558
b. <u>A Coy HQ</u>	GUMBANG	Base	079407
1 Pl	GUMBANG	Base	079407
2 Pl	GUMBANG	Base	079407
3 Pl	GUMBANG	Ptl	087361
c. <u>B Coy HQ</u>	STASS	Base	980536
4 Pl	STASS	Base	980536
5 Pl	STASS	Base	980536
6 Pl	STASS	Ptl	980545
d. <u>C Coy HQ</u>	BOKAH	Ptl	992462
7 Pl	BOKAH	Ptl	992462
8 Pl	BOKAH	Ptl	968479
9 Pl	BOKAH	Ptl	977435
20 men	BOKAH	Base	903645
e. <u>D Coy HQ</u>	OLD BAU CAMP	Base	164560
10 Pl	OLD BAU CAMP	Base	164560
11 Pl	OLD BAU CAMP	Base	164560
12 Pl	OLD BAU CAMP	Base	164560
f. <u>Sp Coy</u>			
Tracker Team No 1 plus Pnrs	OLD BAU CAMP	Ptl	036416
Tracker Team No 2 plus Pnrs	OLD BAU CAMP	Ptl	052410
2. H Sqn 5 RTR			
2 Tp	CAMBRAI CAMP		158558
3. V Bty 6 Lt Regt			
a. HQ	ARTILLERY CAMP		158558
b. Det 1 X 105 MM HOW	GUMBANG	Base	079407
/c. Det 1 X 105 MM HOW			

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- c. Det 1 X 105
MM HOW STASS Base 980536
- d. Det 1 X 105
MM HOW BOKAH GUMBANG 079407
- e. Det 1 X 105
MM HOW Arty Camp Base 158558
- f. F Tp 132
Med Bty
(2 guns) PEJIRU Base 096506
- 4. Det Loc Bty RA STASS Base 980536
- 5. 1 Tp 1 Sqn
(Malaysian Engrs) CAMERAI CAMP Base 158558
- 6. E Coy 3 MPFF BAU POLICE STA 165567
- 7. Border Scout
Reporting
Centres GUMBANG 079407
PEJIRU 096506
STASS 980536
BOKAH 903645
KROKONG 128507

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CC 4 RAR

Distribution

- HQ WLST Bde (2)
- V Bty
- E Coy FFF
- 1 Tp 1 Sqn Malaysian Engrs
- F Tp 132 Med Bty
- H Sqn 5 RTR
- Comds Diary (3)
- CC
- File

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Annex G to 4 RAR SG 11/66
dated 24 Jun 66

NIS AND ADDRESS GROUPS

1.	NIS	1-7 Jul	8-14 Jul	15-21 Jul	22-31 Jul	Spare
	4 RAR	XL	CK	GP	NO	PT
2.	ADDRESS GROUPS					
	LIST INDICATOR	MRL	NDP	BDK	DYA	TZM
	HQ WEST DDE	CKP	JGK	WCB	BQR	WPA
	4 RAR MAIN	GAW	NPR	KPT	AIP	CAT
	4 RAR REAR	GXM	ATO	CKP	CGD	BMG
	1 RENJERS	VYX	CAT	RXW	FMP	OLK
	2/7 GR	XYV	KAD	VGO	KCG	BUV
	1/10 GR	NFB	LCR	TZM	WVC	DYA
	1 RNZIR	MQV	FZL	FMR	DQG	FKX
	40 Lt Regt RA	BGY	JVD	GAW	DUP	TOF
	V Bty RA (129)	YOA	WRK	MRL	DAK	PZG
	248 Sig Sqn	KFM	DCO	TUA	UQL	WNT
	GLO KUCHING	MVN	VRA	RDV	WRK	YAM
	HSqn 5 RTR	CNV	JRT	ENB	BXA	NPR
	1 Tp 1 Sqn Malay Engrs	VLU	NDP	WMV	BMG	PUD
	2 SAS Sqn (Aust)	WKM	KIO	LVB	JGK	PLA
	MIO SARAWAK	YPX	JJL	BGY	LWB	JCN
	2/10 GR	UTW	BQR	VDR	DAU	DAK
	1 QUEENS OWN BUFFS	BNX	GMB	DOW	GWY	NDP

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1. To be used only on 4 RAR and Admin nets..

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1	16	-	-	56	-	21	80	50	-
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3	76	6	53	-	-	51	8	-	59
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5	5	73	-	17	18	-	16	-	26
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7	72	10	-	9	58	-	54	15	60
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5	26	57	55	65	-	38	21	45	28
6	-	43	-	32	42	67	-	-	48
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220001 - 312359H Jul

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4	48	74	-	47	-	81	63	-	46
5	-	53	66	-	89	-	84	85	77
6	-	80	-	41	-	56	-	51	-
7	43	-	79	86	62	71	45	83	60
8	-	75	52	-	78	-	88	-	69
9	67	44	-	57	-	61	-	70	-

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AIRCRAFT CODES

All times change 2400 hours on dates mentioned.

AIRCRAFT	21Jul-24Jul	24Jul-27Jul	27Jul-31Jul
ARGOSY	FOOTSTEP	SEGMENT	JOYRIDE
AUSTER	BOWLING	RAGBOLT	CROW BAR
BEAVER	TOOTHRUSH	TEXTILE	WISDOM
BELVEDERE	CATMINT FOXTROT	FELICITY GOLF	CATMINT CHARLIE
BEVERLY	REDWING	BLOATER	KITBAG
BRISTOL FRT	PITPROP	VORTEX	QUILLPEN
CAMERA	INSECT	JACKBOOT	REDWING
HASTINGS	CROW BAR	WET BOB	HIGH JACK
JAVELIN	VINEYARD	LEGTAP	PITPROP
SERE	EGGSPOON	PADLOCK	EGGSPOON
SCOUT	CATMINT ALPHA	FELICITY FOXTROT	CATMINT HOTEL
SHACKLETON	YEAR PLAN	QUEERS STREET	LIME POT
SIOUX	CATMINT KILO	FELICITY HOTEL	CATMINT HOTEL
WESSEX5	CATMINT HOTEL	FELICITY ALPHA	CATMINT KILO
WHIRLWIND 7	CATMINT BRAVO	FELICITY ECHO	CATMINT GOLF
WHIRLWIND 10	CATMINT CHARLIE	FELICITY DELTA	CATMINT ECHO
VOICE TEP	KITBAG	UPSET	TOOTHBRUSH
S 1	MONGOOSE	DOGSTAR	OUTLAW
S 2	GOLDRUSH	CANDID	DRAGNET
HUNTER	TIN TACK	PAN MAIL	YEAR PLAN

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AIRCRAFT CODES

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AIRCRAFT	30 Jun-3 Jul	3 Jul-6 Jul	6 Jul-9 Jul
ARGOSY	END PLAY	CATMINT	ALCOVE
AUSTER	SEGMENT	TOOTH BRUSH	WIRTEX
BEAVER	BE MELLOW	SILKWORK	TEXTILE
BELVEDERE	RAGBOLT ECHO	VINEYARD ALPHA	KINDRED JULIET
BEVERLY	KINDRED	FIT PROP	TOOLKIT
BRISTOL FRT	TOOLKIT	CROW BAR	GASPIPE
CANBERRA	UPSET	HIGH JACK	CANDID
HASTINGS	LEGRAP	EGGSPON	END PLAY
JAVELIN	INLAW	MONGOOSE	UPSET
SABRE	FELICITY	BOWLINE	FELICITY
SCOUT	RAGBOLT BRAVO	VINEYARD GOLF	KINDRED FOXTROT
SHACKLETON	ORCHID	GOLD RUSH	ORCHID
SICUX	RAGBOLT ALPHA	VINEYARD FOXTROT	KINDRED KILO
WESSEX 5	RAGBOLT CHARLIE	VINEYARD HOTEL	KINDRED GOLF
WHIRLWIND 7	RAGBOLT HOTEL	VINEYARD KILO	KINDRED ALPHA
WHIRLWIND 10	RAGBOLT DELTA	VINEYARD JULIET	KINDRED ECHO
VOICE TEP	FAN MAIL	INSECT	LEG TRAP
S 1	JACKBOOT	FOOTSTEP	INLAW
S 2	GASPIPE	QUILLPEN	JACKBOOT
HUNTER	QUEER STREET	DRAGNET	BLOATER

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AIRCRAFT CODES

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AIRCRAFT	9Jul-12Jul	12Jul-15Jul	15Jul-18Jul	18 Jul-21 Jul
ARGOSY	CATMINT	ORCHID	CROW BAR	JACK BOOT
AUSTER	INSECT	VORTEX	DRAGNET	INLAW
BEAVER	TIN TACK	JACKBOOT	REDWING	TEXTILE
BELVEDERE	OUTLAW CHARLIE	TOOLKIT DELTA	UNSCREW ALPHA	VORTEX HOTEL
BEVERLY	FOOTSTEP	WETBOB	LIMEPIT	DOG STAR
BRISTOL FRT	WISDOM	SEGMENT	JOYRIDE	LEGRAP
CANBERRA	YEARPLAN	FELICITY	WISDOM	WET BOB
HASINGS	DRAGNET	KINDRED	HIGHJACK	UPSET
JAVELIN	GOLD RUSH	TEXTILE	YEARPLAN	GASPIPE
SABRE	QUILLPEN	YASHMAK	GOLDRUSH	ALCOVE
SCOUT	OUTLAW JULIET	TOOLKIT ECHO	UNSCREW CHARLIE	VORTEX GOLF
SHACKLETON	CROWBAR	BLOATER	CATMINT	FAN MAIL
SICUX	OUTLAW FOXTROT	TOOLKIT GOLF	UNSCREW HOTEL	VORTEX BRAVO
WESSEX 5	OUTLAW BRAVO	TOOLKIT ALPHA	UNSCREW GOLF	VORTEX CHARLIE
WHIRLWIND 7	OUTLAW ECHO	TOOLKIT HOTEL	UNSCREW JULIET	VORTEX DELTA
WHIRLWIND 10	OUTLAW GOLF	TOOLKIT KILO	UNSCREW BRAVO	VORTEX FOXTROT
VOICE TEP	HIGHJACK	PASLOCK	SILK WORM	BLOATER
S1	PITPROP	ALCOVE	TINTACK	HARPOON
S 2	TOOTHBRUSH	INLAW	EGG SPOON	MELLOW
HUNTER	MONGOOSE	GASPIPE	FOOTSTEP	QUEER STREET

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PLACE NAMES - INDONESIA - OPPOSITE BAU - ENCODE

763547	HADJI	HOT FOOT
907543	KAIK	TORCH SINGER
831535	SEPARAN	RACE TRACK
855533	MASKERTAS	DOUBLE MARCH
855538	Sg SEPARAN	LAST EDITION
875538		WILLY NILLY
882536	K BABANG	SILK STOCKING
786529	POERI	TOWN HALL
873527		MARK TIME
875510	BELIDA	SURF SIDE
904518	KINDAU	FINE TIME
933510	BERUBAY (OR) BI	BLOCK BUSTER
888494	BENDA (OLD)	PICTURE FRAME
924477	BABANG	IRON ORE
913476	Sg TEPOI	STRAIGHT LINE
929466	KORUH	DINKY DOO
8545	PISANG	HYDE PARK
904454	RISAU Kpg	MESS HUT
920451	RISAU CAMP	LOVERS LANE
8543	TEBERAU	BEAKS BREAK
837415	SILUAS	HIRED GUN
842411	BANGUM	ORDERLY DOG
8939	TAPAP	SNAKES EYES
9539	S. KOEMBA	ROUGH RIDE
9839	PULAU RUNDANG	BIG SERVE
9938	MAJA	CROSS ROADS
0035	SIDING	TIN SHED
0333	S. BADOENG	EARLY DAWN
8832	TADAN	BULL ANT
9630	SEBOEDJIT	SILLT POINT
0229	KAPOET	BACK STOP

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PLACE NAMES - INDONESIA - OPPOSITE BAU

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<u>NICKNAME</u>	<u>GRID REF</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
BACK STOP	0229	KAPOET
BEAKS BREAK	8543	TEBERAU
BIG SERVE	9839	PULAU RUNDANG
BLOCK BUSTER	933510	BRUBAY CR BI
BULL ANT	8832	TADAN
CROSS ROADS	9938	MAJA
DINKY DC	929466	KORUH
DOUBLE MARCH	855533	MASKERTAS
EARLY DAWN	0333	S. BABOENG
FINE TIME	904518	KINDAU
HIRED GUN	837415	SILUAS
HOT FOOT	763 547	HADJI
HYDE PARK	8545	PISANG
IRON ORE	924477	BABANG
LAST EDITION	855538	S. SEPARAN
LOVERS LANE	920451	RISAU CAMP
MARK TIME	873527	
MESS HUT	904454	RISAU Kpg
ORDERLY DOG	842411	BANGUM
PICTURE FRAME	888494	BENDA (OLD)
RACE TRACK	831535	SEPARAN
ROUGH RIDE	9539	S. KOEMBA
SILK STOCKING	882536	K. BABANG
SILLY POINT	9630	SEBOEDJIT
SNAKES EYES	8939	TAPAP
STRAIGHT LINE	913476	S. TEPOI
SURF SIDE	875510	BELIDA
TIN SHED	0035	SIDING
TORCH SINGER	907453	KAIK
TOWN HALL	786520	POERI
WILLY NILLY	875538	

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PLACE NAMES - BAU AREA
DECODE

<u>NEW NICKNAME</u>	<u>DECODE</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
APPLE SAUCE	0157	OPAR 2
BACON SNAP	0950	PEJIRU
BED DOWN	0641	Bt KNUCKLE Ptl base
BENT SHAFT	0445	G KISAM
BODY PUNCH	0050	SEBUBOK
BOOF HEAD	079407	GUMBANG
BUTTER SNAP	9059	RASAU
CHANGE GEAR	2049	DAHANG ESTATE
CHICKEN BROTH	0351	SERASOT
CHIP BANJO	0758	OPAR 1
CLICKEY CLICK	0443	DUYOH
COOKED RICE	0056	SKEBANG
DATE PALM	096506	PEJIRU
DEEP WATER	0941	PANG TERBANG
DIGGERS REST	9543	G BRUNEI
FISH NET	0963	JUGAN
GARDEN PATH		BUNGO RANGE
GOAL POST	0734	Kpg SANG
GRILLED STEAK	1359	GROGO
GUM LEAF	137495	RRB
HEY YOU	9643	G JAGOI
HIGH FLY	0147	SEREBAK
HOT CURRY	1457	SUBU DAU
HUNTING HORN	0649	BOGAG
INDIAN BRAVE	0933	MATANG
JAM ROLL	0052	NGELUNAS
LIE LOW	903645	BOKAH
LONG WAIT	8761	RASAU LANANG
LOOSE END	164560	BAU - Old camp
LOST COUNT	1250	KROKONG
LUMBER JACK	0738	BADUD
MID ON	0540	Kpg GUMBANG
PAPER GLIDER	1643	G TEGORA
PARTY NIGHT	980536	STASS
PORK CHOP	3159	BATU KINTANG
ROTTEN EGG	0540	G API
SHEEP RUN	9157	G RAYA
SHORT STOP	1045	PEDAUN UN - BAWAH
SPEAR HEAD	003465	SEKERAN
SMART COOKIE	1960	BUSO
TENSE SPRING	0846	MAUNG
THUNDER STORM	087365	TRINGGUS
TIP TRUCK	1154	SUBA DAUN
TOMATO SOUP	1252	Bt KAPOR
WEARY BOY	1243	PEDAUN UN - ATAS
WILD PIG	9461	Kpg STUNGKOR
WIRTHS CIRCUS	158558	BAU CAMBRAI

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PLACE NAMES - BAU AREA - EN CODE

	<u>Grid Ref</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>New Nickname</u>
1	903645	BOKAH	LIE LOW
2	0963	JUGAN	FISH NET
3	8761	RASAU LALANG	LONG WAIT
4	9461	Kpg STUNGKOR	WILD PIG
5	1960	BUSO	SMART COOKIE
6	9059	RASAU	BUTTER SNAP
7	1359	GROGO	GRILLED STEAK
8	3159	BATU KINTANG	PORK CHOP
9	0758	OPAR I	CHIP BANJO
10	9157	G. RAYA	SHEEP RUN
11	0157	OPAR 2	APPLE SAUCE
12	1457	SUBA BAU	HOT CURRY
13	0056	SKEBANG	COOKED RICE
14	164560	BAU OLD CAIR	LOOSE END
15	158558	BAU - CAMBRAI	WIRTHS CIRCUS
16	1154	SUBA BAUN	TIP TRUCK
17	980536	STASS	PARTY NIGHT
18	0052	NGELUNAS	JAM ROLL
19	1252	Bt KAPOR	TOMATO SOUP
20	0351	SILASOT	CHICKEN BROTH
21	096506	PEJIRU	DATE RRLM
22	0050	SEBUBOK	BODY PUNCH
23	0950	PEJIRU	BACON SNAP
24	1250	KROKONG	LOST COUNT
25	0649	BOGAG	HUNTING HORN
26	137495	RRB	GUM LEAF
27	2049	DAHANG ESTATE	CHANGE GEAR
28	9648	G. JAGOI	HEY YOU
29	0448	DUYOH	CLICKEYTY CLICK
30	0147	SEKERA	HIGH FLY
31	003465	SEKERAN	SPEAR HEAD
32	0846	MAUNG	TENSE SPRING
33	0445	G. KISAM	BENT SHAFT
34	1045	PEDAU UN-BAWAH	SHORT STOP
35	9543	G. BRUNEI	DIGGERS REST
36	1243	PEDAU UN-ATAS	WEARY BOY
37	1643	G. TEGOREA	PAPER GLIDER
38	0641	Bt KNUCKLE ptl base	BED DOWN
39	0941	PANG TERBANG	DEEP WATER
40	0540	Kpg GUMBANG	MID ON
41	0540	G. API	ROTTEN EGGS
42		BUNGO RANGE	GARDEN PATH
43	079407	GUMBANG	BOOF HEAD
44	0738	BADUD	LUMBER JACK
45	087365	TRINNGUS	THUNDER STORM
46	0734	Kpg SANG	GOAL POST
47	0933	MATANG	INDIAN BRAVE

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BORDER CROSSING POINTS

<u>Grid Reference</u>	<u>Number</u>
930562	P1
939555	P2
954549	P3
957540	P4
963532	P5
961525	P6
960520	P7
954515	P8
959503	P9
965495	P10
963479	Q1
965466	Q2
968453	Q3
974432	Q4
997430	Q5
003428	Q6
014425	B1
028413	R2
036408	R3
043406	R4
048398	R5
048395	R6
054397	R7
065395	R8
071385	R9
073367	S1
072362	S2
065351	S3
062346	S4
064342	S5
102325	S8
066334	S6
097330	S7
108321	S9

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NICKNAMES

1. Close down

- a. Time changes 0001 on the days mentioned.
- b. Used only on 4 RAR Comd and Admin net.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Nickname</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Nickname</u>
1 Jul	PAINT PIN	17 Jul	SPARKS CHOICE
2 Jul	FLING OFF	18 "	HIDE AWAY
3 "	NOON TIDE	19 "	EMPTY DAY
4 "	FEELIIG LOW	20 "	RIGID TORTURE
5 "	SCAR FACE	21 "	PETROL CAN
6 "	TOE STRING	22 "	MOUTH SPRAY
7 "	ZANY DAY	23 "	HEAVEN ALONE
8 "	HORROR HOUSE	24 "	ANGEL FACE
9 "	MAD DOG	25 "	BACK SCRAPE
10 "	PLUME SPRAY	26 "	GONE HOME
11 "	BATTED UP	27 "	MISTY NITE
12 "	ROUND HOUSE	28 "	ROCK FACE
13 "	TABLE MAT	29 "	DIME SHINE
14 "	FLIGHT PATH	30 "	RAG DOLL
15 "	HOT SEAT	31 "	FILLED OUT
16 "	PAJAMA STRING		

2.	<u>RADIO SILENCE</u>	<u>IMPOSING</u>	<u>LIFTING</u>	<u>BREAKING</u>
	010800 - 072359	GAITER STRAP	BATTLE SHIP	SMOKE DOME
	080001 - 142359	BOOT LEATHER	CRUISE HIGH	BUTT FIGHT
	150001 - 212359	SHINY BUCKLE	SEA SPRAY	MILKY WAY
	220001 - 312359	EYE CATCHER	WOODEN STOP	LOVED ONES

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VOICE CODE

This code offers low level security and may be used at any level within 4 RAR. It will NOT be prefixed by any word and will NOT be used in conjunction with any code except Griddle.

	010800H to 080800H Jul	080800H to 150800H Jul	150800H to 220800H Jul	220800H (Jul) to 010800H Aug
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AMBUSH	GG	PP	ZZ	II
ARTY (OR MOR)	CC	WW	FF	KK
BORDER (SCOUTS)	TT	YY	LL	JJ
DAY	BB	FF	UU	LL
EAST	SS	NN	VV	AA
ENEMY	UU	QQ	BB	HH
FRIEND (LY)	EE	BB	YY	SS
INVESTIGATE (D) (ING)	WW	VV	PP	TT
KILLED	MM	CC	GG	RR
LOCATION	HH	AA	TT	BB
MOVEMENT/MOVING/MOVE	VV	EE	JJ	QQ
MY	FF	DD	XX	GG
NIGHT	YY	OO	AA	XX
NORTH	NN	GG	KK	MM
NTR	OO	MM	WW	CC
OBSERVATION POST	II	XX	EE	WW
PATROL BASE (CAMP)	XX	JJ	OO	FF
RV	PP	LL	HH	ZZ
SAS	LL	HH	NN	PP
SOUTH	DD	SS	QQ	NN
TRACK (S)	KK	ZZ	DD	DD
TRADER (S) (ING)	QQ	KK	MM	EE
WARN (ED) (ING)	AA	II	SS	DD
WEST	ZZ	UU	RR	YY
WOUNDED	RR	TT	CC	UU
YOU (YOUR)	JJ	RR	II	VV

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SLIDEX

1. HORIZONTAL

AP OI UX JN TV CK SB HD GR LE QW FM

VERTICAL

TW FR L Q A KV JM X CE S GI N B PU D OZ HY

2. HORIZONTAL

NP SV CM EQ LU AK DO BJ FI GR HT WX

VERTICAL

MV GW TE X LH SC N R D IU AF O KB Y P Q JZ

3. HORIZONTAL

CX EG AH FD BV RP TW KQ OL SI NM JU

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AR Q BS P C T OZ DU NY E VM F L GW KH XJ I

4. HORIZONTAL

FS HX EQ GR DT LP IU CK NW OB JM VA

VERTICAL

H RD UG WF PT B V QK XA SN ZI O C L YJ E M

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GRIDDLE

1. DATUM POINTS

- 1. 7947
- 2. 9348
- 3. 9529
- 4. 1142

EASTINGS: X G S N R C I L B O H Z A T J Q D V M P E U K W F Y
 NORTHINGS G X N V A U M Y F T O H Q B S K P E I C R L W D Z J

2. DATUM POINTS

- 1. 8047
- 2. 9447
- 3. 9628
- 4. 1241

EASTINGS: E W L V A U K T F S J Y B X M O G P I N C Q H R D Z
 NORTHINGS Z O P N Q M R L S K T J U I V H W G X F Y E D C B A

3. DATUM POINTS

- 1. 8048
- 2. 9347
- 3. 9629
- 4. 1242

EASTINGS: K S A I E Z O C L H X P Y J T F W N R D V Q G U B M
 NORTHINGS P S N Q H Z J L I K F B D A E C G U R O M T V X Y W

4. DATUM POINTS

- 1. 8046
- 2. 9448
- 3. 9528
- 4. 1141

EASTINGS: N X P E L H Y O C M D I G U B W K F Q A S J W T E Z
 NORTHINGS N W P F M A Y G U B Q K Z E O H S C T L J X R D V I

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CODES

1. Codes to be used are :-
 - a. Lettercode and P hour - Appx I
 - b. Griddle - Appx II
 - c. Slidex - Appx III
 - d. Voice Code - Appx IV

2. Passwords are not issued by this or higher HQ.

Appendix I to Annex C to 4 RAR SG 11/66 dtd 24 Jun 66

LETTERCODE - P HOUR

010800H (Jul 66)	-	080800H (Jul 66)	LONG SEARCH	- 0630
080800H	-	150800 H	BROAD SLUNG	- 1000
150800H	-	220800 H	DAYS LENGTH	- 0800
220800H	-	010800 H (Aug 66)	MONKEY HATS	- 0730

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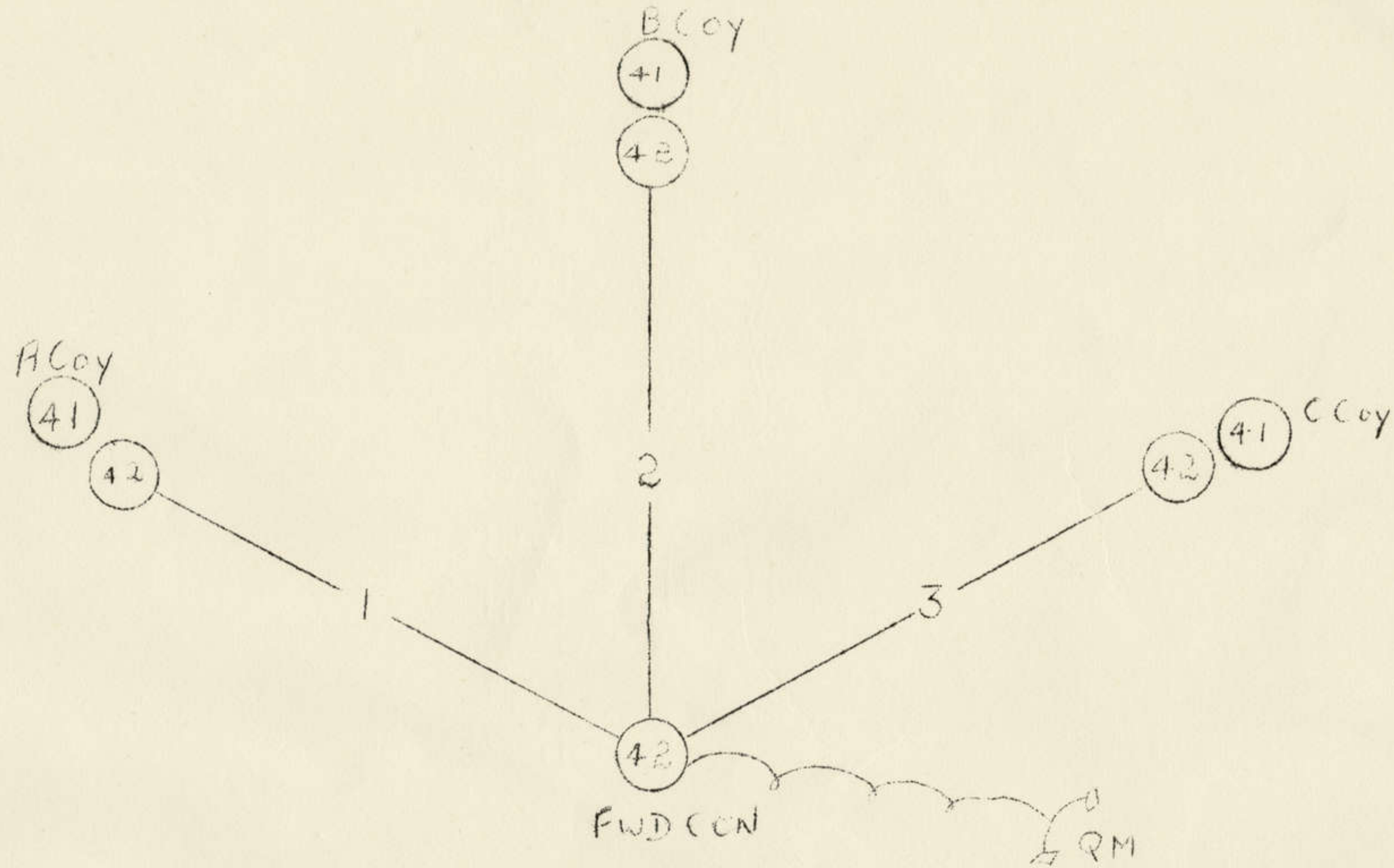
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<u>VHF</u>			
1770	39:9 mcs	Spare	DOG BIT
1821	45:2 mcs	4 RAR Comd Net primary	QUICK DRAW
1791	42:2 mcs	Spare	BRIGHT MIST
688	40:7 mcs	4 RAR Comd Net secondary	POOR HEART
1816	44:7 mcs	Spare	FLY HIGH
1795	42:6 mcs	4 RAR Admin Net	BATH TUB
1778	41:1 mcs	Air to Ground	SOUP SPOON
1828	46:1 mcs	4 RAR Comd Net reserve	RESERVE SEAT
1850	47:9 mcs	Spare	GAS BURNER
<u>HF</u>			
1581	6200 kcs	Spare	CRAP GAME
1397	3690 kcs	Spare	MOON SHINE
1507	5040 kcs	A Coy	ZIP STRIP
1537	5425 kcs	B Coy	RULE LOW
1296	2245 kcs	C Coy	COW BELL
1573	5925 kcs	Supply Drop (1)	PAPER THIN
1405	3710 kcs	Supply Drop (2)	BURNT OUT
1405 Common User	4005 kcs Freqs Channel - A40A	4 RAR Admin Net	TRY TWICE
1	47:0 mcs	A Coy	ISOLATION POST
2	47:4 mcs	B Coy	BIG SPENDER
3	47:6 mcs	C Coy	MOVIE MAKER
4	47:2 mcs	Spare	BLISS HOPE
5	48:5 mcs	Mor Sec GUMBANG	NEW MOON
6	54:2 mcs	D Coy	HOPEFUL TIMES
AACB 1.	47:0 mcs	A Coy	ISOLATION POST
2	47:4 mcs	B Coy	BIG SPENDER
3	47:6 mcs	C Coy	MOVIE MAKER
4	47:8 mcs	Spare	NICE TIME
5	52:6 mcs	Mor Sec BOKAH	INK STAIN
6	54:4 mcs	Mor Sec STASS	ROAST MAN

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4 RAR ADMIN NET RADIO DIAGRAM
Correct to 010800H Jul



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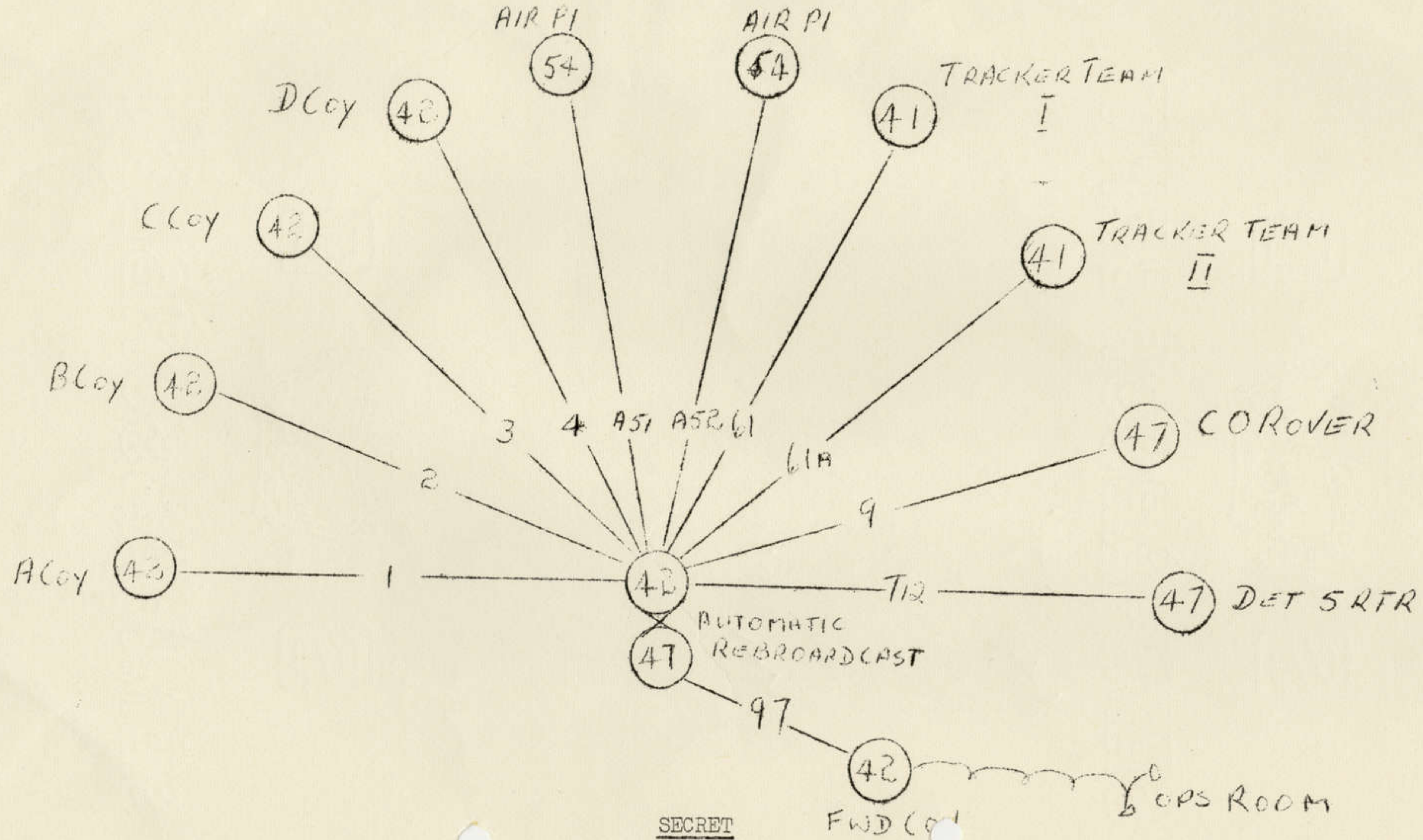
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4 RAR COMMAND NET RADIO DIAGRAM
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4 RAR SIGNALS INSTRUCTION 11/66 1-31 JUL 66
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General

1. This instruction comes into effect wef 010800H Jul.
2. 4 RAR SG 7/66 is cancelled wef 010800H Jul.

Radio

3. No change from 4 RAR SG 4/66.
4. Check Nct 0745 hrs daily.
5. Time check 0730 hrs daily.
6. Radio diagrams Annex A1 and A2.

Communication Security

7. Codes Annex 'C'.
8. Close down and radio silence Annex D1.
9. Border crossing points Annex D2.
10. Place names Annex D3.

Annexes

- A1. 4 RAR Comd Net Radio Diagram.
- A2. 4 RAR Admin Net Radio Diagram.
- B. Frequency allocation.
- C. Codes.
- D1. Close down and radio silence.
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To Sigs Offr 4 RAR

I certify that 4 RAR SIGNALS INSTRUCTION No 28.11.79 has/have been destroyed by burning.

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4 RAR SIGNALS INSTRUCTION 11/16, 1 - 31 Jul 66

1. Delete detail of para 2 Annex 'C'.
2. Insert new para 2.

<u>PASSWORD</u>	<u>PERIOD - 1 - 31 Jul</u>
CHANNEL FLIPPER	010800H to 080800H (Jul 66)
MOTHERS DELIGHT	080800H to 150800H
SMELLY SOCK	150800H to 220800H
BLUNT NEEDLE	220800H to 010800H (Aug 66)

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 Capt for
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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Initials of Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
12				HEARTS & MINDS - SIOUX tasking for boy to LUNDU - to see sick sister of 4 yrs.	8 FIXED	
13	1245	X	C Coy	7pl in this loc now	Plotted	
14	1345	X	E Coy PFF	Investigations of TIGUDONG/ATTAS and SIBURUH. NIL strange	For CO	
15	1655	X	Pioneers	Ref locstat datum point 037602 for resup		
16	1700	X	Pioneers	Ref resup. Will cut heli and stores will have to be winched in. Will use smoke if necessary.	Use smoke	
17	1752	X	C Coy	SITREP. 7pl BOKAH. 9pl ni ambush 932599.		
18	1800	X	B,D Coy	SITREP 64. 2 less 22 RED 42. 22 917573. 43 RED 42. 41 and 42 NO change. D. 21 relieves 42. Patrol base .		
19	1810	X	Pioneers	SITREP. B. LOCSTAT 037602. Require water resup with stores if possible. Posn of LS to be 037603.	Water resup to be arranged	

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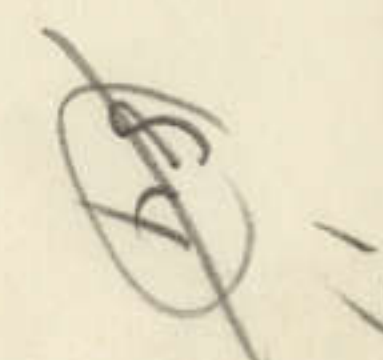
Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Initials of Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	0830	B Coy	X	CO visiting your loc approx 0845 hrs		
2	0830	X	C Coy	Require approval reg C3, C5, C6, C7, C8 and C9 on morning 2 Jul. Any info on commencement	Reg fwd awaiting approval ref HF discuss with CO	
3	0845	B, C coy	X	Clearance approved for arty fire (STASS and PEJIRU). 1,000 yds NORTH and SOUTH of RAYA ridge from 94 to 07 EASTINGS. Time 0900H to 1200H on 1 and 2 Jul. Warn locals in particular OPAR I, OPAR II STUNGKOR and STINGGANG. Advise if NOT possible. ACK.		
4.		3, 62	X	After B, CO to C, then Pnr.		
5	0950	X	CCCoy	We will warn STUNGKOR and STINGGANG about shooting 1/2 Jul.	B Coy ACK.	
6.	1020	X	B Coy	CO leaving	C Coy advised	
7	1025	X	D Coy	Arty - ONE pl - RED 552 - cannot info OPAR I (0758)	Police to warn OPAR D/B told	
8	1102	62	C Coy	CO on way		
9	1125	X	B Coy	12 pl complete at STASS		
10		X	1 st Div	NNO DIVEC on Mon 4 Jul. Next on 11 Jul		
11	1236	X	OLLIE	Missing boat (17 Jun) found drifting at SELAMPIT.(8270). NO CLUES.		

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
41	1330	X	2	C/S43 to be changed tomorrow - C/S22 to relieve 43 Both strs 26 - S/R9 has agreed.		
42	1400	X	3	Propose C/S32 Ptl base will continue task - Ref task C/S32 did not.		
43	1405	X	3	C/S31 RTB tomorrow.		
44	1440	3	X	For S/R3 - his proposals OK.		
45	1510	3	X	For S/R3 - assessment of en ni 26/27 accepted as correct by all ¹		
46		X	2	LOCSTAT B COY - STASS - 41 as given - 42/43 no change. C (.) NIL (.) D (.) NER (.) all activities and info on last ni passed by RSO.		
47	1805	X	3	SITREP (.) 31 investigated area 908627 - 911614- 916627 - NER - ni ambush 924634 - 33 934600 - ni ambush when aval - ack 50 rats due traps due Thursday- warning to all rats - STAY LOOSE -		
48	1814	X	62	SITREP from 281800 to 291800 - A NIL - Locstat no change - N587 arrived this loc today - C/D Nil.		
49	1835	X	3	Ref tasking - Ser 9 - any answer on duplication - Yes - B Coy wou 2 spare PAX.		
50	2115	4RAR	129 Bty	SHELLDRAKE party required to be moved from 40 to 552 with 10 Pl - Present position with 12 Pl not suitable for FOO tasks in present ops.		



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DATE... 26 June 66
SHEET NO 141

Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
25	0946	X	2A	F HOTEL left with last C/S41		
26	0959	X	3	C/S1 complete this loc.		
27	1016	X	1A	C/s61 and 43 not linked - C/S61 dropped EAST.		
28	1028	X	2A	C/S61 and 43 linked.		
29	1033	X	2A	C/S61 should have confirmatory info in 15 mins.		
30	1042	2A	X	Report when S/R 2 your loc.		
31	1105	2A	2A	S/R2 this loc		
32	1109	X	2A	C/S2 complete this loc		
33	1114	X	3	Firing my loc 1130 hrs today.		
34	1124	X	4	Checked one set negative - awaiting 61A report.		
35				PFF to check for info - PLAMAMAN, TIGUDDONG, SIBURU, ADDIS and area WEST and NORTH SEGONG, ATAS, MUN, TANJONG, SUGEH SEPETA.	Passed to 2/7 GR and PFF	
36	1210 1210	X	4	61 findings negative, Sunray 9 wants them withdrawn, It will take them 60 minutes to get to R567.		
37	1216	4	X	C/S61 to move to R567 - to report when they are in position.		
38	1217		2	From C/S61- str 10 men and 1 dog - have yellow smoke if required.		
39	1225			A Coy in OLD BAU		
40	1300	X	2	C/S61 now secure R567		

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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
12	0215	X	D	Ammo resup - 7:62 ball about 130 - 5:56 ball about 100- Flares gd M 2 - 36M and dets 2 - Elective dets 5 - Hand flares 3 - Not urgent but would be appreciated.		
13	0624	X 1	1 X	Can we carry on as planned. Yes - move to C/S3- C/S11 definately coming out - Remainder may be required - will info when 43 finds something.		
14	0640	X	D	12P1 have not found any "bodies" - loc tracks for 5 75 metres from perimeter - Tracks head SOUTH.		
15	0710	X	D	61 and 43 now in radio contact.		
16	0810	X	G3 AIR	S/R9 and Acorn (Bde) to 42 & arrange move S/R to 40- Acorn to OASIS or 80 -		
17	0837	3	X	C/S43 loc DP3.		
18	0840	2A	X	C/S61 - linked with 43 - Now under your Comd.		
19	0847	X	2A	C/S61 - C/S 43 not linked - C/S61 dropped right of loc - will info .		
20	0852	X	3	C/s11 arriving loc now.		
21	0858	X	3	C/S12 complete this loc.		
22	0911	X	2A	C/S2 complete R55.		
23	0919	2A	A11C	First 4 C/S41 in loc.		
24	0925	X	2A	C/S61 error in placement -R567- now moving area C/S43 from EAST.		

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	0014	D	X	C/S41 will be put into R552 at first light flying tomorrow - C/S 61 will be put into R567 -		
2	0016	D	X	SIOUX - Lt Brett + Duty Offr will arrive your loc by 0730 to obtain complete report - then return		
3	0020	X	D	Have spoken to S/R43 - no further mov since firing.		
4	0021	X	Arty	Further mov reported WEST of 43.		
5	0024	D	X	Arty may not fire West of last tgt - this on direction		
6	0026	62	X	When will IP be ready - IP will take Belvedered now.		
7	0031	X	D	C/S43 reported mov 50-100mtr SOUTH of their loc - mov WEST - S/R with them - en mov stealthily		
8	0040	X	D	Mov to S of 43 - now 30 metres - mov NORTH - if one was hit suspect they are coming back for it.		
9	0056	X	D	43 just thrown grenade - into area of "body" - fired a couple of bursts - waiting for further details.		
10	0121	X	D	Nothing FIR - still on full alert - everything appears to have quietened down at this stage.		
11	0142	X	D	Appears to be quietened down - 42 - 50%, 43 still 100% No confirmation of en - SMITH is convinced they were en - Do not think they were pigs as pigs would have departed on first shot. 43 have been this area for 4 days and not fired at pigs before. 43 will check area at 1st light and if they find anything, will not follow up, but wait for 61 - 43 have been warned as follow up for 61 if nec - Do not propose to move 42 at this stage - the sit should become more clear at 1st light - Do not expect anymore activity- and the quiet ni appears to be over -		GOOD NIGHT


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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
85	2341	X	B 62	Request locstat 43 ¹		
86	2343	D	X	Heard report from Arty net that when 43 put up a flare, en fired back.		
87	2347	X	D	Fire was not returned. One member on auto wpn sure that when fire opened up, something ran, and it was shot.		
88	2352	X	D	Can you confirm mov EAST, last heard mov rapidly EAST.		
89	2358	D	X	HF to fire onto 928578 929575.		
90	2358	X	D	Have members 400 yds short of 929575 - is this wise.		
91	0001	D	X	New GR for IC - 932577 - Do you agree - YES.		
92		X	D	Have rpts of mov to SOUTH - will send more details.		
93	0006	X	D	From 43 - Movement approx 400 yds to SE - on bearing 140°		
94	0007	X	Arty	IC/ID shot - 10 rds FFE		



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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
73	2217	X	D	It appears definite en - voices appeared to say "Hullo all Aussie soldiers" - maybe someone in sleep Will not fire unless definite target.		
74				He has not fired will seek permission first.		
75	2222	D	X	Not to fire unless CO gives approval.		
76	2229	D	X	Were voices heard when all of 43 were standing to Only heard by Pronto - cannot confirm by other members Movement appears to be cont.	No	
77	2235	X	D	Spoken to S/R 12P1 - Talking heard by 3 people - not people talking in theirsleep.		
78	2240	X	D	Appeared to come virtually from SOUTH, and WEST - along tracks - not see anyone - have both tracks covered.		
79	2255	Bde	Ops Offr	12 P1 - loc on G. RAYA - movement to W, and S, -		
80	2319	X	D	S/R43 has heard movement - not seen anyone - requested fire .		
81	2320	X	D	Not as yet - are they this side of border - Wait out - En mov from WEST to EAST- 43 attempting to hit them.		
82	2327	X	D	43 still firing - request firing of SHELDRAKE.	No not until well EAST of you	
83	2327			43 stopped firing 5 mins ago - mov now WEST to EAST and SOUTH of them - Block to EAST should stop them.		
84	2340	X	D	One thud heard - being covered until first light - the en did not fire back - Not confirmed they are en.		



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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
65	1825	X	3	C/S 31 searched SOUTH part of area with body formed by 908627, 911614, 923615, 916627, NTR (.) ni ambush 914615 (.) C/S32 searched area with body formed by 912638 - 917627-922621-919637 NTR (.)		
66	1850	X	2A	C/S41 back in this loc, one vehicle has faulty brakes and may be a little late.		
67	1900	3	X	C/S33 will revert to your Comd at 0630 hrs tomorrow. Secure direct with C/S1 on movement and comms.		
68	1914	4	X	C/S41 will move as planned.		
69	1930	X	62	A large fire can be seen 1700 in area of STASS (.) Appears to be too large for camp fire - appears to be burning off		
70	2115	XC	PFF	Appears to be a very large fire in Kpg SUBA BAU . Want to send sec and radio too see if Kpg on fire or burning off grass (.) If Kpg will call fro Med Asst if required (.)	Permission granted to move to SUBA BAU (.) notify results as applicable.	
71	2150	B	C	Purpose sending 9Pl to complete search squares (9359) (9459) (9559) from present loc at RASAU leaving RASAU at 0830 hrs.		
72	2205	X	D	Suspects en in vicinity of 43 WEST & SOUTH (.) One of his S/R2 reported that he did hear what he thought was a voice (.) dist est 20-30 yds (.) Pl standing to (.) propose not to move by ni but wait and see if it is en, if they come into 12 Pl area ¹ On concrete evidence will follow up tomorrow.		

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
45	1631	61	x	What other sign in your area		
46	1632	x	61	Track South-East to North East has been used in the last 12 hours, not known friendly or en.		
47	1633	x	61	Moving South West to Kampong 4000 yds South of my position (Serasot)	(Truck used)	
48	1634	x	61	No sign sign of any en this area.		
49	1645	x	3	c/s 32 now in my loc		
50	1655	x	1	c/s 12 now concentrated, now in 30 minutes notice		
51	1656	x	61	c/s 41 in my loc now		
52	1702	61	x	I want you to RTB, I have vehicles RV at 130537. If this acceptable proceed there. If not give me RV and ETA at RV		
53	1703	61	x	Plan is for 61 to move to R40, c/s 41 to move to R42 if time permitted		
54	1711	2A	x	No change for plans for tomorrow.		
55	1710	x	61	I would like to pick up vehicles when c/s 41 was dropped. c/s 41 to be picked up there to in approx 90 mins		
56	1711	61	x	Vehicles will be there on time.		
57	1715	x	61	c/s 61 and c/s 41 moving to RV		
58	1720	x	1	c/s 1 moves to R53 as planned, what happens to c/s 33	fixed	
59	1725	x	2A	Ref large resup of clothing for c/s 4 acknowledge	Detail passed by Sunray 6	
60	1705	AllStation		Plan for tomorrow still stands		
61	1800	x	4	Sitrep NTR.		
62	1802	x	1	Sitrep A . NTR . B. All c/s no change . C . c/s 12 resupply successful . D . Today searched GS 8760, 8861, 8961, 8969, 9062, 8959. Tomorrow c/s 1 move to R53 commencing P -2 1/2 hrs (0700hrs) . Awaiting orders for c/s 33		
63	1810	x	61	Moving to your loc now		
64	1815	x	2	Sitrep 65 . 271800 to 281800H A . NTR . B . Locstats c/s 2, 21, 21A no change, c/s 22 922595, c/s 23 914595		

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
26	1440		x	Medevacs arrived by Sioux		
27	1452	x		Sioux spotted nothing area 076544		
28	1456	x	3	Whirlwind our loc - c/s 61 moving now		
29	1503	1	x	c/s 19 and a c/s to stand by at air IP as reserve to be used in present ops if nec. Notify when ready for pickup. c/s 11 NOT to be used		
30	1504	x	62	Permission sought blast 10 mins	Yes. Check a/c safety	
31	1507	x	2A	c/s 41 left		
32	1511	x	3	S/R minor requests to move on Msn 248 to R40 after mov c/s 61	Defence on pilot - request Sioux if required. YES IS REQUIRED.	
33	1513	x	A51	Mov to recce area - move HQ after completion		
34	1520	x	1	c/s 12 will be first complete 1700 hrs at IS - 907624 . c/s 19 at 531	1700 hrs 907624	
35	1531	x	3	Msn 248 will move S/R minor to R40		
36		x	61	We are approx 100 yds NE of suspected sect observ- ing and awaiting arrival 2nd team. Dvr of veh info us hut door has been raised since he saw it last. Not married up with c/s 41 yet.		
37	1538	x	41	c/s 41 debussed about to move suspect area	DP2 MEGR 043519	
38	1540	x	61	100 yds NE of given GR		
39				Tasking 53 - 40 1 Pax F384 Request tomorrow	GOFF. Noted for opportunity taking.	
40		x	41	c/s 41 loc 043519		
41	1600	3	x	Request progress move c/s 61 and S/R minor	Cast left 61 1602 -- S/R minor moving also	
42	1609	x	3	Request c/s 32 commence return this loc view resting		
43	1614	x	61	Searched hut area, typical DYAK dwelling - JG trousers and shirts found (English type) shotgun rusty, books - visual say possibly people returned to visit crops. New harvested crops in area. Checking N/S & EAST track and box search		
44	1630	x	61	Visuals tell me this hut is the type occupied by young boys looking after gardens. We have found books, shotguns, golic etc.		

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
13	1110	3	X	Ref tasking assume from tasking you require clearance for c/s 8 clearance to be initiated by this c/s for C tgts .	A, B, C Coys info	
14	1113	x	62	Can we blow now . Answer yes		
15	1115	62	x	Cancel blowing msn 248 on its way to collect Medevac	Total HM (92)	
16	1157	2relay3	x	Require total figures only for lift 55-42 tomorrow	Yes	
17	1200	x	62	Medevac out . can we blow; time of blast 1225		
18	1235	x	1	Medevac A. 2 -- 1 spr ankle -- 1 skin eruption both legs -- Cannot walk	From 531 ASP	
19	1251	1	x	Send Nos for mov to 40 tomorrow	91	
20	1316	x	3	c/s 32 ptl of area A . result NTR on en		
21	1329	x	Whirlwind	Ac report 2 uniformed men at Attape hut near clumps of tall trees 076544.		
22	1401	3	x	Medevac request to Sioux and request look at area 076544		
23				c/s 41 to be picked up by truck and taken to 080513 where they will debus . move then to area 076544 where 2 uniformed men reported by Msn 248. Check Attap hut that area and await further orders . c/s 61 to be moved in ASP . c/s 41 NOT to obliterate tracks exercise due care. Trucks have left this loc.		
24	1428	3	x	c/s 41 NO joy from time of arrival Msg on siting and mov of c/s 41. c/s 61 to go by Msn 248 to 076544. Dvr will require briefing		
25	1432	x	4	c/s 61 to arrive area NO JOY and We willy marry up All c/s 61 required, therefore PUS from R53 Know quicker route - Trucks have NOT arrived	Use quickest route marry up c/s 61 at grid ref of siting	

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Inits of Offr
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	0800	1, X	62	Can we continue construction task	Complete IP ASP	
2	0822	1, 2, 3	X	Sunray departing this loc 0830 to visit in order c/s 3 c/s 1 and c/s 2		
3	0847	62	X	After you have completed current IP to stage, it will take FOOTSTEP HOTEL(SCOUT) would be easier if you took resup there tomorrow . Future task will be to continue with task as given by Sunray c/s 6 Advise precise resup requirement incl rats est completion of IP	Received rats . Resubmit	
4	0908	62	X	Progress IP . take Scout and Whirlwind To be completely sage for Whirlwind we require stores previously requested		
5	0933	X	62	ET completion of IP to take Belvedere 1200 hrs tomorrow . Hy stores will have to be moved by heli when task completed	midday 29 Jun 66	
6	0936	X	1	CO with Major Cole now		
7	0955	X	1, 2	CO in B Coy and has left A Coy		
8	1020	X	62	Permission blasting 1100 hrs . will give details later	Wait until medevac moved on Msn 248	
9	1035	3	X	Change of tasking Msn 248 Serial 1; pick up med evacs and bring to 40; take 2 pl resup to 2 pl and then pick up remaining pers serial 1.		
10	1050	X	3	Tasking BT Jun 53-40 2 pax D811 M246 30		
11				40-53 2 pax R776 Z547 TM (2) Jul . FOOTSTEP ECHO Air OP fly and fire DF C3, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9 . Required 0900 - 1200	Entered Clearance to be submitted fixed.	
12	1100	X	4	Tasking 30 Jun c/s 43 Red 567 - 42 ME(24 c/s 41 42-552 BT(30) . Shell Drake returning with 43; do require party with 41	567-42 24 pax c/s 43 42-552 30 pax c/s 41 Entered	

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Date 27 Jun 66

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Initials of Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
54	1938	X	Pioneers	Has there been any change in my task	NO, maintain protracted ambush	
55	1941	C Coy	X	Acknowledge e/s 29 locstat in your area	ACKed by C Coy	
56	2025	X	Pioneers	A. MEDIVAC. B. A. D. Severe. E. Infection. F. Leg. G. A2+. H. OP 2 Grid Ref FLYC. I. LS secure. J. hand. K. NO. L.NO. M. M388		
57	2100	X	C Coy	GOFF unavailable currently on ops with 7pl till 30 jun. Can be available 29 Jun. Will replace on serial 1 MSN 248 with SUNRAY E9A who has to do HOLDFAST recce TIGER BEER.		
58	2105	X	C Coy	From A Coy - Explosion heard 2035 hrs heard by 2, 3 and 9 pls . bearing from 2pl 150° distance 3,000 yds, bearing from 3pl 130° distance 1,500 yds, bearing from 9pl ERE approx 2,000 yds. 9pl thought explosion a CLAYMORE. 3pl say it sounded like gun-fire.		
59	2110	X	C Coy	Explosion AD in E 5pl loc	From B Coy	

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Serial	Time	To	From	Event	Action	Initials of Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
44	1735	X	A coy	Resup for 2 pl 907624, winch from 10 feet	For Bde 99070624	
45	1757 1802	X X	A coy A coy	A LOCSTATS; NO change		
46	1800	X	B coy	SITREP 64 261800 - 271800H. A. NTR. B. Locstat B coy 943620. 4pl 945610. 21A 944607. 5pl 922651. 6pl 914603. C. Opp task med supplies.D. continue investigating.		
47	1822	X	A coy	SITREP 26-271800H. A. NTR. B. Locstat s: 1pl and 19 NO change 2pl 907614. 3pl. 888610. 9pl 907595. C. Resupply 2pl at 907624 winch 10 feet. D. today searched sqs 9761, 9061, 9060, 9059 and 8960, and RASAU. Search continues tomorrow.		
48	1815	X	Pioneers	SITREP 26-271800H. A. NIL. B. Locstat no change c/s 62C NOT returned patrol base from NORTH received resup 1500. Have not received explosives as requested.		
49	1830	X	Pioneers	My 62A returned from NORTH patrol to SOUTH NTR ref tracks.		
50	1832	X	C coy	271800H. B. 7pl night ambush 924615. 8pl night ambush 912636. areas searched and cleared today NORTH half area bounded by 907637, 907627, 916627 and 912638. SOUTH half to be searched tomorrow. Also searching map square 9261 will search 9161 tomorrow.		
51	1835	X	D Coy	SITREP. A. NTR. B. Locstats as given earlier.		
52	1927	A coy	X	Ref resupply 2pl. I am endeavouring to task tomorrow. Will include on routine tasking.		
53	1930	X	Phone from 129 Bty	Shotgun heard on bearing of 40° from PEJIRU. Distance unknown.		

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34	1235	X	G3 Air	MSN 190 to prove LP's. 088706-supposedly OK -BELEVEDERE. 108709-supposidly OK-WHIRLWIND. 086717- WHIRLWIND.	Passed to pilot of WHIRLWIND	
35		Pioneers	X	You are to leave on c/s present loc and simultaneously ptl with a c/s 1,000 yds NORTH and SOUTH looking for fresh tracks running EAST and WEST. RTB by last light tonight,	OK	
36	1335	Ops	Tanks	2 women from Kpg STINGGANG were frightened by noise or noises unknown which "called" them as they ran away. time this morning. BS investigating. Tanks returning 1600 hrs today	BS report to follow. Tank report to follow.	
37	1349	A,B,C Coys 2A	X	Require info by 1700 hrs as to number of days operations completed by your c/s without a break of at least 24 hrs.		
38	1420	Trackers	X	Your pl sgt arriving your loc tomorrow. Holding the others here till arrangements complete. Unless you have good reasons will not mov them but will await your mov to this loc.		
39	1435	X	Pioneers	Two c/s leaving this loc now		
40	1517	A coy	C coy	7 pl 926624	Plotted	
41	1525	A coyX	X X	Ref resup 2 pl. request LP. still moving. until he stops moving, cannot give it to you		
42	1500	X	C coy	Operation Days without days break 7pl 10 days. 8 pl 15 days 9pl 10 days	Entered on main sheets	
43	1600	Tanks	X	Give positive or negative reports on area of Kpg STINGGOR REF frightened women		

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21	0958	X	C coy	9pb all left		
22	1001	X	2A	CO B Coy loc now		
23	1003	X	D coy	Assume 12 pb moving		
24	1011	X	A coy	12 pl complete R567 moving 5 min		
25	1013	X	B coy	CO leaving B Coy loc		
26	1031	X	2A	SB - may move Kpg STUNGER BS to be contacted JITEM	SB BAU informed	
27	1045	X	2A	CO leaving this loc		
28	X 1048	X2A	X	is 11 pl in posn if NOT give loc		
29	1051	X	2A	11 pl still mov won't be final posn for 30 min.		
30	1101	X	B coy	Request to R55, ptl packs 1 and 2 Asparin or Codien as many as possible. Chalk of Opium: 1 bottle. brilliant green 1 container	Tomorrow OK Dr to prepare	
31	1155	2A	X	Progress report 11 pl		
32	1205	X	2A	11 pl now approx area 42-tracking SOUTH RAYA. 42A- 200 yds NORTH checking RAYA. 42B-200 yds SOUTH ambush		
33	1227	X	2A	12 pl loc 919572. Commencing task (as discussed by CO) in 30 mins	Plotted	

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9	0715	A coy	X	From CO. Cannot understand your locstat. You are 1,000 yds WEST of your boundary. your locstat 2 pl 600 yds NW of your boundary. Clarify		
10	0736	Trackers	X	Remain ambush present loc		
11	0812	X	B coy	LOCSTATS. B coy - 938616. 4pl - 948608. 21A - 945606. 5 pl - 926608. 6 pl - 921600. Sunray B coy requires 20 minutes notice to get to R55/		
12	0822	X	A coy	LOCSTATS. A Coy. 1 pl and 19 867614. 2 pl 893625. 3 pl mov to 884615. All are within boundary. All boundarys are tracks	Plotted	
13	0824	X	Pioneers	30 min work of LS before resup arrives. If so require estimated time arrival resup.		
14	0853	X	Pioneers	Shot heard 210° approx 1,000 yds		
15	0853	X	C coy	CO arriving		
16	0858	A coy	C coy	9 pl moving to 56 when weather permits. Come up on A coy net on arrival for orders		
17	0912	X	C coy	9 pl moving now		
18	0913	X		LS will be recorded and passed to Bde		
19	0927	X	D coy	NO comms with 11 pl but should be nearing posn=mov NORTH through primary		
20	0936	X	C coy	CO left this loc moving to R55		

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1.	0040	2A	X	For SUNRAY D Coy. ref previous orders. cancel. 12 pl now to move from R552 to R567 and along RAYA towards R552 so that it is in the elbow then into a stop. 11pl no change from previous orders. 10 pl remain present loc with s/s 49. SUNRAY 9 will visit early tomorrow morning.	Passed	
2.	0045	B Coy	X	Brief outline. NO change uour orders. C Coy moving one pl to come under comd A coy.	Passed	
3.	0055	A & C Coys	X	To SUNRAYs A & C coys. C coy to send one pl by by helicopter which should arrive R53 at approx 0600, from R53 to R56. On arrival R56 to come under comd A cou. Task. Search area R56 kampong. Remainder your coy no change. Trackers to remain R53 for mov if required. Pioneers remain present loc an present task.	Passed	
4	0058	Pioneers	X	Remain present loc and continue t ask until further orders. CO arriving your loc tomorrow morning. Could be xxxx as early as 0700.		
5	0058	C coy	X	CO arriving your loc tomorrow morning. Could be as early as 0700.		
6	0100	X	D coy	ref 12 pl tasks. So there is no foul up does he move to 877581		
7	0105	D coy	X	NO. He should move to 919572		
8	0705	X A coy	X XXXXXXXX	Confirm locstat 1pl and c/s 19	867625	

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