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**Item: 1 Australian Reinforcement  
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[1-31 Aug 1966]







PART 3

COMMANDERS DIARIES  
INSTRUCTIONS

AIM

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

GENERAL

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

RESPONSIBILITY

During Non-operational Periods

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

During Operational Periods (1)

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

COMPILATION

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

for operations form Annex "Z", "TOP SECRET" the document. It is to be prepared and disposed of as

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es as well as map references), establishment, equipment  
 l orders given.  
 ne day's fighting, including company movements.  
 mander with regard to equipment, tactics, organization  
 tential importance.  
 o officers, men and equipment.  
 oment captured.  
 employed in the time not accounted for. The type of

and to save work as much information as possible is to  
 uments issued and received, routine returns, etc. All  
 and the time of receipt or despatch is to be given.

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VE C 2118 (Adapted)

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COLLECTING LETTER

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COMMANDERS' DIARIES DISPOSAL

13. **Original Commander's Diary.** This is to be forwarded monthly, unless otherwise ordered, by seventh day of the succeeding month direct to AHQ.

14. **Duplicate Commander's Diary.** This must be clearly marked as a duplicate. It is to be sent separately from the original to AHQ one month after the original has been despatched but not before the former has been acknowledged.

15. When overseas, both copies of diaries are to be sent through the Army Records organization in the overseas theatre but at different times.

16. **TOP SECRET Supplementary Diaries.**

a. The documents referred to in Paragraph 9 together with a list of them made out on AF C 2118 (Adapted) must be placed in separate cover (AF C 2119) (Adapted). All details must be filled in and the cover clearly marked in red: "ANNEX Z — OFFICER ONLY". It may be convenient to group the papers by appendices.

b. Supplementary diaries must be forwarded under the normal rules for TOP SECRET correspondence, to AHQ. The inner envelope must be plainly marked:

TOP SECRET

ANNEX Z to

Commanders Diary of.....(Formation or Unit)

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

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

1 BP Coy—274/65—55m

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# COMMANDERS DIARY NARRATIVE

AF - C 2118 (Adapted)  
Revised Jun, 1965

MONTH AND YEAR August 1966

REFERENCE MAP .....

UNIT/FORMATION 1 Aust Rft Unit

COMMANDING OFFICER Maj R.L. SINCLAIR

Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
<u>1 ATF - NUI DAT</u>	<u>1 Aug</u>		<u>ORBAT 1 ATF published 24 Jul received showing TFMA not 1 ARU.</u>	<u>Enclosure 1</u>
	<u>2 Aug</u>		<u>1 ARU established restricted by 1 Sgt RD for increment of CSM at 1 ALSG</u>	
	<u>3 Aug</u>		<u>1 ATF signal A156 directs 1 ARU to undertake distribution of amenities.</u>	<u>Enclosure 2</u>
	<u>4 Aug</u>		<u>NO ENTRY</u>	
	<u>5 Aug</u>		<u>Postal delays causing morale problem.</u>	
	<u>6 Aug</u>		<u>NO ENTRY</u>	
	<u>7 Aug</u>		<u>Mail not entering country due to airline strike</u>	
	<u>8 Aug</u>		<u>NO ENTRY</u>	
	<u>9 Aug</u>		<u>Two tons of amenities received/distributed.</u>	



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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	10 Aug		NO ENTRY	
	11 Aug		Lt D. JAMISON joined as OC Det 1 OFP vice Lt N. CLARKE (Medevac	
	12 Aug	}	Routine defence preparations. At this stage it is apparent that continuation training of reinforcements is virtually impossible due to lack of firing ranges, need to co-ordinate TAOR activities and inability to manoeuvre. Limited manpower dictates that training must be limited in order to continue area preparation.	
	13 Aug			
	14 Aug			
	15 Aug			
	16 Aug		Visit by 1 Coy RAASC Ops Offr. Thirteen rfts marched in from Australia. Thirteen rfts marched out (pending posting orders) at direction of HQ 1 ATF (Verbal). OC was informed by the Supply Officer that the Ops Officer of 1 Coy RAASC had decided to re-locate the POL point and given instructions to the Supply Officer on this. OC informed DDA&QMG 1ATF that unilateral decisions should NOT be made because: (a) responsibility lies with OC 1 ARU (b) decision unsound from engineering point of view	
	17 Aug	0230	Area subjected to mortar attack. 25 mortar rounds land in 1 ARU area; 3 casualties sustained. <small>B P Coy-275/65-55m</small>	



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			(vice OC 1 Ed Sqn) (c) confusion is caused. OC later negated this with OC 1 Coy RAASC.	
	18 Aug		Concert party (Col Joye) performed for 1 ATF in 1 ARU area. Reinforcements attached to 1 ALSG returned to unit (minus 3) Maj HARRIS, DAA&QMG AFV, visited unit. Engineers commenced work on hardstand for stock area.	Enclosure 3
		2000	Resupply of gun ammunition by "Chinook" commenced in support of D Coy 6 RAR near LONG TAN.	
	19 Aug		Orders for ASCO pers received. Lt Col ROUSE visited and conducted recce of TFMA with DAA&QMG 1 ATF. OC TFMA not informed of visit or any decisions made. It was therefore pointed out that responsibility for TFMA lies with OC 1 ARU - not with visiting officers, and that feasibility of any plan depends on Engineer capacity to execute. Pointed out that Engr advice is essential. DAA&QMG agreed.	
	20 Aug		Release of defence stores obtained (5' x 3' softwood). Approval for the issue of shotguns also received.	

1 B P Coy-275/65-55m



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REFERENCE MAP

COMMANDING OFFICER Maj K.L. SINGLARR

Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
			A decision was made by DAA&QMG to place SA Ammo and supplies on new delivery point GR 437669. OC disagreed with this because the "run off" leads to ammo area and there is no separation either by ground or distance. SCA 1ATF informed unit that Sgt GODFREY and three rfts will be returned from 1 ALSG in three days.	
	22 Aug		Unit advised that Pte TOPP, a rft on strength and detached as per entry of 16 Aug, was KIA on 18 Aug. Two other were wounded. Notices actioned by 6 RAR.	
	23 Aug		Recce with OC 1 Fd Sqn RAE and agreed that POL should be located at GR439675 as complete separation from ammo is provided and engr effort to prepare is limited. This was agreed by Supply Officer.	
	24 Aug		Unit advised by HQ 1 ATF that no rfts are to march out in future without posting order. OC requested return of Sgt GODFREY from 1 ALSG.	
	25 Aug		Unit resumed standing patrol on 1 ATF check point.	

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	26 Aug		Mortar alarms installed.	
	27 Aug		Commander 1ATF requested details of mail service	Enclosure 4
	28 Aug		The lack of any senior NCO makes administration difficult.	
	29 Aug		OC to VUNG TAU for hospital visits.	
	30 Aug		NO ENTRY	
	31 Aug		Rfts still at VUNG TAU. SCA signalled to AFV requesting urgent return of rfts.	



ENCLOSURE 5

1 Aust Rft Unit  
NUI DAT

Aug 66

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1 ATF

## REINFORCEMENT STATE

AS AT 6 August 66

NUMBER	RANK	NAME	EMPLOYMENT	DATE OF ARRIVAL	ACTUAL LOCATION	POSTED TO AND AUTHORITY	DETACHED TO AND AUTHORITY	REMARKS
17864	2Lt	DAVIS R.J.	P1 Comd	3 May 66	5 RAR		5 RAR AFV Det 0	
16605	2Lt	GAUVIN H.L.	P1 Comd	18 Jun 66	1 ALSG		" 23/66 "	
17805	Gpl	BLACK C.L.	Rfn	11 Jun 66	1 ARU			
213834	Gpl	HAYES J.F.	Rfn	13 Jun 66	1 ARU			
18358	Gpl	POLLOCK L.R.	Rfn	11 Jun 66	1 ARU			
37642	Gpl	GARR D.W.	Rfn	13 Jun 66	6 RAR			
4410890	Pte	ATKINSON J.	"	11 Jun 66	1 ALSG		1 ALSG Det 0	
5713780	"	BODEY J.L.	"	13 Jun 66	"		" 23/66 "	
5713779	"	BLACK L.W.	"	11 " "	"	HQ 1 TF P.O. Inf 20/66		
5713783	"	BRADSHAW T.W.	"	13 " "	"		1 ALSG	
216645	"	BRYANT J.A.	"	21 Jul 66	1 ARU			
1731220	Tpr	BURNS A.G.	Dvr/Sig	" " "	1 APC			Authority not known.
38756	Pte	BOLTONG T.H.	Rfn	" " "	1 ALSG		1 ALSG Det 0. 42/66	
5713807	"	COMINI T.J.	"	13 Jul 66	"		1 ALSG	
5411536	"	CORNELL O.M.	"	11 Jul 66	1 ARU	5 RAR Ing 16/66		
216093	"	COTTERILL G.C.	"	21 Jul 66	1 ALSG		1 ALSG Auth: HQ 1 ATF	
4410903	"	ECCLES B.T.	"	" " "	1 ARU	5 RAR Inf 16/66		
3411652	"	EDWARDS W.	"	" " "	1 ALSG		AFV Det 0. 23/66	



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REINFORCEMENT STATE

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NUMBER	RANK	NAME	EMPLOYMENT	DATE OF ARRIVAL	ACTUAL LOCATION	POSTED TO AND AUTHORITY	DETACHED TO AND AUTHORITY	REMARKS
216578	Pte	FITTON B.	Rfn	11 Jul	1 ARU	5 RAR Inf 16/66		
3787517	"	FILMOUR R.	"	13 Jul	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
3787364	"	GORDON P.D.	"	11 Jul	1 ARU	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
3787453	"	GREEN O.R.	"	13 Jul	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
3787609	"	GREENWOOD M.	"	" "	1 ALSG		" "	
2782589	"	HALL A.L.	"	" "	1 ALSG		" "	
1731304	"	HASTED G.N.	"	" "	1 ARU	5 RAR Inf 22/66		
5713863	"	HUNTER R.	"	" "	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
216534	"	KENNEDY V.	"	11 Jul	1 ARU	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
4717743	"	MASON G.	"	13 Jul	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
1200690	"	McDONALD D.G.	"	21 JUL	1 ARU			
2782851	"	McEWEN J.	"	13 Jul	1 ATF		1 ATF	
214836	Tpr	McMILLAN R.G.	Dvr/Sig	11 Jul	1 APC		1 APC Sqn	Authority not known.
5411562	Pte	McPHERSON A.S.	Rfn	13 Jul	Hoep U.S.	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
1731156	"	MURRAY P.R.	"	21 Jul	1 ARU			
3786625	"	NASH P.	"	13 Jul	1 ARU	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
2782494	"	NATION P.G.	"	21 Jul	1 ARU	<del>EXTRA</del>		
1411129	"	NAUMANN R.W.	"	" "	"	5 RAR Inf 22/66		



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NUMBER	RANK	NAME	EMPLOYMENT	DATE OF ARRIVAL	ACTUAL LOCATION	POSTED TO AND AUTHORITY	DETACHED TO AND AUTHORITY	REMARKS
2782809	Pte	QUIN A.W.	Rfn	11 Jul	1 ARU	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
2782398	"	RAE I.L.	"	12 Jul	1 ARU	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
2782833	"	ROWLAND R.W.	"	13 Jul	2 Pd Amb			Member hospitalized.
2782638	"	RUSSELL A.R.	"	" "	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
2412265	"	RILEY D.E.	"	11 Jul	1 ARU	5 RAR Inf 22/66		
2782778	"	SAVAGE M.E.	"	13 Jul	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
1731175	"	SOLOMON G.	"	21 Jul	1 ALSG		" "	
2782715	"	TAYLOR D.	"	13 Jul	" "		" "	
17311228	"	THOMAS D.A.	"	21 Jul	1 ARU			
1200649	"	THOMPSON W.J.	"	13 Jul	1 ALSG	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
1200675	"	VICKERY C.C.	"	21 Jul	1 ARU			
1200265	"	TOPP F.B.	"	21 Jul	1 ARU			
3786946	"	TRIGG A.R.	"	13 Jul	1 ALSG	6 RAR Inf 22/66		
2782788	"	VAN WYCK M.J.	"	" "	" "		1 ALSG	
5713983	"	WEBB H.P.	"	" "	1 ARU			
3787607	"	WHISTON C.J.	"	" "	1 ARU			
2782401	"	WHITELEY R.A.	"	" "	1 ALSG		1 ALSG	
216629	"	WILSON W.E.	"	11 Jul	"	6 RAR Inf 17/66	" "	



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NUMBER	RANK	NAME	EMPLOYMENT	DATE OF ARRIVAL	ACTUAL LOCATION	POSTED TO AND AUTHORITY	DETACHED TO AND AUTHORITY	REMARKS
2732844	Pte	PHILLIPS G.C.	Rgn	21 Jul	1 ALSG		1 ALSG Det O. 42/66	
216519	"	EGAN R.J.	"	11 Jun	5 RAR	5 RAR Inf 22/66		
4410871	"	SHANNON D.G.	Dvr	11 Apr	1 ARU	5 RAR Inf 22/66		Staff member posted to 5 RAR as Asslt Pnr.



ENCLOSURE No 3

F Sigs 52-2  
Reprinted Dec., 1964

# MESSAGE FORM

file and note  
for DIARY  
NUMBER.....

FOR COMM CEN/SIGNALS USE

out / 04 / 01

PRECEDENCE — ACTION <i>PRIORITY</i>	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME — GROUP <i>31 0145 Z</i>	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS <i>JUL 66</i>
From <i>HQ IAF</i>		PREFIX GR	
To <i>AUST FORCE VIETNAM</i>		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION <i>RESTD</i>	
Info <i>1ARU</i>		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER <i>A 586</i>	

FOR DAAG O REINFORCEMENTS O THE CURRENT POSITION ON  
 REINFORCEMENTS IS NOW PRESSING CMM IT IS REQUESTED THAT  
 CONSIDERATION BE GIVEN TO THE WITHDRAWAL OF DETS TO 1A1SG  
 CMM TO ENABLE CURRENT POSTING ORDERS TO BE MET

*31/0205Z*

Page <i>1</i> of <i>1</i> pages	REFERS TO MESSAGE CLASSIFIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	DRAFTER'S NAME <i>TUCKER</i>	OFFICE <i>A</i>	TEL No <i>1</i>						
FOR OPS USE <i>R</i>	DATE	TIME	SYSTEM	Operator	<i>D</i>	DATE	TIME	SYSTEM	Operator	RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE AND RANK <i>[Signature] Capt</i>



Diary

ENCLOSURE 4

1 Aust Rft Unit  
TFMA  
NUI DAT.

27 Aug 66.

HQ 1 ATF (2)

Copy to:

Comd 1 ATF

MAIL SERVICE - COMPLAINTS  
INTERRUPTED DELIVERIES AND "MISSING" MAIL

1. Following is a record of incoming mail quantities:-

16 Aug	-	NO MAIL
17 "	-	Below average quantity
18 "	-	Below average "
19 "	-	Well below average quantity
20 "	-	Below average
21 "	-	Normal
22 "	-	NO MAIL
23 "	-	Normal except registered bag left at KANGAROO - two articles missing
24 "	-	Normal
25 "	-	Late delivery 1800 hrs. Normal
26 "	-	NO MAIL

2. It would appear that some incoming bags are still outstanding as, although for seven (7) days out of eleven (11) there has been no mail or the quantity has been below average, there has NOT been a corresponding increase on those days when mail has arrived.

3. It is realized that an investigation is in progress (again) but the paucity of mail service both to and from Australia during the four months in theatre resulting in continuous complaints from soldiers and their families indicates that the current system is unsatisfactory to say the least.

... 4. Attached as Annex A are a few of the more recent anomalies which have occurred.

TELEGRAMS

5. With regard to telegrams to Australia, it is noted that clear text telegrams cannot now be sent. This means that INTERFLORA orders held by det ASCO cannot be despatched as there is no provision for advising INTERFLORA of the addressee and a suitable text, nor the type of gift required.

AEROGRAMMES

6. Aerogrammes are a normal postal facility and would greatly reduce the bulk of mail to be handled.

7. Despite representation to HQ 1 ATF, Aerogrammes are still not available.

8. Det AFPO 3 desire the introduction of these.

  
Maj  
OC 1 Aust Rft Unit



SOME RECENT ANOMALIES IN  
MAIL "SERVICE"

2LT GRAHAM

Letter despatched Australia 19th received 24th stated received letter No. 11 but missing 8, 9, 10 written over a period of 1 week (one per 2 days). Letter despatched Australia 16th still not received.

Sgt KOOT

2 letters posted 7th AFPO 3, and 1 letter on 10th to Aust - wife advised in letter received on 25th and written Australia 16th, posted 18th, that above NOT received.

Cpl ROBERTS

Posted 23rd July - arrived NUNDAH, BRISBANE, Qld. P.O. 27th July - returned to sender arriving 9 Aug. Wife stated completed change of address form handed to P.O. NUNDAH.

Letter posted 10 Jul and postmarked 10 Jul received by wife 18 Aug 66. (advised in letter received NUI DAT on 25 Aug).

MaJ SINCLAIR

Registered letter and packet airmail posted AFPO 3 31 Jul and 1 Aug, advised not received in letter written 16 Aug received 21 Aug. Aust newspaper has been arriving daily 3-4 day delay. No paper received since 21 Aug. NO letters since 21 Aug. Wife usually writes daily.

Pte STEPHENS

Written to Mother Mrs. D.J. STEPHENS, 631 Greenhill Rd., BURNSIDE, S.A. twice weekly. Letters received from mother once weekly. Latest received 22 Aug stated NO letters received from Pte STEPHENS for 8 weeks.



*Enclosure 1*

CONFIDENTIAL

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

HEADQUARTERS, 1ST AUSTRALIAN TASK FORCE VIETNAM

NUI DAT

R723/1/8

*24 Jul 66*

SUBJECT: Order of Battle (U)

TO: Commanding General  
11 Field Force Vietnam  
ATTN: AC of S  
APO San Francisco 96266

COPY TO: HQ AFV  
HQ NZ Force Vietnam  
1 ALSG

1. (U) In compliance with 11 FFV Directive, a listing of combat and combat support units assigned, attached, or under operational control down to battalion and separate company level, is attached.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

1 Encl  
as

*Jan O. Hannigan*  
RICHARD R. HANNIGAN  
Major, S3.

Distribution  
B plus-TOC and Arty Tac HQ (2)

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1 ATF ORDER OF BATTLE

24 JULY 66

UNIT	PROV	STATION	CO-ORD	CTL HQ	OP STATUS
HQ 1 ATF	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS435667	11 Field Force VIETNAM	OP
1 APC SQN	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS431667	HQ 1 ATF	OP
1 FD REGT RAA(towed)	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS431663	HQ 1 ATF	OP
103 FD BTRY RAA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS433662	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
105 FD BTRY RAA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS429666	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
161 FD BTRY RNZA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS430662	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
BTRY A 2/35 ARTY (SP)	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS429664	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
1 FD SQN RAE	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS437665	HQ 1 ATF	OP
103 SIG SQN	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS432666	HQ 1 ATF	OP
5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS441684	HQ 1 ATF	OP
A CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS435684	5 RAR	OP
B CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS443684	5 RAR	OP
C CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS440685	5 RAR	OP
D CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS435675	5 RAR	OP
SP CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS441683	5 RAR	OP
ECH 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS438683	5 RAR	OP
6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS442675	HQ 1 ATF	OP
A CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS444679	6 RAR	OP
B CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS445675	6 RAR	OP
C CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS443672	6 RAR	OP
D CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS442670	6 RAR	OP
SP CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS443674	6 RAR	OP
ECH 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS442673	6 RAR	OP
3 SAS SQN	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS435664	HQ 1 ATF	OP
TFMA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA	YS437672	HQ 1 ATF	OP

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ENCLOSURE 2

DIARY

ROUTINE

090330 Z

JUL 66

HQ IAFV

LIST B

AMENITIES

UNCLAS

A 156

REFERENCE HQ AFV Q 19818 OF 010552 Z O NELD HQ IAFV O  
QUOTE O CONSIGNMENT OF AMENITIES ITEMS TO IAFV WEF RECEIPT  
OF THIS SIGNAL CAN ALL ITEMS CLASSIFIED AS AMENITIES FOR  
EXAMPLE NEWSPAPERS CAN PERIODICALS CAN AMENITIES DONATIONS FOR  
-TIPS IN VIETNAM CAN OR ADDRESSED TO UNITS OF THE FORCE CAN  
PHILANTHROPIC ITEMS FOR PHILANTHROPIC REPS IN THEATRE OR DONATIONS  
FROM PHILANTHROPIC ORGS IN AUST O ARE TO BE DESPATCHED BY  
FASTEST MEANS TO E COMD AMENITIES UNIT O AN ALLOCATION  
OF UP TO 1000 LBS BY DATED ITEMS AND SMALL PERISHABLES  
CAN SUCH AS CANNES CAN WILL BE MADE ON WEEKLY COURIER  
AC O ALL OTHER ITEMS CAN UNDATED ALLOCATION CAN ARE  
TO BE CONIGNED EACH MONTH BY REGULAR CHARTERED SHIPPING O  
ITEMS NOT ADDRESSED TO SPECIFIC UNITS WILL BE SENT IN  
TWO BULK CONSIGNMENTS O TO HQ AFV FOR SAIGON UNITS  
AND AAFV O TO HQ IAFV FOR UNITS OF IAFV AND IAFV O  
FOR IAFV O IN THEATRE DISTRIBUTION OF AMENITIES IS  
TO BE DONE BY IAFV

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R M Tucker Capt



Diary.

ROUTINE

HQ IAFV  
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REFERENCE HQ AFV Q 19818 OF 010552 Z D HELD HQ IAFV D  
QUOTE D CONSIGNMENT OF AMENITIES ITEMS TO IAFV WEF RECEPTION  
OF THIS SIGNAL CMM ALL ITEMS CLASSIFIED AS AMENITIES FOR  
EXAMPLE NEWSPAPERS CMM PERIODICALS CMM AMENITIES DONATIONS FOR  
TPS IN VIETNAM CMM OR ADDRESSED TO UNITS OF THE FORCE CMM  
PHILANTHROPIC ITEMS FOR PHILANTHROPIC REPS IN THEATRE OR DONATIONS  
FROM PHILANTHROPIC ORGS IN AUST D ARE TO BE DESPATCHED BY  
FASTEST MEANS TO E COND AMENITIES UNIT D AN ALLOCATION  
OF UP TO 1000 LBS BY DATED ITEMS AND SMALL PERISHABLES  
CMM SUCH AS CANNES CMM WILL BE MADE ON WEEKLY COURIER  
AC D ALL OTHER ITEMS CMM UNLIMITED ALLOCATION CMM ARE  
TO BE CONIGNED EACH MONTH BY REGULAR CHARTERED SHIPPING D  
ITEMS NOT ADDRESSED TO SPECIAL UNITS WILL BE SENT IN  
TWO BULK CONSIGNMENTS D TO HQ AFV FOR SAIGON UNITS  
AND AATTV D TO HQ IAFV FOR UNITS OF IAFV AND IAFV D  
FOR IARV D IN THEATRE DISTRIBUTION OF AMENITIES IS  
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SUBJECT: Order of Battle (U)

TO: Commanding General  
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APO San Francisco 96266

COPY TO: HQ AFV  
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1. (U) In compliance with 11 FFV Directive, a listing of combat and combat support units assigned, attached, or under operational control down to battalion and separate company level, is attached.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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UNIT	PROV	STATION CO-ORD	CTL HQ	OP STATUS
HQ 1 ATF	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS435667	11 Field Force VIETNAM	OP
1 APC SQN	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS431667	HQ 1 ATF	OP
1 FD REGT RAA (towed)	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS431663	HQ 1 ATF	OP
103 FD BTRY RAA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS433662	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
105 FD BTRY RAA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS429666	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
161 FD BTRY RNZA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS430662	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
BTRY A 2/35 ARTY (SP)	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS429664	1 FD REGT RAA	OP
1 FD SQN RAE	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS437665	HQ 1 ATF	OP
103 SIG SQN	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS432666	HQ 1 ATF	OP
5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS441684	HQ 1 ATF	OP
A CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS435684	5 RAR	OP
B CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS443684	5 RAR	OP
C CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS440685	5 RAR	OP
D CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS435675	5 RAR	OP
SP CO 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS441683	5 RAR	OP
ECH 5 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS438683	5 RAR	OP
6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS442675	HQ 1 ATF	OP
A CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS444679	6 RAR	OP
B CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS445675	6 RAR	OP
C CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS443672	6 RAR	OP
D CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS442670	6 RAR	OP
SP CO 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS443674	6 RAR	OP
ECH 6 RAR	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS442673	6 RAR	OP
3 SAS SQN	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS435664	HQ 1 ATF	OP
TFMA	PHUOC TUY	BARIA YS437672	HQ 1 ATF	OP

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