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[Vietnam]

Infantry units

Item number: 7/10/11

Item: 1 Special Air Service Squadron

Narrative

Duty Officer's log

Annexes

[1-30 Nov 1967]

COVERING LETTER

Reference No. R 710-1-1

To: OIC, Military History Section, AHQ.

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

2. Please return receipt below.

(Signature)

Sumner May

Appointment OC 1 SAS SQN
(OC Unit or senior staff officer)

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COMMANDERS DIARY

OF

Unit or Formation 1 SAS SQN

From 1 NOV 67 To 30 NOV 67

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Narrative (AF C 2118)

ANNEXES

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PART 3

**COMMANDERS DIARIES
INSTRUCTIONS**

AIM

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

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 NIL will be entered on the cover. If additional annexes are convenient for a particular headquarters, starting at B.

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DISPOSAL

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

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

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

16. **TOP SECRET Supplementary Diaries.**

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

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

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.

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UNIT/FORMATION 1 SAS SQN

MONTH AND YEAR NOV 67

REFERENCE MAP XA BINH BA 1:50,000 sheet 6430111

COMMANDING OFFICER Maj. D.P. BURNETT

Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
YS 435675	1 NOV	1030	WngO for patrols 21, 22 and XX 41. OC to 1 ATF to confirm details of patrols	
NUI DAT		1150	3 Members of USN SEAL team arrived	
		1430	OC briefed Ptl 21	
		1530	WngO for Ptl 32	
		1530	OC briefed Ptls 22 and 41	
		1645	Ptl 31 extracted due to faulty comms	
		1810	Ptl 14 extracted due to 1 member ill. Ptl 21 insertion postponed.	
			Details as per ops int log	A 1
			Task table issued for 3 patrols. Another task table for 1 patrol	C 1 & 2
			Sitrep No 173 issued	E 1
			Weekly strength return compiled and issued	J 1
	2 NOV	0830	Ptl 31 debriefed by ops offr	
		1330	Ptl 14 debriefed by ops offr	
		1415	Ptls 22 and 41 departed this loc for infil to FSPB WILTON by APC.	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 2
			Sitrep No 174 issued	E 2
			Patrol reports recieved from 2Lt J.D.KNOX and Sgt L.E. FRASER	N 1 & 2

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	3 NOV	0830	OC left for liason visit to Long Bien	
		0920	Ptl 21 inserted	
		1330	OC returned this loc	
			Details as per Ops Int log ⁹	A. 2
			Sitrep No 174A issued	E. 3
	4 NOV	0950	Maj FLETCHER arrived to retake scenes for film	
		1300	Ptl 23 and film unit moved to BINH BA for filming - returned 1750	
		1500	WngO for patrols 11 and 12	
		1815	Ptl 32 inserted	
			3 advisers (Aust) visiting until 6 NOV	
			Details as Per Ops Int log	A. 2
			Task table issued for 2 patrols	C. 3
			Sitrep No 175 issued	E. 4
	5 NOV	0900	Ptl 12 task changed	
		1000	Ptl Comd 12 left on air reece	
		1330	Members of SWIFT team arrived	
		1415	OC briefed Ptl 12	
		1600	41 Ptl located an occupied en camp	

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	5 NOV	1615	Ptl 12, relay sig and LO left for FSPB LION	
		1740	2IC left by FAC to talk to Ptl 41	
		1830	2IC returned	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 3
			Sitrep No 176 issued	E 5
			Weekly parade state compiled and issued	J 2
			Summary of Operations for the period from 291600H to 051600H	O 1
	6 NOV	0715	Lt IVEY left by Albatross to change 22 Ptls radio set	
		0850	Lt IVEY returned	
		1500	Maj FLETCHER and Sgt GRIDLEY left this loc for SAIGON	
		1730	Ptl 22 extracted after contact	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 3 & 4
			Task table issued for 1 patrol	C 5
			Sitrep No 177 issued	E 6
	7 NOV	0815	2IC and Ptl Comd 22 and 41 Ptls to 1 ATF for debrief	
		1035	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 22	
		1350	Ptl 21 Extracted	
		1500	Ptl 21 debriefed by Ops Offr	

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	7 NOV	1655	Ptl 41 extracted	
			Sgt GRIDLEY returned from SAIGON	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 5
			Task table issued for 1 patrol	C 5
			Sitrep No 178 issued	E 7
			Weekly strength return compiled and issued	J 3
			Patrol reports recieved from Sgt J.M. DUNCAN and WO2 H.W. HAMMOND	N 4 & 5
	8 NOV	1045	2IC briefed Ptl 11	
		1100	2IC briefed Ptl 24	
		1130	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 41	
		1435	15 men placed on standbby by 1 ATF	
		1445	Standby force stooddown Testing only	
		1700	2IC flew over 32 area in FAC to assess BDA	
		1730	2IC returned	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 5 & 6
			Sitrep No 179 issued	E 8
			Patrol report recieved from 1 Sgt J. GEBHARDT	N 3

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	9 NOV	0730	Ptl 11 inserted	
		0905	Ptl 24 inserted	
		1243	Ptl 32 extracted	
		1330	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 32	
		1500	2IC briefed Ptl 33	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 7
			Sitrep No 180 issued	E 9
	10 NOV	0725	Ptl 33 inserted	
		1235	Ptl 12 extracted	
		1423	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 12	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 8
			Sitrep no 181 issued	E 10
			Patrol reports recieved from Sgts . B.GLOVER and G.SHAW	N 7 & 6
	11 NOV	0730	Ptl 31 returned from CAT LO	
		1200	Arrival of CGS, Comds AAFV and 1 ATF	
		1330	Departure of above pers.	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 8
			Task table issued for 2 patrols	C 6

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	11 NOV	XXXXXX	Sitrep No 182 issued	X X E 11
			Weekly parade state compiled and issued	J 4
	12 NOV	0615	Ptl Comds 31 and 32 departed on air recce	
		0840	2IC left for R&R in Aust	
		1300	Relay team to DUC THANH for comms to 11 Ptl	
		1410	OC briefed 31 Ptl Comd	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 8 & 9
			Sitrep No 183 issued	E 12
			Summary of operations for the period from 051600H to 121600H issued	O 2
	13 NOV	1500	Ptl 24 extracted	
		1800	Ptl 31 inserted	
		1800	Int. Sgt. debriefed Ptl 24	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 9
			Sitrep No 184 issued	E 13
	14 NOV	0700	Ptl 14 departed NADZAB for KANGAROO	
		0825	Ptl 14 inserted	
		1200	Ptl 11 extracted	
		1300	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 11	

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	14 NOV	1645	Ptl 33 extracted	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 10
			Sitrep No 185 issued	X 5 E 14
			Weekly strength return compiled and issued	J 5
			Patrol report recieved from Sgt. J.F.O'KEEFE	N 10
	15 NOV	0830	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 33	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 10
			Task table issued for 4 patrols	C 7
			Sitrep No 186 issued	E 15
			Patrol reports recieved from Cpl. M.T.ROBERTS and Sgt O. STEVENSON	N 8 & 9
	16 NOV	1850	2Lt K.LUNNY arrived this loc	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 11
			Sitrep No 187 issued	E 16
	17 NOV		Pte F.AYLING RTA - Wife VSI	
		1500	Ptl 14 extracted after contact	
		1510	Ptl 31 extracted	
		1630	Ptl 21 inserted	
		1800	OC briefed Ptl 32	

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	17 NOV		Details as per Ops Int log	A A 11
			Sitrep No 188 issued	E 17
			Routine Orders Part 1 compiled and issued	K 1
	18 NOV	0825	OC briefed Ptl 22	
		0850	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 14	
		0920	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 31	
		1005	Ptl 32 insertion aborted	
		1732	Ptl 22 inserted	
		1810	Ptl 32 inserted	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 12
			Sitrep No 189 issued	E 18
			Patrol reports recieved from 2Lt J.KNOX and Sgt L.FRASER	N 11 12
	19 NOV		Details as per Ops Log	A 12
			Task table issued for 5 patrols	C 9
			Sitrep No 190 issued	E 19
			Weekly parade state issued	J 6

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	20 NOV	1835	10 men on immediate standby - POSSUM ac down YS 553815	
		2015	Standdown standby force	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 13
			Sitrep No 191 issued	E 20
			Summary of Operations for the period 121600H to 191600H	O 3
	21 NOV	1135	Ptl 21 extracted after contact	
		1340	Ptl 22 extracted after contact	
		1400	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 21	
		1520	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 22	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 13 & 14
			Sitrep No 192 issued	E 21
			Patrol report recieved from Sgt J.GEBHARDT	N 13
	22 NOV	0830	OC briefed Ptl 13	
		1030	Ptl 32 extracted	
		1730	Ptl 13 inserted	
			Details as per Ops Int log	S A 14
			Sitrep No 193 issued	E 22
			Patrol reports recieved from Sgts SHAW and DUNCAN	N 14 & 15

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	23 NOV	0830	OC briefed Ptl 12	
		1030	OC briefed Tp Comds for Cordon and search of Hoa Long (Op OODNADATTA)	
		2400	Sqn departed for Op OODNADATTA	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 14
			Sitrep No 194 issued	E 23
	24 NOV	1030	Ptl 24 inserted	
		1040	Ptl 12 inserted	
		1415	Sqn returned from Op OODNADATTA	
		1545	OC briefed Ptl 23	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 15
			Task table issued for 5 patrols	C 10
			Sitrep No 195 issued	E 24
	25 NOV	0853	Ptl 33 inserted	
		1510	Ptl 23 inserted	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 15 & 16
			Sitrep No 196 issued	E 25

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	26 NOV	1506	Water resupply to 24 Ptl	
		1715	Ptl 13 extracted	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 16
			Sitrep No 197 issued	E 26
			Weekly parade state compiled and issued	J 7
	27 NOV	0845	Col O'DEA visited unit	
		0900	Ops Offr Debriefed Ptl 13	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 16
			Sitrep No 198 issued	E 27
			Patrol report recieved from Sgt W.ROODS	N 16
			Summary of Operations for the period from 191600H to 261600H	O 4
	28 NOV	1055	Ptl 12 extracted	
		1330	Ptl 12 Debriefed by Ops Offr	
		1730	OC MA briefed Ptl 34	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 17
			Sitrep No 199 issued	E 28
			Weekly strength return compiled and issued	J 8

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Place and grid reference	Date	Time	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
	29 NOV	0830	Ptl 34 infil delayed due to no gunships	
		1445	Ptl 34 inserted and Ptl 24 extracted	
		1615	Ptl 23 eextracted after contact	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 17
			Sitrep No 200 issued	E 29
			Patrol report recieved from Sgt B.E. GLOVER	N 17
	30 NOV	0830	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 23	
		0900	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 24	
		1215	Ptl 33 Extracted	
		1400	Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 33	
			Details as per Ops Int log	A 18
			Sitrep No 201 issued	E 30
			Nominal roll of 1 SAS SQN as at 30 NOV 67	J 9
			Patrol reports recieved from Sgts R.GILCHRIST, N.FARLEY and O.STEVENSON	N 18, 19 & 20

Ser	Date/Time	From	To	TOR	Event	Remarks
1	010400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	010800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm	
3	010920	14	SHQ		KNO 345788 SW trk old CP under const. DEM URTI. Req exfil 346781 at 1700H	
4	010935	SHQ	14		Unless urgent exfil not poss today	
5	011000	14	SHQ	011045	XXXXXXXXXX KNO will not risk DEM tonight	
6	011025	SHQ	14	011045	OK for 1700. Another Ptl infil same time	
7	011030	SHQ			WngO issued for 21,22,41 Ptls	
8	011030	SHQ			OC to 1 ATF to confirm details of Ptls	
9	011145	SHQ	14		Geb Infil same ix LZ BFA 1745	
10	011145				3 Members of the SEAL team arrived	
11	011430	SHQ			OC briefed Ptl 21	
12	011500	SHQ			WngO issued to Ptl 32	
13	011530	SHQ			OC briefed Ptls 22 and 41	
14	011615	RAAF			Ac has sighted flashing mirror & red panel to WEST DUC THANH RAAF to investigate	
15	011645	SHQ	ATF		31 Ptl now this loc	
16	011710	14	SHQ		KNO at LZ is Ptl coming in	Yes see ser 9
17	011810	SHQ	ATF		14 Ptl now this loc	
18	011810	SHQ			Ptl 21 did not get on LZ because the LZ 14 Ptl came out of was thought to be 2,000 metres out.	ATF info
19	011925	ESCORT	SHQ		Maj. MURPHY rang to say convoy leaving 020830hrs will be departing 021440hrs.	
20	012000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
21	012037	SHQ	161 Recce		Arranged air recce for Sgt Gebhardt	
22	012200	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
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Ser	Date/Time	From	To	TOR	Event	Remarks
1	020130	SHQ	ATF		Cpl DUFFY taken by veh to RAP severe abdominal pains	ATF notified
2	020200	SHQ			Veh returned from RAP	
3	020400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
4	020800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm	
5	020830	SHQ			Ptl 31 debriefed by Ops Offr	
6	011330	SHQ			Ptl 14 debriefed by Ops Offr	
7	021415	SHQ			Ptls 22 and 41 departed this loc for infil by APC to FSPB WILTON	
8	021700	41	SHQ		HAM at FSB Cooperation OK	
9	022000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
10	022400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	030400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	030800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm	
3	030815	41	SHQ	0815	HAM ETD 1030 Ptls together	
4	030830	SHQ			OC left for liason visit to Long Bien	
5	030920	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 21 inserted	
6	031330	SHQ			OC returned from Long Bien	
7	031400	21	SHQ		Geb 336750 Mov NE	
8	031428	41	SHQ		HAM both Ptls 552780. Mov NORTH	
9	031600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
10	032000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
11	032400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	040400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	040800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm	
3	040805	21	SHQ		GEB 339754 Mov EAST shots NW	
4	040855	41	SHQ	0847	Ham 550784 trks. Chopping NORTH .Mov WEST	
5	040950	SHQ			Maj FLETCHER arrived for retake of film	
6	041020	22	SHQ	1015	DUN 555784 mov EAST	
7	041400	21	SHQ	041400	GEB loc X 343757 Mov NW	
8	041420	41	SHQ	041430	HAM loc 545784 Mov WEST en hut 546784 old docs	
9	041500	SHQ 22	SHQ	041515	DUN loc 559785 Reqt to amb trk junct at this loc	
10	041500	SHQ			WngO issued for 11,12 Ptls	
11	041600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
12	041815	RAAF	SHQ		32 Ptl inserted	
14	042000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR <u>SECRET</u>	
15	042400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	050400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	050730	21	SHQ		GEB 341759 Mov NW Large new bunker complex 344754 OHP	
3	050800	SHQ			Weather overcast, some rain	
4	050830	41	SHQ		HAM 546785 Amb set	
5	050950	32	SHQ		SHA 335729 Mov NTH	
6	051330	SHQ			Members of SWIFT team arrived	
7	051410	21	SHQ	1400	GEB 336764 Mov NW	
8	051415	SHQ			OC briefed Ptl 12	
9	051430	32	SHQ		SHA 333732 Mov WEST	
10	051430	41	SHQ		HAM ABS bad cough trouble breathing req exfil PM will notify. LZ	
11	051440	SHQ	41		Will exfil ABS and insert ROBBY	
12	051520	22	SHQ		NTR mov SOUTH	
13	051600	41	SHQ		544786 occupied on camp 150 metres EAST	
14	051615	41	SHQ		Prefer whole Ptl lifted	OK by ATF CP
15	051615	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 12 left by hel for FSPB LION	
16	051630	G2 OPS	SHQ		Ptl remain in A/S on camp tomorrow	
17	051740	SHQ			2I/C left to talk to Ptl 41 from FAC to determine loc of camp and warn of A/S.	
18	051830	SHQ			2I/C returned from FAC flight	
19	051920	161 Recce	SHQ		Pilot spoke to 22 Ptl on way back from ATF FWD. 22 Ptl's batteries us. Request extraction tonight. ATF told pilot no contact so extraction can be in morning. 22 mistook msg from 2I/C to mean for me yet. Suggest 22 Ptl be him to move to area of A/S. 22 said he couldn't move.	This info from 161 Recce ATF CP have not mentioned it yet. Suggest 22 Ptl be contacted before A/S
20	052000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
21	052400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	060400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	060715	SHQ			Lt IVEY left by hel for areas Ptl 22 & 41 tp take serviceable radio to 22 Ptl and to speak to 41 Ref BDA on camp and extraction following	
3	060735	FAC	SHQ		Req time 41 at safety distance from camp	
4	060736	21	SHQ	0730	GEB 334766 Mov NORTH	
5	060750	CP	SHQ		Contact relay	
6	060800	SHQ			Weather cool and overcast	
7	060820	SHQ	RELAY		is 12 your loc	YES
8	060830	RELAY	SHQ		Req details of 41 - details passed	

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9	060850	SHQ	ATF		41 loc 547780 clear of camp by 700 metres SSE.22 Loc 564784 received new set	Passed to ATF
10	060905	32	SHQ	SHA 325733	Mov STH shots from SW	
11	060915	32 41	SHQ		HAM 546784 a ton rice cache this loc shall we destroy	
12	060930	SHQ	41	Mov SOUTH	clear of A/S. call 1030	
13	060930	SHQ	41	1050	is rice polished and bagged.do not destroy	
14	060945	Relay	SHQ		Ptl 12 left this loc	
15	061000	22	SHQ		DUN 562781 check exLZ mov NE to amb	
16	061100	41	SHQ		Ref serial 13 NO	Req size of container
17	061125	41	SHQ		7 x 44 gal drums	Advised G2-scatter
18	061135	SHQ	41		Scatter rice,return for BDA give details to change ABS	
19	061130	12	SHQ		Loc up 2.2 R 0.8 (618802)	
20	061130	RAAF	SHQ		BDA on camp at 545786 by FAC.4 bunkers destroyed,8 fighting positions destroyed,4 fighting positions uncovered.1 mil structure destroyed.	
21	061230	12	SHQ		Loc up 2.1 R 0.9 (619801)	
22	061230	41	SHQ	1221	HAM notify LZ later	
23	061430	21	SHQ	1410	GEB 328768 at LZ 330770.070800 Req exfil asp Herbert infect weeping rash	RAAF info
24	061430	32	SHQ	1405	SHA 327729 mov SW	
25	061510	SHQ			Maj FLETCHER and Sgt GRIDLEY departed this loc for SAIGON	
26	061530	41	SHQ		LZ now up 0.7 R 0.7 (547777) BDA N/assessed	
27	061600	22	SHQ	1535	DUN 565783 en working on old camp 100 yds to EAST will mov to amb	
28	061713	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 22 has contacted 5 VC. 3 VC KIA used gas to escape.	
29	061725	RAAF	SHQ		VC around 22 extraction site delaying exfil.Gunships.	
30	061730	G2 OPS	SHQ		41 to stay in area until planned exfil time	
31	061655	12	SHQ		Loc up 1.7 Right 1.1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 621797 Not in amb	
32	061855	12	SHQ		No further change in loc	
33	062000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
34	062400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	070400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	070730	SHQ	21		Exfil 1330	hel not avail for 0800
3	070749	12	SHQ		Mov now	
4	070800	SHQ			Weather cooland overcast	
5	070815	SHQ			2Ic, Ptl Comd 22 and LCpl Absolom left for ATF to speak to G2 OPS and G2 INT	
6	070900	32	SHQ	0840	SHA 325721 Mov SOUTH	
7	070900	41	SHQ		HAM 547780 Mov NORTH contact ABS ref BDA	Continue first task
8	071000	SHQ		Ptl Comds	23,24,22 as guide left NADZAB on air recce of AO SWORDFISH	
9	071035	SHQ			Ptl 22 debriefed by Ops Offr	
10	071150	41	SHQ		MEG. (Sighted codeword) Req exfil 1300 will notify LZ	
11	071155	41	SHQ		Sighted bb 2 VC who headed to occupied camp	G2 OPS ordered ptl to remain in
12	071200	SHQ	41		Mov away continue task. Area now Tam Bo Song Rai Route 327	
13	071312	12	SHQ		622791 located camp. No luck ref task will continue this PM	
14	071345	RAAF	SHQ		21 Exfil now	Passed to CP
15	071355	SHQ	CP		21 Ptl now this loc	
16	071500	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 21	
17	071540	Relay	SHQ		NTR	
18	071550	12	SHQ		624789	
19	071610	41	SHQ		Need eefil now. Being tracked. Sighted 7 VC cannot move	Exfil on way
20	071630	32	SHQ	SHA 326727	Camp at 326715	
21	071655	SHQ	CP		Ptl 41 extracted	CP info
22	071730	32	SHQ		Camp (326715) occupied approx 20 male and female. Recce impossible owing to movt in area	Infod CP will contact G2 OPS
23	072000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
24	072400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	080400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	080740	12	SHQ		Loc no change	
3	080740	G2 OPS	SHQ		Ptl 32 to recce camp at 326715 for BDA, if occupied TF will arrange Airstrike	
4	080750	SHQ	32		Return camp for BDA. If occupied still will A/S	
5	080800	SHQ			Weather fine and sunny	
6	080830	32	SHQ		SHA 326717 Prev GR wrongly coded. Mov NORTH Arty missed	
7	080840	Relay	SHQ		Possible codeword JAG from 12 Comms bad	Alb sent to talk to Ptl

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8	080845	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl OK	
9	080900	Relay	SHQ		Have comms with Ptl. A.080830.B. UP 0.9 R 1.4 .C.1 VC. D. 1 VC KIA. E. NIL.. Carrying on with mission	
10	080915	SHQ	relay		Obtain details from 12 of wpns docs eqpt	
11	080930	32	SHQ		VAN (sighted) at 329710 LZ at 327720	FAC on way
12	080940	32	SHQ		No of VC unknown.1 VC seen 1 shot fired (at Ptl)	
13	081030	2IC	SHQ		FAC unable to contact 32 on 241/243	
14	081030	G2 OPS	SHQ		Contacted 32 instructed to ambush and lay up A/S in 1 hour	
15	081031	Relay	SHQ		Loc 12 R 1.4 U 0.6 (624786)	
16	081045	SHQ			2IC briefed Ptl 11	
17	081100	SHQ		2IC briefed Ptl 24		
18	081130	Relay	SHQ		No comms 12	
19	081130	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 41 - not completed	
20	081145	32	SHQ		SHA 326722 By en sighted, camp alerted now at LZ Req exfil	2IC infod
21	081150	SHQ	32		No exfil A/S on way	FAC will get more info
22	081205	12	SHQ		R1.4 U0.9 No docs, No wpn only cooking utensils	
23	081206	2IC	12		Shame, shame play the game	
24	081330	SHQ			Ops Offr continued debrief of Ptl 41	
25	081408	32	SHQ		Req exfil loc same.ASP	G2 OPS NO
26	081410	SHQ	32		Stop your loc. A/S 1700H. Assess BDA tomorrow	
27	081430	G2 OPS	SHQ		Offr to go on FAC A/S at 1700.Departs LUSCOMBE 1615	2IC to go
28	081430	RAAF	SHQ		BDA from first A/S 1 hut dest clothing scattered	
29	081435	G2 OPS	SHQ		Req 15 men standby - poss ac down W of Binh Gia beacon heard	
30	081440	2IC	G2 OPS		PtIs 23,24,11 on standby they were to Ptl tomorrow	
31	081445	G2 OPS	2 IC		Roger standdown standby force.We were just testing to see if you could comply with SOPs	
32	081600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
33	081700	SHQ			2IC flew in FAC to watch A/S on 32 Ptl camp.Another FAC already there 2IC returned.	
34	081910	SHQ			Cpl Jackson returned from FSPB LION by hel to obtain details of PtIs to be inserted.To return to FSPB tomorrow	
35	082000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
36	082100	ATF	SHQ		Confirm loc of 12 Ptl for H&I task	Not heard since 1205H
37	082400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	090400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	090640	SHQ			Nil en info at 1 ATF on 11 Ptl area	
3	090655	SHQ			Ptl 11 left this loc for pilots briefing at Kangaroo	
4	090730	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 11 inserted	CP infod
5	090800	SHQ			Weather overcast cool	
6	090830	SHQ	G2 AIR		Advised of 33 insertion 100700	
7	090850	Relay	SHQ		12 loc Atlantic R1.4 D 1.6 (624784) msg to follow	
8	090855	32	SHQ		SHA 326718 Req exfil after BDA one pack US one boots US	
9	090905	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 24 inserted	
10	090935	SHQ			2 sigs for relay left this loc for FSPB LION	
11	091155	32	SHQ		Sha 325714 BDA done exfil now explain later	
12	091203	32	SHQ		Send FAC now	
13	091205	SHQ	32		FAC on way	32 went off air before receipt of msg RAAF infod
14	091208	G2 OPS	SHQ		OK for exfil	
15	091225	SHQ	11,12,24 & relay		Typhoon warning tomorrow	
16	091243	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 32 extracted	CP infod
17	091330	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 32	
18	091435	24	SHQ		OKE 546782 small camp 544781 used today rice and fruit found and scattered	
19	091535	11	SHQ		ROB 435809 Mov NORTH	
20	091700	12	SHQ		TEX exfil 101100 LZ 625784	
21	091850	OP	SHQ		Light on route 2 Bearing 5200 mills	Passed to CP
22	091900	A Sqn	SHQ		Light is aiming post for guns	Notified OP
23	091915	ATF	SHQ		Ptl 32 to G2 OPS 100900 for debrief	
24	091935	SHQ	RAAF OPS		Ptl 12 extraction now at 101130Hrs	
25	092000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
26	092400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	100400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	100640	63	SHQ		Loc no change	relayed through 43A
3	100620	SHQ			Ptl 33 left this loc for kangaroo pad	
4	100725	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 33 inserted	
5	100800	SHQ			Weather light rain overnight. overcast and cool, early morning drizzle. No other effects of Typhoon FREDIA felt	
6	100835	24	SHQ	0830	OKE 545784 Mov EAST <u>SECRET</u>	

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7	100945	33	SHQ	0938	STE 355798 Mov NE	
8	101235	SHQ			Ptl 12 extracted this loc now	CP infod
9	101423	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 12	
10	101424	33	SHQ	1405	STE 347807 Mov NW	
11	101500	24	SHQ	1455	OKE 549788 Shots NW	
12	101550	11	SHQ	1540	ROB 434801 Mov NW	
13	101600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
14	102000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
15	102400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	110500	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	110730	SHQ			Ptl 31 returned from Cat LO	
3	110800	SHQ			Weather fine and cool	
4	110806	11	SHQ		ROB 434812 Mov NE	
5	110850	24	SHQ	0830	OKE no change mov NW vehs heard 1500 metres NW 102000H	
6	111005	33	SHQ		STE 342807 req FAC for fix	FAC on way
7	111055	RAAF	SHQ		Loc from FAC 343803	
8	111200	SHQ			Arrival of CGS, Comd AAFV, Comd 1 ATF	
9	111330	SHQ			Departure of " " "	
10	111435	24	SHQ		OKE 546786 shots 400 mtrs are FOXHOUNDS	No friendlies your area
11	111500	33	SHQ		338802 Mov W	
12	111555	24	SHQ		OKE LZ security for INF	Poss PM 13
13	111930	SHQ	161 Recce		Check on air recce for Sgt Fraser	will ring back info
14	112004	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
15	112050	161 recce	SHQ		VR flight for Fraser at 0630hrs	
16	112400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	120400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	120615	SHQ			Ptl Comds 31 & 32 departed on air recce	
3	120800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm, becoming hot	
4	120840	24	SHQ	0830	OKE 545784 Mov ESE	
5	120840	SHQ			2IC left for R&R in Aust	
6	120850	33	SHQ	0845	STE 337802 cant loc camp give GR of bend in trail	GR 338806
7	120925	24	SHQ		OKE Poss en camp this loc recce now	
8	121030	24	SHQ		OKE camp appears vacant	
9	121220	ATF	SHQ		Clearance to put relay team in Duc THanH	Departed 1300hrs
10	121410	SHQ			OC briefed Ptl Comd 31 Ptl	

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11	121420	33	SHQ		STE 342009 rejoice. Old camp this loc	
12	121510	11	SHQ		ROB 431810 Recce W Slope	
13		24	SHQ		OKE 594781 VC salvaging eqpt from destroyed camps req info ref coy infil	
14	121600	SHQ	1 ATF		Sitrep	
15	121600	SHQ	24		No ans on your questions yet call 0830 on 13	QSL 0830
16	121730	SHQ	24		LZ 558776 cleared by 131230. AC over you 1230 to confirm. Fly in 1300. Freq 43.20. NIS TX. Use 24 as your C/S. Your exfil PM 13 NOV details later. Call us when finished with FOXHOUND.	
17	122000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
18	122400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	130400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	13	11	SHQ	130750	ROB 432812 Recce W slope. Exfil LZ 440812 ETA 141200	
3		33	SHQ	130850	STE 341808 Reced camps here NTR. Mov SW	
4		33	SHQ	130855	Caches rice docs searching	
5	131010	SHQ	24		Talk to ac 1230. Use C/S 24 on 43.20 their C/S 92. Remain on air.	
6	131345	336	SHQ	131400	STE 341 808 400 lbs rice 150 yds plastic destroyed.	
7		11	SHQ	131507	ROB 433812 Mov EAST	
8	131500	SHQ			Ptl 24 now this loc	
9	131700	SHQ			Ptl 31 insertion delayed due to absence of LFT	
10	131800	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 31 now inserted - Int Sgt debriefed 24 Ptl	
11	132000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
12	132400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	140400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	140700	SHQ			Ptl 14 departed NADZAB for Kangaroo	
3	140745	11	SHQ		ROB 435812 Mov EAST	
4	140746	SHQ	RAAF		Query 14 insertion - delayed 20 mins due to gunships late	
5	140755	31	SHQ		FRA 348714	
6	140800	SHQ			Weather fine and hot	
7	140825	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 14 inserted - 31 used alt LZ	ATF infod
8	140830	33	SHQ		STE 340801 Recce for camp	
9	141000	11	SHQ		At LZ now	AC unavailable
10	141200	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 11 extracted	ATF infod
11	141300	XX SHQ	SHQ		Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 11	
12	141300	33	SHQ		STE 340801 cant loc camp. No en sign. is camp in 3580 occupied	No- Req exfil details
13	141330	33	SHQ		Ste exfil PM today this loc. Adv	OK 1600hrs
14	141452	31	SHQ		FRA 346711	
15	141515	14	SHQ		KNO 349758 Mov W	
16	141645	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 33 extracted	
17	141910	ATF	SHQ		Req permission to H&I fire GRS 362738 364724 363734 364686	OK
18	142000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
19	142400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	150400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	150800				Weather fine and warm	
3	150800	31	SHQ		FRA 339705	
4	150830	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 33	
5	150835	14	SHQ		KNO 345762 Mov W	
6	151435	31	SHQ		FRA 337705. Loc unoccupied camp 336704 approx 3 mts old. Platoon Str N-S track not recently used.	
7	151443	14	SHQ		KNO 342763 Mov W	
8	151610	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
9	151730	31	SHQ		FRA loc occupied camp 334708 six to ten VC	
10	151745	SHQ	31		Do detailed recce , We will advise	
11	152000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
12	152350	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	160400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	160800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm. Overcast in afternoon gusting winds	
3	160800	31	SHQ		Comms check only	
4	161300	14	SHQ		KNO amb 338762 will notify LZ tmw	
5	161430	31	SHQ	1420	FRA QST recce out NTR	
6	161640	31	SHQ		FRA req exfil 170800hrs GR 349701 Msn completed	
7	161650	SHQ	31		Send en details	
8	161725	31	SHQ		FRA Camp approx 300x 50 metres est occupied by platoon. remainder infp on exfil	
9	161736	SHQ	31		Ambush approaches	
10	161745	31	SHQ		FRA roger	
11	161850	161 recce	SHQ		Lt LUNNY req transport	
12	161940	7 RAR	SHQ		Sgts mess happy hour RSM would like visitors	
13	162010	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
14	162250	SHQ	ATF		Req clearance to take Pte HEATHREINGTON to RAP	Granted
15	162255	ATF	SHQ		Ref permission for Pte AYLLING to RTA	
16	162300	SHQ	ATF		Veh returned to unit area from RAP	
17	162400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	170400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	170750	31	SHQ		FRA would re est str of en to 15 - 20 change decision. The camp is a plumb. Hate to see it wasted	
3	170800	SHQ			Weather cool and sunny	
4	170820	SHQ	31		How many SAS to attack camp. How many females	
5	170900	SHQ			22 Ptl Comd left on air recce	
6	170935	31	SHQ		FRA A 35 B 2-3	
7	171040	SHQ	31		Agree details later. Secure LZ	Cancelled 1215
8	171350	14	SHQ		SUM (CONTACT) a.171135. B.338762. C.3. D.3 KIA. 1 wpn 2 packs .E.	FAC over area. TF infod
9	171400	SHQ	RAAF		File 347761 on arrival at 500 (before 1500)	
10	171425	31	SHQ		FRA LZ secure	Your exfil 1445
11	171500	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 14 this loc	
12	171510	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 31 this loc	
13	171545	SHQ			OC took Ptl Comds 14 & 31 to ATF for debrief	
14	171600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
15	171630	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 21 inserted	ATF infod
16	172000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
17	172400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR <u>SECRET</u>	

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1	180400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	180730	21	SHQ		No code card	Send GR in P of O
3	0735	21	SHQ		R 3.7 U 2.0 (547800)	
4	0740	SHQ	RAAF		Req SIOUX for 0930 to 21 area	New code card dropped
5	0800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm	
6	0825	SHQ			OC briefed Ptl 22	
7	0850	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 14	
8	0920	XXXX SHQ	SHQ		Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 31	
9	1005	RAAF	SHQ		32 Ptls insertion aborted	RAAF infod ATF
10	1030	SHQ			32 Ptls insertion now 1800	RAAF & G3 infod
11	1400	21	SHQ		GEB 545801 Mov NW	
12	1630	SHQ			PtIs 22 & 32 departed for kangaroo	
13	1700	RAAF	SHQ		Sgt FRASER req for FAC at 190830	Notified
14	1732	RAAF	SHQ		22 Ptl inserted	ATF notified
15	1810	RAAF	SHQ		32 Ptl inserted	ATF infod
16	1830	RAAF	SHQ		22 Ptl 100 metres NORTH of original LZ	
17	2000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
18	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	190400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	0750	21	SHQ		GEB 545802 Mov NW water cold	
3	0800	SHQ			Weather fine and hot. Cloud in afternoon	
4	0850	32	SHQ		SHA 710638 mov SOUTH	
5	1145	22	SHQ		DUN 496817	
6	1400	21	SHQ		GEB 540805 Mov NORTH Diff and slow	
7	1450	32	SHQ		SHA 710632 mov S	
8	1525	22	SHQ		DUN 492816	
9	1800	G2	SHQ		Why was OPS 650 cancelled	
10	1825	RAAF	SHQ		Confirm nothing on tomorrow	
11	2000	SHQ	EBONY		Sitrep NTR	
12	2000	SHQ	161 recce		Fixed wing recce fixed for 1300 - 1430	
13	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	0400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	0730	21	SHQ		GEB 536809 Mov NW then SE	
3	0800	SHQ			Weather fine and hot	
4	0830	32	SHQ		SHA 713630 Mov to tk	
5	0945	22	SHQ		DUN 503814 Mov sw	
6	1405	21	SHQ		GEB 530808 MOV SSW	
7	1445	32	SHQ		SHA 715630 TK not used recently. Will check further east.	
8	1525	22	SHQ		DUN 501811 Mov SE	
9	1835	ATF	SHQ		10 Men immediate stand by. 10 more 15 min notice . Possum down.	
10	1900	ATF	SHQ		AC loc 553815 . Crew rescued. Party s/downtill first light. 21 Nov	
11	2000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
12	2015	ATF	SHQ		Party for crashed a/c not required before 0730 21 Nov.	
13	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	210400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	210740	21	SHQ		GEB 532800 Mov SSE Burst AR 200	
3	210800	SHQ			Weather clear and fine	
4	210830	32	SHQ		SHA 721630 Mov east	
5	211000	21	SHQ		ARM (Contact) 0955 531798 0955 531798. Exfil 531801. Winch	RAAF info. TF info
6	21105	SHQ	21		Req more detail. Can you continue mission.	
7	211010	SHQ 21	SHQ		Country very open. No 2 bad cough developing	
8	211015	SHQ	21		Still require details of contact.	
9	211016	21	SHQ		One en about to fire on forward scout. Discouraged by ptl fire.	
10	1017	SHQ	21		SEND CONTACT REPORT.	
11	1025	21	SHQ		A. 210930. B. 531798 C. One seen on track. D. NIL.	RAAF Info.
12	1026	21	SHQ		At LZ 15 mins.	
13	1040	22	SHQ		DUN 503803 Mov SE	
14	1041	ATF	SHQ		Req Arty clearance to cover exfil 21	OK'D
15	1125	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 21 extracted.	ATF Info'd
16	1315	22	SHQ		BLU (contact) C4. D 1KIA. G LZ 501798 Now	ATF Info'd RAAF Info'd
17	1320	22	SHQ		A. 211220 B. 503801	
18	1340	SHQ	RAAF		Exfil 22. (Cleared through ATF)	
19	1400	SHQ			Ops officer debriefed 21 PTL	
20	1405	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 22 extracted.	ATF Info'd
21	1435	32	SHQ		SHA 723630 Shots to east.	XXXXXXXXXX Req detail of exfil
22	1515	32	SHQ		Will check for track to east. Info tmw.	

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23	1520	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed ptl 22	
24	1600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
25	2000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
26	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	220400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	220800 220800	SHQ			Weather	
3	220830	SHQ			OC Briefed Ptl 13	
4	220900	32	SHQ	220855	SHA 727629 LZ 726631 ETA 1000H	RAAF Info'D
5	221030 221030	RAAF	SHQ		32 Extracted	ATF Info'D
6	221100	SHQ			32 Ptl now this loc.	ATF Info'D
7	221600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
8	221730	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 23 inserted	CP Info'D
9	222200	SHQ ATF	ATF		Sitrep ntr	
10	222400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep ntr	
1	230400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep ntr	
2	230750	SHQ 13	SHQ	230741	ROO Loc 548802 MOV NTH to TAM BO Stream	
3	230800	SHQ			Weather overcast . Cool	
4	230830	SHQ			OC Briefed Ptl 12	
5	231030	SHQ			OC Briefed A, B, C, Tps for Sqn participation in search and Cordon of HOA LONG	
6	231410	13	SHQ		ROO Loc 547806 Mon NE for one hour then NW	
7	231600	SHQ			Ptls 12 and 24 departed on LZ recce	
8	232200	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep ntr	
9	232400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep ntr	
10	232400	SHQ			Sqn departed for OODNADATTA (cordon and search)(of HOA LONG)	

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1	240400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	240800	SHQ			Weather fine	
3	240815	13	SHQ	0740	ROO loc 545815 Mov N across Gia Hoets from the NE	
4	240825	RAAF	SHQ		Delay in insertion of 24 due to LFT grounded at Bien Hoa	
5	241040 241040	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 24 inserted	
6	241410	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 12 inserted	
7	241415	13	SHQ		ROO loc 554815	
8	241415	SHQ			Sqn returned from Op Oodnadatta	
9	241435	12	SHQ		TEX 649790 Mov W	
10	241515	24	SHQ		GIL 654635	
11	241545	SHQ			OC briefed Ptl 23	
12	241500	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
13	252000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
14	242400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	250400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	250755	13	SHQ		ROO loc 562815 Mov SE then STH to Tam Bo stream	
3	250800	SHQ			Weather fine to hot	
4	250853	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 33 inserted	
5	250855	12	SHQ		TEX 647793 Mov NW	
6	250940	24	SHQ		GIL 656628	
7	1425	13	SHQ	1400	ROO loc 551808 Mov STH then EAST to old en camp	
8	1426	12	SHQ	1405	TEX 652796 Mov SOUTH	
9	1437	33	SH Q		STE 697759 Mov WEST	
10	1540	24	SHQ		GIL 667628 area mined loc two chicom 36 type A/Pers inst pull fuse advise.	Area or tk how many
11	1510	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 23 inserted	
12	1550	24	SHQ		Both loc two more	
13	1605	SHQ	24		Mov away cont task	
14	1630	ATF	SHQ		Req clearance in area bounded by 5176-5576-5578-5178 from 260700 to 261700 for sector to harvest rice	Clearance granted
15	251640	24	SHQ		Poss cache send FAC to confirm posn	
16	251650	SHQ	RAAF		Req FAC for Gilshrist	airborne in 15 mins
17	251655	SHQ	24		Fac in 15 mins	
18	1723	RAAF	SHQ		Req confirmation of 24 ptls locstat	
19	1815	SHQ	ATF		Clearance granted in area E 54 to 57 N 77 to 78 YS 591766 and YS 593768	

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20	251821	RAAF	SHQ		GIL posn from FAC 673627	
21	2200	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
22	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	260400	EX SHQ	EX ATF		XXXXXX Sitrep NTR	
2	0750	13	SHQ	0725	LOC 561803 mov to old en camp. Ptl member No 5 has a swollen left elbow for 2 days getting worse. Req exfil 551790 PM today	G2 OKd for late PM
3	0800	23	SHQ		FAR 657759	
4	0800	SHQ			Weather overcast and cool	
5	0825	33	SHQ		STE 687754 Mov W	
6	0915	12	SHQ	0845	REX 646794 loc amb site	
7	1005	24	SHQ		GIL 672627 req water PM info if poss	How much
8	1015	24	SHQ		18 bottles	OK 1515 Req info cache
9	1100	24	SHQ		Gil cache not conf recce imposs due to more mines	
10	1200	12	SHQ		HOT (in amb)	
11	1330	13	SHQ	1315	ROO loc 550800 what time exfil 9	1700
12	1420	23	SHQ		FAR 663763 NTR	
13	1440	33	SHQ		STE 691760 Mov NE	
14	1500	24	SHQ		Gil 666626 bomb crater	
15	1506	SHQ			Sgt GRIDLEY departed to despach water to ptl 24	
16	1715	SHQ	ATF		Ptl 13 returned	
17	2000	SHQ			Sitrep NTR	
18	2240	SHQ			OP reports flare STH 5000m	
19	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	27 260400	SHQ	ATF		Sotrep NTR	
2	27 0755	23	SHQ		FAR 662766 NTR	
3	0800	SHQ			Weather raining cold and overcast	
4	0840	33	SHQ		STE 696769 Mov NORTH	
5	0845	SHQ			Col O'DEA visiting unit	
6	1030	24	SHQ	1025	GIL 659619NTR	
7	1200	12	SHQ	1150	TEX nil en act. area very quiet. Req exfil PM today 643797	OKd RAAF infod 271700
8	1400	SHQ	12		Due rain exfil 28	
9	1445	33	SHQ		STE 696776 Mov EAST	
10	1525	24	SHQ		GIL 651617 NTR	
11	2005	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
12	1150	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	280400	SHQ	ATF	Sitrep NTR		
2	0745	23	SHQ		NTR	
3	0800	SHQ			Weather cool cloud clearing	
4	0846	33	SHQ	0843	STE 700677 Mov NE	
5	1000	24	SHQ		GIL 650623 exfil PM will advise	Req time 34 infil your LZ
6	1050	24	SHQ		290800	
7	1055	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 12 extracted	1 ATF CP infod
8	1135	24	SHQ	1120	GIL exfil 290800 ack	OK
9	1135	23	SHQ	1120	FAR req ac to fix our loc	None avail before noon
10	1500	33	SHQ	1425	STE 703780 Mov EAST no sign of en	
11	1500	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 23 loc ?	
12	1515	24	SHQ		GIL 651625 NTR	
13	1930	ATF	SHQ		Notification of area OP FRANCES 45 to 48 EASTINGS STH of 81 NORTHING OP to 011800 DEC	Notified clear of Tps
14	2000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
15	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
1	290400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	0525	ATF			Request ground clearance 670830	OK
3	0800	SHQ			Weather fine and warm	
4	0830	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 34 infil delayed due to fog bound gunships at Bien Hoa	
5	0905	33	SHQ		STE 710781 tks unused req exfil PM today 707779	
6	0910	SHQ	33		Obs tracks exfil 30	
7	0940	24	SHQ		GIL LZ advise	1030
8	1100	24	SHQ		???	Exfil 1430 no gunships
9	1210	23	SHQ		FAR amb 658767 exfil midday at 652766	OK
10	1445	RAAF	S HQ		Ptl 24 extracted Ptl 34 inserted	ATF CP infod
11	1455	33	SHQ		STE 707776 LZ 703776 Adv time	Exfil noon
12	1515	23	SHQ		BON (contact) A.1430.B.656767.C.3.D.3 KIA.E.nil.654767 now	OK RAAF on way
13	1615	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 23 extracted	ATF infod
14	1635	SHQ	CP		Contact report	See serial 12
15	2000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
16	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1	300400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
2	0740	34	SHQ		GLO 646628 Mov S	
3	0800	SHQ			Weather overcast, cool some rain	
4	0830	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 23	
5	0900	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 24	
6	1215	RAAF	SHQ		Ptl 33 extracted	ATF CP infod
7	1400	SHQ			Ops Offr debriefed Ptl 33	
8	1405	34	SHQ		GLO 646622 Mov SE	
9	1600	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep	
10	2000	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	
11	2400	SHQ	ATF		Sitrep NTR	

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 290700H NOV TO 081700H DEC

A. Ptl Serial No	189/67	190/67	191/67	192/67	193/67
B. Sub unit	Ptl 34	Ptl 14	Ptl 31	Ptl 21	Ptl 22
C. C/S and Freq	HF	HF	HF	HF	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	Recce Zone 1511	Ambush Zone 307	Recce Zone 1603	Recce Zone 510	Ambush Zone 1012
F. Strength	5	10	5	5	5
G. Date/time out	290700H NOV	300700H NOV	020700H	020700H	030700H
H. Date/time in	041700H DEC	051700H DEC	071700H	071700H	081700H
J. Route	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel
K. LZ					
L. PZ					
M. Remarks	Area 63 - 68 EASTINGS and 60 - 65 NORTHINGS LESS route 328	Area 48 - 53 EASTINGS and 79 - 83 NORTHINGS LESS DUC TINH AO	Area 70 - 75 EASTINGS And 61 - 66 NORTHINGS	Area 67 - 71 EASTINGS and 77 - 82 NORTHINGS	Area 61 - 66 EASTINGS and 73 - 78 NORTHINGS LESS route 328

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G2 AIR	5
Arty TAC	6
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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 220700H TO 301700H

A. Ptl Serial No	184/67	185/67	186/67	187/67
B. Sub unit	Ptl 13	Ptl 12	Ptl 24	Ptl 23
C. C/S and Freq	HF	HF	HF	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS SQN	1 SAS SQN	1 SAS SQN	1 SAS SQN
E. Task	Recce Zone 413	Ambush Zone 509	Recce Zone 1510	Ambush Zone 1010
F. Strength	5	5	5	5
G. Date/time out	220700H	230700H	240700H	250700H
H. Date/time in	271700H	281700H	291700H	301700H
J. Route	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel
K. LZ				
L. PZ				
M. Remarks	Area 53 - 58 EASTINGS and 72 - 83 NORTHINGS	Area 62 - 67 EASTINGS and 77 - 82 NORTHINGS	Area 64 - 69 EASTINGS and 60 - 65 NORTHINGS LESS 2 RAR TAOR	Area 64 - 69 EASTINGS and 73 - 78 NORTHINGS

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 220700H TO 301700H CONTINUED

A.	PtI Serial No.	188/67
B.	Sub Unit	PtI 33
C.	C/S and Freq	HF
D.	Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn
E.	Task	Recce Zone 1011
F.	Strength	5
G.	Date/time out	250700H
H.	Date/time in	301700H
J.	Route	Infil by hel
K.	IZ	
L.	PZ	
M.	Remarks	Area 67 - 71 EASTINGS and 73 - 78 NORTHINGS

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 170700H TO 251700H

A. Ptl Serial No.	180/67	181/67	182/67	183/67
B. Sub Unit	Ptl 21	Ptl 32	Ptl 22	Ptl
C. C/S and Freq	HF	HF	HF	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	Recce Zone 412	Ambush Zone 1602	Recce Zone 306	Ambush Zone 211
F. Strength	5	5	5	5
G. Date/Time out	171600H	181000H	181700H	200700H
H. Date/Time in	221700H	231700H	231700H	251700H
J. Route	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel
K. LZ	551798	726631	501820	
L. PZ				
M. Remarks	Area 51-56 EASTINGS and 78-83 NORTHINGS Less BINH GIA TAOR	Area 69-74 EASTINGS and 61-66 NORTHINGS	Area 48-53 EASTINGS and 79-83 NORTHINGS Less BINH GIA TAOR	Area 36-41 EASTINGS and 79-83 NORTHINGS

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A. Ptl Serial No.	180/67	181/67	182/67	183/67
B. Sub Unit	Ptl 21	Ptl 34	Ptl 22	Ptl 32
C. C/S and Freq	HF	HF	HF	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	Recce Zone 412	Ambush Zone 413	Recce Zone 306	Ambush Zone 211
F. Strength	5	5	5	5
G. Date/Time out	170700H	170700H	180700H	200700H
H. Date/Time in	221700H	221700H	231700H	251700H
J. Route	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel	Infil by hel
K. LZ				
L. PZ				
M. Remarks	Area 51 - 56 EASTINGS and 78 - 83 NORTHINGS LESS BINH GIA TAOR	Area 58 - 63 EASTINGS and 84 - 89 NORTHINGS	Area 48 - 53 EASTINGS and 79 - 83 NORTHINGS LESS BINH GIA TAOR	Area 36 - 41 EASTINGS and 79 - 83 NORTHINGS

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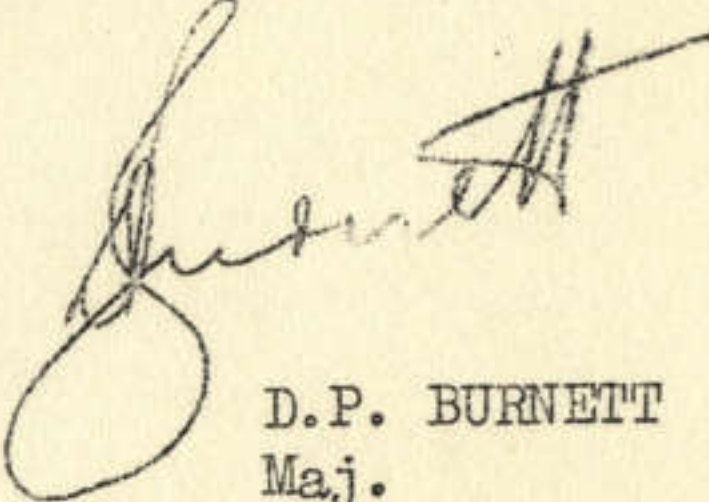
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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 131700H TO 191700H

A. Ptl Serial No	178/67	179/67
B. Sub Unit	Ptl 31	Ptl 14
C. C/S and Freq	HF	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	Recce Zone 718	Ambush track in Zone 719
F. Strength	5	5
G. Date/time out	131700H	140700H
H. Date/time in	191700H	181700H
J. Route	Infil by hel	Infil by hel
K. LZ		
L. PZ		
M. Remarks	Area 31 - 36 EASTINGS and 69 - 74 NORTHINGS	Area 32 - 36 EASTINGS and 73 - 78 NORTHINGS

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 100800H TO 161700H

A. Ptl serial No.	177/67
B. Sub unit	Ptl 24
C. C/S and freq	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	Ambush and ptl AO SWORDFISH less area EAST of SONG RAI and destroy all enemy encountered.
F. Strength	10
G. Date/time out	100900H
H. Date/time in	161700H
J. Route	Infil by hel
K. LZ	546779
L. PZ	
M. Remarks	Area SWORDFISH less area EAST of SONG RAI

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 100800H TO 151700H

A. Ptl Serial No.	176/67
B. Sub Unit	24 Ptl
C. C/S and Freq	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	Recce zone 210
F. Strength	5
G. Date/Time out	100800H
H. Date/Time in	151700H
J. Route	Infil by hel
K. LZ	
L. PZ	
M. Remarks	Area TAOR - 38 Easting and 79 - 83 Northing

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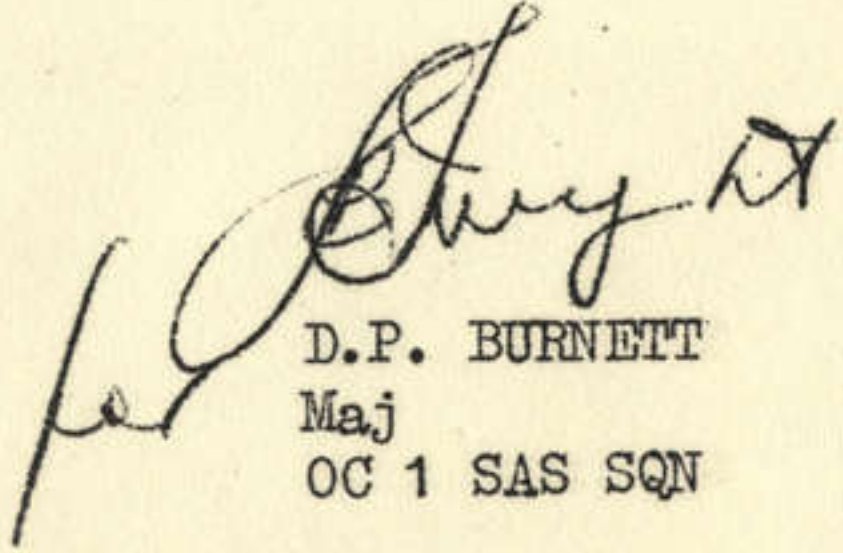
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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 060800H TO 141700H

	174/67	175/67
A. Ptl Ser No	12 Ptl	11 Ptl
B. Sub unit	HF	HF
C. C/S and Freq	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn
D. Controlled by	Recce Zone 210	Recce Zone 305
E. Task	5	5
F. Strength	060900H	090800H
G. Date/time out	111700H	141700H
H. Date/time in	Infil by hel	Infil by hel
J. Route		
K. LZ		
L. PZ		
M. Remarks	Area TAOR - 38 EASTING and 79 -83 NORTHING	Area 40 - 45 Easting and 78 - 83 NORTHING LESS RF/PF TAOR

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 040700H TO 111700H NOV

A. Ptl Ser No.	173/67
B. Sub Unit	32 Ptl
C. C/S and Freq	HF
D. Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn
E. Task	^{Reece} Ambush tracks in Zone 718
F. Strength	5
G. Date/Time Out	040700H
H. Date/Time In	111700H
J. Route	Infil by Hel
K. LZ	
L. PZ	
M. Remarks	Area 31 to 36 Eastings and 69 to 74 NORTHINGS Excluding GS 3173

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1 SAS SQN TASK TABLE FROM 01700H TO 091700H NOV

A Ptl Ser No.	170/67	171/67	172/67
B Sub Unit	21 Ptl	22 Ptl	41 Ptl
C C/S and Freq	HF	HF	HF
D Controlled by	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn	1 SAS Sqn
E Task	Recce Zone 717	Ambush tracks in YS 5678 after departure of 7 RAR from AO BRAVO	Ambush tracks in YS 5478 after departure of 7 RAR from AO BRAVO
F Strength	5	5	5
G Date/Time Out	011700H	3 Nov	3 Nov
H Date/Time In	061700H	091700H	091700H
J Route	Infil by hel to 14 Ptl PZ	APC to FSPB WILTON	APC to FSPB WILTON
K LZ	YS 346781	-	-
L PZ		-	-
M Remarks	Area 32-36 Eastings and 74-79 Northings	Area 54-58 Eastings and 77-80 Northings	Area 54-58 Eastings and 77-80 Northings

Note: 1. 2 x UH1B and 1 x LFT on standby during daylight hours
2. Panel marker and smoke - RED

Distr:- 1 ATF 1 - 4 SASR 8
Comd's Diary 5 - 7 File 9

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(D P BURNETT)
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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 677	

SITREP N° 201 FROM 291600H TO 301600H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 34 LOC YS 646622 AT 301415H MOV SE @

PTL 33 EXTRACTED 301215H //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 673	

SITREP N^o 200 FROM 281600H TO 291600H ①

EN ① YS 656767 AT 291430H PTL 23 CONTACTED 3 VC
RESULT 3 VC KIA (BC) ①

OWN SIT ①

PTL 24 EXTRACTED AT 291445H ①

PTL 33 LOC YS 707776 AT 291500 TO BE EXTRACTED 30 NOV ①

PTL 34 INSERTED YS 650629 AT 291445H ①

PTL 23 EXTRACTED 291615 H AFTER CONTACT //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 670	

SITREP N° 199 FROM 271600H TO 281600H ©

EN © NIL ©

OWN SIT ©

PTL 23 LOC YS 662766 AT 28 0745 H LOC APPROX ©

PTL 33 LOC YS 703780 AT 28 1500H MOV EAST ©

PTL 24 LOC YS 651625 AT 28 1515 H TO BE EXTRACTED
AM 29TH ©

PTL 34 TO BE INSERTED 29 NOV .

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 668	

SITREP No 198 FROM 261600H TO 271600H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 12 LOC YS 643797 TO BE EXTRACTED 28 AM @

PTL 23 LOC YS 662766 AT 270755H @

PTL 24 LOC YS 651617 AT 271530H @

PTL 33 LOC YS 696776 AT 271445H MOV EAST @

AMMENDMENT @

SITREP No 197 @ LAST LINE SHOULD READ PTL 13 //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 26 1600 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 667	

SITREP No 197 From 251600H TO 261600H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 12 LOC YS 646794 AT 261200H IN AMB @

PTL 23 LOC YS 663763 AT 261420H @

PTL 24 LOC YS 666626 AT 261550H @

PTL 33 LOC YS 691760 AT 261440H MOV NE @

PTL 12 LOC YS 550800 TO BE EXTRACTED 261700H //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 666	

SITREP N° 196 FROM 241600H TO 251600H Ⓞ

EN Ⓞ YS 667628 AT 251540H 2 BOOBY TRAPS cmm
CHICOM (36 TYPE) Ⓞ

OWN SIT Ⓞ

PTL 12 LOC YS 652796 AT 251440H MOV W Ⓞ

PTL 13 LOC YS 551808 AT 251425H MOV SE Ⓞ

PTL 24 LOC YS 667628 AT 251540H Ⓞ

PTL 33 LOC YS 697759 AT 251440H MOV W Ⓞ

PTL 23 INSERTED YS 658763 AT 251510H //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 24 1520H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 665	

SITREP N^o 195 FROM 23 1600H TO 24 1600H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 12 LOC YS 649790 AT 24 1435H MOV W @

PTL 13 LOC YS 554815 AT 24 1410H MOV E @

PTL 24 LOC YS 654635 AT 24 1515H @

PTLS 23 AND 33 TO BE INSERTED 25 NOV //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 23 1500H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SITREP	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 661	

SITREP N° 194 FROM 221600H TO 231600H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 13 LOC YS 547806 AT 23 1410H MOV E @

PTLS 12 AND 24 TO BE INSERTED 24 0800H AND
24 1000H //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 22 1400H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 657	

SITREP No 193 FROM 211600H TO 221600H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 32 EXTRACTED 22 1100H @

PTL 13 TO BE INSERTED 22 1730H //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 21/600 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 656	

SITREP N° 192 FROM 201600 H TO 211600 H ⊙

EN ⊙ YS 531798 AT 210930 H PTL 21 CONTACTED
1 VC NEG RESULTS ⊙

YS 503801 AT 211220 H PTL 22 CONTACTED
4 VC RESULT 1 VC KIA (BC)comm1 WPN
(7.62 CHICOM M1944) BASIC WEBBING CAPTURED ⊙

OWN SIT ⊙

PTL 32 LOC YS 723630 AT 211435 H MOV EAST ⊙

PTL 21 EXTRACTED 21 1125 H ⊙

PTL 22 EXTRACTED 21 1405 H ⊙

PTL 13 TO BE INSERTED 22 1730 //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 20 1600 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 653	

SITREP N° 191 FROM 191600H TO 201600H ☉

EN ☉ NIL ☉

OWN SIT ☉

PTL 21 LOC YS 530808 AT 20 1405 H MOV SSW ☉

PTL 22 LOC YS 501811 AT 20 1525 H MOV SE ☉

PTL 32 LOC YS 715630 AT 20 1445 H MOV E //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 191600H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 651	

SITREP No 190 FROM 181600H TO 191600H 0

ENO NIL 0

OWN SIT 0

PTL 21 LOC YS 540805 AT 191400H MOV NTH 0
 PTL 22 LOC YS 492816 AT 191525H MOV STH 0
 PTL 32 LOC YS 710632 AT 191450H MOV STH //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 18 1530H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 648	

SITREP N^o 189 FROM 17/600H TO 18/600H. ©

EN © NIL ©

OWN SIT ©

PTL 21 LOC YS 545801 AT 18/400H MOV NW ©

PTL 22 TO BE INSERTED 18 1730H ©

PTL 32 TO BE INSERTED 18 1815H ~~##~~

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 646	

SITREP N^o 188 FROM 161600H TO 171600H

EN ① VS 338762 AT 171135H PTL 14 AMBUSHED
3 VC RESULT 3 VC KIA (BC) 1 X M2 CARBINE
2 PACKS CONTAINING RICE RECOVERED ①

VS 334708 AT 170750H OCCUPIED CAMP
(PREVIOUSLY REPORTED) NOW APPROX 15 VC ①

OWN SIT ①

PTL 14 EXTRACTED 171500H ①

PTL 31 EXTRACTED 171510H ①

PTL 21 TO BE INSERTED 171630H ①

PTLS 22 AND 32 TO BE INSERTED 18TH AM AND PM //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 641	

SITREP No 187 FROM 151600H TO 161600H @

EN @ YS 334708 AT 151730H OCCUPIED CAMP 6-10
VC @

OWN SIT @

PTL 14 LOC YS 338762 AT 161300H IN AMBUSH @

PTL 31 LOC YS 334708 AT 161430H RECCE CAMP //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 15 1600 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN	PREFIX		GR
To 1 ATF	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET		
Info	ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 637		

SITREP No 186 FROM 141600H TO 151600H @

EN @ YS 336704 AT 151435H UNOCCUPIED CAMP
PLATOON SIZE 3 MONTHS OLD @

OWN SIT @

PTL 14 LOC YS 342763 AT 151443H MOV W @

PTL 31 LOC YS 337705 AT 151435H MOV W @

PTL 33 EXTRACTED AT 141650H //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 634	

SITREP No 185 FROM 131600 H TO 141600 H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 14 LOC YS 348758 AT 141520 H MOV W @

PTL 31 LOC YS 346711 AT 141455 H MOV W @

PTL 11 EXTRACTED AT 141205 H @

PTL 33 TO BE EXTRACTED AT 141615 H //

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From ISAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To IATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 633	

SITREP No 184 FROM 121600H TO 131600H @

EN @

YS 341808 AT 131345H PTL LOCATED AND DESTROYED 400LBS RICE AND 1,500 YDS PLASTIC @

OWN SIT @

PTL 11 LOC YS 433812 AT 131510H MOV EAST FOR EXFIL TOMORROW @

PTL 33 LOC YS 341808 AT 131345H MOV

SW @

PTL 24 NOW THIS LOC //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 12 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN			PREFIX GR
To 1 ATF			SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
Info			ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 629

SITREP No 183 FROM 111600H TO 121600H @

END @

Y5 545 784 AT 121030H VALANT
ENEMY CAMP CMM VC SALVAGING
EQPT FROM DESTROYED CAMPS @

OWN SIT @

PTL 11 LOC Y5 431 810 AT 121530H RECCE
WEST SLOPE OF FEATURE @

PTL 33 LOC Y5 342 809 AT 121420 RECCE
OLD EN CAMP @

PTL 24 LOC Y5 549 781 AT 121535H
MOV EAST //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 625	

SITREP N^o 182 FROM 101600H TO 111600H ⊙

EN ⊙ NIL ⊙

OWN SIT ⊙

PTL 11 LOC YS 434812 AT 110806H MOV NE ⊙

PTL 24 LOC YS 546786 AT 111435H ⊙

PTL 33 LOC YS 338802 AT 111600H MOV W ⊙

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 623	

SITREP No 181 FROM 091600H TO 101600H

ENO

YS 622792 AT 070930H CAMP OF 3 HUTS EACH

WITH BOMB SHELTER UNDER IT

YS 623788 AT 071600H CAMP OF 6 HUTS EACH

WITH BOMB SHELTER UNDER IT

OWN SIT

PTL 24 LOC YS 549788 AT 101500H

PTL 33 LOC YS 347807 AT 101410H MOV NE

PTL 11 LOC YS 434801 AT 101540H MOV NTH

[LAST PART OF GR UNCERTAIN DUE TO BAD COMMS]

PTL 12 - EXTRACTED AT 101230H //

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PRECEDENCE — ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE — INFO DEFERRED	DATE — TIME GROUP 09 1600 H	MESSAGE INSTRUCTIONS
From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
To 1 ATF		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 620	

SITREP N^o 180 FROM 081600H TO 091600H @

EN^o YS 544781 AT 091435H PTL 24 LOC SMALL CAMP USED TODAY @ RICE AND FRUIT FOUND AND SCATTERED @

YS 326716 AT 090930H PTL 32 DID BDA ON CAMP CONSISTING OF 8 BUNKERS @ 1 KITCHEN @ 1 LECTURE/EATING HUT @ BDA WAS — 1 BUNKER DEST 1 BUNKER DAMAGED @ BOTH STRUCTURES DAMAGED @

4 x M26 GRENADES REMOVED BY PTL FROM HUT @

YS 325715 AT 091155H 4 VC MOVED INTO CAMP FROM WEST @

OWN SIT^o

PTL 11 LOC YS 435809 AT 091535H MOV NTH @

PTL 12 LOC YS 624784 AT 090835H @

PTL 24 LOC YS 546782 AT 091435 @

PTL 32 EXTRACTED FROM YS 325714 AT 091243H @

PTL 33 TO BE INSERTED AT 100700H //

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From 1 SAS SQN	To 1 ATF		PREFIX GR
Info			SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET
			ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 617

SITREP No 179 FROM 071600H TO 081600H

EN (C) YS 548781 AT 071135H PTL 41 SAW 7 VC AT AREA OF RICE CACHE (C)

YS 546780 AT 071610H 7 VC SWEEPING AREA FOR PTL (C)

YS 326715 AT 071630H FROM PTL 32 CAMP OCCUPIED BY APPROX 20 MALE/FEMALES (C)

YS 329710 AT 080930H PTL 32 SIGHTED BY 1 VC comm 1 SHOT FIRED AT PTL comm EN CAMP ALERTED (C)

YS 624789 AT 080830H PTL 12 CONTACTED 1 VC RESULT 1 VC KIA (BC) NO WPN/EQPT ONLY COOKING UTENSILS (C)

OWN SIT (C)

PTL 12 LOC YS 624789 AT 081205H (C)

PTL 32 LOC YS 326722 AT 081410H (C)

PTL 41 EXTRACTED AT 071715H // (C)

PTL 11 TO BE INSERTED AT 090730H (C)

PTL 24 TO BE INSERTED AT 090900H // (C)

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SITREP No 178 FROM 061600H TO 071600 H @

EN @ PTL 22 YS 565783 AT 061620 H CONTACTED
 6 VC WHO WERE SWEEPING AREA FOR PTL @
 RESULTS 3 VC KIA (BC) @
 PTL 41 WERE SIGHTED BY 2 VC WHO RAN
 INTO OCCUPIED CAMP @

OWN SIT @
 PTL 12 LOC 789624 AT 071550 H @
 PTL 22 EXTRACTED 061730 H AFTER CONTACT @
 PTL 32 LOC YS 325721 AT 070840 H MOV STH @
 PTL 41 LOC YS 547777 AT 071600 H @
 PTL 21 EXTRACTED 071345 H //

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Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 609	

SITREP No 177 FROM 051600 H TO 061600 H

EN YS 546784 AT 061135H Ptl loc RICE CACHE OF 7x4 gal Drums Rice was scattered

YS 545786 AT 051600H Ptl sighted 4 VC in a hut

YS 565785 AT 061530H VC WORKING ON OLD CAMP

OWN SIT

PTL 21 LOC YS 328768 AT 061430H TO BE EXTRACTED AM 07 NOV DUE ONE PTL MEMBER INFECTED FOOT

PTL 22 LOC YS 565783 AT 061545H MOV EAST TO AMB VC WORKING ON OLD CAMP

PTL 32 LOC YS 327729 AT 061430H MOV SW

PTL 41 LOC YS 547777 AT 061600H ONE PTL MEMBER TO BE CHANGED THIS LOC PTL THEN MOV NTH FOR BDA ON CAMP YS 545786 PRIOR TO CONTINUE AMB TASK

PTL 21 LOC YS 619801 AT 061230H MOV SE

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Info			ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 606

SITREP No 176 FROM 04 1600 H TO 05 1600 H ⊙

EN ⊙ 21 PTL REPORTS LARGE NEW BUNKER
COMPLEX AT YS 344754 ⊙

OWN SIT ⊙

PTL 21 LOC YS 336764 AT 05 14 10 H MOV NW ⊙

PTL 22 LOC YS 559785 AT 05 15 20 H IN

AMBUSH ⊙

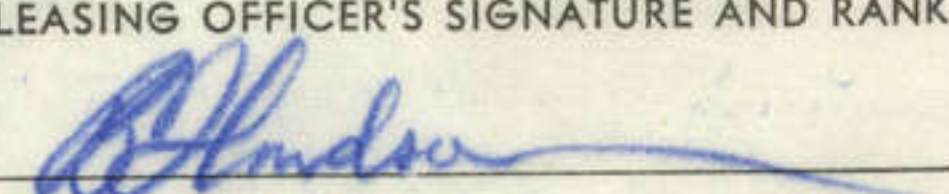
PTL 32 LOC YS 333732 AT 05 14 30 H MOV WEST ⊙

PTL 41 LOC YS 546785 AT 05 14 30 H IN AMB

ONE PTL MEMBER TO BE EXTRACTED DUE
ILLNESS ⊙ TO BE REPLACED ⊙

PTL 12 DEPARTS THIS LOC 05 16 15 FOR

FSB LION WITH LO AND SIG FOR
RELAY //

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SITREP NO 175 FROM 031600H TO 041600H

END NTRD

OWN SITO

PTK 21 LOC YS 343757 AT 041400H MOV NW

PTK 22 LOC YS 559785 AT 041515H WILL AMBUSH

AT THIS LOC

PTK 21 LOC YS 545784 AT 041430H MOV W

PTK 32 TO BE INSERTED AT 041700H - TIME

ON LZ 1800H //

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Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 601	

SITREP No 174 A FROM 02 1600 H TO 03 1600 H @

EN @ NIL @

OWN SIT @

PTL 21 LOC YS 336750 AT 031400 H

MOV NE @

PTLS 22 AND 41 LOC YS 552780 AT

031430 H MOV NTH

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From <i>1 SAS SQN</i>		PREFIX	GR
To <i>1 ATF</i>		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION <i>SECRET</i>	
Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER <i>OPS 598</i>	

SITREP No 174 FROM 011600 H TO 021600 H ☉

ENO NIL ☉

OWN SIT ☉

PTL 31 WERE EXTRACTED FROM LZ
YS377779 AT 011645 H DUE TO
U/S COMMS ☉

PTL 14 WERE EXTRACTED FROM LZ
YS 346781 AT 011745 H ☉

PTL 21 WERE NOT INSERTED AS IN OPS 59
IT WILL BE INSERTED AT YS 334746
AT 030900 H ☉

PTLS 22 AND 41 DEPARTED THIS LOC BY
APC WITH THE CONVOY FOR FSB WILTON
AT 02 1500 H //

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From 1 SAS SQN		PREFIX	GR
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Info		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 595	

SITREP No 173 From 311600H to 011600H (C)

EN (C) NIL (C)

OWN SIT (C)

PTL 31 LOC YS 376775 AT 311430
 MOVING NTH (C) MISSED SCHEDS TODAY (C)
 PTL 14 TO BE EXTRACTED FROM YS
 346781 AT 011700H ONE PTL MEMBER SICK (C)
 PTL 21 TO BE INSERTED AT YS 346781
 AT 011700H (C)
 PTL 22 AND PTL 41 TO BE INSERTED
 INTO FSB WILTON //

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1 SAS SQN NOMINAL ROLL
AS AT 30 NOV 67

235111	Maj	D P	BURNETT	4410613	Cpl	R J	MUTCH
242902	Capt	D	LEVENSPIEL	5411320	Cpl	R T	PERCY
37479	2Lt	W F	HINDSON	15827	Cpl	M T	ROBERTS
44066	2Lt	R R	GLOEDE	18156	Cpl	A W	ROSER
216491	2Lt	J D	KNOX	54453	Cpl	F B	STANDEN *
19968	2Lt	K W	LUNNY	54045	Cpl	C C	WREN
212807	WO2	H W	HAMMOND	5411024	Cpl	E G	WHEATLEY *
210778	WO2	M S	DAVIS	2141668	Cpl	A V	SMITH
52871	Ssgt	A B	GRATWICK	38576	Lcpl	S W	BARDSLEY *
3410763	Sgt	A C	ANSET	1410935	Lcpl	I F	CONAGHAN
214230	Sgt	G T	BAINES	54047	Lcpl	H J	DEVINE
213154	Sgt	R K	DONNELLY	5411122	Lcpl	W G	DeMAMIEL
42357	Sgt	J M	DUNCAN	214801	Lcpl	M	EWART
15646	Sgt	N W	FARLEY	17795	Lcpl	R L	GULDBRANSEN
53151	Sgt	L E	FRASER	19963	Lcpl	J L	GRIFFITHS *
213439	Sgt	B E	GLOVER	214677	Lcpl	R T	MOORE
15718	Sgt	G A	GRIDLEY	214032	Lcpl	N R	PURCELL
1200111	Sgt	J	GEBHARDT	216452	Lcpl	T J	ROSS
36226	Sgt	R J	GILCHRIST	38178	Lcpl	R K	STYNER
53982	Sgt	M P	LYON *	216574	Lcpl	A J	SHEPHERD *
15340	Sgt	W H	ROODS	16949	Lcpl	L	WENITONG
15530	Sgt	G L	SHAW	54219	Pte	F J	AYLING
36720	Sgt	F	SYKES	38192	Pte	D C	BARNES
214463	Cpl	B H	ABSOLOM	3411898	Pte	I A	BULLOCK
16767	Cpl	S J	BLOOMFIELD	54840	Sig	N K	BAINBRIDGE *
42522	Cpl	L O	DIDSMAN *	2412382	Pte	R F	CLARK
15325	Cpl	J J	DUFFY	311515	Pte	C P	CARROLL
16337	Cpl	D M	FISHER	5411622	Pte	D R	COCHRANE
53732	Cpl	A G	GARVIN	54752	Pte	M	DAVIES
54987	Cpl	J L	JACKSON *	5411172	Pte	B J	DELGADO
37836	Cpl	E P	LUNDBERG *	6410234	Pte	P A	FRANCE

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43716	Pte	S R	FRANZI	3411814	Pte	D H	JENSEN
6708471	Pte	N H	FISHER	216666	Pte	M R	KRASOVSKY
1200257	Pte	W B	GABRIEL	1200673	Sig	A L	KEYS *
38101	Pte	R R	GRINDAL	3411471	Pte	S	LIEFTING
4411080	Pte	G M	GOODWIN	3411783	Pte	A J	MacDONALD
4410943	Pte	J D	GUY	36571	Pte	G	MAWKES
215437	Sig	A J	GALLEGOS *	61527	Pte	J V	PARKER
5411594	Pte	G P	HERBERT	43384	Sig	C R	PINNINGTON *
4410614	Pte	J F	HARVEY	55166	Pte	G A	PURSELL
1200490	Pte	J F	HINGST	54801	Pte	R T	ROBERTSEN
43378	Sig	B C	HUNT *	17951	Pte	T	SLOCOMBE
38519	Sig	T J	HICKENBOTHAM *	3411626	Pte	M J	SMITH
216842	Pte	M P	HETHERINGTON	38202	Pte	C D	STEWART
216825	Pte	B G	HOLLITT	214775	Pte	A N	SMITHERS
54798	Pte	N E	HARLEY	38194	Pte	M P	VAN NUS
2412358	Pte	G M	ISRAEL	18179	Pte	J E	VAN ELDIK
1200161	Pte	C J	JACKSON	216270	Pte	J P	WARD
43234	Sig	M R	JANSEN *				

* Denotes pers of Det 152 Sig Sqn

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WEEKLY STRENGTH RETURN - 1 SAS SQN

AS AT 2359 HRS TUE 28 Nov 67

Incl Det 152 Sig Sqn - Posted strength:-
1 x Sgt, 5 x Cpl, 3 x Lcpl, 7 x Sig.

OFFICERS				WOs			Rank and File						Total all Ranks	Detail	
Lt Col	Maj	Capt	Lt	Total	WO1	WO2	Total	Ssgt	Sgt	Cpl	Lcpl	Pte			Total
	1	1	4	6		2	2		17	17	16	52	102	110	Establishment
	1	1	4	6		2	2		16	16	13	45	90	98	Posted Strength
								1					1	1	Surplus
									1	1	3	7	12	12	Deficiencies

Notes to AFV weekly strength return:-

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Annex A to
HQ ATF 2333-1-1
of 9 May 67

WEEKLY PARADE STATE 1 SAS Sqn
AS AT 0630 Hrs.....
26 Nov 67

HQ 1 ATF

1. Australians only

Serial	Particulars	Offr	WO	Ssgt Sgt	R&F	Total
1.	Establishment strength incl:- a. Att pers shown on estb. b. Incr to estb.	6	2	17	76	101
2.	Theatre supplement					
3.	Authorised entitlement (1 plus 2)				9	9
4.	Posted strength	6	2	17	65	90
	<u>Non Effectives</u>					
5.	AWOL					
6.	Leave (Incl R and R and R and C)					
7.	Schools and Courses	1			4	5
8.	Hospital					
9.	Det (incl detention) outside ATF and not avail for Ops in ATF				3	3
10.	Total non effectives (5 to 9 incl)	1			7	8
11.	Total effective strength (4 minus 10)	5	2	16	64	87
12.	Det to other ATF units (not to affect totals 10 and 11)					

2. US, NZ or ARVN attached (Effective strength only)

Serial	National	Offr	WO	Ssgt/Sgt	OR/EM	Total
1.	United States					
2.	New Zealand					
3.	R of Vietnam					
4.	Total					

3. Break up of Australian Posted Strength

Serial	Rank	ARA	NSM	Total
1.	Offrs	6		6
2.	ORs	22		22

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2IC 1 SAS SQN

WEEKLY PARADE STATE 1 SAS Sqn
AS AT 0630 Hrs. 19 Nov 67

HQ 1 ATF

1. Australians only

Serial	Particulars	Offr	WO	Ssgt Sgt	R&F	Total
1.	Establishment strength incl:- a. Att pers shown on estb. b. Incr to estb.	6	2	17	76	101
2.	Theatre supplement				9	9
3.	Authorised entitlement (1 plus 2)	6	2	17	85	110
4.	Posted strength	6	2	16	74	98
<u>Non Effectives</u>						
5.	AWOL					
6.	Leave (Incl R and R and R and C)	1			2	3
7.	Schools and Courses			2	1	3
8.	Hospital				2	2
9.	Det (incl detention) outside ATF and not avail for Ops in ATF			1	5	6
10.	Total non effectives (5 to 9 incl)	1		3	10	14
11.	Total effective strength (4 minus 10)	5	2	13	64	84
12.	Det to other ATF units(not to affect totals 10 and 11)					

2. US, NZ or ARVN attached (Effective strength only)

Serial	National	Offr	WO	Ssgt/Sgt	OR/EM	Total
1.	United States					
2.	New Zealand					
3.	R of Vietnam					
4.	Total					

3. Break up of Australian Posted Strength

Serial	Rank	ARA	NSM	Total
1.	Offrs	6		6
2.	ORs	92		98

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WEEKLY STRENGTH RETURN - 1 SAS SQN
AS AT 2359 HRS TUE 14 Nov 67

OFFICERS					WOs		Rank and File						Total all Ranks	Detail	
Lt Col	Maj	Capt	Lt	Total	WO1	WO2	Total	Ssgt	Sgt	Cpl	Lcpl	Pte			Total
															Establishment
	1	1	4	6		2	2		17	17	16	52	102	110	Posted Strength
	1	1	4	6		2	2	1	16	14	13	47	91	99	Surplus
								1					1	1	Deficiencies
									1	3	3	5	12	12	

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Serial	Rank	Name	Service No.	Branch	Remarks
233	Sgt	W. J.
234	Sgt
235	Sgt
236	Sgt
237	Sgt

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Annex A to
 HQ ATF 2333-1-1
 of 9 May 67

WEEKLY PARADE STATE 1 SAS Sqn
AS AT 0630 Hrs. 9 May 67

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HQ 1 ATF

1. Australians only

Serial	Particulars	Offr	WO	Ssgt Sgt	R&F	Total
1.	Establishment strength incl:- a. Att pers shown on estb. b. Incr to estb.	6	2	16	75	99
2.	Theatre supplement				9	9
3.	Authorised entitlement (1 plus 2)	6	2	16	84	108
4.	Posted strength	6	2	17	73	98
<u>Non Effectives</u>						
5.	AWOL					
6.	Leave (Incl R and R and R and C)				2	2
7.	Schools and Courses				1	1
8.	Hospital				1	1
9.	Det (incl detention) outside ATF and not avail for Ops in ATF				4	4
10.	Total non effectives (5 to 9 incl)			3	7	10
11.	Total effective strength (4 minus 10)	6	2	14	66	88
12.	Det to other ATF units(not to affect totals 10 and 11)					

2. US, NZ or ARVN attached (Effective strength only)

Serial	National	Offr	WO	Ssgt/Sgt	OR/EM	Total
1.	United States					
2.	New Zealand					
3.	R of Vietnam					
4.	Total					

3. Break up of Australian Posted Strength


Serial	Rank	ARA	NSM	Total
1.	Offrs	6		6
2.	ORs		92	92

WEEKLY STRENGTH RETURN - 1 SAS SQN
AS AT 2359 HRS TUE 67

OFFICERS				WOs		Rank and File							Total all Ranks	Detail	
Lt Col	Maj	Capt	Lt	Total	WO1	WO2	Total	Ssgt	Sgt	Cpl	Lcpl	Pte			Total
															Establishment
	1	1	4	6		2	2		16	17	16	31	100	100	Posted Strength
	1	1	4	6		2	2	1	16	14	13	46	90	90	Surplus
								1					1	1	Deficiencies
										3	3	5	11	11	

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UNITED STATES ARMY
AS AT 31st Dec 1950

233	53071	Sgt	A B CRANE	In Liaison	Cpl Clerk	Clerk	CD	233	Cpl	Sgt
233	17799	Cpl	B E CHAMBERLAIN	" " " "	Plt	" "	Plt	233	Cpl	Cpl
630	42902	Cpl	B O DEWITT	" " " "	Sig Op Radio	" "	CD	233	Cpl	Pte (SACU increment)
917	37036	Cpl	B P HUNTER	2	Sig Tech Elec	" "	" "	233	Pte	Vacant
							Op Radio	630	Sig	"
							" "	"	"	"
							Plt	737	Pte	"

Administrative reporting (number to be struck off strength on receipt of signal advice from HQ AFV)
 For units reporting on completion of tour of duty SW number to be struck off strength on date SW is issued
 Members removed and not to be struck off strength until they are notified by HQ AFV to join this section.
 All units shown on the order of battle are to submit a separate report.
 are to be struck off strength (as above) in part 2 of schedule.
 are to be shown on the order of battle strength of their unit. The unit to which the member's file is attached
 his present unit unless notified by strike off strength signal.
 Regularities of a member's location (hospital or leave granted from within the theatre) is to be shown on the posted strength of
 the unit. The member's name is to be shown on the posted strength of the unit.
 Attached your name to be determined as follows:
 1. Details of strength and personnel to be shown on reverse of schedule.

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Annex A to
HQ ATF 2333-1-1
of 9 May 67

WEEKLY PARADE STATE 1 SAS Sqn
AS AT 0630 Hrs..... 07

HQ 1 ATF

1. Australians only

Serial	Particulars	Offr	WO	Ssgt Sgt	R&F	Total
1.	Establishment strength incl:- a. Att pers shown on estb. b. Incr to estb.	6	2	16	75	99
2.	Theatre supplement				9	9
3.	Authorised entitlement (1 plus 2)	6	2	16	86	104
4.	Posted strength	6	2	17	76	101
<u>Non Effectives</u>						
5.	AWOL					
6.	Leave (Incl R and R and R and C)				2	2
7.	Schools and Courses			2	1	3
8.	Hospital			2	7	9
9.	Det (incl detention) outside ATF and not avail for Ops in ATF					
10.	Total non effectives (5 to 9 incl)			4	10	14
11.	Total effective strength (4 minus 10)	6	2	13	66	87
12.	Det to other ATF units (not to affect totals 10 and 11)					

2. US, NZ or ARVN attached (Effective strength only)

Serial	National	Offr	WO	Ssgt/Sgt	OR/EM	Total
1.	United States	21		2		23
2.	New Zealand					
3.	R of Vietnam					
4.	Total	21		2		23

3. Break up of Australian Posted Strength

Serial	Rank	ARA	NSM	Total
1.	Offrs	6	0	6
2.	ORs	25	0	25

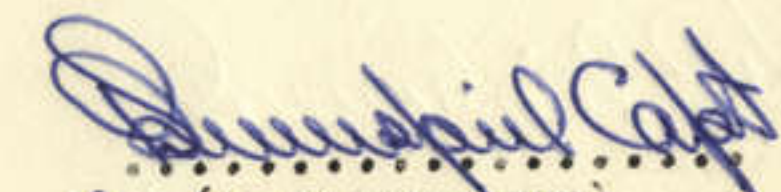
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WEEKLY STRENGTH RETURN - 1 SAS SQN
AS AT 2359 HRS TUE 31 Oct 67

OFFICERS				WOs		Rank and File							Total all Ranks	Detail	
Lt Col	Maj	Capt	Lt	Total	WO1	WO2	Total	Ssgt	Sgt	Cpl	Lcpl	Pte			Total
	1	1	4	6	-	2	2		16	17	16	51	100	100	Establishment
	1	1	4	6	-	2	2	1	16	15	15	46	93	101	Posted Strength
								1					1	1	Surplus
										2	1	5	8	8	Deficiencies

Notes to AFV weekly strength return:-

1. Details of Surplus and Deficient personnel to be shown on reverse of proforma.
2. Attached pers are to be categorised as either:-
 - a. Local - ie. pers from parent units by HQ AFV (for up to three months) or COs authority (seven days)
 - b. AHQ - ie. pers attached to units within the theatre from units located outside on AHQ authority.
3. Regardless of a members location (hospital or leave granted from within the theatre) he is to be shown on the posted strength of his parent unit unless notified by struck off strength signal.
4. Pers detached to another unit are to be shown on the posted strength of their unit. The unit to which the member/s are attached are to show details of nature of attachment (as in para 2 above) in part 2 of proforma.
5. All units shown on the order of battle are to submit a separate return.
6. Members medevac are Not to be struck off strength until units are notified by HQ AFV to take this action.
7. For normal reposting on completion of tour of duty SVN member is to be struck off strength on date Mob 3 is raised marching member out to new unit or unallotted list of command in which members takes leave. In all other cases (compassionate reposting administrative reposting) member is to be struck off strength on receipt of signal advice from HQ AFV.


 (D P BURNETT)
 Major
 OC 1 SAS Sqn

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART I

by

MAJOR D P BURNETT

OFFICER COMMANDING

1 SPECIAL AIR SERVICE SQUADRON

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112. LEAVE - PERSONNEL ARRIVING IN THEATRE

1. No officer or soldier is to be granted leave outside 1 ATF base area during the first three weeks following his arrival in South Vietnam.

113. NON-MILITARY ISSUE WEAPONS

1. No member is to be in possession of firearms unless such are on issue to him as part of his authorised Army equipment.

2. Any member presently in possession of non-military issue firearms is to deliver them to the Q store for safe custody within twenty four hours of this routine order being published.

3. Failure to comply with the provisions of this routine order will constitute an offence against Army Act section 11.

114. LEAKAGE OF INFORMATION

1. There have been reports in the Australian newspapers recently of a number of matters affecting the force. The topics were still under discussion within the Force, with AHQ and/or MACV. The information could have come from the Services within Australia.

2. Members on enlistment signed an undertaking to preserve official secrets in which they undertook to safeguard all official information and not to communicate the same to unauthorised persons.

3. Members are reminded of their responsibilities and advised that any act, omission or neglect on their part which results or could result in an unauthorised person obtaining such information, may render them liable to disciplinary action.

115. POSTAL - USE OF PLASTIC TAPE

1. Plastic tape is not to be used to seal articles and parcels for transmission through the postal service.

2. Plastic tape unravels from parcels and also causes damage to other articles included in the same despatch.

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116. UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OR DISPOSAL OF FIREARMS AND EXPLOSIVES

1. In this instruction "explosives" means explosive substance of any kind and includes any ammunition containing propellant, explosive filling or live cap.
2. Any member in possession of firearms or explosives, unless such are on issue to him as part of his authorised Army equipment, is amenable to the laws of the State or ordinances of the Territory in which he is serving.
3. In accordance with DA 79, former enemy equipment, other than personal effects of captured enemy personnel, is Commonwealth property, and unless the member has been duly authorised to retain it as a souvenir, its retention is an offence against the Act.
4. Except when acting in the course of his duty, a member is not to deliver or transmit to, or attempt to deliver or transmit to, any person, or acquire in any way from, or attempt to acquire in any way from, any other person, firearms or explosives which are the property of the Commonwealth.

117. FIRE RESTRICTIONS

1. The following fire restrictions are to apply immediately:-
 - a. Fires may only be lit in approved incinerators.
 - b. Fires are not to be lit upwind of nearby tentage.
 - c. No fire is to be lit within 50 ft of tentage.
 - d. All fires are to be closely supervised.
 - e. Fire fighting equipment is to be serviceable and readily available at all times.

118. LOSS OF WEAPONS

1. The loss of weapons is declared a prevalent offence.
2. All losses of weapons are to be thoroughly investigated and the investigation submitted to HQ 1 ATF for consideration of disciplinary action.

119. UNDETONATED EXPLOSIVES

1. Several accidents have occurred recently as a result of unauthorised handling of captured enemy and misfired US ammunition.
2. Ammunition and explosives of this nature are to be inspected by qualified ammunition personnel before evacuation or destroyed in place if inspection is impractical.

120. PRIVATELY OWNED FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION - ENTRY INTO AUSTRALIA

1. Information on the above is contained in AFV RO 136/67 and is available for perusal at the orderly room.

121. OUT OF BOUNDS AREA - SQN ORDERLY ROOM

1. The Sqn Orderly Room is out of bounds unless personnel are on a specific admin duty.

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122. NEW TYPE COMBAT CLOTHING (AUST)

1. The new type combat clothing is currently being issued to members of 1 ATF, AATTV and D and E Pl 1 ALSG.

2. This clothing is being issued to Australian Force (Army Comp) SVN and at present is not being issued to any other area. It is not to be worn in Australia. The clothing is to be issued on AAF F12 to individuals and is to be returned to the unit Q Store before RTA.

3. Personnel are warned that the thread used in the seams of this clothing is made of nylon and will not stand ironing with a hot iron. It is not recommended that this clothing being sent to the BARIA laundry for washing.

123 CARRYING OF PERSONAL WEAPONS

1. All personnel, except those proceeding to or from R and R, or on posting in or out of country, are to carry personal weapons whilst travelling to or from, and at, NUI DAT and VUNG TAU.

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A. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt	O. STEVENSON	Ptl Comd
Cpl	R.T. PERCY	2IC
Pte	W.B. GABRIEL	Sig
Pte	S.R. FRANZI	Medic
Cpl	F.B. STANDEN	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 1011

C. Date/timeout 250853H

D. Date/time in 301215H

E. Route Infil by hel to LZ YS 704761
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 703776
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain Lower half of patrol zone was defoliated secondary jungle
remainder of zone is primary jungle. All creeks shown and some re-entrants
have water. Movement through defoliated area is slow and noisy.

G. Enemy YS 697776 at 271000H camp approx 1 to 2 months old covering an
area of 150 x 100 metres and consisting of 1 and 2 man pits with OHC
and hammock spaces. Only 1 kitchen was sighted.
YS 705777 sign at track junction this loc. Recovered by patrol.

H. Map corrections Nil

I. Misc info GS 7077 Vehicles could be heard to the NE during nights
28/29 and 29/30 NOV distance unknown.

J. Results of encounters with enemy Nil

K. Condition of patrol Good

L. Conclusions and recommendations Nil

M. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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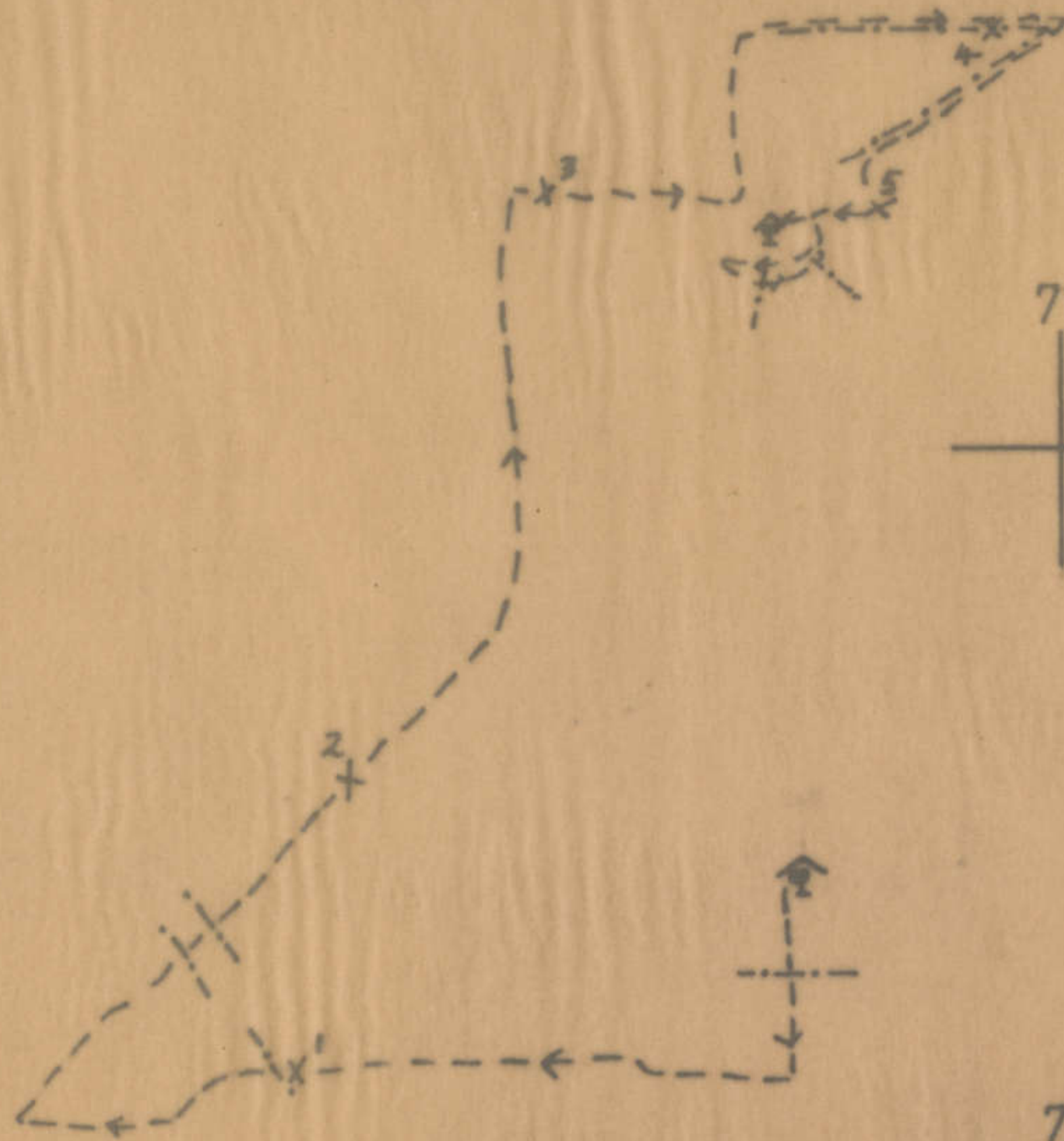
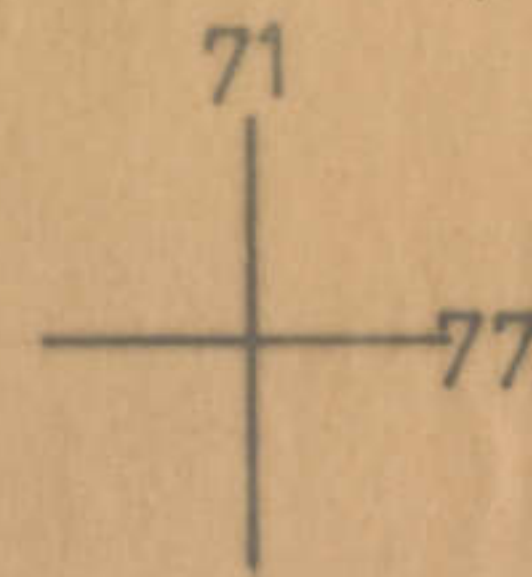
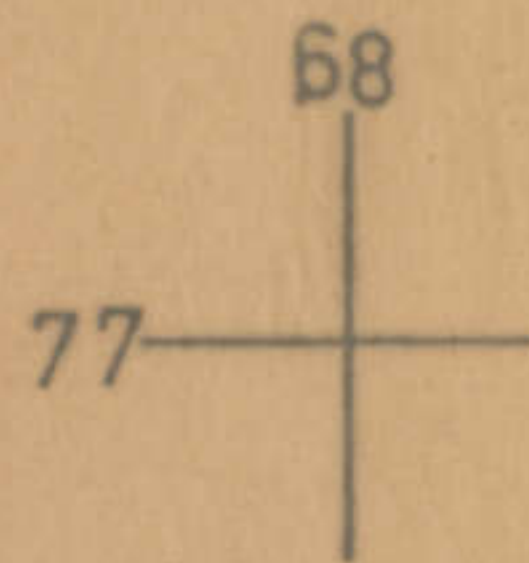
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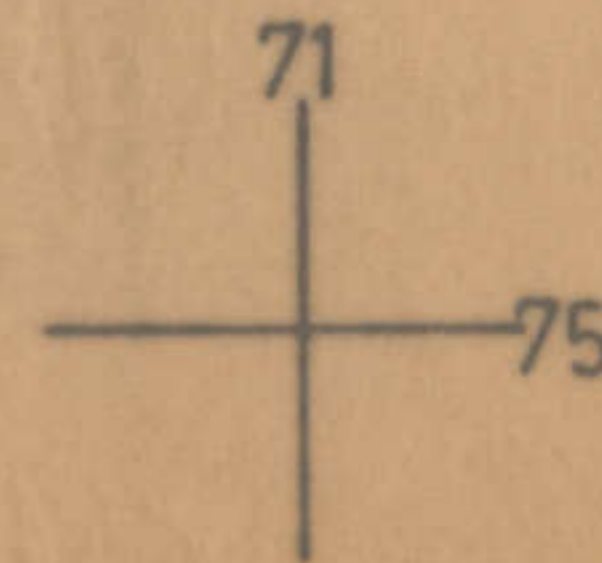
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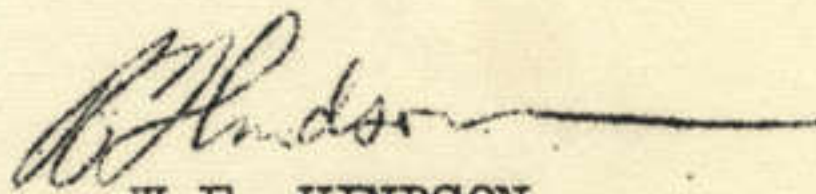
Sgt N.G.W. FARLEY	Ptl Comd
Cpl A.W. ROSER	2IC
Pte B. HEATHERINGTON	Sig
Pte P.A. FRANCE	Medic
Pte T.J. ROSS	Rfn

B. Task Ambush tracks in Zone 1010C. Date/time out 251510HD. Date/time in 291615HE. Route Infil by hel to LZ YS 645758
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 654766
For patrol route see ANNEX PF. Terrain Defoliated primary jungle. Very open. Movt slow and noisy. Water plentiful.

G. Enemy YS 645758 at 251430H Old en camp, 6 mts since use consisting of 6 pits and hammocks.
YS 657766 at 290900H to 291300H Numerous shots to the EAST and to the SOUTH-WEST 400 to 500 metres, one to the EAST being 100 metres away.
YS 657766 at 291430H 4 VC approached from the WEST. The first wore khaki shirt, trousers and hat, carried a pack and an unidentified weapon. The second was a woman wearing a light blue shirt, black trousers and had a vase tied to her waist. The other two wore black, one had basic webbing, no weapons were sighted.
YS 657766 at 291440H 3 VC heard talking as they approached from the WEST. As they entered the killing area they were engaged with claymores and SA fire, killing them all. The patrol searched the bodies then withdrew to their extraction LZ. The first two VC wore black clothing and sandals, basic webbing and packs containing rice and salt. They each carried a Chicom 7.62 rifle. The third VC wore a grey shirt maroon shorts, sandals and pistol belt with water bottle attached. He also carried a large pack containing rice.
The Ptl recovered the rifles, basic webbing, documents and wallets and scattered the rice and salt.

H. Map corrections NilI. Misc info NILJ. Results of encounters with enemy 3 VC KIA (BC)
2 x Chicom 7.62 rifles
2 sets basic webbing, documents.K. Condition of patrol GoodL. Conclusions and recommendations YS 658768 possible camp/s. Indicated by tracks, shots, VC movt and location in relation to foliage, terrain and water.M. Additional remarks by interrogator NilN.G.W. FARLEY
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- * AMBUSH SITE
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Sgt	R.J. GILCHRIST	Ptl Comd
LCpl	B.H. ABSOLOM	2IC
Pte	R.F.W. CLARK	Sig
Pte	G.M. ISRAEL	Medic
2Lt	K.W. LUNNY	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 1510C. Date/time out 241030HD. Date/time in 291445HE. Route Infil by hel to LZ YS 649636
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 650628
For patrol route see ANNEX PF. Terrain Primary jungle with light undergrowth. Movement fair. Very little water in area.

G. Enemy YS 670627 at 251400H 1 pit and 1 latrine, numerous tracks. approx 2 months old.
YS 673627 at 251430H area of booby traps. Chicom inst. frag. grenades tied to trees with vines, 6 to 12 inches above ground with vine trip wires. One was set with two trip devices. Patrol saw 6 but suspect more in area. One was recovered by patrol. There is a possibility that there is a cache in the area.
YS 664625 at 261550H camp consisting of two huts with roof removed, 3 bunkers and cooking utensils. It appeared as though the camp had been used as an area for dehusking rice. The cooking utensils were destroyed by the patrol.
YS 648618 at 271500H camp consisting of 5 huts with roofing removed, 5 bunkers (3 were under huts). Ptl found 1 belt of 7.62 link ammo, 2 yellow smoke grenades, a bundle of approx 100 Aust sandbags and approx 25 - 30 tins margarine. The sandbags were torn up and scattered, the fuses were removed from the smoke grenades and the belt of ammo recovered. The camp was about 6 months old but had been used within the last week.
YS 659619 3 Nylon fishing nets hanging in trees. Ptl destroyed them by cutting them up.

H. Map corrections NilI. Misc info There was no water in the stream in GS 6663 but there was 9 inches of water in the re-entrant in GS 6561.J. Results of encounters with enemy NilK. Condition of patrol GoodL. Conclusions and recommendations Water re-supply on the 26 NOV was successful, no bottles were damaged in the drop.
VC are making good use of discarded Aust ammunition and rations.M. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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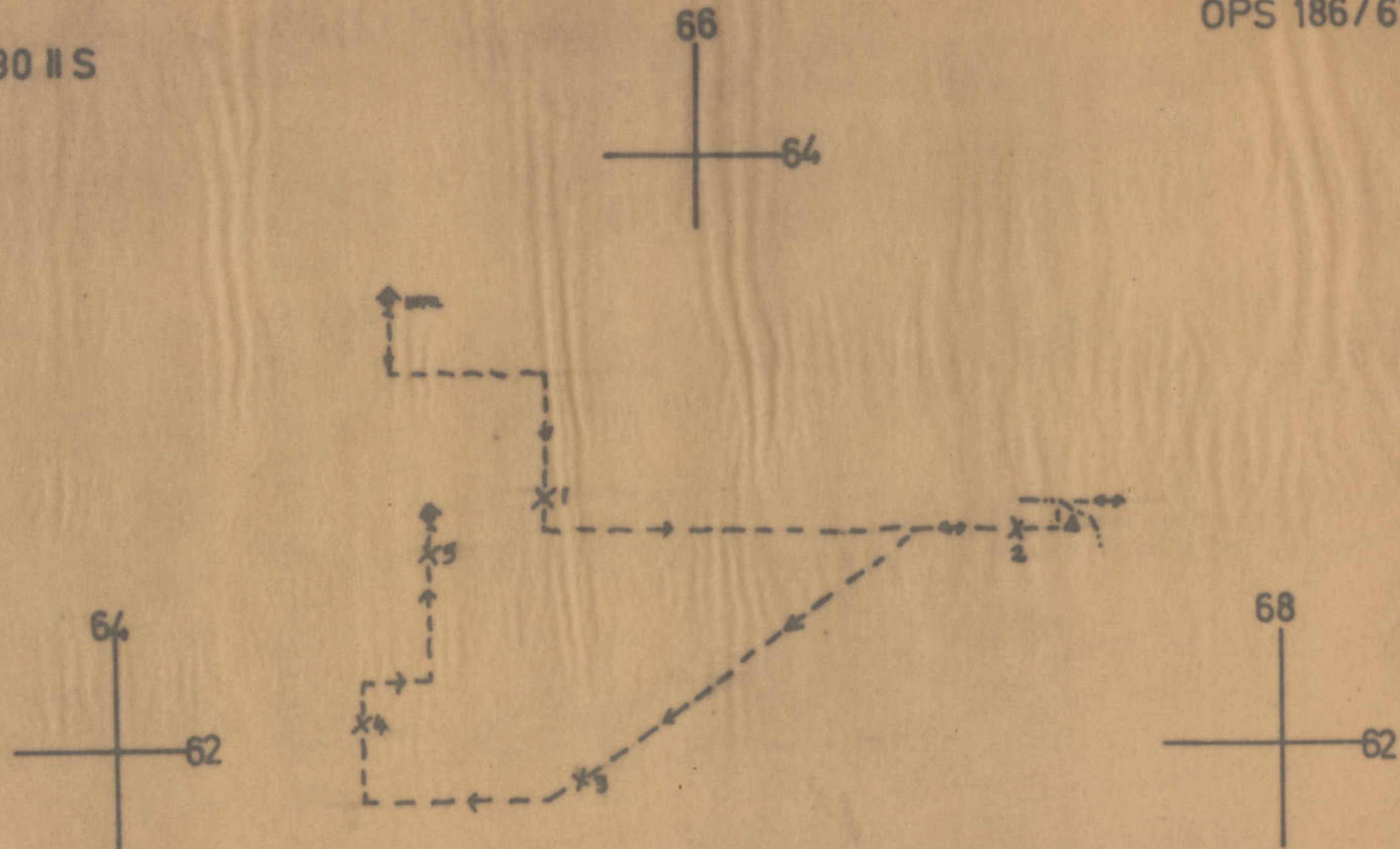
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- PTL ROUTE
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Sgt B.E. GLOVER	Ptl Comd
Cpl S.J. BLOOMFIELD	2IC
LCpl N. PURCELL	Rfn
Pte J.E. VAN ELDIK	SIG
Pte G.M. GOODWIN	Medic

B. Task

Ambush tracks in Zone 509

C. Date/time out 241045HD. Date/time in 281100HE. RouteInfil by hel to LZ YS 649788
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 642799
For patrol route see ANNEX PF. Terrain

Primary and secondary jungle. Defoliated and dry. Movement slow and noisy. Water in the NORTH branch of the Suoi Lao.

G. Enemy NILH. Map corrections NILI. Misc info

YS 646794 Elephant tracks. Appeared to follow oxcart track to the NORTH then headed WEST on foot track.

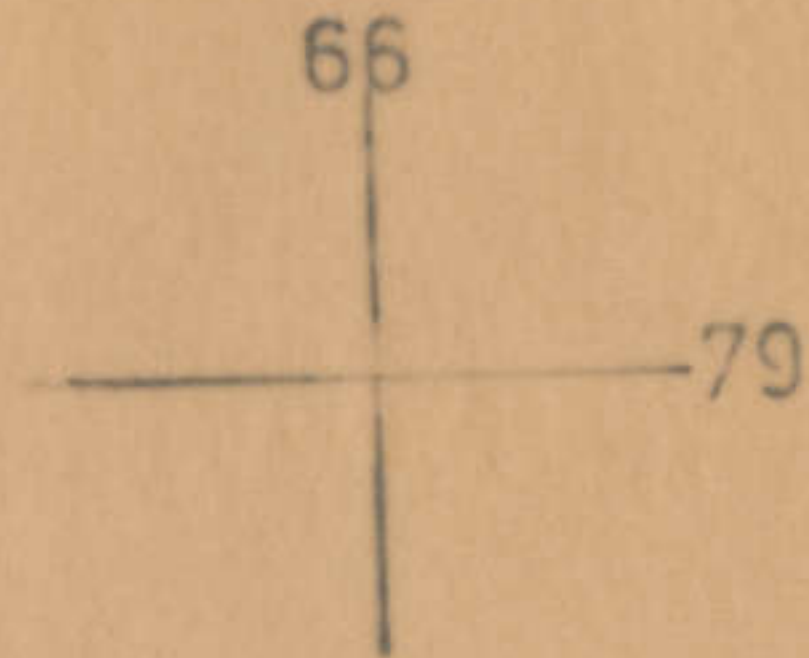
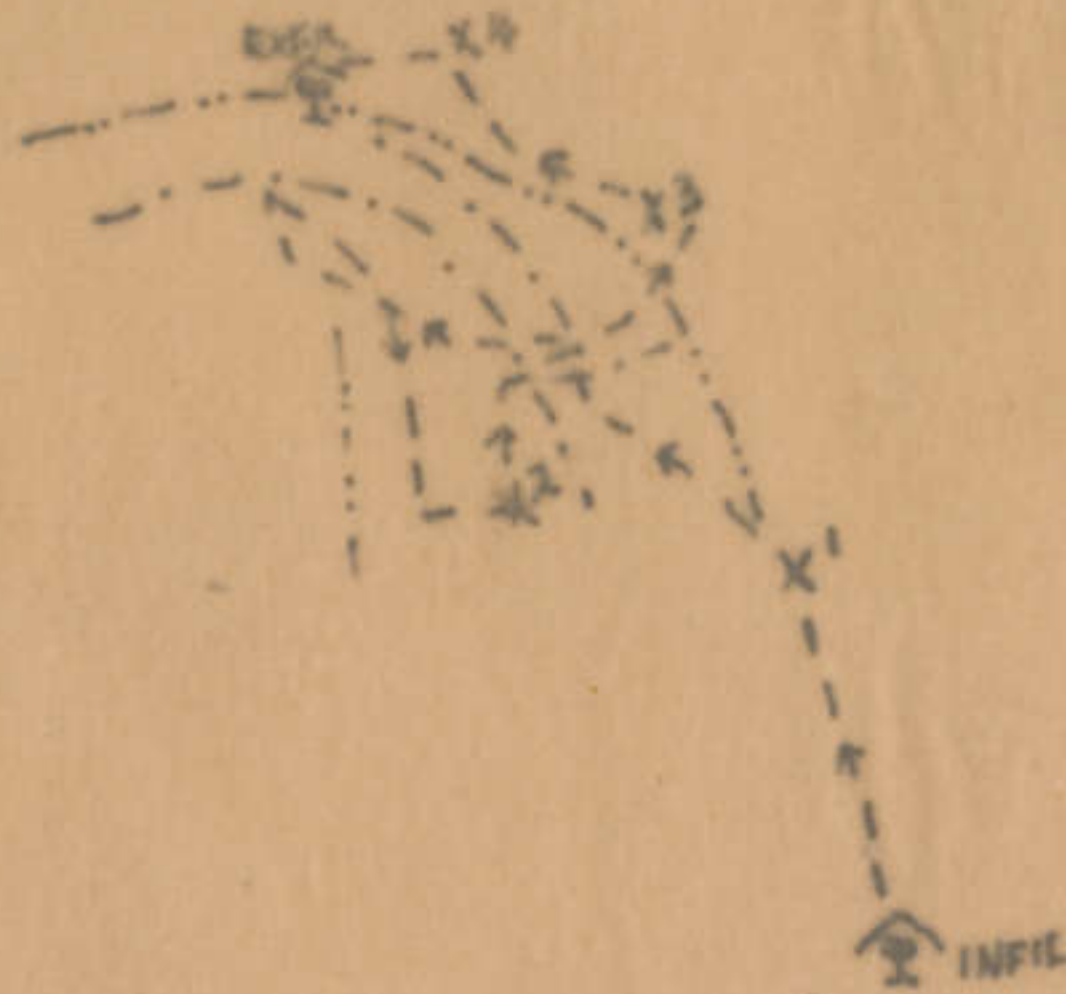
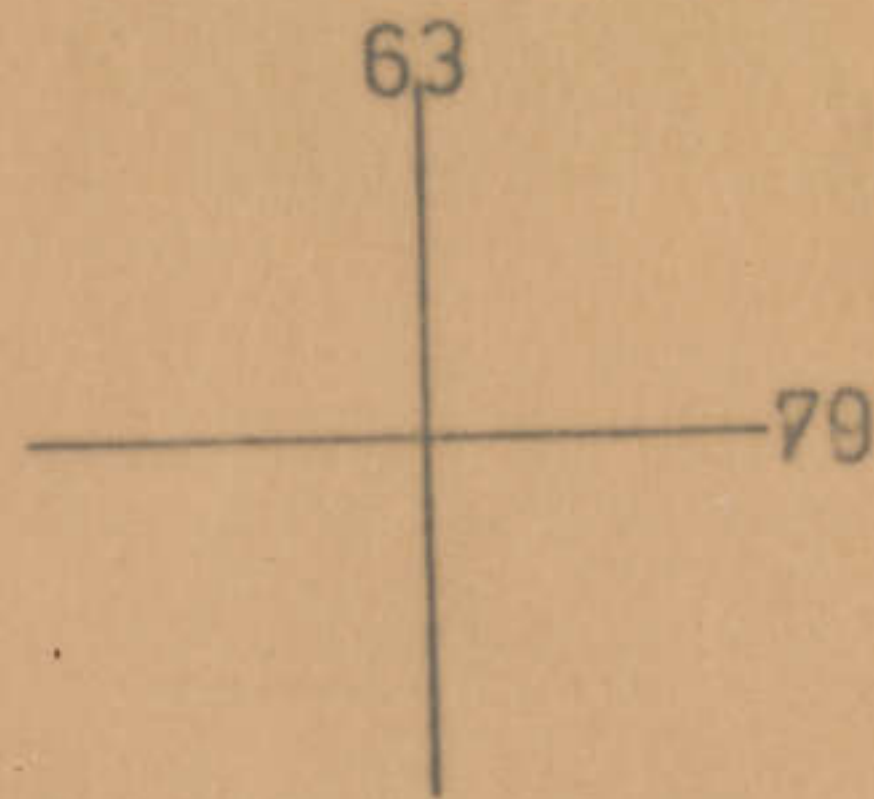
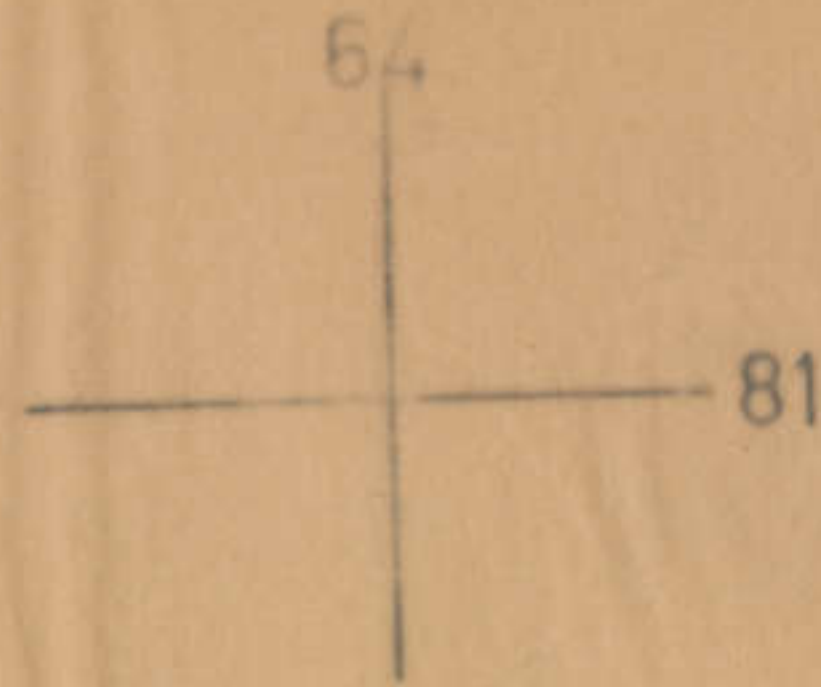
J. Results of encounters with enemy NILK. Condition of patrol GOODL. Conclusions and recommendations NILM. Additional remarks by interrogator NIL*B.E. Glover.*B.E. GLOVER
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A. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt	W.H. ROODS	Ptl Comd
LCpl	M. EWART	2IC
Pte	M.R. KRASSOVSKY	Sig
Pte	D.R. COCHRANE	Med
Pte	G. MAWKES	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 413

C. Date/time out 221730H

D. Date/time in 261715H

E. Route

Infil by hel to LZ GR 551798
Exfil by hel from LZ GR 551798
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Open with thick undergrowth. Water in creeks as shown. Movement slow and noisy.

G. Enemy

YS 564803 at 260900H Old en camp unused since airstrike.

H. Map corrections

Nil

I. Misc info

Nil

J. Results of encounters with enemy

Nil

K. Condition of patrol

One patrol member with swollen elbow necessitated extraction of patrol 1 day early.

L. Conclusions and recommendations

Nil

M. Additional remarks by interrogator

Nil

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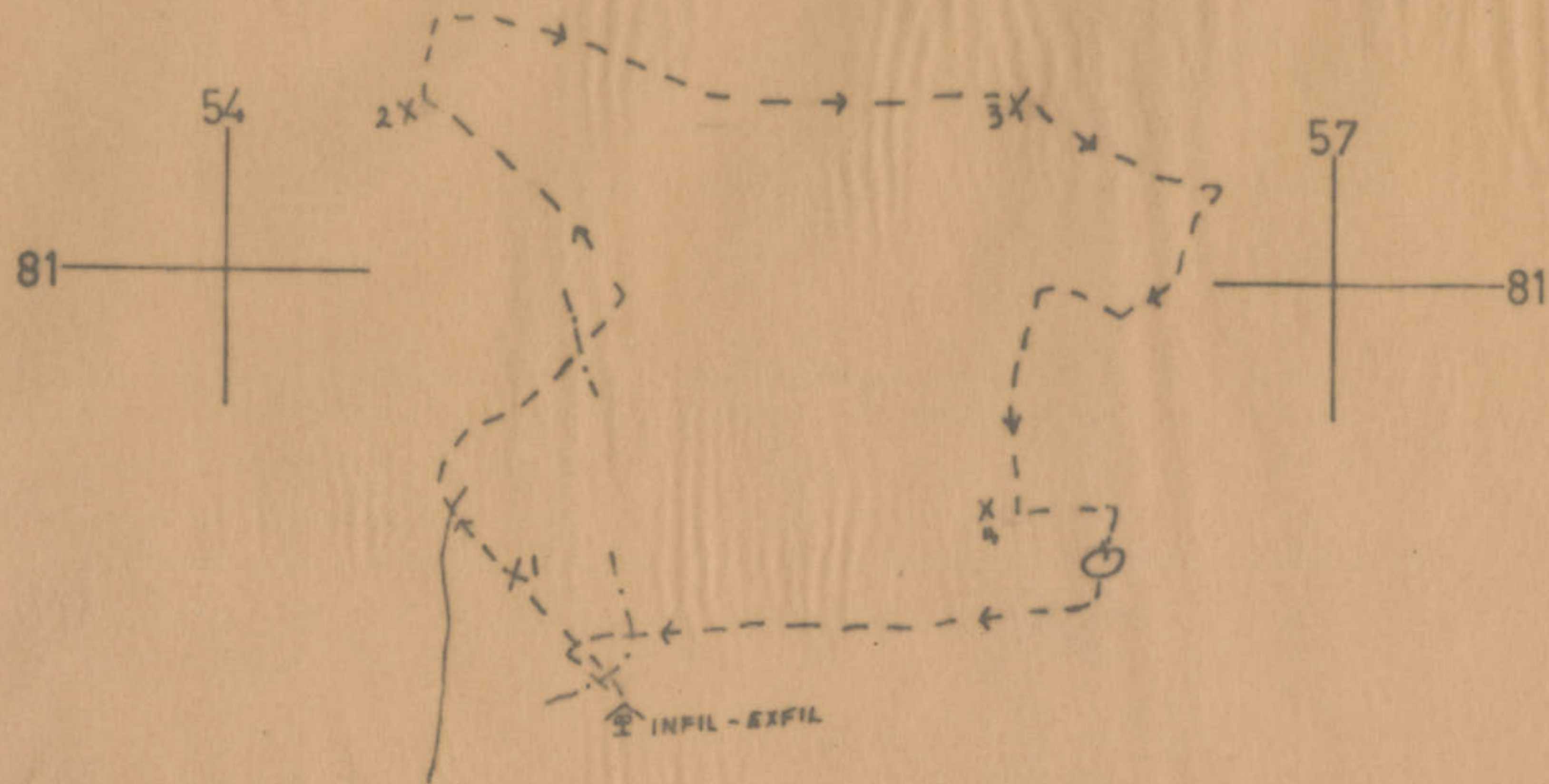
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- - - PTL ROUTE
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Sgt J.M. DUNCAN	Ptl Comd
Cpl A.G. GARVIN	2I/C
LCpl L.F. CONAGHAN	Sig
Pte S. LEIFTING	Med
Pte C.P. CARROLL	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 306C. Date/time out 181730HD. Datr/time in 211405HE. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 502821
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 501798
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Savannah with thick scrub, secondary jungle along Suoi Tam Bo. Very dry and movement is difficult and noisy. Plenty of water in creeks.

G. Enemy

YS 502804 at 210930H E-W track showed sign of very recent use by one person with boots.

YS 503803 at 211015H same track with one set of boot prints leading EAST plus two sets of bare footprints leading EAST.

YS 503801 at 211220H Ptl again saw track and whilst checking it one VC approached from the EAST. Ptl opened fire at 4 metres killing him.

As ptl were recovering the VC weapon and webbing, 3 more VC were heard approaching from the EAST. Ptl used fire to cover their withdrawal. The VC was dressed in black shirt, khaki shorts, green bushhat. He carried a Chicom 7.62mm M1944 carbine and wore a belt with water bottle/cup and two ammo pouches with ammo. He also had a green plastic bag over his shoulder. Ptl withdrew to exfiltration LZ.

H. Map corrections NilI. Misc info NilJ. Results of encounters with enemy

1 VC KIA (BC)
1 x Chicom 7.62mm M1944 Carbine
1 set basic webbing

K. Condition of Ptl GoodL. Conclusions and recommendations

Track would be ideal for ambush.

M. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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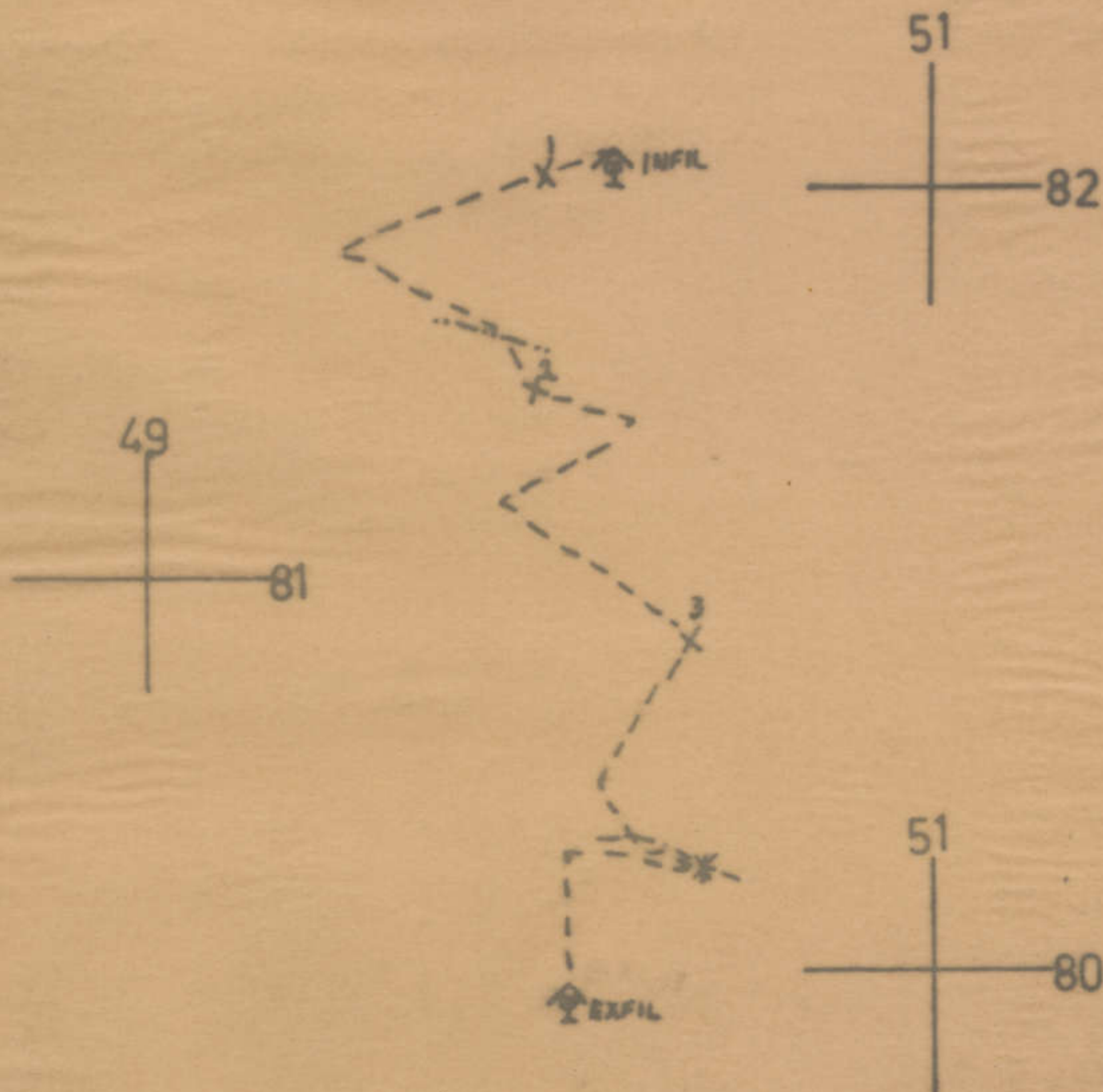
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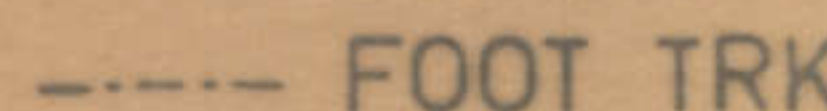

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-  PTL ROUTE
-  CONTACT
-  FOOT TRK
-  OX CART TRK

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Ambush ptl, Ptl 132

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A. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt G.L. SHAW	Ptl Comd
Cpl D.M. FISHER	2 I/C
Pte T. SLOCOMBE	Sig
Pte N.H. FISHER	Med
Pte A.N. SMITHERS	Rfn

B. Task Ambush tracks in Zone 1602

C. Date/time out 181815H

D. Date/time in 221100H

E. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 714641
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 726631
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Dry scrub interlaced with vines. Both creeks as per map contain water. Movement was easy but very noisy.

G. Enemy

YS 712628 at 200930H Ptl found an ox cart track used approx 4 days ago by 1 ox cart. Tracks indicated that the ox cart moved SOUTH to the beach and then returned NORTH.
YS 727628 at 211130H 6-8 shots heard, starting due EAST and then working down to the coast, due SOUTH. Approx 600-700 metres away.
YS 729629 at 212030H 1 light was seen moving half way up Nui Tam Bo at approx YS 729625.

H. Map corrections Nil

I. Misc info Nil

J. Results of encounters with enemy Nil

K. Condition of patrol Good

L. Conclusions and recommendations

It is thought that a track runs N-S on the EASTERN side and then swings WEST around the SOUTH end of the Nui Tam Bo.
Recommended that this track be investigated.

M. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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Ptl Comd

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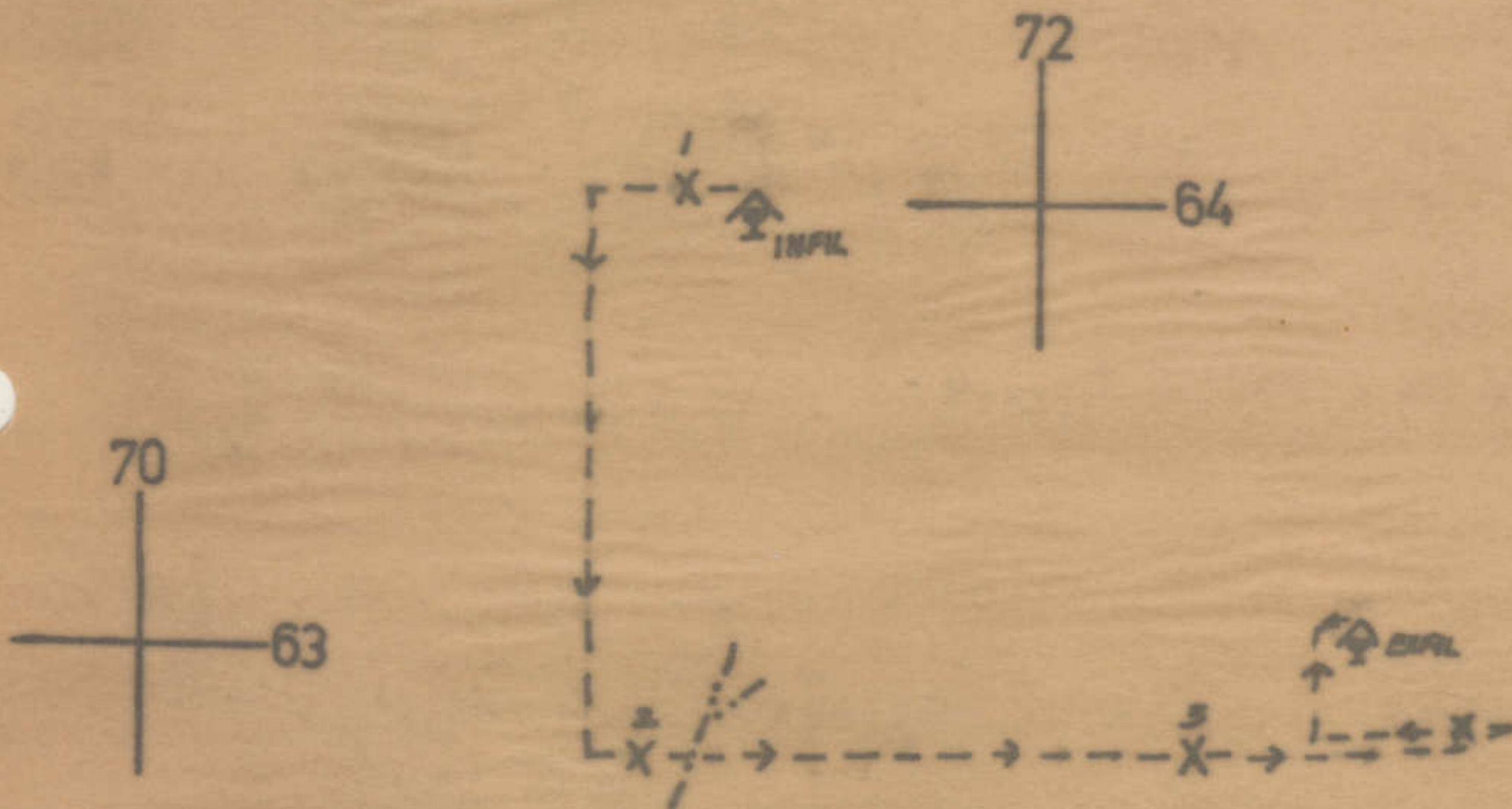
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LEGEND:

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- FOOT TRK

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Recce Ptl, Ptl 21

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Sgt J. GEBHARDT	Ptl Comd
Cpl A.V. SMITH	2I/C
Pte M.J. SMITH	Sig
Pte I.A. BULLOCK	Med
Pte G.P. HERBERT	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 412C. Date/time out 171645HD. Date/time in 211130HE. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 551798
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 532800
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Open savannah, thorny brush made movement difficult. Water plentiful.
Suoi Tam Bo high and flowing fast, few crossing points.

G. Enemy

YS 545800 at 180700H 4 shots 400 metres SOUTH.
YS 545802 at 190730H Automatic rifle fire 600 metres SOUTH.
YS 536809 at 200730H 1 shot 200 - 300 metres NORTH.
YS 532800 at 201745H 6 - 7 rds AR fire 400 metres SOUTH WEST, followed
5 minutes later by a similar burst 200 metres SSE. A SIOUX helicopter
was in the area at the time. There were 3 single shots fired during
the night from the same location.
YS 531798 at 210930H As Ptl was about to cross a N-S track one VC was
sighted 10-15 metres SSW about to fire at the scout. Several bursts
of automatic fire was directed at the VC who moved quickly away to
the SE. The VC wore black shirt, green bushhat and basic webbing.
The weapon was not identified. The Ptl withdrew NORTH and was extracted.

H. Map corrections NilI. Misc info

There was heavy bomb damage throughout the Ptl Zone.
YS 538809 Coy plus size camp. 12 months old and bombed out. It consisted
of crawl trenches and bunkers with OHC. YS 546801 UXB CBU.

J. Results of encounters with enemy NilK. Condition of patrol GoodL. Conclusions and recommendations

En movement E to W on the SOUTH side of the Suoi Tam Bo

M. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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Ptl Comd

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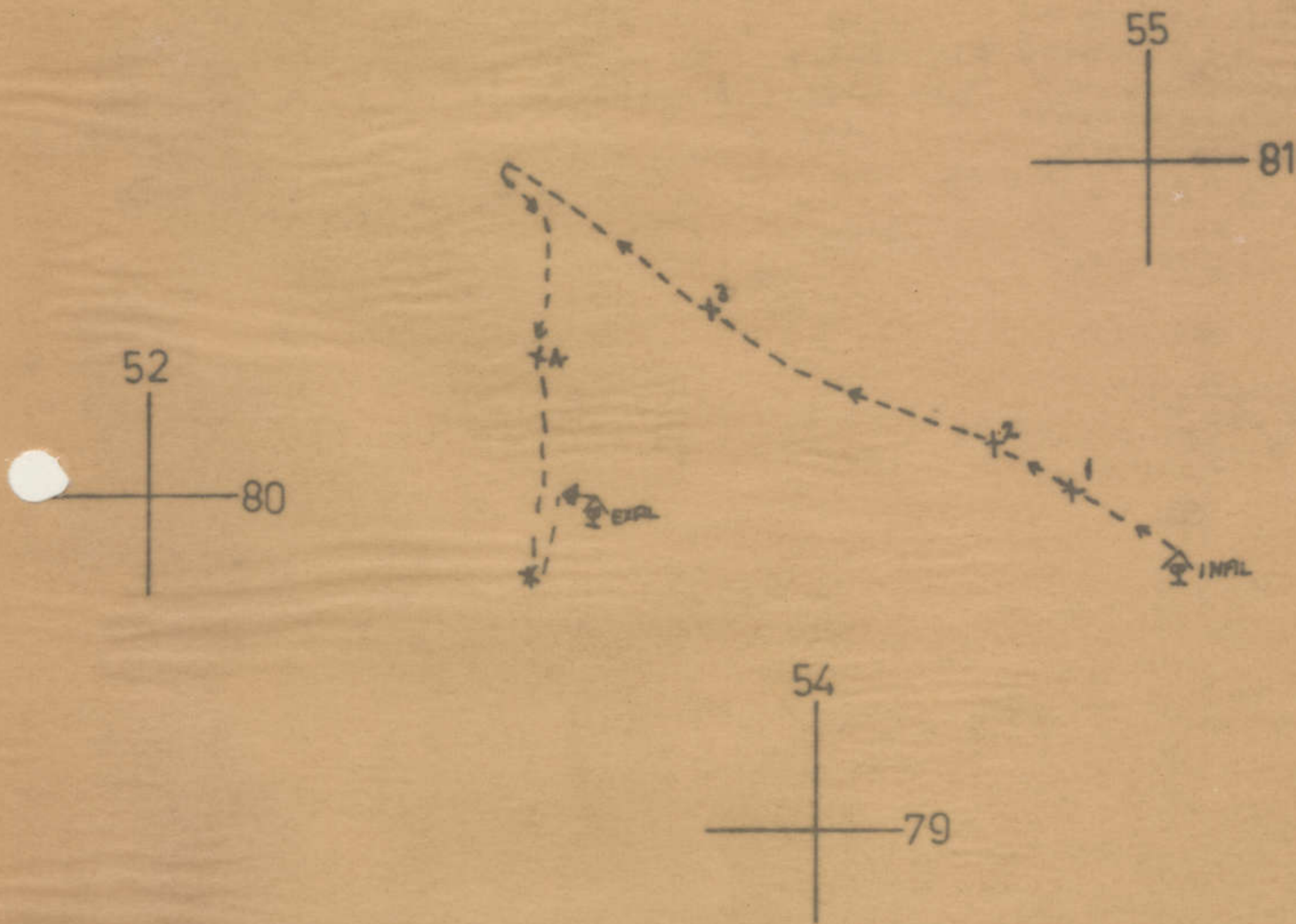
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- FOOT TRK
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Recce Ptl, Ptl 31

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A. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt L.E. FRASER	Ptl Comd
LCpl R.T. MOORE	2IC
Pte J.F. HARVEY	Sig
Pte R.T. ROBINSON	Rfn
Pte D.H. JENSEN	Rfn

B. Task

Recce Zone 718

C. Time out

131800H

D. Time in

171510H

E. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 351714
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 345703
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Primary jungle. Movement easy but noisy due to dry undergrowth.
Bomb damage YS 3370. Water in creeks as shown.

G. Enemy

YS 337706 occupied camp. Under surveillance from 151500H to 171100H.
Estimated 15 to 20 VC, 2 or 3 possibly female. All movement out of the
camp was to the NORTH and WEST. Size of camp was approx 300 metres N-S
and 50 to 100 metres E-W. In the area of YS 337708 there are two caches.
one was investigated and found to contain 3 packs containing what felt
like tinned foodstuffs and possibly clothing. Ptl Comd thought these
may have been placed there as escape equipment. There were freshly cut
tracks leading SE 50 to 100 metres to the camp. The second cache was not
checked. In that area was a sentry post consisting of a atap hut
containing 400 rounds of 7.62 link, 1 belt of 7 to 10 rounds 40mm (M79)
approx 1 dozen grenades of unknown type. There was 1 old booby trap
grenade on the SOUTHERN side of the hut, buried in the ground. There were
other miscellaneous items such as magazines, SA ammo, webbing and plastic
laying in the area.

Between 161100H and 161300H it was estimated 4-5 people moved on the NORTH
and WEST tracks out of the camp. Noise seemed to increase in the camp at
about 1500H daily. YS 339706 there was a cleared sleeping area and cooking
area, assessed to be a sentry post when the camp is fully occupied.

YS 336704 at 151000H Unoccupied camp. Platoon size, 3 large bunkers 20'x3',
1 small bunker 6'x3' used to protect a kitchen running off it. The camp
had not been used for approx 3 months but could be occupied at short
notice. There is a track running NORTH-SOUTH through this camp to the
occupied camp 250 metres NORTH.

H. Map corrections

East - WEST creek runs to the SOUTH, not the NORTH side of the 40 metre
feature in YS 3470.

I. Misc info

Numerous tracks throughout area. Perimeter track and fence has been
reconstructed of new green leaves.
Packs had only been in the cache for a few days.

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J. Results of encounters with enemy

Nil

K. Condition of patrol

Good

L. Conclusions and recommendations

Recommend the unoccupied camp be covered or cordoned off if an attack is put in on the occupied camp.

M. Additional remarks by interrogator

Nil

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Sgt
Ptl Comd

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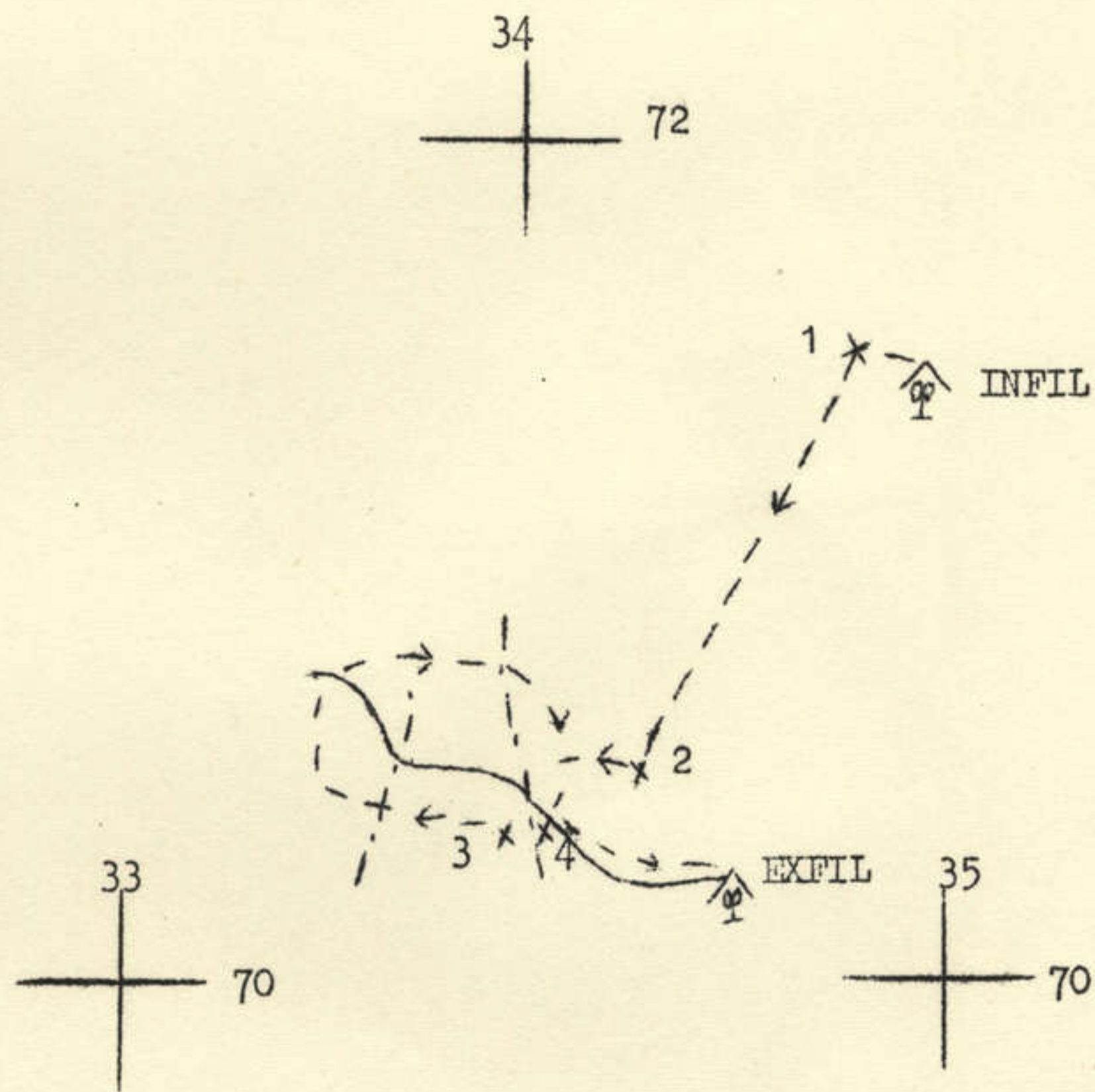
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


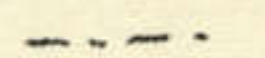
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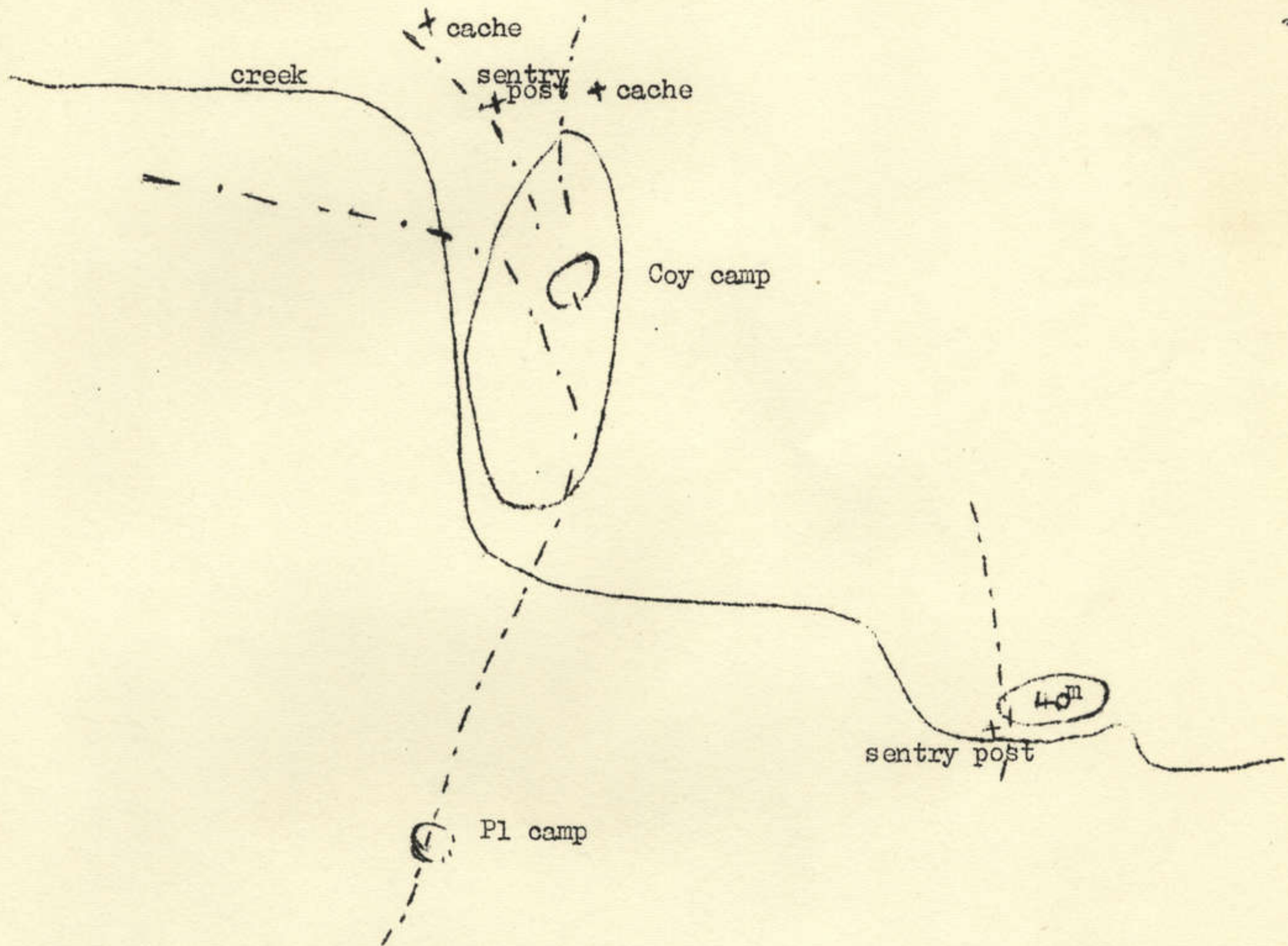
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Ambush Ptl, Ptl 14

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A. Size and composition of patrol

2Lt	J.D. KNOX	Ptl Comd
LCpl	M. EWART	2IC
Sig	T. HICKINBOTHAM	Sig
Pte	D.C. BARNES	Rfn
LCpl	R. STYNER	Med

B. Task Ambush tracks in Zone 719

C. Time out 140730H

D. Time in 171500H

E. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 352758
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 347764
For patrol route see ANNEX P.

F. Terrain

Flat secondary jungle, bamboo around LZs. Suoi Chau Pha fordable, no other water in area. Movement slow.

G. Enemy

YS 338762 at 171135H whilst in ambush Ptl heard talking from the NORTH. 3, possibly 4 VC were sighted approaching from the NORTH a a fast walk. Ambush was initiated with claymores and SA. On search of area Ptl found 3 VC KIA, 2 packs, 1 x M2 carbine, 2 wallets, one belt with pouches and water bottles and two packs (containing rice) were recovered. All 3 VC wore black pyjamas and Ho Chi Minh sandals. Two wore bushhats, one black and one green, no other weapons were sighted but it is possible that other weapons were blown into the undergrowth. After searching the area Ptl withdrew to LZ YS 347764 and were extracted at 171450H.

H. Map corrections Nil

I. Misc info

Numerous foot tracks and old pits and huts were found between the LZ and the ambush site.

J. Results of encounters with enemy

3 VC KIA (BC)

K. Condition of patrol Good

L. Conclusions and recommendations Nil

M. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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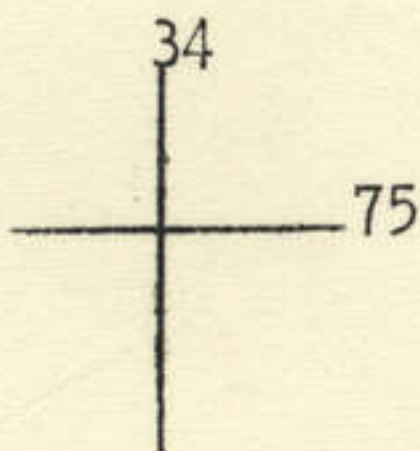
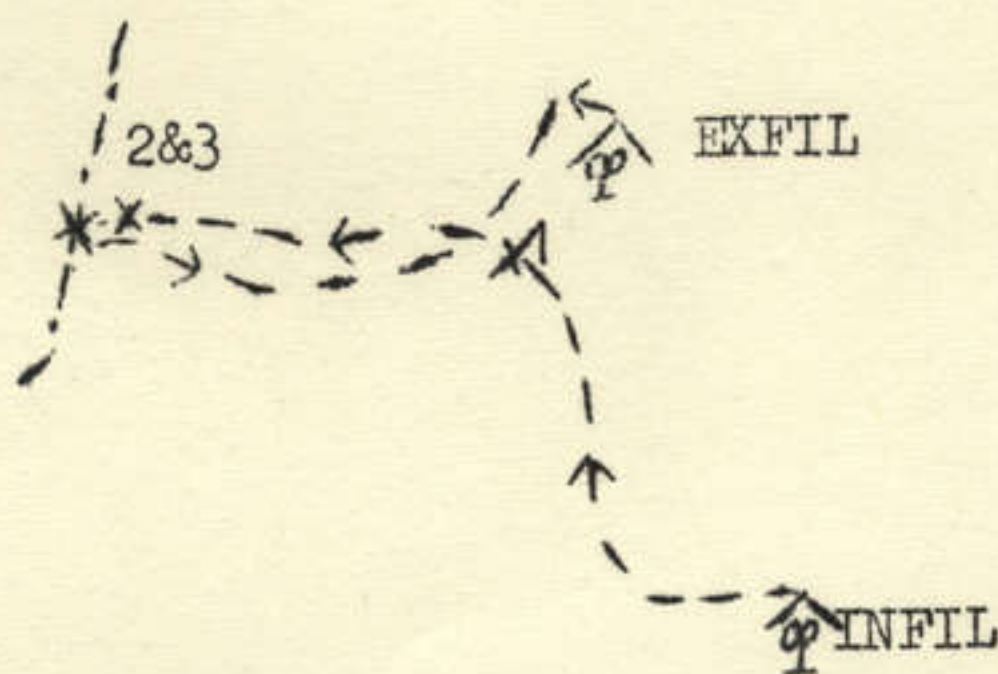
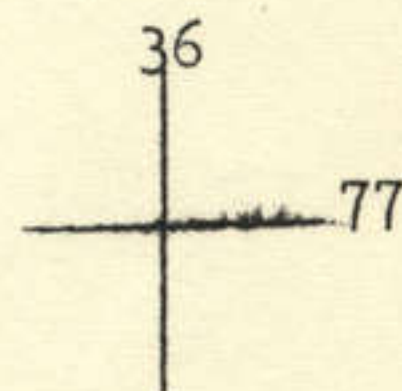
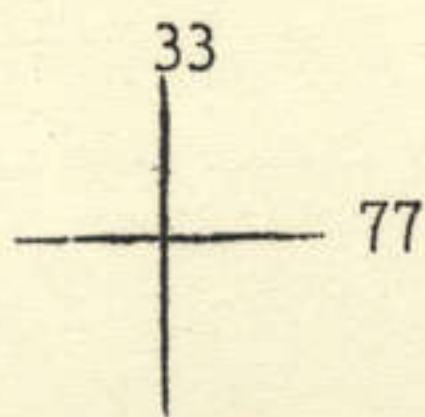
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LEGEND

- LZ
- LUP
- AMBUSH SITE
- PTL ROUTE
- FOOT TRACK

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Recce Ptl, Ptl 24

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Sgt	J.F. O'KEEFE	Ptl Comd
Sgt	N.G. FARLEY	2IC
Cpl	A.W. ROSER	Rfn
LCpl	T.J. ROSS	Rfn
Cpl	E.P. LUNDBERG	Rfn
Pte	M.B. HETHERINGTON	Sig
Pte	R.F. CLARK	Sig
Pte	G.M. ISRAEL	Rfn
Pte	P.A. FRANCE	Medic
Pte	P.J. VAN AS	Rfn

B. Task Recce and ambush in AO SWORDFISH
Secure LZ at YS 558776 for 2 Coys of 7 RAR.C. Time out 090900HD. Time in 131500HE. RouteInfil by hel to LZ YS 546779
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 558776
For Ptl route see ANNEX PF. Terrain

High overhead cover with tangled undergrowth. Water in vic of 544788 only. Numerous tracks criss-cross the area.

G. Enemy

YS 545780 at 090910H Ptl located a small enemy camp. Approx 10 metres from the camp a rice cache of approx 125cu ft (unpolished), 2 Aust sandbags full of unpolished rice and a small quantity of fruit were found and destroyed. It was evident from the noise and a fresh track through the grass that the camp was occupied during the ptls insertion.

YS 548784 at 101200H Ptl located a partially destroyed enemy camp, (destroyed by infantry, not airstrikes). Some serviceable refuse left laying about. 2 days later on return to this loc the refuse had been removed (tarpaulin, dishes, furniture etc).

YS 545785 at 111100H Ptl located a large spread out camp, which had been bombed, but the majority of the camp is still serviceable. Whilst in that loc 6 shots fired on automatic were heard 400 metres SE of the Ptl. Intermittent shots were heard from the NW at odd times.

H. Map corrections NILI. Misc info

It is thought that the VC were aware of the Ptl being in the area and avoided contact while salvaging useable items from destroyed or partly destroyed camps.

J. Results of encounters with enemy NILK. Condition of patrol FairL. Conclusions and recommendations. NILM. Additional remarks by interrogatorPtl cleared and secured LZ for fly in of infantry at 131510H.
Ptl was later exfiltrated from the same LZ.

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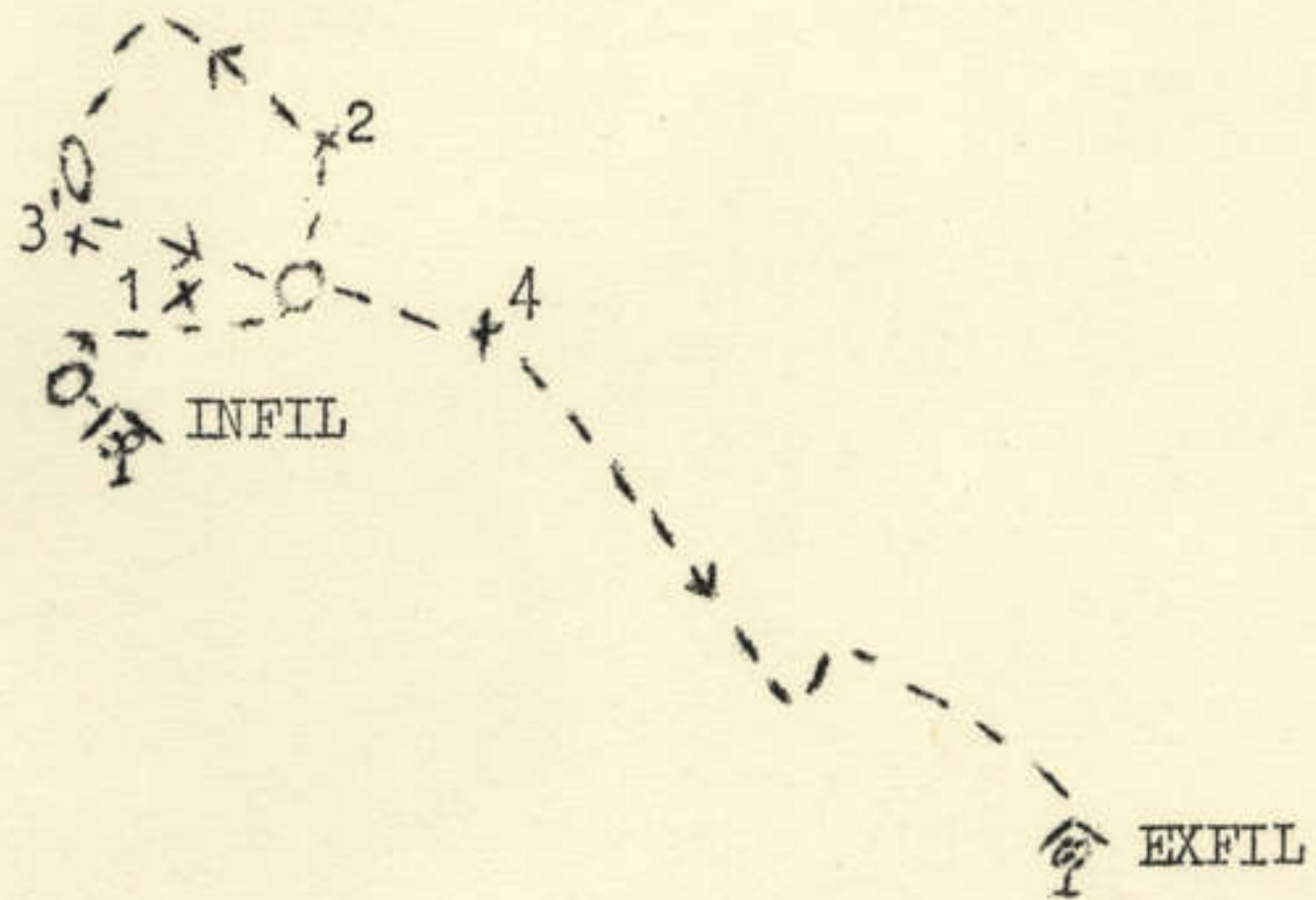
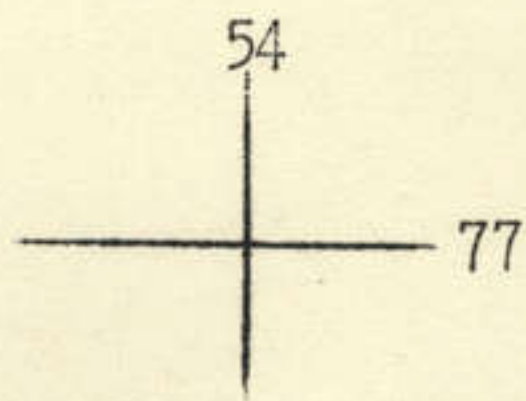
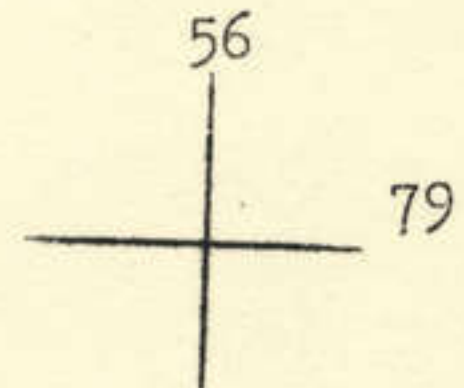
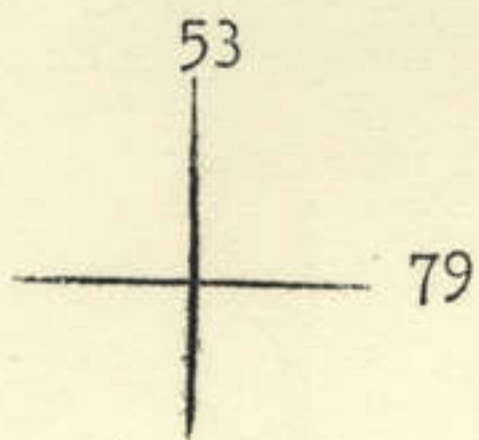
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- LZ
- LUP
- EN CAMP
- Ptl Route

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Recce Ptl, Ptl 33

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Sgt	O. STEVENSON	Ptl Comd
Sgt	R.J.GILCHRIST	2IC
Pte	B. GABRIEL	Sig
Pte	S.R.FRANZI	Medic
Pte	B. HOLLITT	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 210C. Time out 100700HD. Time in 141700HE. Route

... Infil by hel to LZ YS 360800
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 340801
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

EAST of Suoi CHAU PHA is open savannah with thick bamboo. WEST of river is primary jungle. Water in river and reentrants. Movement is difficult and noisy.

G. Enemy

YS 341808 at 130830H cache consisting of 8 x 40lb bags of polished rice, plastic 150 yds long x 5' wide, 15 x 26oz bottles kerosine, 3 x 1gal tins of cooking fat, 8lb salt, 1 x DH 10 claymore, 2 lb medical supplies, documents and 1 jar of fish paste.
DH 10 and documents were recovered, the rice was soaked with kerosine and the plastic cut up. There were 8 - 10 bunkers in the area of the cache.
No sign of any VC present in the area during the patrol.

H. Map corrections

Fire trail is not shown on the map and the trace of it is incorrect.

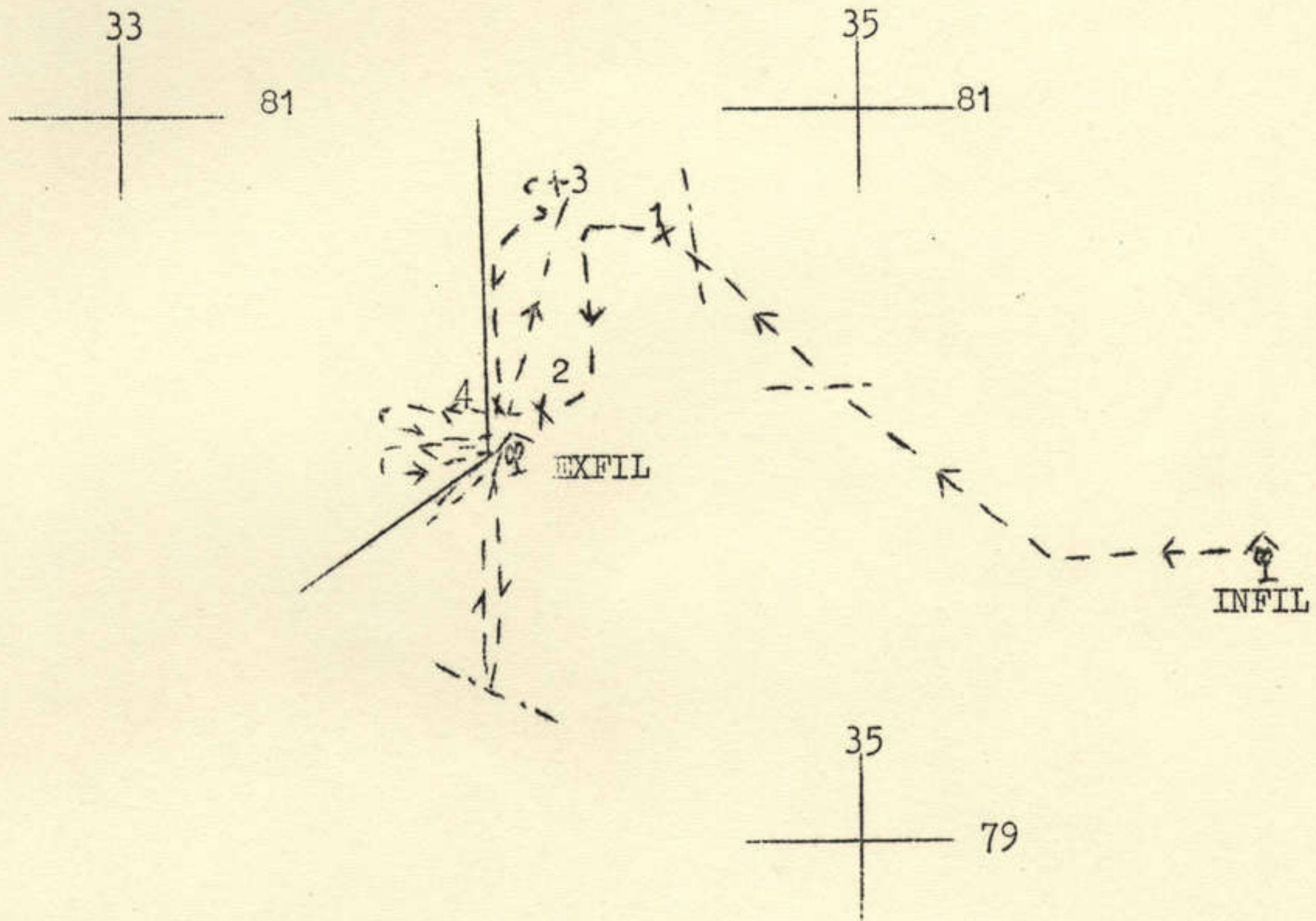
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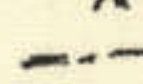
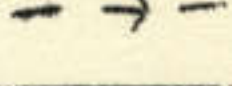
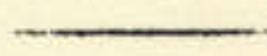
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-  LUP
-  FOOT TRK
-  PTL ROUTE
-  FIRESTONE TRAIL

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Cpl M. ROBERTS	Ptl Comd
Sgt F. SYKES	2IC
Pte G. MAWKES	Sig
Pte C.J. STEWART	Medic
Pte J. DELGADO	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 305C. Time out 090730HD. Time in 141210HE. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 433800
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 439813
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Swampy and overgrown around creeks. Large areas of bamboo. Primary jungle on 173 feature. Water in creeks shown.

G. Enemy

YS 434812 at 110640H 2 shots 1000 metres SOUTH, apparently fired at a SIOUX helicopter.
YS 429811 at 121100H Lookout tree 60 - 100' high, spikes on EASTERN side up to branches.
YS 432809 at 091845H Framework of 2 huts and a yard 30x30 metres. over 6 months old.
YS 438813 at 140900H Track used within last week. From NORTH swung SOUTHEAST at this loc.

H. Map corrections

Creek from NNE to YS438812 then flowing SE not shown.

I. Misc info

Tracks in area have not been used for about 3 months.
Bad comms in this area, possibly due to area and/or sched times and freq.

J. Results of encounters with enemy NILK. Condition of patrol GoodL. Conclusions and recommendations NilM. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

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Ptl Comd

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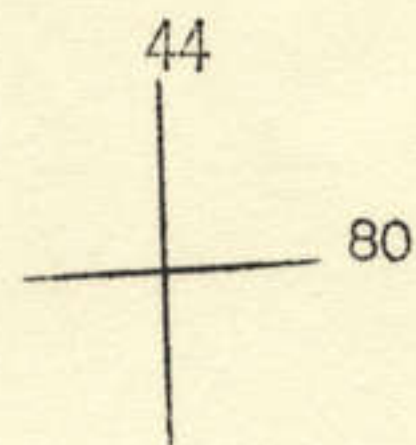
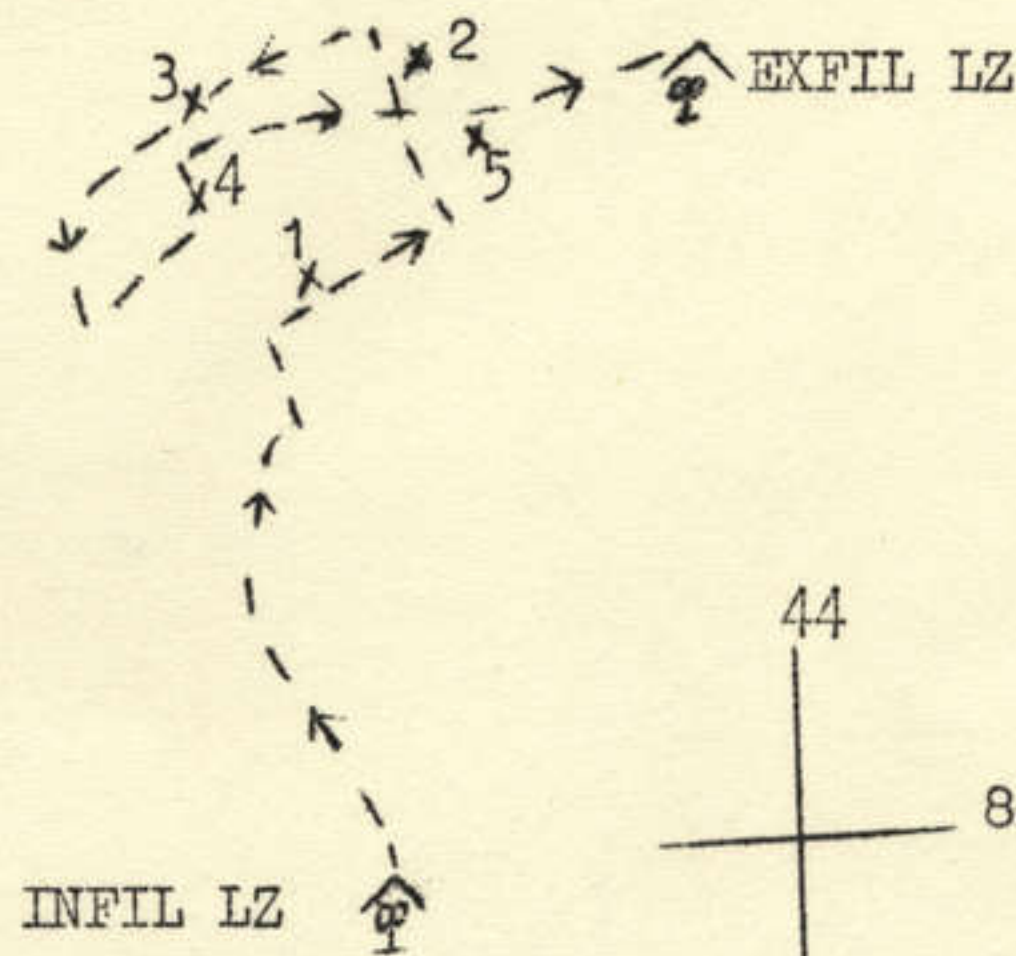
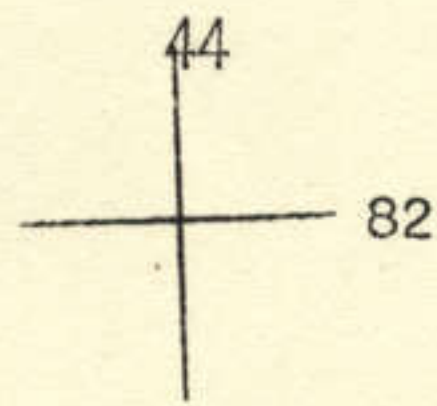
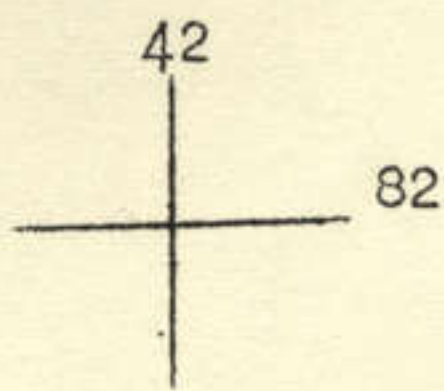
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Sgt	B.E. GLOVER	Ptl Comd
Cpl	S.G. BLOOMFIELD	2IC
Pte	J.E. VAN ELDIK	Sig
LCpl	M. PURCELL	Rfn
Pte	G.M. GOODWIN	Med
Maj	D.P. BURNETT	Rfn
Lt(JG)	E. SCHRADER	Rfn USN
PO2	J.S. GIRARDIN	Rfn USN
Pte	D.R. COCHRANE	Rfn
Pte	M.P. VAN NUS	Rfn

B. Task Ambush camp at YS 624790C. Time out 051615HD. Time in 101235HE. Patrol route

Infil from FSPB LION by foot
Exfil by hel from YS 625784
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Primary and secondary jungle. Secondary growth either side of route 328. Water only in creek shown.

G. Enemy

YS 624789 at 080830H 1 VC approached ptl from the NORTH on a N - S track as they were doing recce of ambush site. As the drew level with them he was shot. Ptl searched the VC and found only cooking utensils and a machette.

YS 624784 at 081645H Ptl heard 3 VC but saw only 2 moving WEST on an E-W track. One appeared to be carrying either a pack and rifle across his shoulder or a bundle on a stick. Distance from Ptl to VC was 25 metres and no further detail could be seen.

YS 622792 at 070930H camp consisting of 3 huts partly constructed with corrugated iron, each with a bomb shelter under it, (one was a kitchen, one living quarters and one appeared to be for manufacturing) NW from huts 50 metres was a semicircular bunker approx 10-15' wide with firing slits covering the entrance to the camp. 1 x 500lb UXB minus explosives was near the bunker. 1 x 44 gal drum containing cooking utensils, seed and rags was in the SOUTHERN part of the camp. There were two good wells in the camp, one with a brick lining 5' down from ground level.

YS 623788 at 071600H Camp consisting of 6 huts of bamboo and atap. One had one wall of corrugated iron. These all had shelters dug under them, some of which could be used as fighting bays. Two scythes a mattock and a shovel were found. 1 UXB (M79 with link) beside one of the pits was left in place. The SUOI LAO in places appeared to have been used by a small boat.

H. Map corrections

Nil

I. Misc info

25 set comms difficult and a problem in ambush in so much as siting the ambush and siting the sig set.

J. Results of encounters with enemy

1 VC KIA (BC)

..... / K. Condition

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K. Condition of patrol

Good

L. Conclusions and recommendations

64 Set would have been better than the 25 Set.

B.E. Glover

B.E. GLOVER

Sgt

Ptl Comd

M. Additional remarks by interrogator

Nil

W.F. Hindson

W.F. HINDSON

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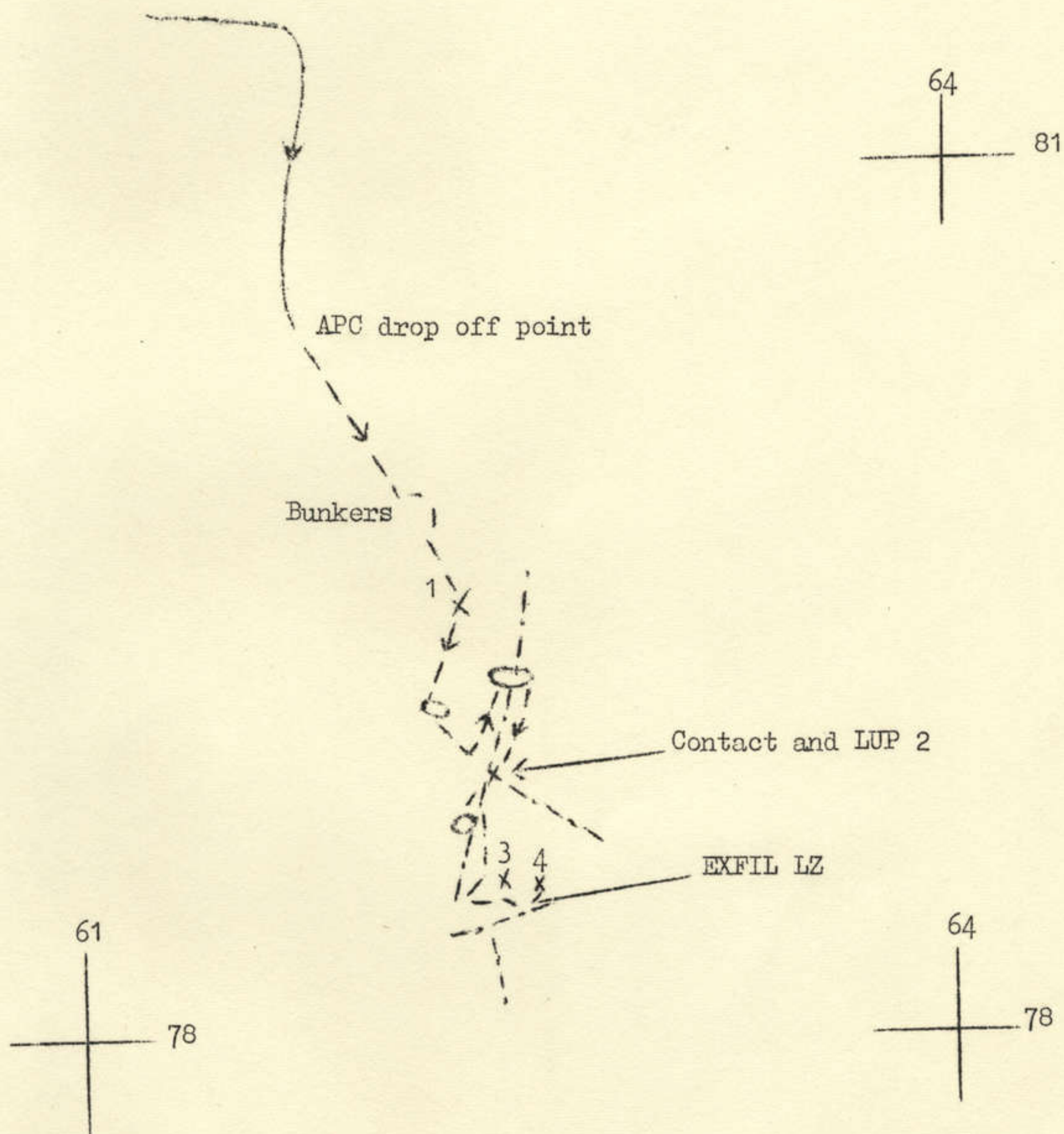
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LEGEND

- N/A LZ
- X LUP
- - -> Ptl route
- . - Foot trk
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PATROL REPORT

Recce Ptl, Ptl 32

Ref: Maps SOUTH VIETNAM XA BINH BA 1:50,000 sheet 6430 111
and PICTOMAP SUPPLEMENT 1:25,000 Sheet 6430 111 SA. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt	G.L. SHAW	Ptl Comd
Cpl	D.M. FISHER	2IC
Pte	T.P. SLOCOMBE	Sig
Pte	C.J. JACKSON	Medic
PO11	C.D. LEWIS	USN

B. Task Recce Zone 718C. Time out 041800HD. Time in 091250HE. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 340729
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 325715
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Secondary jungle. B52 strike through centre of area was overgrown.
Water in creeks only.

G. Enemy

YS 333733 at 051315H shots from NORTH WEST approx 1000metres. 3 single shots at 5 minute intervals 1000 metres to the SOUTH WEST.
YS 328733 at 051830H 2 shots 5 minutes apart 800 metres to the SOUTH WEST. 051935H 1 shot from same loc.
YS 327729 at 061015H 2 shots due WEST 1000 metres. 1 shot from SOUTH WEST approx 800 metres.
YS 325724 at 061710H 2 shots due WEST 600 - 700 metres.
YS 326716 at 071100H Ptl heard 3 - 4 voices, radio and the sound of cutting, digging and cooking utensils 40 - 50 metres to the SOUTH. Ptl was unable to see VC.
071130H to 071230H 6 VC males moved down to creek and began washing and making noises as if they were washing shovels or cooking utensils. 3 females also moved to the creek at 071330H and began washing. They were joined by a further 1 male who began talking to them.
YS 326718 at 071615H as Ptl was setting up comms VC were heard moving NORTH up the ridge towards them collecting wood. They stopped 50 metres short of the patrol and returned to the camp.
YS 326719 at 080830H whilst one ptl member was putting out radio aerial he saw one VC observing him over a log 30 metres away. One shot was fired at the VC who scrambled away to the WEST. Voices could be heard calling out from the camp.
YS 326716 at 090930H Ptl returned to camp for BDA after airstrikes. Camp covered 1000 sq metres and consisted of 8 bunkers from 6' x 4' to 15' x 10'. one kitchen complete with 2 stoves, cooking utensils, woodheap, trash pit (with monkeys head in it). 1 lecture/eating hut, under which was the largest bunker. 2 latrines (two hole, squat down type).
BDA on camp is as follows:- 1 bunker destroyed complete (direct hit)
1 bunker damaged (OHC damaged and entrance filled in) Both structures had been hit by strafing and schrapnel. Most cooking utensils (75%) were damaged. Clothing was scattered and torn.
4 x M26 grenades were removed from the large hut by the patrol.
On completion of BDA Ptl moved 75 metres SOUTH WEST from the camp and set up comms in an area of deadfall.
YS 325715 at 091155H as Ptl was sending comms 4 VC moved past Ptl from the WEST and turned NORTH into the camp.
Ptl was exfiltrated by hel from this loc at 091243H.

..... / H. Map.

- H. Map corrections
Nil
- I. Misc info
Camp appeared to be a cadre training cell.
- J. Results of encounters with enemy
Nil
- K. Condition of patrol
Nervous but controlled.
- L. Conclusions and recommendations
Nil



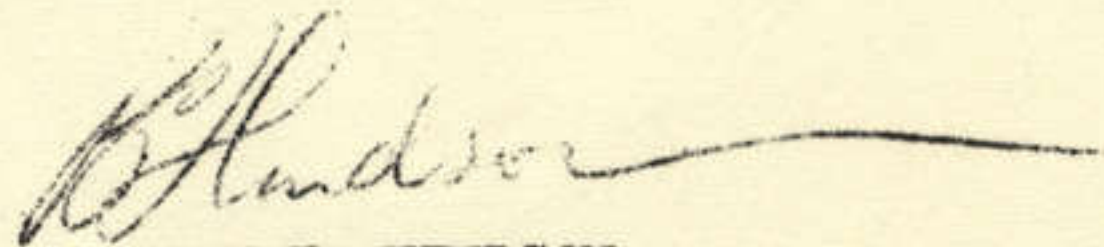
G.L. SHAW
Sgt
Ptl Comd

M. Additional remarks by interrogator

Extract from 1 ATF SITREP dated 8 NOV 67:-

081330H YS 326720 Occupied VC base camp. 1 bunker destroyed.
1 military structure destroyed 2 possible KBA. Quantity of clothing
and cooking utensils destroyed.

081655H YS 325715 Occupied VC base camp. 1 military structure
destroyed. 3 Bunkers damaged 2 possible KBA.



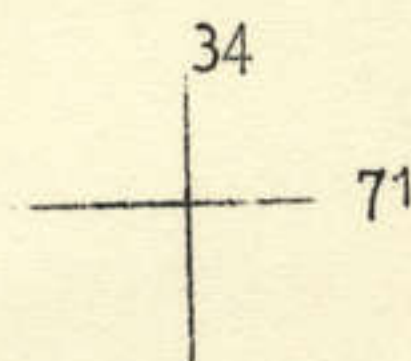
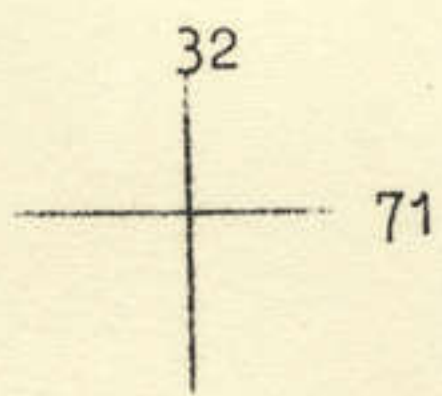
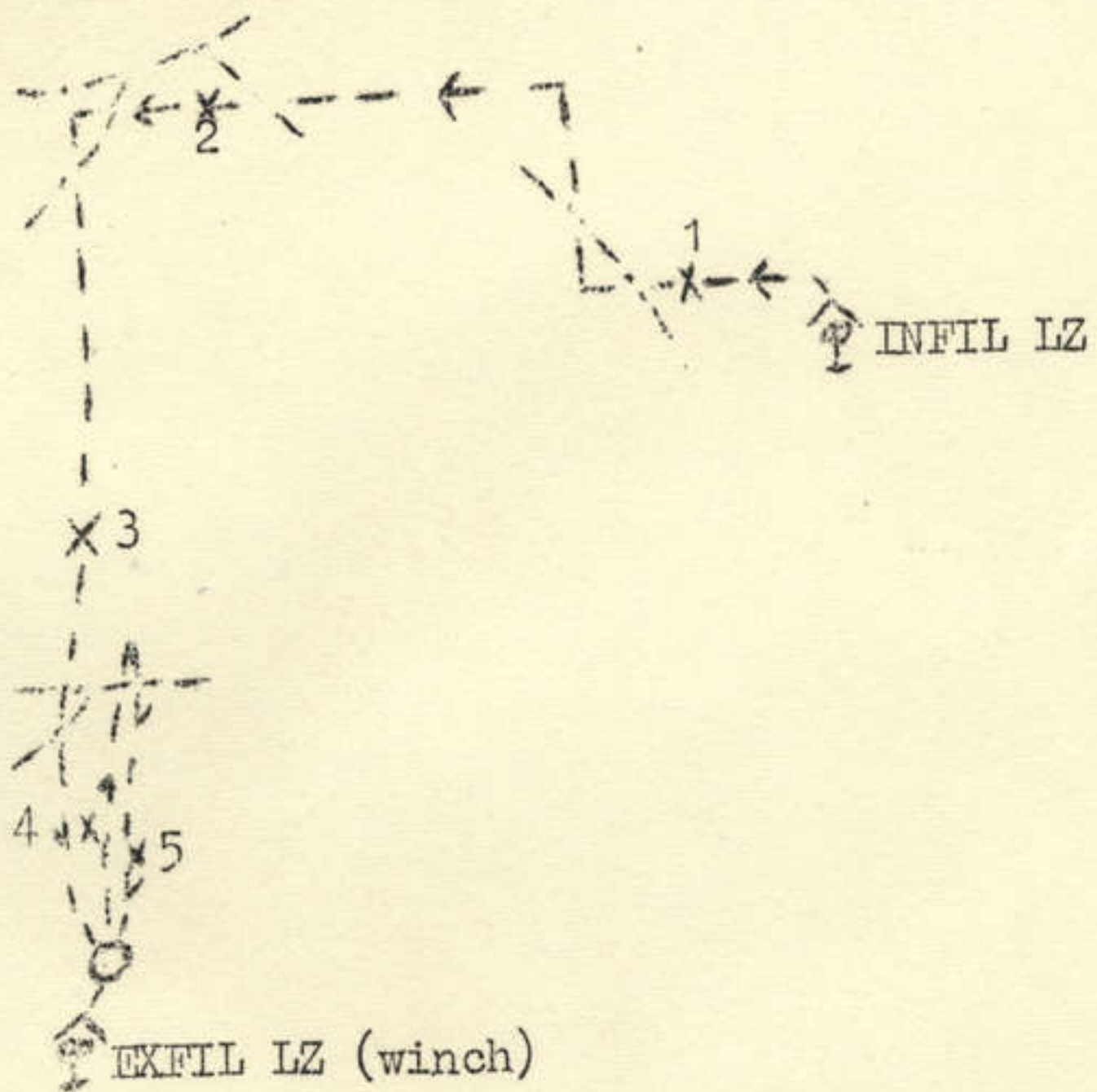
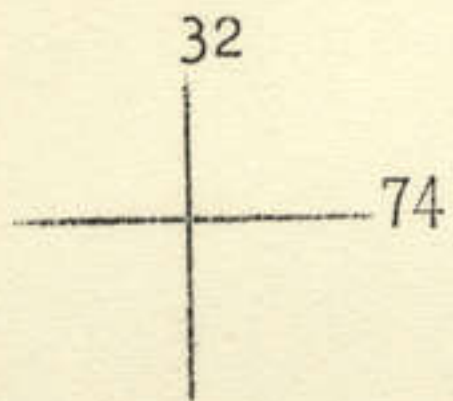
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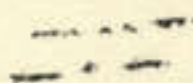
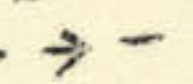
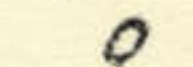

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LEGEND

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-  LUP
-  OX CART TRK
-  FOOT TRK
-  PTL ROUTE
-  EN CAMP

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Ambush Ptl, Ptl 41

Ref; Maps SOUTH VIETNAM XUYEN MOC 1:50,000 sheet 6430 11
and PICTOMAP SUPPLEMENT 1:25,000 sheet 6430 11 NA. Size and composition of patrol

WO2	H.W. HAMMOND	Ptl Comd
LCpl	B. ABSOLOM	2IC
Pte	J.D. GUY	Rfn
Pte	N. FISHER	Medic
Pte	A. SMITHERS	Sig
Pte	R.T. ROBERTSON	Rfn

B. Task Ambush tracks in YS 5478. After departure of 7 RAR from AO BRAVOC. Time Out 021500HD. Time in 071715HE. Patrol route

Infil by APC to FSPB WILTON then by foot to YS 5478
EXFIL by hel from GR YS 546780
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Secondary and primary jungle with large areas of deadfall caused by bombing. Swamp in reentrant in WESTERN half of YS 5478. Drinkable water from swamp. Movement very noisy and difficult.

G. Enemy

YS 552781 at 031500H a foot track running EAST - WEST.
YS 552783 at 031630H an old ox cart track running EAST - WEST. Very well used as foot track.
YS 552784 at 040710H 5700mills approx 300 metres hammering or chopping.
YS 551784 at 040730H well used NORTH - SOUTH track.
YS 550784 at 040805H well used track running from NORTH then heading WEST. Heap of cut branches 12' long 3' high beside track.
YS 548784 at 040945H well used track from NW swung NORTH at this loc.
YS 547784 at 041000H bombed out camp with tunnel entrance approx 3 months old.
YS 546784 at 041050H open hut with galvanized roof and a 10'x8'x5' high dugout with two entrances under it. 7 rice baskets, 2 wooden stools, 1 wooden bed, 1 wash basin, 1 bag black beans, 2 shirts- 1 black, 1 khaki, cooking utensils, file, hoe, shovel, 2 ripping hooks, 1 lb of documents and 1 jar of salt which the patrol scattered.
YS 546784 at 041155H well used NORTH - SOUTH track.
YS 545785 at 041200H patrol hit swamp area. An old camp area 6 - 8 mts and a collapsed hut at this loc.
YS 545784 at 041700H patrol encountered a bunker with overhead cover beside another NORTH - SOUTH track.
YS 546784 at 041730H 4 VC were sighted entering area of hut. All four wore black, no hats or webbing. First VC carried a unidentified weapon slung the other three carried large bags (possibly rice) on their shoulders.
YS 545785 at 041910H whilst ptl was in LUP they heard hammering from area of camp at YS 545784.
YS 546784 from 050700H to 051115H ptl laid in ambush on NORTH - SOUTH track to no avail. As ptl withdrew from ambush talking and hammering could be heard from the camp.
YS 548781 at 060820H 7 x 44gal drums of paddy rice in U shaped trench, 3' wide 4' deep and 44' long cornered with sheets or galvanized iron with branches over it. This rice was scattered by the patrol. In the same area was a two coy sized transit area with animal traps and tracks throughout area. A well used NORTH - SOUTH track ran through the area.
YS 546784 at 061345 H ptl returned to area of hut for BDA after airstrike had been brought in on area (061130H). Ptl could see the roof of the hut and could hear three voices from it.
YS 548778 at 061730H ptl changed one member because coughing was effecting ptl's task.

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YS 548781 at 071135H as ptl returned to area of rice cache within intentions of ambushing it. They were sighted by two VC. One wore light grey shirt the other a dark shirt. One weapon was sighted it was a M 1944 CHICOM carbine type 53. One wore a green bush hat. The VC turned about and returned to the camp before the ptl could assess VC strength. Ptl moved WEST to loc NORTH - SOUTH track to ambush. They could not locate it so returned EAST. Approaching the area of the rice cache they sighted 7 VC. At the same time one shot was fired 40 metres behind the Ptl to the WEST. The 7 VC had heard the ptl so the ptl withdrew SOUTH for exfil.

RAAF helicopters were given directions to loc of VC as ptl was exfiltrated. The VC were sighted and the gunships engaged them.

- H. Map corrections
Swamp not shown.
- I. Misc info
Area YS 5478 is a maze of tracks. YS 545785 UXB 155mm shell.
- J. Results of encounters with enemy
Nil
- K. Condition of patrol
One member extracted due to coughing. Otherwise good.
- L. Conclusions and recommendations.
VC were back in area two days after troops on OP SANTA FE left area. Recommend area unsuitable for ambush by 5 man ptl due to numerous tracks and possibility of VC outflanking them.

H.W. Hammond

H.W. HAMMOND
WO2
Ptl Comd

- M. Additional remarks by interrogator
Nil

W.F. Hindson

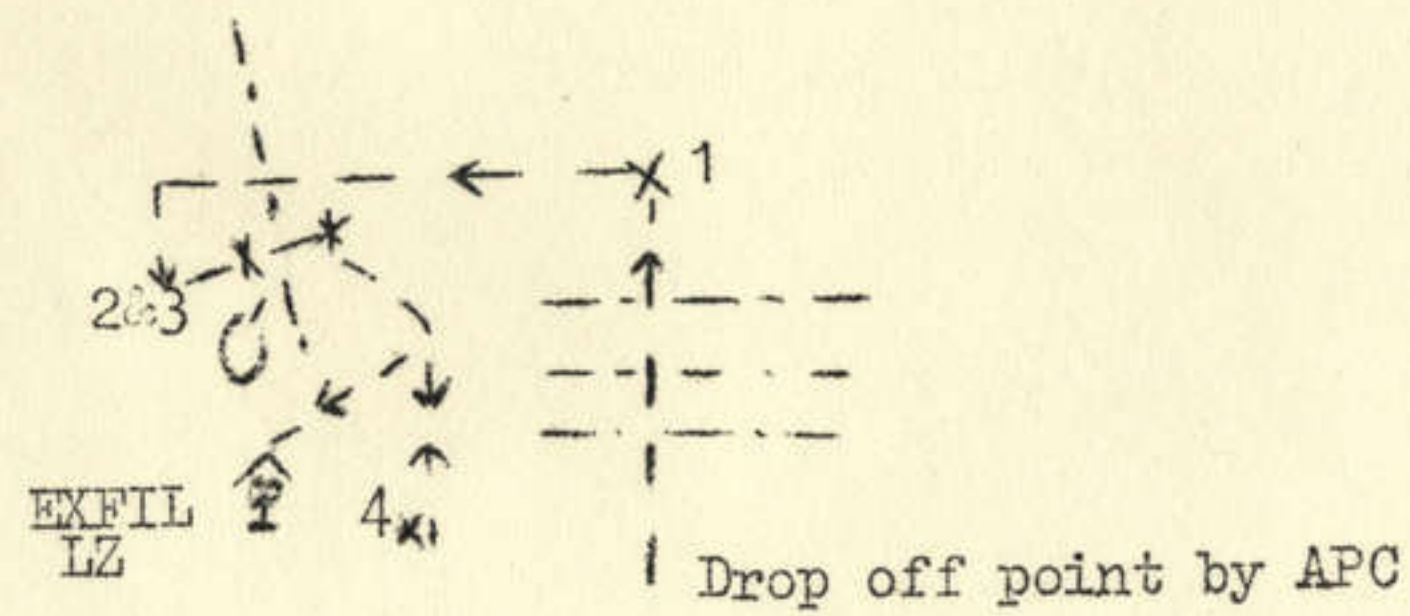
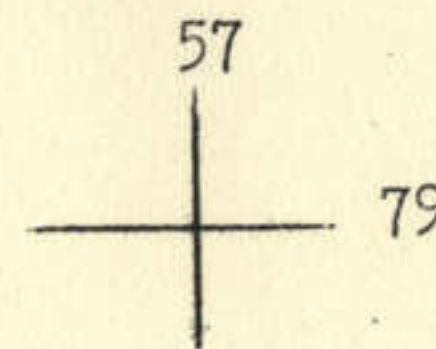
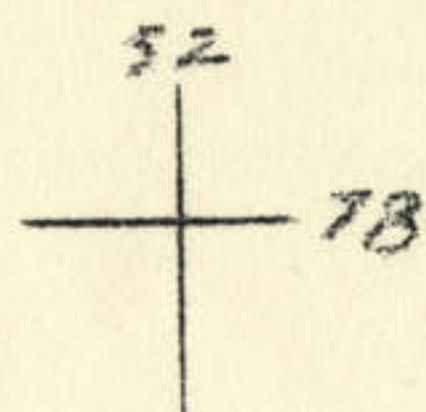
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- LEGEND
- LZ
 - LUP
 - EN SIGHTING
 - EN CAMP
 - FOOT TRK
 - PTL ROUTE

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PATROL REPORT

Ambush Ptl - Ptl 21

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A. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt J.M. DUNCAN	Ptl Comd
Cpl A.G. GARVIN	2IC
Pte J.P. WARD	Med
Pte S.J. LEIFTING	Rfn
Sig M.R. JANSEN	Sig

B. Task Ambush tracks in YS 5678 after departure of 7 RAR from AO BRAVOC. Time out 02 1500HD. Time in 06 1730H
 E. Route Infil by APC to FSB Wilton then by foot to
 YS 5678. Exfil by Heli from YS 562780.
 For Ptl route see ANNEX P.

 F. Terrain Undulating country, thick secondary jungle, undergrowth tangled with
 vines. Movement very difficult. Many old bombstrikes. No water in
 Patrol area.

 G. Enemy YS 559786 at 04 1400 patrol heard two to three voices on East - West
 track.
 YS 566783 at 06 1400 patrol heard approximately three voices (one
 female). Patrol commander suspects V.C. sighted patrol as the V.C.
 moved off quickly to the EAST to a NORTH SOUTH track and disappeared
 NORTH. Patrol moved to area where voices were first heard and found
 an old camp extending WEST approximately 200 metres. The camp consisted
 of old bunkers and pits and was being renovated by the V.C.
 YS 565783 at 06 1620 Patrol heard a cough 12 metres NORTH WEST. Five
 V.C. approached from the NORTH EAST and moved into a clearing. Patrol
 initiated contact and the first V.C. was seen to fall and did not move.
 At this stage one V.C. ran into the area of the contact from the NORTH
 WEST. He was hit by aimed shots and then further shots hit him as he
 was on the ground.
 Patrol recieved one burst of automatic fire of tracer and withdrew
 SOUTH WEST after firing gas rounds from the M79.
 Of the V.C. in the first group of five three were dressed in black and
 two in light khaki. Weapons and webbing were not observed. None wore
 hats. The sixth V.C. wore light khaki and was carrying a weapon similar
 to an SKS.
 Whilst the patrol was setting up communications 250 metres SOUTH WEST
 from the contact, coughing was heard 100 metres from the patrol as if
 one V.C. had passed through the gassed area.
 YS 5627 at 06 1640 just before exfiltration the patrol heard a weapon
 being cocked approximately 20 metres NORTH EAST. Gunships engaged area
 as patrol was extracted.
H. Map Correctoins Nil.I. Misc. Info.
 On one of the EAST WEST tracks there were one man bomb shelters at
 10 metres intervals. Many domestic chickens in the area.
J. Results of encounters with Enemy

Three V.C. K.I.A. (B.C.)


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K. Condition of patrol Good.

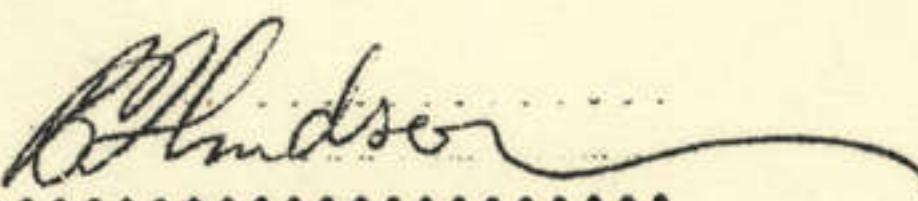
L. Conclusions and Recommendations

V.C. do not seem to have been greatly affected by OP. SANTA FE.
Four days after the Battalions left the area V.C. were back.
Recommend further bombing and aggressive patrolling in area.


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J.M. DUNCAN
Sgt.
Ptl. Comd.

M. Additional remarks by Interrogator

Nil.


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W.F. HINDSON
2 Lt.
Ops. Offr.

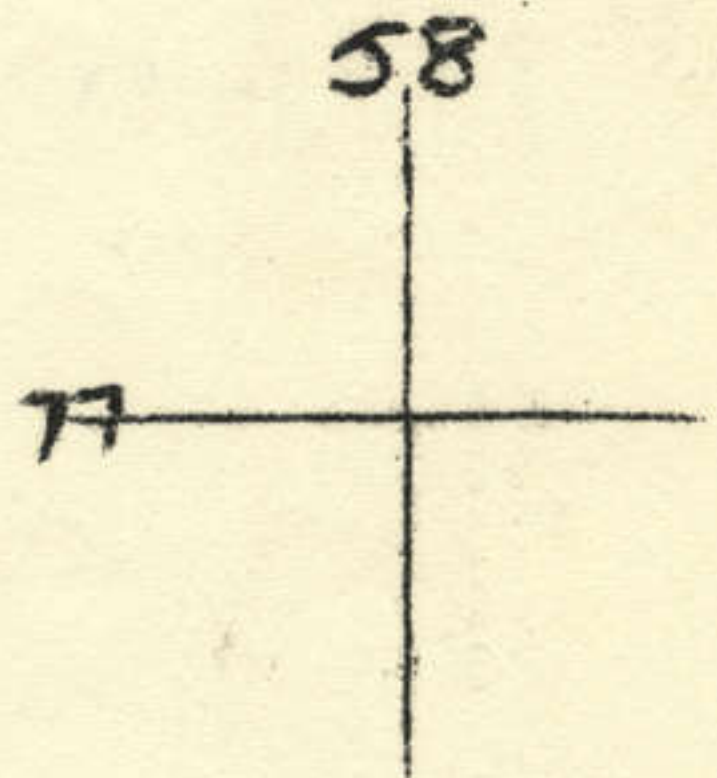
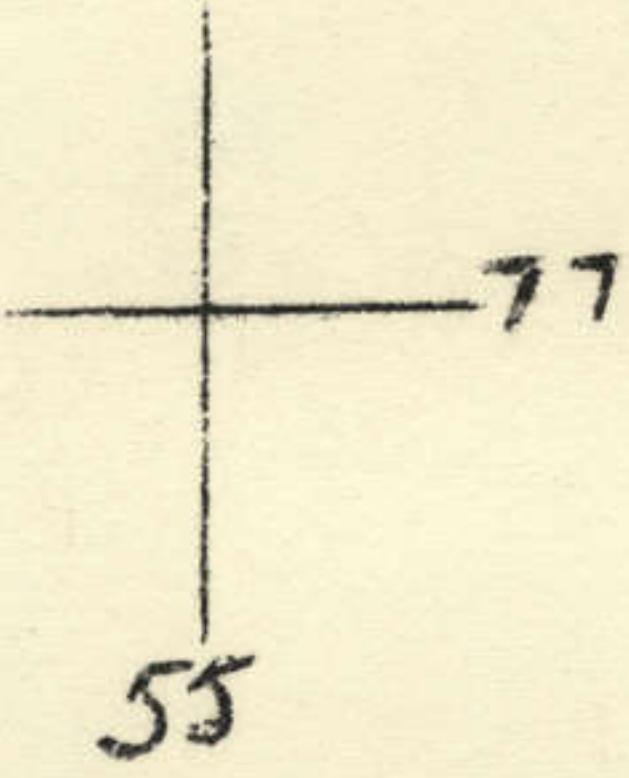
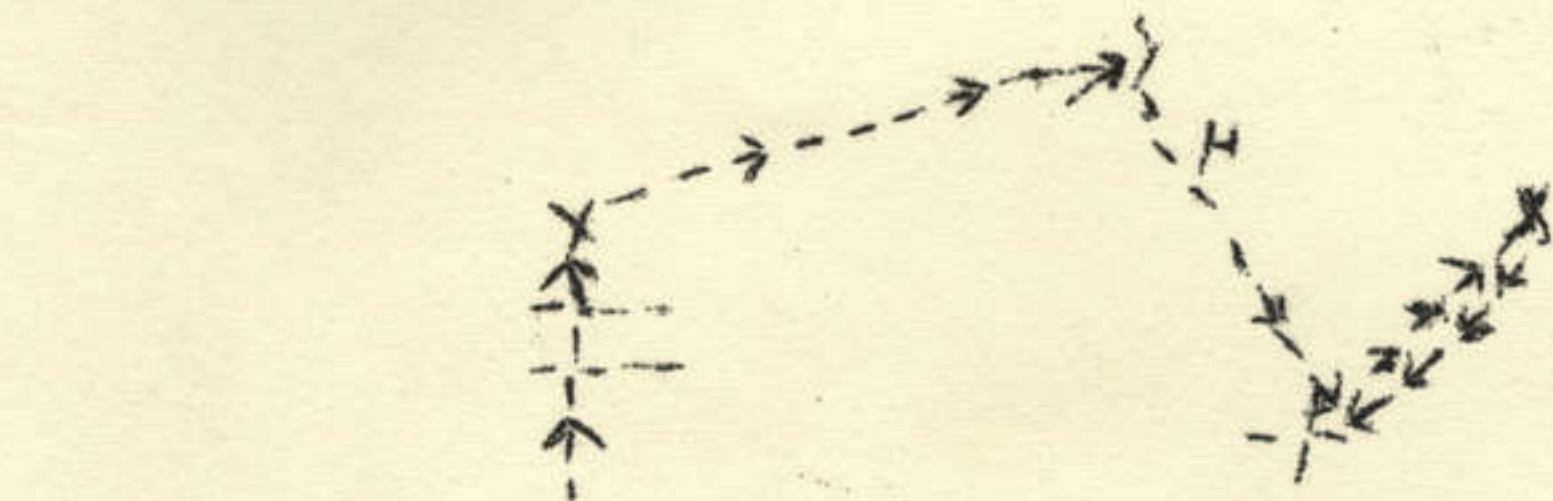
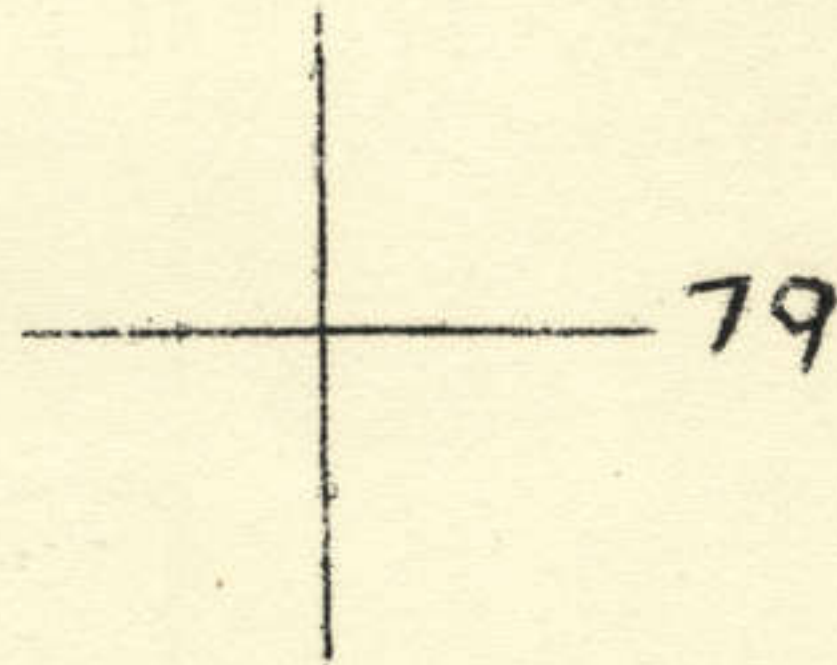
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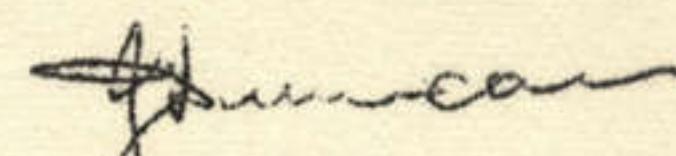
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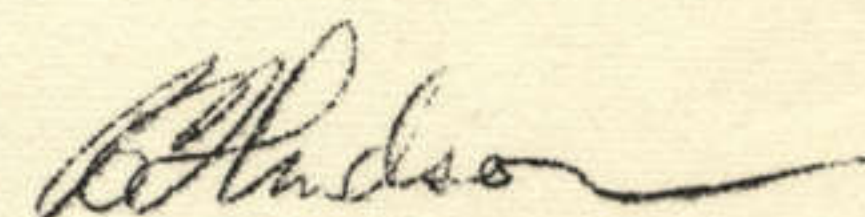
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After "He was hit by aimed shots and then further shots hit him as he was on the ground" insert;

The third VC in the first group was hit with bursts of fire to the chest, as he fell to the ground the remainder of the magazine was fired at the body. He did not move after that.


J. Mc. DUNCAN
Sgt
Ptl Comd


W. F. HINDSON
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PATROL REPORT

Recce Patrol = Patrol 21

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Cpl A.V. SMITH 2 IC
Pte M.J. SMITH Sig
Pte I.A. BULLOCK Med
Pte G.P. HERBERT RfnB. Task

Recce zone 717.

C. Time out

03 0900H

D. Time in

07 1330H

E. RoutesInfil by Heli to YS 334747.
Exfil by Heli from YS 330770.
For patrol route see ANNEX P.F. TerrainPrimary jungle with secondary undergrowth. Slow but good movement.
No water encountered.G. EnemyYS 336749 at 03 1430 one shot 1500 metres NORTH WEST.
YS 338751 at 03 1630 one shot 1000 metres NORTH WEST.
YS 341754 at 040745 one shot 1000 metres NORTH WEST, 040815 one explosion, possibly mine, and small arms fire for 15 minutes.
YS 344754 at 040915 camp under construction bunkers with over head cover, kitchens, cans of 'C' rations and water bottles, shovels and entrenching tools suggest camp had been vacated hurriedly. Earth and camouflage from incomplete bunkers indicated they had been worked on within one or two days. Some parts of camp were up to two months old. Artillery or mortars had been used throughout the area but none had hit the camp.
YS 334765 at 04 1515 three shots heard 600 metres to SOUTH EAST at a point near a recently used NORTH-EAST SOUTH-WEST track.
Throughout the remainder of the patrol numerous shots were heard to the WEST and NORTH WEST.
YS 330773 at 041125 4 shots heard 200 metres WEST of exfil point.H. Map corrections NilI. Misc infoPtls should bear in mind loc of Fire Trail WEST of this area.
Numerous foot tracks generally NORTH EAST/SOUTH WEST.J. Results of encounters with enemy NilK. Condition of patrol

Ptl was extracted one day early due to one member with infected feet and lack of water.

L. Conclusions and recommendations Nil*J. Gebhardt*
J. GEBHARDT
Sgt
Ptl ComdM. Additional remarks by interrogator Nil

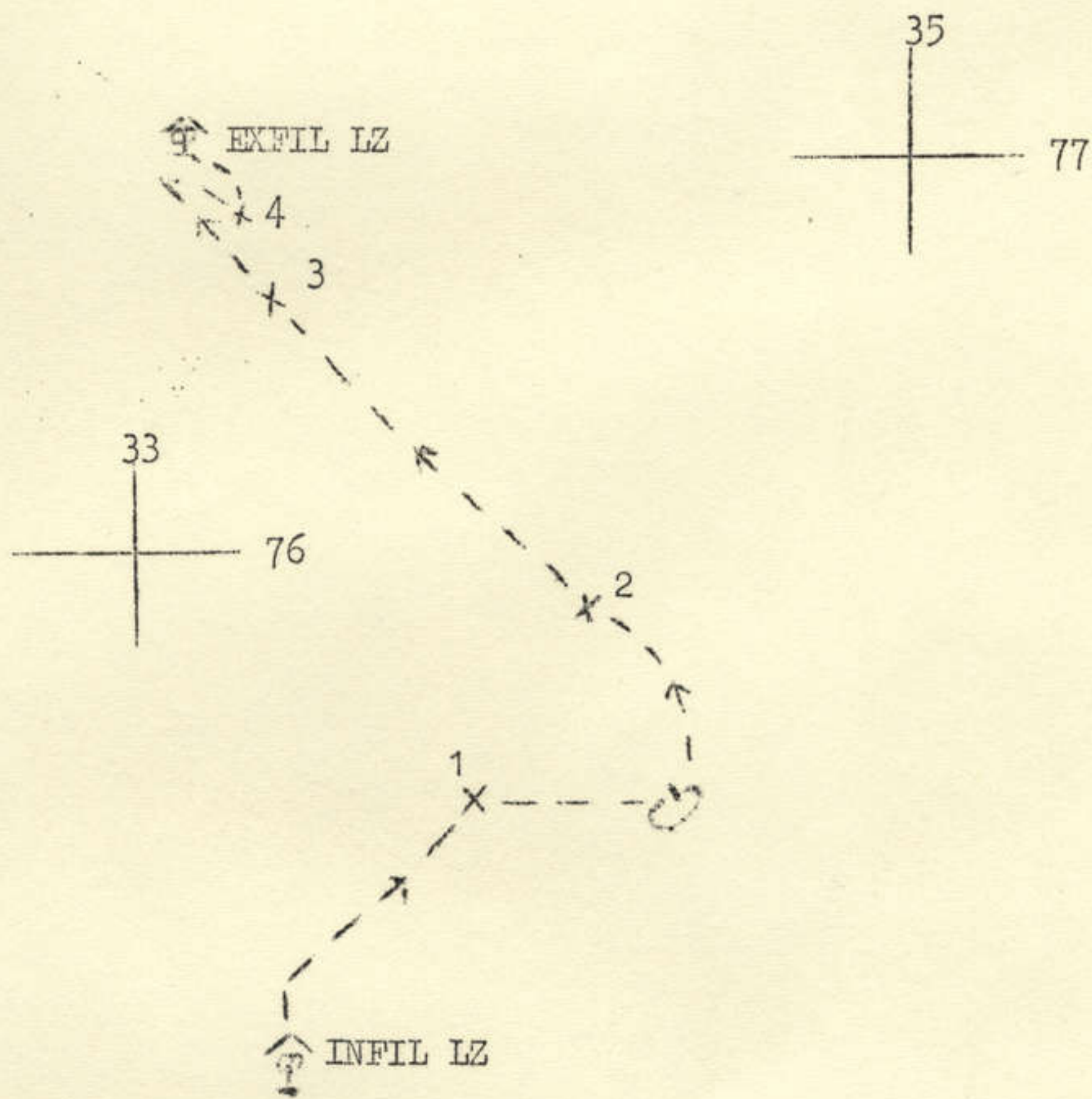
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-  LUP
-  EN POSN
-  PTL ROUTE

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Ambush Ptl, Ptl 31

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A. Size and composition of patrol

Sgt	L.E. FRASER	Ptl Comd
LCpl	R.T. MOORE	2IC
Pte	J.F. HARVEY	Rfn
Pte	J.F. HINGST	Rfn
Pte	D.H. JENSON	Sig

B. Task

Ambush tracks in vicinity bridge YS 373775 in Zone 716

C. Time out 301700H

D. Time in 011645H

E. Route

Infil by hel to LZ YS 374758
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 377779
For Ptl route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Heavy secondary jungle with open savannah country in NORTHERN half of zone. Water abundant.

G. Enemy

No sign of enemy movement for last six months

H. Map corrections NIL

I. Misc info

Batteries in AN/PRC 64 set only lasted for 1 sched each. URC 10 also faulty during extraction.

J. Results of encounters with enemy NIL

K. Condition of patrol Good

L. Conclusions and recommendations

Although several aircraft were attracted to Ptl loc by flashing mirror no report was forwarded to ATF until six hours later.

L.E. Fraser
L.E. FRASER
Sgt
Ptl Comd

M. Additional remarks by interrogator

Ptl was extracted due to failure of batteries causing loss of communications and a faulty URC 10

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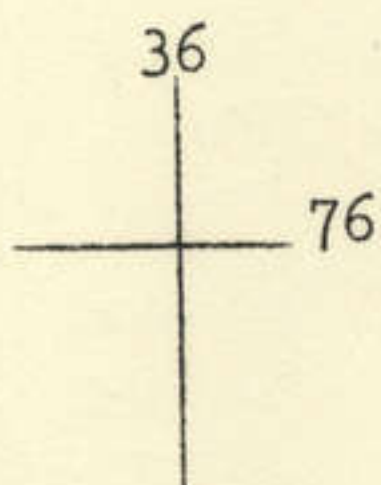
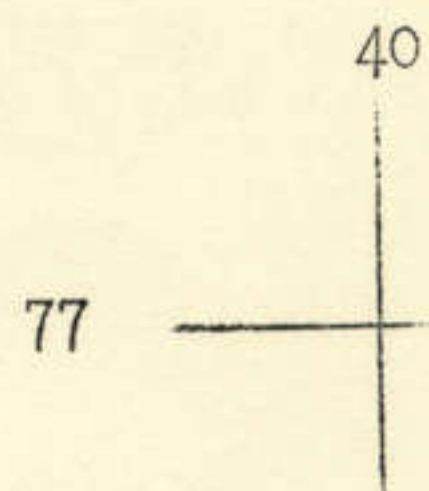
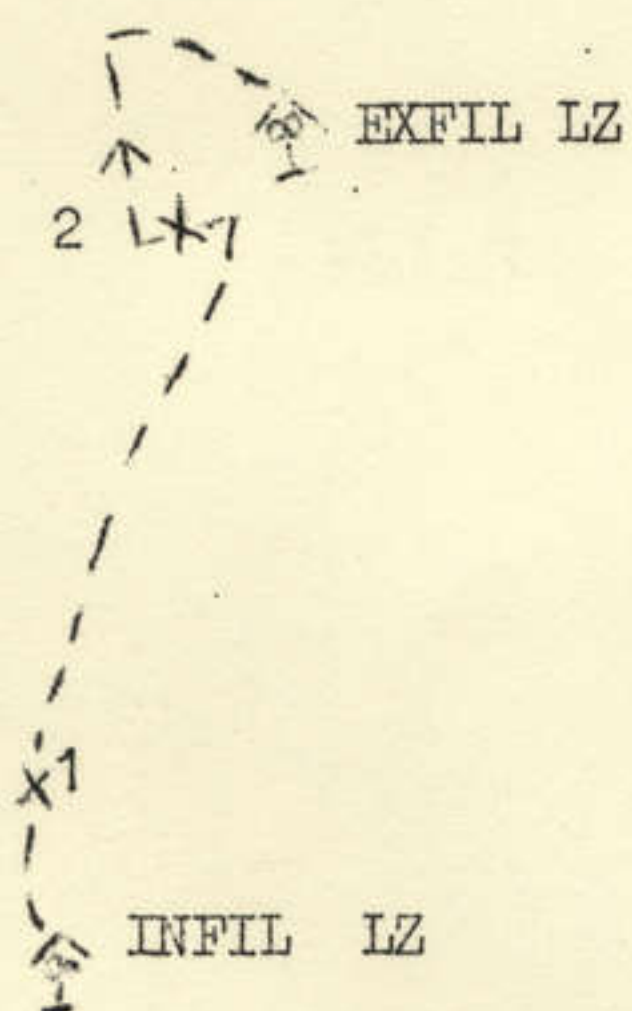
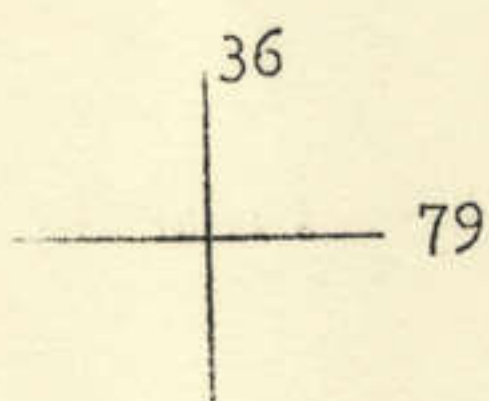
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PATROL REPORT

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Ref: Maps SOUTH VIETNAM XA BINH BA 1:50,000 Sheet 6430 111
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A. Size and composition of patrol

2Lt	J.D. KNOX	Ptl Comd
LCpl	M. EWART	2IC
Pte	M.R. KRASSOVSKY	Sig
Pte	D.R. COCHRANE	Rfn
Pte	W.G. DeMAMIEL	Rfn

B. Task Recce Zone 208

C. Time out 290715H

D. Time in 021815H

E. Route Infil by hel to LZ YS 362788
Exfil by hel from LZ YS 346782
For patrol route see ANNEX P

F. Terrain

Flat thick secondary undergrowth due to defoliation. Bamboo. Water plentiful in creeks and large reentrants.

G. Enemy

YS 352798 at 300715 two single shots heard 200 metres NORTH.
YS 349798 at 301000H Ptl encountered a camp consisting of approx 150m of trench with living bunkers every 30ft. Behind the trench were old tables and stores. The area was old and had not been used for about three months. An airstrike had been put in close to the camp. 50m SW was a similar system. 100m WEST across a creek was another extensive system of trenches that extended 400m WEST from the creek. The area was about 1 month old and had a heavily used foottrack running SE-NW through the camp. It had been used about 1 week ago. There was no indication that this camp had been previously discovered.

YS 345788 at 010800H Large pit 35'x8'x7'. It had been dug within last three weeks.

H. Map corrections NIL

I. Misc info
Area is drying out quickly making movement noisy.

J. Results of encounters with enemy NIL

K. Condition of patrol
Patrol was extracted one day early due to one member contracting bronchitis.

L. Conclusions and recommendations NIL

M. Additional remarks by interrogator NIL

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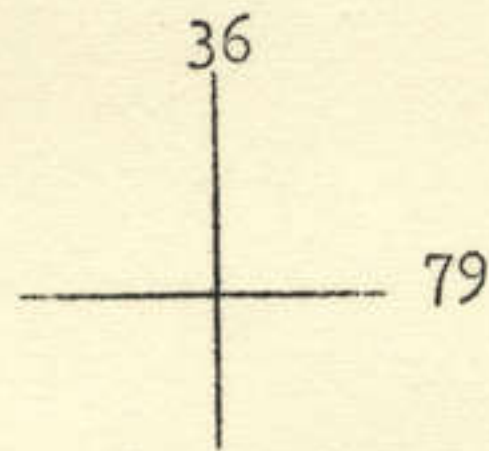
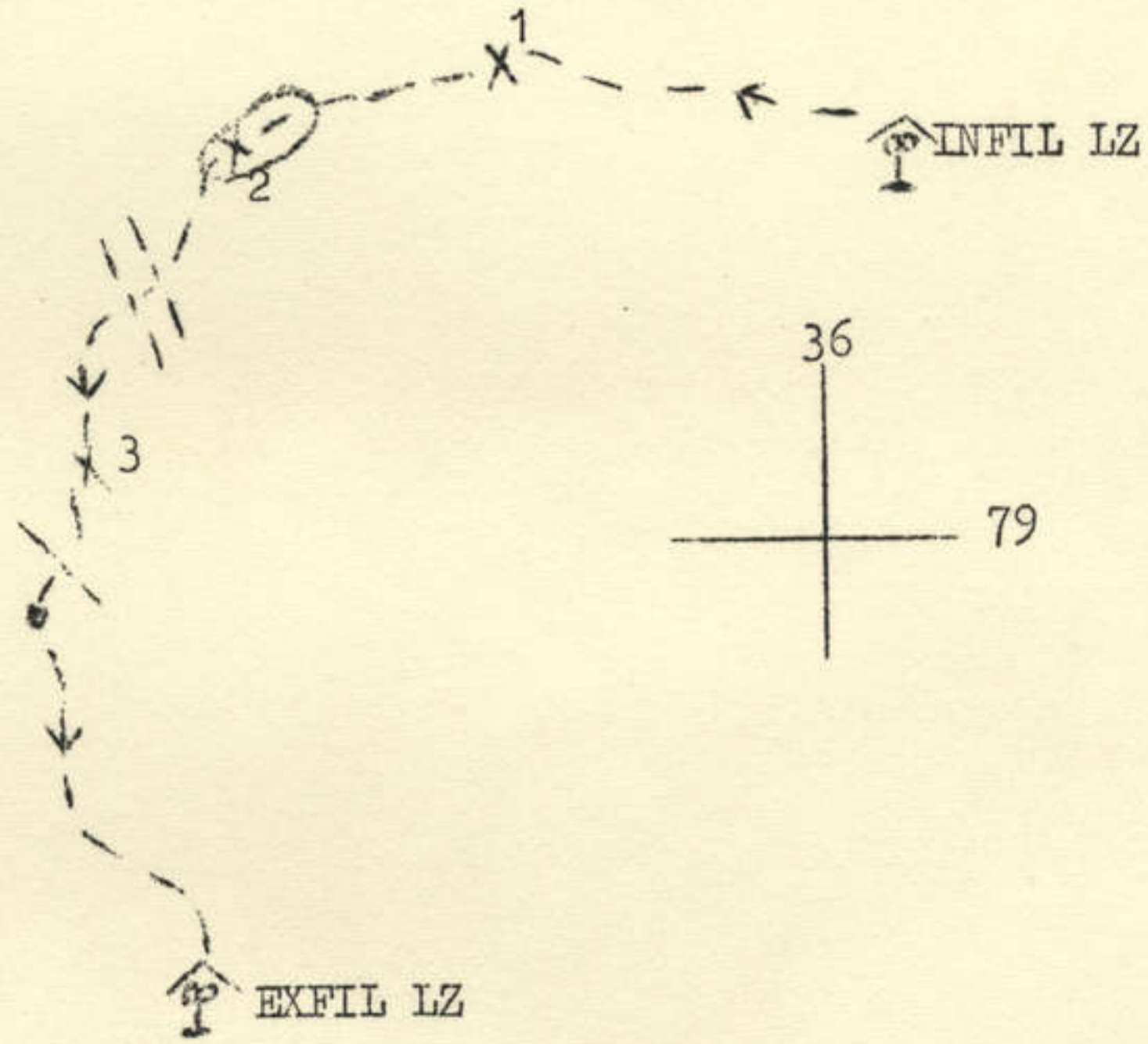
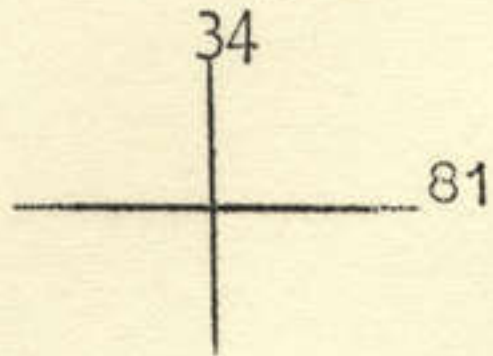
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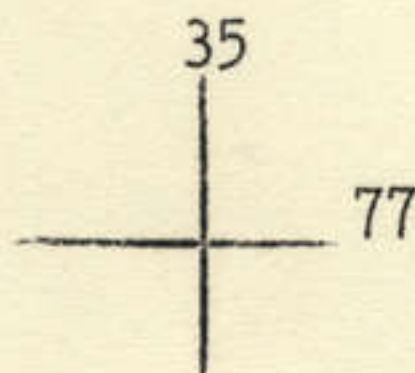
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-  LUP
-  Ptl ROUTE
-  FOOT TRK
-  NEW CP
-  AREA CAMP



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SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS FROM 191600H TO 261600H (.)

ONE (.) 8 FIVE MAN PTLs DEPLOYED AND EXTRACTED BY HEL AS FOLS (.)

ALPHA (.) TWO RECCE PTLs DEPLOYED AREA YS5180 (.)

BRAVO (.) ONE AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED AREA YS7163 (.)

CHARLIE (.) THREE RECCE PTLs AND TWO AMBUSH PTLs DEPLOYED AREAS YS5581 GMM

YS6677 GMM YS6662 STILL OUT (.)

TWO (.) MAJOR ENEMY SIGHTINGS DURING PERIOD (.)

ALPHA (.) TWO CONTACTS GMM 1 VC KIA (BC) (.)

THREE (.) PLEASE PASS TO AHQ (.)

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SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS FROM 121600H TO 191600H (.)

ONE (.) 8 PTLs DEPLOYED AND EXTRACTED BY HEL DURING PERIOD AS FOLLOWS (.)

ALPHA (.) ONE 10 MAN FIGHTING PTL DEPLOYED AREA YS5478 (.)

BRAVO (.) THREE 5 MAN RECCE PTLs AND ONE 5 MAN AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED AREA
YS3372 TO YS4281 (.)

CHARLIE (.) TWO 5 MAN RECCE PTLs DEPLOYED AREA YS5280 AND ONE 5 MAN
AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED AREA YS7163 STILL OUT (.)

TWO (.) MAJOR ENEMY SIGHTINGS DURING PERIOD (.)

ALPHA (.) ONE CONTACT GM 3 VC KIA (BC) (.)

BRAVO (.) ONE OCCUPIED CAMP GM 15 - 20 VC (.)

CHARLIE (.) TWO CACHES (.)

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SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS FROM 051600H TO 121600H PD

ONE PD 8 PTLs DEPLOYED AND EXTRACTED DURING PERIOD AS FOLLOWS PD

ALPHA PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3376 3 NOV CMM EXTRACTED 7 NOV ON COMPLETION OF TASK PD

BRAVO PD TWO 5 MAN AMBUSH PTLs DEPLOYED BY FOOT FROM FSPB WILTON TO AREAS YS 5678 AND YS 5478 2 NOV CMM EXTRACTED ONE 6 NOV AFTER CONTACT CMM ONE 7 NOV WITHOUT CONTACT PD

CHARLIE PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3371 4 NOV CMM EXTRACTED 9 NOV ON COMPLETION OF TASK PD

DELTA PD ONE 10 MAN AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED BY FOOT FROM FSPB LION TO AREA YS 6279 5 NOV CMM EXTRACTED 10 NOV ON COMPLETION OF TASK PD

ECHO PD ONE 10 MAN AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 5478 9 NOV CMM STILL OUT PD

FOXTROT PD TWO 5 MAN RECCE PTLs DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREAS YS 4280 9 NOV AND YS 3581 10 NOV CMM STILL OUT

TWO PD MAJOR ENEMY SIGHTINGS DURING PERIOD PD

ALPHA PD YS 565783 AT 061620 PTL CONTACTED 6 VC IN CAMP RESULT 3 VC (KIA) BC

BRAVO PD YS 624789 AT 081645H PTL CONTACTED 1 VC MOVING SOUTH ON TRACK RESULT 1 VC KIA (BC) PD

CHARLIE PD YS 546784 AT 041730H 4 VC SIGHTED ENTERING HUT PD

DELTA PD YS 548781 AT 071135H 2 VC SIGHTED PTL AND ALERTED CAMP PD AT 071400H 7 VC SIGHTED AT RICE CACHE PD

ECHO PD YS 326716 AT 071230H 10 VC SIGHTED WASHING IN CREEK PD

FOXTROT PD YS 326719 AT 080830H 1 VC SIGHTED PTL AND ALERTED CAMP CMM VOICES HEARD IN CAMP PD

GOLF PD YS 325715 AT 091155H 4 VC MOVED FROM WEST INTO CAMP PD

HOTEL PD YS 624784 AT 081645H 2 VC MOVING WEST ON TRACK PD

INDIA PD YS 566783 AT 061400H PTL LOCATED ENEMY CAMP BEING RENOVATED PD

JULIET PD YS 344754 AT 040915H PTL LOCATED OLD ENEMY CAMP WITH NEW SECTION UNDER CONSTRUCTION PD

KILO PD YS 546784 AT 041050H PTL LOCATED HUT WITH BUNKER BENEATH IT PD

LIMA PD YS 326716 AT 071100H PTL LOCATED OCCUPIED ENEMY CAMP CMM FOLLOWING AIR STRIKES RESULTED IN 4 VC KBA (POSS) PD

MIKE PD YS 622792 AT 070930H PTL LOCATED ENEMY CAMP CONTAINING PARTLY CONSTRUCTED HUTS PD

NOVEMBER PD YS 623788 AT 071600H PTL LOCATED ENEMY CAMP CONSISTING OF 6 HUTS WITH SHELTERS BENEATH THEM PD

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SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS FROM 291600H TO 051600H PD

ONE PD 10 PTLs DEPLOYED AND EXTRACTED DURING PERIOD AS FOLLOWS PD

ALPHA PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 6381 26 OCT CMM
EXTRACTED 29 OCT ON COMPLETION OF TASK PD

BRAVO PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 4280 27 OCT CMM
EXTRACTED 29 OCT ON COMPLETION OF TASK PD

CHARLIE PD ONE 10 MAN AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3374 27 OCT
CMM EXTRACTED 31 OCT WITHOUT CONTACT PD

DELTA PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3479 29 OCT CMM
EXTRACTED 2 NOV ON COMPLETION OF TASK PD

ECHO PD ONE 5 MAN AMBUSH PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3776 30 OCT CMM
EXTRACTED 1 NOV WITHOUT CONTACT PD

FOXTROT PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3376 2 NOV CMM
STILL OUT PD

GOLF PD TWO 5 MAN AMBUSH PTLs DEPLOYED BY FOOT FROM FSPB WILTON YS 5476
ON 2 NOV TO AREAS YS 5678 and YS 5478 CMM STILL OUT PD

HOTEL PD ONE 5 MAN RECCE PTL DEPLOYED BY HEL TO AREA YS 3371 4 NOV CMM
STILL OUT PD

TWO PD MAJOR ENEMY SIGHTINGS DURING PERIOD PD

ALPHA PD YS 349798 AT 301000H PTL LOCATED LARGE ENEMY CAMP PD

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