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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.

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

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as well as map references), establishment, equipment

orders given.

the day's fighting, including company movements.

commander with regard to equipment, tactics, organization

essential importance.

officers, men and equipment.

equipment captured.

employed in the time not accounted for. The type of

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

the annexes, but need not give a precis of any of them.

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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8. The annexes are to be assembled in the groups shown on the cover. If there are no annexes, the word "ANNEX NIL" will be entered on the cover. If necessary, annexes are to be arranged in a separate bound volume, being at H.

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COMMANDING OFFICER Lt Col J. C. Hughes MC

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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
1	CAM My village	1 Oct 71	0900 to 1100	IO payed liaison visit to Cam My and 177 RF Coy - results logged	Logs 20
2	Courtenay Hill 450 904	1 Oct 71	1200	A Sqn (-) 3 Cav Regt under op con to 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn until 061800H	
3	41 79	1 Oct 71	1421	B Coy moved West of Route 2 by APC to interdict routes into Duc Thanh	23, 29
4	Courtney Hill	1 Oct 71	pm	Another VN party visited. They appear to be uncertain whether or not they will occupy feature, or make use of defence stores when we go	
5	407868	1 Oct 71	1640	C Coy air inserted West of Route 2 into LZ secured by 1 Tp A Sqn. Task of C Coy is to re-establish presence West of Route 2 to interdict resupply and courier routes. Also to rebalance the battalion from heavy bias East of Route 2.	38, 39
6	Ngai Giao Villiage	1 Oct 71	1945	40 PF P1 and 626 RF Coy in contact with an estimated company of enemy who attacked the village. FSB ROBIN fired in support	50, 52, 55

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7	FSB ROBIN	2 Oct 71	0520	Flare set off, hand held flare fired, 2 people seen near perimeter, .50 cal MG fired, people fled	Logs 2
8	Courtenay Hill	2 Oct 71	1045	Advice received that AO BIRDSVILLE East of the 54 Easting had been given to 3 Bde 1 US ACD (Air Mobile), down to the 80 Northing	23
9	463799	2 Oct 71	1355	3 VC found KIA from last night's attack on NGAI GIAO	32,39,41
10	432912	2 Oct 71	2215	A sentry of Sect 1 Tp A Sqn 3 Cav Regt in ambush heard movement and engaged with 30 Cal. No result, possibly animal.	62, 63
11	Courtenay Hill	2 Oct 71	2400	Operation IVANHOE. Concluded	After Action Report
12	Courtenay Hill	3 Oct 71	0001	Operation VALIANT - A Task Force redeployment operation to within 1 ATF operation to within 3 ATF Base Defence AO	Logs

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13	Phouc Tuy	3 Oct 71	0600 to 2400	South Vietnamese Presidential Elections	Logs
14	483 707	4 Oct 71	1030	C/S 74, a Nui Dat Base Defence Patrol detained six SVN females, and handed them over to 1 ATF	24, 29
15	419 877	4 Oct 71	1100	C Coy airlifted back to Nui Dat with the task of packing stores prior to move to 3 RAR Defensive Area ni 5/6 Oct 71	25
16	456 755	4 Oct 71	1503	V Coy moved by APC to new Southern AO to search and ambush	43
17	Courtenay Hill	4 Oct 71	1630	A group from HQ 18 ARVN Div visited Courtenay Hill to examine the possibility of positioning 105 mm HOW's on the hill. Also checked the stores to be left in situ on extraction of CP/Spt Coy (-)	57
18	Courtenay Hill	4 Oct 71	2200	18 ARVN DIV, confirmed that Courtenay Hill would not be required by 18 Div. All stores to be dismantled.	57

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19	Route 2 near Courtenay	5 Oct 71	0745	A Sqn (-) 3 Cav Regt checked Route 2 for mines. Road picqueted and ready for convoy.	3, 4
20	Courtenay Hill	5 Oct 71	0945	Advance CP Party departed by air for Nui Dat	
21	483 742	5 Oct 71	1055	2 Pl V Coy in contact with 3 VC. No result.	18, 19, 25
22	452 840	5 Oct 71	1200	1 Sect 1 Tp A Sqn detonated an M14 mine. No casualties or damage.	
23	Nui Dat	5 Oct 71	1205	Bn CP opened at Nui Dat and assumed \emptyset A control, CP at COURTENAY became \emptyset C	26
24	Courtenay Hill	5 Oct 71	1210	18 ARVN DIV advised that Courtenay Hill was now required by the unit. Remaining installations to stand, all dismantling ceased.	29
25	FSB DEBBIE	5 Oct 71	1400	FSB DEBBIE out of action and closed, and a sect of 104 Fd Bty returned to Nui Dat	

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26	Courtenay Hill	5 Oct 71	1655	Courtenay Hill handed over to P1 of 177 RF Coy	Logs
27	Nui Dat	5 Oct 71	1745	Sp. Coy (-) at Nui Dat	
28	Nui Dat	5 Oct 71	1800	C Coy assumed responsibility for 3 RAR defensive perimeter	
29	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	0600	D Coy assumed responsibility for security of unit area	
30	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	0745	TAOR Patrol 72 returned to Nui Dat	5
31	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	0810	TAOR Patrol 71 returned to Nui Dat	8
32	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	0810	Message from 3 RAR " 3 RAR closed Nui Dat and passed responsibility for sector 1 Nui Dat Base to 4 RAR 060800 Oct 71 and embarked on HMAS SYDNEY for RTA" 46 ex members of 3 RAR posted to 4 RAR, marched into Coys	9

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33	Nui Dat 439 684	6 Oct 71	0815	Bn HQ, C, Sp, Admin Coys commenced transfer of stores and personnel to new unit lines - Ex 3 RAR area	Logs
34	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	1105	Bn HQ assumed command from new CP - Ex 3 RAR CP; CP in old lines closed	21
35	429 770	6 Oct 71	1120	B Coy to commence ferrying by APC to areas in AO KINGSGROVE. Task, to conduct close patrolling programme in the North of AO	22
36	FSB ROBIN	6 Oct 71	1200	FSB ROBIN out of action and closed	
37	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	1242	V Coy given orders to search and ambush in North Section of AO OTAGO	33
38	Nui Dat 439 684	6 Oct 71	1745	Transfer of C, Sp, Admin Coys and Bn HQ to new location complete	
39	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	1800	A Sqn (-) 3 Cav Regt ceased to be under Op Con	

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40	Nui Dat	6 Oct 71	2400	Operation VALIANT concluded	LOGS
41	Nui Dat	7 Oct 71	0001	Operation SOUTH WARD commenced - A Task Force withdrawal operation	After Action Report
42	Nui Dat	7 Oct 71	0850	B Coy returned to Nui Dat via 1 Tp A Sqn	5
43	Nui Dat	7 Oct 71	1550	7 Pl C Coy moved out by APC to drop off point vicinity 4470 to commence 5 day anti-clockwise patrol through AO KINGSGROVE	16
44	Nui Dat	7 Oct 71	1612	Patrol from Admin Coy moved out by APC for overnight ambush task	17
45	Nui Dat	7 Oct 71		For deception purposes companies continued to send the locstats of all platoons as normal while 9 Sqn RAAF maintained air activity with simulated insertions and extractions of patrols	
46	Nui Dat	8 Oct 71	0725	Admin Coy ambush patrol returned.	3

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47	Nui Dat	8 Oct 71	0900	Sp Coy (-) left for Vung Tau for overnight R and I	Logs
48	Nui Dat	8 Oct 71	1000 to 1100	Maj Gen Murchinson, CMF Member Military Board, visited, briefed by CO	
49	Nui Dat	8 Oct 71	1412	D Coy had 12 civilians in front of their loc. A local D Coy patrol detained 3 and dispersed the remainder	12, 14
50	Nui Dat 469 705	8 Oct 71 9	pm	2/43 ARVN Bn and 946 RF Coy occupied old JWTC lines	
51	469 705	9 Oct 71	0930	V Coy HQ and 3 Pl returned to Nui Dat by APC. 1 and 2 Pl received maintdem then moved North and East on patrol and ambush task	2, 3, 4
52	Nui Dat	9 Oct 71	1000	Sp Coy (-) returned to Nui Dat following 24 hour R and I	
53	Nui Dat	9 Oct 71	1015	CO met Comd 1 ATF and COMAFV and discussed the various RTA proposals	

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54	467 725	9 Oct 71	1648	Tracker Pl dropped off by APC to commence 5 day patrol and ambush in B Coy AO	Logs 15, 16
55	434 674	10 Oct 71	0600 to 1800	D Coy moved to new loc atop Nui Dat Hill - "SAS HILL"	
56	Nui Dat	11 Oct 71	1115	HQ 1 ATF advised that a Pl from Ready Reaction force may be used for patrolling but must be within 1 hours recall	10
57	Nui Dat	11 Oct 71	1612	5 Pl B Coy returned from half day patrol in close Western TAOR	16, 12
58	Nui Dat	11 Oct 71	2320	Sp. Coy reported movement on perimeter wire. Illumination from 81 mm fired. Nil sighting.	25
59	475 676	12 Oct 71	0047	TA 42A A Sqn in contact after sighting possible 2 VC, no result	2,8,9,10
60	415 694	12 Oct 71	1015	8 Pl C Coy moved out on search and ambush patrol in areas A, B, C of AO KINGSGROVE	14

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61	Nui Dat	12 Oct 71	1040	7 Pl returned to Nui Dat	Logs 16
62	3768 3869	13 Oct 71	1120	5 Pl B Coy inserted by air to pick up soil samples for Aust Embassy, and returned to Nui Dat	4
63	Nui Dat	14 Oct 71	0400	All passes permitting VN access to 1 ATF cancelled	1
64	Nui Dat	14 Oct 71	am	Unit visited by COMAFV, he inspected new Bn Gp position and noted def works in progress	
65	Nui Dat	14 Oct 71	1645	Tracker Pl return ^{ed} _^ from patrol	31
66	Nui Dat	15 Oct 71	0950	1 Pl V Coy returned from patrol	8
67	Nui Dat	15 Oct 71	1000	26 1/70 NS intake members marched out of the unit for RTA	
68	Nui Dat	15 Oct 71	1215	TF advised of contact at XA Bang involving 626 RF Coy	14

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69	Nui Dat	15 Oct 71	1800	4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Gp formed, with the following units under command: a. 1 Tp A Sqn 3 Cav Regt, RAAC. b. 104 Fd Sqn RAA and Bty Sect 12 Fd Regt LAD RAEME. c. Tp (-) 1 Fd Sqn RAE. f ELMS 8 PET PL i DET 1 COMM Z POSTAL UNIT d. Det 104 Sig Sqn, RA Sigs. g ELMS 176 ADCOY j RAAF FWD ATOC e. ELMS 161 (INDEP) RECCE FIT h ELMS 11 MC GP	Logs
70	Nui Dat	16 Oct 71	0805	5 Pl B Coy moved out for 1 day close TAOR patrol	5
71	Nui Dat	16 Oct 71	1448	1 ATF (-) completely departed Nui Dat by road for Vung Tau. 2/43 ARVN Bn secured. Area of Task Force area abandoned today by 1 ATF (-). Summary of units moved given in ops log 25. The 1 ATF CP closed at Nui Dat and opened at Vung Tau. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Gp took over responsibility for LUSCOMBE airfield and RAAF DUST/OFF and BUSHRANGER operations in the Nui Dat area. 4 RAR/NZ Gp perimeter excluded and closed to areas previously occupied by the units which moved to Vung Tau.	25
72	Nui Dat	16 Oct 71	1620	5 Pl returned to B Coy's location	24
73	Nui Dat 465115 Nui Dat	16 Oct 71	1845	TA12, 1 Tp A Sqn deployed on night ambush	32

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74	4572	17 Oct 71	1036	4 Pl B Coy deployed on 7 day patrol in areas W, X, V	Logs 9
75	461723	17 Oct 71	1325	4 Pl B Coy located claymore set as a mechanical ambush but not set to detonate. Destroyed.	18
76	Nui Dat	17 Oct 71	1530	CO 2/43 ARVN Bn and LO visited CO	27
77	413667	17 Oct 71	1755	TAII 1 Tp A Sqn deployed on ambush task	31
78	Nui Dat	18 Oct 71	0615	TAII returned from night ambush	
79	Vung Tau	18 Oct 71	am	Bn RTA planning group to Vung Tau for movements conference	
80	542721	18 Oct 71	1243	4 Pl B Coy located a mechanical ambush. Destroyed.	
81	Nui Dat	18 Oct 71	1425	Discussion with LO Duc Thanh over mechanical ambushes set by PF in our AO, and measures of control	27, 32

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82	457697	18 Oct 71	2040	6 Pl B Coy in contact. Sentry engaged movt and noise - nil result	39, 41
83	457697	18 Oct 71	2110	6 Pl B Coy in similar contact. Sentry heard movement and saw silhouette of a man, engaged. Nil results.	42, 44
84	Nui Dat	19 Oct 71	0905	12 Pl D Coy returned to Nui Dat	8
85	Nui Dat	19 Oct 71	am	NSW Concert Party visited. Outgoing Dep Comd 1 ATF (Col D. D. Weir) paid last visit to unit	
86	473674	19 Oct 71	1536	Ni ambush location for TA12, and 19 m	28
87	485697	20 Oct 71	1015	5 Pl B Coy inserted by air, after arty and LFT LZ prep, on 5 day search and ambush patrol	13, 14, 17
88	482706	20 Oct 71	1352	5 Pl B Coy detained 15 civilians, all papers in order, directed out of area	26, 34

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89	Nui Dat Hill	21 Oct 71	0938	D Coy receiving small arms rounds onto hill from RF birdshooters. Culprits apprehended by APC and taken to CO 2/43 ARVN who dispensed summary justice.	Logs 7, 12
90	Nui Dat	21 Oct 71	1427	C Coy reported sighting on one man with bushes tied to his back moving away from wire	20, 24
91	Nui Dat	22 Oct 71	0700	9 Pl C Coy returned to coy location after night standing patrol	4
92	476673	22 Oct 71	1646	Aslt Pnr Pl inserted by APC to area N on ambush and search patrol	26
93	479717	23 Oct 71	1000	6 Pl B Coy air inserted from Nui Dat. 4 Pl B Coy air extracted to Nui Dat	2, 5
94	Nui Dat	23 Oct 71	am	Mr A. Swanton ABC Rep visited unit and 2/43 ARVN Bn	
96	378684	24 Oct 71	1000	10 Pl D Coy inserted by air from Nui Dat	10
				11 Pl D Coy extracted by air to Nui Dat	11
95	437695	23 Oct 71	1130	Three 1 ATF personnel ambushed whilst travelling by road along Route 2. No cas.	14

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97	Nui Dat Area	24 Oct 71	am	Voice mission and leaflet drop conducted with the aim of warning civilians to keep clear	Logs
98	Nui Dat	25 Oct 71	0910	TA1 (-) departed to secure Route 2 for road convoy from Vung Tau. Bushrangers on call. DS Possum providing top cover	1, 7
99	Nui Dat	25 Oct 71	1025	Return convoy cleared Baria. APC's returned to Nui Dat	26
100	Nui Dat	25 Oct 71	1205	Chief of Staff HQ AFV, accompanied by Comd 1 ATF visited to discuss admin aspects of withdrawal	12
101	Nui Dat	26 Oct 71	0915	5 Pl B Coy returned to Nui Dat on completion of 5 day patrol	7
102	467725	26 Oct 71	1110	4 Pl B Coy inserted by APC to area W for 5 day search and ambush patrol	11, 14
103	Nui Dat	27 Oct 71	0845	1 Tp (-) to protect road convoy from Baria to Nui Dat. Bushrangers on call	4

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104	Nui Dat	27 Oct 71	0928	1 Tp (-) and convoy at Nui Dat	Logs 5, 6
105	Nui Dat	27 Oct 71	am	COM AFV and Comd 1 ATF visited unit	
106	403698	27 Oct 71	1023	8 Pl C Coy inserted by air for 5 day patrol 7 Pl C Coy extracted by air after 5 day patrol and returned to Nui Dat	9, 11
107	Nui Dat	28 Oct 71	0900	Director Army Movements and Deputy Comd 1 ATF visited to discuss RTA movement and leave travel in light of Prime Minister's announcement promising all troops home by Christmas Day	
108	Nui Dat	28 Oct 71	am	CO entertained by CO 2/43 ARVN Bn. ARVN informed that joint operations acceptable but we would not give away any of AO	
109	Nui Dat	28 Oct 71	1631	Aslt Pnr Pl returned by APC on completion of patrol	37

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110	491687	29 Oct 71	0940	1 Pl V Coy inserted by air for search and ambush patrol. 3 Pl extracted by air to Nui Dat	Log 8
111	376672	29 Oct 71	1030	12 Pl D Coy inserted by air for search and ambush patrol. 10 Pl extracted by air to Nui Dat	11
112	484695	29 Oct 71	1050	5 Pl, B Coy, inserted by air for search and ambush patrol. 6 Pl extracted by air to Nui Dat	13, 16
113	Nui Dat and Baria	29 Oct	am and pm	1 Tp A Sqn 3 Cav provided road escort for convoy to and from Baria	17, 26 32
114	409678	30 Oct 71	0923	Tracker Pl inserted by APC to search and ambush areas D, E	9, 15
115	Saigon	30 Oct 71	am	SVN Presidential Inauguration	

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116	Nui Dat and Baria	30 Oct 71	am	1 Tp A Sqn provided road escort for convoy to and from Baria	Log 7,21,22
117	Nui Dat	31 Oct 71	1220	9 Pl C Coy returned on foot after 11 day patrol in AO KINGSGROVE	9
118	Nui Dat	31 Oct 71	1500	7 Pl C Coy moved out on search and ambush patrol in AO KINGSGROVE	16

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1	Nui Dat	1 - 31		Duty Officers Log	1 - 157
2	Nui Dat	19		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Gp patrol forecast	C1
3	Nui Dat	13		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn landing zones	C2
4	Nui Dat	13		Forecast of events period 9 Oct - 9 Nov 71, ready reaction	C3
5	Nui Dat	11		Coy areas of responsibility on entry into Bn Gp area	C4
6	Nui Dat	5		Opo 8/71 Op SOUTH WARD	C5
7	Nui Dat	2		Frag 3/71 Op VALIANT - Amendment No 1	C6
8	Nui Dat	1		Frago 3/71 Op VALIANT	C7
9	Nui Dat			4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Weekly Intelligence report ending 27 Oct 71	G1
10	Nui Dat			4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Weekly Intelligence report ending 20 Oct 71	G2
11	Nui Dat			4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Weekly Intelligence report ending 13 Oct 71	G3
12	Nui Dat			4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Weekly Intelligence report ending 6 Oct 71	G4
13	Nui Dat	30		Op INTERFUSE Administrative Instruction No 8 - Redeployment to Vung Tau	H1
14	Nui Dat	29		Erudite disconnections - Redeployment	H2
15	Nui Dat	29		Erudite disconnections - Redeployment	H3

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16	Nui Dat	25		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn - Daylight saving Qld	H4
17	Nui Dat	25		Op INTERFUSE - Withdrawal to Wung Tau - Bn HQ	H5
18	Nui Dat	25		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn - Damage to Helicopters	H6
19	Nui Dat	22		Op INTERFUSE Administrative Instruction No 7 - 2/70 NS Intake RTA	H7
20	Nui Dat	22		Op INTERFUSE Administrative Instruction No 5 - Manning groups RTA	H8
21	Nui Dat	21		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn - 1 ATF air courier and air letter services	H9
22	Nui Dat	20		Routine Orders Part 1 V192/V196	H10
23	Nui Dat	20		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Officer Staff List	H11
24	Nui Dat	18		Movements to or from Nui Dat	H12
25	Nui Dat	16		Hours of business 8 Petrol P1 RAASC	H13
26	Nui Dat	14		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Orders for base defence CP Duty Officer	H14
27	Nui Dat	13		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn Manning - Clerks and Drivers	H15
28	Nui Dat	12		4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) Bn removals of motor vehicles	H16
29	Nui Dat	11		Op INTERFUSE = Married quarters and removal on RTA	H17
30	Nui Dat	11		1 ATF Telephone directory	H18

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1	0620	C	CP	Loc C/S 30 + 31 + 32 - 522840, 33 - 522839	TF		
2	0625	B	CP	Loc C/S 2 comp 494816	TF		
3	0640	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 483907, 62 - 450905, 60 - 450904	TF		
4	0640	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 12 + 13 - 485846, 11 - 492842	TF		
5	0727	OB	CP	Loc C/S 74 - 414671	TF		
6	0736	TA1	CP	Loc C/S TA11 - 457907	TF		
7	0803	OB	CP	Loc C/S 74 - back in OB loc	TF		
8	0840	BD	CP	Loc C/S 61A - 479912t	TF		
9	0841	56	CP	A0 request - VNAO 370630 to 370650 to 390650 to 390630 Timings 020500 to 021600			
10	0930	C	CP	Loc C/S 30 + 31 - N/C, 32 - 522843, 33 - 522838	TF		
11	0931	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 490817	TF		
12	0943	BD	CP	Loc C/S 62A - 482913	TF		

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Serial	Time	From	To	Text of Message/Details of Action	ACTION TAKEN OR REF TO LOG SERIAL	ACTION REQUIRED	ACTION COMPLETE DO Init
13	1002	A29	CP	My passenger and I have a strong smell of fish oil at grid 39658570. We also saw a ^{pin} part ^{point} of smoke from this grid prior to this.			
14	1010	^{monited} FM	TF	2 foot Nth of the edge of the road there is a crater black soil across the road(Grid 625651) 2VR ac went over the area and didnt see it. It appeared to be a delayed explosion.			
15	1025	B	CP	20,22,23, locs N/C, Moving west 21 loc 485818			
		SP	CP	c/s loc N/C			
		TA1	CP	locs N/C			
		V	CP	locs N/C			
		C	CP	c/s 30,31 locs N/C, 32, 524844, 33 525838			
16	1042	CP	DT	Req 1hr extension to our Transit Clearance	Clear 1043		
					TF Adv, TA1 ack		
17	1055	TF	CP	VR report pilot investigated a plume off smoke at YS39658570, No sign of activity due to heavy jungle, however pilot & passenger noticed strong fish-oil smell in general area of above grid.	CO/OPS/IO to see		
		TF	CP	VR REPORT 203, E:51-55 N:84-86, At YS 517844 a fresh SW track was seen. There were frendlies 500m from these tracks, it was suspected they were made by them. There were no other indications sighted			

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18	1102	B	CP	c/s 21 is having problems at the moment. Could you send A23 up and show c/s 21 the distance to a known point and the bearing. Get A23 to work on our interbal	Poosum despatched on task		
19	1105	TA1	CP	Moving on known task a little early but went RV with c/s 2 until given time	B Coy adv		
20	1118			Results of Acorns liasion with OG 177 Rf Coy & CAM MY Chief AM 1 Ict 71, 1. AO's for 177 RF Coy, 2-4 Oct, Area bounded by E47-48, N90.4-92 (S bdy along Province Border) 2. AO for PF Gp 2-4 Oct, Area bounded by E 45-46 N 92 - along Soui Soc line to NE Bdy clearence required for period 2 - 4 Oct for ops to secure CAM MY during election period. The following points were made regarding local VC moving through Courtenay Plantations area in the vicinity of allied troops - to assist in identification of suspects, 1, Normally to work a lot in the rubber only one person(tapper) is required to tend one row of rubber/ more than person per row could be regarded as grounds for close checking. 2. The trousers/legs of tappers are generally splashed with LATEX stains from the nature of their task.			

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20	cont			3. CAM MY officials will endeavor to inform 4 RAR/NZ via direct link (50.00m) at 2000h daily what 'lot' of the plantation will be worked the following day.	CO/OPS OFFER		
				4. Some civilians also transit the plantation however any suspicious persons should be detained and screened by NATIONAL POLICE at CAM MY	BC/ OC BASE DEF		
21	1124	SP	CP	c/s 61 loc N/C			
		B	CP	20,22,23 loc 489818, 21 loc 478822,			
		C	CP	c/s 3 locs N/C			
		V	CP	c/s 1 locs n/s			
22	1208	TF	CP	Sniffer ^R report. although there were no significant readings/ smoke was seen at YS 3985. On completion of sniffer the area in which smoke was seen was VR'd. The smoke had dissapeared but there was a definate smell of fish oil & of cooking. Elements of 1/274 have used this area in the past & and were thought to be in this particular area in late August. A group may be present in the area at the moment.	CO/OPS/IO/to see		
23	1232	TA1	CP	TA1 has married up with c/s 2	CO adv/TF		
24	1242	ØB	ØA	c/s 71 back in ØB loc & closed down			

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25	1300	CP	XL	We have RF strolling about at 447912 - Please advise what these people are up to.	From XL - They are road security - we know nothing about it		
26	1305	TA1	CP	Now moving on second leg of task			
27	1355	XL	CP	Ref serial 25 the VN's were securing the road for a resupply	CO to see		
28	1357	CP	TA1	When will you have the task completed/ about 10-15mins			
29	1421	TA1	CP	Task complete, moving again			
30	1442	SP	CP	a/s 61A loc 476902			
		B	CP	20,23 loc 419797, 21 loc 427817, 22 loc 420818			
		SP	CP	c/s 61 loc n/c			
31	1458	TA1	CP	Thai c/s complete and now moving on the task to c/s 3. We have the meal			
32	1523	6	CP	61A 472895, 61 N/C Locstat	TF		
33	1530	B	CP	20,23 418796, 21,22 N/C locstats	TF		

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34	1545	V	CP	10, 12, 11, 492842, 13, 482840	TF		
35	1550	TA9A	CP	TA9A request join net/ authenticate/roger join the net/ moving to your loc.			
36	1558	9	CP	Returning your loc for SERIALS 2 & 3			
37	1635	6	CP	3 Cav HQ now in this loc	TF		
38	1640	TA1	CP	Transland complete	TF		
39	1645	C	CP	c/s 3 402864 N/L			
40	1707	TA1	CP	TA1 10B, 12 434888 19M 23 430887 10A, 11 445889	P/NL		
41	1709	V	CP	Loc 10, 12 485848, 11 492842, 13 480835	TF		
42	1730	XL	CP	AP, 463916, 453924, 468914, 468915, 468926	TF		
43	1833	C	CP	NLoc 20/23, 418796, 21 427817, 22 420818	TF		
44	1800	SP	CP	N/L 61 482913	TF		

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45	1801	TF	CP	VR Report 205 E 41-45, N76-79 from 1000h - 1200h at 432773 a E-W Track 7 days old, up to 5 pers, At 423790 a N-S track 7 days old, up to 5 pers, At 419789 and 419718 a N/S track 7 days old used by up to 10 pers, At 420792, 420793 a N/S track turns W at 419793, Constant use by 10 persons last use 3 days ago.			
46	1840	A23	CP	Drop to V Coy completed			
47	1940	TA9A	CP	Amended night loc TA23 427883	TF		
48	1950	B Def	CP	SA ans secondary explosions on a bearing of 3200	Investigation revealed Ngai Giao PF in contact Base Def & V Coy Adv		
49	2010	CP	B Def	from CAM MY:- tappers working area 'A' tomorrow (area of concern) E 46-47 N 90-91.5	CO		
50	2040	FCC	CP	Contact at Ngai Giao - Enemy appear to be at grid 455795 north in a semicircle to 475793, RF PF & Duc Thanh are engaging			

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51	1950	TF	CP	VR Report E50-61 N 66-69, At 484670 a very fresh track 6 to 10 hours old was seen to stop in rubber. Track went NE and footprints through 514667. At 518690 the track divided into two (more to follow TBA)	CO to see DO to follow up remainder		
52	2055	Duc Thanh	CP	Sitrep - contact broken enemy suspected withdrawal to East strength coy size.	N V,B,C adv		
53	2110	TF	CP	VR Report (Ser 51 cont) One of the tracks went to 523697 the other to 523702. At this spot many foot tracks indicating rest area, the track then went SE to 538697 where it met up with an Ox cart track. These were sign of a resupply of some sort, but track then went into thick jungle some 300m away. Flown 1715 to 1830.			
54	2150	TF	CP	VRs accepted as requested: 6/235 & 6/236 now VR 208 & VR 210. Timings as requested.			
55	2200	Duc Thanh	CP	Contact 40 PF and 626RF at 011945. Enemy approached from N and were engaged by 40PF at 460795, employing claymores, both command and mechanically detonated. At 2020 626 RF in AP at 454786 joined contact and enemy engaged Ngai Giao in a semi circle from 454786N around to 475793. .50 & .30 cal, plus 105 from Duc Thanh			

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55	(Cont'd)			supported contact from 2020 onwards until contact was broken at appros 2045. Appros 8 x 60mm mortars were fired at Ngai Giao, one landong within resulting 1 PF WIA. Four cut off missions were fired by ROBIN (72 rounds). A further sweep will be conducted tommorrow. Est size of en one coy (50-60 men). 1 AK47 CIA and blood trail located at 466803.			
56	1135	XL	TF,CF	There is a contact at 443970. No further details at at the moment.	No further details obtained TF have no detail. No comms with XL.		

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1	0013	Automatic		fire to W from area of Cam My.			
2.	0520	FCC	CP	FSB ROBYN p A flare popped on the perimeter - mortars put up illum (hand Held) and observed two persons near the perimeter, and engaged with .50 cal. En withdrew South. <u>Later details:</u> Sentry on TA82 heard whistles and movement to his front - he then attempted to fire comd det flare - didn't work, so used hand held flare; saw 2 persons run off to the rubber line to the South and engaged (.50 cal). Movement was also heard by other posts. Search will be conducted early morning.	TF adv CO/BC/Ops offr amdt passed to TF		
3	0610	C	CP	loc 3 - 404864	TF		
4	0612	SP	CP	loc 61 - 482913, 62 - 450905, 60 - 450904.	TF		
5.	0613	B	CP	loc 2, 23 - 418796, 21 - 427817, 22 - 420818.	TF		
6	0630	V	CP	loc 10, 12 - 485846, 11 - 492842, 13 - 480835.	TF		
7	0642	FCC	CP	Search from FSB ROBYN has revealed no discernable en sign. There were civilians xxxxxxx in that area yesterday who also left sign.	TF, CO/Ops/BC		

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8	0645	SP	CP	loc 61 - 483907, (telephone OC c/s 61 DO) boundary clearance along province border now cancelled.	TF		
9	0715	TA9	CP	loc c/s TA1 (-TA10B)- 456901, TA42, TA 84- Courtenay Hill.			
10	0810	TA9A	CP	TA42 departing this loc moving South for land ^{CLEARING} clearing			
11	0835	B	CP	22 - 416818.	TF		
12	0847	CO	V,B,C	We have no further info on Ngai Gaio activity other than what was advised last night. A20 VRs this morning but could not detect an E-W movt. No info at all on Blackhorse activity. Points: B. 23 moving NE, 20 & 21 will be in position if necessary. C. CO// will you be checking out high ground in sq 4186//yes//Albatross reported yesterday what appeared to be recent cuttings etc. <i>RECENT</i>			
13	0850	XL	CP	Dhong Koi 16 which had your negative clearance is now activated.	Req co-ords		
14	0910	TA9A	CP	TA42 - 455851	TF		

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15	0915	CP	TF	A. Boundary clearance request. B. 426940 along bdy to 450930. C. 021400 - UFN. D. APC Movement.	CO/Ops/IO to see		
16	0935	B	CP	21 - 420814, 22 - 408818, 23 - 418793	TF		
17	0850	C	CP	30, 31 - 408864, 32 - 404876, 33 - 403875	TF		
18	0845	V	CP	10, 12 - 485839, 11 - 490836.	TF		
19	1002	CP	V	We have granted boundary clearance to 9G: 470830 to 470790, 520790 to 520800 to 480830. time 020900 to 021800.			
20	1020	CP	DT	Boundary clearance req: 471830 to 430853. ASAP - UFN	TF adv, TF cleared, cleared by DT		
21	1030	B	CP	21 - 414812, 22 - 402811, 23 - 428793	TF		
22	1032	C	CP	30, 31 - 416864, 33 - 404876	TF		
23	1045	TF	CP	AO BIRDSVILLE now ends at the 54E. All East of that now belongs to 3 Bde 1 US ACD (air mobile) down to the 80 Northing.			

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24	1131	B	CP	22 - 396804, 23 - 432904	TF		
25	1138	C	CP	31 - 417866, 32 - 404886, 33 - 405880.	TF		
26	1152	V	CP	10, 12 - 486832, 11 - 490833	TF		
27	1213	TF	CP	<p>VR 208 Report: At grid 501670 3 trees forming a triangle eight to ten yards between each have the bark stripped off their trunks. One week old and track was also sighted running E to W constantly used last 3-7 days ago. At grid 486672 to 488672 a bunker system was sighted on the Nthn edge of the rubber. It was 70m wide in a N-S direction. Consisting of 8 bunkers and ten fighting pits seen. Some of the bunkers had up to 3 air holes and small housing windows for lookouts. Tracks 3 to 7 days old lead into the area. It is also interesting that the apex of the triangle of trees pointed in the direction of the bunkers. Did not appear to be used in the last 2 days but rain made assessment difficult.</p> <p>Report No 2: A track from the Nth to YS 382795 from that grid the track split, 1 West, 1 Sth and 1 East used by many people since last rain.</p>	CO adv, IO adv, Ops to see		

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28	1238	C	CP	32 - 404888, 33 - 407883.	TF		
		B	CP	21 - 393800, 23 - 438806.			
29	1315	TA19A	CP	loc 9E - 458878			
30	1336	B	CP	loc 21 - 410800, 23 - 439805.	TF		
31	1337	C	CP	31 - 420866	TF		
32	1355	DT	CP	Found 3 VC KIA from last night activities, no more information. No ident as yet.			
33	1339	TA1	CP	loc TA42 - 428883	TF		
34	1416	TA1	CP	loc 84 - 443860	TF		
35	1435	B	CP	loc 20, 21, 22 N/C. 23 - 432800.	TF		
36	1455	TA9A	CP	loc 9E - 463863	TF		
37	1500	BD	CP	Base defence reports tractor with 3 people in greens coming up hill.//Brought PF .50 cal gun in for repair Gun fixed and returned later by IO.			
38	1510	TA9A	CP	TA19J - 411874	TF		

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39	1512	DT	CP	Three bodies recovered from graves at YS 463799. All appear to have been killed by shrap. They were killed within village probably by M79s or claymores. A lie-up position is located at 461800. No identification, but have photos of the bodies and will send them to TF tomorrow.	CO adv, Ops/IO to see		
40	1518	TA9A	CP	TA9E loc - 470863 have found a recently used N - S footpath. Investigating now.		TA9E further report assessment appears to be made by friendlies, and is older than indicated	
41	1520	DT	CP	Ref serial 39, enemy had no documents and were heard speaking in a Northern dialect during the contact last night. The VN believe they were from the 3/33 Regt NVA. The VN believe they drove dogs in front to detonate the mechanical ambush.	CO/Ops/IO to see		
42	1528	TA9A	CP	TA1, 19M and 23 - 424934.			
		V	CP	11 - 493830	TF		
43	1535	TA9A	CP	Ref track TA9E found, it appears to be older than indicated and appears to be made by friendlies.			
44	1539	C	CP	31 - 418865.	TF		

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45	1555	TA9A	CP	TA12, 13 & 19J - 398868			
		SP	CP	61 Ni loc - 483907.	3 ack, TF		
46	1559	TA9A	CP	TA1 has completed his task and is moving back to this loc.			
47	1600	IO	CP	Ref serial 37. The Deputy Village Chief requested that we see if we can repair one US .50 cal MG.		TA reat to attempt repairs & rtn bun by last light to Cam My	
48	1631	B	CP	30 - 415862, 31 - 416865, 32 - 404888, 33 - 407883 all night locs	TF		
49	1643	V	CP	11 - 495830, 13 - 480832.	TF		
50	1648	TA9A	CP	TA12, 19J PNL - 432912, TA23, 19M PNL - 425934, TA84 PNL - 438868, TA10B, 11 Nui Dat.	TF		
51	1730	TA9E	CP	TA9E - 455865. TA10A, 13 PNL - 428920	TF		
52	1730	B	CP	Night locs 20, 23 - 418796, 21 - 409797, 22 - 393800	TF		
53	1800	TA1	CP	Amended ni loc TA84 - 433854.	TF		
54	1755	V	CP	Ni locs 11 - 496827, 10, 12 - 486832, 13 - 481829	TF		
55	1832	OB	CP	Ni loc 75 - 397666, 73 - 418696, TA42 - 463783.	TF		

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56	1848	TA9A	CP	Ni loc TA9A - 466867	TF		
57	1910	SP	CP	One stationary light due North of the Pioneers gun at a range of 300m. As it is after curfew we would like to engage//No too early.	CO/Ops adv		
58	1920	Acorn	CP	A mechanical ambush is set at 468913 and a pl of RF at 469914 is also in ambush covering the mechanical .	CO/Ops to see		
59	1925	SP	CP	Reference ser 57, light is definately a light not a fire.	CO/Ops adv		
60	1925	TA9A	CP	amended Ni loc c/s TA84 - 443853.	OA net and TF		
61	2053	BD	CP	Strong metal to metal sound about 300m from RP gun, ⁸ out from Alpha Pad - hand held illum fired, no sighting. Information amended to bearing 2400mils distance 150m.	CO/Ops adv		
62	2215	TA9A	CP	TA12 in contact, wait out.	CO/Ops adv, TF adv		
63	2225	TA9A	CP	Mov was heard, sentry thought he saw mov to rear of TA12. Engaged with .30 cal. TA1 thinks it was an animal mov. No search is to be conducted at this time//was illum fired//yes 2 M79 flares, no sighting	CO/Ops adv TF adv		
					follow up report required in am		

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1	0620	C	CP	30 - 415862, 31 - 416865, 32 - 404888, 33 - 407883.	TF		
2	0630	B	CP	20, 23 - 418796, 21 - 409797, 22 - 293800.	TF		
3	0633	SP	CP	60 - 45094, 61 - 483907, 62 - 450905.	TF		
4	0635	TF	CP	Report that Vung Tau received rocket fire am			
5	0645	TA9	CP	TA84, 1(-) & 13 moving to this loc. TA12 is still searching his area.	TF		
6	0650	TA9	CP	Search in contact area of TA12s Ni loc revealed no results or tracks.	TF	CO/Ops	
7.	0652	C	CP	Request LZ//419877			
8	0656	Baria	CP	Rocket igniter flashes 122 mils observed at 255575 by 30 coastal gp, and area engaged with .30, .50 cal and mors (refers to rocketing of Vung Tau ni 2/3 Oct)			
9	0707	TA9A	CP	TA1 complete - 457906	TF		
10	0831	B	CP	20, 21, 23 - N/C, 22 - 396798.	TF		
11	0905	TA9A	CP	TA84 - 423865	TF		

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12	0912	TA9A	CP	TA9E at Nui Dat.			
13	0920	CP	C	Ref LZ now 1000m W of given grid.	(ser 7 refers)		
14	0925	V	CP	11 - 491822	TF		
15	0930	C	CP	32 - 411888, 33 - 411881.	TF		
16	0942	CP	TF	Air Task Request 239: 4 RAR/NZ, UHI SLICK, 419877 TA1 4120, Eagle Farm 95B 4120, 041000, 0930 - 1030, on completion, direct, nil, last lift secure			
17	1032	C	CP	30, 31 N/C, 32 - 415885, 33 - 412880.	TF		
18	1044	V	CP	11 - 486824	TF		
19	1047	B'	CP	21 - 402791, 22 - 395795.	TF		
20	1125	V	CP	11 - 483823.	TF		
		B	CP	20, 23 - 421786, 21 - 399788, 22 - 391792.			
		C	CP	32 - 416885.			

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21	1210	V	CP	ref my activities for tommorrow. Will this timing and grid be okay: 041230 at grid 475876.	Ops adv, CO to see dependant on C Coy extraction complete.		
22	1230	C	CP	31 - 415865.	TF		
		B	CP	20, 23 - 422785, 21 - 402787, 22 - 389783.			
23	1243	B	CP	21 has completed his wheel. 22 has nearly completed his wheel. X c/s 20, 23 have a LZ for this afternoon Maintdem.	CO ack		
24	1328	C	CP	30, 31 - 416871	TF		
25	1330	V	CP	11 - 487818	TF		
26	1332	B	CP	21 - 407786, 23 - 389780.	TF		
27	1420	C	CP	30, 31 - 418881.	TF		
28	1505	TF	CP	VR report 213: E 36-39, N 74-77. At YS 386768 4 metal cylinders about the size of a flare, had held para illumination were sighted also in same area several six lengths of wood had been bound together with twine (Furniture?).			

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29	1517	TF	CP	Ref Transland 239, have found four ac PZ time 040945 Ref US DS Possum. TF DS Possum will be picking up Blue Bell and bringing him to your loc. He will act as DS until the ac is repaired. Would like him released for another task at 1630.	C Coy adv T/L details		
30	1552	TF	CP	AO extension for SAS ptl 13 into grid square 4193. ASAP to 041700.	Clear TF adv		
31	1630	BA	CP	Loc C/S TAOA, 13 - 425926, 12+19 - 424933 23+19J - 432915, 42 - 454878 P/Ni Loc	TF		
		C	CP	Loc C/S 31+30 - 418881, 31A - 420883, 32 - 416885 33 - 412880 Ni Locs	TF		
32	1735	TA9A	CP	Loc C/S TA84 - 431875, 42 - 430870, 9E in 9D, P/Ni Locs	TF		
33	1740	OG	CP	Sighted an UNK amount of enemy at 438789	B Coy Adv		
34	1800	B	CP	Loc C/S 20 + 23 - 422785, 21 - 407786, 22 - 3897780 All Ni locs	TF		
35	1802	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 483907 ni loc	TF		
1805	36 X	OB	CP	Loc C/S 74 - 407791	TF		

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37	1806	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 478818, 10 + 12 - 486832 13 - 481829 All Ni Loc	TF		
38	1820	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA84 - 431875	TF		
39	1831	OB	CP	Loc C/S 74 - 396701	TF		
40	1832	9G	CP	VN want Robin to engage the target CP we do not wish to engage the tagget, we are not in contact, it is not in our area, suggest you communicate with higher			
41	1840	CO	VBC	To B all C/S abit closer together. Have we any any indication en what happened at election. Not many people voted To C have we had any further on what happened to OA N			
42	1847	TB	CP	At Approx 031715, estimate P1 size enemy sighted beside a herd of cows at YS 436790. Engaged by 1055 from D.T. at approx some time 3 VC were sighted by children at YS 449782. One VC was seen to be carrying bonoculas and another appeared to be carrying a measuring stick			

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43 44	1907	FCC	CP	Loc C/S 42 - 432887 Ni Loc	TF		
44	1911	OB	CP	Loc C/S 74 398700, Ni Loc			
45	0930	CP	TF	6/238 - VR 217 accepted E - 47 to 51, N - 84 to 86 Time - 041200 to 041400			
46	2030	TF	CP	VR 215 E - 37 to 39, N 64 to 67 Time - 0800 to 1000 VR 216 E - 34 to 37, N - 68 to 71 Time - 1000 to 1200			
47	2110	FSB	CP	Intend to put out a clearing patrol tomorrow morning at 0630 hrs, departing from north and circling W side of feature in anti clockwise direction, coming in from the south			

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1	0615	C	CP	Loc C/S 30 + 31 - 418881, 31A - 420883, 32 - 416885, 33 - 412880	TF		
2	0625	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 483907, 60 - 450904, 62 - 450905	TF		
3	0633	B	CP	Loc C/S 20 + 23 - 422785, 21 - 407786, 22 - 389780	TF		
4	0710	TA9	CP	Loc C/S TA1 - 457903, TA42 - 430884, TA84 the same TA9E - No Change	TF		
5	0755	9	B	C/S 23 proposed action to go km ESE for 1000M to feature. Then to go south for 500M CO request look at R group on border Y.			
6	0800	CP	DT	Boundry clearance request 437800 to 447778, Time ASAP to UFN	B Coy ACK		
7	0808	DT	CP	Clearande afferm from DT	TF/B Coy		
8	0813	XL	CP	Ref AO has been extended for 24 hrs for C/S 87. XUAN Loc, Timings now 301630 to 051630			
9	0908	TA9A	CP	TA1 reports LZ secure	TF		

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10	0915	Sp	CP	The route for the return C/S 61 to this loc is as follows: From present loc to 458891 to 451891 then due north to this loc	Plotted		
11	0925	DT	CP	All clearances requested by Seagull approved 162 below risk not 3			
12	0926	NO	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 484698	TF		
13	0927	Sp	CP	C/S 61 commenced moving			
14	0930	CP	DT	Transt clearance TAZ From 480811 west to route 2 south to 457757 east to 468754, time time 041000 to 041600 Moustrap C/S 1, 041200 to 070600 465 to 51, 755 to 730 Transit clearance C/S 2 Time 051200 to 061800, 41 to 43 Through civilian access 76 to 77 south to civilian access line	TF		
15	0925	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 396780	TF		
16	0943	NO	CP	Loc C/S 74 - 396693	TF		

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17	0943	B	CP	B Coy Intention C/S 21 will wait until C/S 22 moves before moving east C/S 22 will move east C/S 20 will remain in present loc until 21 starts moving C/S 23 commences moving east soon will commence search task in approx 2 hrs			
18	0945	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA1 - 419877	TF		
19	0955 09	CP	TF	Air Task Request A. 240. B. 51. C. 1 pax, top cover for TCV's. D. OH58. E. KAGA west C/S TA2 freq 65.70. F. D21 Courtenay Hill. G1. 050650. G2. ET 0700 hrs LT. G3. Completion of task. H. Route 2. I. Nil. J. AC to remain remain CH during day to provide top cover for convoys			
20	1005	BD	CP	Serial on comp for transload 239			
21	1016	BD	CP*	Serial 2 comp			
22	1030	CP	XL	Transit Clearing Req - 451910 to 478915 041030 to 041630			

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23	1040	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 12 - 479826, 13 - 475829	TF		
		B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 400780, 23 - 426783	TF		
24	1055	OB	BP	Loc C/S 74 - 397687	TF		
				Incident Report			
				A. 71. B. 041030. C. 483707. D. Detained			
				six females, checked ID cards and then directed			
				them south	TF/CO/OPS OFFR/IO		
25	1100	BD	CP	Serial 3 and 4 complete, translog complete			
26	1107	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 466892	TF		
27	1131	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 417781, 22 - 404780, 23 - 431782	TF		
28	1138	XL	CP	Ref Transit Request Clear			
29	1153	OB	CP	Ref Ser 24, these people have been classed as			
				detainees by TF			
30	1207	TA	CP	TA1 is 300M from RV. Have now married up with			
				C/S 1 at the RV			

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31	1229	V	CP	10 + 12 have now married up WIKK			
		TA9A	CP	TA42 Loc - 512891			
		B	CP	Loc C/S 20 + 23 - 429783, 21 - 419780, 22 - 409779	TF		
32	1246	TA9A	CP	TA9E loc - 493876, TA84 loc - 487894			
33	1327	BD	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 455895	TF		
34	1335	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 432785	TF		
35	1346	TA9A	CP	TA1 has linked up with C/S 1 and should be leaving soon			
36	1354	BD	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 455901	TF		
37	1358	TA9A	CP	C/S TA9E spotted 6 people 150 to 200 Mts North West from loc all with heavy packs and in military type uniforms. Last person had M16 on western side, last person when seen headed south//A23 asked to spot them	TF		
38	1422	TA9A	CP	C/S TA84 has moved to north west as a blocking force TA9E has moved to the north to search A23 is still looking			

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39	1433	TA9A	CP	C/S A23, TA9E have not had any luck in finding people. TA9E found foot prints leading into thiker bush but lost track, returning to original loc			
40	1435	BD	CP	C/S 61 has found qty of docs near an old farm in a cashe, to our south, details to follow on his return			
41	1436	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 410780, 23 - 435787	TF		
42	1445	TA9A	CP	Loc C/S TA84 - 485874	TF		
43	1503	TA9A	CP	Loc C/S TA1 - 456755, task complete			
44	1508	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 469754, 12 - 465742, 10 + 13 - 467748	TF		
45	1530	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 437786			
		OB	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 491679, 74 - 393686 (P/Ni Loc)	TF		
46	1545	TA9A	CP	Ref persons TA9E saw, they ran into thick jungle and could not be seen by TA9E of G A23 Incident Report to follow			

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47	1601	TA9E	CP	Incident Report A. TA9E. B. 041400. C. 491876. D. 3. E. 1 x M16. F. Nil. G. South to North West H. A search was conducted but the task was lost in thick scrub			
					TF		
48	1612	BD	CP	Installation Report C/S 61			
					TF		
49	1700	FCC	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 470746, 11 - 472741, 12 - 471754 All Ni Loc			
					TF		
50	1612	BD	CP	Ref Ser 48 48, Report as follows A. Cache. B. 453902. C1. 3 x sandbags. C2. N/A. C3. N/A. C4. Nil. D1. 6 monthé. D2. UNK. D3. Very poor. E1. Hammocks x 2, docs lantern x 1, hootchy x 2. E2. Return to loc. F. Nil. G1. Yes. G2. Burnt.			
51	1734	TF	CP	For how long boundry clearance req 343626 to 346626, Time 050700 to 051700			
52	1745	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA19M - 454871 PNL, TA10B 4 12 - 456886 PNL TA84 - 458898			
					TF		

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53	1745	B	CP	Loc C/S 20 + 23 - 429783, 21 - 419780, 22 - 410780 All Ni Loc	TF		
54	1900	TA10	CP	Loc C/S TA84 - 456901	TF		
55	1840	TF	CP	Agent Report. About 1 VC P1 (Unit UNK) in mixed dress carrying 7 x 82MM mortars and other weapons appeared at YS 4377805. They said to the villagers that they will mortar and attack several military installations in Duc Than distric. 1ATF classed the info F3			
56	1958	OB	CP	Loc c/s 71 - 492684, 74 - 393686, 75 - 458702 All Ni Loc	TF		
57	2200	CP	XL	A VN team has expressed that they are keen in taking over Courtenay feature intact, the Chief of Staff of the 18 ARVN Div to make a decision on the take over. We will need a decision by 0500hrs tomorrow. If they do decide to take over, they will need to be here by mid morning or we will have to start to pull it down/Hill not required at this time, I0 and G4 from Xuan Loc will visit 1300 hrs, take away defence stores stores			

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1	0645	B	CP	Loc C/S 20 + 23 - 429783, 21 - 419780, 22 - 410780	TF		
2	0650	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 470746, 11 - 472741, 12 - 471754	TF		
3	0715	TA9A	CP	Loc C/S TA42 + 42A - 459766, 31A + 31B - 456756	TF		
4	0730	V	CP	Loc C/S TA9E - 463817			
		TA9A	CP	TA2 at 641			
		B	CP	C/S 2 N/C	TF		
5	0743	OB	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 492676, 75 - in our loc, 74 - 393686	TF		
6	0758	B	CP	C/S 22 has a soldier with infected foot. Req the use of the posum, if possible no ^{LATER} letter than 1030 or 1100. Also could you bring out a handset			
7	TA9A	0820	CP	TA2 has arrived at Debbie, there are still a few heavy's to arrive			
8	0835	A25	CP	Completed task, any more task?//Yes C/S 22 have a low priority medivac. Take him to OB also drop of hand set at 22 loc			

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89	0841	TA	CP	TA21 has heard an explosion at Bin Bah, TA9E has investigated from the air and found a hole 12" deep and 8" diameter. TA21 moving into that area now	TF		
910	0847	DT	CP	A0 Request for 626 RF E 42 - 45, N 72 - 75 Time 060600 to 061800	Neg	TF Adv	
11	0853	TA	CP	TA21 found a few holes made by claymores but not resent. Asked villagers but they heard nothing Investigated further and found a hole made by a sky claymore this morning			
12	0927			Medivac complete / from B to CP			
13	0928	DT	CP	A0 Request 626RF E 47 - 49, N 80 - 84 Time 060600 to 061800	Clear		
14	0945	TF	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 473744, 11 - 471739, 12 - 477750			
15	0955	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 mov east			
		OB	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 495674	TF		

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16	1045	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 478742, 11 - 470731, 12 - 483742	TF		
17	1049	B	CP	We have voices in front of our perimeter, C/S 23 have moved about 70M and heard voices. They are probably civilians//We have had reports of civilians in that area			
18	1055	W	CP	C/S 12 in contact in vicinity of 483742, they were approached by one person in black with a weapon and was engaged, two other people were in greens			
19	1106	V	CP	The enemy in black had a M1 carbine, he came from the west.			
20	1116	B	CP	C/S 23 revealed nothing they were probably civilian			
21	1117	A25	CP	At 473755 three persons came out of the bamboo one was a woman, she was carrying a basket, they are talking to a fellow working in a field.			
22	1125	CP	V	In which direction did the enemy withdraw and in which direction is C/S 12 following			

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23	1150	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA 10B + 22 - 457966, 10A + 19J - 452853 13 + 19M - 453871, 12 - Nui Dat, TA2 Debbie 82 at OA Loc			
					TF		
24	1200		CP	TA11 at 452840 detonated M14 mine, no damage to veh or personnel. Probably an old friendly mine in area that was not cleared properly			
25	1220	V	CP	Contact report A. C/S 12 B. 051051 C. 483742 D. 3 E. One in black carrying M1 Carbine two in green F. UNK, one bush hat recovered in contact area. G. The enemy approached from the west along track made by C/S 12. After contact enemy withdraw NE and E. H. C/S 12 was about to move and heard movt to north they saw three enemy one carrying a weapon then they engaged a follow up revealed nothing.			
26	1205	OA	OC	OA assumed comd from the CP at Nui Dat, CP at courtenay hill now assumes C/S OC			
27	1200	-	-	BHQ Nui Dat assumed control			

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28	1205	OC	CP	TA 11 detinated a M14 mine, from assembly lin area which was not cleared properly	TF		
29	1210	CP	SP	From higher, the VN now require Courtaney Hill so destruction is to cease//Roger, 80% of the destruction has already been carried out so we will just tidy the place for the handover			
30	1220	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA10A + 19J + 11 - 452853, 10B + 22 - 457906 TA13 + 19M - 453871, TA12 Nui Dat, TA82 - OA Loc			
31	1230	TA	CP	A. TA11 B. o51040 C. 452840 D. Detination E. M14 Mine AP F. US G. 5oz H. Pressure I. Nil damage to personnel or equt J. Nil, locals in area, area been mined before, mine apeared to be freindly type no new method used.			
32	1232	B	cp	Loc C/S 23 - 436782	TF		
33	1250	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 480737, 11 - 470730	TF		

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34	1300	CP	V	CO wants you to move C/S 12 about one click to the east//Roger			
35	1335	TA	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 499666	TF		
36	1445	Sp	CP	We will be leaving this loc at 1500hrs	CO/		
37	1453	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 488738	TF		
38	1525	B	CP	Loc C/S 20 + 23 - 430777, 21 - 423774, 22 - 416774	TF		
39	1530	TF	CP	A0 Request for TA elms in xxxx area V, Time ASAP to 060600			
40	1531	TA	CP	Proposed Ni Loc for TA10A & TA19M + TA13 - 454757 TA10B + TA11 - 442703, TA19J+ TA22 - 460745 TA9E - 462755, TA42 - 420755, TA41 - 463783			
41	1545	TA	CP	Ni Loc C/S TA84 - TA41 old loc, TA82 - 445765	TF		
42	1555	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 492735	TF		
43	1615	72	CP	C/S 72 reached drop off point			

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44	1620	TF	CP	VR 221 Report 1. Heavy tracks first seen by A20 was detected at 524698, last used two days ago. 2. It showed north west movt from a camp at 532702. Several tracks converged to the above area, from north west, north and north east. Camp for 15 - 20 persons. 3. An oxcart track NW-SE was within 50 metres from camp site 5 days old. 4. Main feature was quickly covered. Fresh cut palm fonds with light track was seen at 523715. 5. Well camouflaged tracks at 521714 running up ridge line of main feature was not covered due to the lack of time . used recently. 6. Rest of main feature was not covered due to the lack of time. 7. Grids need further verification.			
45	1615	TA 84 TA 82	CP	C/S TA 84 & 82 LOC 445765	TF		
46	1630	2	OA	BOUNDARY CLEARANCE REQUEST: FOR C/S 2 FROM 400713 TO 430711. FROM 061000 TO 070900	TF		
47	1645	2	OA	LOC C/S 21, 22 NO CHANGE, 20,23 430774	TF		
48	1645	72	OA	LOC 72 421685			

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49	1717	OA	TF	DUC THANH HAPPY WITH CLEARANCE FOR TA NIGHT LOC			
50	1718	OA	TF	BOUNDARY CLEARANCE N OF DUC THANH CANCELLED & BOUNDARY CLEARANCE FOR C/S 2 E OF NUI NHAN CANCELLED			
51	1730	71	OA	PNL C/S 71 495660			
52	1732	72	OA	NL 431685			
53	1733	2	OA	NL 20,23 430774. 21 423774, 22 416774			
54	1745	72	OA	DF 1. HE 406685. 2. HE 415694. ILLUM 412687	2644,2645,2646	PASSED	
55	1645	TF	CP	FURTHER TO REF AT CAMP AT YS 532702, CAMP WAS STAGE AREA FOR 15-20 PERSONS. PALM FONDS WERE SEEN IN CLEARING UNDER TREES. NO SIGN OF ANY CONSTRUCTION AND TRACK ACTIVITY WAS SEEN IN AREA. SYSTEM ESTIMATED TO BE 5 DAYS OLD AND LAST USED IN PREVIOUS 4-5 DAYS. PILOT DID NOT COVER COMPLETE MISSION IN AREA & RECOMMENDED ANOTHER VR ASAP			
56	1815	V	CP	LOC 10, 13 480737, 11 470730, 12 492735	TF		
57	1822	71	OA	REQ DF 1. 495670. 2. 505660. 3. 495655(ILLUM) AT REQUEST		PASSED TO FCC	

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58	1829	TF	OA	VR 6/201 E 43.5 - 45.5 N 76.5 - 81 T060800 - 161000			
59	1829	TF	OA	VR 6/202 E 51-54 N 72.5 - 75.5 T061200 - 061400	TF		
60	1832	TF	OA	VR 6/201 MUST BE FLOW NORTH OF ROBYN - EARLY AM - C/S 2 & ROBYN MUST BE INFORMED	TF		
61	1845	2	9	S/R C/S2 WOULD LIKE THE FOLLOWING TWO POINTS PASSED TO 9: 1. 72. 2. 426768			
62	1900	9	OA	Serial 71 - BOUNDARY CLEARANCE FOR C/S 2 CLEAR	CLEARED BY 9		
63	2030	TF	CP	THE FOL IS CLEAR TO 4 RAR/NZ E 41 TO 43. N78 AND SOUTH TO KINGSGROVE BOUNDARY TIMINGS 060600 TO 061800			
64	2225	TF	CP	VR 224. E 52 TO 55. N 70 TO 73. 061000 - 1200 VR 226 E 54 TO 57. N 86 TO 89. 061410 - 1600	CLEARED BY OPS	OFFR	
65	2225	TF	CP	VR REQUEST 6/201 NOW VR 223. VR REQUEST 6/202 NOW VR 225			
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1	0555	2	OA	LOCS "20 & 23 420774, 21 423774, 22 416774	TF		
2	0623	72	OA	LOCS 72 421683	TF		
3	0631	1	OA	LOCS C/S 1 & 13 480737, 11 470730, 12 492735	TF		
4	0700	72	OA	AT RV TO BE PICKED UP BY PLAYTIME			
5	0740	72	CP	INSIDE WIRE CLOSED DOWN	TF		
6	0745	CP	B	HAVE YOU LINKED WITH TA 42//YES//TRACK WILL BE AVAILABLE AT CALL FOR IF AND WHEN YOU NEED IT. IT WONT BE THER ALL DAY. TA42 WILL BE AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR YOUR NIGHT DISPOSITIONS			
7	0745	TA9A	CP	LOCS TA 10A/ 13 455756, 10B/11 444706, 19J/22/19M 460745			
8	0810	71	CP	INSIDE WIRE CLOSED DOWN TF ADV			
9	0810	3 RAR	CP	FROM 3 RAR LAST MSG 3 RAR CLOSED NUI DAT AND PASSED RESPONSIBILITY FOR SECTOR 1 NUI DAT BASE TO 4 RAR 060800 OCT 71 AND EMBARKED ON HMAS SYDNEY FOR RPA			
10	0825	TF	CP	REFERENCE BOUNDARY CLEARANCE REQUEST CLEAR	B COY ADV		

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11	0829	V	CP	C/S 1 LOCS NC			
		B	CP	20,23 LOC 429770, 22 423774, 21 425766	TF		
		TAOC	CP	TA9E 31, 42B, 42C, LOC 470754, TA1 LOC NC			
12	0858	B	CP	C/S 2(-) LOC 426766, 22 MOVING SOUTH TO C/S 20 LOC	TF		
13	0925	B	CP	PNL SOUTH HALF OF 4069, NTH HALF OF 4169, STH HALF OF XISB 4270, TA's NTHN HALF OF 3968			
14	0936	V	CP	10, 13, 11 LOCs NC. 12 LOC 492732			
15	0945	TF	CP	A HOLE HAS BEEN REPORTED IN THE FENCE AT THE END OF LUSCOMBE FIELD THROUGH WHICH COWS HAVE STRAYED ONTO AIR STRIP, IT IS YOUR SECTOR OF RESPONSIBILITY WT APPEARS THAT A BULLDOZER HAS BROKEN THROUGH THERE. THERE IS A 6 FT OPENING THROUGH THE FENCE//WE HAVE NO READY LABOUR CAN WE USE RR PL AND RR APCs			
16	1015	CD	CP	THERE ARE 4 HOLES IN THE FENCE AT THAT AREA WITH A TOTAL OF 100m OF BREACHING AT THE 4 POINTS	GS02 TF INFORMED CD TO BRIEF OC D COY ON TASK		
17	1030	B	CP	20, 22, 23 LOCS NC. 21 & TA 42 10 MINS SHORT OF DROPOFF POINT			
		TAOC	CP	TA41 NOW IN MY LOC, TA1 LOC NC, TA22 LOC 456750, TA9E LOC 482751			
		V	CP	10,11,13 LOCs NC. 12 LOC 492727			

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18	1056	CP	9G	Req Mousetrap Grid sq 4972 + the portion of 4872 which doesn't belong to us.	Cleared 1100 ASAP - UFN	C/S ACK	
19	1104	TF	CP	VR Report 223 - Civilian activity only in area.			
20	1105	OC	0A	4RAR assumed comd from new CP (ex 3RAR lines)	Radio comms closed at old CP/		
21	1105	OA	OC	CP 4RAR/NZ(ANZAC)Bn closed in old lines and opened in ex 3RAR lines. 3RAR departed enroute Aust by HMAS Sydney.			
22	1120	B	CP	We have just about sorted out our problems. C/S 20 will move to edge to rubber then TA people move C/S22 to his designated spot. I would like to retain A29 until this activity is completed // Roger.	A29 ack		
23	1125	TF	CP	Sighted at 1015 - 50x carts, 10 oxen, 9 females, 10 males, black mud boots. Grid 525697.		CO/OPS/IO	
24	1128	V	CP	Loc C/S 10,11,13 - N/C, 12 - 492726			
25	1129	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 418728, 20B- mov S with TA42, 22 - N/C			
26	1147	TA	CP	FRom TA10B - there is a fair amount of fire from his last loc 444706. It is coming from his West.			

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27	1207	B	CP	We had firing on a bearing 3000 a few minutes ago.			
28	1209	9G	CP	I have my VN people checking on this firing now.			
29	1210	TA	CP	The firing is coming from due W of TA10B from a small village.			
30	1211	9G	CP	Firing is coming from Binh Ba. It is not a contact, only training // Req they restrict their fire to NW.	TAOC Ack		
31	1230	B	CP	Loc C/S 20,23 - 421737, 21 - 415719, 22 mov S from 20/23.			
32	1235	V	CP	Loc C/S 10,11,13 - N/C, 12 - 490720			
33	1242	CP	V	Ref ser 36: You are to operate in Area Otago in the same fashion as you are now. There is no limit to the dist you can move S. Your formation should be linear.			
34	1255	B	CP	C/S 22 - 424719			
35	1336	B	CP	Loc C/S 20,23,TA42 - N/C, 21 - 412713, 22 - 421718			
36	1400	V	CP	Loc C/s 10, 13 - 480730, 12 - N/C, 11 - 475721			
37	1420	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 413717, 21 - 410711			

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38	1425	TAOC	CP	TA9E - 468754			
39	1450	V	CP	Loc C/S 10,13 - 480725, 11 - 470720, 12 - N/C.			
40	1500	B	CP	Loc C/S 20,23 - 428702			
41	1531	V	CP	Loc 10,13 - 480723, 11 - 470715, 12 - 490720			
42	1535	TF	CP	AO + Boundary clearance area G for Cav. ASAP to 070800	clear 1536.	CO/OPS/IO to see.	
43	1540	B	CP	22 loc - 410712, 20,23 - N/C, 21 - 406706			
44	1625			Future Intensions - TA1. (1) NDP's in GS 4168 generally in southern part of GS in AO "B or D". (2) TA1 will remain on B Coy's internal net and attime, and RV TBA (AM 07Oct) will uplift B Coy. (3) Elmts TA1 will have NDP in AO "V" and remain on V Coy's internal net.		OPS OFFR CO	
45	1632	B	CP	Loc C/S 20,23 - N/C, 21 - 406702, 22 - 410705			
		V	CP	Loc C/S 1 - N/C			
46	1656	B	CP	Loc 20,21,23 - N/C, 22 - 413700, At 070800 for 20,23 437703,21 + 22 413700. Marry up on 60Q with 23 + 22 resp.		CO/OPS Passed to A Sqn	

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47	1632	B	CP	NiLoc C/S 10,13 - 480723, 11 - 470715, 12 - 485720			
48	1805	B	CP	Report of small arms fire from the village to our N. (APSUOI NGHE) (normal occurrence)			
49	1810	CP	TF	VR Req: E 48-51, N 83-86, Time 1000 - 1200 E 31-34, N 73-76, Time 1200 - 1400		CO/OPS	
50	1836	B	CP	Internal freq now to be 60Q for pick up.// Roger	Passed to 3 Cav.	Amdt to ser KB 46.	
51	1901	TA00	CP	Loc C/S TA13 - 450710 N/L, TA11 - 415684			
52	2150	TF	CP	AO Req - Bounded by 457760, 480760, 480750, 500750, 500735, 452735. Time 070800 - 090800.	TF adv that area is o/side 4RAR AO and more than 500m away, but clear anyway.		
53	2200	CP	TF	Boundary clearance Req. From 492657 to 386653 anti- clockwise around outer perimeter of AO from now UFN.	TF Duty Offr passed info as in ser 54.		
54	2240	TF	CP	Boundary clearance granted permanently as follows: From 432656 clockwise around AO Kingsgrove to 425709. From 435708 to route 2. From route 2 junct of Kingsgrove and Otago, 442705 to 496692 (DAT DO District Border) Boundary clearance granted on 48hr basis, because of DAT DO district, as follows - From 496692 to 432656 Currently granted from 070001 to 081900 hrs.		Plotted 1. CO/OPS/IO & DO's to see. 2. V Coy TBA.	

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1	0602	B	OA	Confirms shooting from VN post to his north Ap Suoi Nghie			
2	0625	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 428702, 21 - 400702, 22 - 431700 20 - 428702			
		V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 480723, 11 - 470715, 12 - 485720	TF		
3	0815	TA	CP	TA1 complete with C/S s moving to ND	TF		
4	0848	TF	CP	Boundry Cearance Cancelled 432724 to 441706 from 071200 H	OPS OFFR/CO/IO		
5	0850	CP	B	B Coy close down in this loc	TF		
6	0910	TF	CP	A0 Request - E 485 to 405, N 63 to 65 Time 070700 to 071800	Clear		
7	0928	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 467714, 12 - 483714, 13 - 480720	TF		
8	0950	CP	V	Crypto 18/07: Forecast of Ops, continue searching to south. 9 Oct 2 Pls resup. The remainder to redeploy to Nui Dat			
9	1043	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 478716, 11 - 451705, 12 - 482710	TF		

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10	1100	CP	TF	Intentions for today: TA1 will deploy APS to GS 4166 and area north. Proposed patrol 71 PNL 447702 out 071600 in 080800, C/S 31 5 day patrol	TF		
11	1145	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 470715, 11 - 457705, 12 - 482705	TF		
12	1220	D	CP	D Coy has a gap of 400M between the right hand bunker of B Coy and C Coy. This gap can not be covered from within D Coy. Request on sect of APC to cover the gap, a lot of civilian movt in that area			
13	1325	CP	A Sqn	A Sqn 3 Cav will provide one section of tracks to pickup patrol ^{patrol} 71 from Admin Coy at 1600 and drop of in 4470. Pick them up again to tomorrow at RV given by patrol 71, time 0700			
14	1428	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 469705, 12 - 481700	TF		
15	1530	TF	CP	Maj Gen Murchinson is to visit 4 RAR on 8 Oct, to be met by CO	CO		
16	1550	C	CP	C/S 31 has married with TA elms and moving now	TF		
17	1612	BD	CP	C/S 71 moving now	TF		

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18	1643	C	CP	Loc C/S TA83 + 31 - 422736	TF		
19	1705	BD	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 446710	TF		
20	1719	TA		Loc C/S TA13 - 473660, TA10B + TA12 - 414666	TF		
21	1730	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 421737	TF		
22	1731	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 + 13 - 464704, 14 - 457705, 12 - 481700	TF		
23	1840	BD	CP	Loc C/S 71 - 444707	TF		
24	1910	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA10B + 12 - 418664 Ni Loc	TF		
25	1945	V	CP	What sect do you want to move into/Ops Adv-As far south as you can. Your maintdem may be by air or APC/C/S 12 will require air, 01 by APC. lot of civilian movt in the area			
26	2005	CP	71	Request RV / To be provided in morning			
27	2020	3 Cav	CP	RV for C/S 71 - 446705			
28	2130	TF	CP	VR request 231 - E 33 to 36, N 70 to 73 at 080000 to 081000			

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1	0630	B	CP	Loc C/S 2 comp Nui Dat	TF		
2	0645	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 421737, 3 comp(- 31)Nui Dat	TF		
3	0725	71	CP	In your loc request permission to close down	TF		
4	1031	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 466696, 12 - 481690	TF		
5	1034	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 417731	TF		
6	1035	TF	CP	VR report 231 - Light movt to west may be animals	CO/OPS OFFR/IO		
7	1134	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 471692, 12 - 480683	TF		
8	1228	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 472681, 12 - 480677	TF		
9	1332	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 414725	TF		
10	1345	V	CP	Crypto 09/08 - Loc C/S 2, 3, 4 Deseption plan			
11	1407	AQ	CP	New RV for C/S 1 maintdem, now 477672			
12	1412	D	CP	A total of 20 civilians in front of D Coy, CSM has a patrol outg now			

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13	1430	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 477672, 13 - 452714	TF		
14	1431	D	CP	D Coy has detained 3 civilians and have them in area	TF		
15	1446	TF	CP	6 MVN heading N from YS 425675	A20 Adv		
16	1450	TF	CP	VR Report - 233 - A well worn track at 513687 trck being used consistently by civilians. Cane cuttings seen along track			
17	1530	A20	CP	Have 6 civilians pinned down in grass/Roger return to this loc			
18	1537	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 475675, 13 now in 10's loc	TF		
19	1550	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 411718	TF		
20	1715	3 Cav	CP	Loc C/S TA31 - 426685, TA33 - 454712, Ni Locs	TF		
21	1726	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 & 12 - 478673, Ni Locs	TF		
22	1730	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 & 13 - 469705, Ni Locs	TF		
23	1854	3 Cav	CP	Loc C/S TA33 - 454713, TA31 - 417683, Ni Loc	TF		

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24	1936	TF	CP	FM JWTC: Be advised there are now no sector forces in AO Paddington, JWTC now sending out three gps			
25	200	JWTC	CP	AO Request- E 40 to 42, N 64 - 67 Time 110800 to 111700	TF/Cleared		
26	2110	BD	CP	Bunker 027 seen lights on bearing 2400Mils, later moved to 1500 and 150M out	TF		
27	2150	TF	CP	Sniffer Request: E 49 to 57, N 61 to 71 Time 090900 to 091100	Cleared		
28	2240	TF	CP	VR 235 - E37 to 40, N67 to 69 Time 090800 to 091100	Plotted		

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1	0750	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 412718	TF		
2	0850	CP	TF	Task for 9 Oct V Coy: HQ and 3 Pl return to ND, 1 and 2 Pl receive maintdem and then move north and east C Coy: 31 move SW and continue patrol and ambusk. D Coy: Continue development of Hill and defence of old position. Sp Coy: 61 to move out at 1500H into area U,V & X. APCS: Resup V Coy and 3 APCS at 469705, 462797 and 415685			
3	0923	TA	CP	TA31 has married up with C/S 1			
4	0930	V	CP	Loc C/S 10 - 447680, 13 - 444682	TF		
5	0935	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 413718	TF		
6	1023	C	CP	Loc C/S 31-411716	TF		
7	1046	TF	CP	Boundry clearance for Northern Boundry - time 100530 to 101600			
8	1046	TF	CP	AO Request - 42 and 43 RF Coy, E46 to 48, N73 to 76 Time 100530 to 1600	Clear		

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9	1127	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 409714	TF		
10	1205	CP	TF	Ref ser 8 - Neg on AO request, suggest E46 - 48 N74 - 76			
11	1215	TF	CP	Ref serial 8 and 9 delete all ref			
12	1231	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 406712	TF		
13	1331	C	CP	Loc C/S - 31 - 404716			
14	1427	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 403710	TF		
15	1605	BD	CP	C/S 61 has married up with TA13 and moving in 5 mins			
16	1600	BD	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 467725	TF		
17	1637	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 & 12 - 478673 Ni Loc	TF		
18	1648	BD	CP	C/S 61 are now moving on ground			
19	1719	BD	CP	C/S 61 heard a single shot 200 metres to their SE	CO		
1730	20	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 469725	TF		

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21	1730	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA31 - 464724	TF		
22	1730	CP	TA31	Did you hear a shot/Yes, C/S 61 said they heard the shot from the South. They have move to area and found nil			
23	1800	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 468725	TF		
24	1807	CP	TF	VR Request - 6/607 E36 to 38, N67 to 71. Time 101400 to 101600	TF		
25	1807	CP	TF	VR Request - 6/208 E51 - 54, N70 - 73, Time 101000 to 101200	TF		
26	1845	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA31 - 462717	TF		
27	1924	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA42A - 415685	TF		

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1	0640	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 468725	TF		
2	0703	A29	CP	In bound - checking perimeter wire			
3	0705	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 & 12 - 478673	TF		
024	0937	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 397706	TF		
5	0941	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 470725	TF		
6	0945	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 471670	TF		
7	1025	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 490661	TF		
8	1035	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 392904	TF		
9	1130	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 392699	TF		
10	1132	Sp	CP	61 has found heavy going and should be stationary in present loc for some time	Ops Offr		
11	1232	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 397700	TF		

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12	1302	TF	CP	Any SVN Nationals found in the old evacuated lines are to be detained and TF advised who will send in an investigating party			
13	1340	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 488667	TF		
14	1420	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 474725	TF		
15	1436	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 485670			
16	1440	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 396691	TF		
17	1446	TF	CP	VR Report - At YS526699 freshly cut saplings approx ten M of heavy track, no fresh signs on track			
18	1529	C	CP	Loc c/s 31 - 399691	TF		
20	1627	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 403690	TF		
21	1655	RP's	CP	3 male VN and poss 2 children were in front of B Coy	TF		
			8	D Coy report that some VN Local returned after MP&S had left to collect some gear and then retired.			

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22	1707	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 474725 Ni Loc	TF		
23	1716	A29	CP	Saw one weapon pit at 466697 approx 5' x 18" with a rice bowl next to it and 2 bits of blue plastic sheeting. 20M soth west of this was what appeared to be a black shirt under a tree, looked to be a week old			
24	1720	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 471671, 12 - 485670 Ni Locs	TF		
25	1755	TF	CP	Report of explosion 500M from 17 Cont, civilians seen in area before, APC's have gone to investigate			
26	1804	3 Cav	CP	Loc C/S TA30A, 130B, 41A, 41 - 442701 33, 33A, 41B, 42 - 415685 : 42A, 39J, 33B - 419664	TF		
27	2247	TF	CP	Explosion and single shot reported from area of route 2 just north of Hoa Log NFI			

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1	0625	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 & 13 - 447680, 12 - 485670	TF		
2	0640	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 403690	TF		
3	0640	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 474725	TF		
4	0720 0720	TF	CO	Approx 20 people moving into the rubber about one mile from Nui Dat along route two			
5	0825	BD	CP	2 or 3 people cutting wood about 200M in front of B Coy's gun			
6	0850	CP	TF	P/Nil Lon C/S XXXX TA's - 439705, 473679, 469704	TF		
7	0851	CP	TF	Request release of one pl from RR Coy for patrol of AO W as all work task have been completed, Req advise of D & E pl task also			
8	0930	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 409692	TF		
9	1027	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 412693	TF		
10	1115	TF	CP	RR Coy may use one pl out of unit per day only 1 hours reaction time is required for RR task			

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11	1130	B	CP	5 Pl will be deployed PM 11 Oct//passed report of cattle and sivilians on C Coys wire at 11-1200H			
12	1255	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 416699	TF		
13	1308	BD	CP	Four VN children looking in the Nui Dat dump have been handed over to the MP's			
14	1431	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 450695	TF		
15	1432	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 414697	TF		
16	1612	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 now back in this loc	TF		
17	1615	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 415694	TF		
18	1645	V	CP	Loc C/S 11 - 471671, 12 - 485670 Ni Locs	TF		
19	1719	BD	CP	one pers in red shorts about 200M outside the old C Coy lines, there is now 2 pers picking up gear under towere near ranges 6 and 5			
20	1731	BD	CP	Loc C/S 61 - 474725 Ni Loc	TF		

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21	1745	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 61 N/C, they have heard explosion to west			
22	1754	CP	Sp	We do not know what the explosion was			
23	1920	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA42A - AGYEOWRZ ???????	TF		
26	1955	TA3	CP	Loc C/S TA's 469704 Ni Locs	TF		
25	2320	CP	TF	Movt on Sp Coy wire, illum to be fired			

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1	0047	TF	CP	TA42A is in contact NFI. GR 475676	Base Def, V Coy	adv	
2	0125	TF	CP	Ref contact TA42A, TA's saw one possibly two en with light. En fired 1 shot at TA's. Cav illuminated area and engaged with MGs. Search to be conducted at first light. Results unk.	V Coy	adv	
3	0605	C	CP	Loc 31 - 4156948	Plotted, Passed	TF	
4	0620	B	CP	Loc 61 - 474725	Plotted		
5	0635	V	CP	Loc 11 - 471671, 12 - 485676	Plotted		
6	0713	CP	A28	Have a look at 444688, there was movement on the wire at that grid last night.			
7	0735	C	CP	31 - 428690	TF		
8	0755	APCs	CP	The search of TA42s contact area revealed nothing. All APCs back in this loc.	Contact report to be sent		

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9		V	CP	A. Incident report c/s 11.			
				B. 112310.			
				B. (2) 112320.			
				(3) 120010.			
				(4) 120030.			
				(5) 120130.			
				C. 471671.			
				D. Unk			
				E. Unk			
				F. N/A			
				G. (2) South to North.			
				(4) South to North.			
				(5) North to South.			
				H. (1) Loud explosion about 500m W of harbour.	- Could have been illum		
				(2) Torchlight 3000m W of harbour.)		
				(3) Series of single shots about 1000m S of)		
				harbour.)		
				(4) Torchlight about 2000m E of harbour, at one) Probably movt in Nui Dat.		
				stage light appeared to approach harbour,)		
				but moved away to N.)		
				(5) Torch about 300m W of harbour			
10	0815	Escort	CP	A. Contact c/s TA42. B. 120050. C. 475674.	CO/Ops/IO to see		
				D. 1 poss 2. E. Unk. F. Nil. G. SE.			
				H. A light was seen and en fired onw shoo at c/s.			

/illumination

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10 (Cont'd)				Illumination fired and area engaged with .30 cal.			
				Search conducted this morning revealed no sign.			
11	0900	Ops 0	CP	PNLs APCs, 476675, 416664, Eastern ptr 4670	TR, B, D, V, Coys adv		
12	0902	Ops 0	CP	8P1 will take over search and ambush ops in areas ABC from 7P1 who return to ND 120930H.	TF		
13	0930	V	CP	11 - 484671, 12 - 485670.	TF		
14	1015	C	CP	C/S 32 now N of C/S 31s loc.	TF		
15	1030	C	CP	32 - 426688.	TF		
		B	CP	61 - 477725.			
16	1040	C	CP	C/S 31 married up with c/s 30	TF		
17	1045	V	CP	11 - 496660 mov east.	TF		
18	1128	Tracker	CP	61 - 480724			
		C	CP	32 - 418685			
19	1225	SP	CP	loc 61 - 482725	TF		
20	1227	C	CP	loc 32 - 413685.	TF		

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21	1427	SP	CP	61 - 480721	TF		
22	1430	C	CP	32 - 407684	TF		
23	1526	SP	CP	61 - 479719.	TF		
24	1530	C	CP	32 - 406684.	TF		
25	1635	SP	CP	61 - 478718.	TF		
26	1635	C	CP	32 - 406684. Ni loc.	TF		
27	1635	V	CP	11 - 495669.	TF		
28	1720	B	CP	61 - 478718. Ni loc.	TF		
29	1758	CP	TF	VR Request: 6/214: E 34-37, N 64-67. Time 1000-1200.	IO passed to 62	int 1650hrs	
30	1759	CP	TF	VR Request 6/215: E 58-61, N 68-71. Time 1400-1600.			
31	1836	TAOC	CP	loc TA33 416664 - Ni loc.	TF		
32	1851	TA31	CP	Ni loc TA31 - 464706	TF		

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33	1840	2/43	CP	Ref ni activities previously passed. Now confirm that			
		LO		two pl ptls will be operating onw in NE of AO Y; one			
				in SW of AO Z. Each pl will split into gps and ptl/			
				ambush throughout the night. There will also be an	CO/Ops		
				ambush set up to the East of JWTC (on edge of AO M)			
				and will change over 3 times between 1900-0600hrs	Warned 3 cav (TA42A) moving		
				(area - access route to QL 52 from 454666 - 456660)	through are to 8 from Ni AP		
34	1850	TF	CP	Engrs report that at 1700hrs one VN, poss using	CO/Ops. Indicates 17 contr sgn now elert		
				binoculars was seen observing Nui Dat from 439661.	Poss member of VN Gp at JWTC.		
					It was reported to 'G' Int am today		
					that 17 constr sgn had 'lost' more		
					mines/flares from their perimeter		
					(during daylight hours)		
35	2005	3 Cav	CP	Ni loc TA42A - 476675	TF		
36	2050	TF	CP	Agent report VN C3, Aust poss F3: from a sympathiser	CO/Ops		
				at Duc Thanh, 50VC from an unknown unit, well armed			
				were reported to be in the vicinity of 540755 at	TF will VR area 13 Oct 71.		
				101720H Oct. Intentions unknown.			

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1	0500	SP	CP	From gun posn 025 - 3-4 voices 200-300m for last 20 mins on a bearing of 300mils out .	Bearing checked and shown to be inside of wire - checked and confirmed by Base Def adv - should have come over B Def.		CSM SP.
2	0855	TF	CP	AO -, Boundary clearances: E 44-46, N 62-65. Timings 131300 - 141000.	CO/Ops/IO to see clear TF		
3	0932	C	CP	Loc 32 - 402688.	Plotted		
4	0950	CP	TF	PNL TA AP: 469667, 462716, 423665. 5P1 on soil collection in Chau Pha Valley. Tracker pl returning on foot on 14 oct. Aslt pns departing this loc 15 or 16 Oct. 2P1 will be moving to Nui Dat II area. 1P1 will be in Long Tan rubber in support 14-19 Oct. 12P1 will move into AOs SW of our loc.			
5	0955	B	CP	22 - 378687	TF, Plotted		
6	1002	B	CP	c/s 22 have completed their first task and are moving now.	TF		
7	1030	C	CP	32 - 391694.	TF, Plotted		
8	1031	B	CP	22 - 380690.	TF, Plotted.		

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9	1050	B	CP	c/s 22 have completed their last task and are at 382692.	TF		
10	1120	B	CP	c/s 22 has completed it's last task and are now in this loc. A small party conducting VR at 4056.	TF		
11	1130	C	CP	32 - 387697.	TF, Plotted		
128	1136	B	CP	61 - 474716.	TF, Plotted		
13	1232	C	CP	32 - 383699.	Plotted		
14	1325	B	CP	61 - 471716.	TF		
15	1432	A04	CP	Few tracks behind ND (2), also a few footprints//will you let you know about that area on your return			
16	1433	C	CP	32 - 392704.			
		B	CP	61 - 468715.			
17	1445	TF	CP	VR Report 252: Old ration wrappings at 343657. No recent signs, ration wrappings and rest area at 333648 no recent use approx 10-20 people. Old rest area at 331649 with several tracks appeared to be friendly because of layout & track plan 20-30 people.	No signs other sign.		

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18	1528	B	CP	61 - 462706	TF		
19	1534	C	CP	32 - 396707.	TF		
20	1627	BD	CP	Loc 61 - 459701 Ni loc	TF		
21	1632	C	CP	32 - 396706	TF		
22	1645	CP	TF	VR Request 6/216: E 34-37, N 67-70. Time 141200-1400			
23	1646	CP	TF	VR Request 6/217: E 54-57, N 69-72. time 141000-12000			
24	1705	TF	CP	VR Report 254: E 58 - 61, N 68-71. Time - 131400 - 131600 - no fresh sightings other than obvious animal movement.			
25	1720	CP	TF	2 VN nationals arrested near rubbish tip by 161 crash crew TF informed - being held until arrival of MP of 1 ATF.	These children were, in fact hiding in the rubbish only 3-4 ft away from the flames when detained		
26	1730	V	CP	11 PNL - 498672, 12 PNL - 485670.	TF		
27	1758	C	CP	32 Ni loc - 396706.	TF		
28	1835	TA23	CP	Now in PNL - 469667.	TF		

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1	0400	TF	CP	All passes allowing VN access to 1 ATF are cancelled wef 140630H. Any VN req access are to be met and escorted under arrangements of person to be visited.			
2	0630	V	CP	11 - 498672, 12 - 485670.	Plotted	TF notified	
3	0631	C	CP	32 - 396706	Plotted,	TF notified	
4	0635	C	CP	61 - 459701.	Plotted,	TF notified	
5	0640	TA	CP	All TAs are back in ND.			
6	0825	B	CP	61 - 457693.	TF		
7	0840	TF	CP	AO Request 302 RF Bn: E 48-49, N 61-63, ASAP to 141800.	Clear,	TF adv, plotted	
8	0925	C	CP	32 - 396708.	TF		
		B	CP	61 - 442690.			
9	1000	Ops	CP	V Coy pl changeover will be effected by walking in and out.			
10	1020	B	CP	61 now in this loc.	TF adv		

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11	1030	C	CP	32 - 394708	TF		
12	1032	D	CP	43 - 412667.	TF		
13	1046	61	CP	Request boundary clearance from YS 459692 along the boundary to YS 469697 until 141800 for c/s 61 operations.	Requested from V Coy on behalf of Clear V Coy, B Coy adv	B Coy	
14	1715	B	CP	c/s 61 moving.	TF		
15	1130	D	CP	43 - 403667.	TF		
16	1133	C	CP	32 - 393707.			
17	1224	B	CP	61 - 453693,	TF		
18	1232	C	CP	32 - 398707.	TF		
19	1233	D	CP	43 - 398667.	TF		
20	1245	A20	CP	VR Report: There has been increased movement and cutting and ox cart activity noted in area E 46-49, N 73-75.			
21	1320	D	CP	43 - 399670.	TF, Plotted		

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22	1422	CO	CP	Comd AFV visited the areas to be occupied by 10 ⁴ Fd Bty and D Coy. Comd 1 ATF visited and discussed with CO ready reaction force tasks, administration handover to SVN military.			
23	1430	B	CP	61 - 461699 - at that grid they have a track N-S used by unk number of people with no recent use.	TF, Plotted		
24	1432	TF	CP	VR 255, 256, 257 - nil sightings.			
25	1506	TA	CP	Proposed Ni loc TAs - TA31 - 469715, TA30A - 450710, TA33 - grid 4270.	Plotted TF		
26	1529	B	CP	c/s 61 - 457696	TF		
27	1530	BD	CP	Backload for V Coy 1145.			
28	1535	C	CP	c/s 32 - 407708.	TF		
29	1615	B	CP	61 - 447692. c/s 6 and c/s 2 cleared on marry up proceed	TF		
30	1625	C	CP	32 Ni loc - 407707	Plotted		

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1	0732	D	CP	43 - 388668.	TF		
2	0747	Possum	CP	A25 found a hole in the wire out from the dump with a distinct track leading to it	Int sect informed to	brief morning prayers	
3	0807	TF	CP	VR 261 and 262 are our VR numbers for today and both are clear.			
4	0835	V	CP	11 - 468661.	TF		
5	0855	CP	TF	APC (APs) - 414666, 466707, 450714. V Coy - 1Pl returns through areas N and M. 3Pl deploy to R through areas P, Q. Air ressup for 2Pl. We will be keeping a presence in the N and S of Kingsgrove.			
6	0941	C	CP	32 - 406700.	TF		
7	0941	V	CP	11 - 447680, 12* 479671.	TF		
8	0950	V	CP	11 now in this loc and closed down.	TF		
9	1025	BD	CP	c/s 12 has received his maintdem and backloading at 1245hrs.			

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10	1030	V	CP	C/S 12 loc n/c			
		C	CP	C/S 32 loc BLNLRDYS - 402700	TF Plotted		
		D	CP	C/S 43 loc DCEIVZQP - 377668			
11	1120	D	CP	43 loc n/c	TF		
		C	CP	32 loc DRKDQAJZ - 400699	TF plotted		
		V	CP	12 loc n/c	TF		
12	1145	V	CP	13 loc ARWXYSVC - 456684	TF plotted		
13	1208	B DEF	CP	C/S 12 backload completed	TF		
14	1215	TF	CP	Contacts action in XA BANG 1132 hours 458856 626 RF Coy were ambushed by comd detonated VC D8 mine and SA fire. Friendly forces 2 KIA 5 WIA, 1155 enemy platoon occupied houses in XA BANG and returned fire. Friendly forces entered hamlet and enemy withdrew NE. Arty being fired, BUSHRANGERS not called for at this stage. Enemy cas unknown.	CO/IO to see B Coy warned for possible requirement as RRF		
15	1236	C	CP	30, 31, 33, n/c C/S 32 - CFIFETLW - 401696	TF		

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16	1248	V	CP	10/11 n/c			
				12 - dcowvziy - 479671	TF		
				13 - EZBQZQDZ - 466686			
17	1337	3 CAV	CP	3 mini teams required tonight. 1 for TA 33 going to 450714 414666, 1 for TA 42 to 450714, 1 to TA 31 going to 466707. All to be picked up at 1 FD TP 1745hrs 1 FD TP advised			
18	1427	C	CP	30, 31 - AKCJGRPG			
				32 - DRKDFAJX - 405692	TF		
				33 - CSRKVQCH -			
19	1438	V	CP	10, 11, 12 n/c			
				13 - DGHDHUTG - 474690	TF		
20	1530	C	CP	Locstat C/S 32 - ETAWZHPK - 407692	TF		
21	1536	V	CP	Locstat C/S 13 - CVQGRWCC - 481690	TF		
				12 - n/c			
22	1517	B	CP	Air task request			
				A. 6/220			
				B. 4 RAR			
				C. 30 pax			
				D. UH1H			

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				E. Eaglefarm C/S 95B freq 41.25		1. Accept/Refuse	
				F. 393704 C/S 31 freq 37.45		2. OPS to see	
				G. 1. 171000		3. C Coy TBA	
				2. 171000			
				3. on completion			
				H. Direct			
				I. Nil			
				J. PZ secure			
				LZ insecure LFT req. Arty to lay on mission			
23	1713	V	CP	Locstat C/S 10/11 - AASGFCAH			
				12 - DRCBJAOP - 479671			
				13 - CZADHZDU - 485688	TF		
24	1718	D	CP	Locstat C/S 43 - BCNWXPVJ - 378674	TF		
25	1730	CP	TF	VR request 6/221			
				E 39 to 42			
				N 75 to 78			
				Time 161200 to 161400			
26	1822	TF	CP	In future morning road recce will not be carried out			
				E of DAT DO along Route 2 on N of DUC THAHN POST along			
				Route 2	CO/OPS OFFR		

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1	0610	1	OA	Locstat 12 - bapfesba - 479671 13 - cbkzadzo - 485688			
					NO CHANGE		
2	0616	3	OA	Locstat 32 - CVZNBVLV - 407692			
					NO CHANGE		
3	0627	4	OA	Locstat 43 - DTNWACTF - 375671			
					NO CHANGE		
4	0727	V	CP	12, 13 locs n/c			
					TF		
5	0805	B	CP	C/S 22 now with TA's			
6	0914	B	CP	22 loc BXUEDVMK - 448706. TA's are bogged at the moment in that loc., are awaiting assistance from TA's and C/S 22 is staying with them.			
7	0918	TA10B	CP	Do you require us to send another C/S to assist the TA's//Yes//And what is the C/S of the bogged TA's//TA13			
8	0930	C	CP	C/S 32 loc ATBWMERV - 412690			
		D	CP	C/S 43 loc n/c	TF		
		B	CP	C/S 22 loc n/c			
9	0935	TA1	CP	TA 11 moving now to assist TA 13			

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10	0930	INT	CP	Track sited moving both directions N - SE in SQRS 5068 - 5067. 2 - 5 people in the last 12 hours	V Coy advised OPS OEFR advised		
11	0956	B	CP	C/S 22 moving by themselves			
12	1015	D	CP	C/S 43 - DEKMWZON - 375682	TF		
13	1031	C	CP	C/S 32 - BNMCYBLS - 420686	TF		
14	1035	V	CP	C/S 12 - BAPFLSBA - 479671	TF		
15	1148	B	CP	C/S 22 - DHMOLXYV - 458701	TF		
16	1202	TF	CP	Captains Table - 1 ATF MAIN Closes- 1 ATF REAR T/O			
17	1328	B	CP	Locstat C/S 22 - COBLYURN - 458697	TF		
18	1343	V	CP	Locstat 12 - DFNPQZMO - 476678 13 - n/c	TF		
19	1423	C	CP	Locstat 32 - AJVNGWMA - 422683	TF		
20	1442	B	CP	Locstat 22 - EEDWDPBR - 454693	TF		
21	1448	TF	CP	Cheerful Charlie (all road movt out of ND complete)			

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22	1610	SP	CP	C/S 32 joined C/S 30	TF		
				C/S 62 - AJVNGWMA - 422683	TF		
23	1617	C	CP	C/S 62 -ATBSJEAV - 433690 PNL			
24	1620	B	CP	C/S 22 back in this loc. At 1000hrs this morning they came across 2 civ woodcutters from HOA LONG, one named NGYUN VAN TANG aged 63, the other PHAM VAN MAN aged 17, appeared to have been in area overnight.	CO/IO to see		
25	1730			SUMMARY OF DAYS KEY EVENTS			
				HQ 1 ATF redeployed to VUNG TAU, with fol units			
				a. A SQN (-) 3 Cav Regt			
				b. 12 Fd Regt (-)			
				c. 1 Fd Sqn (-)			
				d. 17 Const Sqn (-)			
				e. 104 Sig Sqn (-)			
				f. 161 (Indep) Recce Flt			
				g. HQ Coy 1 ATF			
				h. HQ Coy 1 ALSG			
				i. 8 Fd AMB			
				J. Forward Repair Group RAEME			
				k. Det AFV Provost Unit			
				1 ATF CP opened in VUNG TAU.			
				With the move of 1 ATF to VUNG TAU the fol units come			

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				command of 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN GP:			
				a. 1 TP A SQN 3 CAV REGT			
				b. 104 Fd Bty and Bty Sect 12 Fd Regt LAD			
				c. TP (-) 1 Fd Sqn RAE			
				d. Det 104 Sig Sqn			
				4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN GP took over responsibility of LUSCOMBE Field and the operations of RAAF DUSTOFF and BUSHRANGERS operating in the NUI DAT area.			
				The 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN GP perimeter excluded and closed to the areas previously occupied by the units which moved to VUNG TAU.			
				With the redeployment of 1 ATF (-), 2/43 ARVN Inf Bn moved from JWTC area to the area previously occupied by HQ 1 ATF, and two 155mm guns ARVN Arty relocated from JWTC area to area KOALA within NUI DAT.			
26	1731	D	CP	Locstat C/S 43 - BGVOHMJL - 377680			
27	1740	RAAF	CP&&	BUSHRANGER fired at bunker system and destroyed at TK 756786 (No TF record in log). Request for BUSHRANGER and MEDEVAC to leave for VUNG TAU//Cleared BY OPS// DUSTOFF will be on 15 mins notice at VUNG TAU			
28	1755	V	CP	Locstat C/S 12 - CQXGRUYP - 479671			

13 - ECLVNYVD - 485688

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29	1845	B	CP	Locstat C/S 23- BIFBAGDA - 449709	Plotted		
30	1914	SP	CP	Locstat C/S 62 - AHOWGXUN - 429688	Plotted		
31	1715	B DIF	CP	Locstat C/S 62 - AHOWGXUN - 429688	Plotted		
32	1845	TA12	CP	Locstat C/S TA12 - FOIGUAPE - 465715			
33	2235	9E	CP	Sentry at the loc on the E side saw lights and movt 400m to their flank. They engaged with claymores and M60 fire. Alum was fired. Results not known. Will inv- estigate in the morning.	Base Defence HQ advised.		

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1	0420	DEF HQ	CP	From C/S 20. Loud explosion heard on bearing approx 400m and approx 5 clicks out. 2 flares seen vicinity before explosion. Thought to be in vicinity of Route 2. <u>D.O. COMMENT</u> Explosion heard clearly from this loc and sounded like primary from 105mm or similar. Doubtful that source was 5 clicks. NFI.	CO/IO to see		
2	0510			Approx 6 explosions heard from CP over last 20 mins. Nil traffic on TF net in ref. Arty on XUAN LOC, DUC THANN and DAT DO are firing. GR's TBA	CO/IO to see CO verbally adv. Passed to OC Base Def		
3	0732	4 C	OA CP	C/S 43 - CEMUVNRT - 372686 C/S 62 n/c	Plotted		
4	0745	9E	CP	The claymore, mortar, SA fire from JWTC last night, sweep this morning revealed nothing.	OPS PFFR informed		
5	0930	B	CP	C/S 23 loc - EMROHKDC - 451713	Plotted		
6	1010	D	CP	Proposed movt of C/S 43 17 Aug remain in loc 377685. 18 Aug move EAST from 377685 to PNL 392673	Plotted		
7	1030	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - COMNDTKE - 456714	Plotted		
8	1030	D	CP	C/S 43 completed			

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9	1036	TA 1	CP	C/S 21 now dropped in by TA12			
10	1036	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - ADSKEOUR - 391706	Plotted		
11	1042	B	CP	Loc 21 - APJGPNLM - 463724	Plotted		
12	1112	TA1	CP	TA12 now TA4 loc			
13	1130	D	CP	Loc C/S 43A - DBJAUCYT - 376685	Plotted		
14	1131	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - ABOFGVCY - 461724 23 - DEQFPBNO - 468714			
15	1139	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - DPNXFKPF - 388708	Plotted		
16	1200	C	CP	C/S 62 - DBSPDCOA - 424697	Plotted		
17	1240	TF	CP	AO req for DUC THAHN E - 40 - 42.5 N - 74 - 78 from 180600 - 191000H	Cleared CO/OPS OFFR		
18	1325	B	CP	XXXXXX C/S 21 found a claymore USA type set up for trip wire firing, but not connected with VN accessories at YS 461723 lot No LOP-2-105-1168	TF/CO/IO ADV		
19	1328	B	CP	23 n/c C/S 21 - BCHNLAPJ - 461723	TF		

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20	1445	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 390711, 62 - 423701	TF		
21	1530	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 461723, 23 - 465706	TF		
22	1533	C	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 420701	TF		
23	1540	B	CP	C/S 23 saw 7 adults and 6 children all had ID Card and have been moved out of non access area			
24	1550	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 391712	TF		
25	1630	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 479671, 13 - 485688	TF		
26	1658	TA11	CP	Loc C/S TA11 - 413667 PNL	TF		
27	1659			CO 2/43 ARVN Bn and LO visited CO 4 RAR/NZ in this loc at 1530 hrs			
28	1735	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 465706, 23 - 461723 Ni Locs	TF		
29	1737	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 377684 PNL	TF		
30	1740	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 479671, 13 - 485688 Ni Locs	TF		

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31	1755	TA	CP	TA11 moving out on my task now END			

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1	0615	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 377684	TF		
2	0635	TA	CP	TA11 moving back to normal day loc	TF		
3	0655	V	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 479671, 13 - 485688	TF		
4	0656	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 465706, 23 - 461723	TF		
5	0657	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 391712, 62 - 418702	TF		
6	0710	A4	CP	Ref wire SW of runway, there is a break in it and sth of dump there is a cut in the wire done in the last 3 - 4 days			
7	0823	C	CP	C/S 62 would like a map spot before they move// posum pilot advised of grid frequ etc.			
8	0828	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 382684	TF		
9	0905	V	CP	C/S 12 comp moving now	TF		
10	0906	TF	CP	AO Request VK - 380660, 380640, 410640, 410660 Time ASAP to 1200	Cleared		

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11	0940	B	CP	C/S 21 have found people out side civy access area with papers they say intitle them to be out of the access area		Check to be made	
12	0947	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 397514, 62 - 413702	TF		
13	1000	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 488671	TF		
14	1028	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 452726, 23 - 464700	TF		
15	1030	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 387682	TF		
16	1033	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 400714, 62 - 411702	TF		
17	1118	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 451720	TF		
18	1127	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 405715	TF		
19	1150	D	CP	Air Task Request. A. 6/227 B. C/S 4 of 4 RAR/NZ C. 33AAX D. UH1H E. E end luscombe F. 378687 G1. 191115 G2. 191200 G3. End of task H. Direct I. Nil J. Macked by stick	TF Accepted		

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20	1227	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 457697	TF		
21	1243	B	CP	C/S 21 found a mechanical ambush 70M just east of last Loc			
22	1333	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 461720	TF		
23	1336	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 406715, 62 - 423699	TF		
24	1338	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 397673	TF		
25	1341	V	CP	Loc C/S 13 - 484687	TF		
26	1420	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA13, 10B - 495666	TF		
27	1425	CP	DUC THANH	In last 24 hrs we have found mechanical ambushes in the north of our AO laid by friendly forces Request you obtain the following info a. GR's of any further MA's. b. Find respons' unit and tell them not to lay any more MA's in our AO//Roger but province chief has told all districts to lay as many MA's as pos, I will do as much as I can//Treat with urgency			
28	1428	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 460718	TF		

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29	1431	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 409716, 62 - 414696	TF		
30	1450	CP	TF	VR Request 6/229 - E 34 to 37, N 70 to 73 Time 191200 to 191400	TF		
31	1530	V	CP	Loc C/S 12 - 489671	TF		
32	1536	56	CP	MA's were laid by popular forces would like our forces to keep clear of area as 52 are out collecting the mines			
1540	33	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 406715, 62 - 409693 PNL's	TF		
34	1555	CP	TF	TA10B, 13 PNL - 497666	TF		
35	1642	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 406715, 62 - 407693 Ni Loc	TF		
36	1645	V	CP	Loc C/S 13 - 484868, 12 - 489617 Ni Locs	TF		
37	1710	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 460718, 23 - 457697 Ni Locs	TF		
38	1735	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 398674 PNL	TF		
39	2040	B	CP	C/S 23 in contact - Sentry heard movt, challenged movt stopped and withdrew NE, illum to be fired	TF		

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40	2104	B	CP	Engaged 10 - 15 M and 4 or 5 SA round, withdrew NW, area to be checked in the morning			
41	2107	CP	TF	Contact Report A. C/S 23 B. 182040 C. 457697 D. 1 E&F. UNK G. NE NW H. Heard movt from NE and challenged, movt stopped then withdrew. sentry engaged and ilum fired no further sighting, area to be searched in morning			
42	2110	B	CP	23 in contact - Sentry heard movt and saw silhowette of person and engaged			
43	2125	LO	CP	2 DF were KIA today near Hoa Long			
44	2135	CP	TF	CONTACT REPORT A. C/S 23 B. 182110 G. 457697 D. 1 probably E&F. UNK G, NE H. Sentry heard movt and saw silhowette of man and engaged. Moaning heard and illum fired but nothing seen. Search will be carried out in morning			
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45	2300	TF	CP	Sniffer Request - E485 to 615, N655 to 765 Time 190930 to 19110			

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1	0705	BX	CP	Sweep revealed nil results, track leading NW made by 1 or more persons and one track leading east			
2	0725	BD	CP	Report of trip flare being set off Sp Coy bunker 025 NFI			
3	0752	B	CP	At 0625 3 VN civy dressed were seen leaving the POL point by a B Coy member of bunker 410			
4	0824	C	CP	Loc C1S 31 - 406715, 62 - 407693	TF		
5	0820	BD	CP	Ref ser 3 POL point broken into and some personal items missing			
6	0840	C	CP	Ref 62s loc, he is now NW.			
		TA1	CP	TA11 & c/s 43 married up.			
7	0850	TA1	CP	TA11 has completed his task and is back in day loc			
8	0905	D	CP	c/s 43 back in this loc.	TF		
9	0931	C	CP	31 - 398714, 62 - 401696 mov SW			
		B	CP	21 - 464718, 23 - 453702.	TF		
10	1030	B	CP	21 - 468719, 23 - 452704.	TF		

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11	1035	C	CP	31 - 394713, 62 - 397693.	TF		
12	1000	TF	CP	Sighting report, 392840, some woodcutters and fresh movement within last 2 days.			
13	1134	C	CP	31 - 390712,	TF		
14	1136	B	CP	21 - 471722, 23 - 447705	TF		
15	1140	C	CP	Boundary clearance request: from 378703-380690, Timings: 200800-210800.	C Coy to clear from D Coy and adv Bn CP, clear D Coy, Clear CP.		
16	1215	C	CP	Boundary clearance request for 62: From 394684 to 403683, timeings 191330 - 200900.	Clear D Coy.		
17	1230	B	CP	21 - 478722, 23 - 451706.	TF		
18	1234	D	CP	42 - 375683.	TF		
19	1250	SP	CP	Mousetrap: A. c/s 6 B. 444690 to 460690 to 460680 to 452680. C. 200800-201600. D. Demolition quantity explosives incl qty mor blinds.	B & V to clear Ops to clear. Sp Coy TBA.		

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20	1321	B	CP	21 - 481722.	TF		
21	1333	C	CP	31 - 388710, 62 - 397691.	TF		
22	1415	Ops	CP	PNL 4A - 423675, 4B - 429679. There will be a permanent AP from 2/43 ARVN at West Gate.	Plotted		
23	1445	CP	TF	ATR: A. 6/231 B. 4 RAR C. 34 pax. D. UHID E. 489671 c/s 12 80L (55.30) F. Luscombe c/s 10 80L (55.30) G1. 201430. G2. 201430 - 201600. G3. On completion. H. Direct. I. Nil. J. PZ secure, last lift insecure, LFT required.			
24	1425	B	CP	21 - 478722.	TF		
25	1431	C	CP	31 - 383704, 62 - 399690.	TF		

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26	1514	V	CP	Reference for mousetrap for c/s 6 clear.	Sp Coy adv		
27	1530	B	CP	23 - 461702.			
28	1536	TA	CP	PNL TA12, TA19M - 473674.	TF		
29	1550	C	CP	31 - 384701.	TF		
30	1557	B	CP	Boundary clearance c/s 22: 480693-490694. timings 201000-201400	Passed to V Coy, V Coy to clear.	B Coy adv of SOPs,	
31	1634	C	CP	Ni loc 62 - 401689.	TF		
32	1645	C	CP	Ni locs 33 - 267400, 31 - 384701.	TF		
33	1650	D	CP	42 - 375686.	TF		
34	1653	V	CP	Ni locs 12 - 489671, 13 - 484687.			
35	1655	CP	TF	Reference ATR 228, there will be artillery prep from LZ time less 20, to LZ time minus 5, then we request Bushranger prep of LZ.			
36	1720	D	CP	PNL 42 - 374686.	TF		

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37	1732	B	CP	21 - 478722, 23 - 461702 - Ni locs.	TF		
38	1750	CP	TF	VR Request 6/232: E 57-60, N 69-72, time 201400- 201600. VR Request 6/233: E 57-60, N 72-75, time 201000- 201200.			
39	2145	B	CP	c/s 23 have a bright light about 200m West of their position. It appears to be moving about and flicking on and off. They are continuing to observe.			
40	2210	CP	B	Any information of the light seen by c/s 23 earlier tonight//No, it seems to have disappeared altogether.			

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1	0612	V	CP	loc 12 - 489671, 13 - 484687.	TF, Plotted		
2	0613	B	CP	21 - 478722, 23 - 461702.	TF, Plotted		
3	0620	D	CP	42 - 374686.	TF, Plotted		
4	0623	C	CP	31 - 384701, 62 - 401689.	TF, Plotted		
5	0745	BD	CP	B Coy gun 017 heard chopping noises 300m to their N	c/s 23 to investigate on their return.		
6	0748	B	CP	Ref mousetrap given to c/s 6 yesterday, it is now cancelled.	Sp Coy adv		
7	0840	C	CP	31 - 385701.	TF		
8	0846	D	CP	42 - 377686.	TF		
9	0925	Check Point Red	CP	Shots are being fired by people from a convoy parked outside 'W' gate. (These people jump off the trucks wander into the bush for a few metres (up to 70m) and fire off a few rounds).	9E advised, asked to get 2/43 to refrain from firing.		
10	0930	B	CP	21 - 479715, 23 - 455691.	TF		

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11	0928	Control Tower	CP	There appear to be 4 people in the rubbish tip, 3 dressed in greens and one dressed in black. No weapons sighted.		Possum not available to check, Pt red to check.	
12	0943	D	CP	42 - 377677.	TF		
13	1010	B	CP	End of arty for LZ prep.			
14	1013	B	CP	Bushrangers finished, insertion about to begin.			
15	1040	B	CP	21 - 474715, 23 - 445691,, 22 - 484697.	TF		
16	1050	DT	CP	From 2 POW info to effect that there is 100 VC in E 41-45, N 81-84.	CO/Ops adv		
17	1050	B	CP	22 - 485697.	TF		
18	1052	C	CP	62 - 394687.	TF		
19	1110	W	CP	12 - 489671, 13 - 484687.	TF		
20	1141	C	CP	62 - 398686.	TF		

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21	1155	DT	CP	From 2 POW captured at 441830, 192200hrs. POWs have been tentatively identified as Nguyen Van Don, Sec Sect chief Ngia Giao village (G); Nam Dang - from Med cadre Chau Duc.			
22	1228	B	CP	21 - 870715, 22 - 483703.	TF		
23	1229	C	CP	62 - 401686.	TF		
24	1329		CP	B Coy sighted VN civies out from their wire. A4 reacted and also spotted people in the creekline - makeing a total of about 12 people. TAs, Int and RP elements reacted to detain people.	TF & Baria.		
25	1335	C	CP	31 - 382699.	TF		
26	1352	B	CP	482706, c/s 22 has detained 15 people mainly children and women however there are some men (of right age) in the group. There appear to be more coming will advise further details	TF & Baria.		
27	1406	B	CP	Sunray wants people who c/s 22 detained returned to the loc when spotted moving E-W.	TF & Baria.		
28	1430	B	CP	21 - 470715.	TF		

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29	1433	C	CP	31 - 383697, 62 - 405685.	TF		
30	1455	Int	CP	Civies detained by TA13 were sent on their way after their names were taken.			
31	1507	Cav	CP	TA11 - 450710 PNL.	TF		
32	1522	TA12	CP	TA12 - 443685.			
33	1535	C	CP	62 - 411685, 31 - 382695. Ni locs.	TF		
34	1605	Acorn	CP	Reference people detained by c/s 22, all were collecting wood, they were not aware it was a restricted area. All papers were in order and were all from Phouc Tho.	TF & Baria.		
35	1626	B	CP	42 - 377677. Ni loc.	TF		
36	1640	D	CP	Small arms fire was coming from vic 8 Fd Amb over D Coy's position.	9e adv		
37	1708	CP	TF	VR Request 6/234: E 31-34, N 70,73, 211000-1600 VR 6/235: E 52-57, N 73-75, Time 211000-211200.			
38	1742	B	CP	21 - 470715, 22 - 482706.	TF		

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39	1805	V	CP	13 - 484687.	TF		
40	1745	56	CP	c/s 56 advises VN are in contact at grid 425812. VN have requested a VR ac through VN channels c/s 56 has asked to assist. The VN unit in contact is 655RF. At 1743 progress report 655RF saw 10-15 VC running into the jungle at above grid. At 1745 the result is: 3 KIA, 1 WIA, 2 CIA (1CIA is WIA) 2 carbines CIA. Ref 2 VC captured last night 1 Chau Duc assistant medical chief, 2 assistant guerilla chief, Ngai Gaio. 2 captured VC guided the VN in to the present contact area. Number of enemy reported in that area is 100.	CO/Ops/IO to see		
41	1930	DT	TF&CP	SPOTREP: (1) PT/DT (2) YS 425812. (3) 201715. (4) 626/655RF. RF contacted en during patrol mounted on info from 2 VC CIA 19 Oct 71. (6) 201840. (7) 3 VC KIA, 1 VC WIA/CIA, 1 VC CIA, 2 carbines CIA. (8) NFI. (9) NFI. (10) c/s 74. A29 confirms 2 VC KIA (BC) and a possible to be confirmed.			
42	2050	TA11	CP	TA11 observed bright light 300m to NW.	Comms lost NFI.		

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1	0706	C	CP	62 - 401686.			
2	0714	D	CP	Check point red and gun 2 taking rounds.	9E adv		
3	0826	D	CP	42 - 378675, 31 - 380695,	TF		
4	0850	V	CP	13 - 484687.	TF TF		
5	0920	D	CP	42 - 379670.	TF		
6	0932	B	CP	21 - 457714, 22 - 481712.	TF		
7	0938	D	CP	c/s 4 is getting more rounds onto the hill//We are sending TA elements, Interpreter, IO 2/43 Bn to convince these people to stop firing close to our c/s's. There are also people in the old asco area. Also sending MID personnel.	2IC/Ops adv		
8	0943	C	CP	31 - 383695.	TF		
9	1014	TA1	CP	TA41 detained two people in old cav area, shooting birds.			
10XX	1022	TA1	CP	TA41 taken detainees to old HQ area for 2/43 to deal with them.			

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11	1035	B	CP	21 - 468705, 22 - 480712.	TF		
12	1048	TA1	CP	Two detainees raken to CO 2/43 who dealt out corporal punishment with a cane and conviscated their weapons. Assurances were given that only 2/43 pers would operate with weapons in the area. Culprits were returned to Hoa Dong.			
13	1055	C	CP	31 - 382693.			
14	1134	B	CP	21 - 459703.			
15	1145	C	CP	31 - 384692.	TF		
16	1205	TA1	CP	Late report: Appear to be civies living in old TFMA at night. With effect today V Coy to patrol area at approx 1800hrs ea night and evict any occupants	Ops adv V Coy		
17	1231	B	CP	21 - 449713. 22 - n/c	TF		
18	1325	CP	TF	VR 6/236 E - 36 - 38 N - 75 - 80 T 221200 - 221400 VR 6/237 E - 51 - 53			

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				T - 221400 - 221600			
19	1332	C	CP	Locstat 31 - n/c 42 - BKZYTPWM - 422688	TF		
20	1427	C	CP	Gun 006 has reported sighting one person with bush tied to his back running towards Point 2. Seen in area 435694. It appears that this person may have been interrupted observing one of the gun posts.	A29 despatched to the area to VR. Nothing seen except 5 craters.		
21	1440	B	CP	Locstat 21 - n/c 22 - CZNOSSXN - 480714	TF		
22	1457	C	CP	Locstat 31 - VBXTUYM - 389694 62 back in 30 loc.	TF		
23	1500	B DEF	CP	C/S 4 receiving fire, same kind as this A.M. in the same area. Fire coming from bunkers just right of water tower.	9E advised and will investigate.		
24	1305	C	CP	The person leaving the area had bushes stuck in his belt which was removed when he reached the ox cart, he then started picking up grass.	Several people departed the area via Lambro whilst A29 was in the area.		

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25	1530	OC B	CP	The area the people are in is opposite to C Coy contains gardens which have been worked for some time. It would be difficult to remove the people and keep them out. It may be a problem we may have to live with.			
26	1638	C	CP	Locstat C/S 31 - DZVZVRCO - 389644	TF		
27	1654	TA	CP	Locstat C/S TA 10B, TA13, - 478675 PNL	TF		
28	1710	TA	CP	Amended proposed N L TA 11, TA13, - 478673	TF		
29	1725	D	CP	CFNWDSOJ - 379670 NL	TF		
30	1735	B	CP	C/S 21 - AZDHSYGE - 452714 N/L	TF		
31	1740	V	CP	C/S 13 - BWGDPOUK - 484687 N/L	TF		
32	1809	C	CP	C/S 33 - CFVNFSKD - 434689	TF		
33	1950	65	56	VR 286 E 26 - 29			
			72	N 54 - 58			
			60	T 220800 - 221000			
				VR 287 E 50 - 53			
				N 81 - 84			
				T 221000 - 221200			

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1	0600	1	OA	Locstat C/S 13 - DXUXEZXS - 484657	Plotted		
2	0605	4	OA	Locstat C/S 42 -CWLWFAGP - 379670	Plotted		
3	0625	2	OA	Locstat C/S 21 - BOYASEMH - 452714 22 - CPZWDHNL - 480714	Plotted		
4	0700	3	OA	Locstat C/S 33 - Back in ND	Sent to TF		
5	0705	TA 1	OA	TA 10B back in ND	Plotted		
6	0710	72	60	Spot report Grid square 343630 at 220633 - No 5 PF Platoon mountains 3 VC walked into PF ambush while moving NTH. VC with- drew STH possibly to village LONG HUONG. Nil results.	OPS OFFR notified		
7	0855	CP	TF	VR required 6/237 E 38 - 41 N 76 - 79 T 231000 - 231200 VR required 6/238 E 50 - 53 N 60 - 69 T 231200 - 231400			

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8	0906	CP	TF	A. 6/240 B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN C. 2 PAX (Linguist) Voice mission eqpt. D. Porter (FW) E. PZ Luscombe Field F. AO OTAGO G1. 231000 G2. ET: 0900 LT: 1200 G3. EM H. Clockwise I. Drop 2 pax Luscombe field J. Voice mission to discourage civilians from entering non-civil access area. Brief to pilot upon arrival.			
9	0922	D	CP	C/S 42 - BETGNYRB - 381661	TF		
10	0936	B	CP	21 loc n/c 22 loc = BWTYNIFJ - 482716	TF		
		V	CP	C/S 1 loc N/C			
11	1048	9E	CP	DWCTWAPN - TA to move at 221600	TA 1 advised		
12	1110	V	CP	C/S 13 - AWCRRHSLY - 489669	TF		

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13	1030	TF	CP	VR 286 E 26 - 29 N: 54 - 48 <u>Para 1:</u> At 253561 an enemy camp is built in the man- grove swamp. There was one large bunker with overhead protection protection, dimensions 12'x6'. Numerous sleeping platforms in the area and a large platform with stores (food, ammo) covered with a plastic sheet. <u>Para 2:</u> Tracks used in last 24hrs. to 48 hrs. They lead into area from seaward side. A heavy track runs from seaward 254577 Numerous tracks 261562 around the coast to 254577. Numerous tracks marry from all dir- ections in grid square 2656.	LONG SON ISLAND. CO/OPS/IO to see		
14	1230	C	CP	C/S 30, 32 - ATYMXCEF 33 - GNNODZED 31 - DPCHWXGE - 389693	TF		
15	1334	B	CP	Loc 21 - 460714 22 - 479716			
16	1415	TF	CP	Request APC and Top Cover for forklift escort from BARTA onwards this afternoon. Timings to be advised	TA1 advised POSSUM top cover obs.		
17	1432	TA	CP	P/N TA 12/TA 19J - 486658			
18	1530	B	CP	BFLHBHBR - 471716	TF		

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19	1541	CP	TF	AIR TASK REQUEST			
				A. 6/241			
				B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN			
				C. 24 pax			
				D. 4 x UH1H			
				E. PZ Eastern end LUSCOMBE Field			
				C/S 23 Freq 58.65 52T			
				F. LZ 479717 C/S 23 Freq 5865			
				G1. 231000			
				G2 Latest time 131030			
				G3. End task			
				H. Holdover during arty 4572 4 LFT Prepared,			
				I. Nil			
				J. Pick up 6/242 on completion of task. AnaArty			
				459717 prep arranged			
				OC B to be at LUSCOMBE to brief Mission Leader.			
20	1550	CP	TF	AIR TASK REQUEST			
				A. 6/242			
				B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN			
				C. 27 pax			
				D. 4 x UH1H			
				E. PZ 459716 C/S 21 Freq 58.65 52T			

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				F. LZ LUSCOMBE EAST C/S 21 Freq 58.65			
				G1. 231010			
				G2. Latest time 231040			
				G3. End task			
				H. Direct			
				I. Nil			
				J. 1 LFT required to cover extraction. 105mm on call			
				PZ insecure. To be conducted upon completion of			
				C/S 21 insertion.			
21	1612	TF	CP	AO request			
				E 41 - 44 N 72.5 - 75.5 TIME 231700	Passed to C COY		
					who were to clear		
22	1600	TA 12	CP	TA 12 moving to task with I62			
23	1615	TF	CP	VR Report 288 E: 36 - 38 N: 75- 80			
				<u>Para 1:</u> At 374786 footprints 1 - 2 days old wrer			
				sighted 30m from river at 374791. A well defined			
				track was sighted running NS for 150m. The tracks			
				showed signs of movement approx 2 days old.			
24	1630	B	CP	C/S 22 - CDELZSAC - 466705			
				21 N/C			
				4 N/C			
					TF		

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25	1640	C	CP	C/S 31 - BAEYAXWC - 389693 N/L			
26	1646	TA10A	CP	TA 41 & TA 13 back at this loc. C/S 62 on ground ready for task.			
27	1647	V	CP	ADTYFJRD - 481671	TF		
28	1730	V	CP	C/S 62 - ABUSLZJN - 476673 N/L	TF		
29	1742	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 460714	TF		
30	1744	V	CP	Locstat C/S 13 - 484687	TF		
31	1818	TA	CP	Locstat C/S TA 12 - 468664	TF		
32	1920	CP	TF	Air Task Request A. 4/243 B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN C. 2 HOLDFAST D. RW E. Eaglefarm C/S 27 ^{95B} Freq: 80G F. BARIA C/S 27 freq: 302 G. 231330 G1. 221230 - 221330 G2. Completion of task			

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1	0845	D	CP	C/S 42 - 390663	TF		
2	0935	B	CP	C/S 21 Loc N/L 22 - 474676	TF		
3	0953	V	CP	C/S 1 loc N/C 62 - 474676	TF		
4	0950	C	CP	31 - 389696 33 - 408685			
		D	CP	42 - N/C	TF		
5	1028	C	CP	22 - N/C 23 - 479715	Plotted		
6	1100	C	CP	31 - 387698 33 - 403688	Plotted		
7	1130	B	CP	C/S 22 Loc N/C 23 - 477713	Plotted		
8	1133	V	CP	C/S 31 13 - Loc N/L with 33 - 399691	Plotted		
9	1228	B	CP	22 N/c C/S 23 - 476711	Plotted		

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10	1238	C	CP	Loc - 31 - N/C 33 - 398689	TF advised		
11	1240	TA 1	CP	TA 13 moving on the known task			
12	1259	TA 1	CP	TA 13 at RV now.			
13	1325	TA 1	CP	TA 13 just returned			
14	1340	HOA LONG	CP	At 1130, 3 1 ATF personnel travelling by L/ROVER from DUC THAHN to BARIA where engaged by SA fire at 437695. One round impacted in L/F wheel	CO/OPS/IO to see		
15	1339	V	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 467663			
16	1422	D	CP	C/S 42 - 388664			
17	1432	B	CP	Loc - C/S 22 - 465705 C/S 23 - 480709	Plotted		
18	1440	CP	TF	As both air task requests have been compromised, cancell 244,245 air task requests.	SEAGULL info		
19	1442	CP	9E	SA fire from old TF area passing extremely close overhead HORNBILL area, both this A.M. and P.M.	CO/OPS/IO to see		

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20	1445	TF	CP	291 VR Report			
				7 Para 1: 392779. A camp site less than 1 week old occupied by 6 - 8 persons, fire place and rubbish in the area. Recent tracks running SE.394775. Similar camp was found. In both camps piles of sticks 1" in diameter, 1 - 3 foot long. The track used in both directions in last 4 days, it ended at 396774.		CO/OPS/IO to see	
21	1530	98	CP	VR 292 1200 - 1400			
				Para 1: Track seen running EW from 506681 - 499684. The track went across paddy fields, 3 - 5 days old and used by approx 3 - 5 persons. It joined a different ox cart at western end. The direction from there was uncertain as many deer and animals were spread far apart. No sign of movement.		CO/OPS/IO to see	
22	1530	B	CP	Locs - C/S 22 - N/C 23 - 482707 1 and 62 - N/C			
23	1545	TF	CP	a) Details on trackers dogs medical and vaccination date for TF on 25/10/71// b) TF request time and date for leaflet/voice mission// on the morning of the 24/10 is the leaflet drop, and the voice mission in the afternoon.		CO/OPS/IO to see	

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24	1547	TA 1	CP	C/S TA 13 now in this loc.			
25	1548	V	CP	C/S 1 now complete			
26	1550	TA	CP	C/S TA 11, TA 19M - 455718 N/L	TF advised		
27	1605	C	CP	C/S 31 - 390699 33 - 398689	TF		
28	1620	CP	TF	VR 6/248 E: 46 - 50 N: 73 - 75 TIME: 241400 - 142600			
29	1621	CP	TF	VR 6/249 E: 34 - 37 N: 80 - 82 TIME: 241000 - 241200			
30	1640	4	CP	Loc C/S 42 - 386666	TF		
31	1645	D	CP	Locstats - C/S 4A - 423675 4B - 426678			
32	1650	CP	TF	Air Task request: a. 4/246, b. 4 RAR/NZ, c. 24 d. 4UHI, e. NABZAB C/S NABZAB Freq 46.55, f. 378684 C/S 41 freq 46.55, g. 240930, g.2 240930			

241200, g3. completion, h. direct, i. nil, j. LZ insecure
 LZ prep, LFT H-5-HHR, 105mm on call LFT required

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1	0500	C	CP	Explosion heard bearing 6299 mils, distance 4,000M	NFA		
2 0610	0610	V	CP	Loc C/S 13 - 484687, 62 - 473662	TF		
3	0611	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 465705, 23 - 482707	TF		
4	0612	D	CP	Loc C/S 42 - 386666	TF		
5	0642	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 390699, 33 - 398689	TF		
6	0810	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - request that A28 pickup Pte Ball at 390699 (medevac)			
7	0910	CP	TF	VR Request 6/250 - E: 40 - 43, N: 78 - 81 Time 251200 to 251400	TF		
8	0935	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 465700, 23 - 486702	TF		
9	0936	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 390699, 33 - 398689	TF		
10	1000	D	CP	41 lift comp, 42 throwing smoke for bushranger			
11	1014	D	CP	C/S 42 now complete in 4's loc	TF		
12	1030	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 467697, 23 - 485697	TF		

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13	1034	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 377684	TF		
14	1035	V	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 484678	TF		
15	1045	V	CP	C/S 62 have found a live CBU request posum drop demolition items/Roger			
16	1052	B	CP	C/S 22 found pit at 467697, very old. Bottles in area also a head stone 'SANH 1939'			
17	1130	B&	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 463697, 23 - 479695	TF		
18	1131	V	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 483674	TF		
19	1329	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 461696, 23 - 479698	TF		
20	1355	C	CP	End of demolition/Roger	CO		
21	1405	B	CP	22 report single shot 456696	TF		
22	1430	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 456696, 22A - 454698	TF		
23	1458	C	CP	Loc C/S 32 - 432682	TF		
24	1526	B	CP	Loc C/S - 22 - 456696	TF		

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25	1537	TF	CP	Bushranger 71 sighted 14 persons and oxcart at 241445H going along line 1/s 525601 to 535600 they looked suspicious			
26	1540	V	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 493669	TF		
27	1550	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA13 - 466707 PNL	TF		
28	1630	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 456696	TF		
29	1631	V	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 497672	TF		
30	1640	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 390699, 33 - 398689 Ni Locs	TF		
31	1735	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 377684 Ni Loc	TF		
32	1740	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 456696, 23 - 479698 Ni Locs	TF		
33	1741	V	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 495666, 13 - 484688 Ni Loc	TF		
34	2030	TF	CP	VR Request 298 - E: 24 - 27, N: 55 - 59 Time 250800 to 251000	Clear		

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1	0820	TF	CP	Op Dem convoy will be leaving Vung Tau 0830, Req excort - all kinds/TA's and Bushrangers excort			
2	0828	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 370784	TF		
3	0905	B	CP	Boundry clearance Req - 437696 to 444686 Time 250900 to 261000	Clear		
4	0922	b	CP	Request C/S 21 be inserted bt APC into grid 4672. Pickup point west end of Luscombe 261000	For Ops Clearance OK		
5	0930	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 452692, 23 - 476694	TF		
6	0940	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 393698, 33 - 404689	TF		
7	1000	A28	6A	Convoy still 10 mins from RV			
8	1045	C	CP	Loc C/S 33 - 414693, 31 - 396698	TF		
9	1046	B	CP	Loc c/S 23 - 4766928	TF		
10	1130	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 398699, 33 - 419692	TF		
11	1131	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 422692, 23 - 474694	TF		

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12	1205	CO	CP	The Comd during his visit was accompanied by Chief of Staff HQ AFV to discuss admin of the withdrawal			
13	1230	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 442692, 23 476697	TF		
14	1231	CP	TA	Have received resup for C/S 3/Yes			
15 15	1325	TA	CP	TA1 departed on its task			
16	1341	TA	CP	TA1 returned to TA loc			
17	1340	D	CP	Loc C/S 1 - 429676, 61 - 434680 PNL	TF		
18	1405	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA12 - 478673 PNL	TF		
19	1424	TA	CP	Loc C/S TA10B + 13 - 455715	TF		
20	1440	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 442692, 23 - 475702	TF		
21	1444	Sp	CP	Loc C/S 62 - 496664	TF		
22	1446	D	CP	Loc C/S 43 - 485320	TF		
23	1530	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 473703	TF		

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24	1545	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 398699, 33 - 419692, 30A - 435692 Ni Loc	TF		
25	1610	Sp	CP	3 civilians on rubbish tip, entered through a hole in wire damaged by mort fire			
26	1625	TA	CP	TA10B and TA13 now in this loc	TF		
27	1630	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 468705	TF		
28	1631	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 378678	TF		
29	1639	V	CP	Loc C/S 13 - 484687, 62 - 488667 Ni Locs	TF		
30	1730	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 441691, 23 - 468705 Ni Locs	TF		
31	1810	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 378678 Ni Loc	TF		
32	1905	TF	CP	AO Request 655 RF Coy - E: 41 - 44, N: 72 - 75 Time 260600 to 261700	Clear		
33	2130	B	CP	C/S 23 report a light on a bearing of 0400 distance not known			

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1	0610	V	CP	Loc C/S 13 - 484687, 62 - 488667	TF		
2	0625	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 398699, 33 - 419692	TF		
3	0630	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 441691, 23 - 468705	TF		
4	0655	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 378678	TF		
5	0820	B	CP	C/S 23 have civilians 100M from their loc, sending out a patrol			
6	0842	B	CP	Ref ser 5, 2 adults and 2 children. They had passes and been sent on there way	TF		
7	0914	B	CP	22 now in 20 loc	TF		
8	0928	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 383674	TF		
9	0935	B	CP	C/S23 has SA fire at a bearing of 5000Mils and 400 to 500M away	Check DT		
10	0946	DT	CP	We have no knowledge of SA fire	B Coy		
11	1009	B	CP	21 moving out/Roger			

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12	1026	C	CP	Loc C/S 33 - 427690	TF		
13	1031	B	CP	Loc C/S 23 - 465704	TF		
14	1110	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 467725	TF		
15	1133	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 403698	TF		
16	1137	TA	CP	TA11 back in TA1 loc			
17	1154	1154	CP	Departing on resup for C/S 33			
18	1221	TA	CP	TA12 now back in TA1 loc			
19	1222	CP	TF	VR Request 6/207 - E: 37 to 40, N: 72 72 to 75 Time 271200 to 271200			
20	1228	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 474726	TF		
21	1330	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 479725	TF		
22	1335	C	CP	Sending a patrol out west then north back along old Route 2 ETR 1630 to 1700 C/S 32C	Base Def		
23	1427	C	CP	Loc C/S 32 - 426683	TF		

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24	1535	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 403698, 33 - 423688	TF		
25	1605	TF	CP	We will require before 1600 daily, current loc of all sk sub units, PNL of all patrols, all contacts and rounds expended in last 24 hours	OPS OFFR		
26	1620	C	CP	Loc C/S 31 - 403698, 33 - 421687 PNL	TF		
27	1621	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 479725, 23 - 465706 PNL	TF		
28	1622	D	CP	Loc c/s 41 - 383674 PNL	TF		
29	1623	V	CP	Loc C/S 13 - 484687, 62 - 483668 PNL	TF		
30	1730	TA	CP	C/S TA11 now moving to Ni Loc			
31	1815	TA	CP	TA11 now in Ni Loc			
32			CP	V, B, C, D, PNL are now Ni Locs	TF		
33	1910	DT	CP	AO Request 626RF - E: 43 to 44, N: 81 to 83 Time 270600 to 271700	INFO ONLY		

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1	0826	CP	TF	VR 6/209: E 57-59, N 70-75. Time 281200-281400	CO/Ops to see		
2	0827	CP	TF	VR 6/210: E 40-42, N 74-79. Time 281000-281200.	CO/Ops to see		
3	0834	V	CP	62 - 477670.			
		C	CP	31 - 403698.			
4	0845	CP	1Tp	Road move Baria to Nui Dat. TA10A freq 43.45 (56N) will control move. TA11 & TA13 will be with TA10A.	ATOL adv Bushtangers to stand by.		
5	0915	TA1	CP	TA11 & 13 have made their RV and are on their way back. TA10B & 12 moving now.			
6	0928	TA1	CP	Back in this loc now. TA10B & 12 have married up with c/s 62.			
7	0930	D	CP	41 - 387677.			
		B	CP	21 - 482726.	TF		
8	0950	B	CP	21 - 483726 - element moving 300m NE, 23 - 459703.	TF		
9	0955	C	CP	c/s 31 in position and LZ secure.			
10	1010	TA1	CP	TA10B & 12 completed their task, back in this loc.			

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11	1023	C	CP	Serials complete 32 in location.			
12	1036	C	CP	32 - 403698.			
13	1038	B	CP	23 has clearing ptl out. 21 has Alpha ptl at 484727.			
14	1131	C	CP	32 - 401702, 33 - 421690.			
15	1132	D	CP	41 - 391662.			
16	1140	B	CP	23A - 452704, 21 - 483724.			
17	1230	B	CP	21 - 480917.			
18	1228	B	CP	21 - 480717.			
19	1330	B	CP	21 - 474715, 23A - 459698.	TF		
20	1434	62	CP	62 - 474668.			
		B	CP	21 - 469715.	TK	TF	
21	1543	C	CP	32 - 401702, 33 - 421690. Ni locs.	TF		
22	1555	D	CP	41 PNL - 391662.	TF		

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23	1600	D	CP	4A - 420674, 4B - 428677.	TF		
24	1603	B	CP	21 PNL - 469715, 23 PNL - 460703.	TF		
25	1600	V	CP	62 - 474668 PNL.	TF		
26	1610	A29	CP	3 VN sighted on Route 2 about 2 miles South on Western side of road. They appeared scared when sighted. They were wearing a mixture of military and civvie attire, items of GP type boots, webbing belts, shirts, and hats. These people were within small arms range of the road grid ref 384556 and behaving strangely.	LO at Baria consulted. VN in that area (Baria) not interested. Cav to detain, interpreter being flown to area to question.		
27	1655	CP	TA1	Reference 3 VN suspects detained by TA elements, are to be released in the location. TA elements and A29 are to return to this location now.	A29 adv to return with TA elements. Baria adv. TF monitored, incident report to follow.		
28	1715	98	23	Deputy Commander and D movements will visit 4 RAR Nui Dat at 280900.	CO/2IC/RPs TBA		
29	1725	B	CP	21 - 469715, 23 - 460703. Ni locs.	TF		
30	1745	C	CP	33 - 421690 - Ni loc.	TF		

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31	1752	TA12	CP	TA12, 19J departing on sight task//in position at Ni loc 1827H.	TF		
32	1815	CP	TF	Incident report: A. A29. B. 271610. C. 384556. D. 3 E. Mixed greens and khaki. Web belts, bush hats, unidentified combat boots, nil weapons. F. N/A G. Stat - moved away from area when observed by Possum. H. A29 observed 3 people acting suspiciously 200m E from Route 15, whilst engaging on a convoy protection task with TA13 and 10B. The people began moving away when Possum approached that area. They were halted and TA's covered them from the roadway. Baria was informed and approved intentions. Possum returned to ND for an interpreter team to question the suspects in situ. However on returning to that location the CO ordered their release and all alls to return to ND because of the lateness of the hour. When Possum ceased observation the suspects immediately			

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32	(Cont'd)			vanished. It was noted that 2 had apparent North Vietnamese characteristics. There was was a freshly erected hut in the area which served no apparent purpose, it is a possibility that this was an OP for activities on Route 15.		Baria were contacted, they stated they were not interested and would take no action.	
33	1859	D	CP	4A - 431677, 4B - 430675.			
34	1940	TF	CP	VR 309: 245560 to 265560 to 274555 to 274540 to 250550. Time 0800-1000. VR 310: E 40-42, N 74-79. 1000-1200. VR 311: E 57-59, N 70-75. Time 1200-1400.		Clear Clear	
35	2105	CP	TF	Further to Incident Report: When A29s report was received Baria (LO) was passed information - however replied that they were not interested and intended to take no action.			
36	2220	TA1	CP	Report figure of one man with what appeared to be a rifle in the vic of the old PX enclosure - think he may be trying to find entry point//can you bring white light to bear//possibly//you may use white light if in your past experience you consider it would be of advantage.		V Coy and Base Def adv of situation.	

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1	0611	4	OA	4A/4B moving back to the ND loc.			
2	0611	1	OA	Locstat C/S 13 - 484687 62 - 474668	TF advised		
3	0615	4	OA	Locstat C/S 41 - 391662	TF		
4	0620	3	OA	Locstat C/S 32 - 401702 33 - 421690	TF		
5	0640	2	OA	Locstat C/S 21 - 469715 23 - 460703	TF		
6	0642	BARIA TF		Contact report Grid 473479 TIME : 280410 4 sampans 80 metres off beach. FSB CARMEN fired rounds results to follow.	CO/OPS/IO to see.		
7	0726	B	CP	C/S 2 loc N/C			
		V	CP	C/S 1 loc N/C			
		D	CP	C/S 41 - 391662			
		C	CP	C/S 3 locs N/C			
8	0820	C	CP	Boundaries clearance request: A. C/S 33			

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9	(Cont)			B. 417710 to 442707 C. 290830 to 311500			
					Grids changed to	TF Log Serial 18	
10	0837	TF	CP	AO request E: 49 - 50 N: 62 - 64 TIME: 280800 - 281800			
					Clear		
11	0842	CP	TF	Boundary clearance request A. C/S 33 B. 417714 to 430710 C. 290830 to 311500			
					Accept/refuse		
					CO/OPS/IO to see		
					C COY TBA		
12	0858	TF	CP	Boundary clearance request for C/S 33 (Serial 11). Negative clearance by GSO2. Too close to AP SUOI NGHE Village and their night ambush positions			
					C/S 33 advised		
					CO: Quite correct		
					We should not have		
					asked.		
13	0903	C	CP	32 - 401700 C/S 33 loc N/C			
					TF		
14	0910	TF	CP	The VN have set 2 people into AO KINGSGROVE. These key personnel went into AO KINGSGROVE this morning. Their task is to move to feature at GR382652. They did not get clearance from C/S 23, no means of comms with these people. They entered the AO at grid 410650 and moved in a westerley direction to the feature. Their task is to recce this area. These 2 people are carry-			

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				-ing .45 cal pistols and 2 grenades each. They have a slip of paper to identify themselves. They may already have split up, one to move to the NTH of the feature, the other to the STH. If you have troops in that area advise them of this.	D COY ADVISED		
				15XXXX0858XXXXXX Boundary clearance request for C/S 33 (Serial 11) Negative clearance			
15	1025	C	CP	C/S 32 - 396698 33 - N/C		TF	
16	1026	D V	CP CP	C/S 41 - 382670 C/S 1 N/C 21 - 456714 23 - N/C 24 - 452695		TF	
17	1050	B	V	Boundary clearance request. C/S 22 boundary clear. B 480693 490695 C 291000 291600 Advised 2 to pass info to 1.// clearance granted	CO/OPS/IO to see		
18	1130	D	CP	Loc 41 - 379669		TF	

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19	1132	C	CP	Loc C/S 32 - 389697 33 - N/C	TF		
20	1155	TF	CP	VR 309 KIOWA 237 flown by 2Lt Wright fired at from GR 262558. Suspect .30 cal. Nil casualty/damage. 281015.	CO/OPS/IO to see		
21	1215	CP	TF	Air task request A. Serial 4/211 B. Requesting unit 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN C. 32 pax D. UHIH E. Pick up point - Easyern end of C/S 11 - Luscombe F. 491687 C/S 13 5650 G1. 290900 G2. 290900 - 291000 G3. On completion G4. H. Direct I. Backload C/S 13 - 35 pax J. 1. PZ secure 2. LZ secure 3. Arty DF's to be fired 4. Require A/C stream to maintain LZ security. 5. This is an insertion of one C/S and the extract- ion of anothe r. 6. C/S 19 airborne as co-ordinator			

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				7. ALBATROSS leader to be briefed at PZ.			
22	1220	CP	TF	Air task request			
				A. 4/212			
				B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN			
				C. 26 pax			
				D. UH1H			
				E. PZ C/S43 freq 46.55			
				F. DZ 383666 C/S 41 Freq 46.55			
				G1. 291000			
				G2. 291000 - 291610			
				G3. On completion			
				H. Direct			
				I. Backload C/S 41 - 24 pax			
				J. 1. PZ secure			
				2. LZ secure			
				3. Arty on call. Req LFT on station.			
				4. This is an insertion of one C/S and extraction of another.			
				5. ALBATROSS leader to be briefed on No of A/C pad can take to decide whether possibility to stream A/C			
				6. C/S 49 airborne to co-ordinate.			

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23	1230	CP	TF	Air task request			
				A. 4/213			
				B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN			
				C. 27 pax			
				D. UH1H			
				E. PZ Luscombe Water Tower C/S 22 freq: 58.65			
				F. LZ 484695 C/S 22 Freq 58.65			
				G1. 291100			
				G2. Earliest 291100 latest 291200			
				G3. On completion			
				H. Direct			
				I. Nil			
				J. 1. PZ secure			
				2. LZ insecure LFT required			
				3. Arty prep to be fired. LFT prep req H - 5 to H hour			
				4. C/S 29 airborne to co-ordinate			
				5. ALBATROSS leader will be briefed at PZ.			
24	1230	C	CP	C/S 30,31,33 N/C C/S 32 - 389695	TF		
25	1330	B	CP	C/S 20, 21, 22, 23 N/C 23A - 281600	TF		
26	1400	B DEF CP		V Coy gun reports a SA round bearing 1600m range 250m. MFC Trainee's report SA round bearing 2800. Range 400m	NFI		

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27	1423	TF	CP	VR 311 - No sign of movt except elephants in E corner of Op area.			
28	1429	B	CP	C/S 20, 22, 23 N/C 21 - 456712	TF		
29	1431	C	CP	C/S 31, 30, 33 N/C C/S 32 - 389695	TF		
30	1540	C	CP	C/S 33 - 421690 32 - 389695	TF		
31	1545	V	CP	C/S 13 - 484687	TF		
32	1545	TA1	CP	TA 10B, 11, 12 moving to C/S 62 Loc. C/S TA11 will transport 62 to this loc. TA10B and TA 12 to establish AP at 494669			
33	1550	CP	TF	VR 6/214 E: 57 - 60 N: 67 - 70 TIME: 291000 - 29 1200 VR 6/215 E: 35 - 38 N: 64 - 67 TIME: 291400 - 291600			
34	1550	D	CP	C/S 4A - 422674 PNL 4B - 425679 PNL 41 - 379670 N/L	TF		

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35	1557	B	CP	C/S 21 - 456712 N/L 23 - 460703 N/L	TF		
36	1630	TA1	CP	TA11 C/S 62 moving back to this loc.			
37	1631	V	CP	C/S 62 back at this loc.	TF		
38	1703	TA1	CP	TA10B - 488667	TF		
39	1710	B	CP	N/L confirmed as was proposed			
40	1745	DUC	THAHN TF	Contact report. A. Contact PRU B. 281720 C. 474754 D. 2 E. Delete F. Nil G. Stationery after contact moved SE. H. PRU patrol observed 2 VC talking to children cow herders. VC engaged patrol on withdrawal. Poss- ibly I.D. Branch BINH BA Party Chapter.			
41	1800	B	C	Boundary clearance for C/S 23 E: 440 - 700 N: 442 - 706 TIME: 290800-0930	CO/OPS/IO to see. OPS OFTR advised ATOLL advsied		

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1	0730	C	CP	C/S 32 DUSTOFF required 2. 389695 3. A. Routine B. 1 sitting C. Suspected appendicitis 4. A. 80D C/S 32 D. Secure F. Yes G. Smoke			
2	0755	C	CP	C/S 3 loc N/C	TF		
3	0831	C	CP	DUSTOFF complete Inbound VUNG TAU	TF		
4	0831	B	CP	C/S 2 loc N/C			
		C	CP	C/S 3 loc N/C			
		D	CP	C/S 41 - 380672			
		V	CP	C/S 51 loc N/	TF		
5	0915	V	CP	C/S 13 loc 491687	TF		
6	0930	B	CP	C/S 21 loc N/C			
				C/S 23 - 444701	TF		
7	0938	V	CP	C/S 11 - 491687			

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7 (Cont)				13 loc - 447680			
		D	CP	C/S 41 N/C			
		C	CP	32 loc N/C	TF		
				33 Loc - 419693			
8	0940	V	CP	Air task request 4/211 complete	TF		
9	1001	CP	TF	A. 285			
				B. 4 RAR/NZ (ANZAC) BN			
				C. 1 Pax 1 sortie			
				D. KIOWA			
				E. PZ E.F. KXXX C/S 95B			
				F. LZ VAN KIEP C/S not known - freq not known			
				G1 301000			
				G2 ET 300830 LT 301100			
				G3 On completion			
				H Direct			
				I 1 pax at 1500			
				J Member required to recce ranges at VAN KIEP			
10	1025	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 437678			
				43 - 380672	TF		
11	1030	D	CP	Air task request 4/212 complete	TF		

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12	1025	D	CP	Loc C/S 41 - 437678	TF		
13	1030	B	CP	Loc C/S 21 - 460706, 23 - 440690	TF		
15	1034	C	CP	Loc C/S 33 - 416698	TF		
16	1056	B	CP	C/S 23 complete in this loc	TF		
17	1118	TA1	CP	TA12 moving on task now			
18	1122	B	CP	C/S 22 on the ground			
19	1137	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 485695	TF		
20	1150	C	CP	Loc C/S 33 - 416699	TF		
21	1225	B	CP	Loc C/S 22 - 487697	TF		
22	1227	V	CP	11 - 494688.	TF		
23	1432	D	CP	43 - 377667.	TF		
24	1435	B	CP	22 - 484706.	TF		

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25	1440	CP	TF	VR Request 6/216: E 32-35, N 69-72. Time 301000-1200			
				" " 7/217: E49-52, N 69-72. Time 301400-1600.	IO TBA		
26	1500	TA1	CP	TA11 moving on task now.	TF		
27	1520	TF	CP	Bushrangers departing at 1530 to engage target at grid 532702.	Ops adv		
28	1525	TA12	CP	TA12 moving on task now.	TF		
29	1540	D	CP	43 - 378657.			
30	1550	TA1	CP	TA12 moving back to this loc.			
31		C	CP	32 - 389695, 33 - 416699. Ni locs.			
32	1615	TA1	CP	TA12 back in this loc now.	TF		
33	1630	TA1	CP	TA12 found 4 hammocks near a fire place that was about 24 hours old at grid 496671 plus 50 Aust ration tins plus 3 adults and 3 kids.	OC TA1 to see		
34	1645	V	CP	12 - 498672.	TF		
35	1700	D	CP	Ni locs proposed 4A - 420672, 4B - 429679.	TF		

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36	1730	D	CP	43 - 381658 PNL.	TF		
37	1731	B	CP	21 - 460706 Ni loc, 22 - 484706.	TF		
38	1735	V	CP	12 - 498672, Ni loc. 11 - 494688 niloc.	TF		
39	1745	Seagull	CP	Ptl forecast Sp Coy 4 RAR/NZ(ANZAC) Bn:			
				A. Patrol serial	43A		
				B. Sub unit	Tracker Pl 61		
				C. Type	Fighting		
				D. Task	Recce, ambush		
				E. Date/Time out	300990 Oct		
				F. Date/Time In	051030 Oct		
				G. Route	Areas D, E		
				H. Strength	Platoon		
				I. Means of extraction	Foot/APC		
				K. Resupply date	-		
				L. Remarks	Transit and boundary clearances to be obtained.		
				Insertion Point: 410685			
40	1810	TF	CP	VR 313: E57-60, N 67-70. 0800-1000 at grid 579666. 2 very old bunkers sighted but nil signs of recent movement at 582674 an area 100 x 100 was sighted with old bunkers also and tunnels also a large CP			

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1	0610	D	CP	43 - 381658.	TF		
2	0616	C	CP	32 - 389695, 33 - 416699.	TF		
3	0620	V	CP	11 - 494688, 12 - 498672.	TF		
4	0627	B	CP	21 - 460706, 22 - 484706.	TF		
5	0641	D	CP	Bearing 6400 distance 3000m approx flare observed.	AP Soui Nghi		
6	0740	D	CP	43 - 376663.	TF		
7	0840	TF	CP	Convoy arriving Baria 0850 and requires escort from there to your loc//We need early warning of these tasks. We can't provide escort until later than that time. Get convoy to stay at Baria until escort arrives.			
8	0850	TF	CP	Req boundary clearance of AO for 302 RF: E 49-50, N 62-64. Time 300800-301800.	Clear, CO/Ops/II to see		
9	0923	TA1	CP	TA41 & TA13 have departed on tasks.			
10	0926	B	CP	21 - 459703, 22A - 486705	TF		
		C	CP	32 - 391700, 33 - 424699.			

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11	0940	V	CP	11 - 494688, 12 - 498672.	TF		
12	0943	TA1	CP	TA41 on way back now.			
13	0950	TA1	CP	TA13 completed task and moving back to this loc			
14	1005	TA1	CP	TA13 back in this loc.			
15	1010	SP	CP	61 - 410679.			
16	1037	CP	LO	D Coy receiving a number of rounds SA from area behind old hospital.	9E adv, Ops to see CO adv		
17	1038	C	CP	32x- 392702, 33 - 426699.			
18	1043	CP	LO	TA elm in old engr stores area have sighted man in old hospital area. What would you like us to do// Wait out//The soldier has been recognized and is being apprehended.	9E adv, Ops to see CO adv		
19	1045	D	CP	43 - 374667.			
20	1045	SP	CP	61 - 408787.			
21	1110	TA1	CP	TA1 & 41 now leaving on their task.			

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22	1130	TA1	CP	TA1 & 41 completed their task, returning to this loc.			
23	1131	C	CP	32 - 392704, 33 - 426699.			
24	1131	B	CP	22 - 483677 483714.			
25	1133	61	CP	61 - 405677.			
26	1139	D	CP	43 - 373670.			
27	1145	CP	61	61 to stop and establish comms with your higher//I am in open ground, I would like to get into a more suitable posn, before stopping.//Move to location you were talking about, call us when you are ready to flick to other means.			
28	1147	TA	CP	TA1 & 41 back in this loc.			
29	1235	B	CP	22 - 485714.			
30	1243	Tracker	CP	(61 - 404677.	TF		
31	1244	C	CP	32 0 393707, 33 - 426699.	TF		

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32	1315	TF	CP	Bunker system at grid YS 268603, request immed A/S no people observed. VR sighted system.	Overheard from	35 to 98 NFA	
33	1317	TF	CP	VN in contact at 273563. 945 RF Coy contacted 1 squad of VC. Enemy withdrew East.	Cps Offr informed		
34	1428	C	CP	32 - 394709.	TF		
35	1429	B	CP	22 - 482718.	Plotted		
36	1435	Tracker	CP	Located Oxcart track at 404677 running E-W. Camping on it and patrolling about it.	Ops/IO		
37	1530	B	CP	22 - 481718.	TF		
38		V	CP	11 - 494688 Ni loc. 12 - 498672 Ni loc.	TF		
39	1632	TA1	CP	PNL's TA13&10B - 404648.	TF		
40	1645	C	CP	A. Boundary clearance for c/s 33. B. 437697 - 426690. C. 310800 until further notice. A. Transit clearance c/s 33. B. AO B Coy C. 432695.			

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40	(Cont'd)			D. 434684.			
				E. 311200-211500.			
				F. to move c/s 3 loc.			
41	1708	C	CP	Boundary and transit clearance for c/s 33 has been given by B Coy.	Plotted		
42	1728	B	CP	Nilocs 21 - 459703, 22 - 481718.	TF		
43	1730	D	CP	43 - 373670 Ni loc.	TF		
44	1740	SP	CP	61 - 405677.	TF		
45	1755	TA1	CP	TA's moving on known task.			
46	1747	32	98	At grid 284655 10 VC were sighted.	Long Son Island		
47	1816	D	CP	1 round landed on bunker 419 from approx old 8 Fd hospital area.	9E adv		
48	1900	TA1	CP	TA1 back in Nui Dat.			
49	1945	TF	CP	VR 323: E 32-37, N 67-69. Time 12 00 -1400	Clear D Coy, TF adv, CO/Ops/IO to see		

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1	7002	TA1	CP	TA13&10B now in this loc.	TF		
2	0827	D	CP	43 - 373673.	TF		
		B	CP	22A - 485722.			
3	0843	CP	TF	VR 6/220: E 34-39, N 74-76. Time 011200-1400. VR 6/221: E 55-60, N 74-76. Time 011000-1200.			
4	0930	Tracker	CP	61C - 405672.			
		C	CP	32 - 393712, 33 - 428698.			
		D	CP	43 - 375681.			
5	1027	C	CP	32 - 394712, 33 - 423695.	TF		
6	1030	B	CP	21 - 452704.	TF		
7	1120	61	CP	61C back in 60's loc.	TF		
8	1130	B	CP	22 - 474720.	TF		
9	1220	C	CP	33 married up with 30.	TF		
10	1300	61	CP	61B leaving 61 and moving East.			
11	1325	61	CP	61B - 400673.	TF		

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12	1335	TA1	CP	TA12&19J - 456717 PNL.					
13	1423	CP	4Tp	Caymobile request TA32/71. C/S 23 drop off in AO 'W' 011030H Nov.					
14	1331	B	CP	22 - 461715.			TF		
15	1433	61	CP	61B - 397674.			TF		
16	1527	C	CP	31 - 428696.					
17	1530	SP	CP	61B - 395675.					
18	1532	B	CP	22 - 463723.					
19	1540	A28	CP	VR OC C Coy area 3 sisters - 3864-3865 on track leading N various footprints of US combat boots, jym boots, plastic sandals towards 3 sisters track 24hours old approx 20 people also ox cart tracks W of 3 sister leading into grid 380650 under bamboo numerous tracks on southern side of 3 sisters.			CO/Ops/BC/IO to see D Coy adv, Ops adv BC adv, IO adv		
20	1610	SP	CP	61 Ni loc - 405677.					
21	1616	C	CP	32 - Ni loc - 394712.			TF		

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22	1620	TA1	CP	PNLs TA12,19J - 456717, 4A - 429679, 4B - 425675.	TF		
23	1630	SP	CP	61B O 399677.			
24	1712	C	CP	31 - Ni loc - 429693. 32 Ni loc - 394712,			
25	1725	SP	CP	61B - 403678.			
26	1730	B	CP	21 Ni loc - 452704, 22 Ni loc - 463723.	TF		
27	1735	A28	CP	From main track on East of feature, has branch which at Southern end of feature goes around to W of feature. There is fresh bamboo cut & looks as though there is tunnelling under bamboo. This position would have good observation of Baria and ND (vic 3864, 3865). Also about 400m from centre feature there is a shelter with about 4 or 5 bags of rice in it.	CO/Ops/IO to see Civil access area		
28	1755	TA1	CP	TA12 have left for Ni loc.			
29	1845	CP	61	is 61B strong enough to defend himself for the night// he is//you must endeavour to link up as in SOP.			
30	1706	61	CP	61B have joined up with 61.			
31	1920	61	CP	61 - 405677.	TF		

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