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S-2/S-3, 4th Bn 3d Inf		LZ DOTTIE BS629854		From		To	
				Hour	Date	Hour	Date
				0001	1 Jul 68	2400	1 Jul 68

ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
01	0001	(U)	JOURNAL OPENED		
02	0100	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
03	0200	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde	JPM
			WINSTON GOZOULES, CPT Armor, OIC		
04	0300	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
05	0400	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde	JPM
			JOHN F REIGER, CPT Sig, OIC		
06	0500	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.		
07	0600	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde	JPM
08	0625	(C)	Co D ambush elements closed in on LZ Buff at 0620 hrs w/neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	JPM
09	0645	(C)	Co B ambush elements closed in on LZ Dot- tie at 0640 hrs w/neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	JPM
10	0700	(C)	Co C ambush elements closed in on Co NDP at 0649 hrs w/neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	JPM
			EDWARD S BROWN, CPT Inf, OIC		
11	0705	(C)	Co C 2d Plat & 3/E-1 Cav closed in on Co NDP at 0700 hrs w/neg results.	Bde, M, CO, S3	JPM
12	0710	(C)	All unit loc same except for Recon Plat ambush patrol, BS694974.	M, CO, S3	JPM
13	0745	(C)	All unit loc same except for Recon Plat	Bde, M, CO, S3	JPM

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Name and Grade of Officer on Duty JOHN P McANAW, MAJ Inf	Signature <i>John P McAnaw</i>
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	IN	OUT			
13	cont	(C)	ambush patrol which closed in on LZ Paradise.		
14	0748	(C)	MAJ McAnaw, Bn S3, conducting aerial recon observed 6 newly dug graves vic BS549855.	CO	JPM
15	0900	(C)	All unit loc remain the same.	CO,S3	JPM
16	0935	(C)	Hwy #1 in 4-3 Inf AO is cleared North & South.	Bde,CO,S3,MP	JPM
17	1000	(C)	At 0855 hrs Co A commenced movement fr LZ Bronco to LZ Buff. 1st lift PZ 0855 hrs; LZ 0915 hrs. Co D commenced movement fr LZ Buff to Chu Lai 4-3 Tns. 1st lift PZ 0930 hrs; LZ 0945 hrs.	Bde,CO,S3	JPM
18	1010	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	JPM
19	1025	(C)	Co A 2d lift PZ Bronco 1003 hrs; LZ Buff 1023 hrs. Co D 2d lift PZ Buff 1025 hrs; LZ Chu Lai 1040 hrs.	Bde,CO,S3	JPM
20	1100	(C)	All units neg Sitrep, loc same.	CO,S3	JPM
21	1130	(C)	Msg fr Arty Observer on Nui Tron: An aircraft went down vic BS395795. Presently coordinating for a helicopter to check area of crash site.	Bde,M,CO,S3	JPM
22	1145	(C)	Ref Item #21: Div PAC Acft searched area; reports that CH-47 helicopter and UH-1B helicopter had a mid-air collision.	Bde,CO,S3	JPM
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JOHN P McANAW, MAJ Inf			John P. Lam		

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			Hour 2400	Date 1 Jul 68	
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INI- TIALS
	IN	OUT			
22	Cont	(C)	Presently under control by 5-46 Inf.		
23	1200	(C)	Bn loc same, SITREP neg.	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
24	1210	(C)	Co A 3d lift fr BRONCO to BUFF, PZ 1135 hrs	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
			LZ 1157 hrs; Co D 3d lift fr BUFF to CHU		
			IAI, PZ 1158 hrs - LZ 1208 hrs.		
25	1300	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DMD
26	1400	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
27	1500	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DMD
28	1600	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
29	1630	(C)	Rec weather rept fr Bde.	CO,S3,S2 Sgt	DMD
30	1700	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DMD
31	1710	(C)	All elements at Stand-down at this time.	CO,S3	DMD
32	1800	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
33	1900	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	CO,S3	DMD
34	2000	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
			JOHN P McANAW, MAJ Inf, OIC		
35	2025	(C)	Bde S-3 Air rept acft shedule for 02 Jul	CO,S3 Air	DMD
			68 as fol: C&C & Util arr 0700 hrs; 2d		
			Util 0830-1400 hrs; 2 sorties CH47 at LZ		
			BUFF 0800 hrs, 2 sorties LZ PARADISE 1100		
			hrs, 6 sorties LZ DOTTIE 1300 hrs.		
36	2030	(C)	Co B amb elements dprt LZ DOTTIE for amb	Bde,CO,S3	DMD
			site.		
Name and Grade of Officer on Duty			Signature		
DANIEL M DORE, 1LT Inf			<i>Daniel M Dore</i>		



SECRET

4th Bn 3d Inf

301900H Jun - 011900 Jul 68

UNIT LOCATIONS:

Co A...IZ Buff  
Co B...IZ Dottie  
Co C...IZ Paradise  
Co D...Chi Lai

Co E(-)...IZ Dottie  
Recon Plat...IZ Paradise  
3/E-1 Cav...IZ Paradise

OPERATION SUMMARY:

Co A moved from IZ Bronco to IZ Buff commencing at 0855 hrs and terminating at 1157 hrs; will conduct two squad size ambushes; tomorrow will move to Chi Lai Trains area.

Co B secured IZ Dottie and conducted two squad size ambushes; continued to prepare for movement North.

Co C remained vicinity IZ Paradise and conducted three squad size ambushes; conducted local patrols vic IZ Paradise awaiting movement North.

Co D secured IZ Buff and conducted two squad size ambushes; moved from IZ Buff to Chi Lai beginning at 0930 hrs and terminating at 1208 hrs.

Co E(-) remained on IZ Dottie.

Recon Plat remained on IZ Paradise and conducted one squad size ambush.

3/E-1 Cav remained with Co C.

CONTACT SUMMARY:

0748 hrs vic B3549855 C & G helicopter observed six newly dug rectangular graves.

PLANS SUMMARY:

Co A will move from IZ Buff to Chi Lai in preparation for movement North.

Co B will move by convoy from IZ Dottie to Chi Lai Trains area .

Co C will move by helicopter from location vicinity IZ Paradise to Chi Lai Trains area.

Co D will remain at Chi Lai Trains area in preparation for movement North.

Co E(-) will move by convoy to Chi Lai Trains.

Recon Plat will move to Chi Lai with Co C.

3/E-1 Cav will move by naval craft from IZ Paradise to Chi Lai commencing 0600 hrs. Then proceed to Duc Pho.

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MISSIONS FIRED	
Observed.....	01
Unobserved.....	01
W&I.....	12
TOTAL	<u>14</u>

AMMO EXPENDED	
HE.....	62
WP.....	00
Illum.....	00
TOTAL	<u>62</u>

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