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S-2/S-3 4-3 Inf		HILL 54 BT398145		From	To
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		0001	10 Aug 68	2400	10 Aug 68
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
01	0001	(C)	Journal Opened.		
02	0100	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	Bn
03	0200	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M
04	0205	(C)	Foxhole strength rept to Bde.	CO,S3	M
05	0300	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M
06	0400	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M
07	0500	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M
08	0555	(C)	Bn unit strengths: HHC 45, A 98, B 96, D 125, E 63.	CO,S3	M
09	0600	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	Bn
10	0600	(C)	At 0530 hrs Hvy Mort rept called to Bde.	Bde,CO,S3	M
11	0615	(C)	Co B 3d plat 1st sqd amb closed HILL 54.	Bde,CO,S3	M
12	0620	(C)	Co B 2d plat 1st sqd amb closed HILL 54.	Bde,CO,S3	Bn
13	0630	(C)	Co D 1st plat 1st sqd closed NDP.	Bde,CO,S3	M
14	0650	(C)	Co B 1st plat element dprt HILL 54 on asg mission.	Bde,CO,S3	Bn
15	0650	(C)	Co A amb element closed NDP.	Bde,CO,S3	M
16	0700	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	Bn
17	0710	(C)	Co A lead element dprt NDP on asg mission.		
18	0735	(C)	Co B 1st plat 1st sqd closed HILL 54.		
19	0740	(C)	Co A loc: Co(-) BT413085, 1st plat BT 416088, 3d plat BT414082.		
20	0755	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	Bn
21	0755	(C)	Co D 2d plat 1st sqd closed NDP 0745 hrs.		

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22	0820	(c)	Co A loc: BT417091.	CO,S3,M	Dm
23	0900	(c)	Bn SITREP neg, loc: Co A BT410098.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
24	1000	(c)	Bn SITREP neg, loc: Co A(-) BT410098, 1st plat BT408088, 2d plat BT402104, 3d plat BT408105.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
25	1055	(c)	Co A loc: 2d plat BT395112, 3d plat BT 397097.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
26	1056	(c)	Co D, BT513157, req DUSTOFF for 1 VN boy w/ brain concussion at 1030 hrs; completed at this time.	Bde,CO,S3	Dm
27	1100	(c)	Co B 1st plat loc: BT371135.	CO,S3,M	Dm
28	1155	(c)	Bn SITREP neg, loc changes: Co A 1st plat BT408085, 2d plat BT390114.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
29	1250	(c)	Bn SITREP neg, loc changes: Co B 1st plat BT3641140.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
30	1350	(c)	Bn SITREP neg, loc change: Co A 2d plat BT404103; Co B 1st plat BT3661147.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
31	1415	(c)	Co A, BT412098, req DUSTOFF for 1 US w/ fever and stomach cramps. Indiv: SPl Tommy Hunt. Completed 1425 hrs.	Bde,CO,S3,	Dm
32	1450	(c)	Bn SITREP neg, loc changes: Co A BT406- 103; Co B 1st plat closed on HILL 54 at 1425 hrs.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm
33	1600	(c)	Bn SITREP neg; Co A NDP loc BT405106.	Bde,CO,S3,M	Dm

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34	1700	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
35	1800	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
36	1900	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
37	1916	(C)	PF locations: BT 448114, 449107, 409124, 411128, 411125, 415117, 390115, 391161, 394168, 483139, 376120, 426110, 406084, 413153, 401111, 414159, 427147, 492139, 432142, 425141, 428138, 422135.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
38	1930	(C)	APCs on location at this time. <i>William C McAmis</i> WILLIAM C McAMIS, CPT Inf, OIC	CO,S3	M			
39	2000	(C)	Bn SITREP neg; loc changes: CAP Tms - BT317185, 304124, 336207, 349209, 374202, 340153, 323174, 323187, 323193, 319175, 328182; Co B 2d plat 1st sqd in psn BT 379174; Co D 3d plat 1st sqd in psn BT 430110.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
40	2130	(C)	Co A ambushes: 1st plat BT405101, 2d plat BT410101; 3d plat BT409105. Co D 2d plat 2d sqd amb in psn BT509131.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
41	2145	(C)	Co A CO rept light beam shining onto their psn. Checked w/Cav element on bridge - light was not from their location.	CO,S3	M			
42	2100	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	M			
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43	2121	(C)	CAP Tm 124 lost contact with patrol; req 1 rd illum on BT442081. illum fired.	CO,S3	<i>Dm</i>
44	2150	(C)	Co A rept possible probing by 1 VC on W side of perimeter. Co A threw 2 hand gren down the side of the hill & heard indiv running back down the hill.	Bde,CO,S3	<i>Dm</i>
45	2200	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same.	Bde,CO,S3	<i>Dm</i>
46	2230	(C)	MAJ McAnaw, Bn S3, rec msg fr MAJ Cowling S-3 Sec 198th LIB: Be prepared to send part or all of one rifle Co to undisclosed destination at 111200H Aug 68 or early on the morning of 12 Aug 68.	CO,S3,Co B	<i>Dm</i>
47	2241	(C)	APCs of H-17th Cav on bridge to the S of HILL 54 rept observed flashlights moving away fr & toward the river approx 400m E of their pos. Notified Bde; Bde will con- tact river boat N and try to get boats in the area.	CO,S3	<i>Dm</i>
48	2255	(C)	Bn Aid Sta req DUSTOFF for 1 US (line nr 74, HHC; SP5 Sheets Tracy) w/temp 105°. Pickup site: Hill 54. IZ marked w/ flashlights E & W and 1 flare 100m from IZ DUSTOFF Completed 2327 hrs.	Bde,CO,S3	<i>Dm</i>
49	2400	(C)	Bn SITREP neg, loc same. Journal Closed.	Bde,CO,S3	<i>Dm</i>
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HILL 54 (BT396145) RVN
101500 H Aug 68
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FRAGORD 7-68 (4-3 Inf) to OPORD 2-68 (198th LTB)

Reference: No change.

Task Org: No change

1. MISSION: No change.
2. Co A establishes NDP at BT405106; sets 3 night ambushes at BT405101, 410101 & 409105; Commencing 110630 H Aug 68, moves to N, conducting recon in force.
3. Co B secures HILL 54; improves defensive positions; Commencing 110030 H Aug 68, establishes cordon and searches Diem Pho(1) Hamlet (BT399147) with 1 plat Co D; returns to HILL 54 upon completion of search; provides 1 squad for security of BA BAU Bridge.
4. Co C: Stand-down at CHU LAI.
5. Co D secures LAAM site & OP 10; sets 1 night ambush at BT504138; provides 1 plat for cordon & search operation with Co D (See para 3.); provides 1 squad for security of ONG BAU Bridge.
6. Co E(-) remains at HILL 54; Recon Platoon moves to CHU LAI for Stand-down.
7. 3(-)/H-17 Cav: No change.

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Annex A - Operation Overlay

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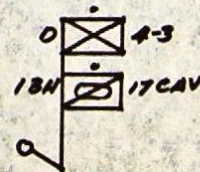
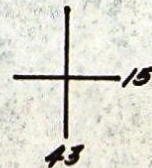
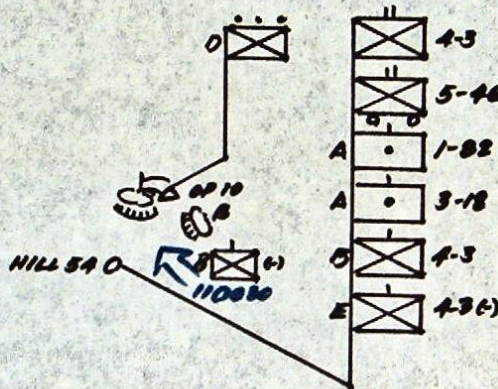
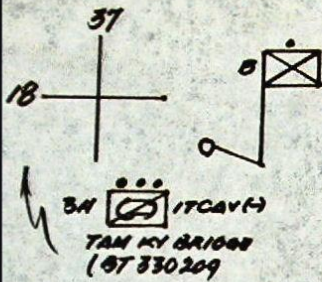
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