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S-2/S-3 4th Bn 3rd Inf AVDF-BARK			LZ SAN JUAN BS 635382		FROM		TO	
					HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
					0001	16 Jan 71	2400	16 Jan 71
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.			ACTION TAKEN		INITIALS
	IN	OUT						
01	0001		(U) Bpened Journal:					RP
02	0001		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's as follows: A Co CP 517398, 1-523402, 530397, 2-522393, 520393, 3-510395, 512390, C Co CP 638326, 1-656325, 652322, 653336, 2-Bronco, 638339, 3-643325, 639322, D Co CP 653460, 1-635458, 637454, 2-654471, 633469, 3-Bronco, RCN 618463, 615469, MAP's A Co 518398, 517397, 515398, 523403, 522402 524402, 528401, 528398, 519393, 524392, 521393, 519393, 521394, 510396, 514387, 514391, 515388, 515388, 514392, C Co 639327, 637326, 636325, 657325, 656324, 656326, 652323, 654337, 652335, 653337, 639339, 637339, 638338, 644324, 644325, 642326, 640323, 639321, 638320, D Co 654460, 652459, 653461, 654461, 653459, 652461, 652460, 654459, 632458, 635459, 632455, 630455, 630458, 630460, 637455, 638455, 638454, 638453, 634472, 634470, 635471, 632468, 633467, 634469, RCN 617464, 619463, 618466, 613468.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
03	0100		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
04	0200		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
05	0300		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
06	0400		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
07	0500		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
08	0600		(U) 4.2 Report to Bde, 3 msm 73 H&E Bde/Cunha. Late Entry: 15 Jan 4.2 Report 25 scheduled fires, 100 HE.			Do, Bde, S-3, CO		RP
09	0600		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO, Bde		JI
10	0600		(U) SSG Aldridge replaced SSG Payton as DMC.					JI
11	0600		(U) Fr Bde/Lipke: Weather Report: Fair, partly cloudy, winds from the E to SE at 12-15 knots. Temp H-79 L-69 Hum: H-90 L-70 Outlook little change.			DO, S-2, S-3, CO		JI
12	0700		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.			M, Arty, DO		JI
13	0720		(C) Fr Bde/Tate: Received from Bde AO Events.			Group 4 ROYSA		JI

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14	0730		(U) Cpt Jacquemin replaced Lt Fogle as Duty Officer.			JI	
15	0800		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same. Passed to Bde/Tate	M, Arty, DO, Bde		JI	
16		0815	(C) 1. Req LOH for VR 171400 to 171600. Report to SE pad at 1400. 2. Req resupply birds for period 171030 to 171230 and 171430 to 171630. Report to SE pad at 1030 and 1430. To Bde/Tate	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
17		0830	(U) Req 5 hook sorties to move 2 connexes and ammunition from SJH to location of Jump CP (to be announced). Hooks report to SJH at 171400. Passed to Bde/Tate	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
18		0850	(C) Req CA of B Co DTG 171000, total pax 70, 4 slicks, 1 AMC, 2 guns, Freq 55.35. Passed to Bde/Tate	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
19		0850	(C) Req CA of Forward CP DTG 171130, total pax 53, 4 slicks, 1 AMC, 2 guns, Freq 55.35. Passed to Bde/Tate	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
20		0850	(C) Req Ext of C Co, DTG 171230, total pax 96, 4 slicks, 1 AMC, 2 guns, Freq 55.35. Passed to Bde/Tate	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
21	0900		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, loc's same.	M, Arty, DO, Bde		JI	
22	0915	0925	(C) Co C 3-2 at time 0905 at grid 638323 they found a storage hootch 3x3x3 ft made of elephant grass with a stick floor. It was in good condition and had been there a few months. It was located on a NW-SE trail having recent use. Inside the hootch was 10 lbs of unpolished rice, 1 81 mm cannister full of unpolished rice, a 2 lb bag of finished corn, and 5 lbs of salt. Also in the hootch was a 1917 Winchester bolt action rifle SN 359589 in operating condition, a clip with 5 rds of ammo for it and 1 M-60 round. Weapon will be backhauled to SJH tomorrow. Rest will be destroyed. Passed to Bde/Dyer	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
23	0915		(C) Fr Bde/Nettles: APD mission 34 DTG 170600 to 171800 UL 6345 LR 7140.	M, DO, S-2		JI	
24		0935	(C) Passed to Bde/Nettles Daily Operational Plans.	DO, S-3, Bde		JI	
25	0945		(C) Fr Bde/McLeod: Recon's CA will be conducted in 45-60 minutes.	DO, S-3		JI	

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ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
	IN	OUT			
26		0950	(C) Refer to item 17: Req change in time of hook request for CA of Foward CP. Time desired: 171200. Passed to Bde/Annes	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
27	0955	1008	(C) Co D 2-1 at time 0955 at grid 634471 spotted 3 VC moving toward them on a trail. They opened fire on them when they were within 39 meters. They had no weapons they were carrying packs. Element is following a blood trail now. Passed to Bde/Dyer	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
28	1000		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 2-1 524393, 3-2 512388, Co C 3-1 649326, 3-2 638323. Passed to Bde/Nettles	M, Arty, DO, Bde	JI
29	1015	1020	(C) Follow up spot report from D Co 2-1. Element has 2 VC CIA and have captured what they believe to be a VC hospital. The VC are females, one of them is wounded. We are calling a dustoff and securing the area. Passed to Bde/Moore. Refer to item 27.	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
30		1020	(C) Col Insani arrived at SJH at 1015. Passed to Bde/Gilroy	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
31	1015	1045	(C) Co D requests dustoff for one VN with extensive small arms wounds. Urgent dust off, will need jungle penetrator, Freq 67.55, Dustoff 80. Time requested 1015 time completed 1045. Passed to Bde/Dyer Refer to item 29.	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
32	1040	1055	(C) Relay to BATO present location and night location of 69 field element to BaTo/ by Cpt Jacquemin.	DO, S-3, BaTo	JI
33		1050	(C) Col Insani left SJH at 1050. Passed to Bde/Dyer	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
34	0959	1102	(C) Received RATT message from Bde. Message No. 01036, Subject: Combat Operations and Retaining. Ack recpt to Bde/Dyer	DO, S-2, S-3, Bde	JI
35	1100		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co C 3-2 639332.	M, Arty, DO	JI
36	1115	1115	(C) Delay requests for the CA's and hook sorties for 24 hours. Passed to Bde/McLend	DO, S-3, Bde	JI
37		1110	(C) Need SOI change for 17 Jan and a set of inserts covering 14 days for the Kac wheel by 1900 hrs tonight. These are for Minh Long. Passed to Cpt Schultz.	DO, S-3, Commo	JI

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			FROM			TO
			HOURLY DATE	HOURLY DATE	HOURLY DATE	HOURLY DATE
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	IN	OUT				
38	1055	1110	(C) Second follow up from D Co 2-1, refer to item 27. KCS talked to female VC CIA and said that she claimed there was a hospital in the vic where D 4/3 fired at 17 people. (approx grid 614471) two days ago. Passed to Bde/Dyer. Late Entry		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
39	1045	1130	(C) Late Entry: Fr Bde/Nettles; AO ext for ARVN LRRP team 180800 to 221800 UL 565510 LR 605480. Passed to Minh Long for approval. Approved by Minh Long/MPZ. Says it is in Quang Ngai because it is in the edge of their AO. Passed to Bde/Rodland		Minh Long DO, S-3, Bde	
40		1140	(C) Req change in LOH request for 17 Jan. Req LOH for VR during period 170930-171030 and 171430-171530. Report to SJH at 0930 and 1430. Passed to Bde/Nettles		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
41	1200		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 1-1 524399, 1-2 526400, 2-2 519393, 3-1 511397, 3-2 513389, Co C 1-3 653334. Passed to Bde/Nettles		M, Arty, DO, Bde	JI
42		1210	(C) 1st PZ for Recon at 1209, 1st LZ for Recon at SJH 1216. Passed to Bde/Dyer		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
43	1217	1103	(C) Col Coast left SJH at 1103, arrived back at SJH at 1120. Col Coast left again on AMC bird for extraction of Recon at 1145 and returned to SJH at 1217.		DO, S-3	JI
44		1225	(C) Col Insani is leaving D Co CP location at this time. Passed to Bde/Ames		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
45	1300		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 1-1 524395, 1-2 527401, 2-2 518394, 3-2 513394, Co C 1-2 649326, 2-2 641338.		M, Arty, DO	JI
46	1320	1350	(C) Final follow up from D Co 2-1, refer to item 27. Element was moving down trail from NE-SW when they saw 3 VC at 30 meters, they opened fire. The VC evaded but they followed a blood trail and found 2 VC hiding under a tree. Dustoff was called for the wounded one but she died before dustoff got there. The KIA was a female of military age. The VC CIA claims there were 10 VC in the group. The element searched the area and found 9 packs containing the following: various medical supplies, a stack of papers 1 ft high, 4 chicom fuses, 27 pair of black PJ's, 1 pair of crutches, cooking utensils, 2 NVA helmets, 1 chicom, several			
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	IN	OUT				
		(con't)	pieces of plastic, several pair of HCM sandals, and miscellaneous items they did not recognize. The medical supplies, the papers, the VC clothes, and equipment, and the VC CIA will be backhauled to SJH. The VC that evaded went to the SW and was a male wearing black PJ's. Passed to Bde/McGruder	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
47	1330	1335	(C) A Co 1-1 at time 1255 at grid 526402 while moving into an area where they saw smoke last night heard movement and fired it up. Results 1 VC female KIA. Passed to Bde/Dyer	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
48	1015	1112	(C) Late Entry: Fr Bde/Nettles, APD mission 37 DTG 170600 to 171800 UL 4664 LR 5157. Approved by Minh Long/MPZ. Passed to Bde/Rodland	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
49	1400		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 2-1 519394, 3-2 509386, Co C 1-3 655332. Passed to Bde/Rodland	M, Arty, DO, Bde	JI	
50	1400		(U) SFC Hunter replaced SSG Aldridge as DNGO.		JI	
51	1430		(C) Received Intell from Bde/Rodland.	S-2, S-3, DO	JI	
52	1430		(C) Fr Bde/Rodland: URI BS 651490, unidentified, 750 meters prox early afternoon. URI BS 410459 unidentified 1000 meters prox late morning. URI BS 410480 unidentified, 1000 meters prox late morning. URI BS 413455 Bn size, 750 meters prox, early morning. URI BS 447390 unidentified, 750 meters prox early morning. URI BS 461450 Bn size, 700 meter prox, early morning.	DO, S-2, S-3	JI	
53	1435		(C) Correction on item 27. They opened fire on them when they were within 30 meters.	DO, S-3	JI	
54	1500		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 1-1 523395, 2-1 518392, 2-2 516394, 3-1 508392, 3-2 510386, Co C 1-1 653328, 1-2 615322, 2-642388, 3-1 645329, 3-2 638323, Co D 1-2 638453.	M, Arty, DO	JI	
55	1500	1405	(C) Col Coast left for Bato at 1405 and returned to SJH at 1500. Passed to Bde/McLeod	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
56	1330	1415	(C) Fr Bde/Dyer: EOD team will be delayed till tomorrow. Location of 250 bomb is 653463. Location passed to Bde/McGruder.	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	

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57	1600		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 1-1 523394, 2-2 515395, 3-2 509385, Co C 2-1 643344, 2-2 638339, Co D 625476. Passed to Bde/Rodland		M, Arty, DO, Bde	JI
58	1615		(C) Gen Baldwin arrived at SJH at 1615.		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
59	1504	1535	(C) Co A 1-2 at time 1255 at grid 526402 were moving toward an area where they had seen smoke and fired Arty the night before. As they approached the hootch they saw movement and opened fire killing 1 VC/NVA wearing black PJ's and of military age. They investigated the area and heard movement in a tunnel. They threw in some smoke grenades to try to force the VC out. When they entered the tunnel, they found 1 VC/NVA female of military age, dead of apparent suffocation. The VC was wearing an NVA shirt and skirt. The hootch was 10x30x7 ft with a bomb shelter underneath. The bomb shelter was 15 ft down thru a 3x3 tunnel ending in a 6x6x4 ft room. Outside there were two fighting positions 2x2x3 and a bunker 5x5x6. There were trails in the area. Found in the hootch were 12 cylinders marked USAF Dispersal Bomb, some bananas and dates, a VC poncho and some baskets. Near the door they found blood spots and also inside the hootch they found some bloody gauze. Neither of the 2 KIA's had previous wounds. There were numerous punji stakes in the hut. There were no documents. The bomb casings and clothes will be backhauled to SJH. Everything else will be destroyed. Passed to Bde/Rodland		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
60	1630	1645	(C) Co D 1-2 at time 1630 at grid 634470 found 1 hootch 50 meters to N of 3 hootches found yesterday. They were approx 6 months old, size 8x10x5 ft made of straw supported by trees, had recent use. Found piece of paper with writing approx 8 names in Vietnamese, 150 lbs of polished rice and trails running N-S to the other three hootches. Passed to Bde/Bramlett		DO, S-3, Bde	JI
61	1640		(C) Fr Bde/Gilroy: Blade times for 17 Jan 71. Resupply 0930-1130 and 1530-1800 LOH			

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		(con't)	0930-1030 and 1430-1530 Hook 0830.	DO, S-3	JI	
62		1640	(C) Gen Baldwin left SJH at 1640. Passed to Bde/Nettles	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
63		1650	(C) Gen Baldwin visited this location. Subject discussed were current and planned operations, field refusals and FSB improvements. Passed to Bde/McLeod	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
64	1700		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co A 2-2 514395, Co C 1-1 656325, 2-1 644344, Co D 1-2 637457.	M, Arty, DO	JI	
65	1750	1830	(C) Fr 26th Engrs: Passed message to BaTo/Subject: Runway Progress. Passed to BaTo/Harper. Answer passed to C/26th Engrs by Harper.	DO, S-3, BaTo, Engrs	JI	
66	1800		(C) Bn Sitrep neg, loc ch's fol: Co D 1-1 635458, 1-2 637457, 2-1 631470, 2-2 632468, 3-1 on Bronco, 3-2 at BaTo. Passed to Bde/	M, Arty, DO, Bde	JI	
67	1815	1835	(C) Co D 2-2 at time 1445 at grid 630465 KCS questioned female POW--said she was part of a hospital unit sent to help the VC's that were shot by B 6/11 Arty. Three persons had legs severed, evacuated 7 people across river, VC were carrying 5 AK-47's, 3 9 mm pistols, 1 carbine, 1 M-16. The hospital located at 602462. Passed to Bde/Suarez	DO, S-3, Bde	JI	
68	1825		(C) Fr Bde/Moore: Weather Report, General area forecast clear skies with warm temperatures. Winds from the S-SE at 5-12 knots, Temp: H-82 L-65 Hum: H-83 L-65.	DO, S-3, S-2	JI	
69	1330		(C) Late Entry Fr Bde/Dyer: Refer to item 56. Co D 4-1 at grid 653463 found a 250 pd bomb. They relayed this info to Col Insani who was at their location. Col Insani requested EOD team. Fr Bde/Dyer: EOD will be at their location on 17 Jan 71.	S-3, DO, D	JI	
70	1900		(U) Phillips, Kinnett C. has ring finger broken on right finger can come in on RS bird 17 Jan 71. OK Maj Frakes.	Do, S-3, A Co	RP	
71	1925		(U) D Co 91 & 93 ele has kacs and keys until 18 Jan 71 remainder of ele has then until 23 Jan 71.	Do, S-3, Commo,	RP	

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72	1930		(U) LT Fogle relieved CPT Jacquemin as Duty Officer.					RP
73	1937	Finals	(O) M, Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's as follows: A Co CP 517398, 1-523394, 527400, 2-518391, 514395, 3-509391, 509386, C Co CP 638326, 1-656325, 652322, 655322, 2-645344, 641339, 3-643325, 639323, D Co CP 653460, 1-635458, 637457, 2-631470, 632468, 3- Bronco, Ba To.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
74	1945		(U) Rec'd RTT Message No 01098 Subject: Operation Warrior I. Bde/McCloud			Do, S-3, CO, Bde,		RP
75	2000		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's as follows:			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
76	2010		(C) Fr TMF Many activations on TMF 153B re, Last Night Hawk since Arty expended all allowable rds. Bde/Bramlet, FR Bde Night Hawk has priority No 3 mission will try to get Night Hawk out to TMF 153B Bde/McGruder.			Do, S-3, Bde, Arty		RP
77	2015		(U) Bde Needs Caliber of wpm C 43 rd sent to C Co, 1917 Model winchester Bde/Lane.			Do, Bde, S-3, CO		RP
78	2025		(C) 4.2 fired 35 rds on TMF 153B after completion fired road runner on some target.			Do, S-3, Bde, Arty		RP
79	2100		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
80	2150		(C) Air Cav, No 52 DTG 170500-172000 Grids 680370-730470-730305-680305-start, APD Msn No 34 DTG 170500 to 172000 Grids UL 6345-1R 7140. Bde/Suarez			M, Do, S-3, S-2, CO		RP
81	2200		(U) Bn Sitrep Neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP
82	2200		(U) SSG Payton relieved SFC Hunter as duty NCO.					RP
83	2200		(U) Passed to A Co 73 ele will come in 17 Jan 71.			Do, S-3, CO, A Co		RP
84	2203		(U) Rec'd night loc's for Bde & 4th ARVNS fr Bde/Suarez.			M, Do, S-3, CO		RP
85	2210		(U) Rec'd Intel Report fr Bde/Suarez			Do, S-3, S-2, CO		RP
86	2215		(C) D Co 1-2 at 637457 at 16220 had movement 200 meters West of perimeter prox. to close couldn't fire Arty. Bde/McGruder.			Do, S-3, Bde, CO		RP
87	2300		(U) Bn Sitrep neg, Loc's same.			M, Do, Bde, Arty		RP

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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION			LOCATION			PERIOD COVERED							
S-2/S-3 4th Bn 3rd Inf AVDF-BARK			LZ SAN JUAN BS 635382			FROM		TO					
						HOURL	DATE	HOURL	DATE				
						0001	16 Jan 71	2400	16 Jan 71				
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.				ACTION TAKEN		INITIALS				
88	IN	OUT	<p>JOURNAL SUMMARY: 4th Bn 3rd Inf Cont operations in Assigned A.O. Ref Item No 22 C Co 3-2 at 638323 fd one hootch with rice &amp; corn and One 1917 Winchester bolt action rifle. Ref Item No 27 D Co 2-1 at 634471 engaged 3 VC with Neg results. Ref Item No 29 Follow up to D Co 2-1 Captured 2 VC Females one wounded. Also fd 9 packs with misc items. Ref Item No 47 A Co 1-1 at 526402 saw some smoke and fired results 1 VC Female KIA. &amp; 1 VC/NVA KIA Male. with misc items. Ref Item No 60 D Co 1-2 at 634470 fd 1 hootch with 150lbs of polished rice &amp; 1 piece of paper with approx 8 names of in Vietnamese. Nothing of further importance.</p>						RP				
89	2400	(U) Closed Journal:									RP		

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TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF OFFICER OR OFFICIAL ON DUTY

ROBERT A. FRANKS, MAJ, INF S-3

SIGNATURE

*Robert A. Franks*



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DUSTOFF REQUEST NR \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 65  
1. LOCATION OF PICKUP SITE 1620465-1230477  
2. REQUESTOR \_\_\_\_\_  
3. NUMBER OF PATIENTS: LITTER 1 AMBULATORY \_\_\_\_\_  
4. NATIONALITY: US \_\_\_\_\_ VN ☒ FIF \_\_\_\_\_  
5. NATURE OF INJURIES extensive small arms wounds  
6. CATEGORY: URGENT ☒ PRIORITY \_\_\_\_\_ ROUTINE \_\_\_\_\_  
7. CONDITION & TYPE OF PICKUP SITE Jungle penetrator  
8. SECURITY OF PICKUP SITE good  
9. WEATHER AT PICKUP SITE 1 hr.  
10. MARKING (SMOKE, PANELS, LIGHTS, ETC.) smoke  
11. RADIO FREQUENCY 47.55 CALLWORD B 91  
12. US PERSONNEL AT PICKUP SITE? YES ☒ NO \_\_\_\_\_  
13. REMARKS: 47.55  
Dustoff 5480 ETD 05-15  
14. REQUEST CALLED IN BY D co  
15. REQUEST RECEIVED BY Browne TIME 161015  
91 TIME COMPLETED 161045  
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By Browne 161045

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COMMANDER'S FORECAST OR DAILY OPERATIONAL PLANS  
(notate which)

1. UNIT 4-3 *chuf* COVERING FROM 161900 TO 171900

2. SUBORDINATE UNIT PLANS:

A Co. CP 517398 conducts search and ambush  
patrols via 528398, 525324, 514395, 505390,  
507385 / employs maps nightly

B Co: Secures San Juan Hill / at  
171000 conducts CA into LZS  
located via 482474, 500475, 510459 /  
employs maps nightly

C Co: ~~CP~~ CP 638326 conducts search  
and ambush patrols via 656325, 652322,  
656332, 638339, 643325, 641322 / employs  
maps nightly / at 171230 secures S.J.H.

D Co: CP 653460 conducts search and ambush  
patrols via 648458, 647457, 640462, 639460 /  
employs maps nightly

Recon: Refits on San Juan Hill

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Other: A forward TOC will be established  
in B Co ~~area~~ AO at 171130 hrs.

3. COORDINATE OPERATIONS: A/4-3 conducts combined  
operations with the 67th Regt (ARVN)  
via 5029.

4. CENTER OPERATIONS:

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by Jms  
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QSL	CSA
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SEWR CR76 5SCI 8WC0  
DE RG50 NR 01036  
P 151500H JAN71  
FM CO 11TH INF BDE FSB BRONCO  
TO CO 3-1 INF BN FSB 411  
CO 4-3 INF BN FSB SAN JUAN HILL  
CO 1-20 INF BN FSB LIZ  
CO 4-21 INF BN FSB DEBBIE  
INFO: CO 6-11 ARTY FSB BRONCO

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AVDF-BAOP

SUBJECT: COMBAT OPERATIONS AND RETRAINING

1. 11TH INFANTRY BRIGADE POLICY WITH REGARD TO CONDUCT OF COMBAT OPERATIONS AND RETRAINING IS AS FOLLOWS: BATTALIONS WILL HAVE 65 TO 75 PERCENT OF THEIR COMPANIES CONDUCTING OPERATIONS IN THE FIELD AT ANY GIVEN TIME. UNITS NOT ENGAGED IN CONDUCTING COMBAT OPERATIONS MAY BE ENGAGED IN FSB SECURITY, REST AND RELAXATION, OR TRAINING ACTIVITIES. AT LEAST ONCE EVERY 65 DAYS EACH COMPANY WILL UNDERGO AN UNINTERRUPTED FOUR DAY TRAINING PERIOD IN A REAR AREA. THIS TIME SHOULD BE UTILIZED BY THE BATTALION COMMANDER TO CONDUCT THAT REFRESH-ER TRAINING CONSIDERED NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN COMBAT CAPABILITIES AND ALLOW FOR PERSONAL BUSINESS AND MORALE PERPOSES. THE TRAINING TIME ALLOCATED SHOULD ALLOW FOR CONDUCT OF MANDATORY TRAINING SUCH AS "MARIJUANA AND DRUG ABUSE", WEAPONS ZEROING AND SMALL UNITS TACTICS.

2. A REGULATION ON RETRAINING WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE NEAR FUTURE IN THE INTERIM, COMMANDERS WILL TAKE NECESSARY ACTION TO IMPLEMENT THE GUIDANCE OUTLINED ABOVE.

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5. (C) POSSIBILITY OF ARVN UNITS CONDUCTING GROUND OPERATIONS IN THE SONG RE VALLEY HAVE BEEN EXPLORED. HOWEVER, COMTH ARVN REGT HAS RECEIVED GUIDANCE TO STAY OUT OF THE SON RE VALLEY UNTIL FEB, SO AS TO ALLOW



2. (C) OPERATION WILL BE STAGED AS FOLLOWS:

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QNAHQXKQAIXTGBZLNHBXHEXNKWTXXXTHESXIENLXAEIATOEKQBDADEXUXXXCAXETXBAK  
EDATRBNINIEGGKKNMYKNEKESTYLAACNRBDNGKTONEZYBLEXCAKAKXXTNATHEXKMKEX

C. PHASE III - FOLLOWING THE CA'S ON 18 AND 19 JAN, ALL PARTICIPATING ELEMENTS WILL CONDUCT SEARCH, CLEZRING AND INTERDICTING OPERATIONS AGAINST KNOWN AND SUSPECTED ENEMY LOCATIONS IN THE OBJECTIVE AREA WITH A VIEW TOWARDS DISRUPTING RRE-TET PLANS, OPERATIONS AND CONFERENCES.

4. (C) US ARTY SUPPORT WILL BE PROVIDED BY 6/11 ARTY BN OPERATING  
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FOR THE POSITIONING OF MAJOR ARVN UNITS IN DEFENSIVE EFFORTS AROUND  
THE POPULATED AREAS DURING TET.

6. (C) FINAL COORDINATION MEETING HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR 1000HRS  
ON 17 JAN 71 AT BA TO

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REQUESTING UNIT <b>4-3 chf</b>	DTG EXECUTION <b>171000</b>	TOTAL PAX <b>70</b>	ACL <b>6</b>	AMC REPORT	
				TO <b>SSH</b>	TIME <b>0930</b>
NO. AIRCRAFT-TYPE			NO. SORTIES OR LIFTS		
SLICKS <b>4</b>	AMC <b>1</b>	GUNS <b>2</b>	SMOKE <b>—</b>	FLARE <b>—</b>	
LIFT CA of <b>B Co</b>	FREQ <b>55.35</b>	GRND CONTACT: PZ <b>Puncher</b> LZ <b>54</b> <b>Neg</b>			
1. PZ <b>SSW</b> LZ <b>482474</b>		3. PZ <b>SSW</b> LZ <b>510459</b>		5. PZ LZ	
2. PZ <b>SSW</b> LZ <b>500475</b>		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ	
<del>LIFT CA of <b>C Co</b></del>		<del>FREQ <b>55.35</b></del>		<del>GRND CONTACT: PZ <b>Indy</b> LZ <b>Puncher</b></del>	
<del>1. PZ <b>638326</b> (193) (16) LZ <b>SSW</b></del>		<del>3. PZ <b>647343</b> (130) (52) LZ <b>SSW</b></del>		<del>5. PZ LZ</del>	
<del>2. PZ <b>658326</b> (171) (34) LZ <b>SSW</b></del>		<del>4. PZ LZ</del>		<del>6. PZ LZ</del>	
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TIME RECEIVED		SOURCE <b>Passed to Bde / Gate</b>		BY <b>by Brown 160850</b>	

REQUESTING UNIT <b>4-3 chf</b>	DTG EXECUTION <b>171130</b>	TOTAL PAX <b>53</b>	ACL <b>6</b>	AMC REPORT	
				TO <b>SSH</b>	TIME <b>1100</b>
NO. AIRCRAFT-TYPE			NO. SORTIES OR LIFTS		
SLICKS <b>4</b>	AMC <b>1</b>	GUNS <b>2</b>	SMOKE <b>—</b>	FLARE <b>—</b>	
LIFT CA of <b>Forward CP</b>	FREQ <b>55.35</b>	GRND CONTACT: PZ <b>Puncher</b> LZ <b>54</b> <b>Neg</b>			
1. PZ <b>SSW</b> LZ <b>To Be Announced</b>		3. PZ LZ		5. PZ LZ	
2. PZ LZ		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ	
LIFT	FREQ	GRND CONTACT: PZ LZ			
1. PZ LZ		3. PZ LZ		5. PZ LZ	
2. PZ LZ		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ	
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TIME RECEIVED		SOURCE <b>Passed to Bde / Gate</b>		BY <b>by Brown 160850</b>	



REQUESTING UNIT 4-3 Inf		DTG EXECUTION 171230		TOTAL PAX 96	ACL 6	AMC REPORT TO SJH TIME 0930	
NO. AIRCRAFT-TYPE						NO. SORTIES OR LIFTS	
SLICKS 4	AMC 1	GUNS 2	SMOKE CONFIDENTIAL		FLARE CONFIDENTIAL		
LIFT Ext of C Co	FRSQ 55.35		GRND CONTACT: PZ India		LZ Anchus		
1. PZ 638326 (I93) (10) LZ SJH		3. PZ 647343 (I30) (52) LZ SJH		5. PZ LZ			
2. PZ 656326 (I71) (34) LZ SJH		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ			
LIFT		FRSQ		GRND CONTACT: PZ		LZ	
1. PZ LZ		3. PZ LZ		5. PZ LZ		LZ	
2. PZ LZ		4. PZ LZ		6. PZ LZ		LZ	
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TIME RECEIVED		SOURCE		BY			
		Passed to Bde / Date		By Browne 160850			