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ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION S-2/S-3 lth Bn, 3d Inf AVDF-BARK			LOCATION LZ SAN JUAN BS635382	PERIOD COVERED		
			FROM		TO	
			HOUR	DATE	HOUR	DATE
			0001	7 Jan 70	2400	7 Jan 70
ITEM NO.	TIME		INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.		ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS
01	0001		(C) Journal opened; Bn loc Co's A, B, C OPCON to L-21 Inf; Co A BS759244, Co B FSB 285, Co C BS797219, Co D LZSJ, SRRP 2 BS649408, SRRP 3 BS614387. All other SRRP's LZSJ.		DO	NC
02	0100		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.		DO	NC
03	0200		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.		DO	NC
04	0300		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.		DO	NC
05	0400		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.		DO	NC
06	0500		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.		DO	NC
07	0505		(C) Rec 4.2 ammo rept: On hand HE 534, illum 214, WP 116, CS 0.		Bde, DO	NC
08	0540		(U) Rec significant events and weather fr Bde. Weather: Variable cloudiness, scattered showers, Wind NE 10-15 knots. Temp H 77 - L 68; humidity H 90% - L 70%. See S-2 for events.		DO	NC
09	0600		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.		DO	NC
10	0710		(C) 0700 Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt D/3-1 BS765255.		DO	JS
11	0750		(C) 1LT PEARSON sent Shadow Box APREQS to Bde Prim BS6542, BS6640, BS6943, BS7041; altm: BS6147, BS6347, BS6544, BS6344 DTG 070700 - 080700 Jan 70; req reg by AMARO, Bde.		Bde, DO	JS
12	0755		(C) DO, 1LT PEARSON sent APREQS for Warlord Box to Bde; grids: BS6135, BS6435, BS6433, BS6133 DTG 070700 - 080700 Jan 70; req rec by AMARO, Bde.		Bde, DO	JS
13	0801		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt D/3-1 Inf BS771254.		Bde, Arty Ln, DO	JS
14	0815		(C) DO, 1LT PEARSON sent pre-planned air strikes APREQS to Bde: Prim BS660402, BS667398, altm BS642400, DTG 070700 - 071800. Ord req SNAKE And NAPE-- Intel tgt en Bn; rec by AMARO, Bde.		Bde, DO	JS
15	0820		TOC req A/C fr Bde to pick up FAST Tm who stayed overnight LZSJ.		Bde, DO	JS
16	0920		(C) COL HOFFMAN arr LZSJ 0905. (Bde CO)		Bde, DO	JS
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17	0945		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt SRRP 3 BS613388	DO, Arty, DO	JS	
18	0946		(C) COL HOFFMAN Bde CO dept LZSJ; 0930.	DO	JS	
15	1007		(U) Rec grids fr Bde for CS drops 8, 10, 14, 16 Jan 70.	DO, Chem NCO	JS	
16	1035		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt SRRP 3 BS614390.	Bde, DO.	JS	
17	1106		(C) INTREP fr Bde (Arty Ln) initials BRS 250 VC obsrv in open BS598478, 105mm LZSJ fired 45 rd's HE on above coord after cleared thru DO TOC; neg friendlies in area. Res unk.	DO	JS	
18	1110		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO	JS	
19	1150		(U) FAC 37 on sta 1145 hrs.	DO	JS	
24	1155		(C) At 1145 hr FAC 37 obsrv vic BS570421, and BS605412 3 pers planting rice at 1st grid and 1 pers evading into bush 2nd coord. Req Arty FAC will adjust.	Bde, DO	JS	
25	1200		(C) At 1152 SRRP 3 obsrv vic BS625396 1 water buffalo mov N, range approx 1800m.	Bde, DO	JS	
26	1215		(U) 1200 Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	Bde, DO	JS	
27	1300		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt Co A OPCON 4-21 Inf BS797219 PB, 1st Plat BS760244, 3d Plat BS757235; Co B OPCON 4-21 Inf FSB285, Co C OPCON 4-21 Inf BS797219, Co D LZSJ, SRRP 2 BS642408, SRRP3 BS614390; D/3-1 Inf PB BS771253, 2nd Plat BS764257.	DO	JV	
28	1320		(C) Ref #24, FAC 37 Arty LZSJ fired 90 HE rd VR conducted by FAC 37; res 5 huts dest, 6 huts dam, 2 tunnels uncovered, 1 secd explo at BS57224184.	Bde, Arty, DO	JS	
29	1320		(U) Ref # 21, FAC VR fd neg sightings.	DO, LZSJ Arty, DO	JS	
30	1340		(U) FAC 37 off sat 1330 hrs.	DO, Arty.	JS	
31	1345		(C) INTREP fr Bde: I E 180 is new Montagnard Regt Of 2000 men. CO and others leaders are S Vietnamese. Last month loc BS630430, and BS638442; reinforcing to build up to 4000 str	DO, Arty, DO, S-2	JS	
32	1345		(C) INTREP fr Bde: C-3 rating, At BS690418 1 VC Co str 90 man; designated as JA/120 Co. Wpns crew-served, indiv wpns, 2-60mm mort, B-40 rockets and many US wpns, M-60, M-79, M-16			
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32	cont		CO's name: PHAN DINH CON of DUC PHO, assist CO is DAO MINH of BINH DINH Province. Moved to BS690418 2 days ago fr BS688502. Msn: unk B Btry 6-11 Arty LZSJ fired on Intel grids 36 HE rounds.			DO, Arty In,		JS
33	1358		(C) Msg fr Bde: 090900 Jan 70 All Bn S-2's in Bde to attend meeting at Bde S-2.			Bn S-2, DO		JS
34	1414		(C) 1400 Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt SRRP 2 BS644409.			Bde, DO Arty		JS
35	1445		(C) LTC WIELGA, Bn CO dept for FSB 285 1432.			Bde, DO		JS
36	1510		(C) 1500 Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt Co C BS794222.			DO		JS
37	1615		(C) Ref #35, Bn CO, LTC WIELGA, and Bn S-3, MAJ MCCREE return to LZSJ.			Bde, DO		JS
38	1633		(U) 1LT PEARSON, bunkerline insptr today; insptn compl.			Bde, DO		JS
39	1635		(C) 1600 Bn SITREP neg; loc same expt Co C BS794222; BA TO neg SITREP.			Bde, DO, Arty		JS
40	1637		(U) Msg fr BA TO: Req hel to pick up 1 US pers, 1 Kit Carson Scout, 1 CHIEU HOI; req denied due to bad weather.			DO		JS
41	1700		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc Co A OPCON 4-21 Inf PB BS759244 1st Plat BS758241; SRRP 2 BS645409, SRRP 3 BS614390.			DO		DW
42	1705		(C) CPT HURLEY, Bn S-3 Air sent APREQS for extraction hel for SRRP 2 080800 Jan 70 fr BS653408 to LZSJ and to gunships for cover, SPL JORDAN, Bde rec.			Bde, DO		DW
43	1715		(C) URI fr Bde: At BS689281 a Regt size unit Distance: out ; rec fr JORDAN, Bde.			DO		NC
44	1755		(C) INTREP fr Bde: On 25 Dec 69, 3d Co/Q-20 VMC Bn, CO's name: LY (LYS) w/ str est 90 men (60 Montagnards) was deployed at NVOC LUC BS639341, BA MY (V) BA TO, (D)QUANG NGAI (P) VS.			DO		NC
45	1810		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc: Co A OPCON 4-21 BS759244; Co B OPCON 4-21 FSB285; Co C OPCON 4-21 BS794222; Co D LZSJ; SRRP's 1, 4 LZSJ, SRRP 3 BS613387 NDP, SRRP 2 BS645408 NDP.			DO		NC
46	1820		(U) Ref #42, Req for extraction hel for SRRP 2 denied by Bde; rec fr JORDAN, Bde.			DO		NC
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47	1840		(U) C/C hel times for 8 Jan 70: 13-1500 hrs. <u>UTIL OPCODE 4-211NE.</u>	DO	NC	
48	1850		(C) Rec str rept fr field elm: Co's A, B, C OPCON 4-21 Inf, Co D 5/104, Co E Recon 1/32.	Bn S-1, DO	NC	
49	1900		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO	NC	
50	2000		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO	NC	
51	2053		(C) Bn SITREP neg; loc: Co's A, B, C all OPCON 4-21 Inf, loc BS759244, FSB285, BS791- 228 rsvp; Co D, SRRP's 1, 4 LZSJ; SRRP 2 BS645408, SRRP 3 BS613387.	DO	DW	
52	2055		Co D called TOC, info override on the internal freq in Viet-Nameese. 1LT CANCEINO ad he is montrg.	DO, Co D	DW	
53	2135		(U) Rec Bde loc.	DO	DW	
54	2135		(C) Bunker #15 LZSJ sus mov in perimeter wire eng w/ M-79 and illum, neg further, res unk.	DO	DW	
55	2200		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO	DW	
56	2200		(U) Rec Ln rept fr Bn Ln SGT LONG at Bde.	DO	DW	
57	2300		(U) Bn SITREP neg; loc same.	DO	DW	
58	2320		(C) At 2150 REC INTREP fr Bde: At 071510 Jan 70, C-3 rating. The reduction course for VC district cadre closed 5 Jan 70; they have prep for action between 5 Jan - 20 Jan 70. Plan to plant explo and atk DUC PHO (D) bases (NFI) Also plan to mort US bases in DUC PHO (D) using gas rd's. Regt 2/3 coord w/ sapper units #301, 302, 303, 304. PFC KAUFFMAN rec INTREP fr Bde.	DO, Bn S-2,	DW	
59	2325		(C) Rec 2150 INTREP fr Bde: At 071620 Jan 70 C-3 rating: VC cadre, and guerrillas at PHO TRANG (V) gave gifts to VC soldiers of NLF Sun. They gave ea family \$500 VN or \$1000 VN and some rice. KAUFFMAN, Bn rec.	DO, Bn S-2	DW	
60	2350		(C) INTREP fr Bde: 25 Dec 69, 3d Co/Q-20 VMC Bn, (Ref #44) loc vic NUOC LUC BS639341. Armed w/ 1-6 Qmm mort, 1 M-6, unk no B-40 rkt several sub-mg, 1 PRC10 transceiver, wearing			

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