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S-2/S-3 4 Bn 3 Inf AVDF-BART			LE SAN JUAN BS 635302		From Hr Date 0001 22 Jun 70 To Hr Date 2400 22 Jun 70		
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01	0001		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same A Co CP 727315, 1 Plt 730317, 741316, 2 Plt 739307, 738304 3 Plt 730302, 730301 B Co CP 666398, 1-Plt 667397, 2 Plt 663398, 655398, C //Co oncon 3/1 Bn Ren SJ	DO			rj
02	0100		(U) Bn SITREP neg loc same	DO			rj
03	0130		(C) Blue Ghost on sta DTG 220130 Jun 70 to work Night Hamlet box 66 & 69 he has friendly loc's fr Bde	DO			rj
04	0145		(C) Spt Rpt; Blue Ghost 41 DTG 220145 Jun 70 at 605420 rec 7 rds (approx) S/A fire. neg hits or damage, altitude 500 ft. air speed 50 knots ground fog was too thick to get good tgt above grid is an approx. action was in box 69	DO			rj
05	0150		(C) Fr Bde Anaro; Status Rpt on POW Nguyen Van Bao his NVA function was supply, specific duty assign. buy supplies for the Bn. DOA POB 1950 at Hu Nhi & Vinh Quang, Vinh Bao, Hai Phong, place and date of capture 21 Jun 70 BS 424751, capturing unit C 4/3, the NVA unit identification & AYA designation of unit 1st Co, 107th heavy wpa bn last known loc BS 368903 info, 1st Co. had 70 personnel, 3-8mm mortar & 45 AK 47, 2d Co had 40 personnel 13 AK-47, 24 SIG and 1 T-40 rocket, 3d Co. Motor Co went over to Quang Nam provinces mo. ago.	DO S-2			rj
06	0150		(C) Fr Bde FR VCI/CD interrogation name Nguyen Hahn, rank position, neg rank, economy cadre of Minh Khanh Dong hamlet, Son Nam ville Son Tinh hamlet, neg ID card. DOB 1930 residence Minh Khanh Dong hamlet, date of capture 21 Jun 70 place BS 424751, captured by C 4/3, info obtained, subject had been economy cadre of Minh Khanh Dong Hamlet since 1966 gave loc of 81st Bn, 83d Bn & 106th Bn at BS 3680, he also gave following personalities of Minh Khanh hamlet, Son Nam ville, Son Tinh hamlet, the Minh Khanh hamlet is composed of Minh Khanh Dong, Minh Khanh Tay ham. & An Binh ham. he was economy cadre of An Binh-	DO S-2			rj

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07	0200		(C) SITREP neg loc same			DO		rj	
08	0300		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same			DO		rj	
09	0345		(C) Beacon Data (Minh Long) Bn 374, on sta 0255 hrs off 0335. 22x500 lb. bombs, cov 100/100, SEL-bunker complex BS 441443, Cpt			DO Bde		rj	
10	0350		(C) Refer item # 04 eng w/36 rds of 155 fr LZ to Bde Cpt Robertson			DO S-2		rj	
11	0400		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same			DO		rj	
12	0500		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same			DO		rj	
13	0515		(C) 4.2 ammo rpt; 15 msn 15 HE total 15 Exp to Bde Amaro			DO Bde		rj	
14	0535		(C) Beacon Data; (Minh Long) Bn 378 on sta 0500 hrs off 0535 hrs ord 22x500 lb bombs, 100/100 coverage, SEL bunker complex BS441443 to Bde Amaro			DO Bde		rj	
15	0600		(C) Bn SITREP neg loc same			DO		rj	
16	0635		(B) Recon Inserted into LZ at this time.			DO		CS	
17	0645		(C) Recon 1st PZ 0610 last LZ 0645 it was Cold LZ.			DO, Bde		CS	
18	0700		(C) Bn Sitrep Neg, All-Loc, Same recon inserted Grid 629323.			DO, Arty		CS	
19	0725		(C) AO Ext 02 Approved by Cpt Kinney- DTG 210600, 282400, Kiernan from bde passed msg to 4/3 TOC.			DO, Posted		CS	
20	0730		(C) Pre-planned Tgts for Beacon and Air Strikes called to Bde Avn.			DO, S-3 Air		CS	
21	0800		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co GR 727315, 1st plt 738317-741316, 2nd 739307-758304, 3rd 750302-730301, B.Co waiting other locs, 3rd plt 655397, C.Co Opcon 3/1, L.Co SJH, Recon 644315			DO, Bde, Arty		CS	
22	0855		(C) To Bde from TOC 4/3: Change of primary grid for air strike DTG 230600 to 231000 to 675447 for LZ construction.			DO, BDE, Arty		CS	
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23	0900		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co same. B.Co CP 668398 1st plt 656397, 2nd 652395, 2nd 660303, 3rd 664389-656393, C.Co Opcon 3/1. D.Co SJH.Recon 685313.		Do Bde, Arty
24	0905		(C) Spt Rep From Recon at grid 685313 a VC/NVA NDP in high elephant grass. Residue from campfires, area big enough for 50-75 men area is 2-3 weeks old. 50m to south is a trail leading NW it is filled with muni stakes to south for 75m.		Do, Bde S2
25	0915		(C) Spt Rep From A.Co 3rd plt at 729302 had a MAP to go off neg. result was set off by malfunction or tree limb.		Do, Bde
26	0920		(C) Tentative B.Co 667396, 659389, 664391, 669387, 667384, 653396, 658399.		Do, Bde, Arty
27	0940		(C) Tentatives A.Co 727315, 739317, 742316, 740307, 729304, 731202, 730300.		Do, Bde, Arty
28	0955		(C) From Bde Kiernan: Air Cav request: 230600 to 231800; Box 64 upper left 6256, lower right 6846.		Do, Arty, S-2
29	1000		(C) Reference to item 28 approved by CPT Hagswood at 1000hrs.		Do, Arty, S-2
30	1002		(C) 1000hrs Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co same. B.Co same except 1st element of 3rd plt 665388 C.Co Opcon 3/1. D.Co SJH.Recon 682311.		Do, Arty, Bde
31	1100		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co same. B.Co same except CP 665397. C.Co Opcon 3/1. D.Co SJH.Recon 678306.		Do, Bde, Arty
32	1110		(S) From S-4 p.d blade time for rattler 3hrs. 10 min.		Do
33	1115		(C) Tentatives Recon CP 666296, 659297, 679298, 679295.		Do, Bde, Arty
34	1135		(C) Daily Operation Report pass to Bde.		Do
35	1140 (x)		(C) AO ext 53 Request DTG ext. From Present to 28 Jun 2400hrs. Requested by S-3 4/3 Inf. received by Kiernan: approved by Corrick.		Do, Arty, S-2
36	1150		(U) Hercules 711: Thr. blade time.		Do
37	1200		(C) Bn SITREP: A.Co neg. same. B.Co Neg. same except 2nd plt 661383. C.Co Opcon 3/1. D.Co SJH.Recon 678302.		Do, Bde, Arty
38	1205		(C) Helex 39 as on 66697335 completed 100% all ordnance within 50m. all rockets fell short into B2 626338: all rockets were duds.		Do, Bde, S-2
39	1300		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co CP 727315, 1st plt 742315, 2nd 732307-738301, 3rd 730302-730301		(con't)
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39	(con't)		4th plt w/CP, B.Co CP 665396, 1st plt 656397-652395, 2nd 661383, 3rd 665388-656393, C.Co Opcon 3/1, D.Co SJH, Recon CP 676302.	Do, Bde, Arty	CS		
40	1330		(C) From Bde Kiernan: Cancel AO ext Bdz for information only.	Do, S-2	CS		
41	1400		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co CP same, 1st plt 745315-743315, 2nd plt same, 3rd & 4th same. B.Co CP 664396, 1st plt same, 2nd 657312, 3rd same, C.Co Opcon 3/1, D.Co SJH, Recon CP 675301.	Do, Bde, Arty	CS		
42	1500		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co CP same, 1st plt 745315-743315, 2nd 739305, 3rd same, 4th W/CP. B.Co CP 661395, 1st plt same, 2nd same, 3rd same, C.Co Opcon 3/1, D.Co SJH, Recon CP 671303.	Do, Bde, Arty	CS		
43	1505		(C) From A.Co Mechs Loc'S 1st plt 746315-743315, 2nd plt 737305, total mechs 10.	Do, Bde, Arty	CS		
44	1535		(C) From Bde Kiernan: Bn 749207 proximity 1000, unidentified, picked up early afternoon.	Do, S-2	CS		
45	1540		(C) Requested AO ext C id 7028 East to 7628 North to AO boundary. DTG 240600 To 04 2400 Jul 70. For combat ops by 04/5. Approved by CPT Shay.	Do, Arty, S-2	CS		
46	1545		(C) From B.Co Need 1 proc/25, handset and 3' whip antenna from their rear area tomorrow or hand receipt items from SJH commo.	Do	CS		
47	1550		(C) From Bde Sorrick: B 65 approved cancel D 53 because #2 165 cover it.	Do, S-2	CS		
48	1555		From Lt. Simmon PIO CPT Thresher wants a photographer from the 523 to go to the field the 23rd with one of our companies. Approved by CPT Schwebach for A.Co on 23rd to the morning of the 24th when A.Co is combat extracted.	Do, Bde, S-2	CS		
49	1600		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A.Co CP same, 1st plt same, 2nd 737305, 3rd 730302-730301, 4th w/CP, B.Co CP 660395, 1st plt same, 2nd plt same, 3rd plt 655388-660389, C.Co Opcon 3/1, D.Co SJH, Recon 666301.	Do, Bde, Arty	CS		
50	1640		(C) From Bde Morris-BDA A/S 697335 100% ord. within 60 mts. 80% Area cov. 1 dud.	Do	CS		
51	1645		(C) From Bde Morris- C Co loc 425749 at 221530- 2 detainees with documents	Do	CS		
52	1700		(C) Bn SITREP Neg. A same except- 2nd 734306-	(cont)	CS		
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53	(cont)		(C) 2nd 736305, B same, C Opcon 3/1, D SJH Rcn 663298		DO, Arty		TM
54	1718		(U) General Atterberry arrived SJH		DO		TM
55	1720		(C) Spt Rpt-TTF at 1640 hr had sensor reading of 5 packs moving SW-NE at 2 mph, confirmed by metal. Engaged with 10 rds. HE 4.2 and 12 rds HE 105, at 600409 After cont- acting BaTo for clearance. VR by Helix 38 Neg. To Bde Lockhart		DO, Bde, S-2		TM
56	1745		(C) From Bde Gilroy-Ring Neck 377, 0400 hrs at 700354: Ring Neck 366 1400hrs 601419.		DO		TM
57	1800		(C) Bn SITREP NEG-A same except 1st 744315- 741315, 2nd 733309-735306, B659387 rest same, C Opcon 3/1, D SJH, Rcn 662297		DO, Bde, Arty		TM
58	1830		(C) CC bird from 0700 to 0900 2hrs blade time from Bde Gilroy		DO		TM
59	1835		(C) Minh Long-NL P72D-501563, P73D-523464		DO		TM
60	1850		(D) From Bde Lockhart-C Co. NL CP 506748, 1st 495749-497751-500750		DO		TM
61	1855		(C) From Bde Lockhart- D 4/21 NL-Cp 770306, 1st 765306, 2nd 765304, 762304		DO		TM
62	1900		(C) Bn SITREP Neg- all locations same except Rcn 659299		DO, Arty		TM
63	1930		(C) From D CP-had trip flare go off in front of bunker 13 at 1930. Checking further. Neg-Rcn DO.				TM
64	1940		(U) BaTo Intel-1 LF VC from 020 Bn, Commander Binh Phoi, strength approx 90 men. Wpns 1 82mm mortar, 1 60mm mortar, 4 B-40 Rpgs, 1 Browning auto rifle, indiv wpns. Unif. gray. 475265. Dtg 220900 Ag SF 1625. C-3				
65	1949		(C) Intel-1 LF VC wlt CO Dinh Bien Wpns: 1 BA, indiv wpns. 468343. Dtg 221300 Ag. 1696. P-3		DO, S-2, BDE		TM
66	1950		(C) Intel-1 LF VC'sq indiv wpns. 548262. Dtg 221300 Ag SF 1693. P-3. Men to coop with VC forces to harass dist.				
67	1955		(C) BaTo-NL C19A-548386		DO		TM
68	2000		(C) Bn SITREP Neg-all same except B 1st 657395, 652395, 3rd 665388-660389		DO, BDE, Arty		TM
69	2030		(C) Reg LOH for VR for BN CO, S-3, D Co CO,		(cont)		

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70	2050	(cont)	(C) approved for 1300-1400 hrs by Cpt Robertson DO, Bde							
71	2100		(C) From CO 4/3-Recon-Stay tonight at pt. B, replace MAP's in SHIELD at first light 23 Jun. Move into Zulu late afternoon 23 Jun using stealth, be in position by dark. Rec Lettre	DO, Recon						
72	2100		(C) En SITREP Neg -all locations same except rcon 658299-NDP	DO, Arty						
73	2130		(C) Called in airlift schedule for D's CA and A's CE	DO, Bde (Lockhart)						
74	2145		(C) From 4/21-At 221720 Jun 70 D 4/21 1st plt 2nd sqd spotted 4 personnel at 770305 moving down trail towards them. Engaged. Res: 1 female KIA other 3 evaded to NE. Pd 1 male KIA approx 150 mts from 1st KIA. Other 2 individual evaded off trail. They are checking at this time	DO, S-3						
75	2200		(C) En SITREP NEG LOC SAME	DO			rj			
76	2300		(C) En SITREP neg loc same	DO			rj			
77	2330		(U) Pre Planned E Beacons called tp Bde Lockhart DTC 222328	DO Bde			rj			
78	2400		(C) En SITREP neg loc same JOURNAL CLOSED	DO			rj			
79			(C) Journal Summary: 4-3 Inf cont offensive search and amb opns in SAN JUAN AO #/Co D securing LZSJ and Co's A, B, and Recon Plat working grids BS7431, 6537, and 6730. Co C was OPCON 3-1 Inf. At 0905 at BS685513 Recon Plat found a 2 wk old VC/NVA NDP in high elephant grass (See #24). At 0915 at BS729302 Co A-3d Plat had a MAP detonate, believe set off by tree limb (See #25). At 1640 at BS600409 sensor activation revealed 5 personnel moving NE, engaged with 4.2 inch mortars and 105mm Arty with unknown results. (See #55). At 1930 at bunker 13 LZSJ a trip flare ignited, negative movement sighted. (See #63). There were negative further significant events during the day.							
80	2400		(U) Journal closed.				JS			
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