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| ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION<br>S-2/S-3                      2/14 Inf<br><br>25th Inf Div |  | LOCATION<br>XT498482<br>Dau Tieng<br><br>RVN | PERIOD COVERED |            |      |            |
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| 01       | 0001 |     | Supporting Info: Bn CO-LTC Charles Norton,<br>XO-Maj Lawrence Richards, S3-Maj David King,<br>S1-Cpt John Isenhour, S2-MSG Fincham, S4-Cpt<br>Joseph Murphy.<br><br>OPERATIONS:<br><br>A Co-Target 101 NVA Regt-cont'd opers in area,<br>cdt AP's vic 621575, 624576, 627575. Wpns plt<br>cdt TCP.<br><br>Co B-provide security at BC against Sapper and<br>ground elements of 101 NVA, K-35 Arty Bn and<br>9 Sapper Bn. 1 plat on 5 min standby as BRF<br>at BC. 1 plat dpt DT o/a 1730 hrs, cdt AP vic<br>508510. Wpns plat cdt road sweep on 239E fr<br>DT to FSB Byrd, outpost the road, rtn o/a<br>1400 hrs.<br><br>C Co-provide security at FSB Byrd against<br>Sapper and ground elements of C-1, C-2 LF,<br>K-35 Arty Bn and 9th Sapper Bn. 1 plat rtn<br>fr AP o/a 0730 hrs. 1 plat dpt o/a 1300 hrs.<br>disarm Mech Ambush in Rubber area 79, rtn to<br>FSB. 1 plat cdt ground recon vic FSB o/a<br>1300 hrs, emplace Mech Ambush, rtn to FSB. 1<br>plat dpt FSB o/a 1800 hrs, cdt AP vic 589537. |              |          |

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|   |      |                              | Wpns 1 tube at FSB, 2 tubes at Dau Tieng.      |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | Co D-rtn fr Standown by trucks to DT. 3 plat   |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | PZ DT o/a 1300 hrs, CA LZ vic 474524, cdt      |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | opers against 9th Sapper Bn and K-35 Arty Bn.  |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | Cdt AP vic 478528, 481525, 487528. Wpns plat   |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | duty plat at BC.                               |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | Recon-rtn fr AP o/a 1100 hrs, care/maint.      |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | 4.2 at Dau Tieng.                              |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | Co B 3/22-Target 101 NVA Regt. Cont'd opers    |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | in area, cdt AP vic 617557, 617555, 617552.    |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | A Trp/984 ICC/170 RF Co-cont'd Rome Plow opers |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | NDP at 519551.                                 |                |            |          |            |
| 02  | 0025 |                              | Confirmed IOH for 18 July: 1000-1115. Cowboy   |                |            |          |            |
|   |      |                              | IOH 0800-1000 & 1400-1500.                     |                | Log        |          | FO         |
| 03  | 0130 |                              | S/R neg, neg commo w/Recon.                    |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 04  | 0230 |                              | S/R neg all elements.                          |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 05  | 0330 |                              | S/R neg all elements.                          |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 06  | 0430 |                              | S/R neg, neg commo w/Recon, B 3/22.            |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 07  |      |                              | S/R neg all elements.                          |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 08  | 0725 |                              | B Co roadsweep departed Dau Tieng.             |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 09  | 0730 |                              | Issue (Forward Air Controller) 35 on station.  |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
| 10  | 0740 |                              | B road sweep departing bridge to Byrd.         |                | Log        |          | GT         |
| 11  | 0800 |                              | Locs-A/AP, B/roadsweep, C/AP, D/CC, Recon/AP.  |                | Bde        |          | GT         |
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| 12       | 0805 |     | Bde req VR & engagement clearance in AO GREEN<br>190600-192000, clear 0810 (JC). | Log          | GT       |
| 13       | 0810 |     | Air req LOH 1000-1100, AMC 1300-1600, 1-4-2,<br>22 Blade Hours.                  | Bde          | GT       |
| 14       | 0810 |     | C Co road sweep departed Byrd.   | Bde          | GT       |
| 15       | 0825 |     | B Co road sweep at 511474.   | Log          | GT       |
| 16       | 0835 |     | B Co 3rd plt dept AP site.   | Log          | GT       |
| 17       | 0840 |     | A Trp 3/4 Cav departing NL-509532.   | Log          | GT       |
| 18       | 0845 |     | B Co road sweep at 528478.   | Log          | GT       |
| 19       | 0910 |     | Convoy route (D-3) is open. (SC)   | Log          | GT       |
| 20       | 0915 |     | B Co 3rd plt at 519516 recovered Mech AP at<br>vilage (6)-neg results.           | Bde          | KV       |
| 21       | 0930 |     | Recon dpt Dau Tieng to pick up plt(-) from AP                                    | Log          | KV       |
| 22       | 0931 |     | C Co plt completed search of area that they mortared<br>last night-XT599513.     | Bde          | KV       |
| 23       | 0945 |     | Hwy 239E swept & clear.  | Bde          | KV       |
| 24       | 0950 |     | Recon closed Dau Tieng from AP.  | Bde          | KV       |
| 25       | 0950 |     | Snoopy (3d Bde Avn) 33 on station for VR.  | Bde          | KV       |
| 26       | 1000 |     | S-5 departing for MEDCAP.  | Log          | KV       |
| 27       | 1045 |     | Request 30 in extension/AMC.   | Bde          | KV       |
| 28       | 1100 |     | A Co 1st plt removed Mech AP in Rubber Block<br>79 (593501)-neg results.         | Bde          | KV       |
| 29       | 1115 |     | 3/22 AP's-570444-572446-568446-519400.   | Log          | KV       |

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| 30  | 1115 |                       | Bde CO inbound our location 05 min.   | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 31  | 1116 |                       | From District-RE/PF Intell-Convoy route from<br>Dau Tieng intersection will be mined & ambushed<br>to BOT SOC, until 20 July; also TLI4 from Dau<br>Tieng to FSB Tennessee will be mined & ambus-<br>hed! Possible mortar attack of Dau Tieng until<br>20 July. | Log            | KV         |      |            |
| 32  | 1140 |                       | A Co at 624577 found 1 BBT 105mm rd-pressure<br>type on trail-blew in place.  | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 33  | 1145 |                       | C Co 1st plt closed FSB Byrd.   | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 34  | 1205 |                       | Wonder 16 on station for C&C-will refuel &<br>shut down.  | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 35  | 1210 |                       | D Co has closed Dau Tieng.  | Bde            | TA         |      |            |
| 36  | 1215 |                       | B Co 3rd plt has closed Dau Tieng.  | Bde            | DP         |      |            |
| 37  | 1240 |                       | B Co removed M AP's in Village 7 (XT522537)<br>at 1045 18 July.   | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 38  | 1340 |                       | Snoopy (3d Bde Avn) 06 on station for VR.   | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 39  | 1345 |                       | 3/22 B Co location 621564.  | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
| 40  | 1400 |                       | Sniper Rpt-0228 & 0207/D Co AP; 0206 & 0271/<br>Main at DT; 0257/R&R.   | Bde            | DP         |      |            |
| 41  | 1408 |                       | Convoy route for 19 July is D-4.  | Log            | KV         |      |            |
| 42  | 1421 |                       | 1st lift D Co up DT 1352-downgreen 474527 1358,<br>2nd up 1404-down 1409, 3rd up 1415-down 1421.  | Bde            | KV         |      |            |
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| 43       | 1445 |     | Requested LOH for A Trp 3/4 Cav for 0830-1030;<br>1400-1500. Tent loc for 19 Jul NDP 500522.   | Bde          | KV       |
| 44       | 1455 |     | AMC released to Flexible Control-expanded<br>7 blade hours   | Bde          | KV       |
| 45       | 1455 |     | AMC for 19 July confirmed- 1-4-2 22 BH 1300-<br>1700.  | Log          | KV       |
| 46       | 1600 |     | Intell from Bde-Enemy initiated actions may<br>begin along Siagon corridor tonight; but is<br>expected to be significant on 19 & 20 July.<br>Sapper probes at Dau Tieng Base Camp , FSB<br>Kien, and Tennessee. Otherwise the nemy will<br>exploit any isolated target at his desire.<br>The attacks by fire may occur as early as 1900. | Log          | KV       |
| 47       | 1605 |     | Request a LOH for Bn CO & S-3 for INO visit<br>to Hong Quan 0900-1030 20 July.   | Bde          | KV       |
| 48       | 1620 |     | Dist AP's-492454, 490451, 485455, 528394,<br>540383, 537372, 547368, 543367, 507471, 506<br>472, 503474, 483462, 499467, 494463, 487475,<br>486469, 485471, 518413, 512481.  | Log          | KV       |
| 49       | 1625 |     | B 3/22 present loc 625228-PP PZ for 19 July<br>is 629552, Alt 632551.  | Bde          | KV       |
| 50       | 1735 |     | C Co 1st plt departing Byrd to put out MA.   | Bde          | FO       |
| 51       | 1840 |     | B Co 3/22 AP's-CP+L/630550, J/626554, T/506552   | Bde          | FO       |

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| 52   | 1900 |                       | A Trp 3/4 Cav VN AP at 506528.  | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 53   | 1830 | Late                  | B Co 1st plt departing Dau Tieng for AP site.   | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 54   | 1940 |                       | A Co AP's-I/623579, J/629564, T+CP/616576;<br>MA's-623581, 623577, 621579, 628566, 630563,<br>616575, 616578. | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 55   | 1955 |                       | D Co AP's-I/480521, J/484528, T+CP/482530.  | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 56   | 2000 |                       | C Co : AP-575532, MA-577532.  | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 57   | 2015 |                       | B Co 1st plt closed AP 488503, MA's-490503,<br>488501.  | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 58   | 2025 |                       | AP's sent to District. Dragons Den clear.(MS)   | Log            | FO         |      |            |
| 59   | 1730 | Late                  | Rome Flow rept sent to Bde.   | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 60   | 2130 |                       | S/R neg all elements.   | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 61   | 2320 |                       | S/R neg all elements.   | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 63   | 2330 |                       | Confirmed IOH for 19 Jul 1030-1130; AS at 1400<br>559599, F-100 HEB & HBI.                                    | Log            | FO         |      |            |
| 64   | 2330 |                       | Rome Plows IOH for 19 July 0830-1030 & 1400-1500  | Log            | FO         |      |            |
| 65   | 2350 |                       | S/R neg all elements.   | Bde            | FO         |      |            |
| 66   | 2400 |                       | Log closed.   | Log            | FO         |      |            |
| SUMMARY:   |      |                       |   |                |            |      |            |
| B Co 2/14 Inf removed all mechanical ambushes that were unattended. Neg findings,<br>all bushes intact. At 1100 A Co removed the unattended mechanical ambush from Rubber<br>Block 79. At 1140 hrs A Co at 624577 found 1 BBT 105mm rd-blew in place. Received<br>several Intel reports from varied sources predicting a high point for 19 & 20 July 1970. |      |                       |   |                |            |      |            |
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|                              |      |     | Cited were increased mining, mortar incidents, terrorist incidents, and possible sapper attacks. All units reported negative situation report at the close of the log. |                |                   |             |                   |
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