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3rd Marine Amphibious Brigade  
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From: Commanding Officer  
To: Commanding General, Force Logistics Command

Subj: Command Chronology for the Period 1 May to 31 May 1971

Ref: (a) FLC O 5750.1B  
(b) Bn O 5750.1C

Encl: (1) Command Chronology

1. In accordance with reference (a) and (b), enclosure (1) is submitted.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

PERIOD 1 May to 31 May 1971

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PART I  
ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

1. DESIGNATION

Company A (Rein), 7th Engineer Battalion

COMMANDER

Major G.R. MEIBAUM: 1 MAY to 31 MAY 1971

2. LOCATION

1 May to 31 May 1971, Camp Books, Danang, Quang Nam, RVN.

3. OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

| <u>NAME</u>      | <u>SER. NO. /MOS</u> | <u>RANK</u> | <u>PRIMARY DUTY</u> | <u>RTD</u> |
|------------------|----------------------|-------------|---------------------|------------|
| MEIBAUM, G.R.    | 077573/1302/1320     | MAJOR       | CO. CMDR            | 710726     |
| MERIDITH, J.P.   | 089501/1302          | CAPT.       | CO. EXEC O          | 710620     |
| POLYASCKO, G.J.  | 090372/1302/1310     | CAPT.       | CO. OPER O          | 720221     |
| *McDEAVITT, R.L. | 091418/1310          | CWO-2       | MT/HE Maint O       | 710607     |
| *HEISE, R.D.     | 0112228/1302         | 1st LT.     | PLT. CMDR           | 710607     |
| WAGNER, P.G.     | 0111361/1302         | 1st LT.     | PLT. CMDR           | 710613     |
| **WILLIAMS, M.V. | 0112459/1301         | 1st LT.     | PLT. CMDR           | 720105     |

\*Transferred on 31 May 1971

\*\*Joined by OQR on 15 April 1971

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PART II  
NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Company A (Rein), 7th Engineer Battalion continued the engineer support of the Third Marine Amphibious Brigade.

Company A is providing a camp maintenance crew of eight men to the Third MAB headquarters.

The company continued to prepare equipment for retrograde. On 13 May 1971, information was received not to return equipment to 7th Engineer Battalion but to turn all equipment to 1st FSR.

The company was assigned sixteen additional Butler buildings for dismantling and shipment. Of the original twenty-six buildings all have been dismantled and shipped. Of the sixteen additional buildings, eight are down and packed and eight are in the process of being dismantled.

The company officially ceased operations on 27 May 1971. Work was continued on outstanding work orders.

WORK ORDERS RECEIVED DURING THE PERIOD

- 3rd MAB 716-71 - Wall in Dubuque
- 3rd MAB 717-71 - Rock O-6 Hill
- 3rd MAB 718-71 - Wire Hill 327
- 3rd MAB 719-71 - Wire Comm Co
- 3rd MAB 720-71 - Dismantle Butler buildings
- 3rd MAB 721-71 - Issue rock
- 3rd MAB 722-71 - Cement civilian deck
- 3rd MAB 723-71 - Dismantle Butler buildings
- 3rd MAB 724-71 - USO Hotel
- 3rd MAB 725-71 - Repair door Tweenie Weenie

WORK ORDERS COMPLETED DURING THE PERIOD

- III MAF 1070 - Rock for 2nd CAG
- III MAF 1168 - Six Sea-huts, MASS-3

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III MAF 1199 - Three Sea-huts, FLC  
3rd MAB 704-71 - Dismantle Butler buildings  
3rd MAB 710-71 - Rehab Hill 34  
3rd MAB 716-71 - Wall in Dubuque  
3rd MAB 717-71 - Rock O-6 Hill  
3rd MAB 718-71 - Wire Hill 327  
3rd MAB 721-71 - Issue rock XXIV Corps

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## PART III

SEQUENTIAL LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1 May 71 - Typhoon Wanda condition II
  - 2 May 71 - Typhoon Wanda condition I
  - 3 May 71 - Move equipment to load ship
  - 10 May 71 - Move equipment to Deep Water Pier.
  - 12 May 71 - Return equipment to area
  - 13 May 71 - Received FMFPAC message on turn in of equipment.
  - 17 May 71 - Received 3rd MAB message on turn in of equipment.
  - 19 May 71 - Six Butler buildings approved at Camp Love.
  - 26 May 71 - Eight Butler buildings approved at Camp Books.
1. Personnel - Company A (Rein), 7th Engineer Battalion lost 42 enlisted men and two officers through normal rotation. Three Marines were promoted to sergeant, eleven to corporal, eleven to lance corporal, and one to private first class. One man was confined to the Danang Brig. Three men were reduced in rank.
  2. Enemy, Weather and Terrain
    - a. Enemy - The enemy had no effect on company operations.
    - b. Weather - The first two days of the month was typhoon condition I. There were five days with rain and the remainder of the period was clear and warm.
  3. Logistics - Company supply has screened and cancelled all outstanding documents. During the month, seventy-five percent of the sets, chests and kits were turned in to 1st FSR, ninety percent of engineer equipment was turned in, and fifty-five percent of motor transport has been turned in.

## PART IV

CHRONOLOGY OF SUBORDINATE COMMANDS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None.

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