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Marine Aircraft Group 16
1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMFPac
FPO San Francisco, 96602

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To: Commandant of the Marine Corps (Code A03D)
Via: Commanding Officer, Marine Aircraft Group 16
Commanding General, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing
Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific

Subj: Command Chronology for period 1-31 August 1968

Ref: (a) MCO 5720.2A
(b) FMFPACO 5750.8
(c) WgO 5750.1B
(d) GroupO 5750.1B

Encl: (1) Marine Observation Squadron Two Command Chronology

1. In accordance with the provisions contained in reference (a) through (d), enclosure (1) is submitted.
2. Upon removal of enclosure (1), this letter is downgraded to unclassified.

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
1 August to 31 August 1968

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ORGANIZATIONAL DATA

PART I

1. Staff Listing

- a. Commanding Officer LtCol S.J. FULTON (1-31 Aug)
- b. Executive Officer LtCol C.S. MORRIS (1-31 Aug)
- c. Operations Officer Maj S.J. KITTLER (1-31 Aug)
- d. Material Officer 1stLt R.L. KEIL (1-31 Aug)
- e. Administrative Officer 1stLt R.L. ROTHROCK (1-31 Aug)
- f. Aircraft Maintenance Officer Maj W.B. JESSUP (1-31 Aug)
- g. Intelligence Officer Capt S.P. ROBERTSON (1-31 Aug)

2. MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO
 MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP SIXTEEN
 FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING, III MAF
 MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY, DANANG, RVN

3. Average monthly strength:

- a. Permanent Officers 45 Enlisted 220
- b. TAD Officers 8 Enlisted 50

4. There were no visitors to the squadron during the reporting period.

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NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. Special Operations:

a. During August 1968, VM0-2 flew a total of 3,864 sorties for a total of 2407.6 hours. This total includes gunships and OV-10A's. During these combat sorties, the pilots accomplished the following tasks:

- (1) Armed Helo Escort
- (2) Visual Reconnaissance
- (3) Fire Fly
- (4) TAC(A)
- (5) VIP
- (6) APD (Airborne Personnel Detection)

2. Highlights of the month. The following data is taken from the daily after action reports and is typical of the kind of operations that were performed by VM0-2 during the month of August 1968.

- 10 Aug VM0-2 gunships flew escort for 21 MEDEVAC Missions.
- 15 Aug OV-10A while on VR mission took intense .50 cal fire. Ran 3 flights of fixed wing resulting in 3 KBA and one AW position destroyed.
- 21 Aug OV-10A while controlling fixed wing strikes took intense .50 cal fire taking 4 hits. there were no casualties, but aircraft took moderate damage.
- 23 Aug 2 gunships while flying escort received and returned fire resulting in 5 KBA, 5 structures destroyed, and 4 structures damaged.
- 29 Aug 2 gunships while in support of 1st Recon Battalion received and returned fire resulting in 2 structures destroyed and 2 structures damaged.
- 30 Aug OV-10A worked for 4th Marines, ran 1 flight of fixed wing on mortar position. Also worked for 9th Marines and 3rd Marine Division. Spotted rockets being fired, ran 6 flights of fixed wing resulting in 3 bunkers destroyed, 3 secondary explosions, and 2 rocket sites destroyed.

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LISTING OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS
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SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

PART III

1. Personnel:

- a. 3 Enlisted and 1 Officer were promoted.
- b. 63 personnel were joined and 8 were transferred.

2. Administration:

- a. No outstanding administrative problems.

3. Casualties:

- a. Lcpl W.K. LUBY WIA
- b. Capt J.E. BROWNE WIA

4. Awards: 88 Air Medals, 1 Bronze Star on Air Medal

9. Air Operations:

- a. Total hours flown: 2407.6
- Hours gunships flown: 1217.1
- Hours OV-10A's flown: 1190.5
- b. Number of sorties: 3,868
- c. Number of medical evacuations: 358
- d. Number of passengers carried; 21

11. Special Operations: ALLEN BROOKE, DRAGON PALACE, HOUSTON, MARMELUKE THRUST, LANCASTER II, KENTUCKY, SCOTLAND II, SHERWOOD FOREST

17. Ordnance Expended:

- a. 7.62mm 201,600
- 6,308
- b. 2.75" rockets

18. On 1 August 1968, OV-10A Detachment "B" joined VM0-2 with 9 additional OV-10A aircraft, 7 officers, and 33 Enlisted.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 010001H THRU 010001H ^{24/00} AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 186 TASKS: 33 TOTAL HOURS: 54.5

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 20 MED EVACS: 12 EMERGENCIES; 7 PRIORITIES & 1 ROUTINE.

HML-167 HANDLED THE VR COMMITMENTS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	4	4	6.2
EXTRACTS	2	2	3.0

011055H - VS-9 & FLT WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON BN. RECIEVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT797525 & AT SAME COORDINATES A SECOND TIME.

011345H - VS-12 & VS-1 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #15 RECIEVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT962557

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 8 TASKS: 12 TOTAL HOURS: 18.8

	<u>SORTIES</u>	<u>TASKS</u>
1. ADMIN/LIASON	-	-
2. VISUAL RECON	6	7
3. PHOTO RECON	-	-
4. TAC(A)	1	4
5. HELO ESCORT	-	-
6. PARA DROP	-	-
7. MED EVAC	-	-
8. PSYCHOLOGICAL OPNS	-	-
9. CONVOY ESCORT	-	-
10. COMMAND/CONTROL	1	1
11. ARMED RECON	-	-
12. MAINTANANCE	-	-
13. TRAINING	-	-
14. OTHER	-	-
TOTALS	8	12

010645H - 010916H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17A
 FLEW VR FOR OPERATION ALLENBROOK - NEG SIGHTINGS
 VR FOR OPERATION SHERWOOD FOREST - NEG SIGHTINGS
 VR FOR 2/3 - ROAD CONVOY - NEG SIGHTINGS.

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- 010845H - 011115H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17B RAN 2 AIRSTRIKES IN SUPPORT OF TRUCK CONVOY MOVING FROM HILL 65 TO HILL 55. BDA'S: 3 STRUCTURES DEST. ADJUSTED 2/13 ON AREA THAT 2/27 REPORTED SEEING 20 NVA CARRYING ITEMS THAT REQUIRED TWO MEN TO HANDLE ARTY BDA'S WERE: 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED & 3 DAMAGED
- 011102H - 011339H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17C RAN VR'S FOR 2/5 HOTEL AT AT899507 - NEG SIGHTINGS FLEW VR FOR SLF AT AT975531 SIGHTED 1 SUSPECT & 4 NEW BUNKERS, REPORTED SAME TO SLF ECHO (NATIVE BIRD).
- 011300H - 011530H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17 SUPPORTED CONVOY "SWIFTS-COUT C-2" FROM HILL 65 TO THOUNG DUC. SUPPORTED "APACHE-3" AT AT850542 BY HAVING FIXED WING HIT A VILLE FROM WHICH INTENSIVE AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE HAD BEEN RECEIVED.
- 011440H - 011717H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17E RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT848509 FOR "APACHE-3" BDA WAS: 4 STRUCTURES DESTROYED. VR OF ELEPHANT VALLEY, HAPPY VALLEY & THOUNG DUC WITH NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 011735H - 011840H -- n VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #6D VR'D ROCKET BELT FROM ELEPHANT VALLEY SOUTH TO HILL 10 & EAST TO THE COAST WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS.
- 011011H - 011305H -- (2 FLIGHTS FOR 1 SORTIE) VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #19 FLEW VR OF CUA VIET RIVER DIVERTED TO YD290758 WHERE "BOXSCORE" WAS IN CONTACT WITH SNIPER. NEGATIVE RESULTS
- 010654H - 010950H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #19 FLEW VR OF 3rd DIV AREA SIGHTINGS REPORTED TO DIV AO.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 100% (UH-1E)

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
 MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
 PERCENTAGE: 100% (OV-10A)

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 020001H THRU 022400H
AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 99 TASKS: 22 HOURS: 30.8

HML-167 HANDLED THE MED EVAC COMMITMENT TODAY.

VMO-2 FLEW 1 VR IN SUPPORT OF MILLBROOKE-14.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	6	6	4.5
EXTRACTS	3	3	3.2

020530H - 021545H -- VS-9, 3, & 12A WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON BN.
RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT THE FOLLOWING COORDINATES.
ZC130847, ZC149854 & AT837728.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 5 TASKS: 8 HOURS: 10.8

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	<u>SORTIES</u>	<u>TASKS</u>
1. ADMIN/LIASON	-	-
2. VISUAL RECON	3	5
3. PHOTO RECON	-	-
4. TAC(A)	1	2
5. HELO ESCORT	-	-
6. PARA DROP	-	-
7. MED EVAC	-	-
8. PSYCHOLOGICAL OPNS	-	-
10. COMMAND/CONTROL	1	1
11. ARMED RECON	-	-
12. MAINTANANCE	-	-
13. TRAINING	-	-
14. OTHER	-	-

021042H - 021335H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17C RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR FOR 5th MARINES. FLTS # 1 OF THEM) RECIEVED 1 AIR BURST AT 3000' - NEG DAMAGE ALSO FLEW VR OF FOSTER/ARIZONA AREAS. BDA'S WERE: 4 STRUCTURES(1st FLT) 3 STRUCTURES DEST (2nd FLT) & 1 STRUCTURE DEST.

021500H - 021745H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 5th MARINES RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON VILLE AT AT870545 - 5 STRUCTURES DEST - NEG FURTHER SIGHTINGS.

021830H - 021930H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 11th MARINES ON MSN #6D FLEW VR OF DANANG AREA ROCKET BELT WITH NEG SIGHTINGS. VR OF 27th MARINES AREA - NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS.

LATE REPORT: 011445H - 012015H -- VS-22 (2 FLTS FOR 2 SORTIES) FLEW VR'S AT XD841556 & XD873636 - NEG SIGHTINGS
2nd HOP - VR OF XD934537 - NEG SIGHTINGS.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 2
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 2
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 7 TASKS: 9 HOURS: 19.1

	<u>SORTIES</u>	<u>TASKS</u>
1. ADMIN/LIASON	-	-
2. VISUAL RECON	2	2
3. PHOTO RECON	-	-
4. TAC(A)	4	5
5. HELO ESCORT	-	-
6. PARA DROP	-	-
7. MED EVAC	-	-
8. PSYCHOLOGICAL OPNS	-	-
9. CONVOY ESCORT	-	-
10. COMMAND/CONTROL	-	1
11. ARMED RECON	-	-
12. MAINTANANCE	-	-
13. TRAINING	-	-
14. OTHER	1	1
TOTALS	7	9

031615H -- 031845H -- VS-22 & 23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17D CONTROLLED 6 FLTS OF AIR ON VILLE IN THE 8753 GRID WITH BDA'S OF 50 STRUCTURES DEST; 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION WHICH LOOKED LIKE A DUD BOMB.

031212H -- 031505H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17 RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR ON VILLE AT AT894484 - 1 STRUCTURE DEST & 1 DAMAGED. ALSO RAN 2 ON VILLE & 7 VC AT AT 862552 - 1 BUNKER DESTROYED.

020845H -- 021125H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17B RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR AT AT8753 - 2 STRUCTURES DAM. 1 CONFIRM KBA. RAN 1 FLT AT AT882503 & 1 AT AT860497 - NEG BDA'S.

030934H - 031128H --- VS-27 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17 CONTROLLED 7 FLTS OF AIR, COORDINATES WERE: AT873530, AT865544, AT860544, AT856543, AT873530, RECEIVED GRD FIRE AS REPORTED BY GROUND. BDA'S 20 - 30 HUTS DESTROYED.

030630H -- 030925H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17A RAN 5 FLTS OF AIR AT AT867542 - BDA'S WERE: 1 HUT DESTROYED.

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030715H - 030906H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17 CONTROLLED 2 AIR STRIKES IN CONJUNCTION WITH ARMY GUNSHIPS AND 11th MARINES AERIAL OBSERVERS IN A SEARCH & DESTROY TYPE OF OPERATION NORTH OF AN HOA - BDA'S WERE: 7 STRUCTURES DEST & 2 SECONDARY FIRES.

031745H - 031830H --- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF VMO-2 ON MSN #33 FLEW AN AREA FAM FLT OF THE BKKK TAOR FROM ELEPHANT VALLEY TO THONG DUC - AN HOA - HILL 55 - HOI AN - MMAP.

MSN COMPLETED: 2
 MSN SCHEDULED: 2
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 040001H THRU 042400H AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 151 TASKS: 20 HOURS: 22.7

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 4 MED EVACS: 1 EMERGENCIES & 3 PRIORITIES

HML-167 FLEW THE VR FLIGHTS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	2.0
EXTRACTS	2	2	1.1

041530H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #18 RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT860544 & AT871590. NEG BDA'S REPORTED.

041015H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE ON MSN #18 IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT863544. BDA WAS REPORTED AS: 1 CONFIRMED AND 2 PROBABLE KBA'S.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS:	SORTIES: 8	TASKS: 21	HOURS: 16.5
	<u>SORTIES</u>	<u>TASKS</u>	
1. ADMIN/LIASON	0	0	
2. VISUAL RECON	3	5	
3. PHOTO RECON	1	1	
4. TAC(A)	4	15	
5. HELO ESCORT	-	-	
6. PARA DROP	-	-	
7. MED EVAC	-	-	
8. PSYCHOLOGICAL OPNS	-	-	
9. COMMAND/CONTROL	-	-	
10. ARMED RECON	-	-	
11. MAINTANANCE	-	-	
12. TRAINING	-	-	
13. CONVOY ESCORT	-	-	
14. OTHER	-	-	
TOTALS	8	21	

041600H - 041730H --- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION ALLENBROOK CONTROLLED 2 FLIGHTS OF AIR AT BT012520 & BT020520. NEG BDA.

041345H - 041600H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION MARMALUKE THRUST RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON VILLE AT AT848548. NEG BDA.

040645H - 040915H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16A CONTROLLED 7 FLTS OF AIR ON VILLE AT AT8652 GRID. NEG BDA.

041120H - 041300H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #29B CONTROLLED 3 FLTS OF AIR ON AT903694. 75 METERS OF TREE LINE DESTROYED.

041020H - 041250H --- VS-23 WHILE ON SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16C CONTROLLED 7 FLTS OF AIR FOR 2/5. BDA WAS: 24 STRUCT. DEST; 9 STRUCTURES DAMAGED.

04735H - 041015H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #29A FLEW VR/WEATHER CHECK, CONTROLLED 1 USAF FLT AT AT903694 1 USMC FLT AT603694 - NEG BDA'S. ALSO FLEW 1 PHOTO MSN.

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041635H - 041835H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16C
FLEW VRS OF HAPPY & ELEPHANT VALLEY WITH NEG SIGHTINGS.

041514H - 041714H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16E
VR'D 1ST DIV & ROK TAOR VR'D HAPPY VALLEY NEG SIGHTINGS.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 116 TASKS: 29 HOURS: 48.5

DURING THE ABOVE PERIOD VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 17 MED EVACS: 10 EMERGENCY & 7 PRIORITY.

THE VR COMMITMENT WAS HANDLED BY HML-167.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	4	4	3.0
EXTRACTS	3	3	2.6

050325H - VS-9 & 10 & 16A WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #4/14 RECEIVED ~~EXERCISE~~ AT AT874565. NEG BDA'S.

051125H - THREE VMO-2 GUNSHIPS RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT860545. NEG BDA.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
 MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 77 TASKS: 28 HOURS: 21.6 PAL: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 21 MED EVACS; 9 EMERGENCY, 10 PRIORITY & 2
ROUTINE.

HML-167 HANDLED THE VR & INERTS/EXTRACTS.

060817H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE IN SUPPORT OF III MAF ON MSN #19/18
RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT805336. NEG BDA'S.

061130H - VS-9 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF HMM-163 ON MSN #5 RECEIVED & RETURNED
FIRE AT AT942540. NEG BDA'S.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 7 TASKS: 13 HOURS: 18.0

- 061300H - 061518H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16D CONDUCTED CONVOY ESCORT FROM HILL 55 TO HILL 52. VR ELEPHANT VALLEY FOR POSSIBLE SPANISH BEACH OPS. RAN TWO (2) FLTS OF AIR ON AT945516 - NEG BDA.
- 060840H - 061140H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16B RAN 1 AIR STRIKE ON AT990528 - NEG BDA'S. RAN 3 FLIGHTS ON AT8242 GRID AREA. BDA'S - 8 STRUCTURES DESTROYED/10 STRUCTURES DAMAGED.
- 061110H - 061335H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV RAN (MSN #16C) 2 FLIGHTS ON AT817046. BDA - 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED.
- 051950H - 052130H --- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3RD MAR DIV ON MSN #36 FLEW EMERGENCY RESUPPLY OF WHOLE BLOOD TO QUANG TRI.
- 060645H - 060923H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16A FLEW VR OF AT8453 GRID & SURROUNDING AREA.
- 061500H - 061730H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16E RAN 4 FLIGHTS ON AT8354 GRID: BDA WAS 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED/6 DAMAGED & 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.
- 061755H - 061923H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6D FLEW VR OF AT8679 & 8873 - NEG SIGHTINGS.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 070001H THRU 072400H
AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 61 HOURS: 35.9 TASKS: 23

VMO-2 ESCORTED HML-163 ON 11 MED EVACS: 3 EMERGENCY, 6 PRIORITY & 2 ROUTINE.

HML-167 HANDLED THE VR COMMITMENTS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	1.9
EXTRACTS	3	3	3.6
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	3		
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	3		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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LATE REPORT: OV-10A SITREP FOR 070001H THRU 072400H.

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 6 TASKS: 18 HOURS: 24.2

070850H - 071130H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16B RAN VR MSN & 6 AIR STRIKES ON AT8354. BDA: 4 STRUCTURES DESTROYED; 8 STRUCTURES DAMAGED & 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

071040H - 071340H -- VS-25 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON BN. ON MSN #16C VR'D & RAN 6 FLTS OF AIR AT AT835470. BDA'S WERE: 9 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 6 DAM. 7 CONFIRMED KBA'S.

071445H - 071731H -- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV/OPERATION MARMALUKE THRUST ON MSN #16E RAN 5 AIR STRIKES: 2 ON AT835511; 1 ON AT830505 & AT835488. BDA'S WERE: 5 STRUCTURES DEST.; & 3 KBA'S.

071245H - 071500H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16D RAN 1 FLT AT AT995519 - 1 BUNKER DESTROYED; FLEW 2 VR'S WITH NEG SIGHTINGS.

070645H - 070920H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16A FLEW VR FOR SLF - NEG SIGHTINGS. RAN 1 AIR STRIKE ON VILLE AT BT027533 - NEG BDR. FLEW VR FOR 2/5 - NEG SIGHTINGS.

071740H - 071930H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6D REGISTERED ARMY AT AT86058312. FLEW VR OF HAPPY VALLEY & FOR 1/7 AT AT878707 - LOOKING FOR NVA SQUAD - NEG SIGHTINGS.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 2
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 2
PERCENTAGE: 100%A. W. TRENT
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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 161 TASKS: 47 HOURS: 51.0 FAX: 15

VMC-2 ESCORTED HPM-163 ON 18 MED EVACS: 8 EMERGENCY, 6 PRIORITY & 4 ROUTINE

THE FOLLOWING VR MISSIONS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
ROAD RECON	2	2	3.0

072301H - VS-15, 12 & 4A WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #14 RECEIVED FINE FROM BT011608.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 7
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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8 PLATE REPORT: OV-10A STATISTICS FRO 08 AUGUST 1968.

SORTIES: 9 TASKS: 24 HOURS: 34.8

081018H - 081245H -- A/C #155428 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN # 16C FLEW VR OF ALLENBROOKE VICINITY - SPOTTED BUNKER COMPLEX & RAN 2 FLTS ON SAME - BDA 4 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

080840H - 081105H -- A/C #155426 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN # 16B VR'D AT9869 - NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS. RAN ARTY ON AT985694 - NEG BDA'S.

081245H - 081506H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16D CONTROLLED 2 FLTS AT COORDINATES AT995544 (1FLT) & 1 AT AT992541 - NEG BDA'S. FLEW VR'S FOR 3/7, 2/27 & 1/7 WITH NEG SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS.

081445H - 081715H -- A/C #155428 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN # 16E VR'D FOR 2/5 FOUND A/A POS AT AT935512; RAN 3 FLTS ON SAME RECEIVED 1 KBA, WHITE SMOKE (APPEARED TO BE ROCKETS BURNING) FOR 05 MINUTES, 2 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS & 4 STRUCTURES DESTROYED. WORKED AT8580 WITH APD * NEG SIGHTINGS.

081745H - 081910H -- A/C #155411 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN # 6D VR'D ELEPHANT VALLEY & SIGHTED POSSIBLE ROCKET SITES AT AT855861. REGISTERED WHISKEY 2/13 AT BT037688.

080632H - 080925H -- A/C #155413 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN # 16C CONTROLLED 3 FLTS AT FOLLOWING COORDINATES: AT870518, 871523, 870519, & 869529. BDA'S - 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, & 6 DAMAGED.

080645H - 081320H -- (FLTS FOR 2 SORTIES) A/C #155410 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3RD MAR DIV ON MSN #17A/B VR'D XD9166 - NEG SIGHTINGS, VR OF XD9951 - NEG SIGHTINGS - VR OF XDO941 - NEG SIGHTINGS ARTY SPOT FOR 4TH MARINES AT 819372 & RAN 1 FLT IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SCOTLAND II - NEG BDA'S.

081800H - 082000H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION LANCASTER(WEST) ON MSN #19C VR'D LANG VEI & XD8544 - NEG SIGHTINGS.

081450H - 081720H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION LANCASTER (WEST) ON MSN #19C VR'D XD898497, 899494, 8242 & 8528 - NEG SGTS. RAN 1 FLT XD843392 - NEG BDA'S.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 090001H THRU 092400H AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 105 TASKS: 37 HOURS: 37.2 PAX: 2

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 13 MED EVACS: 7 EMERGENCY, ~~2~~ 3 PRIORITY & 3 ROUTINE

THE FOLLOWING VR MISSIONS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
APD	1	1	2.3

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	4	4	2.0
EXTRACTS	4	5	3.5

091045H - VS-1 & -7 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST RECON BN. ON AN EMERGENCY EXTRACT OF TRAILER PARK RECIEVED & RETURNED FIRE AT822755. NEG BDA.

091800H - VS-10 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF HMM-163 ON MEN #5 RECIEVED & RETURNED FIRE AT BT118588. NEG BDA'S.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 12 TASKS: 27 HOURS: 27.9

- 091800H - 092000H --- VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6D FLEW VR OF AT8586 & 8786 - NEG SIGHTINGS; VR OF AT820484 - SIGHTED X V.C. RUN INTO BUNKERS AT AT845489 - NO TIME TO RUN ARTY. 1/5" B" REPORTED 20 V.C. AT AT855531 - SPOTTED 1 RUNNING INTO HOOGH - COULD NOT GET GUNSHIPS DUE TO DARKNESS & EXPENDED 33 RKTS & 1,000 RDS.
- 091500H - 091730H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16E FLEW VR FOR G/2/27 - NEG SIGHTINGS. RAN 1 FLT ON VILLE AT AT850480 BDA WAS 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.
- 091630H - 091752H --- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR ON A FAM ROP FOR A NEW PILOT FLEW SPOT ROR TPO-10.
- 091255H - 091545H --- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16D FLEW TAC(A) & CONTROLLED 1 FLT ON VILLE AT AT850480 BDA - 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED; 2 FLE ON TREELINE (COORDINATES NOT LISTED) - BDA 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED; VR OF AT9653 AREA NOTED NEW BUNKER CONSTRUCTION; SUPPORTED WING ISO. ON PHOTO MSN.
- 091245H - 091432H --- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6C FLEW VR'S FOR 1/5 & SLF WITH NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS.
- 091055H - 091307H --- VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16C FLEW VR'S OF HAPPY VALLEY & OPERATION ALLENBROOK AREAS WITH NEG SIGHTINGS. RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON VILLE WITH 1 STRUCTURE DAM.
- 090643H - 090912H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3RD MAR DIV ON MSN #17A CONTROLLED ARTY & 1 FLT OF AIR AT XD894463 (1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION).
- 090940H - 091320H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3RD MAR DIV ON MSN #17B PICKED UP A RECON TEAM (MULESKIN) WHO HAD SIGHTED 11 NVA WHO HAD WALKED TO WITHIN 30 METERS OF THEIR POS. THEY REFUSED FIRE WING, BUT ASKED THAT WE FIRE ROCKETS AT THEM. FIRED AS REQUESTED AND KILLED/DROVE OFF THE NVA. THEN COORDINATED THE EXTRACTION OF RECON TEAM WITH HELOS (EVERYONE TOOK FIRE DURING ATTACK/RETRACTION PHASE). WHEN EXTRACTION WAS COMPLETED RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON THE AREA - NEGATIVE SPECIFIC BDA.
- 090840H - 091105H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DI V ON MSN #16B WORKED WITH RECON TEAM (TRAILER PARK) WHO WAS SURROUNDED BY ENEMY AT AT823756. RAN 2 FLTS - NEGATIVE BDA DUE TO CANOPY. RECON TEAM SUCCESSFULLY EXTRACTED. ALL FLIGHTS RECEIVED FIRE & COMPRISE 5-2 & PRESS 1-1 TOOK FIRE.

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090855H - 091046H — VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6B FIRED 175mm GUN AT ZC083727 ON SUSPECTED NVA BASE CAMP; FLEW WR FOR BRAVO 1/5 - NEG SIGNIFICANT SIGHTINGS.

090640H - 090910H — VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #16A VR'D AT AT8767 - NEG SIGHTING. RAN 1 FLT ON VILLE INTO WHICH 12 PEOPLE WERE SIGHTED RUNNING TO FROM FIELD - FLT TOOK FIRE FROM TREELINE IN VILLE. OBSERVED 2 NEW BUNKERS AT AT969535, 1 BUNKER COMPLETE 969535 & 1 CAMOFLAGED BUNKER 965538. NEG BDA'S ON FIXED WING.

091245H - 091530H — VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF 1ST MAW CHASED 16D FOR NBC CAMERA.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES 70 TASKS: 22 HOURS: 39.7 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 21 MED EVACS: 9 EMERGENCY 10 PRIORITY 2 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW THE VR MSN TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS:	4	4	3.7
EXTRACTS:	3	3	1.0
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	3		
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	3		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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101012H - 1032H --- VS-29 ONE SORTIE (TEST HOP)

101245H - 101510H --- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16D RAN 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT969535 BDA'S: 3 BUNKERS & 5 FIGHTING HOLES DEST.

100653H - 100953H --- (2 HOPS FOR 2 SORTIES) VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3RD MAR DIV ON MSN #17A VR OF XD9464 GRID & VR'S OF 0563, 0566, 0963 & 0966 GRIDS - NEG SIGHTINGS.

101030H - 101345H --- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3RD MAR DIV ON MSN #17B FLEW VR OF VANDEGRIFT DASC AREA - NEG SIGHTINGS.

101752H - 001920H --- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6D FLEW VR OF ROCKET BELT - NEG SIGHTINGS.

100948H - 101130H --- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6B FLEW AN ARTY REGISTRATION OF 175mm GUNS AT ZG1984. VR'D ZG1958 WITH NEG SIGHTINGS.

101415H - 102045H --- VS-26 (4 HOPS FOR 3 SORTIES) WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16B/D RAN 2 FLTS AT YD190745 NEG BDA. CALIBRATED 1 TPQ AT AT953647 & ASSISTED IN LOCATING & EXTRACTING A RECON TEAM.

101440H - 101715H --- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16E VR'D FOR 26TH MARINES. RAN 2 FLTS ON AT969535 NEG BDA. RAN 2 FLTS AT AT863665 - TOOK GRD FIRE & NEG BDA'S.

101350H - 101630H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6C RAN 3 FLTS ON AT863665: BDA'S 1 BUNKER DEST, 1 BUNKER DAM, & 1000 TRENCH LINE DESTROYED.

101044H - 101345H --- VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16C RAN 3 FLTS ON AT863681 BDA WAS: NEG ALSO RAN 3 FLTS ON AT862680 - NEG BDA'S.

100655H - 101915H --- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV/ALLENBROOK ON MSN #16A FLEW VR FOR G/2/7 - NEG SIGHTINGS. RAN 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT982538 - 3 SMALL SECONDARIES, 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

101447H - 101705H --- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION KENTUCKY ON MSN #17C/D FLEW VR'S OF 1055, Y603-05, 65-63 GRIDS - NEG SIGHTINGS.

100835H - 101050H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16B RAN 3 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT898592 - 3 STRUCT DEST & 1 DAM.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	3	INTERVALS:
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	3	
PERCENTAGE:	100%	ARS.

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 110001H THRU 112400H AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 149 TASKS: 38 HOURS: 40.8

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 16 MED EVACS: 8 EMERGENCY, 4 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE.

HML-167 FLEW THE INSERTS/EXTRACTS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING VR MISSIONS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
FIREFLY	3	3	5.5
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	4		
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	4		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 20 TASKS: 41 HOURS: 43.4

- 111400H - 111630H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV (2 A/C)
RAN 6 FLTS OF AIR AT AT877512 BDA WAS: 4 STRUCTURES
DEST, 2 DAMAGED.
- 111900H - 111945H & 111600H - 111830H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST
MAR DIV ON MSN #16E RAN 6 FLTS OF AIR ON VILLE AT
AT865517 BDA WAS: NEGATIVE.
- 111735H - 111900H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 11TH MARINES ON MSN #6D
FLEW VR OF ROCKET BELT FROM ELEPHANT VALLEY & SOUTH -
NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 111615H - 111825H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #23C
RAN 4 FLTS ON AT862665 - NEG BDA'S.
- 111035H - 111305H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16C
FLEW VR OF AT863665 - NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS. RAN 3 FLTS
ON AT863665 - NEG BDA'S.
- 111345H - 111619H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #23D
RAN 4 FLTS OF AIR ON BUNKERS IN AT8626 GRID - NEG BDA
DUE TO CANOPY & UNDERGROUND BUNKERS.
- 110627H - 110753H -- VS-33 & 29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #
21 FLEW HELO ESCORT & LZ RECON FOR PRESS 1-0 FLT AT
AT792325 - COMPLETED WITHOUT ANY INCIDENTS.
- 110734H - 110958H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #23A
RAN 2 FLTS ON SUSPECTED ROCKET SITES AT YD8870 GRID
BDA: 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED. 2 VR'S FOR DUNBAR COUNTY
- NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 110615H - 110755H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #21A
FLEW VR/TAC(A) CAP FOR SPICY GOGGLES.
TAC(A) OF 1 FLT - NEG BDA.
- 110645H - 110930H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16A
RAN 9 FLTS ON BUNKERS AT AT862665 - NEG BDA.
- 111200H - 111305H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #6C
FLEW AREA FAM FOR NEW AERIAL OBSERVER.
- 110845H - 111115H -- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16B
RAN 3 FLTS ON AT863665 - BDA: 4 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

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- 111245H - 111520H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1ST MAR DIV ON MSN #16
RAN 7 FLTS OF AIR ON: 3 ON AT099523 - 9 STRICT DEST &
1 DAMAGED; 4 ON AT910530 - 16 STRICT DEST & 4 DAMAGED.
- 111550H - 111625H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE LANCASTER (WEST) OPERATION
ON MSN #17C FLEW 3 VR'S FOR ICE BOAT - NEG SIGHTING.
- 111655H - 111920H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE LANCASTER (WEST) OPERATION
ON MSN #17D VR OF XD994385 & XD015355 RAN 1 FLT ON FIRST
COORDINATES - 4 INTERDICTIONS.
- 111145H - 111630H -- (1 SORTIE FOR 2 FLTS) VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION
SCOTLAND II RAN 2 FLTS ON YD137417 - NEG BDA'S.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 173 TASKS: 35 HOURS: 45.1 PAX: 0

VMO-2, ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 10 MED EVACS: 3 EMERGENCY, 6 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW THE VR MISSIONS TODAY.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 18 TASKS: 38 HOURS: 40.2

120750H - 121320H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #20 COVER FOR 1/1B1 WHILE ON SWEEP FROM YD186684 TO YD 185673. VR OF 0364 & SIGHTED SIGNS OF RECENT TRAIL & ROAD USE THROUGHOUT THE AREA. STREAM CROSSING AT YD041649 - RECENT USE BY SMALL (LIGHT) VEHICLE.

121600H - 121850H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #20 RAN 1 FLT ON YD132422 & YD101428 - NEG BDA.

121245H - 121510H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #20 RAN 1 FLT ON YD965508 - NEG BDA(S).

121245H - 121455H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #20 FLEW VR TO DONG HA (MISSION CANCELLED) VR BACK TO MMAF.

120950H - 121420H -- 2 FLTS FOR 2 SORTIES - VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #28 PROVIDED HELO ESCORT FOR LANDING AT AT823756.

120840H - 121110H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #28 RAN 5 FLTS ON AT825757 - NEG BDA'S.

120645H - 120920H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17A FLEW VR MSN & 4 FLTS OF AIR AT AT8951 & 9051 BDA: 10 STRUCT DEST., 3 DAMAGED & 1 SECONDARY.

120940H - 121430H -- 2 FLTS FOR 2 SORTIES - VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #28 FLEW HELO ESCORT FOR HMM-164 WHO CARRIED 3/1 FROM AT923803 TO AT823756.

121036H - 121321H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17C RAN 3 FLTS ON AT872556 - BDA: 6 STRUCTURES DESTROYED

121237H - 121500H -- VS-32 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17A RAN 6 FLTS ON AT86568 - BDA: 1 CONFIRMED KBA FOR HELLBORNE 219.

121345H - 121557H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #18D RAN 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT819512 - NEG BDA'S. VR'D BT076679 GRID FOR POSSIBLE ROCKET SITES - NEG SIGHTINGS VR OF ZC155573 WITH TROOPS IN CONTACT - NEG SIGHTINGS.

121600H - 121710H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #19D FLEW VR & TOOK MOTION PICTURES OF AT8666 & AT9253.

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121444H - 121706H --- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #17E
 RAN 4 FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF TROOPS IN CONTACT WITH
 ENEMY & RECEIVING HEAVY AUTO WPNS FIRE ATBT022607 -
 BDA'S: 7 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

121545H - 121820H --- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #18E
 RAN 5 FLTS OF AIR ON AT861671 - NEG BDA'S.

121700H - 121936H --- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #19E
 RAN 3 FLTS ON VILLE AT 898507 - BDA: 1 BUNKER DEST &
 1 SECONDARY. RAN 1 FLT FOR RECON TEAM "DAWN DRAGON"
 AT AT987516 - NEG BDA'S DUE TO DARKNESS.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 104 TASKS: 31 HOURS: 29.7 PAX: 3

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 10 MED EVACS: 1 EMERGENCY, 7 PRIORITY & 2 ROUTINE

THE FOLLOWING RECON (VISUAL) MISSIONS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
ROAD RECON	1	1	1.5
ROCKET BELT RECON	1	1	1.8

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	7	7	3.0
EXTRACTS	3	3	2.0

131419H — VS-3 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #9 RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT THE FOLLOWING COORDINATES: AT994581, 992578 & 003558. NRG BDA'S REPORTED.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 21 TASKS: 40 HOURS: 40.1

- 130655H - 131205H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #22A
FLEW VR OF AREA NORTH OF DONG HA * NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 130800H - 131026H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #22B
FLEW VR NORTHWEST OF DONG HA - CANX DUE TO WX. FLEW
PHOTO MISSION AT HILL 310 - OV-10A IN ACTION.
- 131735H - 131930H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #6D
FLEW VR'S OF AT8049 TO 8045 & BT0372 AREAS - NEG SOTS
OBSERVED 81mm MISSION.
- 131600H - 131835H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #21D
FLEW VR OF AT845, 954 & 9993 AREAS. NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 131445H - 131725H -- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #20D
RAN 7 FLTS ON HILL 270 (865680) - BDA'S AS FOLLOWS:
1 BUNKER DESTROYED & 75 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DESTROYED.
ALL FLTS RECEIVED GRD FIRE.
- 131700H - 131930H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #21E
RAN 7 FLTS ON WIKKE HILL AT AT865682 - NEG BDA'S. RE-
PORTED TRAIL COMING OFF HILL 270 AT AT865682 GOING WEST
TO AT838671 & THEN SOUTH TO HILL 502 (APPEARED TO BE A
NEW TRAIL)
- 130700H - 130930H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #23A
VR'D FOR 1/5, ARTY MSN BY BEECHNUT "F" & 1 AIR STRIKE
FOR GUNSMOKE 14 - NEG BDA'S.
- 130655H - 131025H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #19A
RAN 3 FLTS AT AT865681 & 1 AT AT862674 - NEG BDA'S.
- 130737H - 130955H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #20A
RAN 2 AIR STRIKES & 1 ARTY MSN AT 809059 - NEG BDA'S.
- 130810H - 131030H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #21B
RAN VR & 1 FLT AT BT032524 - 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED. VR
AT8050 - NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 130845H - 131110H ** VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #19B
RAN 1 FLT AT AT863683 - NEG BDA. 1 ARTY MSN AT8616742
- NEG CASUALTIES. VR FOR DANANG DASC AT AT8155 - NEG
SIGHTINGS.
- 131050H - 131318H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION MARMALUKE THRUST
ON MSN #19C CONTROLLED 3 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT844529 -
NEG BDA'S. VR OF ARIZONA AREA * NEG SIGHTINGS.

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131100H - 131330H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #21C
 FLEW A VR MSN ON AT805052 GRID - SIGHTED; BUNKERS AT
 AT805052, EXCESSIVE AMOUNT OF RIVE. TRAFFIC FROM 1805
 SOUTH TO 1502, 1 CAMOFLAGED BUNKER AT 174044 & 1 FLAT
 BOTTOM BOAT (THAT APPEARED TO MILITARY TYPE) ON RIVER BANK
 IN TREELINE AT AT177045.

131200H - 131437H - VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #20C
 RAN 4 FLTS ON AT867671 - 867674 - 865680; BDA'S - 1
 KBA. TROOPS ASSAULTED 862671 & RECIEVED GRENADES &
 SA FIRE & PULLED BACK. WE CALLED FOR RELIEF ON STATION
 AND MORE D9'S.

131245H - 131505H - VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #19D
 RAN 2 FLTS ON AT954560 & 1 ON AT862675 - BDA WAS 2 STRUCT
 & 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

131545H - 131615H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #19E
 FLEW VR OF BT0160 - NEG SIGHTINGS. RAN 5 FLTS ON VILLE
 AT FOLLOWING COORDINATES: AT846984, AT870535 & AT874515.
 BDA WAS 5 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 67 TASKS: 24 HOURS: 39.3 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 11 MED EVACS: 4 EMERGENCY, 6 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE.

VMO-2 FLEW 1 APD MISSION FOR A TOTAL OF 1.6 HRS.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	3	3	2.0
EXTRACTS	4	4	2.2
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	3		
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	3		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 23 TASKS: 54 HOURS: 64.5

- 141545H - 141755H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF AN ARVN CONVOY ON MSN #21E FLEW CONVOY ESCORT FROM AT8472 TO AT8874 - NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 141540H - 141825H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #20E FLEW VR'S OF ZC176979 & AT830040 - NEG SIGHTINGS. RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR ON(COORDINATES NOT ON AAR) - NEG BDA'S.
- 141405H - 141945H -- (4.3 HOURS) VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION KENTUCKY VR'D 8541, 8341, YD164738 & ID978592 - NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 141750H - 141920H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #6D FLEW PHOTO VR OF ZC1067 AREA. VR OF ARIZONA AREA, AREA AROUND SLF CP & 3/27 AREA - NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 140745H - 141015H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT FO THE 1st DIV ON MSN #21A FLEW VR OF ALLENBROOKE AREA - SIGHTED 8 PEOPLE WORKING ON BUNKERS IN AT085525 GRID. RAN 1 FLT ON AT006552 - 20 METERS OF TREELINE DESTROYED.
- 140736H - 141000H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #20A RAN 2 FLTS (1 ON AT807049 & 1 ON 835065) WITH NEG BDA.
- 140637H - 140925H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19A RAN 7 FLTS AT AT865682 - NEG BDA. VR FOR L/3/5 - NEG SGT'S.
- 140630H - 140900H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE US ARMY ON MSN #27 RAN 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT898592 - NEG BDA. VR'D AT8275 - NEG SGT'S. COVERED EXTRACTION OF ARVN UNITS FROM AT796318 AND AT825389.
- 140834H - 141120H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION SHERWOOD FOREST ON MSN #14B CONDUCTED VR & ADJUSTED ARTY FOR 3/5.
- 141045H - 141310H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19 RAN 3 FLTS ON VC AT AT861679 - NEG BDA. RAN 1 FLT ON AT876706 - NEG BDA.
- 140805H - 141245H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22B FLEW VR'S OF XD826338, XD819327, YD007386 & XD9468. NEG SIGHTINGS.
- 140945H - 141220H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF TASK FORCE X-RAY ON MSN #20B CONTROLLED 1 PRE-PLANNED FLT OF AIR AT ZC063892 - NEG BDA'S. FLRW VR'S OF ZC2000 & AV0207 - NEG SGT'S.

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- 141148H - 141422H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE TASK FORCE X-RAY ON MSN # 21C FLEW VR'S FOR 3/26 - FOUND CAVE/TUNNEL ENTRANCE & POSSIBLE MORTAR SITE AT AT809988.
- 140640H - 141250H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION LAMASTER ON MSN 22A RAN 1 FLT ON XD966640 - NEG BDA'S.
- 141228H - 141745H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22 RAN VR - NEG SIGHTINGS RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON XD893587 * NEG BDA. SEARCHED FOR & FOUND 105mm SHELLS DROPPED BY CH-53 AT YD062432.
- 141444H - 141732H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV (SHERWOOD FOREST) VR & 3 FLTS ON AT838660 - NEG BDA'S. PHOTO MSN FOR PENNYWISE 1/7.
- 141248H - 141519H -- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19D FLEW VR OF SEASIDE AREA & RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON AT876679 - NEG BDA. SIGHTED 20 FIGHTINGHOLES ON ABOVE VR.
- 141145H - 141415H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #20C RAN VR MSN AT AT842495 & RAN 1 FLT AT AT962524 - 2 STRUCTURES DAMAGED.
- 141340H - 141610H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #21D FLEW VR OF ZG1067 - NEG SIGNIFICANT SGTS. RAN 2 FLTS FOR 2/7 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED. RAN 2 FLTS FOR QUIZMASTER 14 3 STRUCTURES DEST.
- 140949H - 141205H -- VS28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #21B RAN 2 FLTS AT BT003531 & AT983533 - NEG BDA'S. RAN 1 FLT AT AT904521 2 STRUCTURES DEST & 1 DAMAGED.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 153 TASKS: 44 HOURS: 29.6 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 13 MED EVACS: 5 EMERGENCY, 6 PRIORITY & 2 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW THE VR MISSIONS TODAY. *with (GA) & APD*

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	1.5
EXTRACTS	4	4	1.8
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	5		
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	5		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 23 TASKS: 41 HOURS: 47.4

- 151720H @ 151959H — VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #60 FLEW VR OF ALLENBROOK AREA, FIRED ARTY MSN AT AT980535 - 1 BUNKER DESTROYED.
- 151624H - 151750H - VS-22 FLEW FOR 1 SORTIE & 1.4 HRS ON A PILOT'S INST CHECK.
- 150749H - 151230H — (TWO HOPS & 1 SORTIES) VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22B RAN 1 FLT TO DESTROY A DOWNED CR-46 ATXDO15352. A/cG DEVELOPED HYDRAULIC TROUBLE & RETURNED TO MMAF.
- 150645 - 151240H — (2 HOPS & 2 SORTIES) VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22A RAN 1 FLT ON LZ PREP AT YDO15395. SIGHTED 1 NVA IN GREEN UTILITIES ON A HEAVY TRAIL RUNNING NORTH TO SOUTH AT OO1665.
- 151400H - 151920H — VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22D RAN 2 FLTS (1 AT XD893374 & 1 AT XD88999) WITH NEG BDA'S.
- 151305H - 151845H — VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd MAR DIV ON MSN #22C ASSISTED 2/3 RECEIVING SA FIRE & AW FIRE ATXDO80598 - RAN 1 FLT FOR TARGET COVERAGE - NEG BDA'S. 2nd HOP - WHILE ON VR RECEIVED .50 CAL FIRE AT XD873371 RAN 3 FLTS - BDA: 3 KBA & AW POSIT DESTROYED.
- 151145H - 151431H — VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #20C CONDUCTED PHOTO MSN FOR DIVISION G-2. VR'D ALLENBROOK AREA, SIGHTED FRESH FIGHTING HOLES AT AT968521, NEW STRUCTURES AT 950538, BUNKER AT 955530. RAN 2 FLTS - BDA - 1 BUNKER DESTROYED & 5 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.
- 151250H - 151415H — VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #6C VR'D FOR SLF & CONTROLLED 1 FIRE MSN AT AT980535 - 1 HOCH DESTROYED & 1 PROBABLE KBA.
- 151255H - 151530H — VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19D FLEW A GENERAL VR IN SUPPORT OF NATIVE BIRD 14.
- 151500H - 151736H — VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19E RAN 5 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT883527 - 14 STRUCTURES DEST, 5 BUNKERS DEST, & 90 METERS OF TRENCH DEST.
- 151140H - 151410H — VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV (TFX) FLEW GENERAL VR FOR 3/26 - SPOTTED CAVE AT AU837075 - RAN 1 FLT & DESTROYED SAME.

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- 151045H - 151253H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19C FLEW GENERAL VR FOR 5th MARINES - OBSERVED 2 MEN IN KHAKI ON TRAIL MOVING SOUTHSOUTHEAST * COULD NOT GET CLEARANCE FOR TARGET FOR REASONS UNKNOWN. RAN 1 FLT ON SUSPECTED VC HARBOR SITE FOR 1/7.
- 150940H - 151205H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HOUSTON ON MSN #200 VR'D AT8098 GRID FOR POSSIBLE MORTAR SITE. RAN 1 FLT AT 835060.
- 150945H - 151215H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF K/3/27 ON MSN #21B CHECKED IN WITH COMPOKE BASE & WAS INFORMED OF 20 NVA AT BT083668. ARRIVED IN AREA & CHECKED INN WITH SANFORD 14 & THEN CHECKED THE AREA. 9 MAN PATROL (FRIENDLY) STARTED MOVING WEST INTO THE VILLE & WE SPOTTED 6 NVA RUNNING WEST WITH WEAPONS. THEY STOPPED AT BT082668 & WE RAN 3 FLTS ON THEM - 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED.
- 150840H - 151115H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19B FLEW VR & RAN 4 AIR STRIKES AT AT832660.
- 150840H - 151030H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #6B FLEW VR OF ALLENBROOK AREA - SPOTTED FRESH DEFENSIVE POSITS AT AT925465 & SEVERAL VC AT AT949461. AREA OF AT9753 & 9853 SHOWS 5 TO 6 NEW HOCHES BEING BUILT.
- 150645H - 150920H -- VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19A FLEW VR F R & RAN 4 FLTS ON BUNKER COMPLEX AT AT834659. CONDUCTED ARTY PREP OF AREA.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 160001H THRU 162400H
AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 74 TASKS: 18 HOURS: 40.2 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 12 MED EVACS: 4 EMERGENCY, 7 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW THE APD & 6A MSNS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	1.4
EXTRACTS	1	1	0.5

SAME FLIGHT ALSO RESUPPLIED TRAILER PARK & LYNCH LAW.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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- 160632H - 160958H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT FO THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22A -- 1st HOP FLEW VR OF 3rd DIV TAOR. 2nd HOP GENERAL VR SPOTTED 5 UNIFORMED NVA AT YD012692 -- RAN 4 FLTS ON SAME. HOSTAGE X-RAY RECIEVED FIRE WHILE MARKING TGT FIRST THREE FLTS OF AIR RECIEVED FIRE.
- 160640H - 160922H -- VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ALLENBROOK ON MSN #19A CONDUCTED 1 FLT OF AIR & ARTY MSN AT AT980535. BDA WAS - 1 BUNKER & STRUCTURE DEST. FLEW VR OF ALLENBROOK AREA.
- 160740H - 160920H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #20A RAN VR & 2 FLTS OF AIR AT AT876706 & AT869096. ALSO FLEW VR OF YELLOW BRICK ROAD
- 160748H - 161025H -- VS-21 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #21A FLEW VR FOR "B" Co. 3/1.
- 160755H - 161210H ** VS-20 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION KENTUCKY ON MSN #20B RAN 4 FLTS OF AIR. ~~BOOK~~ COORDINATES OF AIR STRIKES WERE: YD009692 & YD0001673. SPOTTED NUMEROUS FRESH TRAILS IN AREA APPEARS TO BE AN INFILTRATION ROUTE FROM NORTH VIETNAM.
- 160830H - 161111H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19B FLEW VR & RAN 1 FLT AT885526 - 3 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.
- 160955H - 161130H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ALLENBROOK ONMSN #6B VR'D ALLENBROOK AREA & FIRED 1 ARTY MSN AT AT973 538 GRID.
- 161007H - 161217H -- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF TASK FORCE X-RAY ON MSN #20B FLEW VR & CONTROLLED 1 FLT AT AU805049 - 1 FOOTBRIDGE & 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.
- 161045H - 161320H -- VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19C FLEW VR'S OF AT803461 TO ZC175466, ZC202453 TO ZC191446, & AT800454 TO AT800436 AREAS - FOUND 3 WELL USED TRAILS. RAN 1 FLT ON VILLE AT AT872520 - 3 STRUCTURES & 1 BUNKER DESTROYED.
- 161138H - 161414H -- VS-22 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19C FLEW GENERAL VR FOE 3/27 & RAN 1 FLT OF AIR AT BT059628 - 1 ROCKET SITE DEST & 1 DAMAGED.
- 161225H - 161830H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON MSN #22C RAN 3 FLT ATXD890389 & 1 TPQ AT XDS77354 - 14 BUNKERS DEST.

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- 161330H - 161620H -- VS-24 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV (OPERATION ALLENBROOK) FLEW GENERAL VR & RAN 2 AIR FLTS AT BT025 550.
- 161345H - 161905H -- VS-33 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #22D RAN 7 FLTS OF AIR ON XD893374.
- 161345H - 161515H -- VS-29 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19D RAN 4 FLTS AT AT891510 - 11 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.
- 161400H - 161536H -- VS-31 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #6C REGISTERED 175mm GUNS AT AT86004598. VR'D HAPPY VALLEY & BT0965.
- 161449H - 161727H -- VS-32 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19E RAN VR & ARTY MSN AT AT892514.
- 161545H - 161745H -- VS-23 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #21B FLEW VR OF AT883742.
- 161545H - 161815H -- VS-28 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #19E VR'D 894555 & RAN 1 FLT ON AT855548 - 1 VC KBA.
- 161600H - 161830H -- VS-30 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #20E FLEW GENERAL VR OF ZC2048 & RAN TPQ AT AT831881.
- 161800H - 161930H -- VS-26 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st DIV ON MSN #6D RAN 2 FLTS, 1 ARTY MSN & 1 VR AT AT894555 - 1 BUNKER DEST.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 39 TASKS: 15 HOURS: 18.1 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 10 MED EVACS: 4 EMERGENCY, 5 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW MSNS 6A TODAY.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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THE FOLLOWING MSN WERE CANCELLED DUE TO WX: ALL OF MSN 22, 6B & C, 19C & 21B

MSN 19A RAN 4 FLTS OF AIR ON OBJECTIVE PREP FOR THE 5th MARINES AT AT934493 THE ATTACK AIRCRAFT TOOK HEAVY GROUND FIRE (.50 CAL) FROM TARGET AREA DURING MARGINAL WX CONDITIONS (HELLBORNE 536, 537 & 219). SIGHTED APPROX 100 PEOPLE MOVING FROM OBJECTIVE AREA TO AT954521.

MSN 19B VR'D FOR H3C AT BT017605 TO 025607 - REC FIRE FROM BT001608 CALLED ARTY MSN ON .50 CAL SITE.

19D CONTROLLED 3 FLTS OF AIR FOR 1/7 AT AT955500 WHERE 10 NVA/VA WERE OBSERVED MOVING. DESTROYED 11 STRUCTURES & DAMAGED 6. CONDUCTED VR FOR 7th MARINES.

19E CONTROLLED 2 FLTS OF AIR ON VILLE (FORTIFIED) AT AT953511/AT941502 GRIDS.

20B FLEW GENERAL VR FOR 3/5 & 3/7. CONTROLLED 1 FLT ON VC VILLE AT AT940499.

20C RAN GENERAL VR FOR 27th MARINES IN THE ALLENBROOK AREA.

20D VR'D FOR D/1/7. ESCORTED INSERTS TO AT882742.

20E RAN 1 AIR STRIKE FOR 7th MARINES IN VICINITY OF AT930495 WHERE ENCIRCLING TRBOPS HAD SPOTTED ENEMY MOVEMENT OF 35 - 40 VC. RAN GENERAL VR OF THE AREA.

21A WORKED FOR 3/5, 2/7, & 2/5 WHO HAD ENEMY FORCE SURROUNDED IN FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT934493 - SPOTTED ADDITIONAL VC, ABOUT 8 OF THEM AT AT943495 IN BLACK PJ'S AND RUNNING SOUTH. RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR ON VILLE & CALLED IN 81mm MORTARS ON VC - 10 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

MSN 43 FLEW A BLOOD RUN FROM DANANG TO PHU BAI.

6D CONTROLLED 1 FIRE MSN AT AT893552 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED & 1 BUNKER DAMAGED - FIRE BTRY "K" 4/11.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 1
PERCENTAGE: 20%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 180001H THRU 182400H
AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 45 TASKS: 22 HOURS: 31.6 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 10 MED EVACS: 4 EMERGENCY, 4 PRIORITY & 2 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW THE APD & MSN 6a TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	4	4	3.6
EXTRACTS	1	1	1.1

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 20 TASKS: 29 HOURS: 45.8

MSN 21: A LINE - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 3rd DIV - GENERAL VR - SPOTTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE 4 VEHICLES HEAVILY CAMOFLAGED AT ID911698. RAN 1 AIR STRIKE.

LINE B - WORKED WITH 1/3 WHO WAS IN HEAVY CONTACT FROM TWO SIDES AT ID056 676. - A Co. DECIDED TO PULL BACK - HAD ESTIMATED SQUAD OF NVA IN BUNKERS ON HIGH GRD STOVE, THEIR POSITION - PULL BACK WAS INITIATED FLEW 2 VR'S IN LEATHERNECK SQUARE AREA OF OPERATIONS & RETURNED TO SIGHT OF CONTACT TO DELIVER FIRE ON FLEEING TARGETS (3 NVA)

LINE C: SPOTTED NVA AMBUSH 3 - 5 NVA IN UNIFORMS, PITH HELMET & SMALL ARMS. ADJUSTED 60mm ARTY - COORDINATES YD089630 - GRD PRES- ENTLY SWEEPING THE AREA - FLEW 2 VR'S & SECURED EARLY DUE TO WX.

MSN 6: LINE B: FLEW VR OF ELEPHANT VALLEY & RAN 3 FLTS AT AT882472 FOR C Co. 1/7 - 1 AW POSITION DESTROYED.

LINE C: FLEW VR OF ROCKET BELT FOR 11th MARINES.

LINE D: VR OF AREA VICINITY AN HOA XIKE FOR 5th MARINES. SPOTTED SERIES OF DEFENSIVE POSITIONS 4 - 10 SPACED ABOUT 300 - 400 METERS APART FROM AT19151460 TO AT960488 ALSO 30 - 40 HOLES ON EACH PEAK AT AT906439 & 907435.

MSN 18: LINE A: VR FOR 5th MARINES: FOUND MANY TRAILS LEADING ONTO BT960 522 MOST WERE COMING FROM WEST TO EAST THROUGH RICE PADDY & GRASS, MOST WERE GOING TO ROAD TO THE EAST. RAN 3 FLTS FOR 3/5 AT AT794 4504. HELLBORNE 505 AT935496 - 11 STRUCTURES DEST & 150 METERS OF TRENCHLINE DEST.

LINE B: SUPPORTED 2/7 (OPERATION ALLENBROOK) BY CONTROLLING 4 AIR STRIKES ON VILLE AT AT956512. GROUND TROOPS & ALL A/C RECEIVED HEAVY SA FIRE FROM THIS GRID. 7 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

LINE C: SUPPORTED 5th MARINES WITH VR & 2/5 WITH 4 AIR STRIKES & VR.

LINE D: WORKED FOR 2/5 AND 2/7 ON VR TROOPS OF E/2/7 IN CONTACT WITH ENEMY IN FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT954508 - CALLED IN 4 FLTS OF AIR - BDA - 6 STRUCTURES DEST - TROOPS STILL IN CONTACT.

LINE E: SUPPORTED E - 2/7 AS TAC(A) 5 FLIGHTS ON 954508 BDA - 5 STRUCTURES DEST. TAC(A) FOR G - 2/5 6 STRUCT DEST 7 1 DAMAGED.

MSN 19: LINE A: VR FOR 1/3/5 ON SWEEP FROM HILL 55 WEST 700 METERS TO HILL 42.

LINE B: VR FOR 3/5 AT AT9660. RAN 1 FLT IN SUPPORT OF SLF AT AT957510.

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LINE C: VR IN SUPPORT OF 2/27 OF 9861 AND VICINITY - SIGHTED 2 MALES (NVA), 4 MORTAR POSIT, TRENCHLINE AT BT001608. FIRED ARTY ECHO BTRY - 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED, RAN 1 NET OB BT001608 (.50 CAL POSIT) 1 STRUCTURE DEST & 20m TRENCHLINE DESTROYED.

LINE D: PROVIDED VR IN THE PHU BAI AREA FOR 27th MARINES.

MSN 20: LINE A: WORKED WITH 26th MARINES THE AREA OF OPERATIONS (VR). RAN 1 FLT ON BUNKERS AT AU639065 & 1 AT ZC034005. TROOPS WERE RECEIVING MORTAR & GED FIRE FROM THIS POSIT.

LINE B: RAN 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT899992 FOR 3/7 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED. FLEW VR FOR 3/7 FOR MORTAR & ROCKET SITES AT AT898528. VR FOR ROCKET SITES AT AT9568 & VR FOR 3/27.

MSN 35: PROVIDED PHOTO COVERAGE FOR ISO; OV-10A CONTROLLING AIR STRIKES FOR 1st MAR DIV UNITS, DANANG TAOR.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 156 TASKS: 48 HOURS: 35.7 FAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HM-163 ON 22 MED EVACS: 10 EMERGENCY, 9 PRIORITY & 3 ROUTINE.

HML-167 FLEW THE APD & 6A MSNS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	1	1	1.4
EXTRACTS	1	1	1.3
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	4		
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	4		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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AUGUST 1968. PART II.

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 24 TASKS: 43 HOURS: 60.8

- MSN #18: LINE A - RAN AIR STRIKE ON REPORTED 24 NVA IN TREELINE FOR 5th MARINES AT AT81552. RAN 2 MORE ON FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT952513 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED & 20 METERS OF TRENCH CUT.
- LINE B - CONDUCTED VR FOR 27th MARINES AND 5th MARINES IN 130th TAOR.
- LINE C: RAN 5 FLTS ON AT951513 - 5 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 2 DAMAGED & 7 BUNKERS DESTROYED. RAN 2 MORE IN AT954517 - 7 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ 4 BUNKERS DESTROYED & 2 KBA. FLTS IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 & G/2/7.
- LINE D - GENERAL VR FOR 3/1 AT AT8586 - RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR FOR 5th MARINES - 6 BUNKERS DESTROYED & 2 STRUCTURES DAMAGED.
- LINE E - RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF 2/7 & 3/5.
- MSN #19: LINE A - RAN VR MISSIONS IN SUPPORT OF THE 5th MARINES.
- LINE B - VR FOR 1st RECON Bn. AT 953526 & 968554, 969535 & 977548. CONVOY ESCORT FOR COMPANY CAR BRAVO 2 FROM AN HOA TO LIBERTY BRIDGE. VR FOR SEGMENT "E" IN GRID AT9460.
- LINE C - VR FOR 26th MARINES. VR FOR N. TIDE 3/26 IN THE AU AREA. REPORTED 1 BUNKER AT AU202040 GRID. VR FOR TEMPLE LAKE 1/26 - SIGHTED 7 PEOPLE & 1 BOAT AT ZC959024, THEY WERE CARRYING BASKETS & LOADING THEM INTO THE BOAT. REPORTED THIS TO GROUND UNIT.
- LINE D - FLEW GENERAL VR MISSIONS FOR 27th MARINES & 5th MARINES.
- MSN #20: LINE A: CONDUCTED GENERAL VR MISSIONS FOR 3/27 INDIA.
- LINE B - CONTROLLED 2 FLIGHTS FOR 1/7 ON SUSPECTED BUNKER COMPLEX IN AT882743 GRID. RAN 3 MORE FOR 2/7 ON VC VILLE IN AT965517 GRID.
- MSN #21: LINE A - RAN 4 FLTS ON NVX IN BUNKERS AT AT058669.
- LINE B - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 9th MARINES * "M" Co. 3/9 HAD CONTACT TO THEIR NORTH - RAN 1 FLT AT YD946692 WHERE THEY HAD SPOTTED NVA. SPOTTED 15 NVA AT XD946692.
- LINE C - WORKED WITH 2/3, LOCATED MOVING UNITS & RAN 2 FLTS AT ND044633 ON OBJECTIVE PREP - 5 BUNKERS DAMAGED. IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION LANCASTER II. SECOND HOP: 3/9 RECEIVING INCOMING OF UNKNOWN VARIETY - LOCATED 15 NVA IN BUNKER COMPLEX AT YD068698 AND RAN 1 FLT ON THE POSITION - SUSPECT AW OR ARTY PIECE IN AREA.

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MSN #21: LINE D - 1ST HOP - WORKED WITH 3/9 ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE AN ACTIVE ARTY PIECE. SPOTTED OLD P3m FRESHLY CAMOFLAGED AT YD083679. ALSO 3 SUSPECTED NVA AT YD085667.

MSN #6: LINE B - VR'S FOR 3/1, 1/7, & 3/27 ALONG ROCKET BELT.

LINE C - FIRED BTRY #K* 4/11 AT BUNKER AT AT871543 - 2 STRUCTURES, 1 BUNKER DESTROYED & 1 STRUCTURE DAMAGED.

LINE D: VR OF VICINITY BT0059 FOR REPORTED 15 NVA & VR OF 5th MARINES AREA.

LATE REPORTES FROM 180001H THRU 182400H AUGUST 1968.

MSN #37: VR'D NORTH OF DONG HA ON PILOT AREA CHECK. VR'D FROM HILL 55 SOUTH ON SOUTHERN TAOR ON AREA FAM.

MSN #21: LINE D - RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON XX YD092670 - ACTIVE MORTAR POSIT DESTROYED MORTAR PIT. OBSERVED 2 NVA & REGIEVED GROUND FIRE FROM BOTH OF THE ABOVE COORDINATES.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 60 TASKS: 25 HOURS: 39.7 PAX:0

DURING THE ABOVE PERIOD VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 18 MED EVACS: 5 EMERGENCY, 8 PRIORITY & 5 ROUTINE.

HML-167 FLEW THE APD MSN & MSN #6A,B & C TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	5	5	2.7
EXTRACTS	5	5	3.1
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	4		
MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	4		
PERCENTAGE:	100%		

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 200001H THRU 202400H AUGUST 68

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 22 TASKS: 34 HOURS: 47.6

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR 2/27 SIGHTED 1 MALE IN KHAKI, NEG WEAPONS OR CAMOFLAGE IN VILLE AT AT991601. IN SUPPORT OF 5th MARINES RAN 6 FLTS OF AIR ON AT952529 - 1 KBA (NVA IN OPEN). KILLED 1 VC WITH OV-10A FLEEING FROM THE SCENE.

LINE B - GENERAL VR IN ALLENBROOK AREA. RAN 2 FLTS FOR QUIXMASTER 14 ON PREP OF FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT954524 - 3 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 4 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 7 FIGHTING HOLES & 100 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DEST.

LINE C - VR OF 3/26 TAOR AND OF YD965023 FOR "C" Co. 1/26. COVERED CONVOY FROM PHU LOC TO BASE OF MOUNTAINS AT HAI VAN.

LINE D - RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR ON FORTIFIED VILLES FOR 2/5 & 2/7 AT AT 965517 - 8 STRUCTURES DESTROYED - 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION; AT966520 - 6 STRUCTURES DESTROYED; VR'D FOR G/2/7 - SIGHTED 1 A/A POSIT & 2 MOR-TAR PITS AT AT970518, FOUND A/A POSIT AT AT981517.

LINE E - GENERAL VR OF AT965517 FOR 2/5 & 2/7, RAN 4 FLTS ON FORTIFIED VILLE - 4 BUNKERS, 6 STRUCTURES, & 7 FIGHTING HOLES DESTROYED.

MSN #19: LINE A - (A) RAN VR MSN FOR NATIVE BIRD (SLF) AT AT9650, 9550, 9551 & 9552. (B) RAN FIVE AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 AT AT954524 - 10 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 100 METERS OF TREELINE DESTROYED.

LINE B - 1. VR FOR 3/26 OF A08304 - 2. VR FOR CAP UNIT (PHU LOG) OF ZC097976 - 3. VR FOR CAP UNIT (PHU LOC) OF ZD105020.

LINE C - RAN TPQ FOR PHU BAI ASRT AT YC948866. FINAL RUN ORDNANCE ON TARGET. GENERAL VR FOR NORTH TIDE 14K. AT AT917924.

LINE D - REPORTED TO PHU BAI AREA TO WORK BUT COULD NOT OBTAIN A MIS-SION. RETURNED SOUTH & WORKED WITH MILLBROOK ON A VR MISSION.

MSN #20: LINE A - FLEW VR'S FOR "I" Co. 3/5 & 27th MARINES.

LINE B - GENERAL VR OF 1st MAR DIV AREA.

LINE C - VR FOR 1/7 IN AT8874, CONTROLLED 2 FLTS FOR G/2/7 ON VC VILLES; AT965517 & 965515 - 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED.

MSN #21: LINE A - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 3/9 & 2/9, RAN 4 FLTS FOR 3/9 - AREA PREP - 6 BUNKERS DESTROYED & 10 METERS OF TRENCHLINE DESTROYED. RAN 1 FLT IN SUPPORT OF 2/9 - 1 COMPANY OF 2/9 SIGHTED 25 TO 30 NVA ON THEIR WESTERN FLANKS - THE NVA BROKE & RAN TO THE NORTH.

LINE B - AT092682 - .50 CAL PITS. YD051705 BUNKER COMPLEX RAN FIXED WING

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WING AT YD105687 RAN 1 FLT ON TRENCHLINE - 20 METERS DESTROYED, AT YD082688 BUNKER COMPLEX RAN FIRED WING - 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED, LOCATED LOST RECON TEAM AT YD969648 - OBSERVED HIGHWAY 102 FROM SOUTH OF RIVER APPEARS TO HAVE RECENT VEHICLE.

LINE C - WORKED FOR "E-UP" 3/9 ON A GENERAL VR. WORKED 2 EXTRACTION S FOR 3rd RECON Bn. 1 AT YD125464 & 1 AT YD999440. WORKED FOR 4th MARINES ON VR - SIGHTED 2 NVA AT YD816486, 3 SUSP OP AT YD815473. WORKED FOR 3rd RECON Bn. LOCATED 2 TEAMS; 1 AT YD942638 & 1 AT YD964690.

MSN #6: LINE D - WEATHER IFR & COULD NOT REGISTER 175mm GUNS IN ELEPHANT VALLEY. COMPOKE HAD NO MISSION EITHER SO RETURNED TO MMAP.

LATE REPORT FOR 150001H THRU 152400H AUGUST 1968.

MSN #19: LINE E - CHASED MSN 19E ON ISO TASK IN SUPPORT OF 1st MAN.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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AUGUST 1968.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 64 TASKS: 23 HOURS: 45.2 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-162 ON 8 MED EVACS: 3 EMERGENCY, 5 PRIORITY & 2 ROUTINE
HML-167 FLEW MSN 6A, B & C AND THE APD MISSIONS TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	9	9	5.0
EXTRACTS	5	5	2.5

211135H - VS-1 & 4 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON Bn. ATTEMPTED INSERT
OF "FASTDAY" TEAM. THE AIRCRAFT RECEIVED INTENSE FIRE & THE INSERT
WAS INCOMPLETE. THE SAME FLIGHT ALSO RECEIVED FIRE & RETURNED
SAME AT 20151595 WHILE ON EMERGENCY EXTRACT OF "PARRELL BARS" TEAM.
INCOMPLETE INSERT WAS AT COORDINATES AT825737.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 2
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 2
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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AUGUST 1968. PART II.

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 24 TASKS: 42 HOURS: 53.5

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MSN #18: LINE ~~IE~~ - VR'D FOR 2/7 AROUND AT9553 AND RAN 3 AIR STRIKES IN
SUPPORT OF 2/7 PLUS OBSERVED ARTY FOR THEM.

LINE B - RAN 3 AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF "F" Co. 2/7, PREPING
AREAS FORWARD OF THEIR ADVANCE; CONDUCTED VR OF AT937529 GRID
SPOTTED 7 PERSONS IN LIGHT CLOTHES (PJ'S) MOVING NORTHWEST.

LINE C - VR'D FOR 3/26 THEN ESCORTED CONVOY AND RAN 1 AIR STRIKE
FOR PHU BAI DASC.

LINE D - WORKED FOR G/2/7 WHO WAS RECEIVING SMALL ARMS FIRE IN
VICINITY OF AT971536, RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR - 4 STRUCTURES DEST, 50
METERS OF TRENCH CUT.

LINE E - RAN 1 AIR STRIKE FOR 2/7 ON TRENCHLINE IN WHICH 2 PERSONS
WERE OBSERVED RUNNING, AFTER THE STRIKE 5 WERE OBSERVED RUNNING
IN A WESTERN DIRECTION; CONDUCTED VR OF ALLENBROOK & ARIZONA AREAS
FOR 2/7, 3/5 & 5th MARINES. CONDUCTED VR OF RIVER RUNNING FROM
LIBERTY BRIDGE NORTH TO HILL 65.

MSN #19: LINE A - SUPPORTED SWIFT SCOUT TRANSPORT-3 WITH VR AND CONVOY COVER
ESCORT.

LINE C - RAN VR FOR 3/1 AT BT8877, 8878, & 8777.

LINE D * RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR FOR 3rd Bn. 7th MARINES AT AT896599,
SUSPECTED BUNKER.

LINE E - GENERAL VR FOR SLF, 3/7 AND CONVOY ESCORT FOR K/3/1.

MSN #20: LINE A - VR FOR 1/5. SIGHTED BUNKERS AT AT845528 RAN 2 FLTS OF
AIR - 4 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 1 BUNKER DESTROYED, 1 BUNKER DAM.,
SIGHTED NEW BUNKER AT AT863538 - RAN 1 FLT ON SAME - 1 STRUCTURE
DESTROYED. SIGHTED BUNKERS IN TRENCHLINE AT AT843527 - RAN 2 FLTS
ON SAME - 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED & 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED.

LINE B - VR'D FOR 1/5 FOUND FORTIFIED VILLE & RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR
ON SAME - 4 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 3 DAMAGED. VR'D FOR 2/7 TROOPS
IN CONTACT; TROOPS RECEIVING FIRE FROM AT967540 - RAN 3 FLTS ON
AT 969552.

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MSN #21: LINE B - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF INDIA 3/9 - SPOTTED BUNKER COMPLEX WITH TRENCH LINES - AT YD050675 - RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR ON THIS TARGET - 6 BUNKERS DESTROYED, SEVERAL SECONDARIES (REPORTED BY GRD UNITS) & 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED (RPTD BY GRD UNITS). PREP OF AREA AT YD040682, FOR 9th MARINES.

LINE C - RAN 4 FLIGHTS OF AIR AT XT YD04567 - LZ PREP. RAN 1 FLT ON A ROAD AT XD973582 - 2 NVA ON HILL - RECEIVED GRD FIRE.

LINE D - SUPPORTED 3/9 INDIA IN CONTACT, RAN 2 FLTS OF AIR AT YD 048682 - 1 BUNKER DESTROYED & 3 SMALL BUNKERS DESTROYED. SECOND HOP - VR OF AREA XD88 TO XD94 TO XD54 - 51 GRID LINE AT XD888499. RECEIVED .50 CAL FIRE - LOST RADIO & RETURNED TO BASE. AIRCRAFT RECEIVED 4 HITS: 1 IN NOSE THROUGH CONTROL PANEL, 1 IN WINDOW RIGHT REAR & TWO IN CARGO COMPARTMENT. DAMAGE ASSESSMENT UNK AT THIS TIME.

MSN #6D - CONDUCTED V. OF THE ROCKET BELT AROUND DANANG AREA. VR WORK FOR "M" 3/1, "E" 2/27.

LATE REPORT ON SITREP FOR 200001H THRU 202400H AUGUST 1968.

MSN #21: LINE D - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 4th MARINES ON VR. HAD REPORT OF TRUCKS AT XD837414 - WE DID NOT SPOT ANY VEHICLES, HOWEVER OBSERVED VERY RECENT VEHICLE TRACKS FROM KHE SANH TO ID662383 WHERE THEY DISAPPEARED - MADE VR NORTH TO KHE SANH - 4 NVA SIGHTED BY ANOTHER A. O. AT XD745547 - COULD NOT LOCATE THEM - SECOND HOP - 30 NVA REPORTED AT 711494 - MADE EXTENSIVE VR OF THE AREA - HEAVY TRAIL USAGE AT YD007687, SOUTH TO YD003677, WORKED WITH 1/3 - SUSPECTED 75 RR AT YD033654 - INCOMING CEASED WHEN ON STATION.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UN-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 156 TASKS: 63 HOURS: 40.0 PAX: 0

VMC-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 21 MED EVACS: 9 EMERGENCY, 9 PRIORITY & 3 ROUTINE.

THE FOLLOWING VR MSN WERE FLOWN:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
FIRE FLY	2	2	3.5
APD OF HAI VAN PASL AREA	1	1	1.2

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	2.0 3.0
EXTRACTS	2	2	2.7 2.7

220845H - TWO VMC-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON Bn. ON MSN #24 RECEIVED AND RETURNED FIRE AT AT797528. NEGATIVE BDA'S REPORTED.

220350H - VS-3/5/12A & 4A WHILE ON AN EMERGENCY MEDIVAC & HELO SUPPORT FLIGHT IN SUPPORT OF RECON TEAM "RIO GRANDE" RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE TWICE AT AT797528. NEG BDA'S WERE REPORTED.

221530H - VS-10A/7 & 12 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSNS 4A/32/5P RETURNED & RETURNED FIRE AT 9448 GRID. BDA'S WERE REPORTED AS 4 CONFIRMED KBA'S.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 9
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 9
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 21 TASKS: 42 HOURS: 49.0

- MSN #18: LINE A - GENERAL VR FOR 5th MARINES OBSERVED 4 BUNKERS, NEW 2 COMPLETE & 2 IN PROCESS OF BEING BUILT AT AT9C1503 & 1 BEING BUILT AT AT890507. RAN 2 FLTS ON FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT978544 - 50 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DESTROYED.
- LINE B - GENERAL VR FOR SLF AT 9652 9653 AREA, RAN 1 ARTY AND 3 FLTS ON AT967-543, SUSPECTED VC BASE CAMP & BUNKERS - 4 STRUCTURES & 1 BUNKER DESTROYED.
- LINE C - CONTROLLED 5 FLIGHTS OF AIR IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION MARMELUKE THRUST AND RAN GENERAL VR FOR 2/5.
- LINE D - RELIEVED OP-6 ON STATION - HAD 150 NVA IN VILLE. RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR - 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED, ALL FLIGHTS RECEIVED GRD FIRE - 1 DUD - 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT958548 FOR G/2/7 WILL CHECK VILLE 23AUG68 FOR DBA. MANY TRAILS LEADING INTO HILLS WERE SIGHTED AT AT966577.
- KINEX LINE E - VR'S FOR 1/7 & 1/3 SIGHTED 1 VC IN TREELINE AT AT873709 RAN 1 FLT & ARTY MSN IN THE AREA.
- MSN #19: LINE A - CONTROLLED 1 FLT OF AIR FOR PHU BAI DASC ON SUSPECTED STORAGE AREA AT 887001 GRID. FLEW GENERAL VR FOR 1/26.
- LINE B - TAC(A) FOR 26th MAR AT YD906023 SUSPECTED STORAGE AREA. VR FOR 26th MAR & CONVOY ESCORT FROM PHU BAI TO DANANG.
- LINE C - COVERED CONVOY FROM PHU GIA PASS TO HAI VAN PASS, CONDUCTED VR FOR 3/7
- MSN #20: LINE A - VR FOR 1/3 OF WESTERN ARIZONA AREA. RAN 1 FLT OF AIR ON AT845530 - 1 STRUCTURE DESTROYED. CONVOY COVER COMPANY CAR(B) FROM 9571 TO HILL 37. LOOKED FOR DOWNED HELO AT COORDINATES AT923501 - CREW WAS PICKED UP BY 2/5.
- LINE B - VR'D MOUTH OF HAPPY VALLEY FOR 1/7 & VR'D ON HAI VAN PASS FOR 3/1.
- LINE C - RAN 2 FLTS ON TRAIL & VILLE INTO WHICH 20 VC WERE OBSERVED MOVING ALSO THE 14 WITH G/2/7 OBSERVED UP TO 175 MOVING IN SAME GRID & DIRECTION. FLEW GENERAL VR FOR 2/7 & 2/5.
- MSN #21: LINE A - SUPPORTED 1/9 BRAVO AT YD0264, ASSISTED IN LOCATING AIR STRIKE TARGET AT YD017650. SECOND HOP - CONDUCTED GENERAL VR SOUTHWEST OF CALU: AT XD965355 SPOTTED CULTIVATED FIELDS WITH 2 HUTS APPARENTLY OCCUPIED; XD979333 SPOTTED DAM CONSTRUCTION WITH ADJOINING CULTIVATED FIELD - REPORTED TO 4th MARINES?

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LINE B - WORKED WITH 3/4 HAD O. P. IN CONTACT & CUT OFF - UNABLE TO RUN FIRED WING. RETURNED TO HMAF FOR FUEL DUE TO HIGH WIND AT XDS736. WORKED WITH 3/3 - 1 Co. MADE CONTACT - AMBUSH ON TRAIL AT YD974992 - RAN UH-1E GUNSHIPS ON AMBUSH SITE.

LINE C - OBSERVED A T. O. T. - YD003673 - WORKED WITH THE 4th MARINES - 1/4 RECEIVED INCOMING R/RIFLES & MORTARS - RAN 8 FLTS OF AIR - XDS93361 - 2 AT XDS93361 & 6 AT XDS72350 - 11 BUNKERS , 2 STRUCT DEST & 1 IBA.

LINE D - CANX DUE TO WX.

MSN #6: LINE C - VR OF ROCKS BELT FROM ELEPHANT VALLEY SOUTH TO & INCLUDING MORTAR VALLEY.

LINE D - REGISTRATION OF 175mm GUNS IN ZC1984 GRID SQUARE.

LATE REPORT ON SITREP OF 200001H THRU 202400H AUGUST 68:

MSN #18: LINE E - PROCEEDED TO ALLENBROOK AREA FOR GENERAL VR. HOWEVER WX & FAILURE OF ALTITUDE CYRO FORCED RETURN TO HMAF:

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 80%

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AUGUST 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 79 TASKS: 26 HOURS: 52.9 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 14 MED EVACS: ALL EMERGENCY.

HML-167 FLEW MSNS 6A & B, THE APD WAS CANX.

I RECIEVED NO AFTER MSN REPORTS ON THE INSERTS/EXTRACTS FLOWN TODAY.

THE FOLLOWING VR MSNS WERE FLOWN:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
FIRE FLY	1	1	2.2

230820H - 231725H -- VS-10 & VS-1 RECIEVED & RETURNED FIRE FIVE (5) TIMES AT
BT0759, BT0759, BT075710, AT0759 & AT0660 - BDAIS WERE
REPORTED AS 5 CONFIRMED KBA & 5 STRUCTURES DESTROYED &
4 DAMAGED.

231105H - VS-15 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF HMM-163 ON MSN #5 TOOK AND RETURNED FIRE
AT BT0771 - H-34 TOOK HIT. NEG BDA REPORTED.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 86%

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AUGUST 1968. PART II.

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 19 TASKS: 33 HOURS: 45.8

- MSN #4: (1) SCRAMBLE FROM MIAF AT 0400 - CONTACTED CP BASE - WORKED WITH
PIPER W/ MORTAR POSIT AT BT008708 3 RIMS TO MARK TARGET FOR HELO
ATTACK. WORKED SALFORS 14 FOR MIAF OUTPOST CROWNST WAS UNDER AT-
TACK CALLED FLARE SHIP BASKETBALL 791 - DROPPED ILLUMINATION SO
THAT MED EVAC COULD BE PICKED-UP.
- (2) SCRAMBLED TO COVER AREA JUST SOUTH OF MIAF AND UNIT AT MARBLE
MTN IN CONTACT.
- (4) 2nd FLIGHT FOR SCRAMBLE - WORKED WITH 2/5 AT CROWNST, WHERE
THEY WERE TAKING INCOMING; CONTROLLED FLARE SHIP & 60mm ILLUMINATION
CHECKED GRIDS - 9270-9271 & 8869 FOR POSSIBLE ROCKET SITES. WORKED
WITH RECON TEAM THEY WERE RECEIVING SNIPER FIRE AT BT016726.
- MSN #18: LINE A - RAN 3 FLTS IN SUPPORT 3/27 ON TRENCH MORTAR SQUAD IN FORT-
IFIED VILLE.
- LINE B - VR FOR 3/27 & "WAGE BARRON" ; TAC(A) FOR 3/27, HOSTILE
VILLE BT079665(1 FLT - 3 STRUCTURES DESTROYED).
- LINE D - RAN FLTS FOR 3/7 ON FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT957566 - 4 STRUCT
& 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 40 METERS OF TRENCHLINE DESTROYED. VR FOR
1/7 OF CHARLIE RIDGE.
- LINE E - VR "L" 3/27 & "D" 1/27 AND ADJUSTED ARTY FOR "D" 1/27.
- MSN #19: LINE A - SUPPORTED C. P. BASE WITH GENERAL VR SLF WITH 4 FLTS ON
VILLE AT AT968558 & AT972562.
- LINE B - RAN VR & 1 FLT IN SUPPORT OF 1/27 AT BT017714.
- LINE C - RAN GENERAL VR MSNS FOR RECON TEAM & 1/7.
- MSN #20: LINE A - RAN VR MSN FOR 1/7 AT AT8677 SOUTH TO 8563 GRID. RAN ARTY
& 1 FLT FOR "G" SLF AT AT967544 & 958548 - 2 STRUCT DEST & 2 DAM.
- LINE B - VR FOR "K" 3/27 & "D" 1/27. RAN 1 FLT FOR "D" 1/27 WHO
WERE FIRED DOWN AT BT009703.
- LINE C - GENERAL VR FOR COMPOCK "X" IN 26th MAJ AREA OF OPERATIONS.
- MSN #21: LINE A - XD598347 RAN 1 FLT FOR LZ PREPERATION COVERED TECOP LIFT
ALL DAY.

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LINE B - RELIEVED "FINGERPRINT 28" AT XD908535 ON LZ PREP NO FLTS
MADE AVAILABLE - HOSTAGE JULIET AT XD8935 TO COVER INSERT. ~~WORKED~~
AT 1/3 SIGHTED SUSPECTED HARBORING SITE AT YD093638 ADJUSTED ARTY
DIVERTED TO XD8935 TO VR FOR SUSPECTED MORTAR POSIT FIRING ON GRD
TROOPS.

MSN #6: LINE C - VR OF 1st MAR DIV AREA.

LINE D - ARTY FLT, VR FOR POSSIBLE MORTAR & ROCKET LAUNCHING SITES.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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UH-1B STATISTICS: SORTIES: 116 TASKS: 52 HOURS: 59.5 PAX: 3

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 23 MED. EVACS: 18 EMERGENCY, 3 PRIORITY & 2 ROUTINE.

HMM-167 FLEW MSNS #6A & B, THE APD HOP WAS CANX BY GROUP.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	5	5	3.5
EXTRACTS	5	5	3.0

241345H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON Bn. ON MSN #24 RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT825812 - NEG BDA'S REPORTED.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
 PERCENTAGE: 86%

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PART II.OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 28 TASKS: 43 HOURS: 62.5

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN 3 FLTS ON SUSPECTED HARBOR SITE & A/A POSITS AT AT882 733. VR FOR 1/7 - SIGHTED 2 FRESHLY DUG FIGHTING HOLES AT AT863665 - REPORTED ABOVE TO 1/7.

LINE B - RAN 2 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 AND 5th MARINES, ALSO CONDUCTED. VR OF ARIZONA AREA.

LINE C - VR FOR 1st FIELD ARTY GROUP, 1/26 (LOOKED FOR TRUCKS IN VICINITY OF YD8903, FOUND TIRE TRACKS ON OLD ROAD AT YD903032 & YD910045. TIRES WERE APPROX 12" WIDE APPEARED TO BE DOUBLE REAR TIRE ie 6X6. VR FOR 3/26 AT AU852011. FOUND MANY HEAVILY USED TRAILS.

LINE D - RAN VR MISSION IN SUPPORT OF "SKETCH RACER" & 1/27 AT BT001662.

LINE E - GENERAL VR FOR 3/1, 2/5, & 2/27.

MSN #19: LINE A - CONDUCTED VR FOR G.P. AT8666 VARIFIED CONSTRUCTION OF 15 NEW FIGHTING HOLES. ESTABLISHED CONTACT WITH CONVOY FOR PROVIDING CONVOY COVER. WORKED WITH 27th MARINES ON VR OF ROCKET SITES AT BT0868 & 0070. CONTROLLED 1 FLT ON AT862665 - NOTICED MUZZLE FLASHES ON ROCKET RUNS AT SAME COORD.

LINE B - VR'D FOR 2/27 AND RAN 8 FLTS ON VC/NVA VILLE AT BT053638, NEG A/C #155428 RECEIVED 1 .30 cal BOUND IN ROCKET POD.

LINE C - COVERED SEGMENT OF 1/26 SWEEPING ROAD AT YD900030. ADJUSTED ARTY ON SUSPECTED TUNNEL COMPLEX AT YC906983.

MSN #20: LINE A - VR/TAC(A) FOR 3/1 "K" OF AT885853 - SUSPECTED MORTAR SITE CONDUCTED 1 FLT ON SAME. VR FOR 27th MAR & 3/27.

LINE B - GENERAL VR FOR 1/7, 3/27 & ARVNS.

LINE C - VR FOR "E" SLF - REPORTED 2 NVA GOING NORTH INTO VILLE; RAN 3 FLTS - 8 STRICT DEST, 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION. REPORT OF 1,000 NVA IN BT0661 - 0760 - 0559 GRIDS; VR OF THE BEFORE MENTIONED AREAS WITH NEG SIGHTINGS, VR'D FOR 27th MARINES.

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MSN #21: LINE A - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF THE 3rd DIV ON GENERAL VR - SPOTTED 8 NVA WALKING SOUTHEAST ALONG A TRAIL AT YD011657 - CALLED ARTY - SPOTTED NUMEROUS BUNKERS & TRENCHES BETWEEN THE YD 01 & 05 GRID LINES WITH HEAVY TRAIL ACTIVITY ON YD64 & 67 GRID LINES.

LINE B - RAN 2 FLTS AT XD935585 & FIRED ARTY MSN (ARTY DEST 2 BUNKERS & 30 METERS OF TRENCH).

LINE C - SUPPORTED 1/9 BRAVO - RAN 2 FLTS AT YD009646 - SILENCED 1- 127 A/A GUN. ADJUSTED ARTY ON THE POSIT MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY WORKED FOR 1/3 "C" ON VR.

LINE D - WORKED WITH 3/4 - 2 ACTIVE .50 cal SITES - ONLY 1 POSITIVELY SIGHTED AT YD002642 - RAN 2 FLTS - DIRECT HIT ON POSIT - 2 BUNKERS DESTROYED - .50 cal POSIT DAMAGED. WORKED WITH 1/9 - SIGHTED 2 BUNKERS - LIGHT TRAIL BELIEVED REGIMENTAL C.P. UNDER CANOPY AT XD908595 WORKED (ASSISTED) RECON EXTRACT * MARKED TARGETS - YD195697 MADE FOUR SUPPRESSIVE FIRE RUNS.

MSN #6: LINE C - TRIED TO CHECK SHEAFs OF 4/11 BATTERIES BUT WERE UNABLE TO BECAUSE OF CLEARANCES AND FIRE MSNS GOING ON. MADE VR INTO ELEPHANT VALLEY TO YD989861 - 1 LARGE BRIDGE SIGHTED.

LINE D - MADE VR SOUTH OF MMAF - CHECKED OUT GRID SQUARE BT004658 FOR SEGMENT "FOXTROT-14" ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ WENT TO ELEPHANT VALLEY TO FIRE ARTILLERY ON BRIDGE AT YC098961 - BECAUSE DARKNESS SET IN BEFORE MISSION COULD BE ACCOMPLISHED IT WAS CANX.

MSN #34: 2 A/C LAUNCHED ON NIGHT CAP FOR MAG-16 TAOR.

MSN #52: SCRAMBLED IN SUPPORT OF PAST-14 -- 34 SAMPANS ON RIVER & UNIT IN CONTACT - BOTH WERE FALSE ALARMS.

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MSN #21: LINE D - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 3/9 WHO WAS TAKING INCOMING MORTARS AND RECOILLESS RIFLE FIRE; RAN 1 FLT - 1 BUNKER DEST AT YD062709. SPOTTED 1 ACTIVE MORTAR PIT CALLED ARTY - NEG BDA DUE TO DARKNESS.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 7
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 250001H THRU 252400H
AUGUST 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 79 TASKS: 30 HOURS: 25.9 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 19 MED EVACS: 11 EMERGENCY, 5 PRIORITY & 3 ROUTINE

HML-167 FLEW MSNS 6A, B & C; THE APD WAS CANX DUE TO CREW AVAILABILITY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	1	1	1.6
EXTRACTS	1	1	1.0

251015H - TWO GUNSHIPS (VS-5 & 1A) RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT930513,
OBSERVED VC RUNNING INTO BUNKER, DESTROYED BUNKER WITH 3 CONFIRMED
KBA'S.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 11
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 10
PERCENTAGE: 95%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP: PART II.OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 17 TASKS: 34 HOURS: 46.5

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR 1/5 - AT896517 - 2 BOATS WITH 4 MALES MOVING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH. DRESSED IN KHAKI (NO COVERS) & PACKS BUT NO WEAPONS. AT896535 - 3 MALES DRESSED IN BLACK TROUSERS WITH WHITE SHIRTS, NO COVERS. 2 MALES OUT THE THREE (3) MOVED NORTH TO AT893536. 1 MOVED SOUTH TO AT897530. RAN 1 FLT ON FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT893536 - 3 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION. FOUND A/A SITE & 200 METERS OF TRENCH AT AT849497. RAN 1 FLT - A/A POSIT DESTROYED.

LINE B - WORKED WITH 2/5 FOUND 10 PEOPLE REPAIRING BUNKERS AT AT965518. RAN 1 FLT ON THAT AREA. SIGHTED 20 GRAVES AT AT953524 - FRESH GROUND AROUND THEM. VR'D FOR ROCKMAT RECON TEAM AT ZC210585. VR'D FOR 27th MARINES.

LINE C - SUPPORTED "F" 2/27 & ARVNS SWEEPING UNIT IN CONTACT. RECEIVED HEAVY AW FIRE ON SEVERAL PASSES TO MARK TARGET FOR FIXED WING AT BTO01669. ENEMY WERE CORNERED IN VILLE WITH ARVNS ON 1 SIDE & "F" 2/27 ON THE OTHER, WITH PADDIES SURROUNDING THE VILLE. WHAT AREAS FRIENDLIES COULD NOT OBSERVE WERE COVERED BY HOSTAGE AIRCRAFT & FIXED WING. 3 KBA BY OV-10A. MINIMUM OF 6 KBA FOR FIXED WING & 9 STRUCTURES DESTROYED BY FIXED WING. EIGHT FLTS WERE RAN ON THE VILLE.

LINE D - VR FOR "F" 2/27. TAC(A) RAN 3 FLTS ON BTO03670 - 1 SECONDARY.

LINE E - VR & TAC(A) FOR 3/7 ALSO VR'D FOR 1/7 & 2/27.

MSN #19: LINE C - (LINES A & B WERE CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY) RAN 2 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION MARMALUKE AT AT 003669 ON SURROUNDED ENEMY UNIT, IN RELIEF OF HOSTAGE X-RAY. OBSERVED 15 PERSONS DRESSED IN BLACK P.J.'S HEADING NORTHEAST AT BTO47655.

MSN #20: LINE A - CONDUCTED GENERAL VR & CONTROLLED 4 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF 1/7 AT AT862665 (TGT TRENCHES & FIGHTING HOLES). CONDUCTED VR OF HAPPY VALLEY, SIGHTED CULTIVATED FIELD AT ZC181650 - CONTROLLED 1 FLT ON THIS AREA.

LINE B - CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

LINE C - LOCATED "MABLE ANN" RECON TEAM WHO WAS LOST. VR FOR 26th MARINES AT ZC0101 GRID - VR FOR "NORTH TIDE-14" ALL AREA - VR FOR "K" 14 AT AT802993 - WORKED WITH 3/1 IN ELEPHANT VALLEY.

MSN #21: WORKED WITH 1/1, WHO WERE ABOUT TO ADVANCE TO OBJECTIVE. WORKED WITH 1/9 - RAN 1 FLT AT YD003659 - BUNKERS & FIGHTING HOLES. SECOND HOP - WORKED WITH 1/9 AGAIN IN COVERING EXTRACTION OF Bn. RAN 4 FLTS TO PROVIDE COVERING FIRE & ALSO 1 FLT ON MORTAR POSIT AT XD994661 - 1 MORTAR POSIT DESTROYED.

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LINE B - WORKED IN SUPPORT OF 9th MARINES , 1/9, WHO WERE RECEIVING INCOMING MORTARS - RAN 6 FLTS - 1 MORTAR POSIT DESTROYED & 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION, 15 BUNKERS DESTROYED AT YD002664.

LINE C - XD901367 RAN 1 FLT ON BUNKER COMPLEX - 2 PARTIALLY DAMAGED BUNKERS. AT YD191698 - NVA IN OPEN FIRED ON THEM.

LINE D - RAN 1 FLT ON YD888499, SUPPORTED 2/4 "FOX" Co. WHO SIGHTED NVA 12 - 14 AT XD855466. SUPPORTED RECON TEAM NORTHWEST OF KHE SANH FIELD, RECONNEED TPQ OF AREA.

MSN #6: LINE C - COVERED BY HML-167 AIRCRAFT.

LINE D - CHECKED 2/11 SHEAF FOR THEIR BTRY. VR'D FOR 1/7.

MSN #55: 1) VR FOR 2/7 AT BTO25637 COORDINATED FLARE SHIP, ESCORTED HELO RE-SUPPLY TO ROKMC (HAMSALAD), VR FOR 7th MARINES - COORDINATED FLARE SHIP.

2) SUPPORTED ROKMC AT 043578.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 66%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 64 TASKS: 15 HOURS: 54.1 PAX: 0

HML-167 FLEW THE MED EVAC COMMITMENT TODAY.

HML-167 FLEW MSN #6A, B; THE AFD WAS CANX BY Goup DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	3.0
EXTRACTS	2	2	2.0

261015H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECOB Bn. ON MSN #23 RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT899888 - NEG BDA'S REPORTED.

261320H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE ON MSN #31 IN SUPPORT OF THE "DISMISS" RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT BT057600 - NEG BDA'S WERE REPORTED.

260945H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIPS WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON MSN #15 RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT AT865692 - NEG BDA'S REPORTED.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 3

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 3

PERCENTAGE: 100% (HML-167 CARRIED THE AFD ON THEIR SCHEDULE)

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MSN #18A LINE A - REPORTED TO 1/7 - ROCKET SITE AT AT897699 WORKED WITH OFF-SPRING 61 & 62 (2 OH3 HELOS). TOOK GRD ~~LINE~~ UNIT FROM HILL #10 TO ROCKET SITE - GAVE OH3 COVER WHILE THEY DROPPED OFF S-2 FROM 11th MARINES TO CHECK AREA. REPORTED 7 OR 8 ROCKET SITES 140mm HE REQUESTED HELO TO BRING TEAM FROM LZ 401 TO SITE, PUT IN REQUEST TO DASC. THIS SITE WAS ACTIVE AT 0550 - 26 AUG, THIS MORNING STAYED IN AREA FROM 0630 TO 0905, BELIEVE THERE ARE STILL MORE SITES IN THE AREA.

LINE B - VR FOR 1/7 AT 8869, RAN 2 AIRSTRIKES AT 882742.

LINE C - CONVOY ESCORT FOR "A" 11th MT. GENERAL VR FOR 1/7 & 1/3.

MSN #19: LINE A - CANX DUE A/C AVAILABILITY.

LINE B - CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY

LINE C - CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

LINE D - SUPPORTED RECON TEAM DURING EXTRACT OF UNIT IN CONTACT. CONDUCTED GENERAL VR FOR 3/7, "B" 1/7 & ADJUSTED ARTY FOR 3/7.

MSN #20: LINE A - RAN VR MSN & 4 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF 2/5 AT AT953518 - 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 2 DAMAGED.

LINE B - CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

LINE C - VR FOR 3/27 AT BT0366, VR'D FOR 5th MARINES, ARTY REGISTRATION AT ZC211361 & VR FOR 1/5 OF AT8346.

MSN #21: LINE A - VR OF XD838416 FOR DAMAGE FROM TPQ & ARTY STRIKE, VR OF XD788358 FOR POSSIBLE TRUCKS SIGHTED BY RECON.

LINE B - GENERAL VR FOR THE 4th & 3rd MARINES.

LINE B - CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

MSN #6: LINE C - CANX DUE TO A/C AVAILABILITY.

LINE D - ARTY REGISTRATION, DIVERTED TO ASSIST TROOPS IN CONTACT IN VICINITY OF HILL 112.

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LATE ENTRIES FOR 26AUG68:

MSN #19: LINE A - VR FOR 1/5 IN AT8248 AREA, RAN 3 FLTS OF AIR ON FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT888555 - 10 STRUCTURES DESTROYED - WORKED WITH 2/5 WHO HAD NVA RUNNING INTO VILLE AT AT954530. RAN 2 FLTS ON ABOVE VILLE (AT954530) - 6 STRUCTURES, 2 BUNKERS & 20 METERS OF TRENCH DESTROYED.

LINE B - CONDUCTED GENERAL VR & RAN 3 FLTS FOR 2/5 AT AT953534 & AT964544 - 11 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

LINE C - VR'D FOR 1/7 IN HAPPY VALLEY, RAN 5 FLTS FOR 3/7 AT AT947-555 - 6 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 1 DAMAGED.

LATE ENTRY FOR 25AUG68:

MSN #18: LINE E - VR & RAN 4 FLTS FOR 1/7 AT AT894201.

MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 66%

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UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 113 TASKS: 27 HOURS: 36.1 PAX: 0

HML-117 FLEW THE MED EVAC COMMITMENT TODAY.

HML-167 FLEW MSNS 6A-B-C.

VMO-2 FLEW THE FOLLOWING VR MISSIONS:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
DEF OF MORTAR VALLEY NORTH TO BA NA.	1	1	2.2

270800H - VS-2A & 15 WHILE ON MSN #28 TO RECOVER THE BODIES OF THE THREE
CREWMEMBERS KILLED ON VS-12A AT BT003607. RECEIVED & RETURNED
FIRE AT ABOVE COORDINATES. NEG BDA'S REPORTED.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 7
PERCENTAGE: 100%

LATE ENTRY: VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 9 MED EVACS: 7 EMERGENCY & 2 PRIORITY.

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VMO-2 SITREP FOR 27 AUGUST 1968. PART II:

OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 18 TASKS: 35 HOURS: 41.6

MSN #21: LINE A - VR FOR IRON HAND MIKE & IRON HAND HOTEL, RAN 2 FLTS ON XD906553 FOR LZ PREP.

LINE B - SUPPORTED "F" Co. 2/4 IN SEARCH OF .60mm POSIT - "L" Co. 3/3 AT XD9660, SET UP FOR AIR STRIKE - "E" Co. 2/9 IN INSERT - RAN 4 FLTS AT XD916546 - 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

LINE C - WORKED WITH 4th MAR REGIMENT - SIGHTED 2 Bn OF NVA IN BA LONG VALLEY - MADE VR & ADJUSTED ARTY - HUEY COBRA RAN - 3 BOATS DEST - 1 KBA AT YD104418. WORKED WITH 2/9 - SIGHTED ACTIVE NVA ARTILLERY PIECES AT XD882559 - RAN 3 FLTS & 1 HUEY.

MSN #18: LINE A - RAN VR MSN & 3 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF 1/7 "A" AT AT882699 - 20 TO 30 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DESTROYED.

LINE B - RAN AIR IN SUPPORT OF "G" 2/27 WHILE THEY EXTRACTED BODIES CRASH AT OC3604 ALSO DID VR FOR 2/5 & 1/7.

LINE C - RAN 1 ARTY MSN & 1 AIR STRIKE ON MORTAR & SUSPECTED TUNNEL COMPLEX AT AT974550. COVERED 3/5 IN SWEEP TO THE WEST AT AT 973550.

LINE D - VR FOR 2/5 VR FOR "MB"-14 (1/5) 2 FLTS FOR 2/5 AT AT967556

LINE E - REPORTED TO 1/7 "A" Co. WHO HAD 24 NVA SIGHTED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO MY ARRIVAL. RAN 2 FLTS - TROOPS SWEEPING THE AREA FOUND 15 rds OF .82mm - 2 ACCESSORY KITS FOR .82mm MORTAR.

MSN #19: LINE A - RAN VR MSN & ARTY MSN IN SUPPORT OF 1/27 AT AT960553 & AT968656. RAN 1 FLT IN SUPPORT 1/7 AT AT883744.

LINE B - VR FOR 1/7 (C COMPANY) AT SUSPECTED BUNKER COMPLEX/TROOP CONCENTRATION AT: AT884744, 885751 & 883745.

LINE C - VR'D & RAN 1 FLT FOR 2/27 "F" WHO WERE IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH AN ESTIMATED 2 SQUADS OF VC.

MSN #20: LINE A - RAN 3 FLTS AT AT882742 PREP OF AREA FOR 1/7, VR FOR AREA ADJACENT TO GRID AT882742.

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MSN #20: LINE B - A GENERAL AREA CHECK OUT FOR TRIM.

LATE REPORT FROM 26 AUGUST 1968 VMO-2 SITREP PART II.

MSN #21: LINE B - WORKED FOR 9th MARINE REGIMENT VR AREA OF 8856 FOR PROBABLE LZ'S & ENEMY ACTIVITY. SECOND HOP CANX DUE TO MECHANICAL DIFFICULTIES.

SPECIAL SCRAMBLE ON MSN #4: HELO ESCORT SEARCHING FOR COMPRISE 8-0 WHO WAS SHOT DOWN AT BT003604.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	6	
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	6	INCORRECT
PERCENTAGE:	100%	

MSN #6D WAS CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED:	6
MISSIONS COMPLETED:	5
PERCENTAGE:	86%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 280001H THRU 282400H
AUGUST 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 141 TASKS: 34 HOURS: 30.4 PAX: 03

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 6 MED EVACS: 3 EMERGENCY & 3 PRIORITY.

HML-167 FLEW MSNS 6A-B-C.

THE FOLLOWING APD MISSIONS WERE FLOWN FROM ZC180440 - ZC180360 & ZC040360
TO ZC040440.

<u>APD</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
	1	1	1.8

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	7	7	7.1
EXTRACTS	5	5	5.1

281400H - TWO GUNSHIPS (VS-6A & 7) WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st MAR DIV ON
MSN #16 RECEIVED SNIPER FIRE AT AT998538.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR 28 AUGUST 1968. PART II.OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: (14) TASKS: 28 HOURS: 37.5

MSN #18: LINE A - GENERAL VR & CONTROLLED 4 FLTS FOR 1/7.

LINE B - WORKED FOR A/1/7 ON VR & RAN 1 FLT ON SUSPECTED VC HARBOR SITE AT 877701. WORKED FOR 1/5 WHO HAD 20 VC SPOTTED IN FORTIFIED VILLE AT AT852500 - RAN 3 FLTS - 5 STRUCTURES DESTROYED & 30 METERS OF TRENCH LINE DESTROYED.

LINE C - GAVE "TRIM PROJECT" MEMBER A DANANG TAOR CHECK-OUT VR'ING THE ENTIRE AREA. SIGHTED A GREEN DYE MARKER IN THE WATER OFF THE MARBLE MOUNTAIN 080°/75NM CH 77. REPORTED TO DANANG DASC AND SCRAMBLE INFIELD COBRA FOXTROT MIKE (SWIFT (SPT)) TO SCENE. RELIEVED ON STATION BY "RAGE" (0-2).

LINE D - AREA CHECK OUT FOR "TRIM PROJECT" TEAM MEMBER.

LINE E - RAN VR MSN FOR 1/27 AT AT9668 GRID; RAN 5 FLTS OF AIR ON AT883745 - SUSPECT VC BASE - IN SUPPORT OF 1/7.

MSN #19: LINE A - VR FOR 1/5 RAN 2 FLTS FOR C-1-5.

LINE B - MISSION WAS CANX DUE TO LACK OF UHF & TACAN ONCE AIRBORNE.

LINE C - GENERAL VR OF ELEPHANT VALLEY, ARTY REGISTRATION FOR 4/11.

MSN #20: LINE A - GENERAL VR FOR 3/7 - BUNKERS AT AT946555, NEWLY BUILT, AT AT958555 MANY TRAILS LEADING INTO RIVER SOUTH, GENERAL VR FOR 2/5 SIGHTED 3 PEOPLE AT AT978508 RUN INTO TREELINE WHEN WE PASSED OVER. 1 MALE WITH WEAPON. 1/5 REPORTED 20 NVA IN VILLE THEY WERE FIRING ARTY.

LINE B - GENERAL VR OF HAPPY VALLEY 1 RAN 2 AIRSTRIKES ON AT947555 2 KBA - AT998570.

LINE C - VR & RAN 1 FLT FOR 3/7 ON BUNKER COMPLEX AT AT945554, VR FOR 1/5 & 3/27.

MSN #21: LINE A - GENERAL VR FOR 9th & 4th MARINES - RAN 2 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF "G" 2/9 WHO WERE IN CONTACT AT XD898532.

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LINE C - (LINES B & D WERE NOT SCHEDULED) SUPPORTED 2/9 DURING ATTEMPTED RECOVERY OF DOWNED CH-46. RANAIR AT XD892536, SUPPORTED HARBOR QUEEN (RECON TEAM) WHO SIGHTED 12 - 15 NVA NEAR THEIR POSIT RAN AIR AT XD837449, MOVED TO LZ - SUPPORTED HASTE FOOT (RECON TEAM) BY PROVIDING SUPPRESSIVE FIRE & PASSING THEIR LOCATION TO SEAWORTHY 4-11 & 4-12.

MSN #6: LINE D - REGISTERED ARTY FOR "B" 1/11 AT AT99571N SUPPORT OF "F" 2/27 ASSISTED IN FIRE MSN ON 17 - 20 VC IN TREELINE AT BT027627.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 80%

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TWO SCOUTIES FOR
TRIP SOUTH ?

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 290001H THRU 290001H AUGUST 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES 130 TASKS: 19 HOURS: 19 HOURS: 73.5 PAX: 0

VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 11 MED EVACS: 7 EMERGENCY, 3 PRIORITY & 1 ROUTINE.

HML-167 FLEW MISSIONS 6A-B & C.

THE FOLLOWING VR MISSIONS WERE FLOWN:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
APD OF ELEPHANT VALLEY	1	1	1.3

29 THE FOLLOWING INSERTS/EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	5	5	4.0
EXTRACTS	4	4	2.5
OVERFLY	1	1	0.6

291130H - TWO VMO-2 GUNSHIP'S WHILE IN SUPPORT OF THE 1st RECON Bn. ON MSH #27 RECEIVED & RETURNED FIRE AT BT037608. BDA - STRUCTURES DEST - 2 DAMAGED - 2.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 7
 MISSIONS COMPLETED: 7
 PERCENTAGE: 100%

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OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 17 TASKS: 30 HOURS: 41.9

MSN #46: RAN 2 FLTS AT AT849501 IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 WHO WERE IN CLOSE CONTACT COORDINATED FLARE SHIP "SPOOKY" FOR "D" Co.

MSN #18: LINE A - SUPPORTED 3/7 "M" IN CONTACT WITH VC/NVA FIRED 2 BTRYS LUGA POINT TANGO & LUGA POINT LIMA CONTROLLED 4 CONTROLLED 4 FLTS.

LINE B - RAN 3 FLTS, ASLA PREP FOR 3/7 AT AT884746; RAN 2 FLTS ON VC/NVA CAUGHT IN OPEN ATAT985559.

LINE C - VR FOR LUCKY LAMB (RECON INSERT) CONTROLLED 2 FLTS FOR 3/7.

LINE D - RAN 3 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF "D" 1/5 IN CONTACT RECEIVING HEAVY FIRE FROM AT849501.

LINE E - RAN VR FOR 3/7 AT AT958560; VR FOR 5th MAR AT FOLLOWING CO-ORDS: 9957, 9958, 9959 0057 & 0058.

MSN #19: LINE A - VR FOR 3/7 & 2 FLTS FOR 3/7. AT AT978575.

LINE B - SUPPORTED 3/5 WITH GENERAL VR; SUPPORTED 3/7 WITH 3 FLTS & VR.

LINE C - RAN 7 FLTS FOR M/3/7 ATAT979565 - 16 KBA & 6 STRUCT DEST. CALLED 3 ARTY BTRY'S ON TARGET THEY HAD 3 KIA'S

MSN #20: LINE A - FLEW VR'S FOR 1/7 & 3/1.

LINE B - RAN 1 FLT FOR GUNSMORE AT AT985555 - 6 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.

MSN #21: LINE A - RAN 2 FLTS ON SUSPECTED NVA AT XD840455 - 1 SECONDARY FIRE.

LINE B - WORKED 3/9 FROM GENERAL VR SIGHTED UNDERWATER BRIDGE AT XD995707 - RAN 2 FLTS - 1 BRIDGE DEST; HELPED SUPPORT TROOP INSERT AT XD8447.

LINE C - WORKED WITH 3/9 - LOCATED 2 SUSPECTED 12.7 AUTO WEAPONS SITES & 1 ONE .82mm MORTAR SITE - RAN 2 FLTS. WORKED WITH 3/3 MADE VR - AT HIGH LEVEL OF ACTIVITY NORTH OF BAN HAI RIVER, XD 957687.

MSN #6: LINE D - TRIED TO REGISTER "B" 1/11 BUT BTRY WAS NOT READY, CONDUCTED VR OF 7th & 27th MARINES TACS.

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MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 5
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 300001H THRU 302400H
AUGUST 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 100 TASKS: 25 HOURS: 31.9 PAX: 2

DURING THE ABOVE PERIOD VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON 19 MED EVACS; 10 EMERGENCY,
5 PRIORITY & 4 ROUTINE.

HML-167 FLEW THE INSERTS/EXTRACTS & MSNS 6A-B-C.

THE FOLLOWING APD MSNS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
APD	ELEPHANT VALLEY	1	1	1.3

301455H - VS-20, BUNO 155410, OV-10A WHILE AT 2500' 140KTS, HAD ITS #1 ENGINE
WITH NO THROTTLE RESPONSE, LOSING OIL PRESSURE & RPM FEATHERED THE
ENGINE & MADE PRECAUTIONARY LANDING. NEGATIVE INJURY TO CREW.
DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT UNK. *WHERE?*

300820H - VS-10, BUNO 154750, UH-1E RECIEVED 1 SA RD THROUGH THROUGH ROTOR
BLADE AT AT905500. INJURY TO CREW - NONE, DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT -
LIMITED. DAMAGE RECIEVED WHILE AIRCRAFT WAS IN GUN RUN.

291845H - VS-7, BUNO 153762 RECIEVED 3 SA ROUNDS (1) UNDERSIDE OF NOSE, (2)
UNDER CABIN CENTERLINE & (3) IN HORIZONTAL STABILIZER. DAMAGE
TO AIRCRAFT - LIMITED (ECHO). INJURY TO CREW - NONE (GOLF).

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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CONFIDENTIALMARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR 30 AUGUST 1968. PART II.OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 18 TASKS: 31 HOURS: 48.1

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR 3/7 AT 972573; RAN 2 FLTS ON AT972573.

LINE B - 3 FLTS IN SUPPORT OF 3/7 VR FOR "LUCKY LARKY"

LINE C - RAN VR MSN & 2 AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF 3/7 AT AT972573; SIGHTED 3 NVA IN BROWN UNIFORMS AT 973572, REPORTED SAME TO 3/7.

LINE D - (ALSO MSN #36) MSN WAS TO RECOVER 3 HELLO, 2 HUEY'S & 1 34, MSN COMPLETED WITH NO INCIDENTS ALSO SUPPORTED MB-14 BY CONDUCTING A VR MSN.

LINE E - VR'D FOR 1/7 AROUND THE AT9657 GRID & RAN 4 FLTS FOR 1/7 ON SUSPECTED SNIPER POSITS.

MSN #19: LINE A - VR/TAC(A) FOR "L" 3/26 ON BUNKER COMPLEX AT ZC125994 VR'D FOR 3/26, X "C" 1/26 & "B" 1/26.

LINE B - SUPPORTED HOSTAGE 4-0 WITH MEDIVAC AS ONE OF THE UH-1H GUNSHIPS WAS FORCED TO MAKE EMERGENCY LANDING. ALSO SUPPORTED 1/5 "A" WITH 3 FLTS OF AIR AT890509 & 889505 - SMALL ARMS FIRE RECEIVED FROM LAST COORDINATES ON SEVERAL PASSES.

LINE C - CONVOY ESCORT FOR SWIFT SCOUT B-6 GOING TO PHU BAI. LOST #1 ENGINE FORCED TO ABORT THE MSN.

MSN #20: LINE A - RAN VR MSN & 2 AIR STRIKES IN SUPPORT OF C/1/7 AT AT885746, RAN VR OF ELEPHANT VALLEY.
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LINE B - CONDUCTED A VR FOR 3/5 IN OLD ALLENBROOK AREA. RAN 1 FLT ON VILLE WHICH WAS REPORTED AS CONTAINING SNIPER POSITS FOR "A" Co. 1/5.

LINE C - VR FOR C/1/7. CONTROLLED 2 FLTS FOR SAME.

MSN #21: LINE A - SUPPORTED 2/9 RAN 6 FLTS TO COVER TROOP MOVEMENT AT XD892538 BDA - 2 WEAPONS POSITS, 4 BUNKERS & 2 FIGHTING HOLES DESTROYED. SUPPORTED 1/3 RAN 2 FLTS ON RAZOR BACK (XD964576 & XD961579 - BDA 1 SECONDARY EXPLOSION.

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LINE B - WORKED WITH 4th MAR REG. SIGHTED YELLOW FRONT END LOADER ON ACCESS ROAD, SOUTH OF LOUG VEI (2) WORKED WITH 2/4 VR VISIBILITY X0950 AREA. EXTENSIVE SIGHTINGS OF ROAD IMPROVEMENT AT X0069 VR'D SOUTH OF KHE SANH.

LINE C - WORKED FOR 4th MAR - RAN 1 FLT ON MORENR POSIT ALSO WORKED FOR 9th & 3rd MAR - SPOTTED ROCKETS FIRING FROM X0892572 RAN 6 FLTS - BDA 3 BUNKERS DESTROYED, 3 SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS & 2 ROCKET SITES DESTROYED.

MSN #6: LINE D - RAN ARTY REGISTRATION FOR 2/13, VR FOR 3/7 AT AT971573.

MSN #46: (1) FLEW NIGHT VR WITH PLANE SHIP & RAN 1 FLT FOR "D" 1/5 & MARKED TARGET FOR "SPOOKY" GUNSHIP.

(2) REPORTED MILLBROOK 14D * FORTIFIED VILLE - RAN 2 FLTS ON VILLE AT AT854501 CONTROLLED PLANE SHIP & "SPOOKY" GUNSHIP.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 6
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 6
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR THE PERIOD 310001H THRU 312400H
AUGUST 1968. PART I.

UH-1E STATISTICS: SORTIES: 110 TASKS: 16 HOURS: 40.5 PAX: 1

DURING THE ABOVE PERIOD VMO-2 ESCORTED HMM-163 ON TWO EMERGENCY MEDEVACS.

HML-167 FLEW THE 6A-B-C.

THE FOLLOWING APD MSNS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
APD	ELEPHANT VALLEY	1	1	1.5

THE FOLLOWING INSERTS AND EXTRACTS WERE FLOWN:

	<u>SCHEDULED</u>	<u>FLOWN</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
INSERTS	2	2	3.8
EXTRACTS	2	2	3.7

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311400H - TWO GUNSHIPS IN SUPPORT OF FIRST RECON BATTALION RECEIVED AND
RETURNED FIRE AT ZC 178808. NEGATIVE BDA REPORTED.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 4
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 100%

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MARINE OBSERVATION SQUADRON TWO SITREP FOR 31 AUGUST 1968. PART II.OV-10A STATISTICS: SORTIES: 16 TASKS: 27 HOURS: 34.5

MSN #18: LINE A - VR FOR 3/7 1 FLT AT AT979579 - 1 SECONDARY FIRE.

LINE B - GENERAL VR FOR C/1/7 AT AT875695 - REPORTED TO 3/7 AT AT9757 VR FOR THIS UNIT RECEIVED CALL FROM L/3/5 HAD 3 VC/NVA AT AT990849. REQUESTED HOSTAGE KILO TO MAKE ~~ROCKET GUN RUN TROOPS~~ REPORTED 1 KBA BY HOSTAGE KILO. RECEIVED CALL FROM 3/7 THEY WERE RECEIVING SNIPER FIRE FROM AT973573. RAN 1 FLT ON SAME. VR FOR I/3/5 WHO WERE RECEIVING SNIPER FIRE FROM AT973566.

LINE C - VR FOR 3/7 & 1/7. RAN 1 FLT FOR 3/7 ALSO SHOT D5'S & 7.62 ON SNIPERS IN TRAIL LINE, FRIENDLIES TOOK NO MORE FIRE.

LINE D - CONDUCTED VR FOR 3/5 & 1/1, RAN 1 FLT ON SNIPER POSIT IN SUPPORT OF E "L" & "M" COMPANY 3/7 SWEEPING TOWARD AT977574.

LINE E - RAN 7 FLTS & 1 ARTY MSN IN SUPPORT OF 1/5 AT AT845515 & AT835542. TARGET WAS SUSPECTED MOVEMENT & VILLAGE PREP - BDA: 6 STRUCTURES DESTROYED, 7 DAMAGED. RAN VR MSN FOR DANANG DASC AT BT104656 SUSPECTED MOVEMENT, NEGATIVE SIGHTINGS.

MSN# 19: LINE A - CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

LINE B - CONDUCTED VR FOR 3/5 & 3/7 & 1/7 WHILE CONDUCTING VR FOR 1/7 RECEIVED REPORT OF 10 - 15 NVA IN RIVER AT AT955649 MADE ROCK KET & MACHINE GUN RUN WHICH NETTED 1 KBA.

LINE C - CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

MSN #20: LINE A - VR'D FOR 1/7, 3/1 & 2/5.

LINE B - CANX DUE TO AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY.

LINE C - VR FOR L/3/7 AT AT9757 - VR FOR I/3/7 AT AT9756 - RAN TPQ FOR DANANG ASRT HELLBORNE 225 ZC13028455

MSN #21: LINE A - PREPED OBJECTIVE FOR 2/9 GENERAL VR FOR 9th & 3rd MARINES.

LINE B - SUPPORTED "CHAINWORK & CHECKPOINT" RECON TEAMS ON SIGHTINGS SPOTTED ARVN FRIENDLY UNIT YD1341 - ATTEMPTED TO CONDUCT SURVEILLANCE OF ARTY MISSION ON 13 - 15 NVA. SUPPORTED 3/3 - "M" Co. ON VR - PLOTTED 2 REPORTED TRAIL NETWORKS LEADING FROM NORTH TO THEIR POSIT. SIGHTED SUSPECTED ASSEMBLY POINT AT XD964611.

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LINE C - UP COAST FEET WET DONG HA DASC REQUESTED WE RETURN - A/C
DOWN. COVERED 3/9 INSERTION AT YD0052 - PROVIDED VR & RADIO
~~RELIEF~~ RELAY COORDINATION.

MSN #6D: KIM REGISTRATION OF 3rd PLATOON 3rd "8" HOWITZER BATTERY, RAN GEN-
ERAL VR FOR 'A' COMPANY 1/5 AND 2/7.

MISSIONS SCHEDULED: 5
MISSIONS COMPLETED: 4
PERCENTAGE: 80%

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