

MARINE AIR CONTROL SQUADRON FOUR
Marine Air Control Group 18
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To: Commanding Officer, Marine Air Control Group 18

Subj: Command Chronology for period 1 May to 31 May 1969

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Encl: / (1) Organizational Data
/ (2) Narrative Summary
/ (3) Significant Events

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COMMAND CHRONOLOGY
MARINE AIR CONTROL SQUADRON FOUR
DANANG, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM
1 May 1969 - 31 May 1969

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PART I

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Organizational Data

1. Command and Staff

<u>BILLET</u>	<u>PERIOD COVERED</u>	<u>RANK/NAME</u>
Commanding Officer	1-31 May 1969	LtCol. Edward S. JOHN
Executive Officer	1-31 May 1969	Major Richard C. REYNOLDS
Seageant Major	1-19 May 1969	SgtMaj Henry W. CROWSON
Seageant Major	20-31 May 1969	SgtMaj Vernon E. BAILEY
S-1 Officer	1-31 May 1969	1stLt Edward M. ZERBE
S-2 Officer	1-31 May 1969	Major Charles J. MEARS Jr.
S-3 Officer	1-31 May 1969	Major Richard L. GOODLAKE
S-4 Officer	1-31 May 1969	Capt. Roger O. LEDOUX
Comm-Elect Officer	1-31 May 1969	Major John T. RADZYMINSKI

2. Task Organization and Location

- (a) Task Organization - Marine Air Control Squadron Four
- (b) Unit Location - Danang, Republic of Vietnam

3. Average Monthly Strength

- (a) Average Monthly Strength - 35 Officers
302 Enlisted (USMC)
3 Enlisted (USN)

4. Important Visitors to the Command

12 May 1969 - BGen SPANJER, USMC, 1st MAF
 28 May 1969 - Col. WGUYEN-NGOC-KHOI, Mayor of Danang
 28 May 1969 - Col. STORY, USA
 28 May 1969 - Col. JOHNSON, USA
 31 May 1969 - LtGen NICKERSON, USMC, III MAF

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PART II

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. The mission of air defense, air control, and participation in the exchange of digital data via Link II with NTDS/ATDS was continued.
2. Acquisition of replacement primary radars should enhance the ability of this squadron to perform its mission.

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PART III

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

1. Operations

a. The following services were provided during the month:

- (1) Tracks reported to Panama - 0
- (2) Aircraft provided Navigational Assistance - 20,300
- (3) TPQ-10 runs monitored - 462
- (4) IFF/SIF CHECKS - 16,721
- (5) GCI/GCA - 758
- (6) Intercepts (practice) Attempted - 0
Completed - 0

2. Utilities

- a. Deployments - none
- b. Equipment Shortages - (1) 2 PU -344 Generators
(2) 1 PU -259 Generator
- c. Major Failures - none

3. Motor Transport

a. During the period 1-31 May 1969, MACS-4 vehicles traveled 17,931 miles and transported 736 tons of cargo and 4,225 passengers.

b. Shortage of personnel, MOS 3531, resulted in the administrative deadline of 16% of the motor transport equipment on 17 May 1969. On 24 May 1969 the on board strength for this MOS was 32% of T/O.

c. There have been no major accidents recorded for the month of May in this squadron.

4. Communications and Electronics

- a. 2 May 1969 -(1) Rebuilt AN/TPS-22 antenna arrived at MACS-4.
(2) AN/TPS-34 B, SN A-9, arrived at MACS-4
- b. 25 May - Rebuilt AN/TPS-22, SN A-14 arrived at MACS-4.

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