

MARINE AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL UNIT 62  
 Marine Air Base Squadron 16  
 Marine Aircraft Group 16  
 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, FMF, Pacific  
 FPO San Francisco, 96602

1/LVC/jwk  
 5750  
 3 May 1967

From: Officer in Charge  
 To: Commanding Officer, Marine Air Base Squadron 16  
 Subj: MATCU62 Chronology Report; Month of April  
 Ref: (a) GruO 5750.1

1. In accordance with reference (a), the following information is submitted.

a. Officer Assignment:

Captain R. O. MEYER	Officer in Charge Airfield Operations Officer GCA Watch Officer
1/Lieutenant W. FLAIVE	Officer in Charge of MATCU-62 (Forward) Khe Sanh Airfield
1/Lieutenant L. V. CULP	Operations Officer Administrations Officer S&C Custodian GCA Watch Officer
1/Lieutenant L. E. MCKEE	Maintenance Officer Ground Safety Officer Embarkation Officer GCA Watch Officer
2/Lieutenant A. WARNACK	Tower Officer TAFDS Officer Crash Crew Liaison Officer Special Services Officer GCA Watch Officer

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b. Mission: Marine Air Traffic Control Unit 62 is providing air traffic control service under all weather conditions at Dong Ha Airfield and since 15 February 1967, Khe Sanh Airfield, Republic of Vietnam. In addition, MATCU-62 is functioning as the Dong Ha and Khe Sanh Airfield Operations Department. The primary mission is being accomplished through the use of the following equipment: AN/GRC-99 Portable Tower, AN/TRC-131 Portable Tower, AN/TSA-11 Portable Tower, AN/CPN-4 Radar Complex, AN/TSQ-18 Radar Complex and two AN/TRN-14 TACANS.

c. Personnel:

- (1) Officers on Board: 5 (2 at Khe Sanh)
- (2) Enlisted on Board: 59 (10 at Khe Sanh)
- (3) Promotions: None
- (4) Transferred: 2 1st Lt's
- (5) Joined: 3 Staff Sergeants, 1 Sergeant, 1 Corporal

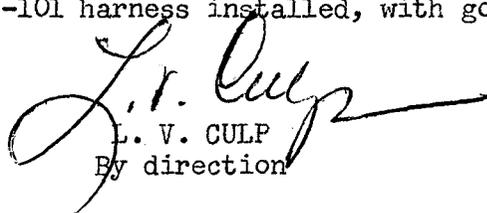
d. Casualties: Gunnery Sergeant George E. PAYNE 300297/5951 wounded in action at Dong Ha Airfield 28 April 1967 during mortar/rocket attack.

e. Airfield Control:

	<u>Dong Ha</u>	<u>Khe Sanh</u>
1. VFR Operations	11,541	4,604
2. IFR Operations	404	84
3. Radar Operations	525	52

f. Logistics:

- (1) Portable Tower AN/GRC-99 Serial #9 received this unit 12 April 1967
- (2) AN/URD-12 Serial #1 received from MATCU-68 25 April 1967
- (3) AN/FPN-36, Serial #56 Received from MATCU-68, 25 April 1967
- (4) Received AN/TSQ-18 VHF (ARC-1) Equipment Shelter Serial #4. Mr. Arthur R. COSTA visited this unit 13-18 April, installing VHF System in both TSQ-18 shelters. VHF requirements at Khe Sanh are met utilizing AN/ARC-84 radios in AN/ARC-101 harness installed, with good results.

  
L. V. CULP  
By direction