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1st Bn, 12th Inf
FSB UTE
170400 July 1970

Situation Report #253

Period covered: 150001 to 152400 July 1970

Reference: Map RVN. 1:50,000: Sheets 6637II, 6737III, 6737IV, 6637III.

1. Enemy: Elements of C2 407 Sapper Bn cont to operate in small 3-5 man teams and cont to maintain surveillance of friendly units in AO ODIN.

2. Own Situation:

a. Forward elements are mobile in AO. 1-12 Inf (TF NAVAJO) cont on PUTNAM PARAGON with Bn CP located at FSB UTE, (BR356708).

b. Description and results of operations:

(1) Co A cont S&C ops out of PB vic 379765 interdicting suspected enemy infiltration corridor with neg significant findings.

(2) Co B cont training, security and construction at FSB UTE. Conducts local sweeps.

(3) Co C conducted CA to CAMP RADCLIFF and assumes mission of Golf Course Pad security.

(4) Co D while conducting S&C ops vic 365613 received 5 rds 60mm mortar only 2 of the rds exploded and there were no casualties. The rds came from 500m out on a 1400AZ and impacted 25m to the NW. A sweep of the SEL located a 4x4 lean-to hootch. Est 4 mo old and used 1-2 weeks ago. Inside was found 1 jar with 1 1 unpolished rice and various clothing for cooks.

(5) Recon remained on Hill 612 (309636), securing 81c and radio relay

(6) A-1/22 chngs to 1/12 and assumed construction, security and training mission at FSB ARMAGEDDON.

3. Administration: TF NAVAJO cont to be resupplied from Trains area at FSB ARMAGEDDON.

4. General: Cumulative results of US and enemy activity relative to personnel and equipment as 1 July 1970.

a. US KIA	0
b. US WIA	0
c. US MIA	0
d. US equip losses	1 1 M-16
e. enemy KIA	1
f. enemy WIA	0
g. enemy CIA	0
h. enemy equip dest/CIA	33 AK rds, 8 lbs Chicow explosive; 500 lbs rice
i. Hoi Chanhs	31

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