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1st Bn, 12th Inf FSB UTE (BR356708) 230100 July 1970

Situation Report #259

Period covered: 210001-212400 July 1970

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

1. Enemy: Elements of the C2 407 Sapper Bn cont to operate in small 3-5 man teams and cont to maintain surveillance of friendly units in A0 ODIN.

2. Own Situation:

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

b. D escription and results of operations:

(1) Co A conducted airlift from AO SKIP to FSB UTE and assumed construction

security and training mission at FSB from Co B.

(2) Co B conducted airlift from FSB UTE to AO SKIP and assumed the mission from A Co of interdicting SONG BA infiltration corridor, Vic 328738, B Co found 3 hootches, 8x8x3' and 2 bunkers 5x8x4' w/ 18" O/H; 6 mo old and last used 2 mo ago.

(3) Co C cont Golf Course Security mission at CAMP RADCLIFF.

(4) D Co cont S&C and amb operations in assigned AO against C2 407 Sapper Bn. 3/D vic 349631 found 1 hootch 3x6x6', which was bui't over the grave of an old Montangnard woman, 5-6 weeks old.

(5) Recon began ambush and patrolling operations in southern portion of AO SKIP, to interdict the SONG BA infiltration corridor. Had neg findings.

(6) One reinforced squad of B Co maintained security of Hill 612, and radio relay.

(7) A-1/22 remains OPCON 1/12, cont security at FSB ARMAGEDDON, (BR419638).

3. Administration: TF NAVAJO con to be resuplied from the Trains area at FSB ARMAGEDDON.

4. General: Cumulative results of US ans enemy activity related to personnel and equipmen since 1 July 1970.

a. US KIA 0 b. US WIA 00

e. US MIA O

d. US equip losses 1 1 M-16

e. enery KIA 1

f. enemy WIA

g. ene y CIA 0 h. Hoi Chanhs 5131

i. enemy equip dest/CIA 159 rd AK: 8 lbs Chicom explosives: 50 lbs rice

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GP 4 POWMORADED AT 3 MGAR INTERVALS DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS

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