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S2/S 3 1st Bn 8th Cav

LZ Sharon YD334495

0001 29 May 68

2400 29 May 68

TIME	COORD	INCIDENT, REASONING, ORIGIN, ETC	ACTION TAKEN	INIT
1	0001	Journal Opened	J S	bdw
2	0200	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	rs
3	0300	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	rs
4	0400	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	rs
5	0500	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	rs
6	0600	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	rs
7	0600	All 1/8 OP's and ambushes have closed with negative findings.	J S Bde	rs
8	0605	Situation Report Negative	J S Bde	rs
9	0010	(Delayed Entry) Bunker # 10 reports 4 incoming small arms rounds. Negative casualties or assessment	J S Bde	Kg
10	0630	1/8 companies have negative organic expenditures	J S B	rs
11	0738	C/Co 2-6 element off PZ at Pedro, PZ clear.	J S Bde	rs
12	0745	C/Co 2-6 element on the ground at coordinates 232439, LZ green.	J S Bde	rs
13	0755	B/Co 2-6 element is off the PZ coordinates 346477 for snatch mission.	J S Bde	sk
14	0802	B/Co 2-6 element on the ground at coordinates 322487, have 2 mil. abs males they will detain.	J S Bde	sk
15	0822	B/Co 2-6 element off the PZ at coordinates 322487, PZ clear.	J S Bde	sk
16	0827	From Brigades, D/Co 1/8 will not be extracted from the contact area at coordinates 409607, element will remain OPCON to 1/12 until further notice.	J S S-3	sk
17	0828	Unit locations, A/Co LZ Sharon, B/Co coordinates 346477, C/Co (-) LZ Pedro, C/Co 2-6 element at coordinates 232459, D/Co OPCON 1/12	J S Bde	rs
18	0840	B/Co 2-6 element on the ground with B/Co CP at coordinates 346477, snatch mission complete.	J S Bde	sk
19	0910	C/Co 2-6 element has moved from coordinates 232439 northwest along a trail to coordinates 253467 with negative findings, still moving northwest	J S B	sk
20	1005	Unit locations, A/Co LZ Sharon, B/Co coordinates 346477, C/Co (-) LZ Pedro, C/Co 2-6 element 253467, D/Co OPCON 1/12.	J S Bde	rs
21	1011	B/Co is conducting a limited medcap operation at coordinates 346477 and believe some tactical information may be obtained from villagers. Request 1 PW team.	J S S-2	sk
22	1111	B/Co 3-6 element is moving east from coordinates 346477 to make a general recon of the area.	J S	sk
23	1140	C/Co 2-6 element has closed LZ Pedro with negative findings.	J S	sk
24	1155	Unit locations, A/Co LZ Sharon, B/Co 346477, C/Co LZ Pedro, D/Co OPCON 1/12.	J S Bde	rs
25	1300	B/Co 3-6 at coordinates	J S Bde	bdw

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COMPARTMENTATION OR INFORMATION

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LZ Sharon YD34495

0001 29 May 68

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TIME	COORD	INCIDENTS, OBSERVATIONS, COMMENTS, etc	ACTOR	CLASS	INFO
26	1325	Brigade reports: LRP box grid 2046, 2246, 2044, 2244, 1000 meters no fire around box-time 3108 May 03/0800 June	J S		bdw
27	1355	Unit locations, A/Co LZ Sharon, B/Co 346477, B/1-6 342481, B/3-6 345481, C/Co LZ Pedro; D/Co OPCON 1/12, D/Co 1/12 LZ Betty, 2-4 331519, 3-2 382489	J S	Bde	bdw
28	1450	D/Co back under Big Duke control.	J S		mg
29	1500	Brigade reports weather warning effective from 1530 hrs. to 2200 hrs. few rain showers and thunder storms. Winds 15 knots and gusting to 30 knots.	J S		mg
30	1500	D/Co 1-6 off ground at 429607.	J S	Bde	bdw
31	1520	D/Co 1-6 element on ground at 318468, LZ green.	J S	Bde	bdw
32	1520	D/Co complete at 318468.	J S	Bde	bdw
33	1525	B/Co 3-6 closed at coordinates 346477.	J S		bdw
34	1530	C/Co progress report-String 1 spool of barbed wire around the perimeter, started work on 1 bunker and added 150 sandbags to existing bunkers.	J S		bdw
35	1540	B/Co complete at 346477.	J S		bdw
36	1600	Unit locations, A/Co LZ Sharon B/Co 346477, C/Co LZ Pedro, D/Co 322465, D/Co 1/12 LZ Betty, 2-4 331519, 3-2 382489.	J S	Bde	bdw
37	1635	R. P.'s issued to companies.	J S	B	bdw
38	1830	Unit locations, A/Co LZ Sharon, A/2-1A 325487, A/2-2A 324483, OP 1 through 6. 314495, 332498, 324484, 332476, 342483, 342486, B/Co at 346477, B/11A 100 meters North, B/2-1A 352467, B/11 340471, B/31 352477, C/Co LZ Pedro, C-13 252485, C/31 244493, C/21 239482, D/Co 322465, D# 1 324467, D# 2 318476, D/Co 1/12 LZ BETTY, 2-4 at 331519, 3-2 at 382489. PDS: A/Co 110-4-10, B/Co 119-4-7, C/Co 118-5-8, D/Co 97-4-10, D/Co 1/12 107-9-3, HHC 120-12-5.	J S	Bde	er
39	2030	Situation Report Negative	J S	Bde	er
40	2055	Situation Report Negative	J S	Bde	er
41	2100	From Brigade: Intel. report from division; usually reliable sources indicate imminent VC, NVA action on friendly installations tonight. With possible priority might be 1st Brigade.	J S	ABCD	er
42	2200	Situation Report Negative	J S	Bde	er
43	2230	C/3-1 ambush observed and engaged 7 or 8 individuals in the kill zone of their ambush. (244493)	J S	Bde	er
44	2233	Ref # 43: As the C/3-1 ambush returned to perimeter. An OP spotted individuals following the ambush.	J S	Bde	er
45	2234	C/Co OP 13 at 252485 engaged approx 4 individuals to their front and returned to C/Co perimeter.	J S	Bde	er

Op. 13 and area off officer on 2237

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