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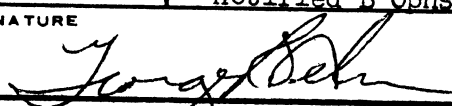
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| ORGANIZATION OR INSTALLATION<br>BTOC, S-2 & S-3<br>25th Aviation Battalion |  | LOCATION<br>XT650150<br>APO 96225 |  | PERIOD COVERED |           |      |           |
|                                                                            |  |                                   |  | FROM           |           | TO   |           |
|                                                                            |  |                                   |  | HOUR           | DATE      | HOUR | DATE      |
|                                                                            |  |                                   |  | 1000           | 17 Sep 68 | 2400 | 17 Sep 68 |

| ITEM NO. | TIME |     | INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.                                                                                   | ACTION TAKEN               | INITIALS |
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|          | IN   | OUT |                                                                                                                     |                            |          |
| 1        | 0001 |     | LOG OPENED                                                                                                          |                            | JWC      |
| 2        | 0002 |     | Delayed entry approximately 2355 ADAO called RRF 17 Sep. LNO report 2nd Bde TBC briefing 0700.                      | A/B Opns notified          | JWC      |
| 3        | 0010 |     | Blaster 6 wants aircraft ASAP.                                                                                      | notified A Opns            | JWC      |
| 4        | 0020 |     | ADAO needs 2nd UH-1D on standby for emer. Re supply.                                                                | notified B Opns            | JWC      |
| 5        | 0055 |     | Cpt Boyington called and said PFC Delara discharged a weapon while cleaning it, hit in the hand and is at 25th Med, | notified Col.              | JWC      |
| 6        | 0200 |     | ADAO scrambled Light Fire Team and Flare ship XT5430 and contact Flanks 14 on 60.85.                                | notified B Opns            | JWC      |
| 7        | 0250 |     | ADAO needs UH-1D for 2nd flare ship.                                                                                | notified A Opns            | JWC      |
| 8        | 0255 |     | Cancelled Item 7.                                                                                                   | notified A Opns            | JWC      |
| 9        | 0300 |     | ADAO put Cobra team on strip alert informed ADAO about the limitations of Cobras, emergency                         | notified B Opns            | JWC      |
| 10       | 0320 |     | Scrambled Flare ship XT4738, contact leatherneck 2 on 35.70.                                                        | notified B Opns            | JWC      |
| 11       | 0350 |     | ADAO scrambled 2nd Flare ship XT5430 and contact Flanks 14 on 60.85                                                 | notified A Opns            | JWC      |
| 12       | 0420 |     | Major Bauchbier scrambled Cobra LFT to XT4738 and contact Leatherneck 2 on 25.70                                    | Cpt Yarbough notified      | JWC      |
| 13       | 0430 |     | ADAO wants LB856 the 2nd Flare ship XT5430 to contact Leatherneck to return Cu Chi.                                 | MAN                        | JWC      |
| 14       | 0555 |     | ADAO called 0800 mission for UH-1D pick up Bau Tri 8 RVNs drop off Trung Lap return BT.                             | notified A Opns            | JWC      |
| 15       | 0600 |     | A Opns called 856 was flown into PE and leaves 4 lift ships and 1 C&C                                               | notified ADAO              | JWC      |
| 16       | 0645 |     | ADAO called mission for Cobra team XT4938 contact Leatherneck 2 on 35.70.                                           | notified B Opns            | JWC      |
| 17       | 0815 |     | ADAO request crew aircraft for Green Tape aircraft direct XT617829 contact on 50.40 pick up three US KIAs .         | notified <del>XXXX</del> A | RJA      |
| 18       | 0820 |     | ADAO sent RRF C&C to Tay Ninh VIP pad contact Col Mahawa at 1st Bde TBC.                                            | notified A Opns            | RJA      |
| 19       | 0950 |     | EOD blast ann Margret range until 1000 hrs today.                                                                   | A/B Opns notified          | RJA      |
| 20       | 1010 |     | Light Fire Team DH-30 contact issue 4 Clipper Assault at XT1435                                                     | notified B Opns            | RJA      |

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| 21                                                                                                 | 1215 |                       | Scramble Light Fire Team to French Fort contact Barrage on 50.05.                        |           |      |        | notified B Opns RJA |
| 22                                                                                                 | 1430 |                       | LB 632 will not be airborne due to preflight                                             |           |      |        | notified ADAO RJA   |
| 23                                                                                                 | 1510 |                       | L3888 will take 2nd Bde C&C mission.                                                     |           |      |        | notified ADAO RJA   |
| 24                                                                                                 | 1625 |                       | DAU TIENG CM to pick up request one Lighting set drop off Bau Do contact Flanks on 60.35 |           |      |        | notified A Opns RJA |
| 25                                                                                                 | 2000 |                       | ADAO scrambled Flare ship XT5717, will give additional information thru clipper.         |           |      |        | notified B Opns JWC |
| 26                                                                                                 | 2101 |                       | ADAO notified Blaster 6 aircraft Stand by at 0700 pad time 1100                          |           |      |        | notified A Opns JWC |
| 27                                                                                                 | 2400 |                       | LOG CLOSED                                                                               |           |      |        | JWC                 |
| <p>The 25th Avn Bn continues to support the 25th Inf Div during Operation TOAN THANG Phase II.</p> |      |                       |                                                                                          |           |      |        |                     |

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