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1st Bn, 12th Inf
FSB UTE
090300 Jul 70

Situatuin Report #245

Period covered: 070001 - 072400 Jul 70

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

1. Enemy: Elements of C2 Z07 Sapper Bn continue to operate in small 3-5 man teams and continues to maintain surveillance of friendly units in AO ODIN.

2. Own Situation:

a. Forward elements are mobile in AO ODIN. 1-12 Inf (TF NAVAJO) continues opn PUTNAM PARAGON with Bn CP at FSB UTE (BR956708).

b. Description and results of opns.

(1) Co A cont aggressive S&C and small unit ambushes in AO bounded by 390740, 420740, 390770, 420770. 2/A vic 421751, found the remains of 15 hootches that had been burned, were not able to determine size, capacity, or last use. Vic 427750, 2/A found a bunker 28x5x8' 2/4' O/H. Inside was a musical instrument. Capacity of bunker was 50 indivy and last use 7 days ago. 3/A vic 427738 the point man of the element spotted one indiv Montagnard 50m away digging for food. The point man engaged w/ S/A and the indiv fled to the west. Indiv carried no weapon and wore a loin cloth.

(2) Co B continued security, construction and training mission at FSB UTE. Continued local RIF's.

(3) Co C continued construction, security and training mission at FSB ARMAGEDDON. At 1605 hrs 6 Montagnards Chieu Hoi'ed to Co C at FSB ARMAGEDDON, and were taken to the relocation center.

(4) D Co continued S&C and ambush opns in AO bounded by 350600, 370600, 350620, 370620. 1/D vic 375612 found 1 hootch 6x10x6' 1 year old, no signs of recent use.

(5) Recon remained on Hill 612 (BR399636 securing 81c(-) and the radio relay, conducting local RIF's and ambushes. The 2d sqd vic 398646 found a trail 12" wide, not visible from the air on a 270 AZ. Several footprints were found 2-3 days old heading west.

3. Administration: TF NAVAJO cont to be resupplied from trains area at FSB ARMAGEDDON (BR419648).

4. General: Cumulative results of US and enemy activity relative to personnel and equip for the month of Jul 70.

a. US KIA	0
b. US WIA	0
c. US MIA	0
d. US equip losses	1 M-16
e. Enemy KIA	0
f. Enemy WIA	0
g. Enemy CIA	00
h. Enemy equip destroyed/ CIA	0
i. Hoi Chanhs	30

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