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HQ's 1-12 Inf
FSB UTE (BR356708)
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FRAGO 6-70

Reference: Map, South Vietnam, 1:50,000; Sheets 6737III, 6737IV.

Task Organization: No Change

1. (C) Situation:

Enemy: Enemy elements continue to use personnel infiltration route along trails on SONG BA River. Enemy operate in small 3-5 man groups, usually with VMC guides.

B. Friendly Forces: 1-12 Inf continues operation in assigned AO with elements targeted against C2 407 Sapper Bn. B/4-42 Arty DS 1-12 Inf.

2. (C) Mission: Recon platoon conduct operation commencing 211500 in assigned AO to interdict enemy infiltration corridor along the SONG BA River and to destroy enemy forces encountered.

3. (C) Execution:

a. Concept of Operation: Recon platoon will move from FSB UTE (BR356708) to assigned AO by foot, cross the SONG BA River at a selected crossing site. Make a reconnaissance of trails leading to the SONG BA River and interdict trails with mechanical ambushes, and personnel ambushes. Priority of fires to unit in contact.

b. Coordinating Instructions:

- (1) The SONG BA River is the right limit of the AO. Unit will not operate to the east of the SONG BA River.
- (2) A minimum of two personnel ambushes will be used.
- (3) Mechanical ambushes will be used in conjunction with personnel ambushes and will be recorded and reported.
- (4) No radios or tape recorders will be taken on operation.
- (5) All trails encountered will be recorded and passed to Bn showing direction and length in meters.
- (6) Maintain overlay of all trails and submit to Bn on R/S days.
- (7) All items of intelligence value will be reported; i.e. huts, corn fields, etc.

4. (C) Administration and Logistics:

- a. Each individual take 9 meals.
- b. Medevac - Normal Dust-off SOP.

5. (C) Command and Signal:

- a. Signal: Current SOI, ~~in~~ in effect.
- b. Bn CP at FSB UTE.
- c. Bn CO at FSB UTE unless contact develops.

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