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1st Bn, 12th Infantry  
FSB AUGUSTA (BR799723)  
040800 Sept 70

OPLAN 1-70

~~OPORD 15-80~~ (OPN PUTNAM PARAGON)

Reference: Map, RVN, Series L7014, 1:50,000

Task Organization: TF HARRIS  
1-12 Inf  
B/4/42d Arty  
Demo Team 2/3/C, 4th Eng  
4 Dog Teams

1. (C) SITUATION:

a. Enemy Forces: Current SIT REP.

b. Friendly Forces:

(1) Eff: D-DAY, H-HR, 2d Bde ATK to locate and destroy enemy, supplies, and installations in Eastern Base Area 226.

(2) See ANNEX A, operations overlay for disp of 1/14 Inf.

(3) 3/503 will block vicinity Coord 844706.

c. Attachments and Detachments: See Task Organization

2. (C) MISSION: Effective 060730 Sept 70, TF HARRIS atk to loc and dest enemy forces, supply and instl in Eastern Base Area 226 (assigned AO).

3. (C) EXECUTION:

a. Concept of Operations:

(1) Maneuver: ANNEX A (opns o'lay) TF HARRIS repositions forces into assigned AO and conducts combat opns in the SCUI CA in two phases.

a. PHASE I: Tactical extraction of Co A from field loc to FSB AUGUSTA at 050900 Sept 70. Co A assumes mission of FSB security.

b. PHASE II: Not earlier than (N.E.T.) 060001 Sept 70, Co C moves by foot and occupies blocking position "CHARLIE". At 060730 Sept 70, Co B extracts from PZ "DORIS", and CA into multiple LZ's ANN 1, 2, 3 & 4. West to East. Co B occupies blocking position "BRAVO". Co D conducts CA, (following insertion of Co B), from FSB AUGUSTA, to LZ PINK and sweeps to the west. Recon Platoon conducts tactical extraction from FSB AUGUSTA to LZ CROTCH and conducts RIF along AXIS BLUE to limit of Advance (LOA) UTE.

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(2) Fires: ANNEX B(Fire Support)

a. Co A - Conduct tactical extraction from PZ "BLACK" BR812754 to FSB AUGUSTA at 050730 Sept 70. Assume FSB SECURITY MISSION. Conduct RIF in assigned AO, assume REACTION FORCE MISSION, ie have one platoon on immediate reaction, Company(-) on 30 min reaction. Conduct training as outlined in ANNEX C.

b. Co B - At 060730 extract from PZ "DORIS" (BR772735) and CA to LZ's ANN 1, 2, 3, 4. (West to East). Move to and occupy blocking PSN "BRAVO". Be prepared to interdict EN movement by patrolling and ambush.

c. Co C - Move by foot N.E.T. 060001 Sept 70 to blocking PSN "CHARLIE". Be prepared to interdict EN movement to NW and NE by patrolling and ambush.

d. Co D - Following insertion of Co B, conduct CA from FSB AUGUSTA to LZ PINK (BR830670). Sweep to the west with mission of locating and destroying enemy forces. Do not cross PL "NAT".

e. Recon Platoon: Following CA of Co D:

1. Conduct CA to LZ CROTCH(BR835641).

2. Conduct RIF along AXIS BLUE to LIMIT OF ADVANCE "UTE"  
(see o'lay).

3. Upon arrival LCA "UTE" OPCON to Co B, perform rear and flank security missions as directed. Contact CO Co B upon arrival at PL "UTE".

f. Coordinating Instructions:

1. DIRLAUTH for Co Cmdrs with Cmdrs of Adjacent Units.

2. No maneuver authorized south of the 63 EW grid line.

3. No fires will be cleared south of the 61 EW grid line.

4. All requests <sup>from</sup> Recon Platoon <sup>for</sup> fires must be cleared  
by CO Co B.

5. ACL for slicks, five(5) PAX.

6. All personnel carry 12 meals and basic load of Class V.

7. 81mm mortars of Co's A, D and ~~one mortar squad of Co C~~  
will remain on FSB AUGUSTA, one mortar squad, Co C, with unit. @ Co mortars  
will revert to unit control

8. Preparatory fires - See ANNEX B.

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9. CBT assaults and extractions will be made using multi-ship LZ's/PZ's wherever possible.

10. All units prepare to revert to search missions in assigned AO's.

## 4. (C) Administration and Logistics:

### 1. Units supplied on 4 day cycle: (Indicated Below)

5 Sept	Co A
5 Sept	Recon Platoon
5 Sept	Co D
7 Sept	Co C
8 Sept	Co B
9 Sept	Co A
9 Sept	Recon Platoon
9 Sept	Co D
11 Sept	Co C
11 Sept	Co B

2. Cmbt trains at FSB AUGUSTA effective 7 Sept.

3. Field trains at FSB UPLIFT effective 7 Sept.

4. Class V resupply - on call.

5. MEDEVAC Procedures Normal Dustoff SOP. Frequency 46.90. Casualties to Qui Nhon.

## 5. (C) Command and Signal:

### a. Signal:

1. Current SSI and SOI in effect.

2. Bn CMD PRI will be CA and C&C freq.

3. Communications facilities(Radio or Wire) will be tightly controlled, regarding reference to this OPCR, or any matter pertaining to it. Prevention of compromise of this plan is of the utmost concern!

4. The combat assault signal code for this operation only, is as follows:

a. PAX	WHISKEY
b. ACL	BREAD
c. SLICK	BUTTER
d. SORTIE	TEA
e. 1ST LIFT	COFFEE

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f. 2D LIFT            COCOA  
g. LAST LIFT        GRAPE  
h. PZ                JAM  
i. LZ                SODA  
j. AMC               ORANGE  
k. GUNSHIP         ROOT BEER  
L. CLEAR LZ : ~~LEMONADE~~ COLD

M. CONTACT AT LZ - HOT

b. Command:

1. Bn TAC CP relocates to BR828672 on 6<sup>ceder</sup> Sept.
2. Bn main CP remains at FSB AUGUSTA.

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ANNEXES:

- A - Opns O'lay
- B - Fire Spt Plan
- C - Training

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