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SUBJECT: Daily SITREP 207 for 290001H May to 292400H May 70.

1. (C) Operations Summary

A. The 1/12th Inf cont ops out of FSB KICWA, BR337657.

(1) A Co cont RIF ad amb ops in their assigned AO, vic BR334591 found 2 fragmentary grenade boobytraps in an LZ. Gladiator 44, who was bringing in re-supply was diverted and the booby-traps destroyed.

(2) B Co cont RIF and amb ops in assigned AO. Vic 347623 1/B found 4 hootches 10x8x8'; 4 bunkers 10x8x4' w/ 2½' O/H. Est to be 6 mo old; last recent use by 1 indiv. The 1st plat found a bunker 7x10x4' w/ 3' O/H; one bunker 6x8x6' 6 mo old; and 2 hootches 8x8x6' vic 346607. The area contained documents, a diary and records; cooking utensils; farming tools; 3 M-60 ammo cans; 1 US flare (expended); a US helmet liner; gauze sissors; childrens clothing a .51 cal rd; 2 7.62mm rds; rubber stripping; pr blk PJ's; pr khaki trousers; empty medicine bottles; 3 wine bottles; motar swab; 2 NVA entrenching tools. 70 lbs polished rice and 15 lbs salt.

(3) C Co cont plat RIF out of KICWA and 3 sqd size amb. 3/C conducted CA to vic BR278692, in reaction to a heavy snoopy read-out. 3/C found vic 281694 found 3 NVA KIA, wearing khaki shirts, green fatigue trousers, sandals, 2 had neg headgear and one wore a pith helmet. 2 AK-47 CIA; 1 82mm base plate CIA along with 2 AK magazines, 2 rucks, 3 changes of cloths, loose SKS rds, and a pistol belt w/ 1st aid kit, canteen and cover, and some paper documents. A bunker, (6x4x3' w/ 3' O/H), was located, 3 mo old used in last 24H. One individ was sighted wearing jungle fatigues trousers, an OD shirt sandals

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and neg headgear. Indiv was engaged with S/A; AZ 080° rng 75m. The indiv fled along an AZ pf 080°. He was carrying an AK-47. 3/C following a heavy blood trail. A tacker team was sent out to assist 3/C. LOH supporting 3/C was forced down due to blade strike, and 3/C secured it until bird extracted.

(4) D Co cont RIF and amb opns in assigned AO. Vic BR384618 Bulldog16, (resupply) received S/A fire as he lifted off the LZ, took 10 hits, resulting in one door gunner WIA. The SEL 100-150m on 100° AZ from above grid.

(5) Recon cont working in assigned AO, reports neg significant sightings.

B. Cumulative results of al opns since 15 Feb:

US losses: 47 WIA; 15 KIA.

Fdly losses: 1 KCS WIA.

US inflicted enemy losses: 21 S/A CIA; 19 enemy KIA, (BC); 82mm mortar base plate; 4 Chicom switchboards, 4 Chicom fieldphones; 2 Chicom radios and 1 PRC-10 CIA; 131400 lb rice CIA; miss docu and equip CIA.

2. Remarks: The 3 enemy KIA found by 3/C were killed by Scorpion G/S.

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