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DAILY INTERNAL INFO SUMMARY 27-21 VLLC-5 AT Z

MONDAY WAS ANOTHER DAY OF VIRTUALLY NO CONTACT AS OPERATIONS CONTINUED IN THE "EAGLE'S BEAK" AREA OF LONG AN PROVINCE.

TWO DEAD VC WERE FOUND AT 0640 THIS MORNING BY 3/60 INF BN WHEN SWEEPING THROUGH AN AREA WHERE A SAMPAN HAD BEEN FIRED UPON SUNDAY NIGHT AT 2340. U.S. CASUALTIES FOR THE DAY WERE ONE KILLED AS A RESULT OF A BOOBY TRAP AND FIVE WOUNDED, ONE BY BOOBY TRAP AND FOUR AS A RESULT OF A BURST OF AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE RECEIVED BY 3/47 INF BN AT 0116 THIS MORNING WHILE IN THEIR NIGHT POSITIONS.

THE ONLY CONTACT OF THE DAY OCCURRED AT 1255 WHEN RIVDIV 92 BOATS WITH 3/60 INF BN EMBARKED RECEIVED TWO BURSTS OF AUTOMATIC WEAPONS

FIRE AS THE TROOPS WERE BEING EAGLE FLOATED ALONG THE SONG VAM CO DONG. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES AS THE BOATS RETURNED AND SUPPRESSED THE FIRE. ECHO COMPANY WAS IMMEDIATELY LANDED BUT COULD NOT ESTABLISH CONTACT. RIVDIV 111 WITH ELEMENTS OF 3/47 INF BN EMBARKED, SPENT THE DAY EAGLE FLOATING ALONG THE RACH MUONG. ALL THE TROOPS EXCEPT FOR ONE PLATOON FROM ECHO COMPANY 3/47 BACKLOADED ABOUT 1700 AND COMMENCED THE LONG TRANSIT TO THE MRB. ONE PLATOON OF ECHO COMPANY REMAINED IN THE FIELD TO SECURE A TRUCK WHICH FELL THROUGH A BRIDGE DURING YESTERDAYS OPERATION. ALL BOATS RETURNED TO THE MRB.

AT 1415 MONDAY AFTERNOON A FORWARD AIR CONTROL PLANE SIGHTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE A VC BASE COMP ON THE RIVER BANK TO THE EAST OF THE MRB. BENEWAH AND COLLETON FIRED A SERIES OF 3" 50'S INTO THE AREA WITH COLLETON DESTROYING FIVE BUNKERS.

MEANWHILE WORD WAS RECEIVED THAT THERE WERE FRESHLY DUG FOXHOLES AND PEOPLE MILLING AROUND THEM ON THE BANK WEST OF THE MRB. A READY REACTION FORCE CONSISTING OF ONE CCE, TWO ATC'S AND TWO ASPB'S OF RIVDIV 91 LANDED A PLATOON OF TROOPS IN THE AREA. ALFA CO OF 3/47 WAS ALSO HELDED INTO THE AREA FROM THE AO. THE TROOPS FOUND ONLY ONE FRESH FOXHOLE IN SWEEPING THE AREA; CONSEQUENTLY, THEY RETURNED TO THE MRB AT 1730.

TASK GROUP BRAVO BEGAN A TWO-DAY EAGLE FLOAT AND RECONNAISSANCE-IN-FORCE OPERATION WITH ELEMENTS OF THE 5/12 INFANTRY BATTALION ALONG THE KIEN DONG DIEN AND KINH CAY KHO.

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