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8/3 S/2

LOCATION

LZ GERONIMO 877172

PERIOD COVERED

FROM

TO

HOUR
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DATE
8 Jul 67

HOUR
2400

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1st Bn (Abn) 8th Cavalry

ITEM NO.

TIME

IN

OUT

INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.

ACTION TAKEN

INITIALS

1

0001

JOURNAL OPENED

J,S

JF

2

0002

C Co reports receiving AW fire from his E & SE of his location coords 873134 C_on not determine size of force.

J,S,BDE

JF

3

0003

C Co reports fire has seized fire come from the island to his south. Firing in arty in the vicinity . neg casualties.

J,S,BDE

JF

4

0030

C Co reports receiving fire from the NW & SE approx 30 meters from his perimeter. Firing has seized neg casualties still firing in arty.

J,S,BDE

JF

5

0050

From Bde 1 CO 300 Sapper Bn believed working vic BR 8296 or 8297 C_o rating.

J,S

AS

6

0100

Sit Rep/Neg

J,S,BDE

AS

7

0140

C Co reports spotting 5 VC to the east of their perimeter calling in arty.

J,S

AS

8

0200

Sit Rep/Neg

J,S,BDE

AS

9

0205

From Bde weather report 0001 - 0700 - 2500 ft scattered light & broken clouds vis- 7 miles winds 200 5 kt; 0700 - 1700 winds 2400 10 Kn gusts to 15 light to moderate turbulence 4000 max temp 103 min 82.

J,S,All Co's

AS

10

0300

Sit Rep/Neg

J,S,BDE

AS

11

0301

C Co (-) moving NW at this time.

J,S

AS

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12

0400

Sit Rep/Neg

J,S,BDE

AS

13

0435

C Co 36 & CP moving NW at this time.

J,S

AS

14

0455

C Co closed location at coord 868145 request

Set Tm 1st light recon.

J,S,BDE

AS

15

0500

Sit Rep/Neg

J,S,BDE

AS

16

0600

Sit Rep/Neg

J,S,BDE

AS

17

0615

C Co reports 1 VC WIA was wearing blk shorts

and grey shirt also picked up 1 VCS wearing

Blk PJ both trying to run out of village coords

868145 age 20 both had neg wpn or documents

requesting Med-evac for WIA.

J,S,BDE

AS

18

0630

1st light recon Tm working w/C Co at this time.

J,S

AS

19

0640

1st ele of National Police on ground at C Co

location.

J,S,BDE

AS

20

0643

Med-evac for C Co complete.

J,S,BDE

AS

21

0700

National Police closed w/C Co.

J,S,BDE

RA

22

0715

Set Tm checked coords 805145 & 805135 neg

results. will check other Hot Spots at coords

815956 & 803041.

J,S

RA

23

0735

Set Tm checked locations (Ref ite 23) neg

results.

J,S,BDE

RA

24

0740

(Ref item)17) the wounded VCS is classified

as a civil defender.

J,S

RA

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25	0745		The extraction of A-3 & A-4 of D Co has been complete.	J,S,BDE	RA	
26	0905		C Co 46 closed C Co location at this time from LZ ENGLISH coord 863145.	J,S,BDE	AS	
27	0910		A Trp 1/9 Cav on ground at coords 836084 checking Hot Spot.	J,S	RA	
28	0910		A Co sent back 1 Chinook load of misc personnel to LZ ENGLISH.	J,S,BDE	RA	
29	0940		All of D Co off ground at location coords 853085 will be OPCON to 1/7 Cav,	J,S,BDE	RA	
30	0948		D Co closed LZ SANDRA coords 798191 leaving 1/8 Freq.	J,S,BDE	RA	
31	1100		C Co found at vic coords 868147 68 rds M-60 empty, 2 US grenades 2 US bayonets 10 sets Blk PJ 3 sets grey uniforms 1 trip flare US type a total of 9 VC ages 17-30 & 2 female VC age 20-25.	J,S,BDE	RA	
32	1230		National Police working with C Co have been extracted.	J,S,BDE	BC	
33	1420		A Trp 1/9 was extracted from 1/8 AO.	J,S	BC	
34	1502		A Trp 1/9 on ground at coords 881091 neg cont.	J,S	BC	
35	1532		1st ele of C Co off LZ at coords 868145.	J,S,BDE	BC	
36	1538		1st ele of C Co on ground at LZ coords 865060			

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36	(CONT)		Sit R _e p/Neg.	J,S,BDE	BC
37	1538		All of C Co on LZ Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	BC
38	1550		A Co 16 ele destroyed 35 bunkers. C Co destroyed 6 bunkers.	J,S	BC
39	1700		(Ref item 35) A 1/9 was extracted at 1538 hrs.	J,S	CWC
40	1900		Sct Tm spotted 4 military age males working on a cane press. Two of these males took evasive action by hiding. Did not fire in the area due to the fact that there women and the other two males did not take evasive action.	J,S	BC
41	1949		A Co reports they have fifteen sorties all of six as 1/8 RRF.	J,S	BC
42	2000		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	BC
43	2020		From Bde: Civil affairs Tm will not be available due to the fact that they have been called back to An Khe by Div for two days.	J,S,BDE	BC
44	2054		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	BC
45	2123		From Bde: Defoilage ship will be at LZ GERONIMO TOMORROW at 0900 hrs.	J,S	BC
46	2200		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	BC
47	2300		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	BC
48	2309		B Co moving at this time.	J,S,BDE	BC
49	2400		Sit Rep/Neg	J,S,BDE	BC

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