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FM AUM352

TO ARMY CANBERRA

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~~SECRET~~ SPOKE SIGS 187.

FOR M18. PROGRESS REPORT 1-31 MAR 69

ONE. SET ROOM.

ALPHA. POSNS. 1X24 HR, 2X17 TO 171/2 HRS, 4X93/4 HRS,

4/9HRS.

BRAVO. WATCH HRS. NO CHANGE FROM JAN REPORT

TWO. TASKING.

ALPHA. PRIORITY/ TASK.

1. VCMB 05437
2. VCMBPP619
3. VCMB 00831
4. VCMB 00835
5. VCMB 05443
6. VCMB 05423

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Extended dist given  
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7. VCMB J1131

8. VCMB J1078

9. VCMB J1226

10. VCMB 00694

11. VCMB 00679

12. VCMB 00667

13. VCMB J0913

14. VCMB J0820

15. CCMB Y9070

16. VCMB J0772

17. VCMB 05442

18. VCMB J0428

19. VCMB J0459

20. VCMB Y9079

NOTE . HAVE MADE STRONG OVERTURES TO 175 RR COY TO HAVE VCMB 00619

REMOVED FROM TASKING AND ACCEPT IN LIEU SEVERAL NOTATIONS SERVING

VC HQ SVN FWD ELM NO 2 LOCATED GENERAL AREA YT 3050 (BIEN HOA

PROVINCE). THESE NOTATIONS ORK TO 5 DIV, MR-7, SR -4 AND SUBORDINATE

REGTS AND CONSEQUENTLY ARE OF PRIMARY INTEREST TO US.

BRAVO. DEV GROUPS.

VCMB J0509 VCMB Y9079

VCMB 00709 VCXB J1883

CHARLIE. SEARCH BANDS



THREE . ARDF.

ALPHA. TOTAL FIXES - 171

BRAVO. GRADINGS - 24 GOOD, 118 FAIR, 5 POOR

24 CUTS.

CHARLIE. FLYING HRS - 132.35 HRS PLUS 5.30 HRS TRG

DELTA . 3 MSNS ABORTED DUE TO AC SERVICE THESE ALSO USED FOR ARDF

SERVICE AND ADDITIONAL 3 MSNS ABORTED/REDUCED DUE TO ARDF MALFUNCTION

ECHO. FULL DETAILS IN MONTHLY REPORT.

FOUR. SHORT CELL.

SECOND SERIES OF TRIALS COMMENCED ON 19 MAR 69 WITH 15 MINUTES

OBSERVATIONS ON TRANSMITTERS PROVIDED BY 110 SIG SQN FROM LONG

BINH BEARCAT AND VUNG TAU AND RTT COMMERCIAL FROM SAIGON . TRIALS  
HAVE RUN SMOOTHLY AND ONLY 2 SKEDS WERE LOST (BOTH ON 28 MAR)

DUE TO TWIN CHANNEL RECEIVER PROBLEMS. IONOSPHERIC STORMS FROM

16-25 MAR CAUSED POOR RESULTS TO BE OBTAINED. OBSERVATIONS RECOMMENCED

THIS MORNING, THE START OF THE THIRD WEE.

FIVE. MISCELLANEOUS OPS.

ALPHA. DIRNSA RECOGNITION OF AUM352 WORK IN DEVELOPING THE MR CONTROL

KNOWN AS T-7. DURING THE MONTH DIRNSA ISSUED A SIGNAL OFFICIALLY

RECOGNISING EXISTENCE AND EXTENT OF MR-7, THE MAJORITY OF WHICH

DEVELOPEMENT WAS CONDUCTED BY THIS STA. A LENGTHLY DIGEST OF THE



DEVELOPEMENT IS AVAILABLE IF REQUIRED.

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BRAVO . LETTER REQUESTING FORMAL APPROVAL FOR TELEPRITER CCT FWD  
FOR DEDICATED SIGINT END-PRODUCT DESPATCHED TO SRV (C), M18, DSD

27 MAR 69. ACV FOR THE INSTALLATION OF EQPT ARRIVED SVN

28 MAR AND INSTALLATION WILL COMMENCE SOONEST.

CHARLIE. OPS COMM CCT TO 175 RR CO . STILL NO DECISION ON CIRCUIT  
BEARER FOR THIS CIRCUIT. THIS A US RESPONSIBILITY . IF CCT COMES  
THROUGH BEFORE APPROVED RVE, (WHICH REQUESTED ADDITIONAL TG EQPT)  
MAY HAVE TO SCROUGE OR STEAL TG EQPT TO TERMINATE.

SIX. VISITORS.

DAILY. MAJ PAYNE - SSO 11 FFV ,

4-5. MAJ JOE FRERKIN - CO 175 RR COY

13 MAR. [REDACTED]

20-23 MAR . MR LUCKMAN, MR MURDOCH, MR CHURCHES

20 MAR. [REDACTED]

SEVEN. VISITS.

4. MAR. MAJ HART - ACCOMPANY CSO TO 509 RR GP AND NRV (C)

CAPTS DOYLE/ZAGON VISITED AS FOLLOWS

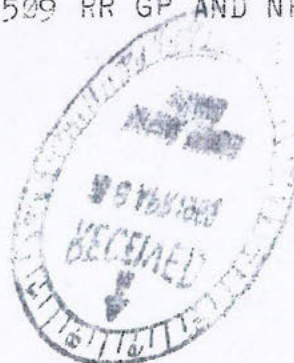
10 MAR :- 146 AVN CO, AFV

11 MAR :- 11 FFV, 175 RR CO

27 MAR:- MAJ HART/ SGT HUNTER - 175 RR COY

TO DISCUSS TASKING.

7. MAR: - CPL WILLIAMS/ CPL JENKINS - 175 RR COY



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EIGHT . OPR EXCHANGE

THIS PROGRAMME NOW REVITALISED. LCPL PATTERSON TO 175 RR COY

FROM 29 MAR, SP5 LESSOR TO NUI DAT, BOTH A PERIOD OF ONE WEEK.

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