

(4) CAGO 1-3 experienced the greatest amount of enemy activity with forty-eight significant contacts. The enemy continues to use the Song Tra Dong River and surrounding valley as a primary infiltration route into Quang Ngai Province. The enemy usually tries to navigate around the areas controlled by the CAP's but due to aggressive patrolling and ambushing he is frequently intercepted. The Popular Forces are gaining self confidence by successfully engaging the enemy with the CAP's.

(5) CAGO 1-4 established two new CAP's during the period; CAP 1-4-5 and CAP 1-4-6 seven kilometers south of the Datangan Peninsula. Based on the number of enemy sighting in the area, it appears that these new CAP's will be very productive in the coming months. Contact was relatively light in CAGO 1-4's area with only seven significant contacts for the period. The Company received two Hoi Chanhs, captured eight VCS during the month and accounted for one (1) enemy KIA.

(6) The following statistics are the results of 1st CAG's operations and activities for the month of August:

(a) Friendly Activities

|               |      |
|---------------|------|
| Night Patrols | 85   |
| Day Patrols   | 826  |
| Ambushes      | 1495 |

(b) Enemy Casualties/Losses

|            |            |                  |                                |
|------------|------------|------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>KIA</u> | <u>POW</u> | <u>DETAINEES</u> | <u>CHIEU HOI'S/HOI CHANH'S</u> |
| 20         | 2          | 23               | 3                              |

(c) Weapons and Ordnance Captured

|            |             |
|------------|-------------|
| <u>INC</u> | <u>OSWC</u> |
| 8          | 0           |

(d) Friendly Casualties Sustained

|      |            |             |             |            |            |
|------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|
|      | <u>KIA</u> | <u>WIAE</u> | <u>WIAM</u> | <u>KIA</u> | <u>POW</u> |
| USMC | 6          | 9           | 1           | 0          | 0          |
| USN  | 0          | 1           | 0           | 0          | 0          |
| AF   | 2          | 9           | 4           | 0          | 0          |

c. Training

(1) General. Formal training covered the subjects of General Military Subjects, Leadership, Small Unit Tactics, Infantry Weapons and Supporting Arms. Personal Response and Vietnamese Language was included for USMC personnel only.

(2) CAP Training. The individual CAP's conducted daily classes as directed by the Group training schedule which is promulgated weekly for the coming week. Each CAP Leader returns the schedule at the completion of the training

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