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- (4) 7 RAR. Bn HQ HORSESHOE HILL. A Coy YS475667. B Coy NUI DAT. C Coy BRIGID. D Coy YS566685.
- (5) 2 RAR/NZ(ANZAC). Bn HQ NOLA. A Coy YS332634. B Coy YS361660. C Coy YS311673. V Coy YS363701. W Coy YS335653.
- (6) 8 RAR. Bn HQ LE LOI. A Coy YS415836. B Coy NUI DAT. C Coy YS370897. D Coy NUI DAT.
- (7) Mine Clearing Team. NUI DAT.
- (8) Land Clearing Team. YS500620.
- (9) D & E Pl. KYLIE.

d. Contacts and Incidents

- (1) Late Report At YS348713 at 031630H elms Aslt Pnr Pl saw 2 en carrying metal water containers and possibly one weapon. At 040400 at YS348713 same ptl heard voices.
- (2) Late Report At YS649602 at 030835H SAS sighted 2 en mov south.
- (3) At YS458566 at 040946H, 12 Pl D Coy 8 RAR found 3xM16 mines.
- (4) At YS441861 at 041017H, TA11/B Sqn 3 Cav Regt found an old bkr system in good repair. D&E Pl/HQ Coy 1 ATF will demolish.
- (5) At YS5989'8 at 041145 Possum ac/161 Recce Flt located an occupied bkr system. Immediate A/S put in. See BDA para 1 a (10).
- (6) SAS ptl 42 loc camps at YS633609, YS634608, 637602, and a rice cache at YS638612. Weight of rice cache unk at this stage.
- (7) At YS365655 at 041330H elms of B Coy 2RAR/NZ(ANZAC) located old trg area 50x50m. Consisted of classroom with cam roof, 5 rows of seats plus 3 tables made of sticks and twine. Last occupied 3 months ago. Empty cigarette pkts, French medical bottle lable, small qty rice and 3-4 lbs chemical believed to be CS crystals found. Shell crater in centre.
- (8) At YS453772 at approx 041850H elms of Anti Tank Pl 8 RAR, acting on info supplied by a civilian, located 5xunexploded 105mm shells. Destroyed by Engrs.
- (9) At YS355654 at 041500H 6 Pl B Coy 2RAR/NZ(ANZAC) loc a camp 100x100 containing 15 pits, one recently collapsed bunker and sleeping area for 10 pers in crevices. Camp protected from air by crevices and from ground attack by pits. Camp last used today by small group and by larger group last week. Small qty used med supps found in rock crevices.
- (10) At vic YS500528 at 042120H elms of 2 Tp B Sqn 3 Cav sighted 5 VC moving east and engaged without results. En brcke south east.
- (11) At vic YS333623 at 042100H 3 Pl A Coy 2 RAR/NZ(ANZAC) sighted 4 torches and engaged with arty and mors. Two torches then moved south. Results unknown.
- (12) At YS483684 at 041646H a Base Ptl under op con 2RAR and drawn from 104 Sig Sqn contacted unk number of en (min 7 max about 20) with at least 2 automatic wpns. Contact spread over 1 hr 46 mins. Arty and gunships used in sp. Results unk. Sweep to be conducted at first light by elms 7 RAR.

e. Results

- (1) Friendly Losses.
  - (a) Personnel. Nil.
  - (b) Material. Nil.
- (2) Enemy Losses.
  - (a) Personnel. Nil.
  - (b) Material. 3xM16 mines, qty rice, 3-4 lbs chemical.