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MONTHLY ARDF REPORT

- 1. Attached is the ARDF report for the period 1 - 30 Sep 71 inclusive.

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Personnel

WO1 Reid
Sgt Howell (IC)
Sgt Flynn
Sig Arday
Sig Elworthy
Sig Hampton
Sig Marshall

Movement of Personnel

Sig Arday to Set Room 20 Sept 71 (RTA 24 Sep 71).
WO1 Reid commences intermittent trg 3 Sep 71.
Sig Elworthy qualified 9 Sep 71.
Sig Hampton qualified 29 Sep 71.

Break-Down of Missions

Missions flown with fixes obtained	91
Missions flown no fixes obtained	68
Missions aborted	6
Total missions flown	159
Total missions rostered	165
Missions reduced	8
Missions reduced with fixes obtained	2

Grading of Fixes

Good	23	(0000-0750 Metres)
Fair	64	(1000-2000 Metres)
Poor	17	(2000 Metres and above)
Cuts	12	(Area indication only)

Total fixes 116

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Details of Reduced/Aborted Missions due to Inclement Weather

1 Sep 71	PM Missions	four	Reduced
11 Sep 71	PM Mission	seven	Aborted
19 Sep 71	PM Mission	five	Aborted
23 Sep 71	PM Mission	four	Reduced
25 Sep 71	PM Mission	four	Reduced
25 Sep 71	PM Mission	five	Aborted
27 Sep 71	PM Mission	five	Reduced
28 Sep 71	PM Mission	four	Reduced
29 Sep 71	PM Mission	five	Aborted

Details of Reduced/Aborted Missions due to Equipment/Aircraft malfunction

2 Sep 71	PM Mission	seven	Reduced
15 Sep 71	AM Mission	one	Reduced
20 Sep 71	AM Mission	one	Aborted
26 Sep 71	PM Mission	four	Aborted
27 Sep 71	AM Mission	one	Reduced

Comment

Extra missions rostered utilizing two aircraft on Sep 1,2,5,7,8,9, and 10 for special emphasis on HQ 33 Regt and 1 Bn 274 Regt. Extra missions rostered utilizing two aircraft on 24 Sep 71 for special emphasis on HQ 33 Regt and 3 Bn 33 Regt.

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To Ltigs 7A

Subject DRAFT PROVISIONAL SPECIFICATION ARMY (AUST) FOR
AIRBORNE RADIO DIRECTION FINDING EQUIPMENT

C.D.O. 9800

1. As this paper deals only with Engineering Specifications and performance testing of ARDF equipment as distinct from operational aspects, Int has no comments.

9 Sep 71


(C.J. Cattanach)
Maj
For DMI

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