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TO ARMY CANBERRA (MIB)

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OPERATIONAL REPORT FOR JUL 69.

ONE. SET ROOM.

POSN AND WATCH HRS. NO CHANGE.

529. TASKING

ALPHA. PRIORITY/TASK.

1. VCMB05437 2. VCMB00831
3. VCMB05447 4. VCMB05443
5. VCMB00835 6. VCMB05432
7. VCMBJ1591 8. VCMBJ1079
9. VCMBY9083 10. VCMB05449
11. VCMBJ0772 12. VCMBY9082
13. VCMB00709 14. VCMB00679
15. VCMB00667 16. VCMB05448
17. VCMBN4807 18. VCMB05445
19. VCMB05444 20. VCMB05442
21. VCMBJ0459 22. VCMBJ5143

BRAVO. DEV GROUPS.

VCMB J0820, VCMB05442, VCMB J0772,

VCMBJ0162, VCXB J4695. VCMB05411.

NOTE THAT 2 AND 3 ARE ON DEV BANKS





FOR RECOVERY PURPOSES.

CHARLIE. SEARCH BANDS.

NO CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS REPORT. NEW SYSTEM HAS IMPROVED OVERALL EFFORT, AND WE AVERAGE APPROX 200 ITEMS PER DAY, MAJORITY OF WHICH ARE UNIDENTIFIED, VCX OR PARTIALLY NOTATED.

THREE. ARDF

ALPHA. TOTAL FIXES -31 (ITS BEEN A QUIET WAR THIS MONTH)

BRAVO. GRADINGS - 3 GOOD, 20 FAIR, 3 POOR, 5 CUTS.

CHARLIE. FLYING TIME - 122.15 HGS

DELTA. 4 MSNS ABORTED, 6 MSNS REDUCED DUE INCLEMENT WEATHER. 2 MSNS ABORTED DUE AIRCRAFT MALFUNCTION. 5 MSNS ABORTED. 5 MSNS REDUCED DUE ARDF MALFUNCTION.

IN ALL 77 AND ONE HALF MAN HOURS WERE SPENT ON EQPT MAINT DUEING THE MONTH

ECHO. TECHNICIANS SUMMARY AS FOLLOWS. QUOTE.

INCREASING NUMBER OF FAULTS APPEARING ON THE WIDE BAND AMP. THIS IS DUE TO AGE, LABORATORY TYPE CONSTR AND CONSTANT VIBRATION IN THE AIRCRAFT. MOST OTHER FAULTS ARE CAUSED BY CONNECTING LEADS GOING U/S. UNQUOTE.

FOXTROT. I REFER MIB TO MY SIGS 252 OF 290844Z APR 69 CONCERNING ALIGNMENT OF EQPT IN ACC. WE LOSE A GREAT MANY MSN HOURS BY DOING BEACON RUN, READJUSTING THE LOCATION OF THE BASE PLATE BY TRIAL AND ERROR, THEN BACK TO BEACON AND BACK TO READJUSTMENT IF NECESSARY .



A SIMPLE BUT ACCURATE ALIGNMENT  
PROCEDURE IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY  
FOR ENGINEERED MODELS.

FOUR. SSL.

ALPHA. ENGRS HAVE COMMENCED WORK ON  
BLAST WALL. INROADS MADE ON GRASS CUTTING BUT STILL A GREAT DEAL  
TO DO.

BRAVO. PLEASE ADVISE EARLIEST YOUR PLANS  
TO REPLACE PETERS. I MUST RETURN HIM TO AUST NO LATER  
THAN 24 SEP. ITS BEEN A LONG  
3 MONTHS DETACHMENT FOR HIM.

REPLACEMENT SHOULD SPEND SAY ONE  
MONTH AT WRE BEING EDUCATED AND  
BROUGHT UP TO DATE ON MAINT  
PROBLEMS OF HIGH DIVINE, SHORT CELL.

FIVE. MISCELLANEOUS OPS.

ALPHA. RECONFIGURATION OF SET ROOM.  
MZTS 26/115 OF 23 JUL 69 (NOT TO DSD).  
NEW DFC CONSOLE AND EQPT RACK ARRIVED  
YESTERDAY. MAY BE ABLE TO COMPLETE  
SET ROOM PARTITION ALTERATIONS BY END  
OF THE MONTH, BUT HEAVILY COMMITTED  
ON Q STORE CONSTRUCTION AT PRESENT.

BRAVO. RECONFIGURATION OF COMCEN.  
REF MY OPS 28/55 OF 17 JUN 69 (TO M18).  
SPS STORES STARTING TO ARRIVE, BUT  
IT MAY BE 2-3 MONTHS BEFORE INSTLN  
CAN BE STARTED.

CHARLIE. SHORT CELL REPORT. HAS AHQ MADE  
ANY DECISION ON FUTURE OF SHORT CELL.

I AM HOLDING OFF SUBMITTING REQUEST  
FOR VARIATION TO ESTABLISHMENT UNTIL  
I HEAR FROM YOU.

SOX . VISITORS.

12 JUL - MR CAUSEY ( SA COMAEV)



SQX . VISITORS.

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12 JUL - MR CAWSEY ( SA COMAFV)

19 JUL - LT COL ROSCHER (CO 303 BN), MAJ

REILLY (CO 175 COY), CAPT OVERCASH

(509 GP)

DAILY - JAM CARTER ((SSO 11FFV)

SEVEN. VISITS/DETS

2-5 JUL - CAPT COYLE , SGT HARTLEY TO

509 GP, , 146 AVN CO.

9 JUL - BRIG PEARSON, MAJ DE CURE, MAJ HART TO 509 GP

21 JUL - MAJ HART TO 303 BN, 175 COY

22-25 JUL - SGT SCOTT TO 303, 175

22-24 JUL - SGT HOUGHTON, SGT MARKS TO 175 COY.

EIGHT. THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

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