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GROUND OPERATIONS: 43 bn-size or larger opns in progress:
25 US, 17 ARVN, 1 Thai. (☞)
1 CTZ: ARVN bn engaged unk en force 8 nm NNE Con Thien 10
Nov. 17 VC/NVA KIA, 1 indiv and 1 crew-served wpn seized. 4
ARVN KIA; 5 WIA. (☞)

In Opn LANCASTER, USMC co discovered en arms cache 14 nm NW
Quang Tri 8 Nov. 2 x 3.5 rkt rds, 18 mortar rds, 2 AT mines,
24 Chicom grenades, 30 US grenades, 5,400 rds small-arms ammo,
1 AA wpn, and assorted field equip seized. (☞)
USA UH-1C helo destroyed by gnd fire 19 nm S of Da Nang 9
Nov. 5 US WIA. (☞)

Update of Opn WALLOWA contact 20 nm SSE Da Nang (OIS 10 Nov):
27 VC/NVA KIA vice 10, 10 US KIA and 46 WIA vice 2 and 10. 3 x
75-mm RR and 1 x 3.5 rkt launcher seized; 3 APC dest and 1
damaged. (☞)
48 small-unit contacts resulted: 51 VC/NVA KIA, 14 wpns
seized. 3 US KIA; 11 US, 7 ARVN WIA. (☞)
2 CTZ: Update of MAC ARTHUR contact 8 Nov (OIS 10 Nov): US
units discovered 232 VC/NVA bodies vice 100. 21 indiv/14 crew-
ser ved wpns seized vice 0/0. In contact on 10 Nov, USA bn engaged
unk en force 4 nm SSW Dak To. 1 US KIA, 24 WIA. 1 VC/NVA
KIA. (☞)

En rein co conducted mortar and gnd atk on district hqs 24
nm NNW Qui Nhon 9 Nov. 15 PF, 2 CIDG, 2 civs KIA; 8 PF WIA;
27 PF MIA. 17 wpns, 1 radio lost. (☞)
22 small-unit contacts resulted: 29 VC/NVA KIA, 17 wpns,
seized. 24 ARVN KIA; 15 WIA; 27 MIA. 17 indiv wpns lost. (☞)
3 CTZ: On 10 Nov, Chieu Hoi Center and nearby USA base camp
10 nm N of Saigon received en mortar atk. 1 US KIA, 36 WIA;
14 Chieu Hoi returnees KIA, 36 WIA; 1 RF, 1 PF WIA. (☞)
16 small-unit contacts resulted: 1 ARVN KIA; 9 ARVN, 7 US
WIA. 16 VC/NVA KIA, 1 wpn seized. (☞)
4 CTZ: LONG PHI 9/137, 3-bn ARVN S&D opn, term 10 Nov after
3 days. No significant change in results reported OIS 10 Nov. (☞)
ARVN bn defensive psn and trng center 42 nm WSW Can Tho re-
ceived mortar and gnd atk 9 Nov. 2 ARVN reaction bns con-
ducted air assault at first light; unable gain contact. 30
ARVN KIA; 26 ARVN, 26 civ WIA; 4 ARVN MIA. 21 indiv wpns, 3
radios and 1 crew-served wpn lost. 113 VC/NVA KIA, 46 indiv
wpns. 8 rkt launchers seized. 7 sampans dest. (☞)
9 small-unit contacts resulted 7 VC/NVA KIA, 5 wpns seized.
5 ARVN KIA, 10 WIA; 1 indiv wpn lost. (☞)
SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS IN SOUTH VIETNAM WHICH INVOLVE PARTICIPATION BY US FORCES (1ST & 2D CORPS)

11 NOVEMBER 1967

NOTE: S&D - SEARCH AND DESTROY
TAOR - TACTICAL AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY

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ARC LIGHT OPERATIONS: At 101121 EST, 9 B-52s (PAPA 77) bombed eelems NVA 1 Div 23-28 nm NW Kontum. 6 B-52s (PAPA 97) bombed NVA 1 Div base camp 18 nm WNW Kontum at 101319 EST. ( secrets) REPORTS ON DO XA AREA: Have been numerous references during period since late Jul to en food shortages/illness. Msds sent by Hqs MR 5 Prov Unit and Main Force controls and by a rear services authority associated therewith. Do Xa has long been a major en base area (Quang Tin Prov, Quang Ngai Prov, Kontum Prov tri-border area). (secrets) US PRISONERS: AP release states that the 3 men in question were formally handed over in Phnom Penh by VC Front to American rep for a US peace cmte (of well-known personages). Following talk by VC rep, 2 of the men gave brief speeches, as if from memory. Peace cmte rep said men now free and would be home with families in shortest poss time; no details given. (U)

NORTH VIETNAM

ROLLING THUNDER OPERATIONS 10 NOV: 228 sorties (102 USAF, 80 USN, 46 USMC) dest/damaged 59/17 bldgs, 15/125 WBLIC 3/14 bridges, 4/86 trks, 1/9 gun psns, 0/30 stor areas, 0/9 AAA sites, 0/1 trp conc, 0/1 SAM site, 0/2 trk pkts, 0/1 transship pt, 0/1 bks area, 0/2 radar sites, 0/1 afld. (secrets) Tgts within 30 nm Hanoi: Bac Giang RR/Hwy Bridge. (secrets) Tgts within 10 nm Haiphong: Kien An Afld. (S) SAM SIGHTINGS: US pilots obs 2 abn SAMs 9 Nov; 1 abn SAM, 10 Nov. All within 26 nm Hanoi. (secrets) POSSIBLE MIG-21 DEPLOYMENT: Yesterday's OIS reported that 4 MIG-17s had flown to Mengtzu late 9 Nov EST, thus leaving at that time, so far as known, 6 MIG-17s and 4 MIG-21s opnl in NVN. Analysis of tactical voice commo now indicates instead that 9 Nov movement involved 2 possible MIG-21s from Phuc Yen. (secrets) NVN TRANSPORTS: Between 3-8 Nov, an est 6 NVN AN-2s reportedly flew from Gia Lam via Nanning to Yunnani Afld. So far as is known at this writing, brings to 14 the number of NVN AN-2s now in China and leaves about 10 in NVN. Reason(s) for deployment not clear. (secrets)

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BARREL ROLL/STEEL TIGER OPERATIONS 10 NOV: 134 USAF sorties dest/damaged 17/44 trks, 1/10 gun sites, 0/7 mil comp, 0/13 trk pkts, 0/1 bridges, 0/17 stor areas, 0/12 trp concs, 0/2 biv areas, 0/1 supply area, and LOCs. (secrets) DOWNED AIRCRAFT: USAF A1E downed by gnd fire 31 nm SW Dong Hoi at 102000 EST. Pilot recovered. (secrets)
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