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SUBJECT: Operational Report - Lessons Learned, Headquarters, 6th
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1 November 1967

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(RCS GSFOR-65)(UIC WA18A)(6TH BN 14TH ARTY)(U)

TO: See Distribution

SECTION I SIGNIFICANT ORGANIZATIONAL OR UNIT ACTIVITIES

1. (C) The battalion engaged in combat support operations of the US Free World Military Assistance Forces in the II Corps Tactical Zone for ninety-two days during the reporting period. Most of the firing conducted by the battalion continued to be in the area between Pleiku and the Cambodian border in support of Operation FRANCIS MARION/McARTHUR. Operation FRANCIS MARION terminated 112400H Oct 67. Operation McARTHUR began 120001H Oct 67. During the reporting period the battalion remained attached to 52d Artillery Group and worked closely with the 4th Infantry Division Artillery. The mission of the battalion changed as follows:

a. Batteries A and B from General Support of Free World Military Assistance Forces - Reinforce the 4th Infantry Division Artillery to General Support of the 4th Infantry Division.

b. Battery C from General Support - Reinforce the 3d Battalion 319th Artillery to General Support of the 4th Infantry Division.

Calls for fire continued to be answered from all US, ARVN, CIDG, and other Free World Military Assistance Forces within the sector. Inclosure 1 shows the battalion organization during the reported period.

2. (C) Intelligence: Target intelligence continued to be obtained primarily from direct support artillery battalions for which this battalion provides general support or reinforcing fires. Additional target information was provided by Special Forces A detachments. Two of the battalion's firing batteries were collocated with these detachments during the period and provided observed and unobserved fires on targets located by detachment patrols. Forward observers from the battalion continued to operate with US Special Forces, CIDG, and ARVN units. The battalion provided aerial observers for visual reconnaissance with the 219th Aviation Company. Target intelligence was obtained from these flights which were provided on a daily basis beginning on 4 October. These flights had previously been

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available on request through 52d Artillery Group. The increased aerial support and the professional competence of the pilots greatly increased the target acquisition and battlefield surveillance capability of the battalion. During the quarter, the battalion conducted twilight and night patrols in the area surrounding the base camp to provide intelligence to 52d Artillery Group on suspected enemy mortar, rocket, or fortified positions. Other target and general intelligence information continues to come from ARVN II Corp Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, Company B 5th Special Forces Group, and 52d Artillery Group.

3. (C) Operations and Training Activities:

a. Plans: The Cannon (Defensive Fires) Programs executed by firing elements of the battalion in support of organic and adjacent units were revised to reflect the change in fire support elements within the sector.

b. Operations:

(1) During the quarter, artillery support was provided to the 4th Infantry Division, 173d Airborne Brigade, 42d ARVN Infantry Regiment, Teams A251 and A253, Company B, 5th Special Forces Group, CIDG patrols, PAC, and reconnaissance aircraft in Western Pleiku Province.

(2) One of the attached meteorological sections continued to provide support to all artillery units in the area of Poled Djereng (YA876455). The system was fully operational 39 days of the reporting period. For the remaining 53 days it was capable of transmitting visual meteorological messages. A second meteorological section from the 8th Target Acquisition Battalion, 26th Artillery remained attached to the battalion until 19 September 1967. It was fully operational for 50 days of the reporting period. It provided data for all artillery units during Operation GREENEY while attached to the battalion.

(3) The battalion survey section provided battery centers, orienting stations, and orienting lines to units that displaced to position areas near Dak To (ZB039227 and ZB006219), Oasis (ZA120288), and for roving gun positions vicinity 2d Squadron 1st Cavalry fire base (BR035539) and Fire Support Base #16 (ZB049288).

(4) Significant Organization or unit Activities*:

(a) The battalion continued its tactical mission of General Support of United States Free World Military Assistance Forces - Reinforce the 4th Infantry Division Artillery.

(b) On 4 August a routine reconnaissance patrol conducted by Service Battery encountered small arms fire. The patrol was ordered to withdraw by 52d Artillery Group.

* All entries from battalion daily journal

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(c) On 6 August two 175mm gun tubes were changed at Battery C, 6th Battalion, 32d Artillery by maintenance personnel of the 62d Maintenance Battalion. All tube changes are accomplished by support personnel with assistance, as requested, from this battalion's maintenance section. On this date three officers and nine enlisted personnel began attending a 6 day course on the Computer, Gun Direction, M18 (FADAC). The course was conducted by the FADAC TIEF Assistance Team, Pacific, on Artillery Hill, for all battalions attached to 52d Artillery Group.

(d) Two 175mm gun tubes were changed at Battery B on 7 August. A liaison officer from this headquarters was dispatched the same date to coordinate the fire support of an operation being conducted vicinity Dak Seang (YB900409) by the 42d ARVN Regiment. Brigadier General Quirey visited all batteries of the battalion on this date.

(e) On 9 August a personnel bunker collapsed, slightly injuring two personnel at Battery A. An investigation disclosed the cause to be erosion of ground around the edge of the bunker's foundation.

(f) On 10 August 3 enlisted personnel of the battalion departed to attend a 10 day refresher course on 8 inch nuclear weapons assembly.

(g) A Computer, Gun Direction, M18 (FADAC) was issued to each firing battery and to headquarters battery on 11 August. Computers were checked at Artillery Hill and dispatched to each battery location.

(h) On 12 August Battery A fired the 100,000th round of this battalion since arriving in country. The ceremony was attended by the CO, 52d Artillery Group, the CO of 4th Division Artillery, and the Special Forces Detachment Commander at Battery A's location, as well as the Battalion Commander and members of his staff.

(i) Battery C, 6th Battalion 32d Artillery, was detached from the battalion on 13 August and departed from the Oasis (Z4108273) at 0700. The battery contacted 41st Artillery Group, to whom it was then attached, at 1400 hours.

(j) On 14 August a 175mm gun tube was changed at Battery A. On this date Battery C received credit for destroying one machine gun position.

(k) On 18 August Batteries A and B each provided one forward observer to special forces detachments for a 7 - 14 day operation.

(l) Battery C departed Fire Support Base 3 (FSB #3) (vic YB959243) for FSB #5 (vic ZB039227) on 20 August. The battery closed FSB #5 at 1530 hours.

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(m) Survey control was completed by the battalion survey section for Battery C on 21 August at FSB #5.

(n) On 23 August the battalion liaison section at Jackson Hole (YA899313) reported 50 incoming 122mm rocket rounds at 0500 hours. No injuries or damage were sustained by battalion personnel or equipment.

(o) Battery C received credit for 3 KIA on 25 August.

(p) Battery C, 6th Battalion, 32d Artillery, was again attached to this battalion from 41st Artillery Group on 29 August. The battery closed Oasis (ZA108273) at 1550 hours.

(q) On 1 September the road conditions to all organic letter batteries became so severe that these roads were closed. All resupply continued by means of special aircraft sorties.

(r) The 8 inch howitzers at all batteries were bore-scooped on 7 September.

(s) On 11 September Battery C furnished one FO party to engineer elements at their location for a 7 day period.

(t) Battery C, 6th Battalion, 32d Artillery, departed the Oasis on 15 September for Artillery Hill enroute to 41st Artillery Group. The battery closed Artillery Hill at 1830 hours.

(u) On 16 September, Battery C, 6th Battalion, 32d Artillery departed Artillery Hill enroute to 41st Artillery Group. The battery contacted 41st Artillery Group at 1000 hours. On this date two 175mm gun tubes were changed at Battery C, this battalion.

(v) One 175mm gun tube was changed at Battery A on 18 September.

(w) The meteorological section, attached from the 8th Target Acquisition Battalion, 26th Artillery, departed Artillery Hill enroute to the 41st Artillery Group on 19 September.

(x) On 20 September ordnance personnel, requested by Battery A, examined the tube on one 8 inch howitzer at that location. The tube was condemned. One 175mm tube was changed at Battery A, this date.

(y) On 27 September a team of ordnance personnel, assisted by maintenance personnel from the battalion, changed the condemned 8 inch tube at Battery A.

(z) Brigadier General Quirey made a visit to all batteries except Battery C, on 4 October.

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(aa) Twenty replacements arrived and began three days of replacement training on 6 October. A roving gun was displaced from Battery B (YAS42249) to a fire base operated by the 2d Squadron, 1st Cavalry on Highway 19 East (BR035539). The mission was to execute a harassing and interdiction program prepared by 4th Infantry Division Artillery. The gun, along with the necessary personnel, ammunition, and equipment, closed the fire base at 1720 hours. Forty six rounds were expended.

(ab) On 7 October the roving gun remained at the fire base and fired 46 rounds.

(ac) On 8 October the roving gun, with personnel and equipment, departed the fire base and closed Artillery Hill at 1830 hours. Battalion maintenance personnel performed an S maintenance service on the gun and accompanying vehicles to include complete lubrication.

(ad) The roving gun displaced from Artillery Hill on 9 October with personnel and equipment, closing Battery B at 1610 hours.

(ae) On 12 October Battery C moved from Fire Base #5 to Fire Base #1 (ZB006219). Survey control was furnished by the battalion survey section. The mission of the battalion changed as indicated in paragraph 1.

(af) Battery B reported 41 incoming rounds on 15 October at approximately 0100 hours. Rounds were a mixture of 82mm mortar and 122mm rocket. No casualties or damage were sustained by Battery B.

(ag) Battery C received the mission to displace two 8 inch howitzers to vicinity FSB #16 (ZB049288). The roving gun mission was received on 18 October and survey control was completed on 19 October by the Battalion Survey Section.

(ah) On 20 October Battery C displaced two 8 inch howitzers to FSB #16 departing battery location at 0700 and closed the battery location at 1730 hours. The 8 inch howitzers fired 100 rounds.

(ai) On 21 October the battalion was notified that 1st Brigade Headquarters including the battalion liaison section would move from Jackson Hole to the Oasis on 27 October.

(aj) Eight 122mm rocket rounds were fired into Artillery Hill on 26 October. No casualties or damage were sustained by the battalion.

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(ak) Battery A received credit for destroying an enemy bunker on 27 October. The battalion liaison section moved with 1st Brigade Headquarters from Jackson Hole to the Oasis. Battery A, 3d Battalion, 18th Artillery became OPGON to the battalion effective 1700 hours this date. The battery minus one 175mm gun, a tracked cargo carrier (M548), and a $\frac{1}{2}$ ton truck, closed Artillery Hill 1930 hours.

(al) The 175mm gun, tracked cargo carrier, and $\frac{1}{2}$ ton truck from Battery A, 3d Battalion, 18th Artillery, closed Artillery Hill at 1430 on 28 October. A tracked cargo carrier belonging to Battery B, 6th Battalion, 14th Artillery, hit a mine while enroute from the battery location to Jackson Hole. The driver, Sgt Dawson, was slightly injured. The carrier was estimated to be a total loss. An FO party was dispatched from Artillery Hill for an 11 day operation with the 3d ARVN Cavalry Squadron.

(am) Battery A, 3d Battalion, 18th Artillery, departed Artillery Hill on 29 October, less two 175mm guns, a tracked cargo carrier, and $\frac{1}{2}$ ton truck, enroute to Ban Blech (AQ005591). The battery closed Ban Blech at 1245 hours.

(an) The two 175mm guns and $\frac{1}{2}$ ton truck departed Artillery Hill at 0529 on 30 October. They closed Fire Base #814 (AR805210) to remain overnight due to mechanical difficulties.

c. Training: Unit on the job training predominated during the period. New arrivals were given orientation and training as required by USARV Regulation 350-1.

d. Chemical: No significant activity.

e. Paywar: No significant activity.

f. Other: Routine examination of the claymore mines used in the defense perimeter of Battery A disclosed tampering on 23 October 1967. The explosives had been removed from many claymore mines, and the sabotaged mines had been reassembled. The resulting investigation indicated that CIDG personnel manning perimeter bunkers had been removing the explosive material for cooking fires. All claymore mines in all batteries were subsequently checked. Defective mines were replaced. No tampering was discovered in the other batteries. The problem was resolved in Battery A by relocating claymore positions away from CIDG perimeter bunkers and by adding barrier wire between CIDG bunkers and claymore positions.

4. (U) Logistics:

a. Class I, II, and III supplies were furnished to Batteries A and B by the forward support element at Jackson Hole (YAB99313) during the period 1 August to 27 September. That element closed on the later date. Subsequently class I, II, and III supplies were supplied from Artillery Hill. Class V supplies were furnished Batteries A and B by

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convoy during the periods 1 August to 3 September and 21 September to 31 October. During the period 3 September to 20 September the roads to Batteries A and B were closed. A collocated FSA provided all class I, II, III, IV, and V supplies to Battery C. Support units provided assistance. Convoys operated by Service Battery provided a total of 1,562 tons of ammunition to Batteries A and B; Class II and IV supplies not available at FSB vicinity Dak To were furnished to Battery C by Battalion S4. Security for all movements was provided by 4th Infantry Division and by the Battalion's organic Armored Personnel Carriers and Tracked Cargo Carriers. Continued emphasis by the Battalion to stress operational readiness has maintained a low deadline rate for guns and howitzers.

b. During the period 1 August through 31 October 1967, the following critical items were received:

- (1) 1 each trailer, water.
- (2) 3 each truck 2½ ton, cargo.
- (3) 2 each truck, van, M109.
- (4) 7 each truck, 5 ton, cargo.

c. During the quarter, nine 175mm gun tubes and one 8 inch howitzer tube were changed.

d. The quantity of PILL authorized to this battalion is over 900 line items. The percent of fill in Ordnance, Engineer, Aviation, and Artillery is 64%, 60%, 97.3%, and 69% respectively.

5. (C) Civil Affairs: A sister city relationship was promoted by this battalion between Gia-Dinh, a suburb of Saigon, and Cheney, Washington through the auspices of the Lions Club at each location. Vehicles were furnished on 19 October to provide sand from Kontum for a spillway constructed at the village of Plei Bruk II. On 5 October, Specialist Fourth Class Kenneth Griner, an aidman attached to Battery B, delivered a six pound four ounce baby boy to a Montagnard woman who lives with her husband at the Special Forces Camp at Duc Co.

6. (C) Personnel:

a. Casualties:

- (1) KIA: None
- (2) WIA: None

b. During the period the following personnel actions occurred:

- (1) Personnel gains and losses:

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(a) Personnel Losses: 190

(b) Personnel gains: 133

(c) Present for duty strength at close of period: 28 Officers, 6 Warrant Officers, and 446 Enlisted Men.

(d) Promotion allocations:

(1) E-4: 95

(2) E-5: 36

(3) E-6: 18

(e) Mail: The large volume of registered Christmas mail has caused difficulties due to signatures required by personnel at the widely dispersed firing batteries. The unit mail room has been enlarged to accommodate the increased total volume of mail.

(f) R & R quotas: During the reported period the battalion received R & R quotas in sufficient quantity to satisfy its needs.

(1) Out of country: 105

(2) In country: 3

7. Artillery: Rounds expended during the reporting period.

WEAPON	TYPE	FUZE	AMOUNT	AMOUNT EXPENDED IN RVN
8" How	HE	PD	9,430	58,646
		OVT	61	1,795
		MISQ	0	610
		TOTAL	9,491	61,051
175mm Gun	HE	PD	7,733	49,892
		OVT	65	1,320
		TOTAL	7,798	51,212

8. (U) Other:

a. The battalion aviation section consisting of one O-1D and one OH-13S continued to be utilized for command and control, observation, and adjustment of artillery fire, registration, delivery of repair parts, and mail.

b. Available time of aircraft:

(1) OH-13S: 37%

(2) O-1D: 87%

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b. Number of hours flown:

(1) OH-138: 82

(2) O-1D: 125

d. Authorized P/L for the battalion aircraft has improved. The battalion has made direct coordination with the 604th Transportation Company DS (Pleiku) to obtain necessary aircraft parts from the 1st Cavalry Division, (Airmobile). Support received from the 604th Transportation Company DS (Pleiku) has been outstanding.

e. A daily allocation of one O-1D aircraft from the 219th Aviation Company has been given this battalion by 52d Artillery Group. These aircraft have been utilized for adjustment of artillery fire, registrations, and visual reconnaissance as follows:

SORTIES	HOURS
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The pilots of aircraft allocated have not only offered valuable assistance in visual reconnaissance flights but have also demonstrated outstanding ability as aerial observers in the adjustment of artillery fires.

SECTION II. COMMANDERS OBSERVATIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

PART I. Observations (Lessons Learned)

1. (C) Personnel

Item: Replacements

Discussion: Operational problems were encountered during the reporting period due to lack of replacements to offset rotational losses. According to information received per message cite number 10-0149, AVFA-AT-A, from I Field Force Vietnam Artillery, the current shortage will continue through the next reporting quarter. Personnel adjustments within the battalion will be made as necessary to continue the combat mission. It is not recommended that cross assignments between battalions be made. Other measures, such as administrative storage of non-essential equipment, will be taken as necessary upon approval of higher headquarters.

Observation: If periods of critical personnel shortages were forecast well in advance, units would have adequate time to plan and make adjustments in a more timely and efficient manner.

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2. (C) Operations:

Item: Computer, Gun Direction, M18

Discussion: The concussion from firing heavy artillery in the vicinity of the computer appears to, over a period of time, affect the memory circuitry. This battalion has built revetments for each computer inside a revetted FDC bunker except in Battery C. Battery C operates its FDC in a revetted tent due to its requirement for periodic displacement. The protection provided for the computer appears to delay, but not prevent, electronic downtime due to concussion.

Observation: Support personnel could evaluate computers received for repair from heavy artillery units and determine if firing concussion might cause the circuit boards to vibrate against each other. Following the determination, appropriate redesign or modification could eliminate the problem.

3. (U) Training and Organization: None

4. (U) Intelligence: None

5. (U) Logistics: None

6. (U) Other: None

Part II, Recommendations:

1. (U) That protracted shortages in assigned strength be predicted and furnished commanders concerned in order that adjustments in personnel might be made prior to the impact of such shortages.

2. (U) Operations: That the internal dimensions of the Computer, Gun Direction, M18, be evaluated by support personnel as to possible short circuiting of the circuit boards due to concussion of heavy artillery.

3. (U) Training and Organization: None

4. (U) Intelligence: None

5. (U) Logistics: None

6. (U) Other: None



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HEADQUARTERS, 52D ARTILLERY GROUP, APO 96318, 14 November 1967

TO: Commanding General, I FFORGEV Artillery, APO 963150

1. Forwarded.
2. Concur with contents of basic report.
3. Recommend necessary action be initiated to implement paragraphs 1 and 2, Commanders Recommendations.

T. E. Fitzpatrick Jr.
T. E. FITZPATRICK JR
Colonel, Artillery
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Headquarters, I Field Force Vietnam Artillery, APO 96350, 29 November 1967

TO: Commanding General, I Field Force Vietnam, ATTN: AVFA-GC-OT, APO 96350

1. Concur in the observations and recommendations contained in basic communication and previous indorsement.

2. Reference: Section II, Part II, paragraph 2, page 10. The apparent problem in the circuit board of the computer, Gun Direction, M18 should be evaluated to determine the cause for the electronic failures in the memory circuitry.

FOR THE COMMANDER:



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HEADQUARTERS, I FIELD FORCE VIETNAM, APO 96350

7 DEC 1967

TO: Commanding General, United States Army Vietnam, ATTN: AVHGC-DST,
APO 96375

This headquarters has reviewed the 6th Battalion, 14th Artillery
Operational Report - Lessons Learned for Quarterly Period Ending 31
October 1967 and concurs with the observations and recommendations of
the basic document and previous indorsements.

FOR THE COMMANDER:



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HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY VIETNAM, APO San Francisco 96375 9 JAN 1968

TO: Commander in Chief, United States Army, Pacific, ATTN: GPOP-DT,
APO 96558

1. This headquarters has reviewed the Operational Report-Lessons Learned for the quarterly period ending 31 October 1967 from Headquarters, 6th Battalion, 14th Artillery (A18A) as indorsed.

2. Pertinent comments follow:

a. Reference item concerning replacements, page 9, paragraph 1; and item concerning protracted shortages, page 10, paragraph 1: Concur. A severe shortfall in requisition of artillery crewmen experienced throughout the command is accountable for the nonavailability of enlisted replacement personnel. I FFORCEV artillery units were short several artillery officers during the reporting period; however, sufficient replacements have been assigned during November and December to bring all units to authorized strength levels. Advance MOS shortfalls cannot be predicted beyond the normal requisition title month.

b. Reference item concerning M18 Gun Direction Computer, page 10, paragraph 2: At present 178 computers have been issued and are in daily use. Forty-seven of these sets have been issued to 11 battalions. Only the 6th Battalion, 14th Artillery has attributed a failure of the computer to concussion. The Team Chief, Automatic Data Field Systems Command Assistance Team, Pacific, has conducted new materiel introductory briefings for commanders and staffs, and new equipment training for organizational and support maintenance support personnel. The computer M18 was subjected to engineering and service checks prior to final production, that insured a ruggedness capable of withstanding concussion far in excess of that experienced by sets operated by 175mm gun batteries. Most of the deficiencies which had been reported were found to be mainly the result of unauthorized maintenance. Comments pertaining to computer failures are being referred to WECOM. The Automatic Data Field Systems Command Assistance Team, Pacific, is being requested to examine the computers in question.

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3. A copy of this indorsement will be furnished the reporting unit through channels.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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HQ, US ARMY, PACIFIC, APO San Francisco 96558 17 JAN 1968

TO: Assistant Chief of Staff for Force Development, Department of the
Army, Washington, D. C. 20310

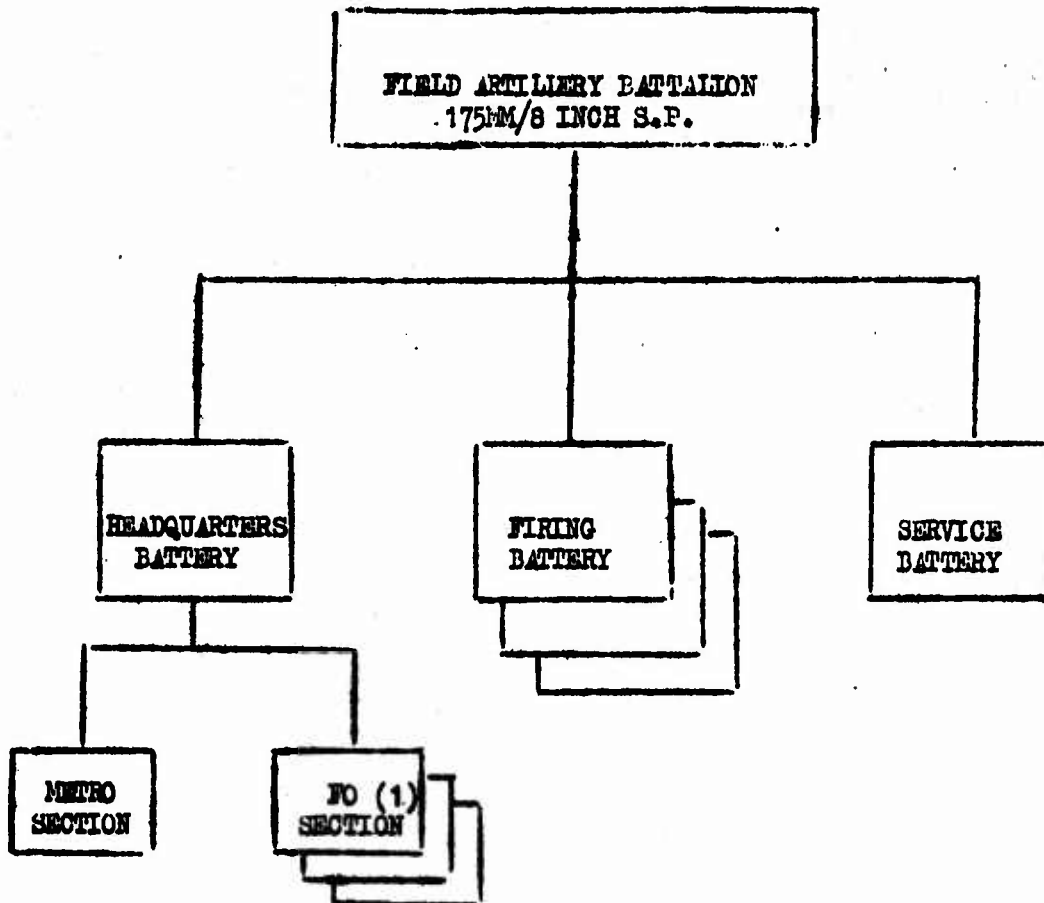
This headquarters has evaluated subject report and forwarding
indorsements and concurs in the report as indorsed.

FOR THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF:


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2. Battery A, 3d Battalion 18th Artillery OPCON 271800H Oct 67. Remained OPCON at end of reported quarter.
3. Battery C, 6th Battalion 32d Artillery attached from beginning of reported quarter to 15 September 1967.
4. 1st Metro Section, 8/26 TAB attached from beginning of reported quarter to 15 September 1967

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