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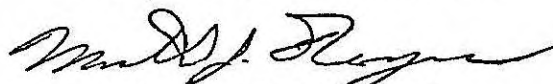
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1. This report is submitted IAW ARRSM 55-2/3ARRGp Sup 1, dtd 15 Jun 67.
2. At 0715L on 30 Jan 69 Det 12, 38ARRSq was notified by SOW Command Post of an aircraft crash approximately 5 miles SW of Nha Trang AB. Pedro 21 launched at 0745L and was vectored to the site by Walt 31 (FAC). Weather was clear with 15 miles visibility. Pedro 21 arrived on scene at 0800L. Green Hornet 935 (UH-1 Gunship) was already on scene. A large impact area was evident but there were no discernable aircraft pieces. Sgt Felker was lowered into the impact zone on the jungle penetrator. He collected several small aircraft parts which were scattered over a wide area and spent 20 minutes on the ground searching for survivors and/or human remains. None were found. Continuous radio contact was maintained between Pedro 21 and the PJ on the ground who was using the RT 60P radio. Sgt. Felker was retrieved using the jungle penetrator and Pedro 21 recovered at Nha Trang at 0830L. Recovered aircraft parts were taken to 14th SOW Command Post and it has been determined that the aircraft was Sage 30, an RF-4C from the 460th Tac Recon Wg at Tan Son Nhut AB, RVN. No determination of the status of the two crewmembers has been made. Mission 12-38-003-9030 closed at 0830L 30 Jan 69. No saves recorded.

3. Crewmembers of Pedro 21:

1Lt Willis J. Thayer, RCC
Major Robert J. Kazmerchak, RCCP
SSgt John B. Gent, FE
Sgt Louis C. Felker, PJ
A1C Timothy M. Reynolds, PJ



WILLIS J. THAYER, 1LT, USAF
Rescue Crew Commander

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