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FROM: Det 7, 38ARRS, APO S.F 96337

SUBJECT: Mission Narrative Report (7-38-005-9006)

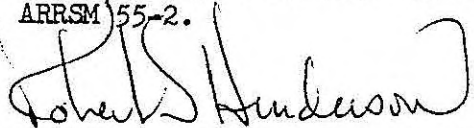
TO: 3ARRGP JEG

1. I was notified by the 903rd Evacuation Squadron at 0000Z, 6 Jan 69 (0800L) that one of their C-130 aircraft had departed Quang Tri, RVN with Marine Lance Corporal John R. Jainton aboard. Corporal Jainton was suffering from multiple shrapnel wounds in the abdomen and face and a compression skull fracture which necessitated immediate operative treatment for survival. Request for our assistance and the life and death nature of this case was received from the medical officer aboard the C-130 aircraft. An ETA of 0025Z was provided. I scrambled Pedro 93 at 0016Z and flew to the Danang North Ramp where we waited for the C-130. The weather was reported 300 foot overcast with a mile visibility and moderate rain showers. The C-130 landed at 0030Z and the patient was transferred to my aircraft at 0040Z. An attendant from the C-130 aircraft accompanied the Corporal. Special VFR clearance was received from the tower and we departed on a 090 heading off the DaNang ADF. Weather deteriorated enroute to an estimated 200 feet overcast and $\frac{1}{2}$ mile visibility. Clearance to land at the NSA Hospital was received from Marble Mountain tower. After touchdown at 0050Z the patient was released to hospital personnel. We received special VFR clearance back into the Danang control zone and landed at our alert pad at 0058Z terminating the mission

2. Pedro 93 crew consisted of:

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SSgt Kenneth L. Jones, HM, Det 7, 38ARRS
Sgt Norman C. Kohlstrand, PJ, 37ARRS

3. This report is submitted in accordance with 3ARRGP Supplement 1 to ARRSM 55-2.


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