

FROM: Aircraft Commander

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SUBJECT: Mission Narrative Report (10-38-037-27 May 69)

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1. This report is submitted IAW ARRSM 55-2, 3ARRGp Sup 1, 11 July 1968.

2. At 1255L Navy Binh Thuy called Pedro operations and requested immediate evacuation of wounded personnel at WR119899. Pedro 39 launched at 1300L for the rescue Co-ordinates. Enroute weather was 2500 broken with 10 miles visibility. While enroute Pedro 39 learned that the wounded was a viet namese Police advisor to the Navy. The wounded was on board a River Patrol Boat and enroute to designated beaching area. Pedro 39 decided to intercept the PBR in order to expedite the medical evacuation. Pedro 39 made the interception at WR155860 at 1335L and executed the moving pick up by use of the stokes litter. While in the area making the pick up, Pedro 39 drew light ground fire. With the wounded on board, Pedro 39 departed the area and flew to the provincial hospital at Rach Gia a small town 5 miles away. Pedro 39 arrived at Rach Gia at 1345L and off loaded the wounded Vietnamese. Pedro 39 departed Rach Gia at 1350L terminating at Binh Thuy at 1425L. No hits were discovered upon post flight inspection. Two sorties with 1.4 hours flying time. One combat save credited.

3. The name and orginazation of the wounded was unknown.

4. Crewmembers of Pedro 39

AC Capt John L. Debevec

CP Capt Jack D. Cusano

PJ SSgt Michael F. Dean

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