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1. On 7 Jan 70 JG 35 and JG 42 were scrambled from Channel 77 at 0321Z. An F4-E (Gunfighter 55) was reported down by his wingman at a position 075/72/77. One chute and an oil slick was reported by Gunfighter 56. King 4 and JG 35 arrived in the area simultaneously and started searching an area 072/55/77 where Panama Call had an oil slick reported to them. When no beeper was detected the search in this area was abandoned and JG 35 and King 5 proceeded out to the 075/72/77 position. JG 42 remained to cover this first area. About 10 miles east of this first position King 4 picked up a beeper and was able to home to it. The survivor identified himself as GF 55B. King 4 dropped a smoke over the survivor at which time the survivor popped a smoke. Both were seen by JG 35. JG 35 made a low pass over the survivor and deployed a PJ as the survivor was partially tangled in his chute. JG 35 then landed in the water and taxied to the survivor and PJ. Both were brought on board at 0435Z. The survivor was not hurt but could give us no information as to the status of GF 55A except that he did not see another chute. JG 35 returned to Channel 77 with the survivor and JG 42 continued the search for GF 55A. After refueling at Channel 77 JG 35 then rejoined the search. The search was ended at 1045Z.

2. Survivor: 1/Lt Dana Campbell

3. Jolly Green Crews:

JOLLY GREEN 35

AC	LT	RICHARD V. BUTCHKA (USCG)
CP	CAPT	CHARLES C. ADAMS
FE	SSGT	ROBERT W. EDGAR
PJ	SSGT	EUGENE L. NARDI
PJ	SSGT	DENNIS T. DUFFY

JOLLY GREEN 42

AC	CAPT	GEORGE M. HITTLE III
CP	CAPT	ROYCE W. TERRELL
FE	SSGT	JAMES K. HALL
PJ	SGT	ROBERT REISIG

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