

USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE Tuesday 19 April 1966
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM VICINITY CAPE BATANGAN, RVN TO DANANG BAY, RVN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L 16-08.8'N BY 3		
N 08-13.0'E BY 3		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L 16-07.8'N BY 3		
N 08-12.1'E BY 3		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L 15-09.3'N BY 3,3		
N 09-00'E BY 3,3		

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
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REMARKS

08-08 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS A UNIT OF TU 70-8.9 ENROUTE FROM VICINITY OF CAPE BATANGAN, RVN TO DANANG BAY, RVN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM-SEVENTHFLT OPSKED, 4TH QTR FY 66. CTU 70-8.9 IS C.O. THIS SHIP. BOILERS #2 AND #4, GENERATORS #1, #2, AND #4 ARE ON THE LINE. READINESS CONDITION THREE AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET. ON COURSE 330, SPEED 10 KTS. 0800 1/2 TO 0830, 1/2 TO 14 KTS. 0843 1/2 TO 0845. 0816 1/2 TO 0845. 0826 1/2 TO 0835. 0848 1/2 TO 316. 0836 1/2 TO 15 KTS. 0818 1/2 TO 310.

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04-08- UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0407 C/C TO 316°. 0446 C/C TO 322°. 0447 C/C TO 327°. 0452 C/C TO 316°. 0548 C/C TO 305°. 0614 C/C TO 295°. 0617 C/C TO 305°.

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08-12 STEAMING AS BEFORE. 0700 C/C TO 270°. 0742 C/C TO 281°. 0743 SET THE NAVIGATION DETAIL. STEAMING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO ENTER DANANG BAY, RVN. 0820 ANCHORED IN DANANG HARBOR, RVN, IN 8 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM WITH 40 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO PORT ANCHOR. BEARINGS: POINT ISABEL 299.5°, BRIDGE 274.5°, PORT NAM 255.8°, OBSERVATORY LIGHT 125.3°, SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS TOPEKA (CG-68), USS J.W. THOMASON (DD760) AND USS CAROLADE (IFS-1). SOPA IS C/O USS WHEATSTONE (LSD-25). 0950 00 THOMASON (DD760) ARRIVED ON BOARD. 0918 COM CRU DES GRU SEVENTH FLEET ARRIVED ON BOARD. Numerous guests arrived for ^{FIRESUNDER} MUYAN GUN FIRE SUPPORT CONFERENCE. 1056 Boiler #5 placed on the line. 1044 secured ^{#4} boiler.

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12-16 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 1329 ADM T.S. KING, USN, COMMANDER CRUISER DESTROYER GROUP SEVENTH FLEET AND MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF LEFT THE SHIP. 1340 CDR. J.Z. LANGILLE, USN, COMMANDER DESTROYER DIVISION TWO THIRTEEN AND HIS PARTY LEFT THE SHIP. CDR. J.A. CHRISTENSEN, COMMANDING OFFICER OF USS THOMASON LEFT THE SHIP. LCDR. R.F. MCCOY, USN, COMMANDER INSHORE FIRE DIVISION NINETY THREE LEFT THE SHIP. 1424 LT. MANGOL, USN, COMMANDING OFFICER OF USS SAINT FRANCIS RIVER LEFT THE SHIP. 1515 SET THE NAVIGATION AND ANCHOR DETAIL.

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 (cont) 1530 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM 7THFLT
 4TH QUARTERLY OPSCHED FY-66 FROM DANANG RVN TO
 VICINITY MUI KAGA RVN NAVIGATOR AND CAPT ARE ON THE
 BRIDGE. 00D HAS THE CONN. 1537 $\% 030^{\circ}$ $\% 5$ SKNTS 1544
 $\% 10$ SKNTS 1555 $\% 060^{\circ}$ 1602 SECURED THE NAVIGATION AND
 ANCHOR DETAIL SET CONDITION IV $\% 20$ SKNTS 1606 $\% 090^{\circ}$

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16-18 STEAMING AS BEFORE. 1622 $\% 123^{\circ}$. 1716 $\% 145^{\circ}$

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18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1751 $\% 155$. 1903 OBSERVED
 SUNSET. DIMMED SHIP. 1940 $\% 180^{\circ}$

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2005 c/c to 170 2020 c/s to 15KTS. 2024
 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO CLOSE USS JENNINS (DD-447) FOR TRANSFER OF
 OF MAIL VIA CANBERRA'S STDB MWB. 2040. SHIP IS DIW. 2045 MWB AWAY,
 2108 MWB IS AHEAD AT THE RAIL, 2108 UNDERWAY A/E $\frac{1}{3}$ (AHEAD) COURSE $\% 150^{\circ}$
 2108 c/s to 10KTS. 2113 c/c to 145. 2119 c/s to 20KTS. 2209
 c/c to 180. 2229 c/s to 10KTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO CLOSE
 USS TOPKA (PLG-6) FOR TRANSFER OF PERSONNEL BY CANBERRA'S
 STDB MWB. 2307 SHIP IS DIW. 2309 MWB AWAY. PASSENGERS TO
 BE TRANSFERRED ARE: ~~CDR~~ CDR BOWEN AND LT WALSH. 2327 ~~per~~
 MWB IS CLEAR OF THE WATER. 2328 A/E AHEAD $\frac{1}{3}$ COMING
 TO COURSE 145. 2329 c/c to 140. c/s to 10KTS. 2332 c/s to 20KTS
 ENROUTE TO MUI KEGA, VIETNAM.

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