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PLANS, POLICIES AND OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT, HEADQUARTERS,
U.S. MARINE CORPS

SUBJ: WEEKLY OPERATIONAL SUMMARY 30 JAN - 6 FEB 98 (S)

ENCL: (1) HQMC OPERATIONAL SUMMARY OF 6 FEB 98 (S)

1. THE ENCLOSURE IS PUBLISHED WEEKLY.
2. REQUEST THAT ERRORS, QUESTIONS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING
THE INFORMATION PRESENTED BE REPORTED TO:

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**U.S. MARINE CORPS DEPLOYMENTS
(IN SUPPORT OF WORLD WIDE OPERATIONS AND MAJOR EXERCISES)**

USCINCEUR				
UNITS	LOCATION	STRENGTH	OPERATION/MISSION	REMARKS
VMAQ-2(-)	AVIANO AB, ITALY	163	DELIBERATE GUARD	Conducting Electronic Warfare (EW) Missions ISO OP DELIBERATE GUARD.
DET, VMU-2	BOSNIA	6	JOINT GUARD	Providing P-3 downlink imagery to SFOR.
INDIVIDUAL USMC AUGMENTEES	BOSNIA	38	JOINT GUARD	ISO SFOR.
24TH MEU(SOC) USS GUAM ARG BLT 3/6 HMM-263(REIN) MSSG-24	CENTRAL MED	1,997	FORWARD PRESENCE	Underway.
USPACOM				
13TH MEU(SOC) USS PELELIU ARG BLT-1/1 HMM-164(REIN) MSSG-13	SOUTHEAST ASIA	2,019	FORWARD PRESENCE	En route Pearl Harbor, Hawaii 17-18 Feb.
USCENTCOM				
VMFA-314 USS NIMITZ	ARABIAN GULF	215	FORWARD PRESENCE	Pvst Jebel Ali, UAE 30 Jan - 2 Feb; Ops ISO SOUTHERN WATCH 3-8 Feb.
VMFA-251 USS GEORGE WASHINGTON	ARABIAN GULF	207	FORWARD PRESENCE	Ops ISO Southern Watch through 10 Feb.
USSOUTHCOM				
Co C (REIN), 2d LAR BN DET SC Co, HQ BN. 2D MARDIV	RODMAN N.S. & FT SHERMAN, PANAMA	155	CANAL ZONE SECURITY	Provide security for US installations and facilities and designated US ships transiting Panama Canal and as an augmenting force to support USCInCSO training initiatives, deployments and exercises 3 Dec 97 - 3 Mar 98.
Co F (REIN), 2/8	PORT-AU- PRINCE, HAITI	167	NEW HORIZONS - HAITI	Security operations ISO US Support Group Haiti, 1 Nov - 1 Feb 98.
DET, MWSS-272	EL ZAPOTE, EL SALVADOR	88	NEW HORIZONS - EL SALVADOR	Conducting engineer training and to provide other services; specifically, the integrated meteorological oceanographic support system (IMOSS) ISO CJTF Cabanas ISO USCINCSO.

U.S. MARINE CORPS DEPLOYMENTS

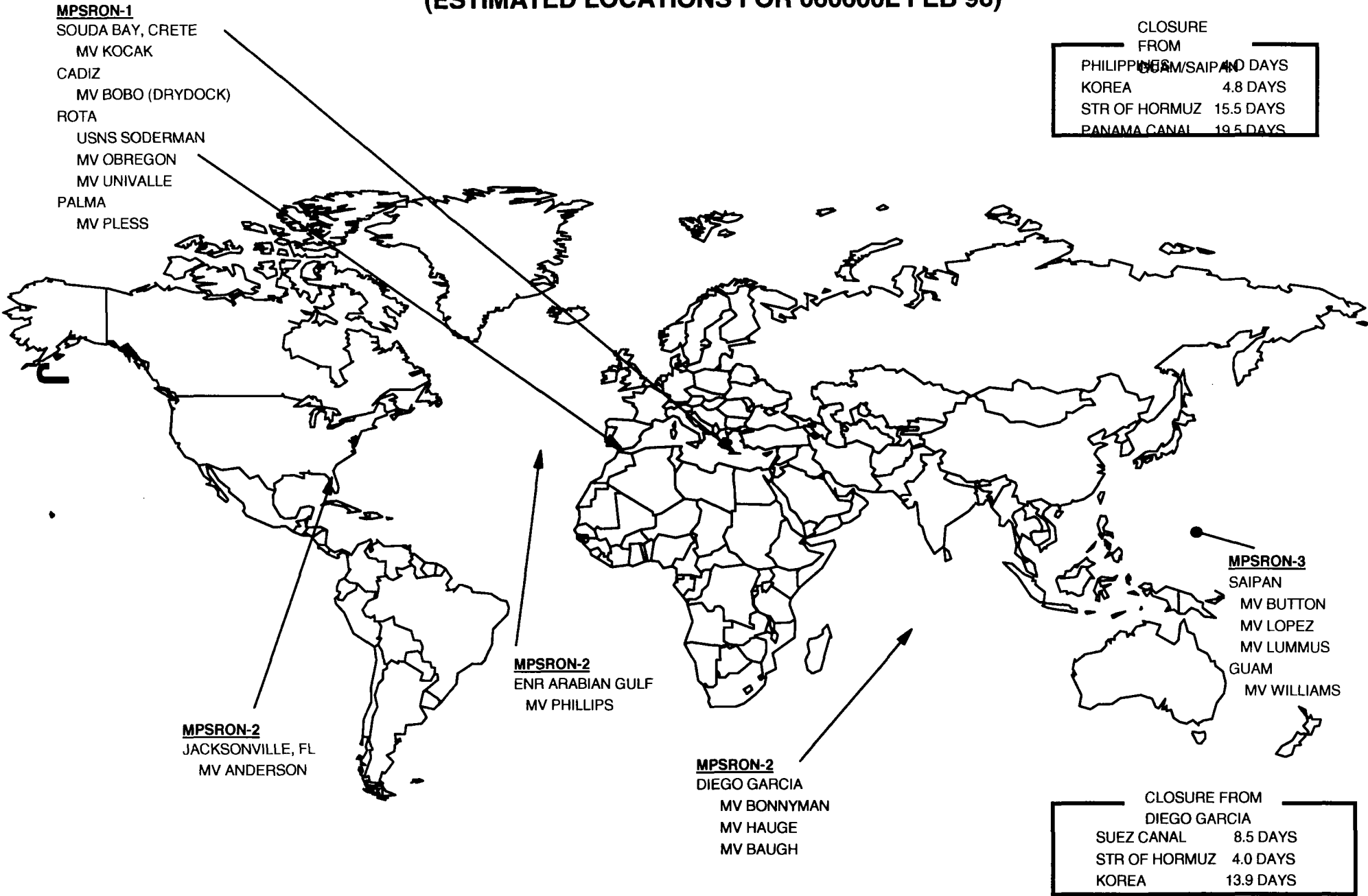
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AMPHIB HOMEPORTS AND DEPLOYMENT W/O MARINES

NORFOLK, VA

USS WASP (LHD-1)
USS KEARSARGE (LHD-3)
USS NASSAU (LHA-4)
USS CARTER HALL (LSD-50)
USS GUAM (LPH-9)
USS JUNEAU (LPD-10)
USS SHREVEPORT (LPD-12)
USS NASHVILLE (LPD-13)
USS PONCE (LPD-15)
USS TRENTON (LPD-14)

SAN DIEGO, CA

USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11)
USS PELELIU (LHA-5)
USS ESSEX (LHD-2)
USS BOXER (LHD-4)
USS OGDEN (LPD-5)
USS CLEVELAND (LPD-7)
USS DENVER (LPD-9)
USS ANCHORAGE (LSD-36)
USS MT VERNON (LSD-39)
USS FT FISHER (LSD-40)
USS COMSTOCK (LSD-45)
USS HARPERS FERRY (LSD-49)

LITTLE CREEK, VA

USS PORTLAND (LSD-37)
USS PENSACOLA (LSD-38)
USS WHIDBEY ISLAND (LSD-41)
USS ASHLAND (LSD-48)
USS OAK HILL (LSD-51)

SASEBO, JA

USS BELLEAU WOOD (LHA-3)
USS DUBUQUE (LPD-8)
USS FT MCHENRY (LSD-43)
USS GERMANTOWN (LSD-42)

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DEPLOYED USMC FORCES (ESTIMATED LOCATIONS FOR 060600L FEB 98)

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Co C (REIN), 2d LAR Bn

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Co F (REIN), 2/8

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13TH MEU(SOC)

EN ROUTE HAWAII

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J-3/JOD WESTERN HEMISPHERE THE PENTAGON
J-3/JOD (PACOM) THE PENTAGON
NMCC THE PENTAGON
JSB, ROOM 5E531, THE PENTAGON

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MARINE CORPS AIDE TO THE SECNAV
ASST SECNAV INSTALLATIONS & ENVIRONMENT (4E765)
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PREDEPLOYMENT FORCES

31ST MEU (OKINAWA)					
(U) CURRENT STATUS: SOCEX OKINAWA, 2 - 10 FEB					
(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL		COMMANDING OFFICER
CE, 31ST MEU	25	118	1	1	COL F. W. HICKS
BLT 2/5	54	992	3	44	COL D. G. LINNEBUR
HMM-262 (REIN)	63	338	1	5	LTCOL W. E. HARDY
MSSG-31	14	222	3	18	LTCOL J. W. CHANDLER
TOTAL	156	1,670	8	68	
TOTAL --- 1,900					
(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:					
NUMBER	ITEM		NUMBER	ITEM	
12	AAVP-7A1		4	LAV-25	
1	AAVR-7A1		2	LAV(AT)	
8	81MM MORTAR		1	LAV(L)	
6	M198		10	TOWS	
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:					
	TYPE		NUMBER	TYPE	
13	CH-46E		3	UH-1N	
4	CH-53E		4	AH-1W	
6	AV-8B				
AMPHIB INFORMATION					
USS BELLEAU WOOD			LHA-3		
USS GERMANTOWN			LSD-42		
USS DUBUQUE			LPD-8		
USS FT MCHENRY			LSD-43		
COMPHIBRON 11			CAPT R. A. SILVERS(USN)		
(C) LANDING CRAFT:					
SHIP		NUMBER	TYPE		
USS BELLEAU WOOD		4	LCU		
USS DUBUQUE		1	LCU		
USS FT MCHENRY		3	LCAC		
FUTURE PLANS					
13 - 20 FEB 98			UNDERWAY EN ROUTE BALI, INDONESIA		
(U) REFERENCE: 31ST MEU SITREP 3-98 DTG 310140Z JAN 98					

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PREDEPLOYMENT FORCES

26TH MEU

PREDEPLOYMENT TRAINING PERIOD			25 AUG 97 - 26 FEB 98		
DEPLOYMENT PERIOD			27 FEB 98 - 27 AUG 98		
(U) CURRENT STATUS: SOCEX CLNC 30 JAN- 2 FEB					
(C) TASK ORGANIZATION		USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL	
CE, 26TH MEU		35	184	3	3
BLT 3/2		58	1,120	4	56
HMM-264 (REIN)		64	370	1	4
MSSG-26		14	231	3	21
TOTAL		171	1,905	11	84
TOTAL --- 2,171					
(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:					
NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM		
13	AAVP-7A1	8	LAV-25		
1	AAVC-7A1	2	LAV(M)		
1	AAVR-7A1	1	LAV(L)		
6	M198	1	LAV(C)		
14	TOWS	8	81MM MORTAR		
1	AN/MLQ-36A	1	AN/TSC-93B		
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:					
NUMBER	TYPE	NUMBER	TYPE		
12	CH-46E	4	AH-1W		
4	CH-53E	3	UH-1N		
6	AV-8B				
AMPHIB INFORMATION					
USS WASP			LHD-1		
USS TRENTON			LPD-14		
USS PORTLAND			LSD-37		
COMPHIBRON 6			CAPT MAHONEY (USN)		
(C) LANDING CRAFT:					
SHIP		NUMBER	TYPE		
USS WASP		3	LCAC		
USS TRENTON		1	LCU		
USS PORTLAND		1	LCU		
FUTURE PLANS					
8 -13 FEB		DYNAMIC RESPONSE RECCE, B-H			
(U) REFERENCE: 26TH MEU SITREP #24 DTG 062205Z FEB 98					

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22D MEU					
PREDEPLOYMENT TRAINING PERIOD:			5 JAN 98 - 1 JUL 98		
DEPLOYMENT PERIOD:			2 JUL - 9 DEC 98		
(U) CURRENT STATUS: MSE TRNG FT A.P. HILL THROUGH 6 FEB.					
(C) TASK ORGANIZATION		USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL	
CE, 22D MEU		29	160	3	3
BLT 2/2		56	1,133	4	52
HMM-162 (REIN)		61	262	1	1
MSSG-22 (-)		15	231	3	21
TOTAL		161	1,786	11	77
TOTAL --- 2,036					
(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:					
NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM		
8	TOWS	4	LAV-25		
6	M198	2	LAV(AT)		
1	AAVR-7A1	1	LAV(L)		
1	AAVC-7A1	4	M1A1		
13	AAVP-7A1	1	M88		
8	81MM MORTAR	1	AN/TSC-93B		
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:					
NUMBER	TYPE	NUMBER	TYPE		
12	CH-46E	4	AH-1W		
4	CH-53E	3	UH-1N		
0	AV-8B	2	HH-46D (NAVY)		
AMPHIB INFORMATION					
USS SAIPAN			LHA-2		
USS TORTUGA			LSD-46		
USS AUSTIN			LPD-4		
COMPHIBRON 8			CAPT R. H. ENDERLY(USN)		
(C) LANDING CRAFT:					
SHIP		NUMBER	TYPE		
USS SAIPAN		4	LCU		
USS TORTUGA		3	LCAC		
USS AUSTIN		1	LCU		
FUTURE PLANS					
2 - 27 FEB			II MEF SOTG R&S CRSE		
(U) REFERENCE: 22D MEU SITREP #5 DTG 081500Z FEB 98					

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(U) REFERENCE: 11TH MEU SITREP #29 DTG 051200Z FEB 98/MFP WEEKLY SITREP OF 6 FEB 98

15TH MEU

PREDEPLOYMENT TRAINING PERIOD 24 DEC 97- 21 JUN 98

DEPLOYMENT PERIOD 22 JUN - 22 DEC 98

(U) CURRENT STATUS: COMPTUEX 26 JAN - 4 FEB.

(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL		COMMANDING OFFICER
CE, 15TH MEU	25	138	1	3	COL R. C. ZILMER
BLT 3/1	57	1,264	2	52	LTCOL H J DONIGAN III
HMM-163 (REIN)	68	355	1	3	LTCOL R. C. FOX
MSSG-15	12	201	3	19	LTCOL E. E. BLUMENSTOCK
TOTAL	162	1,958	7	77	

TOTAL --- 2,204

(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:

NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM
13	AAVP-7A1	9	LAV-25
1	AAVR-7A1	2	LAV(AT)
1	AAVC-7A1	2	LAV(L)
14	TOWS	2	LAV(M)
1	LAV-C2	1	LAV(R)
6	M198	1	AN/MLQ-36A

(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:

NUMBER	TYPE	NUMBER	TYPE
12	CH-46E	4	AH-1W
4	CH-53E	3	UH-1N
6	AV-8B	2	HH-46D (NAVY)

AMPHIB INFORMATION

USS ESSEX	LHD-2
USS DULUTH	LPD-6
USS ANCHORAGE	LSD-36
COMPHIBRON 5	CAPT NELMS (USN)

(C) LANDING CRAFT:

SHIP	NUMBER	TYPE
USS ESSEX	3	LCAC
USS DULUTH	1/2	LCU/LARC
USS ANCHORAGE	2	LCAC

FUTURE PLANS

21 FEB- 8 MAR	TRUE ASHORE
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(U) REFERENCE: 15TH MEU SITREP # 7 DTG 061600Z FEB 98

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11TH MEU (SOC)					
PREDEPLOYMENT TRAINING PERIOD			19 JUL 97 - 11 FEB 98		
DEPLOYMENT PERIOD			12 FEB 98 - 12 AUG 98		
(U) CURRENT STATUS:			CAMP PENDLETON, CA		
(C) TASK ORGANIZATION		USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL	
CE, 11TH MEU		25	140	1	3
BLT 1/4		56	1,136	3	55
HMM-268 (REIN)		65	365	1	3
MSSG-11		12	216	3	19
TOTAL		158	1,857	8	80
TOTAL --- 2103					
(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:					
NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM		
13	AAVP-7A1	9	LAV-25		
1	AAVC-7A1	2	LAV(AT)		
1	AAVR-7A1	2	LAV(L)		
6	M198	2	LAV(M)		
10	TOWS	1	LAV(R)		
10	81MM MORTAR				
1	LAV(C)				
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:					
NUMBER	TYPE	NUMBER	TYPE		
12	CH-46E	4	AH-1W		
4	CH-53E	3	UH-1N		
6	AV-8B	2	HH-46 (NAVY)		
AMPHIB INFORMATION					
USS TARAWA			LHA-1		
USS DENVER			LPD-9		
USS MT VERNON			LSD-39		
COMPHIBRON 3			CAPT P. STEVENS (USN)		
(C) LANDING CRAFT:					
SHIP		NUMBER	TYPE		
USS TARAWA		1 / 2	LCAC / LCU		
USS MT VERNON		2	LCAC		
FUTURE PLANS					
7 FEB 13 FEB			DEPLOY ASR VIC HAWAII		

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USS NIMITZ CVN-68 (CVW-9)

(SEP 97 - FEB 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: PVST JEBEL ALI, U.A.E. 30 JAN - 2 FEB. OPS ISO SOUTHERN WATCH 2-8 FEB 98.

(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
VMFA-314	17	196	LTCOL D. H. PEELER
TOTAL---215			
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H: 12 X F/A-18C			
(U) REFERENCE: CNO NOTES OF 6 FEB 98			

**ENHANCED SECURITY PANAMA CANAL ZONE
(RODMAN N.S. & FT SHERMAN, PANAMA)**

(3 DEC 97 - 3 MAR 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: PROVIDE SECURITY FOR U.S. INSTALLATIONS, FACILITIES AND DESIGNATED U.S. SHIPS TRANSITING THE PANAMA CANAL AND ACT AS AN AUGMENTING FORCE TO SUPPORT USCINCSO TRAINING INITIATIVES, DEPLOYMENTS AND EXERCISES.

(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
CO C (REIN), 2D LAR BN	125		CAPT BODKIN
DET, SC CO, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV	30		N/A
TOTAL ---155			
(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT O/H:			
NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM
8	RRC	3	RAC

(U) REFERENCE: II MEF SEMI-MONTHLY RPT 8-98 DTG 142359Z JAN 98**NEW HORIZONS - HAITI**

(1 NOV 97- 1 MAY 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: CONDUCT SECURITY OPERATIONS ISO US SUPPORT GROUP, HAITI. ADDITIONALLY, PREPPING FOR MISSION TURN-OVER WITH I CO, 3/8.

(U) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
F CO, 2/8 (REIN)	167		CAPT M. DICKEY
TOTAL --- 167			

(U) REFERENCE: II MEF SEMI-MONTHLY RPT 8-98 DTG 142359Z JAN 98**NEW HORIZONS - EL SALVADOR**

(25 JAN 98 - 27 MAR 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: SUPPORTING CJTF CABANAS ISO USSOCOM, SPECIFICALLY - ESTABLISH AND MAN FORWARD BASE CAMP, CONSTRUCT A SMALL MEDICAL CLINIC AND PROVIDE OTHER SERVICES (COOK/WEATHER SERVICES)

(U) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
DET, MWSS-272	88		CAPT T. GREEN
TOTAL --- 88			

(U) REFERENCE: CG II MEF MSG 070501Z JAN 98 (DEPLOYMENT ORDER)

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JOINT GUARD
INDIVIDUAL USMC AUGMENTEES
(EUCOM THEATER)
 (DEC 96 - JUL 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS		ISO JOINT GUARD
(U) TASK ORGANIZATION	ACTIVE/ RESERVE	COMMANDING OFFICER
BOSNIA	17	N/A
CROATIA	5	N/A
RIM (ITALY/HUNGARY)	5	N/A
TRNG. EUCOM BACKFILL/AFLOAT	11	N/A
TOTAL	38	N/A
(U) REFERENCE: NUMBERS PROVIDED BY MPP-60, MRS. GRIFFE, DTD 2 FEB 98		

JOINT GUARD
DET, VMU-2 (26 MAY - 17 FEB 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS		ISO JOINT GUARD	
(U) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
DET, VMU-2	6	N/A	
TOTAL --- 6			
(U) REFERENCE: II MEF SEMI-MONTHLY RPT 8-98 DTG 142359Z JAN 98			

OPERATION DELIBERATE GUARD
VMAQ-2(-) (24 AUG 97 - 24 FEB 98)
 (AVIANO AIRBASE, ITALY)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: CONDUCTING EW MISSIONS ISO OP DELIBERATE GUARD			
(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
VMAQ-2(-)	161		LTCOL J. G. KORAN
TOTAL ---161			
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H: 3 X EA-6B			
(U) REFERENCE: VMAQ-2 SITREP 24 DTG 031530Z FEB 98			

VMFA-251
USS GEORGE WASHINGTON CVN-73
 (OCT 97-MAR 98)

CURRENT STATUS: OPS ISO SOUTHERN WATCH THROUGH 10 FEB.			
(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL	USN OFF/ENL	COMMANDING OFFICER
VMFA-251	15 190	1 2	LTCOL A. W. VALENTINO
TOTAL---208			
(C) AIRCRAFT O/H: 12 X F/A-18C			
(U) REFERENCE: CNO OPNOTES OF 6 FEB 98			

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24TH MEU(SOC)

(3 OCT 97 - 27 MAR 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: UNDERWAY CENTRAL MED

(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL		COMMANDING OFFICER
CE, 24TH MEU	29	158	3	3	COL R. F. NATONSKI
BLT 3/6	57	1,070	4	53	LTCOL R. R. MILLS
HMM-263 (REIN)	58	292	1	3	LTCOL M. DUVA
MSSG-24	15	227	3	21	LTCOL B. L. TONNACLIFF
TOTAL	159	1,747	11	80	

TOTAL --- 1997

(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:

NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM
13	AAVP-7A1	4	LAV-25
1	AAVC-7A1	2	LAV(AT)
1	AAVR-7A1	1	LAV(L)
6	M198	4	M1A1
10	TOWS	1	M88
8	81MM MORTAR	1	AN/MLQ-36A
1	AN/TSC-93B		

(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:

NUMBER	TYPE	NUMBER	TYPE
12	CH-46E	4	AH-1W
4	CH-53E	2	UH-1N
6	AV-8B (CONUS STANDBY)	2	HH-46D (NAVY)

AMPHIB INFORMATION

USS GUAM	LPH-9
USS SHREVEPORT	LPD-12
USS ASHLAND	LSD-48
USS OAK HILL	LSD-51
COMPHIBRON 2	CAPT P. L. SOWA(USN)

(C) LANDING CRAFT:

SHIP	NUMBER	TYPE
USS SHREVEPORT	1	LCU
USS ASHLAND	4	LCAC
USS OAK HILL	1	LCU

FUTURE PLANS

USS GUAM PVST KOPER, SLOVENIA	6 - 10 FEB
USS OAK HILL & SHREVEPORT PVST ROTA, SPAIN	6 - 13 FEB
USS ASHLAND PVST VENICE, ITALY	6 - 10 FEB

(U) REFERENCE: 24TH MEU SITREP #42 DTG 2923599Z JAN 98/CNO NOTES OF 6 FEB 98

DEPLOYED FORCES

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13TH MEU(SOC)

(28 AUG 97 - 28 FEB 98)

(U) CURRENT STATUS: UNDERWAY SOUTH PACIFIC

(C) TASK ORGANIZATION	USMC OFF/ENL		USN OFF/ENL		COMMANDING OFFICER
CE, 13TH MEU	30	158	0	3	COL J. W. HEIDRICH
BLT 1/1	53	1,064	3	49	LTCOL S. A. HUMMER
HMM-164 (REIN)	64	346	1	3	LTCOL P. M. O'DONOGUE
MSSG-13	12	212	3	18	LTCOL C. P. SCHUCHARDT
TOTAL	159	1,780	7	73	

TOTAL --- 2,019**(C) ARMS AND EQUIPMENT IN POSSESSIONS:**

NUMBER	ITEM	NUMBER	ITEM
13	AAVP-7A1	8	LAV-25
1	AAVC-7A1	1	LAV-C2
1	AAVR-7A1	1	LAV(L)
6	M198	2	LAV(M)
10	TOWS	4	M1A1
1	M88	1	AN/MLQ-36A

(C) AIRCRAFT O/H:

NUMBER	TYPE	NUMBER	TYPE
12	CH-46E	4	AH-1W
4	CH-53E	3	UH-1N
6	AV-8B	2	HH-46D (NAVY)

AMPHIB INFORMATION

USS PELELIU	LHA-5
USS COMSTOCK	LSD-45
USS JUNEAU	LPD-10
COMPHIBRON 1	CAPT DONLON (USN)

(C) LANDING CRAFT:

SHIP	NUMBER	TYPE
USS PELELIU	1	LCAC
USS JUNEAU	2	LCU
USS COMSTOCK	3	LCAC

FUTURE PLANS

13 FEB	INCHOP 3D FLT
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(U) REFERENCE: 13TH MEU SITREP #49 DTG 060735Z FEB 98/CNO NOTES OF 6 FEB 98**DEPLOYED FORCES****D-1****SECRET****UNCLASSIFIED**

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ACE	MACG-18/1ST STINGER BTRY
CSSE	CSSD-39

CONTINGENCY FORCES
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I MEF	
WESTPAC CONTINGENCY	13TH MEU(SOC)
EASTPAC CONTINGENCY	11TH MEU(SOC)
I MEF READY ARG	USS TARAWA(LHA-1)
	USS DENVER (LPD-9)
	USS MT VERNON (LSD-39)
ALERT MAGTF CE:	I MEF (FWD)
GCE	2/7
ACE	3D MAW(FWD)
CSSE	1ST FSSG(FWD)
II MEF	
II MEF ARF	26TH MEU (1 DEC - 15 JAN)
II MEF READY ARG	USS WASP (LHD-1)
	USS TRENTON (LPD-14)
	USS PORTLAND (LSD-37)
AIR CONTINGENCY FORCE	
CE	2D MAR
GCE	1/2 (-)(REIN)
ACE	HMLA-269 (REIN)
CSSE	8TH MTB, HQ ELEMENT
FOLLOW-ON ACF	
CE	2D MAR
GCE	3/8(-)(REIN)
ACE	HMLA-167 (REIN)
CSSE	8TH MTB, HQ ELEMENT
III MEF	
WESTPAC CONTINGENCY	31ST MEU(REIN)
GCE	BLT 2/5(REIN)
ACE	HMM-262(REIN)
CSSE	MSSG-31
ALERT CONTINGENCY MAGTF	
CE	DET, HQ, 4TH MAR
GCE	2/6
ACE	MACG-18/1ST STINGER BTRY
CSSE	CSSD - 39
FOLLOW-ON ALERT CONTINGENCY MAGTF	
CE	DET, HQ, 4TH MAR
GCE	3/4

CONTINGENCY FORCES**F****SECRET**

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EXERCISES
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ART RELO 98-4	28 JAN - 5 MAR	CAMP FUJI, JA	T BTRY, 5/10	Live Fire Exercise
COPE TIGER	30 JAN - 23 FEB	KORAT, THAILAND	MAG-12 MALS-12 VMFA-212	Multilateral Air-To-Air FTX

EXERCISES
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I MEF

EXERCISE	DATE	LOCATION	UNITS	REMARKS
CAX 3/4-98	8 JAN - 8 MAR	MCAGCC, 29 PALMS, CA	HMH-363	Assault Support for CAX Exercise
STRIKE FIGHTER TACTICS INSTRUCTOR (SFTI) 2-98	12 JAN - 13 FEB	NAS FALLON	DETS: VMFA(AW)- 242; VMFA(AW)- 121; VMFA-323	SFTI Course
NTC AUGMENTATION	1 - 28 FEB	FT IRWIN, CA	(2) Co 2/4	OpFor augmentation to Army units training at NTC.
MTEX 3-98	2 FEB - 23 MAR	BRIDGEPORT, CA	DET, HMM-166	Troop lift support for MWTC 2-98
JRTC	7 - 18 FEB	FT POLK, LA	DET, 1ST ANGLICO	NGF Liaison support for Joint Readiness Training Center Exercise
NORTHERN EDGE	11 - 23 FEB	FT GREELY/FT WAINWRIGHT, AK	DET, 1ST LAR BN	Cold Weather Harbor Defense & Port Security Exercise

II MEF

EXERCISE	DATE	LOCATION	UNITS	REMARKS
MWTC 2-98	5 JAN - 20 FEB	BRIDGEPORT, CA	CE: HQ, 8TH MAR GCE: 2/8	Mountain Warfare Training (Cold Weather)
CAX 3-98	17 JAN - 7 FEB (FINEX 2 -4 FEB)	MCAGCC, 29 PALMS, CA	CE: HQ, 2D MAR GCE: 1/8(-)(REIN) ACE: MAG-26 CSSE: CSSD-27	Combined Arms Exercise
CAX 4-98	10 FEB - 2 MAR 98 (FINEX 26 - 28 FEB)	MCAGCC, 29 PALMS, CA	CE: HQ, 2D MAR GCE: 1/6(-)(REIN) ACE: MAG-26 CSSE: CSSD-27	Combined Arms Exercise

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NORTHERN EDGE	11 - 23 FEB	FT GREELY/FT WAINWRIGHT, AK	1ST PLATOON, 2D FAST CO	Cold Weather Training and a Harbor Defense & Port Security Exercise in Support of COMUSNAVAK
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III MEF

EXERCISE	DATE	LOCATION	UNITS	REMARKS
GAIT 98-5	2 - 6 FEB	OKINAWA, JA	DET, 1/3 (112 PAX)	Improve proficiency of TACP & Assault Support
FOREST LIGHT II	15 FEB - 1 MAR	OKINAWA, JA	WPNS CO, 1/3	To conduct Company Sized bilateral Cold Weather Training to increase combat readiness & interoperability with Japanese Ground Self Defense Forces

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WORLD WIDE OPERATIONS

*** DENOTES MARINE FORCES CURRENTLY ISO OPERATION**

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WORLD WIDE OPERATIONS

U.S. OPERATIONS (WORLDWIDE)

USSOUTHCOM		
OPERATION	LOCATION	MISSION
SAFE BORDERS	ECUADOR	• PROVIDE SUPPORT TO MAPOBSERVER GROUP OPERATIONS ALONG A PORTION OF DISPUTED ECUADOR - PERU BORDER • VERIFY IMPLEMENTATION OF, AND COMPLIANCE WITH, THE CEASE-FIRE AGREEMENT • FACILITATE DIPLOMATIC RESOLUTION OF THE BORDER DISPUTE
USCENTCOM		
OPERATION	LOCATION	MISSION
SOUTHERN WATCH*	IRAQ	• ENFORCE SOUTHERN NFZ BELOW THE 33D PARALLEL • CONDUCT MILITARY OPERATIONS IN SUPPORT OF UNSCR: - 687 (SOVEREIGNTY OF KUWAIT BORDER) - 688 (REPRESSION OF CIVILIAN POPULATION)
DESERT FOCUS*	SAUDI ARABIA	• CONDUCT CI FORCE PROTECTION OPERATIONS ISO CJTF-SWA • RELOCATION OF MULTI-SERVICE ASSETS/FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT
USCINCEUR		
OPERATION	LOCATION	MISSION
NORTHERN WATCH	NORTHERN IRAQ	• ENFORCE NFZ N 36 DEGREE LATITUDE AGAINST IRAQI MIL A/C • MAINTAIN COALITION SURVEILLANCE AND MONITORING OF IRAQI MILITARY AND GOVERNMENT FORCES IN NORTHERN IRAQ TO DETERMINE IRAQI COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE UNSCR'S.
DETERMINED GUARD	ADRIATIC SEA	MARITIME INTERCEPTION OPS ISO SFOR
DELIBERATE GUARD *	BOSNIA / HERZEGOVINA	• ENFORCE NFZ OVER BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA • PROVIDE AIR SUPPORT TO SFOR • FORMERLY DENY FLIGHT
ABLE SENTRY	MACEDONIA	U.S. FORCES (REIN CO) PROVIDES SUPPORT TO UN OBSERVER MISSION IN FY/ROM MISSION
JOINT GUARD*	BOSNIA / HERZEGOVINA	IMPLEMENTATION OF MILITARY TASKS OF PEACE AGREEMENT UNDER AUTHORITY OF A UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION (CHAPTER VII)
USPACOM		
OPERATION	LOCATION	MISSION
JTF FULL ACCOUNTING*	SOUTHEAST ASIA	SUPPORT NATIONAL EFFORTS FOR THE ACCOUNTING OF POWS/MIAS FROM THE VIETNAM WAR

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INFANTRY BN STATUS

MARINE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (STATUS) (CONT)

MARFORLANT					
UNIT	DEPLOYED (DATE)	COMMITTED 90 DAYS UDP 180 DAYS MEU	RETURNED (WITHIN 60 DAYS)	OPS/ LOCAL TRNG	FUTURE UDP /MEU DEPLOYMENT
1/2				X	<u>UDP</u> JUN - DEC 99 LOCK-ON/MAR 99
2/2		<u>22D MEU</u> JUN - DEC 98			<u>24TH MEU</u> APR 00 - OCT 00 LOCK-ON/OCT 99
3/2		<u>26TH MEU</u> FEB - AUG 98			<u>UDP</u> DEC 99 - JUN 00 LOCK-ON/SEP 99
1/6				X	<u>24TH MEU</u> NOV 98 - MAY 99 LOCK-ON/MAY 98
2/6	<u>UDP</u> DEC 97 - JUN 98				<u>UDP</u> DEC 99 - JUN 00 LOCK-ON/SEP 99
3/6	<u>24TH MEU</u> OCT 97 - MAR 98				<u>22D MEU</u> SEP 99 - MAR 00 LOCK-ON/MAR 99
1/8				X	<u>UDP</u> DEC 98 - JUN 99 LOCK-ON/SEP 98
2/8				X	<u>UDP</u> JUN - DEC 98 LOCK-ON/MAR 98
3/8				X	<u>26TH MEU</u> APR - OCT 99 LOCK-ON/ OCT 98
LANT TOTAL	2	2	0	5	

MARINE CORPS TOTAL					
UNITS	DEPLOYED	COMMITTED	RETURNED (W/IN 60 DAYS)	OPS/ LOCAL TRNG	
24	6	5	1	12	

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INFANTRY BN STATUS

MARINE INFANTRY BATTALIONS (STATUS)

MARFORPAC					
UNIT	DEPLOYED (DATE)	COMMITTED 90 DAYS UDP 180 DAYS MEU	RETURNED (WITHIN 60 DAYS)	OPS/ LOCAL TRNG	FUTURE UDP / MEU DEPLOYMENTS
1/1	<u>13TH MEU</u> AUG 97 - FEB 98				<u>11TH MEU</u> JUN - DEC 99 LOCK-ON/OCT 98
2/1				X	<u>13TH MEU</u> NOV 98 - MAY 99 LOCK-ON/MAY 98
3/1		<u>15TH MEU</u> JUN - DEC 98			<u>13TH MEU</u> FEB 00 - JUL 00 LOCK-ON/JUL 99
1/4		<u>11TH MEU</u> FEB - AUG 98			<u>15TH MEU</u> SEP 99 - MAR 00 LOCK-ON/MAR 99
1/5				X	<u>UDP/ 31ST MEU</u> MAY - NOV 99 LOCK-ON/FEB 99
2/5	<u>UDP / 31ST MEU</u> NOV 97 - MAY 98				<u>UDP</u> NOV 99 - MAY 00 LOCK-ON/NOV 99
3/5				X	<u>UDP / 31ST MEU</u> MAY - NOV 98 LOCK-ON/FEB 98
2/4				X	<u>UDP / 31ST MEU</u> NOV 98 - MAY 99 LOCK-ON/AUG 98
1/7		<u>UDP</u> FEB - AUG 98			<u>UDP</u> FEB - AUG 00 LOCK-ON/NOV 99
2/7				X	<u>UDP</u> AUG 98 - FEB 99 LOCK-ON/MAY 98
3/7				X	<u>UDP</u> FEB - AUG 99 LOCK-ON/NOV98
3/4	<u>UDP</u> AUG 97 - FEB 98				<u>UDP</u> AUG 99 - FEB 00 LOCK-ON/MAY 99
1/3	<u>UDP</u> JAN - AUG 98				<u>UDP</u> OCT 99 - MAR 00 LOCK-ON/AUG 99
2/3			<u>UDP</u> JUL 97 - JAN 98		<u>UDP</u> MAR - OCT 99 LOCK-ON/DEC 98
3/3				X	<u>UDP</u> AUG 98 - MAR 99 LOCK -ON MAY 98
PAC TOTAL	4	3	1	7	

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