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TEXT SOUTH VIETNAMESE SUBJECT% SITREP FOR PERIOD 1800, 3 APR
THROUGH 0600, 4 APR 73 FM% JGS 04 APR 0600 TO% ALL CORPS
AND DIVISIONS NR 069 ((GIST)) 1. TOTAL 64 ENEMY INITIATED
INCIDENTS COUNTRYWIDE A. MR-1% 10; B. MR-2% 11; C. MR-3%
11; D. MR-4% 32; OF ABOVE TOTAL THERE WERE 11 GROUND ATTACKS
AND 42 ABF'S. 2. SIGNIFICANT ACTIONS% A. QUANG NGAI% 021000,
ENEMY STOPPED AND CAPTURED 2 AMERICAN REPORTERS, 1
INTERPRETER
AND 1 VIETNAMESE DRIVER 10KM WEST-SOUTH-WEST OF SON TINH
(BS530745). B. PLEIKU% 031550 THROUGH 031700, ENEMY OF
UNDETERMINED
STRENGTH MADE ABF AND GROUND ATTACK ON THE 62ND RANGER
BATTALION,
1,500M NORTH-EAST OF THANH GIAO (ZA022312); FRIENDLIES
RETURNED
FIRE;88,858-) %-7-)583 - 7 FRIENDLIES WOUNDED. AT 031945
UNDER HEAVY ENEMY PRESSURE THE ABOVE UNIT MOVED BACK TO
ZA032312. C. BINH LONG% BETWEEN 031850 AND 040400 ENEMY
MADE 4 ABF'S, CONSISTING OF 136 ROUNDS OF VARIOUS CALIBER
AND TEAR GAS, INTO FIREBASE TONG LE CHAN CAUSING 6 FRIENDLY
WIA. D. DINH TUONG% 031240 THROUGH 032120, ENEMY OF
UNDETERMINED
STRENGTH ATTACKED UNIT OF THE 74TH REGIONAL FORCE 5KM
NORTH-WEST
OF GIAO DUC (WS938465); FRIENDLIES RETURNED FIRE; 2 FRIENDLY
WIA'S; ENEMY LOST 8 KIA, 3 AK'S, 1 M-16, AND 2 =THOMPSONS=.
AT THE =SMALL THREE-WAY INTERSECTION= OUTPOST, 3KM
SOUTH-WEST
OF SAM GIANG (XS333437), ENEMY ATTACKED; TWO FRIENDLIES
WIA. ENEMY ATTACKED 468TH REGIONAL FORCE 10KM SOUTH-EAST
OF CAI LAY (XS247400); FRIENDLIES SUFFERED 4 KIA, 11 WIA,
AND 1 MIA AND LOST SEVERAL INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS; ENEMY LOST
15 KIA AND SOME SMALL ARMS. TOI% 4 APR 73 0137Z E2 IMPDET
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