

## DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Friday 5 February, 19 65  
(Day) (Date) (Month)AT/PASSAGE FROM South China Sea TO 

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>16° 10.0' N</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	
λ <u>109° 53.0' E</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>16° 20.0' N</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	
λ <u>109° 51.0' E</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>16° 02.5' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 42.0' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

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

## REMARKS

00-04 Steaming in company with USS ERNEST G. SMALL (DD-838) as a unit of Task Force 77 operating off the coast of Viet Nam, in accordance with COMSEVENTHFLT Quarterly Employment Schedule on course 060 speed 12 knots. OTC and SOPA is Commanding Officer USS JOSEPH STRAUSS. Guide is JOSEPH STRAUSS in station 1 of formation. Small is in station 2, 1000 yards astern. Condition of readiness four and material condition Yoke set. Ship darkened except for navigational lights. 0200 C/C by wheeling to 240. 0300 SMALL detached to exercise independently remaining within UHF range. C/C to 100. 0335 C/C TO 0950 C/S TO 16 KTS. 0347 C/C TO 0850 0349 C/S TO 20 KTS

RR Hatch  
LT/USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0402 MADE RENDEZVOUS WITH USS BLUEGILL (AGSS-242). COMMENCED MANEUVERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS PREPARING FOR ASW EXERCISE. 0458 USS BLUEGILL DIVED TO 200 FT. 0507 COMMENCED SINGLE SHIP ASW TACTICS, MANEUVERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS. 0630 COMPLETED THE EXERCISE, SET COURSE 270, SPEED 10 KTS. 0641 USS BLUEGILL ON THE SURFACE. USS SMALL ASSUMED OTC OF THE SUBMARINE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO REMAIN WITHIN VISUAL RANGE OF USS SMALL. 0710 LIGHTED SHIP.

TL JME  
LT USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0755 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEES: NONE. 0936 COMMENCED CLOSING USS SMALL TO EXERCISE AT ASW DUAL SHIP ATTACKS. USS BLUEGILL IS SUBMERGED. 0942 COMMENCED THE EXERCISE. 1148 COMPLETED THE EXERCISE, SET COURSE 270, SPEED 10 KTS. USS BLUEGILL SURFACED.

TL JME  
LT USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1220 C/C TO 200. C/S TO 15 KNOTS. \*1246 STATIONED MANEUVERING TO COME ALONGSIDE STARBOARD SIDE OF USS MACKENZIE (DD-836). 1305 FIRST LINE OVER. 1312 COMMENCED PERSONNEL TRANSFER BY HIGH LINE. 1321 ALL LINES CLEAR. MANEUVERING TO TAKE ST LIFEGUARD STATION 1000 YARDS ASTERN OF USS MACKENZIE. BASE COURSE 230, SPEED 12 KNOTS. 1328 LTJG. BARTLETT ASSUMED THE CONN. 1335 DISENGAGED JACKING GEAR. SHIP DEAD IN THE WATER. COMMENCED TOWING EXERCISE. 1558 ALL LINES CLEAR. *[Signature]*

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*[Signature]* U. S. N. COMMANDING

*[Signature]* U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

\* 1245 Stationed the Replenishment at sea Detail for personnel transfer.