

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG 16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE THURSDAY 18 FEBRUARY 19 65  
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH CHINA SEA TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>15° 40.0' N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
λ <u>110° 17.5' E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>15° 58.5' N</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	
λ <u>109° 57.0' E</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>15° 38.5' N</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	
λ <u>110° 25.0' E</u>	BY <u>1/2</u>	

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING WITH IN COMPANY WITH TASK GROUP 77.7, COMPOSED R/R OF USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS HAMNER (DD 718), USS OBANNON (DD 450) AND THIS SHIP, OPERATING IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH FLEET QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. THIS SHIP IS IN INTERMEDIATE PICKET STATION 21. BASE COURSE 180°, SPEED 14 KNOTS. COMMANDING OFFICER, USS HANCOCK (CVA 19), IS SOPA AND OTC. HANCOCK IS GUIDE BEARING 160°, DISTANCE 8 MILES. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET. SHIP DARKENED EXCEPT FOR RUNNING LIGHTS. 0006 COMMENCED ZIGZAGGING IN ACCORDANCE WITH PLAN 15. BASE COURSE 180°.

RNBurger  
LTJG USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0402 CEASED ZIGZAGGING. SET COURSE 210°. 0416 C/C TO 325°. 0423 RECOMMENCED ZIGZAGGING IN ACCORDANCE WITH PLAN # 15. BASE COURSE 325°. 0727 CEASED ZIGZAGGING. SET COURSE 325°.

Michael R. Brown  
LTJG USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN INTERMEDIATE AAW PICKET STATION BEARING 340, DISTANCE 8 MILES. 0755 MUSTERED THE CROW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. 1120 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO RECEIVE HELICOPTER FROM USS YORKTOWN (CVS-10). 1122 COMPLETED HELICOPTER TRANSFER. MANEUVERING TO REGAIN STATION.

LTJG M. E.  
LT USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS MAINTAINING STATION ON USS HANCOCK BEARING 160 DISTANCE 8 MILES. 1252 MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 320 230, 4000 YARDS FROM GUIDE, USS HANCOCK. 1300 WENT TO GENERAL QUARTERS. 1315 ON STATION. 1329 MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 8 OF 11L13 SCREEN. GUIDE, USS. CANBERRA BEARS 069, 3500 YARDS. 1336 ON STATION. 1349 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 1507 MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 8 OF 11L17 CIRCULAR SCREEN. GUIDE, U.S.S. CANBERRA BEARS 049, 3500 YARDS. 1513 C/E TO 090 1523 C/L TO 010 1526 C/L TO 000. 1530 ON STATION.

R. R. Ratch  
LT USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

B. Keener, Jr. COR U. S. N. COMMANDING

Km Royalty LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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