

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS DDG-16 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE THURSDAY 17 JUNE 19 65  
(Day) (Date) (Month)  
AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH CHINA SEA -TO-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>19°05.0'N</u> BY <u>1/2</u>		
λ <u>106°56.0'E</u> BY <u>1/2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>18°58.0'N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>106°53.0'E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>19°02.5'N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>106°48.0'E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN COMPANY WITH U.S.S. ERNEST G. SMALL (DDR-838) OFF THE COAST OF VIETNAM AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.8 IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. OTC AND SOPA IS COMDESRON THREE EMBARRASSED IN U.S.S. JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16).  
U.S.S. E. G. SMALL (DDR-838) IS GUIDE OF <sup>IN STATION 1</sup> COLUMN FORMATION BEARING 345, DISTANCE 100 YARDS. FORMATION COURSE 345 SPEED 20 KNOTS. CONDITION OF READINESS III AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET. SHIP DARKENED EXCEPT FOR RUNNING LIGHTS.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0415 C/S TO 12 KNOTS. 0500 C/C TO 180. 0639 C/C TO 160. 0615 LIGHTED SHIP. 0639 C/C TO 160. 0719 C/C TO 345°.

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0737 ASSUMED THE GUIDE. U.S.S. ERNEST G. SMALL (DDR-838) MANEUVERED TO TAKE STATION BEARING 090°, DISTANCE 5 MILES. 0755 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTES; NONE. 0832 C/C TO 160°/165. 0840 C/S TO 10 KNOTS. 0905 MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES WHILE PATROLING SAR STATION.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1400 WENT TO GENERAL QUARTERS FOR BURST FIRING DRILL. SET MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA. 1430 COMMENCED FIRING EXERCISE. 1432 COMMENCED FIRING TO PORT. 1512 CEASED FIRE. 1553 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS, SET CONDITION OF READINESS II. AMMUNITION EXPENDED: 16 ROUNDS 5"/54 CAL AAC AND WITH 16 ROUNDS FULL SERVICE SMOKELESS POWDER CARTRIDGES WITH NO CASUALTIES.

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