

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 3 MARCH 19 67
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM GULF OF TONKIN TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L <u>19° 51' 0N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106° 21' 5E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN COMPANY WITH TASK GROUP 77.1, COMPOSED OF USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) (COMMANDING OFFICER AS ~~CTG~~ CTG 77.1 AND CTU 77.1.2 EMBARKED), TASK UNIT 77.1.1 WITH USS PICKING (DD-685) AND USS EDSON (DD-946) (COMDESRON 202 AS CTU 77.1.1 EMBARKED), AND TASK UNIT 77.1.2 WITH USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) (COMDESRON 25 EMBARKED) AND USS BENNER (DD-807). OPERATING AT SEA OFF THE COAST OF NORTH VIETNAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTG 77.1 SERIAL 322-67. THIS SHIP SOPA/OTC IS CTG 77.1/CTU 77.1.2 IN CANBERRA. CANBERRA IS GUIDE BEARING 225° DISTANCE 4,000 YARDS. FORMATION COURSE 270° SPEED 10 KTS. CONDITION OF READINESS THREE AND MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA (MODIFIED) SET. SHIP DARKENED. 2358 CHANGED FORMATION COURSE TO 075°. 0005 DEPARTED STATION TO INVESTIGATE SURFACE CONTACT AT 255° 8,700 YARDS. 0125 255° 20 KTS. 0024 INVESTIGATION OF SURFACE CONTACT EVALUATED AS FISHING BOAT. 0033 044° 25 KTS. PROCEEDING TO STATION. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE REGAINING STATION. 0043 15 KTS BECAUSE OF UNSEATED SAFETY VALVE IN 1A BOILER. 0149 ON STATION GUIDE BEARS 225° DISTANCE 4,000 YARDS. 0159 020° TO AVOID FISHING CRAFT. 0212 079° 0215 ON STATION. 0237 CHANGED FORMATION COURSE TO 090°.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE. WHEN ON STATION USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) BEARS 225° AT 4000 YDS. 0445 270°. 0542 180°. 0616 000°

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE. WHEN ON STATION USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) AS GUIDE BEARS 225° AT 4000 YDS. 0647 FORMATION 180°. 0701 217°, 25 KTS, PROCEEDED TO NEW STATION BEARING 240° RANGE 4000 YDS FROM CANBERRA AS GUIDE. MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION. 0715 OBSERVED SUNRISE. 0718 10 KTS, 180°, ON STATION. 0723 000°, 12 KTS, CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 000°. 0803 FORMATION 270°. 0831 DRAFT REPORT BEFORE REFUELING AND REARMING 14'9" MEAN, DISPLACEMENT 4355 TONS. 0912 RECEIVED DAILY MUSTER REPORT. UNAUTHORIZED ABSENTEES: NONE. 0913 RADAR CONTACT 190° RANGE 800 YDS. 0914 RADAR CONTACT 250°, 700 YDS. MANY CONTACTS IN AREA. 0915 210°, PROCEEDING TO STATION 020°, 4000 YDS FROM GUIDE. 0915 SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS. 0916 250°, RADAR CONTACTS 270° TO 305° RANGE 700 YDS TO 2000 YDS. 0917 12 KTS. 0918 ALL STATIONS MANNED AND READY, MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP.

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