

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 7 APRIL 19 67
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM GULF OF TONKIN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L <u>18° 20' 0N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>107° 55' 0E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L <u>18° 07' 1N</u> BY <u>4</u> λ <u>107° 37' 7E</u> BY <u>4</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L <u>17° 59' 0N</u> BY <u>1 1/2</u> λ <u>108° 06' 5E</u> BY <u>1 1/2</u>		

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN COMPANY WITH TASK GROUP 77.4 COMPOSED OF USS
TICONDEROGA (CVA-14), USS ^{SPROTON} SPROTON (DD-577), AND USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16),
OPERATING AT SEA IN THE GULF OF TONKIN IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM
SEVENTH FLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. THIS SHIP IN STATION
ONE IN BENT LINE SCREEN 3C2. FORMATION COURSE 260°, SPEED 10KTS.
SCREEN AXIS 310°. SOPA/OTC IS CTG 77.4/COMMANDING OFFICER USS TICONDEROGA.
SCREEN COMMANDER IS COMDESRON 25 EMBARKED THIS SHIP. TICONDEROGA IS GUIDE
BEARING 175°, RANGE 4,000 YARDS. CONDITION OF READINESS THREE AND MATERIAL
CONDITION YAKE SET. SHIP DARKENED EXCEPT FOR RUNNING LIGHTS. 0014 FORMATION
C/C 310°. 0053 C/C 130° C/S 25KTS PROCEEDING TO STATION TWO IN BENT
LINE SCREEN 3C2. SCREEN AXIS 135°. WHEN ON STATION GUIDE WILL BEAR 270°
RANGE 4,000 YARDS. 0117 ON STATION. FORMATION C/C 135°. STEERING VARIOUS
COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE MAINTAINING STATION. 0306 FORMATION
C/C 105°. 0348 FORMATION C/C 135°.

T.W. CREWS III
LTJG USN

04-08 Underway as before. 0449 Ck to 220° P&C C/S 10 KTS. Steering various
courses and speed to remain on station 185° 4000 yds from carrier. 0600 C/C
to 145° P&C C/S to 18 KTS proceeding to station for refueling. 0656 C/C to 140° P&C
C/S to 12 KTS on station life guard 1000 yds astern USS Ponchatoula (AO-148).

T.E. WYCALL
LTJG USNR

08-12 Underway as before. Steering various courses at various speeds
to maintain station on designated guide as follows: 0655 Set the
special Sea and Replenishment detail. Commenced preparations for
refueling from USS Ponchatoula (AO-148). 0710 Commenced approach
0713 On station along port side starboard side of Ponchatoula on
course 140° speed 12 knots. Ticonderoga alongside to port of the
oiler. First line over. 0716 Received first fuel hose. 0721 Commenced
receiving fuel. 0747 Fueling completed. 0755 All lines and hoses
clear Maneuvering to clear starboard side of Ponchatoula. 0757
Secured the replenishment detail. 0758 Proceeding to plane
guard station 1000 yards astern of Ticonderoga on base
course 300° speed 15 knots. 0803 On station. 0806 Proceeding
to daytime patrolling station 3000 to 4500 yards ahead of
the carrier, patrolling a sector 30° to either side of base
course 300° base speed 15 knots. 0846 Proceeding to plane guard
station, base course 150° base speed 23 knots. 0901 On station.
0926 Proceeding to patrol station C 300° S 15 knots. 1008
Sounded General Quarters. Class B fire reported in hangar bay

EXAMINED

W.K. Gray LTJG U. S. N. NAVIGATOR