

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 29 JANUARY 19 65  
(Day) (Date) (Month)  
AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH CHINA SEA TO TO

| POSITION              | ZONE          | TIME |
|-----------------------|---------------|------|
| 0800                  |               |      |
| L <u>17° 02.0' N</u>  | BY <u>1/2</u> |      |
| λ <u>109° 37.0' E</u> | BY <u>1/2</u> |      |

| POSITION              | ZONE          | TIME |
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| 1200                  |               |      |
| L <u>16° 44.0' N</u>  | BY <u>1/2</u> |      |
| λ <u>109° 41.0' E</u> | BY <u>1/2</u> |      |

| POSITION              | ZONE        | TIME |
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| 2000                  |             |      |
| L <u>16° 57.5' N</u>  | BY <u>1</u> |      |
| λ <u>109° 35.5' E</u> | BY <u>1</u> |      |

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

## REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING IN COMPANY WITH TASK GROUP 77.4 OPERATING IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT OPORD & QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. THIS SHIP IN STATION 8 OF A 7VIA (MODIFIED) DISPOSITION. PIM IS 350°, SPEED 12. WHEN ON STATION DISPOSITION CENTER BEARS 160°, 70 MILES. DISPOSITION AXIS 340° BASE COURSE 350°, SPEED 12 KNOTS. SOPA AND OTC IS GTF/CTF77/CTG 77.4 EMBARKED IN USS RANGER (CVA-61). CONDITIONS OF READINESS FOUR AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO SET. SHIP DARKENED (EXCEPT FOR RUNNING LIGHTS). 0056 1/2 TO 000°. INVESTIGATING FOUR UNIDENTIFIED SURFACE CONTACTS. 4470 0102 1/2 TO 010 1/2 TO 18 KNOTS. 0115 1/2 TO 350° 1/2 TO 12 KNOTS. CONTACTS IDENTIFIED. AS U. S. NAVAL VESSELS.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0712 NIGHTED SHIP

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0741 MANEUVERED TO STANDBY STATION ASTERN OF USS GUADALOUPE (AO-32) ON COURSE 110, SPEED 10 KNOTS. 0749 COMMENCED APPROACH TO STARBOARD SIDE OF OILER, WEAPONS OFFICER CONNING. 0758 RECEIVED FIRST FUEL HOSE. 0759 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL. 0820 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUE FUELING COMPLETED. COMMENCED HIGH LINE GAN TRANSFER OF EXERCISE OBSERVERS TO GUADALOUPE. 0825 TRANSFER COMPLETE. 0829 ALL LINES AND HOSES CLEAR. MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS A TO TAKE STATION BEARING 180, DISTANCE 15 MILES FROM GUADALOUPE. 0901 COMMENCED EXERCISE 2-10-CC. MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS AS EXERCISE TARGET SHIP. 1009 EXERCISE COMPLETED. MANEUVERING TO TAKE STANDBY STATION ASTERN OF GUADALOUPE ON COURSE 180, SPEED 15 KNOTS. 1046 COMMENCED APPROACH TO STARBOARD SIDE OF OILER, OOD CONNING. 1055 COMMENCED HIGH LINE TRANSFER OF EXERCISE OBSERVERS. 1057 TRANSFER COMPLETED. 1059 ALL LINES CLEAR, MANEUVERING TO CLEAR OILER. 1105 SET COURSE 320, SPEED 8 KNOTS.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1314 1/2 TO 030° 1404 MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES WHILE TRAINING HELMSMAN. 1529 Secured from helmsman training; set course 030.

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18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1930 1/2 TO 200°

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