

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY 21 MAY, 19 67
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM OPERATING OFF THE COAST OF NORTH VIETNAM

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L <u>19°52.1'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°19.6'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L <u>19°37.8'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°04.0'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L <u>19°31.0'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°04.3'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TU 77.1.4 COMPOSED OF THIS SHIP AND USS BLUE (DD-744), WITH CTU 77.1.4 EMBARKED THIS SHIP, ENGAGED IN COASTAL SURVEILLANCE FROM 19°30' TO 20°00' N. USS BLUE IS IN STATION 190° AT 2000 YDS. THIS SHIP IS GUIDE. SOPA AND DTC IS COMDESDIV 92/CTU 77.1.4. CONDITION OF READINESS THREE AND MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA (MODIFIED) IS SET. SHIP IS DARKENED. STEERING COURSE 180° AT 12 KTS. 0050 °C TO 300°. 0120 °C TO 010°. 0200 °C TO 15 KTS. 0235 °C TO 055°. 0315 °C TO 235°.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0357 WENT TO GENERAL QUARTERS FOR GUNFIRE MISSION. 0401 ALL STATIONS MANNED AND READY. MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. MANEUVERING TO CONDUCT GUNFIRE MISSION. 0422 °C 30 KTS, °C 250°. 0437 COMMENCED SUPPRESSION DEAD AHEAD. 0441 °C 19 KTS. 0442 °C 188°. FIRING TO PORT. 0458 °C 32 KTS, °C 090°. CEASED FIRING, OBSERVED NO COUNTERBATTERY FIRE. RETIRING TO SEAWARD. 0510 °C 20 KTS. 0512 SET MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA (MODIFIED) THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. 0517 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS, SET CONDITION III. 0518 °C 15 KTS.

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04-08 (Continued) Underway as before. 0538 °C to 330°. 0559 °C to 5 knots. 0614 °C to 15 knots. 0630 °C to 010°. 0652 °C to 045°. 0700 °C to 8 knots. 0715 °C to 045°. 12 knots. 0744 °C to 045°. 07C

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. * LATE ENTRY AMMUNITION EXPENDED FOR EARLY MORNING GUNFIRE MISSION. 137 ROUNDS 5"/54 CAL. HIGH EXPLOSIVE PROJECTILES WITH 137 ROUNDS FULL SERVICE SMOKELESS (FLASHLESS) POWDER CARTRIDGES WITH 5 CASUALTIES. 0900 °C to 225°. 0906 °C to 230°. 1019 °C to 253°. °C to 20 KTS. 1021 °C to 25 KTS, proceeding to investigate surface contacts. 1044 °C to 190°, °C to 15 KTS. 1048 commenced firing to starboard. 1102 ceased fire, 28 rounds HE and 26 rounds HE expended. 1104 °C 120°, °C to 20 KTS. 1108 °C to 12 KTS. 1113 °C to 213°. 1121 °C to 220°. 1151 °C to 020°.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1229 °C TO 015°. 1230 °C TO 025°. 1232 °C TO 020°. 1255 °C TO 025°. 1323 °C TO 255°. 1357 °C TO 190°. 1358 °C TO 180°. 1359 °C TO 175°. °C TO 180°. 1400 °C TO 190°. 1415 °C TO 210°.

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