

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG 16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 5 MAY 19 67
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH CHINA SEA TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS A MEMBER OF TASK UNIT 70.8.9 OFF THE NORTHERN COAST OF SOUTH VIET NAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH ^{FLT} QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. ^{OTC} SORA IS CTU 70.8.9/CDD 192 EMBARKED IN USS HENDERSON (DD 785). SORA IS COMMANDING OFFICER THIS SHIP. THIS SHIP PROVIDING H + F FIRE AGAINST SHORE TARGETS IN SOUTH VIET NAM FROM A 310°/130° TRACK APPROXIMATELY 10000 YDS OFF SHORE BASE SPEED 6 KNOTS. CONDITION OF READINESS II AND MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA ^(MODIFIED) ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. 0004 COMMENCED FIRE. 0148 CEASED FIRE. 41 ROUNDS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE FPDW EXPENDED. 9/5 25 KTS, PROCEEDING TO INVESTIGATE CONTACT. 0152 9/130° CONTACT BEING INVESTIGATED REPORTED TO BE SHIP FIRING ON BEACH. NO SHIP KNOWN TO BE STATIONED THERE. RANGE TO CONTACT 15 MILES. 0242 9/320° 9/5 15 KTS, PROCEEDING BACK TO STATION. CONTACT UNDER INVESTIGATION NOT FOUND. 0257 9/300° 9/5 5 KTS, PROCEEDING TO INVESTIGATE CONTACT. 0302 ILLUMINATED VIETNAMESE SMALL CRAFT. 0303 9/320°. 0306 9/5 15 KTS, RETURNING TO STATION. 0329 ON STATION. 9/315° 9/5 5 KTS. 0335 COMMENCED FIRING TO PORT.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0410 9/305°. 0443 9/302°. 0508 CEASED FIRE. COMPLETED FIRING TO PORT. AMMUNITION EXPENDED: 65 ROUNDS 5"/54 CAL HIGH EXPLOSIVE SPDW PROJECTILES WITH 65 ROUNDS NON FLASHLESS POWDER CARTRIDGES WITH NO CASUALTIES. 0516 9/128°. 0539 9/166°. PROCEEDING TO RECOVER NAVIGATIONAL BOUY. 0542 9/164°. STATIONED RECOVERY DETAIL ON FORECASTLE. 0615 BOUY ON DECK. ANCHOR CLEAR OF WATER. 0617 9/323° 9/5 5 KTS, PROCEEDING TO STATION. 0652 9/5 14 KNOTS. 0655 9/082.

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0700 PROCEEDING TO RENDEZVOUS WITH USS VIRGO (AE-30). 0705 9/5 20 KTS, 9/070°. 0710 STATIONED UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT DETAIL FOR REARMING. 0727 COMMENCED APPROACH TO VIRGO. 0730 ALONGSIDE OUR STBD SIDE TO VIRGO. BASE COURSE 010°. BASE SPEED 12 KTS. MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION ALONGSIDE. FIRST LINE OVER. 0741 COMMENCED RECEIVING AMMUNITION. RECEIVING MAIL, TRANSFERRING MOVIES, RETURNING BRASS. 0830 COMPLETED ALL TRANSFERS. ALL LINES CLEAR. 0831 9/5 25 KTS, 9/005°. PROCEEDING TO POINT ALFA. 0832 SECURED REPLENISHMENT AT SEA DETAIL FOR REARMING. 0834 ON STATION ALFA. MANEUVERING IN VICINITY OF STATION. 1026 RECEIVED DAILY MUSTER REPORT. UNAUTHORIZED ABSENTEES: NONE. 1141 PLACED NAVIGATIONAL BOUY IN WATER. *LATE ENTRY: AT 0650 HORNE, JAMES R., 913 74 31, SN, USN, WAS CARRYING ONE END OF A LARGE MEDAL BOX, WHEN ONE OF THE OTHER MEN HELPING CARRY IT SLIPPED AND THE BOX FELL ON MAN'S GREAT LEFT TOE. INJURY NOT DUE TO HIS OWN MISCONDUCT. TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY WEBSTER, J.A., HMC, USN. DISPOSITION: BINNACLE LIST WITH FOOT ELEVATED.

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