

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WEDNESDAY 18 SEPTEMBER 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM TONKIN GULF - SEA DRAGON TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>15°26'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°12'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>18°30.2'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°53.4'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>18°25'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°12'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

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

REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE AS A MEMBER OF TU 77.1.1 SOPA AND OTC IS CTU 77.1.1, COMDESRON 11, EMBARKED THIS SHIP. CONDITION OF READINESS THREE AND MATERIAL CONDITION MODIFIED ZEBRA SET. THE SHIP IS DARKENED. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT A BASE SPEED OF 15 KNOTS IN ANTI-WBLC SURVEILLANCE PATROL. 0006 C/C TO 302 PROCEEDING TO AREA C-3. 0045 C/C TO 298°. 0103 C/C TO 318°. 0127 C/C TO 312° PROCEEDING TO AREA C-2. 0200 C/C TO 142° 0205 COMMENCED BT DROP. 0208 SECURED FROM BT DROP. 0210 C/C TO 140° 0224 C/C TO 314° 0248 C/C TO 143° 0255 C/C TO 140° 0314 C/C TO 312° 0336 C/C TO 141° 0344 C/C TO 320° 0401 C/C TO 147°

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANUEVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES WHILE PATROLLING AREA C-2. 0530 PROCEEDING TO AREA C-4. 0622 MANUEVERING IN AREA C-4.

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0723 PROCEEDING TO PATROL AREA C-3. 0808 C/C TO 119° HEADING FOR FIRING MISSION AREA. 0810 WENT TO GENERAL QUARTERS. 0815 MANUEVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE CARRYING OUT MISSION. 0839 COMMENCED FIRING. 0857 COMPLETED FIRING. EXPENDED 25 ROUNDS OF 5" 154 CAL. HIGH EXPLOSIVE 14P AMMUNITION. 0910 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 0913 C/C TO 107° SPEED 27 KTS. PROCEEDING TO RENDEZVOUS WITH THE USS HALEAKALA (AE-25) AND THE USS KENNEDY (AO-36) FOR REARMING AND REFUELING. 1013 C/C TO 076° 1033 SET THE HELO DETAIL. 1042 SECURED THE HELO DETAIL. APPROACHING THE USS KENNEDY (AO-36), UNREP COURSE 330°, SPEED 12 KTS. 1100 ALONGSIDE THE USS KENNEDY, STBD SIDE TO, REFUELING DETAIL SET. 1106 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL. 1153 SECURED PUMPING. 1159 ALL LINES CLEAR, PROCEEDING TO USS HALEAKALA (AE-25) TO REARM.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1200 SECURED REFUELING DETAIL, SET THE REARMING DETAIL. 1210 IN WAITING STATION. 1228. ALONGSIDE USS HALEAKALA (AE-25) FOR REARMING ON BASE COURSE 330° BASE SPEED 11 KTS. 1238 COMMENCED REARMING. 1253 RECEIVED FINAL LOAD. 1302

EXAMINED

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