

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 17 DECEMBER 19 68  
(Day) (Date) (Month)  
AT/PASSAGE FROM IV CORPS, SOUTH VIETNAM TO CAM RAHN BAY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>11 14.7N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>109 10.7E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>11 59.9N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>109 35 E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>14 28.9N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>109 27.6E</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 70.8.9. STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY ENROUTE FROM IV CORPS, SOUTH VIETNAM TO CAM RAHN BAY. SOPA IS COMDESDIV 362 EMBARKED THIS SHIP. OTC IS C.O. JOSEPH STRAUSS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO IS SET. CONDITION OF READINESS IS THREE. THE SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 1A AND 2B BOILERS ARE ON THE LINE. THE PLANT IS SPLIT. ALL FOUR GENERATORS ARE IN PARALLEL. 0012 % TO 033°. BASE SPEED 15 KTS. 0141 % TO 010°. 0152 % TO 044°. 0236 % TO 085°. 0247 % TO 051°.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0415 % TO 070°. 0624 % TO 042°. 0658 % TO 040°.

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0748 % TO 10 KTS. 0754 % TO 19 KTS. 0810 % TO 030°. 0848 % TO 028°. 0902 % TO 17 KTS, % TO 030°. 0945 SET THE HIGHLINE DETAIL. 0950 % TO 11 KTS. 0951 % TO 035°. 1002 USS R. WILSON (DD-847) MAKING ITS APPROACH TO OUR STBD. SIDE. 1003 ALONGSIDE USS WILSON. FIRST LINE OVER. 1013 COMDESDIV 362 AND STAFF DEPARTED THIS SHIP BY HIGHLINE TO USS WILSON. 1109 ALL LINES CLEAR. 1112 % TO 18 KTS. 1115 % TO 008°. 1140 % TO 022°.

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12-16 Underway as before. 1235 % TO 007°. 1352 % TO 12 KTS. 1359 % TO 18 KTS. % TO 004°. 1539 % TO 007°.

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16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1539 % TO 007°. 1611 % TO 20 KTS. 1620 % TO 345°. 1623 % TO 25 KTS. 1710 % TO 352°. 1725 PASSED NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER SS. ATNA ABEAM TO PORT AT 2 MILES SHOWING NOT UNDER COMMAND SHAPES. SS FLYING DRAGON APPEARS TO BE STANDING BY.

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