

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION - 8H DATE WEDNESDAY 18 DECEMBER 19 68  
(Day) (Date) (Month)  
AT/PASSAGE FROM IV Corps, RVN TO KAOSIUNG, TAIWAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>16°53'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>110°08'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>17°23'N</u>	BY <u>1,2</u>	
λ <u>111°03'E</u>	BY <u>1,2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>18°12'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>112°27'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 IN THE SOUTH  
CHINA SEA ENROUTE TO KAOSIUNG, TAIWAN. SOPA AND OTC  
IS COMMANDING OFFICER JOSEPH STRAUSS. MATERIAL CONDITION  
YOKE AND CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR ARE SET. THE SHIP'S  
DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NAVIGATION LIGHTS.  
BASE COURSE 351°. BASE SPEED 25 KTS. 2357 STATIONED  
THE REPLENISHMENT DETAIL. 0010 C/C TO 327° 0013 C/C TO  
340° 0016 C/C TO 345° C/S TO 17 KTS 0017 C/C TO 335° 0019 C/C  
TO 324° 0021 COMMENCING APPROACH FOR REFUELING WITH  
USS MATAPONI (AO 41). STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS  
SPEEDS WHILE REFUELING. 0201 ALL LINES CLEAR. C/S TO  
20 KTS. 0214 C/C TO 064° 0215 C/S TO 15 KTS.

*J. A. Collins*  
J. A. COLLINS  
LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0707 C/C TO 045° 0723 C/C TO  
064°. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. 0745 C/S TO 6 KTS  
0754 C/S TO 15 KTS, 0759 C/C TO 061°

*M. Merchant*  
MG MERCHANT, LT, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

*G. A. Long*  
G. A. LONG - R  
LT. USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1300 GENERAL QUARTERS TO CONDUCT SIMULATED  
NUCLEAR ATTACK DRILL. 1435 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS 1505 C/C TO 241°  
1535 C/C TO 061°.

*N. Clark*  
V. CLARK  
LT USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

*J. A. Collins*  
J. A. COLLINS  
LT USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2000 C/S TO 6 KTS 2007 C/S TO 15 KTS

*M. Merchant*  
MG MERCHANT  
LT USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2242 C/C TO 068°.

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G. A. LONG - R  
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