

# DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 22 OCTOBER 19 68  
 (Day) (Date) (Month)  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>18° 40.6' N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>107° 31.6' E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>18° 18' N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>107° 24.5' E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>18° 58' N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>107° 41.8' E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

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

## REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE AS A MEMBER OF TG 77.6. SOPA IS COMCARDIN III AND OTC IS CTG 77.6.1. STEAMING IN COMPANY WITH TASK GROUP 77.6 COMPOSED OF USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) AND USS STODDARD (DD-566) OPERATING IN THE GULF OF TONKIN. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION 3SNX FROM CORAL SEA. FORMATION BASE COURSE IS 070°, BASE SPEED 18 KNOTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET AND AM AT CONDITION OF READINESS THREE. SHIP IS DARKENED EXCEPT FOR RUNNING LIGHTS. SCREEN COMMANDER IS COMDESRON ELEVEN EMBARKED THIS SHIP. 0027 REORIENTED FORMATION AXIS TO 190°, 16 KNOTS. CHANGED FORMATION TO 3C2. ASSUMED POSITION ONE IN THAT SCREEN. 0029 MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ONE OF FORMATION 3C2.

J. A. Collins  
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 LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION. 0523 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION 2 IN A 3C2 FORMATION, FORMATION AXIS AND COURSE 000° T. 0600 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO STATION 2SNX, WITH USS CORAL SEA BEARING 000° T, DISTANCE 1500 YARDS. FORMATION SPEED 16 KTS.

W. Claude  
W. CLARK  
 LT, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1101 SET HELO DETAIL. MANEUVERING OUT OF STATION TO RECEIVE HELO. 1133 SECURED THE HELO DETAIL. MANEUVERING TO RESUME STATION. 1143 ON STATION ASTERN OF CORAL SEA.

R. K. DRIVER  
 LTJG. USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION 2SNX ON USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) CRUISING IN STATION OSCAR OF A DISPOSITION 7V1A CENTERED 18°25' N 107°30' E. 1409 SET THE HELO DETAIL. 1446 SECURED THE HELO DETAIL.

M. G. Merchant  
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 LT USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANEUVERING VARIOUS COURSES AND

EXAMINED

W. J. Jones

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR