

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

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

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>18°28.4'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°15.7'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>18°30'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°14'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>18°15'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>106°02.3'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

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

REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY IAN COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT
 SCHEDULE AS A MEMBER OF TV 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. 0006 COMPLETED WBLK INTERDICTION
 MISSION. FIRED 82 ROUNDS OF 5"/54 CAL HIGH EXPLOSIVE PROJECTILES
 AND CARTRIDGES. 0008 Y/C TO 050°. 0014 Y/C TO 130°. BASE SPEED
 15 KTS. ASSIGNED TO WBLK PATROL AREA 5. 0124 PROCEEDING
 TO WBLK PATROL AREA 3. 0257 PROCEEDING TO PATROL AREA C-1.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0445 PROCEEDING TO AREA C-2.
 0507 IN AREA C-2. 0511 Y/C TO 138°. 0522 MADE SWING TO PORT TO
 CHECK EFFECT OF ANTENNA LOCATION ON ROMEO EIGHT CIRCUIT. 0534
 Y/C TO 312°. 0600 C/C TO 142°. 0605. PROCEEDING TO AREA C-3.
 0623, ENTERED AREA C-3. 0647 C/C TO 310°. 0704 PROCEEDING
 TO AREA C-4. C/C TO 130.°

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MANUEVERING WITHIN AREA C-4. 0948 FIRED 2 RDS
 5"/54 PROJECTILES AND CARTRIDGES AT SMALL ISLAND FOR CALIBRATION CHECK.
 1017 REASSIGNED TO AREA C-5. PROCEEDING AT 22 KTS. 1040 WENT TO GENERAL
 QUARTERS. CONDITION ZEBRA SET. MANUEVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS
 TO FIRE ON SON KINH HIGHWAY BRIDGE. 1108 COMMENCED FIRING. 1127 MTS2 HAS
 CASUALTY IN HYDRAULIC LINE. 1132 CEASED FIRING. 1137 SET CONDITION YOKE
 1143 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. AMMUNITION EXPENDED: 61 RDS 5"/54
 CAL PROJECTILES AND CARTRIDGES. PROCEEDING TO PATROL AREA C-3, COURSE
 280°, SPEED 15 KTS.

R.K. DRIVER

LTJG USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1206 Y/C TO 311°. 1220 Y/C TO 318°,
 COMMENCED PATROLING AREA C-1. 1450 PROCEEDING SOUTH TO
 PATROL AREA C-5. 1501 SET THE HELO DETAIL. 1513 SECURED
 THE HELO DETAIL. 1545 ENTERED PATROL AREA C-5.

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16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1610 SET GENERAL QUARTERS. STEERING
 VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE PROSECUTING TARGET.

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