

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS JOSEPH STRAUSS DDG-16 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WEDNESDAY 4 DECEMBER 19 68  
(Day) (Date) (Month)  
AT/PASSAGE FROM IV CORPS SOUTH VIETNAM TO \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L <u>09°30.9'N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>106°35'E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L <u>09°38.9'N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>106°54.2'E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L <u>09°58.4'N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>107°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. STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY. SOPA IS COMDESDIV 362 EMBARKED THIS SHIP. OTC IS C.O. JOSEPH STRAUSS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE AND CONDITION OF READINESS THREE ARE SET. THE SHIP IS OPERATING AS A UNIT OF TU 70.8.9. PRESENTLY ENGAGED IN A HARASSMENT AND INTERDICTION MISSION. 1B AND 2A BOILERS ARE ON THE LINE AS ARE ALL FOUR GENERATORS. PLANT SPLIT. COURSES AND SPEEDS VARIOUS WHILE MAINTAINING FIRING TRACK. ~~0259~~ CEASED FIRING. EXPENDED 40 RDS 5"/54 CAL AMMUNITION WITH NO CASUALTIES. ~~0301~~ STEADIED ~~068°~~, SPEED 12 KTS TO RETIRE FROM FIRING AREA. ~~0312~~ %C TO ~~067°~~ ~~0330~~ %C TO ~~066°~~ ~~0340~~ %C TO ~~090°~~.

*R.K. DRIVER*  
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~~04-07~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~0440~~ %C TO 270°. ~~0534~~ %C TO 090°. ~~0600~~ %C TO 270°. ~~0610~~ %C TO 267°. ~~0635~~ %C TO 262°. ~~0642~~ %C TO 264°. ~~0648~~ %S TO 10 KTS. ~~0652~~ %S TO 5 KTS. SET THE ANCHOR DETAIL. ~~0655~~ %S TO 3 KTS.

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LT USN

~~07-12~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~0701~~ %C 270° ~~0703~~ %C 5 KTS. ~~0704~~ OBSERVED SUNRISE, TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE PROCEEDING TO ANCHORAGE ~~0706~~ ANCHORED AT LATITUDE ~~09°27.5'N~~ LONGITUDE ~~106°32.5'E~~ IN 38 FT OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH 45 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR HAWSEPIPE. ~~0801~~ LIGHTED FIRES UNDER 1A BOILER ~~0823~~ SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS ~~0828~~ MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ~~0911~~ COMMENCED FIRING ON A SPOTTED NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORT MISSION. EXPENDED 39 ROUNDS OF 5"/54 CALIBER AMMUNITION ~~0958~~ 1A BOILER BROUGHT ON THE LINE ~~1003~~ LET FIRES DIE UNDER 1B BOILER ~~1029~~ MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP ~~1033~~ ANCHOR AWEIGH, UNDERWAY ~~1035~~ %S 3 KTS ~~1037~~ KTS SET COURSE ~~062°~~ ~~1044~~ %S 12 KTS ~~1109~~ %S 25 KTS.

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LT. USN

~~12-16~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~1206~~ %S TO 20 KTS %C TO 080°. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE MANEUVERING TO CONE ALONGSIDE USS CHEMUNG (AO-41). ~~1216~~ ALONGSIDE

EXAMINED

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