

COMMANDER NAVAL CONSTRUCTION BATTALIONS
UNITED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET
DAVISVILLE, RHODE ISLAND

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From: Commander Naval Construction Battalions, U.S. Atlantic Fleet
To: Commanding Officer, U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion SEVEN

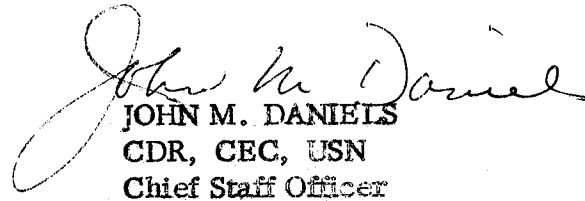
Subj: COMCBLANT Operation Order 24-64; forwarding of

Ref: (a) COMCBLANTINST 3121.3A

Encl: (1) COMCBLANT OPORD 24-64 w/Annexes A, B, C, and X

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosure (1) is forwarded for execution by the Commanding Officer, MCB SEVEN.

By direction of the Commander:


JOHN M. DANIELS
CDR, CEC, USN
Chief Staff Officer

Copy to:
(See Annex X of encl (1))

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REFERENCES: (a) COMCBLANTINST 3121.3A
(b) COMCBLANTINST 1050.3F
(c) CINCLANTFLTINST 03123.11

TASK ORGANIZATION: MCB SEVEN (Herein known as the Battalion)

1. SITUATION. Peacetime deployment and employment of Naval Construction Battalions requires continuing rotation of units in the Atlantic area with emphasis on mobility and readiness. Accordingly, it is necessary to move the Battalion from the U.S. Naval Construction Battalion Center, Davisville, R.I., to the U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C. in August 1964 for military training, under the following conditions:

a. Enemy forces. None.

b. Friendly forces:

SERVLANT	CBC DAVISVILLE
FMFLANT	MARCORBASE, CAMLEJ
NALCOLANT	

2. MISSION. Pursuant to reference (a), the Battalion is to deploy to CAMLEJ in conjunction with military training requirements for the operational readiness of Naval Construction Battalions in support of U.S. Atlantic Fleet activities.

3. EXECUTION. When directed in August, the Battalion will depart from CBC Davisville and will deploy to CAMLEJ for a period of approximately six weeks. During this time the following minimum readiness conditions will be maintained by the Battalion:

a. While in transit, be capable of being organizationally redeployed or dispersed within 72 hours to emergency, contingency, or mobilization assignments.

b. While on deployment site, be capable of being organizationally redeployed within 10 days.

c. During the deployment period, the Battalion will take maximum advantage of available facilities in order to improve its operational preparedness through improvement of its materiel condition and prosecution of a vigorous training program in accordance with the training assignment of Annex A, including conducting continuing preparations for immediate redeployment.

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4. ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS:

- a. The standard operational procedures set forth by reference (a) will be followed.
- b. Leave shall be administered in accordance with reference (b).
- c. Make movement reports in accordance with reference (c).
- d. Equipment assignment is made by Annex B.

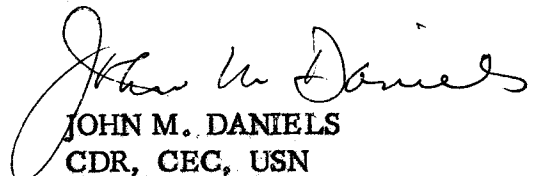
5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL :

- a. The Commanding Officer is hereby directed to report to the Commanding General, Marine Corps Base, CAMLEJ in accordance with Article 1324, U.S. Navy Regulations.
- b. Authority to deploy an Advance Party is hereby granted.
- c. The Battalion is authorized direct liaison with the Commanding General, MAR-CORBASE, CAMLEJ, and component activities.

ANNEXES:

- A - TRAINING
- B - EQUIPMENT ASSIGNMENT
- C - PUBLIC INFORMATION
- X - DISTRIBUTION LIST

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ANNEX A
TRAINING

REFERENCE: (a) COMCBLANTINST 3121.3A

1. In accordance with reference (a), the Battalion will undergo training at CAMLEJ, during the period 3 August - 11 September. The training will be scheduled as follows:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PERIOD</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>HOST UNIT</u>
Basic unit training for the Battalion, less specialized training:			
3-14 Aug	2 weeks	Individual Combat Training (to include FMSS presentation)	1st ITR
17-28 Aug	2 weeks	Advance Combat Training	1st ITR
31 Aug-4 Sep	1 week	Rifle and Pistol Qualification Firing (Navy "F" and "E" Courses)	Rifle Range Det
7-11 Sep	1 week	FEX	3rdBn, 8thMar, 2ndMarDiv
Battalion officer/selected PO's orientation, approximately 10 officers and 10 key enlisted:			
10 Aug	1/2 day	Visit Division Mount-out	SvcBn, 2dMarDiv
11 Aug	1/2 day	Force Engineer Presentation	ForTrps, FMFLant
12 Aug	1/2 day	Division Engineer Presentation	2ndMarDiv
13 Aug	1/2 day	Bulk Fuel System Presentation	2d FSR
14 Aug	1/2 day	Logistic Support in Amphibious Operating Area	2d FSR
17 Aug	1/2 day	Organization and Mission of Marine Corps Engineer Elements	MCES
20-21 Aug	2 days	Non-standard Bridging, Inert Gas Weldings, SATS FAM	MCES
27-28 Aug	2 days	Battalion Staff Procedures	3dBn, 8thMar, 2dMarDiv
1-2 Sep	1/2 day	Mines, Demolitions, Camouflage and Field Fortifications	MCES

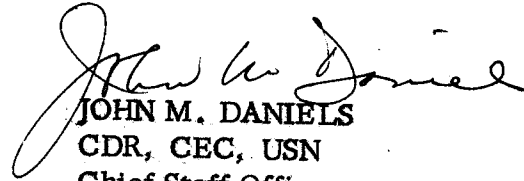
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Specialized Group Training:				
3-7 Aug	1 week	Unit Instructor Course	14	MCSS
3-28 Aug	4 weeks	Field Messing/Cooking	20	MCSS
3 Aug-4 Sep	5 weeks	Field Medical Training	2/4	FMSS
6-7 Aug	1/2 day	1/2 Battalion each day for FMSS Presentation	1/2 Bn	FMSS
17-28 Aug	2 weeks	Communications School	40	8thComm, FT
17-28 Aug	7 days	81mm Mortars Training	80	1st ITR
17-25 Aug	7 days	106mm Recoilless Rifle Training	60	1st ITR
17-20 Aug	4 days	Mine Warfare	30	MCES
17-28 Aug	2 weeks	Unit Instructor Course	14	MCSS
17-21 Aug	5 days	Inert Gas Welding	5	MCES
21 Aug	1 day	Rigging	30	
24-28 Aug	5 days	Demolitions (same men for Mines, Rigging and Demolitions)	30	2dEngBn, 2dMarDiv
24-28 Aug	5 days	Standard Bridging	20	MCES
24 Aug	1 day	Camouflage	30	MCES
26-28 Aug	3 days	Operation and Maintenance of 6000#RT Forklift	10	MCES
26-28 Aug	3 days	81mm Mortar Tactical Training	80	3dBn, 8th Mar, 2dMarDiv
26-28 Aug	3 days	106mm Recoilless Rifle Tactical Training	60	3dBn, 8thMar, 2dMarDiv
7-11 Sep	4 days	STATS Medical Training	20	FMSS
Individual on-the-job Training:				
3-28 Aug	4 weeks	Small Arms Repairman	3	1st ITR
3-28 Aug	4 weeks	Field Communications Repair and Maintenance	1	8thComm Bn, ForTrps

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NOTE: The NCO Leadership School requested for the periods 7 - 14 August and 14 - 28 August cannot be provided because of classes previously scheduled during the desired periods.

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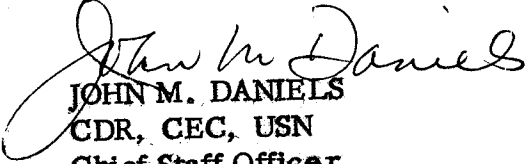
ANNEX B
USN EQUIPMENT ASSIGNMENT

REFERENCES: (a) COMCBLANTINST 11261.5
(b) COMCBLANTINST 11260.1A

1. The USN equipment authorized for deployment with the Battalion at CAMLEJ is listed by the EAM listing.
2. Any item of USN equipment in the custody of the Battalion for this field training and not listed shall be reported. A verified copy of the list shall be returned to COMCBLANT (Code 41) promptly.
3. Reference (a) sets forth the responsibilities for custody, maintenance, and disposition of the equipment. Reference (b) sets forth the requirements for control and management reporting on the equipment monthly.
4. Upon completion of the field training at CAMLEJ, the equipment listed shall be promptly returned to the CBLANT Ready Line at CBC Davisville. At that time, the Battalions will conduct a joint inspection in conjunction with CBC (CED) to effect sub-custody transfer. Necessary forms for this transfer action will be furnished by this Headquarters (Code 41). A copy of the executed form on each piece of USN equipment must be returned for the files of COMCBLANT. At the time of sub-custody transfer, a completed shop repair or (NavDocks 1948) for each piece of equipment showing parts required (by manufacturers' part number) and work necessary to place it in 0-1 condition will be submitted to CBC (CED), with an information copy attached to the COMCBLANT copy of the sub-custody transfer form.
5. The EAM listing will be forwarded to the following addressees under separate cover:

COMSERVLANT
BUDOCKS (Code 50.200)
CO, MCB SEVEN (3)

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ANNEX C
PUBLIC INFORMATION

REFERENCES: (a) PIO Manual, NavExops P-1035
(b) COMCBLANTINST 5720.1

1. MISSION. Collect and disseminate public information material that will illustrate the defensive, military posture and the military smartness of today's Seabees.

2. EXECUTION:

a. The release of public information material in connection with this deployment shall be in accordance with the provisions of references (a) and (b).

b. Extreme care must be exercised to ensure that public information releases conform with the following:

(1) Do not make reference to any aspect of the deployment which may be considered classified.

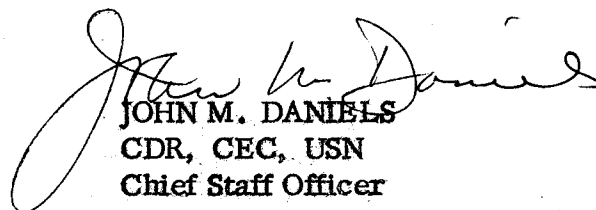
(2) Do not contain any material which may reflect with discredit on the United States or any branch of the U. S. Armed Forces.

(3) Do not contain any material which tends to degrade or ridicule the customs or living conditions of the area where deployed.

c. News releases will only be made through the operational or area commander.

d. A copy of all public information releases shall be forwarded to COMCBLANT.

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