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EVENT LACROSSE

EVENT ITEM NO	TIME		CLASSIFICATION AND LOG NUMBER	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION OR REMARKS
	IN	OUT			
1.	1400			(Goeken - 1) CDR Ellison and Capt Goeken assume the watch.	
2.	1545			(Duren - 1) Colonel Massey and Major Duren assume the watch.	
3.				(Massey - 1) Reference Items 40 and 44 LACROSSE Check List	Message delivered 1710 by CTG 7.3 representative stating ENHETOK Lagoon clear of shipping. Cop. of message attached to journal.
3.	1745			(Foulk - 1) LTCOL FOULK and LTCOL RAYMOND assume the watch.	
4.	2000			(SHULTZ - 1) LtCol Epley and Major Shultz assume the watch.	
5.	2140			(SHULTZ - 2) Reference item 45, LACROSSE Check List.	Msg DTG 040711Z reports fallout area searched and found all clear.
6.	2130			(SHULTZ - 3) Reference Item 46, LACROSSE Check List.	Major Policastro reports all Task Groups have reported. Final muster not complete.

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7.	2130			(SHULTZ - 4) Reference Item 47, LACROSSE Check List.	Msg "Pass to Test Svs Unit pd Ref item four my Lacrosse ck list pd FLT no one WB five zero cloud tracker not rqr" dispatched 2130.
8.	2215			(SHULTZ - 5) Col Carlson, TG 7.4 called for JTF SEVEN Staff Duty Officer regarding the arrival of General Olds and Party at 0630, 5 May 1956.	Information concerning arrival of Gen Olds and party given to Major Meyen, S.D.O. for action.
9.	2345			(Shultz - 6) Reference Item 48.	This item not accomplished Final muster not complete at termination of this watch.
10.	2345			(Goeken - 2) Commander Ellison and Captain Goeken assume the watch.	
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11.	0110			(Ellison - 1) Final Command Weather-RadSafe briefing was conducted at approximately 0030. Execute order confirmed. The following personnel were notified: <table border="0"> <tr> <td><u>NAME</u></td> <td><u>Command</u></td> <td><u>Time</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>CDR PERLEY</td> <td>TG 7.1</td> <td>0050</td> </tr> <tr> <td>S/Sgt Tyler</td> <td>TG 7.2</td> <td>0052</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Capt Munson</td> <td>TG 7.3</td> <td>0045</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Capt Porter</td> <td>TG 7.4</td> <td>0053</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Col Nash</td> <td>AFOAT-1</td> <td>0055</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Maj Meyen</td> <td>SDO</td> <td>0100</td> </tr> </table> CTG 7.5 was not notified by the watch inasmuch as Mr. Reeves was at the weather briefing.	<u>NAME</u>	<u>Command</u>	<u>Time</u>	CDR PERLEY	TG 7.1	0050	S/Sgt Tyler	TG 7.2	0052	Capt Munson	TG 7.3	0045	Capt Porter	TG 7.4	0053	Col Nash	AFOAT-1	0055	Maj Meyen	SDO	0100	Item 49 of the check list refers.
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12.	0110			(Ellison - 2) Col Byars informed the watch that CJTF-7 had granted CTG 7.1 permission to arm LACROSSE	Item 41 of the check list refers.																					
13.	0115			(Ellison - 3) A message containing modified air and surface radexes for H Hour to H+6 Hours was sent to the AG Message Center for transmission to all Task Group Commanders.	Item 50 of the check list refers.																					
14.	0125			(Ellison - 4) CDR PERLEY (IG 7.1) informed the watch that the Arming Team had arrived on station and had requested permission from Dr. Felt to arm LACROSSE.																						

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15.	0202			(Goeken - 3) Col Gattis reports LACROSSE armed.	Item 42 of the check list applies in part.
16.	0225			(Ellison - 5) CDR PERLEY (TG 7.1) informed the watch that the helicopters returning the Arming Team to Elmer were airborne and that the ICU was south of Bruce.	Item 45 of the check list refers.
17.	0320			(Ellison - 6) Message received from CTG 7.3 Admin "Area Clear"	Item 48 of the check list refers.
18.	0335			(Ellison - 7) CDR PERLEY (TG 7.1) informed the watch that the ICU had arrived at Elmer from Yvonne and that all vehicles are unloaded. Col Flemming has informed CJTF-7 of the status of evacuation.	
19.	0345			Colonel Massey and Major Duren assume the watch.	Entered in Journal.
20.	0430			Item 56 Complete (Voice Count down) (Duren - 1)	
31.	0538			(Duren - 2) Capt Hansen reported that the Mt McKinley was on station 2 miles South of the Wide Passage.	

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32	0603			(Duren - 3) Major Magowan, J-5, reported Item #59 complied with (Securing all HF transmitters)	Entered in journal.
33	0604			(Duren - 4) Item #53 complied with (FOPU Manned)	Entered in journal.
34	0630			(Massey - 1) LACROSSE Detonation 0625 AM.	
35	0650			(Massey - 2) H+30 shot messages to CNO & CINCPACFLT delivered to AG 0650.	
36	0700			(Massey - 3) Col Byars instructed Commodore Munson to bring MT ICKINLEY to mooring buoy in Eniwetok Lagoon.	
37	0750			(Goeken - 1) Task Groups informed that R hour is 0745M. Personnel contacted and times as indicated. 7.1 0740 Mr. Iarema 7.2 0742 Lt. Gminder 7.3 0744 Commodore Munson 7.4 0746 SGT McGinnis 7.5 0748 Mr. Kaiserman	

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38	1000			(Raymond - 1) No modification of air or surface RADEX necessary. Trajectories following 0100 forecast.	
39	1114			(Duren - 1) Task Groups notified that there was no change in the surface RADEX from that previously disseminated (Check List Item #74) TG 7.1 - 1105 - Mr. Ranieri TG 7.2 - 1108 - Captain Shull TG 7.3 - 1106 - Commodore Munson TG 7.4 - 1107 - SGT Larson TG 7.5 - 1111 - Mr. Howell	
40	2020			ITEMS # 77 and 78 Completed	JOC CLOSED AS OF 2020 <i>Powell Massey</i> DONNELL MASSEY Col. USAF Chief Mil. Ops. Br.

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