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AVIATION HISTOPHIMAEPORTHIST-AVIATION HISTORICAL SUMMARY OPNAV FORM 5750-2 (REV. 4-60) See effective edition of OPNAVINST 5750.8 Period Covered (From - To) 1 Oct 1965 - 31 Mar 1966 USS TICONDEROGA (CVA-14) 30 APR 1966 DIRECTIONS: Complete in duplicate semi-annually for periods blanks using "same" to avoid repeating previously recorded ending 31 March and 30 September, retain copy and, forward information. If more space is needed, attach extra sheets. original to the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Amplifying and/or historically significant documents, includ-Op-05A5G, Navy Department, Washington 25, D. C., within 15 ing photos, may be appended with proper notation under Part VI. days after report period. No covering letter is required. Security classification may be at any level consistent with content. Identify classified items within the report, All units complete Part I and other Parts as indicated. by an additional stamp at their position in the report. Follow instructions for each blank; fill in all required Avoid over-classification. PART I - ALL UNITS 1. Designation. Omit if same as in previous period. If changed, enter previous designation, date of change and the authorizing directive. New units record date and place of commissioning. 2. Commanding Officer C.O. relieved if command changed this period Date of change R. N. MILLER, 3. PERSONNEL ON BOARD AVIATORS AIR PILOTS OTHER TOTAL 26 113 At end of reporting period. Ships give ships 87 OFFICER company only; wings and groups give staffs only; ENLISTED 1964 air stations give station personnel only. 4. Mission or function (If changed or specifically assigned during the period, then enter a brief with dates and identity of authorizing Attack aircraft carrier with mission in accordance with NWIP 11-20. Operating in EASTPAC and Hawaiian area in accordance with COMFIRSTFLT Employment Schedules from 1 Oct 65 to 25 Oct 65. Operating in WESTPAC in accordance with COMSEVENTHELT Employment Schedules from 25 Oct 65 to present. 5. Next senior operational command (Give start and end dates if changed during this reporting period.) COMFIRSTFIT 1 Oct 65 - 25 Oct 65; COMATKCARSTRIKFORSEVENTHFIT 25 Oct 65 - 26 Nov 65, and 14 Jan 66 - present; COMCARDIV NINE (CTG 77.5) 26 Nov 65 - 14 Jan 66. 6. GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION: (Air Stations omit; ships enter in Part II. Wings and groups should not record squadron locations; ship-based units give name of ship only. Enter beginning and end dates when part of period is involved.) PLACE PERIOD (From - To)

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SPECIAL OPERATIONS

Dixie Station 5 Nov - 21 Nov 65 25 Dec - 3 Jan 66 22 Jan - 3 Feb 66 6 Mar - 21 Mar 66

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Personal congratulatory messages were received from CINCPACFIT (DTG 240411Z), COMSEVENTHFIT (DTG 221728Z), and COMATKCARSTKFORSEVENTHFIT (DTG 230510Z) for a successful attack on Uong Bi Thermal Power Plant on 22 Dec 65.

Congratulatory message was received from CINCPACFIT (DTG 202222Z) for a successful strike against Haiphong Highway Bridge on 20 Apr 66.

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9. General resume of activity - (Narrative statement of activity not otherwise covered, summarizing work, training, special cruises and visits, conversion, modification, overhaul, new equipment, and the like. Air Stations consider, in addition, such things as reorganization, new operational administrative and management procedures introduced; special programs initiated or completed, construction in progress, expansion of facilities, etc. Use additional sheets as necessary. Documents appended should be identified in Part VI, page 4.)

TICONDEROGA with Air Wing FIVE embarked conducted strike operations from Yankee and Dixie stations for a total of 115 days between 5 Nov 65 and 21 Apr 66.

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10 - 21 APRIL - AT YANKEE STATION

6 - 9 SEPT - OPERATING IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SECTOR OFFSHORE OPERATING AREAS FOR COMTUEX 25-66 (WEPTRAEX) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMFIRSTFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. 13 - 20 SEPT OPERATING IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SECTOR OFFSHORE OPERATING AREAS FOR FLEETEX 8-66, EXERCISE EAGER ANGLER! IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMFIRSTFLT EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE AND EXERCISE OP ORDER 301A- (YR) WITH SUPPLEMENT THERETO.

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TICONDEROGA WITH AIRWING FIVE EMBARKED CONDUCTED STRIKE OPERATIONS FROM YANKEE STATION FROM 10-21 APRIL. UPON RETURN TO CONUS ON 13 MAY 66 TICONDEROGA BEGAN REPAIRS AND TRAINING IN PREPARATION FOR DEPLOYMENT TO WESTPAC ON 15 OCT 66 WITH AIRWING 19.

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