

Det 6, 600TH PHOTO SQUADRON
Bien Hoa AB, RVN

During this reporting period, Det 6 had a total of nine personnel losses, and a gain of six. 1Lt Ralph Verre was replaced as detachment commander by 2Lt Mark J. Gabre on 25 March.

On 20 May, TSgt James R. Ducker replaced TSgt Robert E. Barnett as maintenance Supervisor. This section's mission was to install, service, load, download and maintain aircraft gun blister and pod camera systems, and to support maintenance for the base photo lab.

On 30 June, the detachment was maintaining 82 gun cameras, three Type IV pods, one blister, three DBM-4 and one DBM-5 motion picture cameras, and was scheduled to receive KA-71 and KB-18A strike cameras in the early part of fiscal year 1969.

The ComDoc section was equipped with two Arriflex cameras and one Canon Scopic camera. Six thousand-five hundred feet of ComDoc film were shot, including photography of the Tet Offensive, civic action and historical documentation.

The following photo support for the 3rd Tac Fighter Wing and all tenant units at Bien Hoa AB was provided by Det 6 still photo section, using KE-28B cameras and one Rolliflex camera:

<u>2 ¼ x 2 ¼</u>	<u>4X5</u>	<u>35mm</u>
6 B&W	152 B&W	148 color
31 color		

Six of the personnel at Det 6 were on OJT during this reporting period.