

Telegram No 16
Band 634

With respect to beloved Brother Pâr (ប័រ)

I would like to report the overall situation on road No 22 as follows:

1- The enemy situation on 21-22.1, the enemy attacked us on the spearhead Troeung (ត្រៀង), but our forces destroyed them, pushing them to retreat into their territory. During that time they shelled us with many cannon shells on Koki Saom (កីសោម) Subdistrict, endangered one of our brothers-sisters who were collecting rice.

- At the spearhead north of road No 1 and at the Thmei (ថ្មី) Subdistrict spearhead, District Kompong Ro (កំពង់រោទ៍), on 21-22.1, the enemy shelled continuously into our territory.

As for the enemy situation around Sector 23, they fought in retreat and withdrew their frontline from 500 meters to 4 or 5 Km. away from us.

2- As for our activities, our Army at every spearhead advanced to follow and destroy the enemy at all spearhead, we fought the enemy at around Wat Chhkor (វត្តឆ្មក) and destroyed their position at Toul Phoum Prasat (ទួលភូមិប្រាសាទ), we positioned with mastery half part on the South, while the enemy at Kompong Meas (កំពង់មាស) lost their spirits and retreated to ... Leita Ek (លេតាឯក). We continued to attack them.

As a result, we killed five enemies on the battlefield and injured a significant number.

At spearhead Prey Chamcar (ប្រៃចំការ), we attacked and destroyed the Yuon enemy on 22.1, we entered 5 Km. deep along the jungle to the East.

At spearhead Prey Dambauk Sâr (ប្រៃដំបូកស), we continuously launched the attack against the enemy. They tried to hold us back while retreating hastily with the loss of spirits.

At Kompong Ro (កំពង់រោទ៍) spearhead, on the border, and in Svay Rieng (ស្វាយរៀង) District, we mastered a position at 4-5 Km. from the stream dividing the border, while the enemy resembled their forces to attack us occasionally but they could not break us.

At Râlaung Khos (ត្រឡាងខុស) post, we attacked the enemy every day but didn't destroy all of them yet.

3- As for the people situation, it is in order. The people living near the border were moved back to the rear and were having the study meetings continuously. Moreover, cleaning the elements of the Yuon enemy network and not allowing them to mix with good people, by following them and educating them separately.

4- The situation of the harvest, we organized the mobile units. Sisters and brothers whose children are bigger and who are good elements were asked to launch the offensive of harvest at the front. For some districts that just have the opportunity to harvest, each district can harvest from 1000 to 8000 hectares.

In summary, the result of the harvest up to 23.1, we harvested “37,184” hectares, calculated in term of rice it was estimated at 1,234,283 thang (ថ្នាំដ). This is the result of rice at every target. But for every day eating regime it is deducted from this amount. So the rest is half of that figure.

As reported above, please be informed.

With respect and wish good health and big victory.

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