

BATTLE OF BIEN HOA -- A time exposure captures the action at Bien Hoa AB when the Viet Cong recently attempted to penetrate the base. Blurred streaks to the right-middle are flares dropped from an AC-47. Ellipse of light with diagonal lines running to the center of the action is minigun fire from an Army Huey Cobra gunship. Focal point of all the fire is Bunker Hill-10 and the areas around it at the east-end of the Bien Hoa runway. Enemy forces were stopped by the forces of the Air Force's 3rd Security Police Squadron, Vietnamese security police and Army gunships. The enemy lost 153 men killed and 25 suspects detained in their attempt to storm the air base.

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