OCCUPATION OF A PATROL BASE	
STEP	ACTION
1	Approach - halt patrol
	Conduct leader recon of site
2	Recon
	Patrol Idr designates entry
	point/CP at center of base
	Element Idrs recon sectors and
	return to CP
	Ldr sends 2 to bring patrol fwd
3	Occupation single file/camouflaged
4	Ldr check perimeter by meeting
	element leaders in turn
5	R&S team recon fwd, move
	clockwise
6	R&S teams report enemy activity,
	OPs, RPs, withdrawal routes
7	Ldr designates routes and
	RPs outside
8	Each element sets commo, OPs