

# INVASION – ONGJIN (LEFT)

## ASL KW Scenario Day 1.1 v2

**Ongjin Peninsula, South Korea, 25 June 1950.** The Battle of Ongjin was a part of the “*Operation Pokpoong*” that marked the beginning of the Korean War. There are strategic mountains at the center of the peninsula that can observe the entire peninsula easily. From 20 June 1950, ROK 17th Infantry Regiment began witnessing suspicious and unusual movements on North Korea side of the 38th parallel. When the regiment received an order to call off its alert, regimental commander Paik In-yup ignored the order and kept his regiment on high alert for any possible attacks from North Korea. At 04:00 of 25 June a red flare was shot in the air and DPRK (NK) forces began shelling ROK defenses for 30 minutes. After the artillery attack, a battalion-sized force of NK soldiers thrust into the ROK 1st Battalion.



**VC:** To win the NK must Control both Pillboxes at game end.



**NORTH ▲**

**ROK Setup First**  
**DPRK Move First**

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
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**Elements, ROK 1<sup>st</sup> Bn., 17<sup>th</sup> Inf. Rgt:** [ELR 2] Setup on board 58 at  $\geq$  level 2. {SAN 3}

10x 5-5-7 2x 4-4-7 3x 2-2-7 Cr 2x MMG 60\* MTR 8-1 2x 7-0 2x 1-3-5 Pillbox  
3x Trench

**Elements, NK 14<sup>th</sup> Rgt, 6<sup>th</sup> Inf. Div:** [ELR 4] Enter on/after Turn 1 along the north edge. {SAN: 2}

5x 4-5-8 4x 4-4-7 6x 5-2-7 MMG 2x LMG 9-0 8-1 7-0

### SSR:

1. EC are Overcast with Light Rain and No Wind at start.
2. Korean Terrain (W.3) is in effect.
3. H-t-H CC is mandatory for both sides.

**Aftermath:** Two companies of the battalion fought hand-to-hand, but were forced to retreat due to DPRK reinforcement. With the destruction of both wire and wireless communications, 1st Battalion commander Major Kim learned of the situation from retreating forces. He sent a reserve company forward as backup but this effort failed. Major Kim was later killed by DPRK artillery.

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