

MEMORANDUM

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TO : CP, SOM, SRTM, MTS

DATE : 4 October 1972

FROM : A/EM SCN

REF. No. EUSGN/72/328

SUBJECT : Outstanding Performance During Recent Rice Airlift

The attached letter from Mr. Jacobson, Dep Comd is not only welcome but considered very deserving for the fine teamwork put forth by our air and ground crews during the recent emergency airlift of rice to Phnom Penh. The final results showed we moved 1,711,900 pounds of rice in eight days with a total of 162 round trip flights. The C-46 and DC-4 flight crews performed in an outstanding manner, as did the Aircraft Maintenance Dept, the Traffic Dept, and Operations Dept. The Above task was a real challenge to Air America and it was successfully met with the fine "can do" attitude for which our company is noted for.

Management is always proud to receive such letters of appreciation from our customers, but the real credit goes to our pilots and the ground crews professional support of the mission requirements. Please widely disseminate to those concerned the customers appreciation as well as those of company management.

Original Signed By
Boyd D. Mesecher

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Acting Base Manager

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