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Dear John:

I much appreciated our brief conversation recently in Can Tho.

Yesterday I addressed one of the classes in our school regarding my impressions of the situation in Viet-Nam, based on my recent visit, and happened to mention your proposal for three-man teams at the District level. This evoked a lot of interest since many of the men are going to be DSA's. They wanted to know, for example, what the implications of the small team were in terms of radio monitoring, HES, TFES reporting, the relationship of the District teams with MATS teams, etc.

If you could send a line or two describing the concept and how it would work in terms of specific duties, it would be most helpful to our District Course. As stated, this particular item aroused a great deal of interest.

Again, many thanks for your hospitality in Can Tho and looking forward to seeing you again here or there.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

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