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Mr. Leonard Maynard  
CORDS/CCO/OPS  
USAID II, Room 200  
APO San Francisco 96243

Dear Len:

I enclose a copy of a letter to me from one of our students, Jeffrey Evans, who is going to Viet-Nam in September for duty in CORDS and who has only been married a couple of months. He is most anxious to see whether his wife could get a job with anyone in Saigon, including voluntary agencies or PAME. He asked for my personal help and I told him that, as far as I knew, you might be able to send his wife's qualifications over to one of the many outfits that might be looking for an obviously qualified young clerk-typist.

I am still looking forward to seeing you in September and would definitely hope to stay with you as a matter of preference. Both John Vann and Jake have just given presentations to this school, and this morning Guy Jones, Dave Garms and I bore down on the Chieu Hoi problem. Did I tell you that I now own a house just across Key Bridge from here which has several extra bedrooms, so you would have a place to stay any time you visit Washington? At the moment Bob Montague is staying with me.

When I visit you in September, one main objective would be to try to line up one or two young guys with real District experience to flesh out our District Operations Course. We are also very much in the market for a good ex-PSA. A military one would perhaps be better because of our ceiling problem with AID personnel.

With Guy Jones and Bob Montague around, this place is becoming more like a suburb of Saigon, which makes it fun for me personally.

As I believe I mentioned to you earlier, I am concerned with the failure of State Department to provide FSO-3's and 4's as candidates for PSA. John Vann also complained about this during his visit. It occurs to me that some pressure might be applied from the Saigon end in communications from the Embassy or from CORDS to the Department of State. At the moment, the attitude of State Department--like AID--is that service in CORDS in Viet-Nam is really anomalous and generally irrelevant to the professional concern of State. There is a distinct tendency to keep hands off and allow MACV to carry the load. I think this is bad

for all concerned, and you may wish to work on the problem from that end. I would prefer to stay out of this personally because my interest might be interpreted as being anti-military, which it isn't. I have probably gone out on a limb far enough already in that direction, and do not wish to be viewed as non-constructive.

Please remember me particularly to Mark Huss. I thought of him the other night as I connected my hi-fi components without his skilled assistance. I do hope to be in touch with your son's school and would enjoy talking to them about Viet-Nam. Please keep in touch.

With all best wishes,

Sincerely,

/s/

Ogden Williams  
Coordinator  
Viet-Nam Training Center

Enclosure:  
As stated

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Arlington, Virginia 22209

July 27, 1969

Mr. Ogden Williams  
Director, Vietnam Training Center  
State Department  
Washington, D. C.

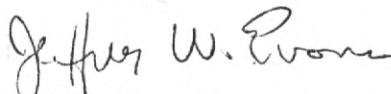
Dear Mr. Williams:

I understand that under the recently formulated "Working Couples" arrangement of the U.S. Embassy in Vietnam, it might be possible for my wife to be employed in Vietnam and thus accompany me on my tour. As I understand it, if she can secure a job in Vietnam which the Embassy will approve she may travel as my dependent and utilize my housing thus saving her employer any of these expenses.

I expect to be working in Saigon and am due to arrive there in mid-September, 1969, following completion of Vietnamese language training in August. My problem lies in finding employment for my wife. I wonder if you might know of anyone in Saigon who would be interested in having such an employee - i.e., private companies, government agencies, or other assistance groups. I enclose my wife's resume for your information.

We would appreciate anything you might be able to do.

Yours truly,



Jeffrey W. Evans  
Assistant Area Development Officer  
CORDS Class XIII  
Vietnam Training Center

Synopsis of Resume of:  
JUDITH ANN EVANS

1820 North Quinn, Apt. 503  
Arlington, Virginia 22209  
Phone: 703 - 528-4820

#### EDUCATION

6/65 - 2/69

University of Maryland, College Park, Md. 20742  
Degree: B.S. Major: Psychology  
Minor: General Science  
Honors: University Grant  
Expenses earned: Approximately 90%

#### Courses Completed Include the Following:

<u>Course</u>	<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Course</u>	<u>Hrs.</u>
Business Enterprise	3	Human Development Education	9
Chemistry	9	Math	6
Economics	3	Psychology	32
French	9	Sociology	6
Philosophy	3	Zoology	16

Language: Fair to Good understanding and utilization of French.  
Special Skill: Typing - 65 wpm

#### EMPLOYMENT

February 1969 - Present

U.S. Post Office/Office of Director of Distributions  
North Capitol and Massachusetts Avenues  
Washington, D. C. 20013  
Clerk/Typist

Summers of 1966, 1967, 1968

U.S. Post Office/Mobile Unit  
North Capitol and Massachusetts Avenues  
Washington, D. C. 20013  
Clerk/Typist

9/67 - 6/68

Office of the State Entomologist  
University of Maryland, College Park, Md. 20742  
Clerk/Typist - Part time

Summers of 1964, 1965

Assistant Camp Counselor  
Dale Nursery and Kindergarten  
Suitland, Maryland 20023

#### PERSONAL

Born: 12/27/46, Washington, D. C. Height: 5'11" Weight: 145 lbs.  
Permanent Address: Schneider Lane, Montville, New Jersey 07045  
Married: 1969 (Maiden Name - Coker); no children  
Husband - MPA International Administration  
Health: Excellent. Last physical in 1968.  
Residence: Rents apartment. Free to relocate.  
Interests: Sewing, sports, instrumental music.

Amplified Resume

JUDITH ANN EVANS

February 1969 - Present

Office of Director of Distributions  
Supervisor: Mr. James Denney

At the beginning of employment, was responsible for retyping a new file system in order to make a more accurate count of the Post Office's 6,000 Distribution clerks. Now, currently involved in a biweekly recount of Distribution clerks and the Pay Location status. Besides this, perform general typing duties, keep the absentee record of the Post Office's Trainees for Letter Sorting Machine operators, and utilize Xerox and adding machines when necessary.

Reason for Change:

The current job with Post Office was an interim position while waiting for results in application for the Teacher Corps Program. Now since married, am leaving to follow husband overseas.

Summers of 1966, 1967, 1968

Mobile Unit  
Supervisor: Mr. V. P. Granger, Superintendent

The summer of 1968 worked closely with the Highway Branch, updating their records and learning about the distribution of mails by trucks in Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia.

The summers of 1966 and 1967 performed general clerical duties: typing, filing, re-checking of reports.

9/67 - 5/68

Office of the State Entomologist  
Supervisor: Dr. James Foster

Worked about 15 hours a week aiding the secretaries. Main responsibility during the job was to type the Annual Entomological Report of Mosquito Control in the counties of Maryland.

Summers of 1964, 1965

Dale Nursery and Kindergarten  
Supervisor: Mrs. Birgit Tack

Both summers worked with an adult leader supervising a camp group of about 25 to 30 children, ages 4 - 9. During the afternoon and evening supervised them with another peer.

Reason for Change:

For all jobs, except current one, left to obtain a better summer job or return to college.

REFERENCES

Available on Request.