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Dear Dick:

By this time you must be immersed in the complexities of being DepCords for MR 3. I hope you will find the orientation you received at VTC helps you in your new endeavor. We receive favorable comments from former students indicating they find it valuable; not all facets of course, but in the main.

While it may be a little early to be thinking about 1971 Pacification and Development Plans, at the appropriate time I hope you will keep VTC in mind for copies of the province plans, and for region too if there is one. They are, of course, invaluable for the Province Senior Advisors in training here as well as for the Province Planning and Briefing Exercises in the Basic Course.

Does CORDS/MR 3 issue anything similar to the attached Personnel Assignments List for Province and District Officers put out by MR 2? It certainly helps to keep us current. If you do have something like it, we would appreciate being put on the distribution list.

In regard to the attached Information Brief on Provinces in MR 3, we have heard that the briefs were recently updated in July. If so, we would also like to have a set.

With many thanks for your cooperation, and best wishes.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

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