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From: Chief Engineer, USNS GEN JOHN POLK, (T-AP 110)

To : Master, USNS GEN JOHN POLK, (T-AP 110)

Subj: Safety meeting

1. Safety meeting for Engine, Deck and Steward Departments was held at 0915, 31 December 1969. Twenty-seven (27) men were present. Meeting was presided by the Chief Engineer, First Officer, and the Chief Steward.

2. Minutes of last meeting were read and discussed. No deficiencies reported at this meeting and no accidents reported.

3. An article "Driving Home for Christmas was read, quote, "Stop for a Free Coffee Break and help save lives".

"That's the message you, as one of the Nation's thousands of motorists, will be getting as you throng the highways for this year's New Year's holiday. To help insure that drivers heed the advice, some 15,000 restaurants in every part of the country will be serving free "safety coffee" during peak traffic hours during New Year's holiday. Participating restaurants will display the following hexagonal sign reading, "Stop Here" Free Coffee, Safety break. Most of the restaurants on super highways will be serving free coffee. Stop whenever you see the sign. If you don't see it, stop anyway. The rest will help keep you alert and alive", unquote.

4. A discussion of Safety at Home for the Holidays was held.

5. Meeting was adjourned at 0940.

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cc: First Officer  
Chief Steward