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

Subj: Departmental Safety Meeting; report of

Ref: (a) CMFI 5100

1. In accordance with reference (a) the DECK Departmental semi-monthly safety meeting was held from: 1015 to: 1100 hours. this date with 33 men attending. The Meeting was conducted by:

FIRST OFFICER

2. Since the last departmental safety meeting there have been 0 lost time accidents and 0 First aid injuries in the DECK Department.

3. The following five minutes safety talk Book# Talk
Title: was given.

4. Principle topics discussed, Safety Suggestions made and Safety Hazards noted are as follows: 1. Ship's Doctor, Dr. Edwards spoke briefly on the various types of malaria found in Viet Nam and the provisions that this company has for prevention and treatment of same. Of the three types that are found in the world, all three are found in Viet Nam. Persons who are interested in taking the medication for the prevention of same are asked to report to Sick Bay and discuss this with Dr. Edwards. He, Dr. Edwards, also spoke briefly on the extremely high rate of venereal disease in this part of the world and especially Viet Nam where the rate of infection among women is in the neighborhood of 95%. (1A) The First Officer held a ten minute moral Leadership Meeting at this point.

2. The Ship's Purser Mr. Ricand, gave a short talk on the various indoctrinations to the Ship's crew. among the other sundry items were mentioned the new Shore Leave Program designed for MEPS Afloat Employees, and the availability of P.I. CMIS at Okinawa for making purchases at the P. I. Also, a new check off list with Dept. Heads for personnel leaving the ship is initiated to make sure that items such as books, keys or anything that does not belong to the person leaving, stays aboard or is returned to the rightful owner of same.

3. Ship's Boatswain, Mr. Farnell suggested the use of hard hats for men working on cargo gear and in the vicinity of same; 1st. Offr. ordered issuance of same from the (Deck Stores).

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