

RE: Air America and The US Air Force

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**From:** "AFHSO Research" <afh@pentagon.af.mil>  
**Date:** Mon, 16 Aug 2004  
**To:** "Allen Cates"

Dear Mr Cates

We have no information on Air America involvement in the rescue of personnel assigned to Lima 85 that is releasable. There is however a study, done by the USAF which is available on line from the Virtual Vietnam Archive of Texas Tech University. For the series type in CHECO and for the key word 85.

<http://www.vietnam.ttu.edu>

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Hello,

I have filed an application for group veteran status for Air America employees. It has been placed on the Federal Register and accepted by the C/MSRB. AAM worked in Laos and Vietnam under a series of Air Force Contracts. They operated military aircraft on loan from the US Marine Corps and US Air Force. AAM supported the US Air Force at Lima Site 85 and rescued many downed US Military crew members.

I am respectfully asking for any documentation in this regard that would help me with this issue.

Kind regards,