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FIRST ENDORSEMENT on CGLORSTA CATANDUANES Report of Loran Station
Operation and Electronics Engineering for period January 1971

From: Commander, Coast Guard Section, Philippines
To: Commander, Fourteenth Coast Guard District (o)

Subj: Reliability of Loran Rate 2H3 for month of January 1971

1. The major periods of unusable time were primarily attributable to loss of communications during periods of heavy atmospherics.
2. To reduce the periods of unusable time due to communications loss, because of equipment failure, a HF whip antenna is being installed on the signal building roof to be used with the AN/SRT-21 transmitter. This antenna will replace the one removed with the 75-foot guyed pole.
3. To increase the experience level at Batan and reduce the unusable time due to operator error, a senior ET has been assigned.

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