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c/o Comdr. 14th CG District
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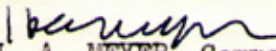
CG-607

7 April, 1948

From: Commanding Officer, CGC KUKUI (WAK-186)
To: Commander, 14th CG District

Subj: CGLRS, Saipan; inspection and maintenance of

1. This station was inspected and repairs made to the station equipment during the period 22-26 March, 1948. Inclosure 1 delineates the activities of the KUKUI during the repair and inspection period at this station.
2. Inclosure 2 lists the vehicular equipment at the station. It is recommended that an allowance of one jeep and one 6x6 truck be made for this station. This station is situated along one of the main highways and presents a nice appearance due to the landscaping, erection of a white board fence and the mowing of about two acres of grass in the vicinity of the station. Due to the need for this station to present as good or if possible better appearance than other units on Saipan it is considered necessary to keep the tractor power mowing machine at the station and make provision for one in the allowance for the station. All units, Naval, Army and Marine present an especially neat and clean appearance on the Island of Saipan and it is deemed essential that the CGLRS Saipan be provided with the necessary equipment to maintain a like appearance.
3. Repairs, issues, commissary, finance, morale, ordnance, health conditions and state of electronic and civil engineering equipment are shown in Inclosures 1 through 8 inclusive.
4. At first glance, paragraph 5 of inclosure 3 and paragraph 5 of inclosure 7 seem to be at variance. However, further study of the two statements regarding assignment of personnel with dependents to Saipan discloses that the two statements are not at variance but that one confirms the other. From observance of the island it is felt that it presents the best facilities and nicest conditions for dependents of any island so far observed in the Pacific. Oshima is still considered the best station from the standpoint of liberty and entertainment of personnel without dependents. Saipan is, however, considered ideal from all standpoints regarding dependents, comparing favorably with the facilities, and healthful conditions of Honolulu.
5. No exchange of personnel was made. Sea bag inspection was held and clothing issued as necessary. The inventory and audit report of registered publications was forwarded under separate cover to the Commander, 14th CG District (oc), on 25 March, 1948.

CERTIFIED TO BE A TRUE COPY

H. A. MEYER, Commander, USCG

/s/ MARION AMOS
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cc: CGLRS Saipan
ComWesPacSec (CG Guam)

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Incls:

1. Executive Officer's report
2. Pay and supply Officer's report
3. Medical and Dental report
4. ECV field report
5. Engineer Officer's report
6. Gunnery Officer's report
7. Military Morale Officer's report
8. Communication Officer's report