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MEMORANDUM FOR VICE ADMIRAL BAGLEY (CHNAVPERS)

Subj: Administrative Discharge Procedures

Ref: (a) OP-09C memo 587-70 of 15 Nov 71 (b) CHNAVPERS memo Pers F3b of 26 Jun 72

1. Reference (a) requested an analysis of the impact that the utilization of 20 additional junior officer NIS agents has had on reducing delays in administrative discharge procedures. In response, reference (b) advised that the additional junior officer agents have been utilized in the performance of more routine work (personnel security investigations) and that this has permitted the experienced civilian agents to conduct narcotics and homosexual investigations more expeditiously. In addition, reference (b) stated that on 1 October 1972, the more routine work will transfer to the newly created Defense Investigative Service (DIS), and that a commensurate transfer of personnel resources must also occur. Because of the "overallowance" billet status of the junior officers concerned, their billets are not transferable to the DIS, and NIS will be required to transfer for transfer civilian agents instead.

2. The CNO has noted reference (b). Please provide a followon SITREP with your comments and recommendations to alleviate the problem which will be created by the anticipated transfer of personnel resources to DIS. A suspense of 31 August 1972 is requested.

Very respectfully,

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