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DPD 6689-60
13 October 1960

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Chief, DPD

SUBJECT: Nominee as Commander, [redacted]
Detachment

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1. In view of the reluctance of [redacted] to take the [redacted] Detachment and realizing that because of a shortage of time we should get someone who is immediately available, I have taken the liberty to look into the qualifications of [redacted] who is presently Director of Materiel, Detachment B.

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2. A resume of [redacted] experience follows:

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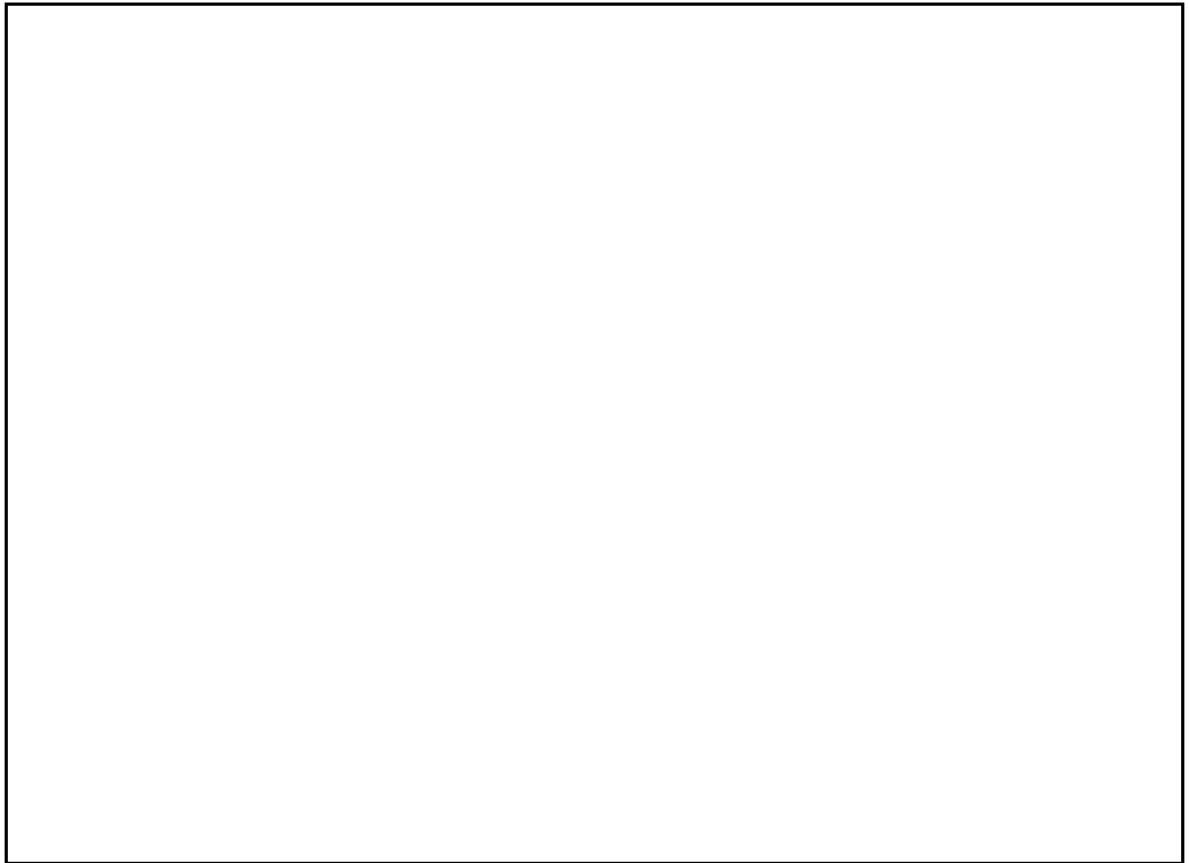
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3. As can be seen from the resume his experience should make him an ideal potential candidate for the Detachment Commander's position. In our planning we had already tentatively slated [redacted] [redacted] to be Director of Materiel of the [redacted] Detachment. On the basis of his experience, at least on the surface, he should be better qualified for the Commander's position than [redacted]

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4. It is, therefore, recommended that:

a. Colonel Shelton be solicited for his opinion of [redacted] [redacted] being assigned as Commander of the [redacted] Detachment. (A suggested cable to Colonel Shelton is attached).

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b. If Colonel Shelton's response is favorable that the cable be sent to [redacted] advising him of our intentions and soliciting his desires.

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c. If you concur request you release the attached cable to Colonel Shelton.

[Redacted]

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Lt. Colonel USAF
Chief, Operations Branch, DPD-DD/P

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As noted above

CONCUR:

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]

for JAMES A. CUNNINGHAM, JR.
ASST CHIEF, DPD

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