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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT : Course Report for Vietnam Orientation #10

1. Vietnam Orientation #10, which ran from 24 to 28 October, had an enrollment of [REDACTED]. This was the first unabridged course since last June. The program ran as scheduled, with the three following exceptions: the cancellation of the lectures on "Enduring Enemy Detention" and on "Vietnam's Physical Setting", because of illness of the proposed speakers; and the introduction of an hour's discussion of "Benefits and Services" by Messrs. [REDACTED].

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2. Members of the class were absent from time to time for processing. Other than this, the administration proceeded smoothly. The last day's move from 1A13 to 1D1601 caused no trouble; it did, however, subtract from the general effectiveness of the class. The presence of twenty-two people--a four-man panel, a course coordinator, and seventeen students--crowded 1D1601 to its capacity.

3. The comments of the class, as given to me and to some FE officials, showed that the members considered the course most interesting, stimulating, and worthwhile. From Mr. [REDACTED] impressive introduction, through Mr. [REDACTED] warm conclusion, the content of the course held up well. Some of the presentations such as [REDACTED] on Chinese Background to the Vietnamese Struggle, [REDACTED] on Operations in the Provinces, and [REDACTED] on Operations in [REDACTED] were outstanding among those which I heard.

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4. [REDACTED] ran the course on Monday, 24 October, and Wednesday and Thursday 26-27 October. I conducted it on Tuesday, 25 October and Friday, 28 October.

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