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Cofr on 6/23/1

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FOR MIS FROM AD(C).

MANY THANKS FOR GIVING US AN INFO COPY OF YOUR 280440 TO HOTCHKISS.
DO NOT INTEND BUYING IN TOO MUCH ON INTERNAL ARMY MATTER OF POSTINGS
BECAUSE YOU HAVE TO CONSIDER PROBLEMS OTHER THAN PURELY
OPERATIONAL ONES WHICH CONCERN US. HOWEVER WISH TO PLACE ON
RECORD VIEW THAT UKF200 SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT BE BUILT-UP WITH
MORE INDONESIAN LINGUISTS THAN IT WILL HAVE IN JUNE (I.E. GPT
SGT CPL AND WO).

2. WE CAN FORESEE CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE INDO NESIAN LINGUISTS
WILL BE REQUIRED OR FOR VOICE PROCESSING
IN AUSTRALIA. FURTHERMORE WE THINK THAT IT IS WRONG TO DECENTRALISE
TO UKF200 RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANYTHING MORE THAN IS ESSENTIAL -
AT PRESENT UKF200'S RESPNONSIBILITIES WILL COVER ONLY BORNEO AND
WE CONSIDER FOUR LINGUISTS ADEQUATE FOR THAT.

3. WE FURTHER BELIEVE THAT IT IS IMPORTANT THAT BE GIVEN
SOME CENTRE EXPERIENCE SO THAT HE IS FAMILIAR WITH PROCESSING OF
MILITARY TRAFFIC. (INCLUDING CYPHER) IN CASE IT DECIDED TO SEND
HIM OVERSEAS IN A TACTICAL UNIT.

4. FROM OVERALL VIEWPOINT LOOKING AT FAIRLY LIMITED LINGUISTIC
RESOURCES AVAILABLE AND INCREASED JOBS TO BE DONE (FOR EXAMPLE
COMMENCEMENT NEXT WEEK OF INTERCEPT OF
WHICH BY END OF 1963 EXPECTED TO PRODUCE AN ADDITIONAL REPEAT
ADDITIONAL LOAD OF 1,000 MESSAGES PER DAY) WE WOULD PREFER

TO COME DSB AND

TO STAY IN DSB FOR A TWO-YEAR TOUR.

IN CASE OF NEED

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COULD BE WITHDRAWN FOR YOUR

BRITISH TACTICAL NEEDS (E.G. IN BORNEO

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WE DO NOT BELIEVE THEY SHOULD BE SENT SINGAPORE.

5. PLEASE FORGIVE THIS SIGNAL WHICH NOT INTENDED TO BE AN
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INFERENCE IN AMF POSTING POLICY. HOWEVER FEEL ABOVE HAD TO BE
PLACED ON RECORD IN CASE UKF200 PUTS PRESSURE ON YOU (THROUGH
201 SIG SQN) FOR AN INCREASED ALLOCATION OF LINGUISTS.

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