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TASKING. YR 180434Z FOR WILLIAMS

STILL 23 OPERATORS REQUIRED FOR OPERATION LONGSHOT, BUT
ATTACHMENT DATES STAGGERED AS FOLLOWS:

- (A) 17 OPERATORS 31 AUG TO 18 OCT
- (B) 3 OPERATORS 7 SEP TO 13 OCT
- (C) 3 OPERATORS 23 SEP TO 13 OCT

THE ABOVE PERIODS DO NOT INCLUDE TRAVELLING TIME. POSTING DRAFT STATED SERVICE TRANSPORT TO BE USED AND ALTHOUGH FIRM DATES DEPARTURE NOT KNOWN ANTICIPATE THAT FIRST BATCH WILL LEAVE UNIT APPROX 26TH AUG. IN ADDITION, SEVEN SHIFT WORKERS HAVE BEEN ATTACHED FOR LANGUAGE APTITUDE TESTS FROM 24TH TO 26TH AUGUST.

2. COVER REDUCTION WILL NOT BE AS DRASTIC AS ANTICIPATED AS UNIT WILL GAIN SOME MEMBERS ON POSTING EX HONG KONG, RECREATION LEAVE WILL BE KEPT TO THE MINIMUM AND WE HOPE THAT SHIFT WORKERS WILL BE EXEMPT FROM STATION DUTIES FOR DURATION OPERATION LONGSHOT.

3. BELIEVE THAT WHEN ALL PERSONNEL DEPART WE WILL BE ABLE TO HANDLE 10 HAND SPEED AND ELMUX; HOWEVER, SICKNESS ETC MAY NECESSITATE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF A FURTHER POSITION. WOULD APPRECIATE IF YOU WOULD NOMINATE TASK WHICH COULD BE CLOSED IF SUCH AN EMERGENCY ARISES.

4. TO MAINTAIN THIS COVER WOULD LIKE CLOSURE OF PRIORITY 24
AT 231400Z/AUGUST.) THIS WILL RELEASE THREE OPERATORS FROM SET DUTIES,
THREE OPERATORS FROM PAGE PRINT WORK AND WOULD ALSO ALLOW ALL
HAND SPEED POSITIONS TO BE CONSOLIDATED IN THE ONE BUILDING, THEREBY
ELIMINATING NECESSITY CPL SUPERVISOR, TOTAL GAIN THIS CLOSURE NETS
NINE OPERATORS.

5. FURTHER CLOSURES WILL BE NECESSARY AT
(A) 251400Z/AUGUST ONE HAND SPEED (16 HOURS)
(B) 031400Z/SEPTEMBER ONE HAND SPEED (16 HOURS)
(C) 191400Z/SEPTEMBER PROBABLY ONE HAND SPEED (16 HOURS)
IF GENERAL SEARCH POSITIONS CLOSED THIS WOULD RELEASE G. S. DISCRIMINATE
FOR SET DUTIES AND CLOSURE OF 19 SEPTEMBER MAY BE AVOIDED.

6. HOURS OF OPERATION WILL REMAIN UNCHANGED.

7. FOR WILLIAMS FROM TYLER, DESIRE VISIT DSD, HQ SUPPORT COMMAND
AND WRE SALISBURY NEXT WEEK 24TH TO 28TH AUGUST AND REQUEST ARRANGE
ATTACHMENT HQSC ACCORDINGLY.

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