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Administrative Order No 4/89

(Issued in conjunction with 3TU Operation Order No 1/89 - Limited Distribution)

Reference: A. ASD 235

Time zone used throughout the Order: HOTEL

Task Organization:

No 3 Telecommunication Unit
No 2 Flying Training School
Base Squadron Pearce

1. General. No 3 Telecommunication Unit (3TU) is directed at Ref A to deploy and exercise its role in a tactical environment and demonstrate its capability to operate in remote localities. 3TU is to form a detachment at RAAF LEARMONTH (LMO) from 04 May 1989 to 30 June 1989 to conduct communication and radio propagation trials. The trials will be conducted in three phases as follows:

- a. Phase one - 04 May 1989 to 24 May 1989.
- b. Phase two - 25 May 1989 to 08 June 1989.
- c. Phase three - 09 June 1989 to 30 June 1989.

2. Materiel and Services.

a. Travel. The advance party is to travel to LMO by Service vehicle. The operations team is to utilize Service air transport. Emergency travel between LMO and 3TU is to be co-ordinated by the ADMINO 3TU. Service transport is to be used whenever practicable. A deployment timetable is detailed at Annex A.

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b. Transport.

- (1) Air Transport. 2FTS is to provide Caribou aircraft transport in accordance with Annex B.
- (2) Motor Transport. BSPEA is to provide the following vehicles:
 - (a) One Toyota Utility 500 KG 4X4 with trailer for the period 01 May 1989 to 04 July 1989 inclusive.
 - (b) One Commuter Van (in situ at LMO), when not being used by aircrew during the period 01 May 1989 to 30 June 1989 inclusive.
 - (c) One Semi-Trailer with drivers in accordance with Annex B.
 - (d) Two Ford Falcon station wagons. One for the period 28 April 1989 to 04 July 1989 inclusive and the other for the period 05 May 1989 to 08 May 1989 inclusive.

c. Accommodation. 3TU is to arrange accommodation for detachment personnel at LMO and to ensure that facilities are available for 15 members from 28 April 1989 to 04 July 1989.

d. Telephones. 3TU is to arrange through AHQAUST for an STD telephone in the supervisor's room and at the 3TU operations site, plus an in-dial facility in the LMO Officers' Mess. The SNCO/WOFFIC is to ensure that adequate control is maintained over these telephones and that logs are kept of all outgoing calls. No reverse charge calls are to be accepted on any of these phones.

e. Rations. BSPEA is to provide rationing by flight advance. The following members are appointed as flight advance holders:

- (1) for the period
01 May 1989 to 24 May 1989 inclusive.
- (2) for the period
25 May 1989 to 08 June 1989 inclusive.
- (3) for the period
09 June 1989 to 02 July 1989 inclusive.

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- f. Rations and Quarters Charges. All single living out members are required to pay rations and quarters charges on and from the 22nd day of their deployment to LMO (INDMAN 1 VOL 1 INSTRUCTION 0401 PARA 7 refers). 3TU is to ensure that the necessary documentation is raised for those members concerned.
- g. Financial Accounting.
- (1) Allowances. 3TU and BSPEA are to arrange for a 100 percent advance of appropriate allowances for detachment personnel. This advance is to cover the full period of the member's duty.
 - (2) Costing. Authorising Officers are to annotate all documents associated with travel and allowances for these detachments with 'Vote 2-230-01-09 IA 9009618/45604'.
- h. Medical and Dental.
- (1) Facilities. Detachment personnel requiring medical and dental treatment while at LMO are to utilize the EXMOUTH Hospital. The SNCO/WOFFIC is to ensure that the hospital is given the necessary information to process claims through BSPEA Medical Flight.
 - (2) Medical and Dental Fitness. Detachment personnel are to be medically and dentally fit before departing for LMO. (Refer DI(AF) PERS 53-1, AFTI PS 38/84).
 - (3) First Aid. BSPEA is to provide a first aid kit suitable for use by 15 persons.
- i. Equipment. 3TU is to determine the equipment requirements for the communications trials. Equipment not already in storage at LMO is to be transported to and returned from LMO by Service transport.
- j. Hours of Work. The SNCO/WOFFIC is to organise hours of work in accordance with the tasking requirements for the communications trials as detailed in 3TU Operation Order No 1/89 (limited distribution).

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- k. Dress. Service Dress is to be worn while travelling between PEA and LMO. The SNCO/WOFFIC is to ensure that only approved items of dress are worn during working hours. In addition, dress of the day is to be consistent among all personnel. Approved orders of dress for the LMO area are as follows:
- (1) SD Warm Weather.
 - (2) Tropical Dress.
 - (3) Working Dress (overalls or black shorts and blue tee-shirt).
- l. Leave. Recreation leave and short leave when required for duty are not to be granted to detachment personnel at LMO.
- m. Security. The SNCO/WOFFIC is responsible for the security of equipment, vehicles and classified material during the period of the deployment.
- n. Discipline. The Detachment Commander is responsible to the CO 3TU for discipline during the period of the deployment.
- o. Safe Hand. 3TU is to arrange safe hand runs in accordance with the Service aircraft timetable at Annex B.
- p. Command and Signal. The Detachment Commander is to ensure that secure communications are maintained between 3TU and LMO. Rear link communications, backup communications and specific communications trials and tasking are detailed in 3TU Operation Order No 1/89 (limited distribution).

3. Personnel.

- a. _____, 3TU, is appointed Detachment Commander 3TUDET LMO for the duration of the deployment. Disciplinary power over detachment personnel is to be exercised in accordance with 3TU 701/4/P1 Part 1(66 & 67) of 10 and 11 January 1989.
- b. _____, 3TU, is appointed SNCOIC phase one.
- c. _____, 3TU, is appointed WOFFIC phase two.
- d. _____, is appointed WOFFIC phase three.

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- e. BSPEA is to provide three TELSRIG for the periods, 28 April 1989 to 04 May 1989 and 30 June 1989 to 04 July 1989 inclusive.
- f. A nominal roll of personnel deploying to LMO is at Annex C.
- 4. Civil Affairs/Military Government. Nil.
- 5. Miscellaneous.
 - a. Reports. The Detachment Commander 3TUDETLMO is to prepare a report on the communications trials by no later than 1 September 1989.

Acknowledgement Instructions. Do not acknowledge.


R.F. LOWERY
Air Commodore
Officer Commanding

- Annexes:
- A. Deployment Timetable.
 - B. Service Transport Requirements.
 - C. Nominal Roll of Personnel Deploying to RAAF LEARMONTH.

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