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FROM P.O./T. HF RECEPTION AT COONAWARRA. SUBSEQUENT TO MY R 111330Z  
HAVE RECEIVED REQUEST FROM OIC DARNAVRADSTA THAT [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]  
WHO ARE VISITING DARWIN IN CONNECTION WITH TASK BRIDGER FROM 17TH  
MAY TO 23RD MAY SHOULD ENCOMPASS (A) NOISE MEASUREMENTS AT  
RECEIVER STATION AND (B) THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL ASSISTANCE IN  
LOCAL ERECTION OF LOW HF RECEIVE ANTENNAE.

2. AM MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR VISIT TO BE EXTENDED UNTIL 25TH  
MAY AND TEST GEAR TO BE SENT TO ENABLE SITE NOISE TEST TO BE  
PERFORMED ON TENTATIVE BASIS.

3. [REDACTED] WILL BE BRIEFED ON COMPACT CARTWHEEL ARRAY DESIGN WHICH  
MIGHT BE WITHIN CAPACITY OF STATION TO ERECT ON EXPERIMENTAL BASIS  
BUT IT IS FAIRLY BIG JOB.

4. WORRIED THAT MAY BE DIFFICULT TO FIND A LOW NOISE SITE FOR  
VERTICAL AERIAL EVEN IF LAND ACROSS MAIN ROAD IS USED WITH  
CONSEQUENT FEEDER PROBLEMS.

5. HAS AN ENGINEERING SURVEY OF NOISE FIGURE OF AERIAL SPLITTING  
AND RETICULATION SYSTEM BEEN MADE RECENTLY. IF NOT CAN YOU  
ARRANGE QUERY.

6. PLEASE INFORM O.I.C. COONAWARRA OF ABOVE AND OF R 111330Z

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