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United States Coast Guard
Seattle 4, Washington

Address reply to
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13th Coast Guard District (d)
and refer to file: CG-701-601

8 July, 1948

From: Commander, 13th CG District
To: Commandant (GPP)
Subj: New loran station, Attu Island, Alaska; inactive status;
complement for
Ref: (a) H/L (OAN) 12 April, 194⁸ file CG-(6012)

1. Reference (a) has advised that HQ does not contemplate making the loran station now under construction on Attu Island operational until all the Aleutian chain loran stations are completed.

2. It has been recommended that the buildings, when completed, be heated to prevent deterioration of the interior finish and equipment and that a nucleus crew be assigned to accomplish this objective. Such a crew would also be responsible for keeping the buildings and equipment in good condition and to prevent looting.

3. It is requested that an allowance of 1-EN¹, 1-EN², 1-RM², 1-HM¹, 1-CS¹ and 3-SN be set up for this purpose.

4. It is further requested that one officer, loran trained, be assigned to command this unit upon acceptance by the Coast Guard. In the event that an officer is not available, the enlisted allowance should be increased by one BMC until such time as an officer is assigned.

5. The above personnel, less loran technical ratings, would comprise a nucleus crew and the station would be in all respects ready for operation as soon as such loran ratings arrived. All personnel would come under the provisions of Personnel Circular 35-47 and would be assigned in such a manner that rotation would not be necessary for all personnel at the same time.

/s/ J. E. Stika

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ISLAND ALASKA X STA BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMT LESS LORAN TRANSMITTERS DUE
COMPLETION 1 DEC X IF TOTALS REQUESTED IN REFLET NOT AVAILABLE MINIMUM
CARETAKER CREW FOUR MEN ABSOLUTELY REQUIRED

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OAN (6010), (6012)

DATE: 27 September, 1948

TO : CHIEF, SHORE UNITS DIVISION

FROM : Chief, Aids to Navigation Division

SUBJECT: CGLTS, Murder Pt., Attu Island; establishment of

In accordance with Commander, 13th CG District dispatch 231722Z, September, 1948, it is estimated that the proposed loran station at Murder Point, Attu, will be completed, except for installation of loran transmitters, about 1 December, 1948. It is requested, therefore, that subject station be established in caretaker status so that personnel will be available by 1 December, 1948.

C. H. Peterson
C. H. PETERSON

Incl:

CCGL3D ltr dtd 8 July, 1948

CCGL3D disp # 231722Z, September, 1948

CG: Chief, Program Planning Division
Chief, Civil Engineering Division
Chief, Electronics Engineering Division

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Changes effective 1 Dec. 1948

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15 October 1948
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From: Commandant
 To: Commander, 13th Coast Guard District
 Subj: Loran Transmitting Station, Murder Point, Attu Island,
 Alaska; establishment of
 Refs: (a) CCGD 13th disp. 231722Z (Sept. 1948)
 (b) Comdr., 13th Dist. ltr 8 July 1948 file (d) CG-701-601

1. You are authorized to establish subject station in a caretaker status upon completion of the buildings. Appropriate amendment to Operating Facilities of the U.S. Coast Guard will be made in Amendment No. 3. The unit will be listed as follows:

13-565 Loran Transmitting Station, Murder Point, Attu Island, Alaska (Caretaker)

2. Personnel allowances for subject station will be the subject of separate correspondence.
 3. Notify Headquarters upon establishment of the unit.

L. H. BAKER
 By direction

CC: CPP

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13TH COAST GUARD DISTRICT
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SEATTLE 4, WASHINGTON



29 December, 1948
FILE: oan 626,601

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From: Commander, 13th CG District
To: Commandant (OSU)(OAN)(ECV)

Subj: Loran Transmitting Station, Murder Point, Attu Island,
Alaska; establishment of

1. Reference is made to Headquarters' letter 15 October, 1948, file OSU 020-601 which authorized the Commander, 13th Coast Guard District to establish subject station in a caretaker status upon completion of the buildings. Headquarters is advised that the station was accepted as of 1 November, 1948, when dwellings became livable, and four men reported that date as caretakers.

2. The acceptance of the station was subject to the provision that unaccomplished items be completed as materials became available.

3. It is therefore recommended that OFFAC be amended as follows:

13-565 Loran Transmitting Station, Murder Point,
Attu Island, Alaska (caretaker).

R. M. Hoyle
R. M. HOYLE
By direction

CC: Operations

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