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MEMO FOR RECORD

1. Basic Action. Trip report for period 11-13 August 1969 by Lt Col J. G. Rogillio, JPO, ALCOM, concerning visit to Ottawa, Ontario, Canada to discuss maintenance and repair procedures on the Canadian portion of the Haines-Fairbanks pipeline.

2. Reference. None.

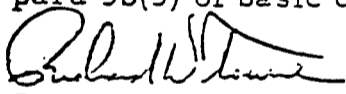
3. Discussion.

a. It has been the policy of the U. S. Army Engineer District, Alaska, to advise engineering personnel in the Yukon Territory on matters concerning the programmed repair of the Canadian portion of the Haines-Fairbanks pipeline. During the visit referenced in Basic Action, it was learned from the National Energy Board (NEB) that U. S. personnel should not be contacting any office in Canada except the NEB on this subject.

b. In order to orient the Alaska District on the proper routing for advising Canada on the repair matters, a conference call was placed on 21 August 1969 by Lt Col Rogillio (JPO); Major Towne (J-4, CE); and Mr. Andersen (ADE Army Project Engineer) to Col R. H. Dolson, Sr., USARMA, U. S. Embassy, Ottawa.

c. It was agreed that the Alaska District will forward project advertising documents, other correspondence previously provided to Yukon Territory, and follow-on material on this subject to USDAO, Ottawa, who will then indorse it, forward to the NEB. It was also agreed that USDAO would not necessarily become a clearing house for all contacts with the Canadians, i. e., ADE can acquire wage rates directly from the appropriate Canadian offices without USDAO clearance, and ADE can contact the NEB directly on technical matters.

4. Recommended Action. That the procedures established by the conference call be used until the Embassy procedures referenced in para 5b(5) of basic document are developed.



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