

R290710Z JUL 68
FM COMSEVENTHFLT
TO USCGC DUANE

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1. AS YOU HEAD FOR THE FRIENDLY WATERS OF CONUS, I WANT TO CONGRATULATE THE OFFICERS AND MEN OF YOUR FINE SHIP ON A JOB WELL DONE. WHILE DEPLOYED TO SOUTH EAST ASIA, YOU HAVE MADE A SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO OUR COUNTRY'S MISSION IN VIET NAM. I AM PROUD OF YOU.

2. AS YOU DEPART, I THANK YOU, AND WISH YOU ALL THE BEST FOR A SMOOTH VOYAGE AND HAPPY REUNION WITH YOUR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS. VADM W. F. BRINGLE, USN.

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1. DURING YOUR WESTPAC DEPLOYMENT YOUR COMMAND HAS PERFORMED IN TRUE COAST GUARD TRADITION. YOU HAVE BEEN ALWAYS READY TO MEET YOUR COMMITMENTS WITH PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCE. YOUR FRONT STEPS OF 70.8.5. GO YOU TIGERS.

2. MAY YOU HAVE FAIR WINDS AND FOLLOWING SEAS ON A VOYAGE HOME TO A HAPPY REUNION.

3. WELL DONE DUANE. COMMO FRICK SENDS.

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FM CTF ONE ONE FIVE
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1. YOUR PROFESSIONALISM WHILE ASSIGNED MARKET TIME HAS BEEN CLEARLY REFLECTED IN YOUR OUTSTANDING GUNFIRE SUPPORT MISSIONS AND COASTAL SURVEILLANCE.

2. MAY FAIR WINDS CARRY YOU SAFELY TO THE SHORES OF NEW ENGLAND.

3. WOU WILL BE MISSED.
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FM CTG SEVEN ZERO PT EIGHT PT FIVE
TO USCGC DUANE

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FAREWELL

UPON YOUR DEPARTURE FROM THE CRUISER-DESTROYER GROUP SEVENTHFLT YOU CAN FEEL JUSTLY PROUD OF THE RECORD YOU HAVE ESTABLISHED. THE MEDICAL SERVICES RENDERED ON SHORE AND AT SEA WERE INSPIRING AND YOUR PERFORMANCE IN NGFS WAS A SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE EFFECTIVENESS OF FORCES SUPPORTING OUR NATION'S EFFORTS IN VIET NAM. RADM MOORE.

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R142118Z AUG 68
FM CCGDELEVEN
TO USCGC DUANE

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WE HAVE READ WITH PRIDE REPORTS OF DUANE'S FINE PERFORMANCE DURING HER RECENTLY COMPLETED DEPLOYMENT. WELCOME HOME. WISH WE HAD OPPORTUNITY TO EXTEND ELEVENTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT HOSPITALITY BUT UNDERSTAND YOUR EAGERNESS TO RETURN TO HOME PORT. GOD SPEED ON YOUR RETURN VOYAGE. COMMANDER ELEVENTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT SENDS.
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