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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 27, 1977

The Vice President
Hamilton Jordan

The attached is forwarded to
you for your information.

Rick Hutcheson

RE: MEETING WITH ALLAN GRANT
ON FARM STRIKE

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

12/27/77

Mr. President:

Stu has seen, and passes
this along to you.

Rick

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 27, 1977

Rick:

Rather than diverting the President with this now, let us put it on the two-week schedule grid for his consideration immediately upon his return from the trip. Both Strauss and Grant can surely wait until then to be notified.

cc: Fran Voorde

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE
FOR TRADE NEGOTIATIONS

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON

20506

December 19, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Through: Stuart Eizenstat, Assistant to the President
for Domestic Affairs and Policy

From: Ambassador Robert S. Strauss

I have discussed with Stu this morning what might be a good idea and I think it deserves a little exploration. Allan Grant is Head of the American Farm Bureau. He is a Republican who leaves much to be desired but has considerable influence, and I think we could use him if I put him together with Tony Dechant and several other farm leaders for a meeting with you. I think this could be used to dull without attacking or criticizing the farm strikers.

I have been checking the press around the country and in my judgment, while the strike may never really go anywhere, it nevertheless has a continuous negative impact. It should be dealt with, in my opinion, without going head on.

The farm leaders could, (1) praise the farm bill, (2) praise the Administration's posture in international negotiations, i.e., Japan where we have put emphasis on agriculture exports, and (3) acknowledge your sensitivity to the farming community in America.

Grant has been trying to get to see you for six months and I have held him off till sometime when it would be useful. This would require 10 to 15 minutes of your time and could be very positive. Before even pursuing it by checking with a number of people whose judgment I value more than my own, Stu and I wanted your reaction. If you want it pursued further, I will contact Bergland who is out of the country and John White. We would do it promptly upon your return from Europe.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 27, 1977

Stu Eizenstat
Zbig Brzezinski
Jack Watson
Jim McIntyre

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you for your information.

Rick Hutcheson

RE: CASH AWARDS FOR MILITARY
PERSONNEL

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THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20590

DEC 16 1977

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

The provisions of 10 USC 1124, establishing a program of cash awards for military personnel, requires that the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation, in the case of the U.S. Coast Guard, send to the President annually for transmittal to Congress a progress report on the military awards program.

Enclosed are the reports of the U.S. Coast Guard on the operations of the program for the transition period July 1, 1976, to September 30, 1976, and the period October 1, 1976, to September 30, 1977.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Brock Adams", is centered below the text "Respectfully,".

Brock Adams

Enclosures

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION U. S. COAST GUARD CG-4729 (2-70)	INCENTIVE AWARDS PROGRAM REPORT (MILITARY PERSONNEL)	REPORT FOR PERIOD ENDING <u>JUL 1, 1976</u> SEP 30, 1976
TO Department of Transportation Office of the Secretary	REPORTING UNIT U. S. Coast Guard Washington, D.C.	

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Report awards for combined measurable and intangible benefits under "Tangible Benefits."
2. Count only one award per case. Do not include a count for supplemental awards.
3. Include the dollar amount of supplemental awards under the "Amount of Awards" Column.
4. Include as Non-Cash Awards, any Certificates of Appreciation, Special citations, etc., approved as meaningful awards under the Incentive Awards Program.
5. For the number of suggestions received, count only the initial receipt of cases from personnel of your unit. Do not count requests for reconsideration of cases already processed.

PART A - AWARDS FOR SUGGESTIONS

AWARDS	FOR TANGIBLE (MEASURABLE) BENEFITS			FOR INTANGIBLE BENEFITS	
	NUMBER OF AWARDS	TANGIBLE BENEFITS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS
NON-CASH AWARDS	0	\$ 0		3	
CASH AWARDS	3	\$ 34,513	\$ 1,332	16	\$ 2,190
TOTAL	3	\$ 34,513		19	
SUGGESTIONS	NUMBER OF SUGGESTIONS				
	ON HAND AT BEGINNING OF REPORT	RECEIVED	ADOPTED	DISAPPROVED	PENDING END OF REPORT
	249	98	22	87	239

PART B - AWARDS FOR INVENTIONS

AWARD TYPES	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS	TANGIBLE BENEFITS
AWARD BASED ON INVENTIONS	0	\$ 0	\$ 0
ADDITIONAL AWARDS ON PREVIOUSLY REPORTED INVENTIONS	0	\$ 0	\$ 0
TOTAL	0	\$ 0	\$ 0

PART C - AWARDS FOR SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS

AWARDS BASED ON SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS	FOR TANGIBLE (MEASURABLE) BENEFITS			FOR INTANGIBLE BENEFITS	
	NUMBER OF AWARDS	TANGIBLE BENEFITS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS
NON-CASH AWARDS	0	\$ 0		0	
CASH AWARDS	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0
TOTAL	0	\$ 0		0	

PART D - DISTRIBUTION OF CASH AWARDS

CATEGORY OF PERSONNEL	SUGGESTIONS		INVENTIONS		SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS		AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONNEL ON BOARD IN REPORT PERIOD
	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT PAID	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT PAID	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT PAID	
ENLISTED PERSONNEL	15	\$ 2,757	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0	25,516
OFFICER PERSONNEL	4	\$ 765	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0	5,220
TOTAL	19	\$ 3,522	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0	33,736

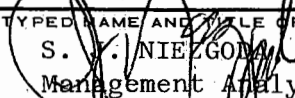
PART E - INTERDEPARTMENTAL REFERRAL OF SUGGESTIONS

REFERRAL CATEGORY	NUMBER CASES REFERRED TO ANOTHER DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY	NUMBER CASES WITH ADOPTIONS BY ANOTHER DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY	TOTAL AMOUNT		NUMBER CASES DISAPPROVED	NUMBER CASES PENDING AT END OF REPORT PERIOD
			TANGIBLE BENEFITS FROM ADOPTION BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS/ AGENCIES	AWARDS PAID BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS/ AGENCIES		
OUTSIDE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	10	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	2	88
WITHIN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	19	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	5	14
TOTAL	29	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	7	22

PART F - NARRATIVE EVALUATION

Prepare a narrative evaluation of the incentive awards program for military personnel in your component. Include the following topics plus any additional significant information (*If more space is required, continue on an additional sheet and attach*):

1. Significant problems encountered and action taken to overcome them.
2. Particularly effective techniques used.
3. Significant results achieved (*other than those reflected in statistics*).
4. Plans for increasing program effectiveness.
5. Proposals for U. S. Coast Guard Headquarters consideration regarding changes in policies, instructions, etc.

DATE	TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF REPORTING OFFICIAL	SIGNATURE
9 NOVEMBER 1977	S. J. NIEZGOMA, Acting Chief Management Analysis Division	

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION U. S. COAST GUARD CG-4729 (2-70)	INCENTIVE AWARDS PROGRAM REPORT (MILITARY PERSONNEL)	REPORT FOR PERIOD ENDING 1 OCT 19 76 30 SEP 19 77
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TO Department of Transportation Office of the Secretary	REPORTING UNIT U. S. Coast Guard Washington, D. C.
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PART A - AWARDS FOR SUGGESTIONS

AWARDS	FOR TANGIBLE (MEASURABLE) BENEFITS			FOR INTANGIBLE BENEFITS	
	NUMBER OF AWARDS	TANGIBLE BENEFITS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS
NON-CASH AWARDS	0	\$ 0		2	
CASH AWARDS	19 (20)	\$ 358,364	\$ 7,665	84 (85)	\$ 7,074
TOTAL	19 (20)	\$ 358,364		84 (85)	
SUGGESTIONS	NUMBER OF SUGGESTIONS				
	ON HAND AT BEGINNING OF REPORT	RECEIVED	ADOPTED	DISAPPROVED	PENDING END OF REPORT
	239	590	104	407	318

PART B - AWARDS FOR INVENTIONS

AWARD TYPES	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS	TANGIBLE BENEFITS
AWARD BASED ON INVENTIONS	0	\$ 0	\$ 0
ADDITIONAL AWARDS ON PREVIOUSLY REPORTED INVENTIONS	0	\$ 0	\$ 0
TOTAL	0	\$ 0	\$ 0

PART C - AWARDS FOR SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS

AWARDS BASED ON SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS	FOR TANGIBLE (MEASURABLE) BENEFITS			FOR INTANGIBLE BENEFITS	
	NUMBER OF AWARDS	TANGIBLE BENEFITS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT OF AWARDS
NON-CASH AWARDS	0	\$ 0		0	
CASH AWARDS	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0
TOTAL	0	\$ 0		0	

PART D - DISTRIBUTION OF CASH AWARDS

CATEGORY OF PERSONNEL	SUGGESTIONS		INVENTIONS		SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS		AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONNEL ON BOARD IN REPORT PERIOD
	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT PAID	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT PAID	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT PAID	
ENLISTED PERSONNEL	79 (78)	\$ 8,896	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0	27,938
OFFICER PERSONNEL	26 (25)	\$ 5,843	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0	4,981
TOTAL	105	\$ 14,739	0	\$ 0	0	\$ 0	32,919

PART E - INTERDEPARTMENTAL REFERRAL OF SUGGESTIONS

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			TANGIBLE BENEFITS FROM ADOPTION BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS/ AGENCIES	AWARDS PAID BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS/ AGENCIES		
OUTSIDE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	11	1	\$ 2,440,000	\$ 3,540	7	3
WITHIN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	14	2	\$ 0	\$ 200	9	3
TOTAL	25	3	\$ 2,440,000	\$ 3,740	16	6

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At the beginning of FY77, comparative statistics were published Coast Guard-wide, indicating major field unit participation results during FY75 and FY76. It is believed that this method helped arouse a more competitive attitude among similar units, with positive results. Military participation in FY77 increased by 39% over FY76. In addition, those field units which improved their FY76 participation, received letters of appreciation from the Chief of Staff. The same approach is planned, publicizing the FY77 results. Early in 1977, the Commandant established a program to give special recognition to those suggesters whose adopted suggestions had first year tangible benefits of \$5,000 or more.

During FY77 two special emphasis programs have been initiated, (1) Four-month double awards (2) Energy Conservation.

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22 Nov 1977	C. A. BIONDO, CAPT USCG Chief, Management Analysis Division	