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FROM: Detachment 1, 3rd ARRG (1Lt David R. Stevenson)

SUBJECT: Mission No. 1-3-41 SAR, 4 July 66

TO: 3rd ARRG, APO 96307

PEDRO 95 & 96 launched at 0905 after being notified by Cigar at 0900 of an F-105 pilot who had ejected over a location 030°/33mi from channel 46. Pedros proceeded to channel 46 then took up the given heading toward the pilot. A UHF/DF steer was obtained from an F-105 flight which was orbiting over the downed pilot. Also vectors were given to the Pedros by Waterboy control. Pilot was located by means of his survival radio and a red smoke flare. Pilot pickup was completed by primary crew with some difficulty as pilots survival gear and parachute were still attached to him. After ALC Renard had hoisted the pilot to the door of the helicopter SSGT Sutton cut the survival gear and parachute free and the recovery proceeded without further difficulties. Weather in pickup area was high broken, visibility unlimited with surface winds of 15-20 kts.

Primary Crew

RCC	DAVID R. Stevenson	1Lt	Denver, Colo
CP	Rockwell N. Greene	Capt	Lincoln, Kansas
HM	Ronald E. Renard	ALC	Euclid, Ohio
RS	William C. Sutton	SSGT	Goldsboro, N. C.

Secondary Crew

RCC	Arthur F. Machado	Capt	New Bedford, Mass
CP	John M. Armstrong	1Lt	Los Angeles, Calif
HM	Delmar F. Mapes	TSGT	New Braunfels, Tex
RS	David J. Wheeler	TSGT	Salina, Kansas

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