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Mgr., C/O Division

Channel - Site Tare

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TO:...

March 19, 1953

Paul Spain advised today that Navy Task Group 7.3 has received complaints that the approach channel to the mole, Site Tare, is not considered wide enough for safe use by an LST, and asked if it would be possible to widen this channel. The Navy suggested the possibility of using smaller boats of the LSM class; however, I advised that we could not get along with anything smaller than ar LST for supplying Site Tare.

I advised Mr. Spain that it would be possible to widen the channel to provide a 200' clear entrance by means of a dragline in much the same manner as we provided the turning basin at Gene

This work should be authorized by Mr. Spair in the near future.

D. C. Van Dine. Manager Construction-Operations Division

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cc: Project Engr. (884) Contract Administrator DCVD File

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