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MEMORANDUM FOR FILE

SUBJ: SS ABIQUA, 10,172 G.T.

1. A Mrs. Davis telephoned to request information about the prospective release from the Naval Service of Lt. (jg) Warren Price, Jr., 374531, D(L) USNR. Mrs. Davis stated that she was connected with the U.S. Army and insisted that arrangements be made to release Lt. Price from the Armed Guard Service in order that he may accept employment in the OPA at Washington.
2. The SS ABIQUA left Abadan on 17 October and was due to arrive Colombo on 24 October with possible reassignment to Singapore.
3. Mrs. Davis was informed that Armed Guard officers and enlisted personnel were being released from service as rapidly as possible but that the release of Lt. Price would depend upon the availability of the ship for its return to the continental U.S. Mrs. Davis stated that if necessary should would bring some influence to bear which might cause immediate release of Lt. Price from the Naval Service.
4. The W.S.A. advises that this vessel is operating temporarily in the Persian Gulf shuttle service but that its next assignment had not yet been decided.

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