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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CREW DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE,
WAR SHIPPING ADMINISTRATION.

The Coast Guard has received information from a reliable source concerning the following crew members of the SS MARINA RASKOVA. Report alleges that Carl Stevenson, O.S., Francis Shinkle, T.E., and E.D. Walters, A.E., while the SS MARINA RASKOVA was in Beira recently, were disobedient to the Captain's orders, left the ship without permission, and failed to turn to. Further, report states that these men were placed in the local jail in this port until sailing time due to their conduct. It is also believed that they had in their possession aboard ship marijuana and deadly weapons.

The Coast Guard will instigate whatever disciplinary action is warranted in their cases.

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