

# HANDOUTS

## HANDOUT ONE

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Dear Mr. Smith,

Your vacation reservations have been confirmed and your itinerary includes Pysadi, Zila, Carsten, Pavanne, Nasemin, Jesedipere and then the Vargr Extents to beautiful Scangen. Your return journey will be back through Jesedipere to Junidy.

Your cousin on Aramanx has asked that you depart from your itinerary and pick up the additional luggage he referred to in his last letter. He also says that he hopes you will prolong your stay there for several weeks and then travel to – Junidy by way of Nasemin.

Enjoy your vacation!  
Walker, Horizon Travel

## HANDOUT TWO

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### **XBOAT MESSAGE**

**1. Date of Preparation**  
335-1104

**2. Addressee**  
Museum of Aramis

**3. Destination**  
Leedor, Aramis/Aramis

*Instructions:* Use the space below for written communications using the standard Anglic character set. The message will be optically sensed and transmitted to the addressee above.

### **4. Message Text**

**MESSAGE ALERT: THE BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION, TUKERA LINES, HAS AN URGENT NEED FOR SMALL DECORATIVE BROOCHES OF THE KIND PICTURED ON THE ACCOMPANYING FACSIMILE IN CONNECTION WITH AN ART RESEARCH PROJECT. ANY REASONABLE PRICE WILL BE PAID (TRADE CODE LEVEL GAMMA) FOR PRIME EXAMPLES OF THIS ARTIFACT, IN ADDITION TO A 40 PERCENT FINDER'S FEE. COMMUNICATE BY MOST DIRECT MEANS AVAILABLE WITH TUKERA LINES SUBSECTOR MAIN OFFICE, JUNIDY/ARAMIS. ATTENTION: ART PROJECT.**

## ***HANDOUT THREE***

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### ***Tavanix, Union of Senled***

A brief protest by citizens groups against offplanet interests in Senled was broken up by military police and regular troops today. The riot was sparked by the visit to this frontier town of a touring party sent by Sternmetal Horizons to assess the situation along the Lanaxian border in the wake of last month's clash between a brigade of Senled's light infantry and Vargr mercenaries in the employ of Lanax.

The Sternmetal representatives declined to comment on the riots. An official government spokesman deplored the incident, saying, 'There has been too much bad feeling toward offworlders these past few years but we must all realise the need to bury the past and look to a future of freedom, economic recovery and national security'. The touring Sternmetal commission is scheduled to remain in Tavanix for another week, meeting government and military officials, investigating several important frontier installations and visiting the newly completed reservoir on the Tavin River near the town.

## ***HANDOUT FOUR***

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Greetings:

Our plans have been finalised. I have made arrangements to acquire the material you need for completion of your fleet from a naval shipment. As agreed, this includes:

Two type J LSP meson guns (spinal mount). Net tonnage 1,000 tons each.

Two modell/7fib computers for fire control and operation. Net tonnage 18 tons each.

Shipments will be diverted as they pass through Aremis subsector and reshipped to Lablon in modules identified as farm machinery consigned to *Ozarr*. Total load 2,100 tons. Manifests have been prepared under the Akerut corporate letterhead. Export licenses have been procured under the numbers 1107-006350875. Steps are being taken to ensure that the Navy remains unaware of the true fate of the shipment.

As discussed previously, final delivery will await your procurement of sufficient funds. Your officer, Thane Dhurgeng, should meet with me to arrange final transfer details at the Brokers' Exchange Market, Lablon. Shipment will be stored near the delivery site pending final payment.

Confirmation will follow by an alternate route, as always.

Sincerely, Aran Ashkashkur