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We were advised by the source of referenced OOR report that Trans World Airlines (TWA) has agreed to assist the Afro-Malagasy and Mauritius Common Organization (OCAM) in the operation of their newly acquired airline. The OCAM purchase becomes effective on 1 July 1972 and THA plans shortly thereafter to dispatch an undisclosed number of personnel presumably to Chad to provide training and initial airline expertise. A precautionary note should be introduced if contact with TWA is contemplated. Our source attended a meeting where the Chairman of the Board of TWA threatened dismissal of any TWA employee who discussed the sale outside of that room. He expressed concern that the French government discover the transaction and take action to block it.

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