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We simplify and sharpen our earlier arguments for the existence and regularity of the solutions. For vector bundles over a strictly pseudoconvex real hypersurface in complex  $n$ -space,  $n > 3$ , we eliminate completely the need for smoothing operators, avoid the Nash-Moser methods, and succeed with a KAM argument which yields results which are sharp relative to both regular and Folland-Stein Holder norms. This also improves on the results of Ma-Michel. The methods are developed so as to be applicable to the more difficult CR embedding problem. (Received August 06, 2007)