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STAFF MEETING MINUTES - 5 September 1958 CORONA NOTES

Personnel Present: Mr. Bissell Mr. Kucera
Mr. Kelly
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1. Progress Meeting - Mr. Bissell announced that there is to be a CORONA progress meeting on the 17th of September in Palo Alto which he planned to attend. He stated that he was going to attempt to ask General Ritland also to attend. This meeting is to be preceded by preliminary meetings in Los Angeles on the two preceding days.

2. Panel Meetings - The following week there will be held the last Panel meeting on the successor vehicle, one day of which will be in Washington and one day in Cambridge. Mr. Bissell noted that he had received some favorable responses to tentative soundings made on this subject in the White House.

3. CORONA Project Officer - Mr. Bissell said he felt that CORONA had now become involved enough to require more man-hours to be spent on it and requested Mr. Kucera to serve as the coordination point for all CORONA activities. This designation of Mr. Kucera as a sort of Project Officer is not to indicate a removal of the responsibilities of other sections for their areas of interest in the Project.

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