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7 August 1959

STAFF MEETING MINUTES - 4 August 1959

Personnel Present - [redacted]
Mr. Parangosky

Mr. Kiefer
[redacted]

1. [redacted]

2. [redacted]

3. [redacted]

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8. [REDACTED]

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9. CORONA-ARGON - Mr. Parangoaky reported that an apparent ignitor failure had delayed the scheduled CORONA launch. The latest mission date is now 10 August. Mr. Kiefer reported that the payload was removed and examined and apparently there were no defects experienced as a result of the equipment being held so long on the firing pad.

The 3 August CORONA meeting on the west coast reviewed weight savings and also discussed the establishment of additional tracking station in [REDACTED]. An unofficial approach by Lockheed representative in [REDACTED] has been made to the [REDACTED] (see [REDACTED]). [REDACTED] has been ruled out due to the Logistics resupply problems.

ARGON - It was announced that present thinking is to include the [REDACTED] people in the ARGON program. However, Lockheed is studying the situation. Mr. Kiefer advised that ARPA will send a survey team to various missile bases in the next few months and that he will be part of the team representing CIA but traveling as an ARPA consultant.

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