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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Special Projects

SUBJECT: Photo Reconnaissance Systems Report No. 11

I. CORONA

A. Accomplishments

1. [redacted] Chief, Foreign Intelligence Division, and Chairman, IPC, was given a CORONA briefing at AP and a [redacted] briefing at Building [redacted] as well as tours through the AP, the STC, and LMSC facilities on 21 and 22 October.
2. ICRS members were given a CORONA briefing and AP tour on 23 October.
3. A transit BEACON briefing was provided West Coast Project Office personnel on 23 October. This system is tentatively scheduled to be used on Agena's 1656 through 1659 (CR-11 through CR-13) and will provide more accurate tracking data. Present system provides approximately plus or minus 750 miles accuracy versus an estimated plus or minus 150 mile accuracy from the transit BEACON. APL/JHU will receive transit data for mapping and charting use.
4. CR-9. Underwent a pre-flight shake. The post-shake confidence run indicated normal system performance.
5. CR-10. Satisfactorily completed pre-environmental light leak checks, vibration and confidence run.

B. Projected Status

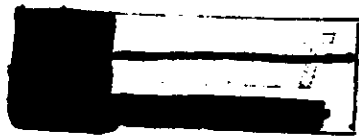
1. CR-8. Refurbishment at Itek.
2. CR-9. Flight Preps.

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- 3. CR-10. HIVOS
- 4. CR-11. System Tests.
- 5. CR-12. Acceptance Tests.
- 6. CR-13. Acceptance Tests.

II. [REDACTED]

A. General

- 1. [REDACTED]
- 2. [REDACTED]
- 3. [REDACTED]
- 4. [REDACTED]

*****NOTICE OF REMOVED PAGES*****

Pages 3 through 7 are not provided because their full text does not contain CORONA, ARGON, LANYARD programmatic information.