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TO: COMAFFTC EDWARDS AFB CALIF

INFO: COMAFEMD ARDC INGLEWOOD CALIF

~~SECRET~~ FROM HDZYA; 19-3-4-E; ACTION: AFFTC, ATTN: [redacted]

[redacted] FTO; INFO: AFEMD, ATTN: [redacted] SUBJECT

IS LOW CARD SUPPORT OF MIDAS. PART 1. THE AFFTC IS DIRECTED TO SUPPORT THE MIDAS PROGRAM BEING CONDUCTED BY THE AFEMD. THE LOW CARD PROGRAM WILL SUPPORT MIDAS FROM THE PRESENT DATE UNTIL BUT NOT LATER THAN 30 JUNE 1959 UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THIS HQS.

THE SUPPORT WILL INVOLVE THE USE OF AIRCRAFT 722 OR 954 AS DISCUSSED

IN CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN [redacted] OF THIS HQS, [redacted] OF AFFTC AND [redacted] OF AFEMD.

AFEMD WILL FURNISH TO AFFTC THE OPERATIONAL PLAN OUTLINING THE NECESSARY SUPPORT. PART 2. THIS HQS WILL MAKE AVAILABLE TO AFFTC \$15,000 (FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS) OF ARPA FUNDS TO COVER THE O2 AND O4 CATEGORIES OF P-690 COSTS. TRAVEL AND COMMUNICATIONS EXPENDITURES WILL BE CHARGED AGAINST ARPA ORDER NO. 38-59.

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FROM:

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AFROD HAS BEEN CONTACTED AND AGREES TO PROVIDE AFPTC WITH OBLIGATION AUTHORITY FOR UP TO \$20,000 (TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS) TO COVER THE REMAINDER OF THE AFPTC P-690 COSTS FOR THIS OPERATION. AFPTC WILL FURNISH THIS HQS, ATTN: [REDACTED] HDZ, A BREAKDOWN OF THE COSTS EXPECTED TO BE INCURRED IN THIS SUPPORT.

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FROM: COMARDC

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TO: COMAFBMD INGLEWOOD CALIF

~~SECRET~~ FROM RDROR-20-3-55-E

ATTN: WDWZS FOR [] SUBJECT: LOW CARD SUPPORT OF MIDAS.

THE LOW CARD PROGRAM WILL SUPPORT THE MIDAS PROGRAM FROM THE PRESENT DATE UNTIL BUT NOT LATER THAN 30 JUNE 1959. SUPPORT AFTER THAT DATE IF REQUIRED WILL BE REQUESTED BY YOUR OFFICE AS SOON AS KNOWN. A LOW CARD VEHICLE PLUS NECESSARY AIRCRAFT AND EQUIPMENT SUPPORT PERSONNEL WILL BE AVAILABLE ON CALL IN ACCORDANCE WITH PREVIOUS DISCUSSIONS. AFBMD WILL FURNISH TO THE AFTTC ATTENTION [] [] THE OPERATIONAL SUPPORT REQUIREMENT. FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM AFBMD TO AFTTC, INFO. AFBMD, CITE RDZYA 19-3-4-E.

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