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MEMORANDUM FOR DR. NAKA *7/20*

SUBJECT: HEXAGON Sensor Subsystem Evaluation

The HEXAGON Sensor Subsystem Acceptance Team is dependent on support from Westover. The CIA project office has indicated that this support will be required to support the first flight model Chamber "A" tests over the period 7-29 July which would conflict with support of the scheduled performance evaluation of GAMBIT Mission 4327.

Westover will give priority to the GAMBIT evaluation unless told otherwise. If this latter work is merely delayed until the end of July, another conflict arises due to the installation of a new computer at Westover, projecting the delay until late August/early September. By that time, GAMBIT Mission 4328 (launch date 12 August) will be coming in.

Conversations with [redacted] at Westover indicate that they have anticipated the problem and believe that they can handle both the HEXAGON work and Mission 4327 by careful scheduling, the use of overtime, and if necessary, backup computer support in the Washington area.

The message at the right provides appropriate priority guidance.

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