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MEMORANDUM FOR: , Comptroller, ~~(S)~~
National Reconnaissance OfficeSUBJECT : Extension of FULCRUM Funding for Month
of February 1965

1. The ~~(S)~~ NRO to date has advanced \$4.5 million to the Central Intelligence Agency for the first phase of the FULCRUM development program covering efforts essentially completed by the end of January 1965. As you know, follow-on efforts of the FULCRUM Program have been continuing on a sustaining basis during the month of February in accordance with agreements reached earlier this month between officials of the DOD and CIA. These efforts include a sustaining program at ITEK, development, design, and/or systems engineering work at Perkin-Elmer, GE, AVCO, Space Technology Laboratories, and RCA. As presented to DOD officials, the estimated cost of February effort totals \$1,320,000.

2. Accordingly, per our conversation, I am attaching herewith a Form 1080 to cover the February funding for FULCRUM in the amount of \$1,320,000. Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

(signed) John M. Clarke

John M. Clarke
Director of Budget,
Program Analysis and
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