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Dear Dr. Paine:

I would very much appreciate the opportunity to brief you on the National Reconnaissance Program and to discuss relationships between our organizations. The briefing I have in mind would be one originally prepared for the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense and lasts 1 1/2 to 2 hours. Will your schedule permit a get-together some time during the next two weeks?

Sincerely,

~~[Redacted Signature]~~

John L. McLucas

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Dr. Thomas O. Paine
Administrator
National Aeronautics and
Space Administration
Washington, D. C.

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THE NRO STAFF

April 23, 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR DR. McLUCAS

SUBJECT: NRP Briefing to Dr. Thomas O. Paine

Background:

We have never briefed Dr. Thomas O. Paine, Administrator of NASA, on the National Reconnaissance Program. This situation was allowed to develop because (1) Dr. Paine was the Acting Administrator and (2) his staff concurred that there was no urgency in briefing someone who apparently would head NASA for three or four months, at most.

Current Situation:

Dr. Paine's staff now urges us to brief him, recommending one hour on hardware, a half-hour on policy, and a half-hour for discussion. I have prepared a letter for your signature, inviting him to such a briefing. Prior to that date, we will brief you on DOD-NASA relationships.


Recommendation:

That you sign the letter to Dr. Paine.


Colonel, USAF

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