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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. PLUMMER

SUBJECT: Letter from Admiral Anderson to Mr. Colby

At the right is a feedback memorandum from Admiral Anderson to Mr. Colby which, in part, comments on NRP management. As you know, the PFIAB has been a strong advocate on the retention of the NRO as a specially treated enterprise.

The memorandum cites two activities which are underway and of which we were not aware:

- a. Examination of the original directives about the NRP;
- b. Creation of an "omnibus" NSCID which includes the NRP as a normal program.

We informally contacted the PFIAB Staff on this subject and ascertained the following:

- a. The IC Staff has prepared an "omnibus" NSCID which includes all intelligence activities except one program.
- b. The NRO is included.
- c. Unclassified statements of missions and functions are included in the draft NSCID.
- d. The NSCID is responsive to Mr. Colby's generally stated desires.
- e. The draft is being circulated in-house at CIA only.

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