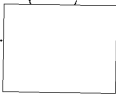


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Subj:

I have reviewed the Navy's Program C as a part of the National Reconnaissance Office's effort in support of the National Intelligence objectives. However, since ^{at present} these Satellites are not tasked ~~of~~ over the Ocean areas of the world, I feel we are not exploiting their potential to the fullest in support of one of the Navy's ^{most significant} problems, that of Sea Surveillance.

I therefore propose the Navy be given the responsibility to investigate on an experimental basis the ability ^{to utilize} ~~to~~ these systems to support the Sea Surveillance role of the Navy. On a "not to interfere basis" I would propose the Navy be given the responsibility for tasking these systems ^{optimally} over the Ocean areas of the world for the collection and processing of the ~~collection~~ intercept data ^{on ocean platforms} ~~via~~ ^{existing} ~~existing~~ ~~stations~~. This could be done at Navy Stations to prove the feasibility of this

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effort in the Defense program without additional
 cost. This experiment should only be considered
 an R & D evaluation and after suitable appraisal
 of the Navy would then be able to assess
 its effectiveness in support of other collection
 programs for ASW such as SO3As, Bullseye
 etc. MOONBOUNCE etc

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