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EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, THE USE OF THE CODEWORD QUILL AS A SECURITY PROJECT INDICATOR UNDER THE BYEMAN SECURITY CONTROL SYSTEM WILL BE DISCONTINUED. THE SATELLITE RADAR FEASIBILITY DEMONSTRATION CONDUCTED AS PROJECT QUILL WILL HENCEFORTH BE IDENTIFIED AS NRO STUDY [REDACTED].

THOSE MATERIALS RELATED TO PRJCT QUILL, PRESENTLY IN POSSESSION OF VARIOUS BYEMAN CONTROL CENTERS, WILL BE RESTRICTED ON A MUST KNOW BASIS TO INDIVIDUALS APPROVED FOR ACCESS TO EITHER CORONA, DORIAN, GAMBIT, OR HEXAGON. THESE MATERIALS WILL CONTINUE TO BE MAINTAINED IN THE BYEMAN SECURITY CONTROL SYSTEM ALTHOUGH APPROVAL FOR QUILL ACCESS WILL NO LONGER BE REQUIRED OR BILLETED.

THE IMAGERY PRODUCED DURING THE QUILL FEASIBILITY DEMONSTRATION (WHICH WAS LIMITED TO US ZONE OF INTERIOR) IS RELEASABLE ON A "MUST KNOW" TO INDIVIDUALS HAVING ACCESS TO EITHER TALENT-KEYHOLE, OR BYEMAN PROJECTS CORONA, DORIAN GAMBIT, OR HEXAGON. TALENT-KEYHOLE PERSONNEL MAY HAVE ACCESS TO SELECT ENGINEERING DATA UPON VALID REQUEST. "MUST KNOW"

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DETERMINATIONS WILL BE MADE BY THE SIO.

ALL QUILMATERIALS IN CUSTODY OF BCO'S WILL HAVE THE QUILMATERIAL COMPARTMENT DELETED AND BE MARKED NRO "STUDY".

MATERIALS IN THE TALENT-KEYHOLE OR BYEMAN SYSTEM WILL USE THE TERM "RADAR FEASIBILITY STUDY" IN LIEU OF "PROJECT QUILMATERIAL" IN CONTEXTUAL MATTERS.

IMMEDIATE ACTION WILL BE TAKEN TO DEBRIEF ALL PERSONNEL CURRENTLY AUTHORIZED QUILMATERIAL ACCESS.

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