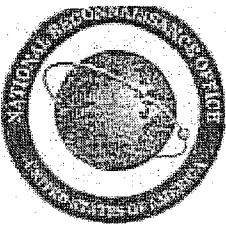


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5	OSO		12	Exec Secretary		Review X4267	
6	PAD		13	ADDMS		Review X3994	
7	NROC Security	Review x3988/3958	14				
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			DDMS/NROC	0134		br	29 Sep 2004
SUBJECT					DATE		
(S//TK) NRO Notification Memo - Deactivation of [] Mission 7347					5 Oct 2004		
SUMMARY							
PURPOSE: Obtain approval to transmit the NRO notification message reporting Termination of [] Mission 7347 (M7347).							
DISCUSSION: (S//TK) The National Reconnaissance Office will cease the operations of M7347 on 6 October 2004. This complies with Program Budget Decision 339 and is a fully-vetted decision with the Intelligence Community (IC). A previous Memo was signed on 16 July 2004, notified the recipients of the termination schedule of M7346 and M7347. This memo will notify them that the termination of M7347 has occurred.							
RECOMMENDATION: Approve for transmission.							
ATTACHMENT:							
Executive Secretary		[]	<i>Rec 16 Oct 04</i>		DDMS # _____	Date/Initials _____	

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NATIONAL RECONNAISSANCE OFFICE

16 July 2004

~~(U)~~ MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: ~~(S//TK)~~ Deactivation of Residual Missions
(7346/7347)

~~(S//TK)~~ The National Reconnaissance Office will cease the operations of the oldest vehicles 7346 and 7347 in October and November 2004, respectively. This complies with Program Budget Decision 339 and is a fully-vetted decision with the Intelligence Community (IC).

~~(S//TK)~~ Placed on orbit over 20 years ago, these two vehicles have made innumerable contributions to our nation's overhead Electronic Intelligence collection efforts. The degraded state of health and low data output no longer justifies their continued operation. Missions 7346 and 7347 will be placed in a non-recoverable state and remain on orbit in excess of 100 years. Launched 11 May 1982, Mission 7346 collection tasking averages 58 minutes per day. Launched 25 June 1984, Mission 7347 collection tasking averages less than 135 minutes per day.

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