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SIGINT COMMITTEE
SIGINT OVERHEAD RECONNAISSANCE SUBCOMMITTEE

MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTOR, NATIONAL RECONNAISSANCE OFFICE
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY

SUBJECT: Revised Mission Guidance for MABELI, SIGINT
Mission 7339

The SIGINT OVERHEAD RECONNAISSANCE SUBCOMMITTEE (SORS)
recommends the following revised mission guidance for MABELI,
SIGINT Mission 7339:

I. During conjunctions of MABELI and [redacted]
[redacted] Moscow and Sary Shagan,
the following emitters are listed in priority order for collec-
tion:

- A. [redacted]
- B. [redacted]

The NSA is requested to provide the NRO with appropriate collec-
tion times for coverage during [redacted]

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II. During other periods when MABELI is in view of Sary Shagan and tasked for Bands 1, 2 and 3 targets, the emitters in IA 1-4 should be collected.

III. Collection should be conducted of the Hen House II
 to determine remaining signal and beam scan parameters. This collection should not take precedence over that indicated in paragraph IA.

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IV. The following emitters and their signal characteristics are well known, but should be monitored aperiodically for changes in parameters on a noninterference basis with higher priority targets:

- A. Hen House II
- B. Hen House I
- C. Dog House
- D. Top Roost
- E.
- F. Big Screen

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V. Collection of the above listed target emitters should be conducted normally against their respective radar coverage sectors (within five degrees) as noted in the Annex.

VI. The NSA may make immediate temporary adjustments to collection priorities through the NRO to optimize collection of new signals or unusual modes of operation of known emitters within the mission collection capability. Such actions taken and intercept data results should be reported promptly to the SORS by the NSA.

VII. It is requested that Mission 7339 intercepts be processed initially only for signals from the target emitters listed in paragraph I above. The processing and reporting priorities shall generally be in accordance with the collection priorities specified above.

VIII. This guidance supersedes previous SORS mission guidance for MABELI, Mission 7339, TCS 4152-74, SORS 10./146/7.

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