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FOR GEN MARTIN AND COL HERAN FROM DR. FLAX AND GEN STEWART. THIS MESSAGE IN TWO PARTS. PART I FOR BOTH: IN THE NEAR FUTURE, WE PLAN TO REALIGN MOL MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES GENERALLY IN ACCORD WITH THE ARRANGEMENTS PROPOSED IN PARA 6A OF GEN MARTIN'S LETTER OF APRIL 20. GENERALS STEWART AND BERG HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH DRAFTING A SUITABLE MANAGEMENT DIRECTIVE AND OTHER NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AND WILL COORDINATE THESE WITH YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. YOU SHOULD ANTICIPATE THIS REALIGNMENT; HOWEVER, NO ACTIONS SHOULD BE TAKEN LOCALLY PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF APPROPRIATE DIRECTIVES WITHOUT MY SPECIFIC APPROVAL. PART II FOR GEN MARTIN: REFERENCE YOUR DISCUSSION WITH GENERAL STEWART. YOU MAY DEFER SIGNING YOU MOL "BLACK" CONTRACTS WITH GE AND DAC UNTIL ABOUT JUNE 1 UNLESS THIS IMPOSES AN UNDUE HARDSHIP ON EITHER CONTRACTOR OR JEOPARDIZES THE OBLIGATION OF ALL FUNDS IN THIS FISCAL YEAR. IF POSSIBLE, THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR GENERAL KEELING TO SIGN THESE CONTRACTS FOR THE GOVERNMENT WILL BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO THAT DATE.

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