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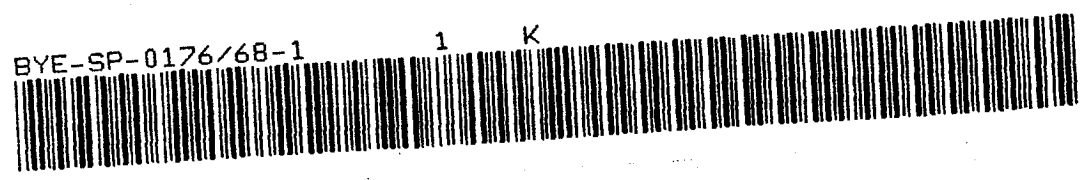


MEMORANDUM FOR COLONEL WORTHMAN

1. Help!
2. This appears to be another SAMSO (SMA) "avoidance" of Dr. Flax's policy. I can't be sure because we don't know what SAMSO has been directed to do on SCS, if anything. SAFSP has refused to support their requirement.
3. This plus SAMSO's constant provocation of industry to create new system requirements needs a firm hand from Dr. Flax thru the other channel if we are to avoid severe over-exposure and highlighting. Of particular import as a new inclusion is "Manned Spaceborne Surveillance System" related to MOL.

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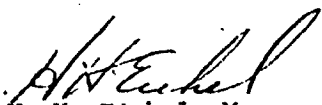
Subject: TRW Response to SAMSO Satellite Control Satellite Office  
Information Request

The Satellite Control Satellite Office at SAMSO has requested of TRW Systems Group information regarding the utility of an SCS system deployed in three different political scenarios as delineated in attachment 2.

Our Military Space Vehicles Operations Advanced Development Group has been asked to respond with inputs to the Earth Observation and Signal Monitor/Data Collection missions.

Although we have attempted to respond in terms which would not be regarded as requiring special handling we are forwarding the attached documents through you for your evaluation and disposition. We would appreciate your contacting Lt Col P. Suttler or Maj. R Mullenger (SMMIV-2) to denote receipt of this document regardless of your decision on the disposition of the information contained therein.

TRW INC.



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- Enclosures: (1) The Benefits of Employing Satellite Control Satellites  
in Conjunction with Earth Observation Satellite Systems  
and Signal Monitor/Data Collection Satellite Systems  
(2) Introduction and Summary

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